



# **Name One Problem That Led to the Civil War - Quiz**

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## **Q1. What was one of the main problems that led to the Civil War?**

- A. Slavery
- B. Industrialization
- C. Immigration policies
- D. Taxation

## **Q2. Which invention increased the demand for slave labor in the South?**

- A. The steam engine
- B. The cotton gin
- C. The telegraph
- D. The printing press

## **Q3. What did the Missouri Compromise of 1820 aim to do?**

- A. Abolish slavery nationwide
- B. Maintain balance between free and slave states
- C. Encourage westward expansion
- D. Establish a new capital

**Q4. Which event delayed the Civil War for about a decade?**

- A. The Louisiana Purchase
- B. The Compromise of 1850
- C. The Mexican-American War
- D. The Declaration of Independence

**Q5. What was the primary reason southern states seceded from the Union?**

- A. Economic reasons
- B. States' rights
- C. Slavery
- D. Foreign influence

**Q6. Which legislation prohibited slavery north of the Ohio River?**

- A. The Missouri Compromise
- B. The Northwest Ordinance of 1787
- C. The Compromise of 1850
- D. The Fugitive Slave Act

**Q7. What was the outcome of the Mexican-American War regarding slavery?**

- A. Slavery was abolished in all new territories
- B. New territories were acquired, increasing tensions over slavery
- C. Slavery was expanded nationwide
- D. The balance of power remained unchanged

**Q8. Which Founding Father owned slaves but made arrangements to free them upon his death?**

- A. Benjamin Franklin
- B. John Adams
- C. George Washington
- D. Alexander Hamilton

**Q9. What was the Fugitive Slave Act?**

- A. A law that freed all slaves
- B. A law that required escaped slaves to be returned to their owners
- C. A law that banned slavery in Washington D.C.
- D. A law that encouraged slave revolts

**Q10. What event directly precipitated the Civil War?**

- A. The invention of the cotton gin
- B. The Missouri Compromise
- C. The Election of 1860
- D. The signing of the Declaration of Independence

## **Answer Key**

1. Q1: A
2. Q2: B
3. Q3: B
4. Q4: B
5. Q5: C
6. Q6: B
7. Q7: B
8. Q8: C
9. Q9: B
10. Q10: C