

THE NATIONAL CIVIL WAR MUSEUM



SCAVENGER HUNT

MIDDLE SCHOOL EDITION

ALL ANSWERS CAN BE FOUND THROUGHOUT THE GALLERIES.

☞ LOOK & LISTEN CLOSELY! ☜

PART 1: SEEDS OF CONFLICT AND THE START OF WAR

ALL ANSWERS FOUND ON THE TOP FLOOR OF THE MUSEUM

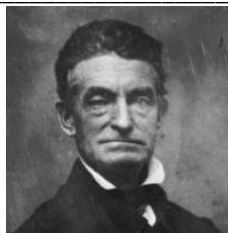
Colliding Cultures

1.) The North and South were becoming two very different societies before the Civil War. Make a list of at least 3 major differences between the North and the South.

Slavery and Sectional Conflict

2.) What anti-slavery book was written by Harriet Beecher Stowe? How many copies did it sell in a year?

3.) In 1859, raiders attacked Harper's Ferry, Virginia hoping to lead a slave rebellion. Soldiers had to be called in to stop them, which they did. Who was the leader of the raid?



The Election of 1860

4.) Who were the 3 candidates that ran for President in 1860?

5.) Who won the election?

LOOK CLOSELY!

What party did the winning candidate belong to?

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American Slavery

6.) What was the Underground Railroad?

7.) Look at the people around the Auction House. Describe the expressions on the faces of the mother and son.



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(Go to the next room)

First Shots



8.) Where was the first battle of the Civil War fought?

9.) Who was the Union commander at Fort Sumter?

10.) Who was the Confederate commander he faced?

Call to Arms

11.) Who was the President of the Confederacy? _____

WAR OF FIRSTS

12.) The Civil War was the first war to ever use _____ to transport soldiers.

A.) Horses

B.) Railroads

C.) Ships

D.) Trucks

Go to the next to the next room

The Making of Armies

13.) In this room there are two soldiers, one Northern and one Southern. Are they officers or are they privates? How do you know?

WAR OF FIRSTS

14.) Starting with the Civil War, army commanders in the North used “corps badges” to tell their soldiers apart. Soldiers usually wore them on their hats or coats.

Which of these is not a corps badge design that you see listed?



Go to the next to the next room

16.) Draw a line between the symbol and the army branch it belongs with.



Cavalry



Artillery



Infantry

Go to the next to the next room

Campaigns and Battles 1861-1862

17.) There is a saddle in a glass case. The saddle was designed and used by the same person. Who was it?



18.) What's going on in this picture?

Camp Curtin

19.) What was Camp Curtin?

LOOK CLOSELY!

Who was Camp Curtin named after?

When did the camp close? _____

Go to the next to the next room

Life in a Civil War Camp



20.) Look at the soldiers in their camp. What's going on? List at least three things you see them doing.

21.) Would you want to live in a camp like this? Why or why not?

Go to the next to the next room

Why Men Fought

22.) List 4 reasons why men fought in the Civil War.



23.) What medal is this? _____

24.) How many were awarded during the Civil War?

Civil War Music



25.) How many soldiers in the Union army were seventeen years old or younger?

PART 2: THE TIDE TURNS AND THE WAR ENDS

ALL ANSWERS FOUND ON THE LOWER FLOOR OF THE MUSEUM

Gettysburg - 1863

26.) Who was the Union commander at Gettysburg? _____

27.) Who was the Confederate commander? _____

28.) The Confederates lost the Battle of Gettysburg after the failure of _____ Charge.

A.) Pickett's B.) Meade's C.) Lee's D.) Bragg's

The Battle of Gettysburg ended on what date? _____

Go to the next to the next room

Women in the War



29.) List at least 3 things that women did to contribute to the war effort.

The Election of 1864

30.) Who ran against Abraham Lincoln for President in the Election of 1864?

31.) Who won the election? _____

LOOK CLOSELY!

Before the Election of 1864, the last President to win a second term was

_____.

A.) George Washington B.) John Adams

C.) John C. Calhoun D.) Andrew Jackson

Go to the next to the next room

Campaigns and Battles *1864-1865*

32.) Who won the following battles?

Vicksburg USA CSA Draw

Chickamauga USA CSA Draw

33.) Name the Union general who led a “March to the Sea” through the South.

WAR OF FIRSTS

34.) The Civil War saw the use of the first submarine. What was its name?

35.) Did it belong to the North or the South? _____

Go to the next to the next room

The Surrender at Appomattox

36.) Name the Confederate and Union commanders who met at Appomattox.

37.) Who surrendered and on what date did the surrender happen?

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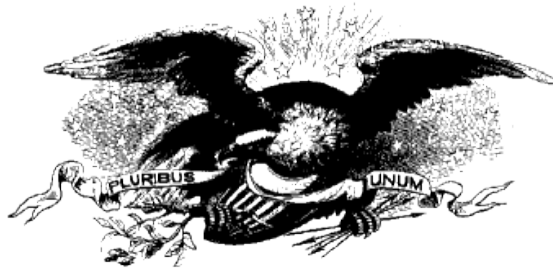
The Nation's Loss

38.) Who killed Abraham Lincoln? _____

39.) Where was Lincoln killed? _____

40.) On what date was Lincoln killed? _____

To all whom it may Concern.



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in the State of who visited

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