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0470 HISTORY

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19th Century topic

WAS SLAVERY THE CAUSE OF TENSION BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH?

1 Study Sources A and B.

How far do sources A and B agree? Explain your answer using details of the sources.

Level 0 No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [7]
[0]

Level 1 Writes about the sources but makes no valid comparison [1]

Level 2 Identifies information that is in one source but not in the other [2]
OR
States that the sources are about the same subject
OR
Compares the provenance of the two sources

Level 3 Agreement OR disagreement of details or sub-messages [3–4]

Agreements include:

- North is against slavery
- North is trying to disrupt the South
- States have left the Union
- States complain about the North
- Both opposed the federal government

Disagreements include:

- Leaving Union for different reasons

Level 4 Agreement AND disagreement of details or sub-messages [5–6]

Level 5 Compares Big Messages [7]
Agreement: States are leaving the Union because of the North's action/
Blaming the North

2 Study Source C.

Are you surprised by this source? Explain your answer using details of the source and your knowledge. [8]

Level 0 No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]

Level 1 Writes about the source, but fails to address the question [1]

Level 2 Valid analysis of source but fails to state whether surprised or not [2]
OR
Identifies something to be surprised/ not surprised about, but not explained

Level 3 Answers based on undeveloped provenance [3]
e.g. Jefferson Davies and dates

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Level 4 Matches or mismatches with other sources to show surprise/not surprised

Level 5 Uses contextual knowledge to be surprised or not surprised

3 Study Sources D and E.

Does Source E prove that Lincoln was lying in Source D? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your knowledge.

Level 0 No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]

Level 1 Writes about the sources, but does not address the question [1]

Level 2 Answers based on undeveloped provenance [2–3]
e.g. not lying as he changed his mind/ different dates

Level 3 Answers based on agreements OR disagreements [4–5]

Disagreement:

D Slavery not the cause of War; E slavery was the cause of war

Agreement:

Both D and E say that it was not the North's fault for war/ union.

Level 4 Answers based on agreement AND disagreement [6]

Level 5 Evaluates D but no valid use of E [7]
OR
Evaluates E but no valid use of D

Level 6 Compares the sources and uses contextual knowledge of the sources to explain whether Lincoln was lying or not [8]

4 Study Source F.

Why was this source published in February 1861? Explain your answer using details of the source and your knowledge. [8]

Level 0 No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]

Level 1 Surface description [1]

Level 2 Interprets cartoon or describes the context – but not used as a reason for publication [2]

Level 3 Explains context only [3–4]
e.g. Lincoln is President or about to be President or Southern States are seceding

Level 4 Explains a valid sub-message of cartoon [5–6]
e.g. Union is falling apart;
some states in South breaking away;
Lincoln worried about division;
save the Union

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Level 5 Explains the Big Message or purpose
Either to reassure people Lincoln will sort it out
OR
This is what Lincoln’s first priority will be/ setting the agenda for Lincoln

Level 6 Explains message or purpose in context of early 1861 [8]
Allow EITHER context used for Level 3

5 Study Source G.

How useful is this source to a historian studying the causes of the Civil War? Explain your answer using details of the source and your knowledge. [7]

Level 0 No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]

Level 1 Writes about the source, but fails to address the question or unsupported assertions [1]

Level 2 Undeveloped use of provenance [2–3]
e.g. Not useful as from Georgia/ from a newspaper

Level 3 Makes valid inferences about usefulness when studying causes of Civil War [4–5]

Level 4 Evaluates G by cross-reference to other sources or contextual knowledge [6]

Level 5 Explains what can be inferred from G about Georgia [7]
e.g. Georgia’s intentions/ motives – not include surface description

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6 Study all the sources.

How far do these sources provide convincing evidence that slavery was the main reason why North and South could not live together. Use the sources to explain your answer. [10]

- Level 0** No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]
- Level 1** No valid source use [1–3]
- Level 2** Uses sources to support or reject the statement [4–6]
- Level 3** Uses sources to support and reject the statement [7–10]

- Award up to 2 bonus marks for evaluation of sources (no more than 1 mark per source).
- Source use must be reference to a source by a letter, by provenance or by direction quote. There must be examples from source content. There must be an explanation of how this supports/ does not support the statement.
- Use ‘Y’ in the margin for each source in support of the statement and ‘N’ for each source rejecting the statement.
- Where the candidate groups sources, award only one Y/N for the whole group and only if the explanation is valid for all the sources grouped.

Yes								No							
A	B	C	D	E	G	H		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H

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20th Century topic

HOW DID AMERICA REACT TO THE MY LAI MASSACRE?

1 Study Sources A and B.

How far do these two sources agree? Explain your answer using details of the sources. [7]

Level 0 No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]

Level 1 Writes about the sources, but makes no valid comparison [1]

Level 2 Identifies information that is in one source but not in the other [2]

OR

States that the sources are about the same subject

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Compares the provenance of the two sources

Level 3 Agreement OR disagreement of details or sub-messages [3–4]

Agreements include:

Calley guilty of murder

Only Calley was convicted of murder

Calley sentenced to murder

Disagreements include:

A – Calley killed 109 civilians; B killed ‘at least 20 civilians’

A Calley served 3 years; B Calley pardoned a week later

Level 4 Agreement AND disagreement of details or sub-messages [5–6]

Level 5 Compares Big Messages [7]

A NOT condemning soldiers; B is condemning

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2 Study Source C.

Why was this cartoon published in 1971? Explain your answer using details of the source and your knowledge.

- Level 0** No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]
- Level 1** Misreadings of the article [1]
- Level 2** Interprets cartoon or describes the context – but not used as a reason for publication [2]
- Level 3** Explains context only – fails to explain message or purpose of source [3–4]
OR
Explains sub-message of cartoon
- Level 4** Explains the Big Message [5–6]
Must include condemning the reaction to Calley
- Level 5** Explains the purpose of the article [7]
(must have intended impact on audience – to convince/persuade the Audience that Calley is wrong)
- Level 6** Explains purpose in context of early 1971 [8]

3 Study Sources D and E.

Are you surprised by Source E? Explain your answer using the details of your knowledge.

- Level 0** No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]
- Level 1** Writes about the sources, fails to address the question [1]
- Level 2** Valid analysis of source but fails to state whether surprised or not [2]
- Level 3** Assertion based on everyday empathy [3]
- Level 4** Matches or mismatches with D [4–5]
- Level 5** Matches or mismatches with sources other than D or contextual knowledge [6–8]

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4 Study Sources F and G.

What would the reaction of the author of Source F have been to Source G? Explain your answer using details of the sources and your knowledge.

- Level 0** No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]
- Level 1** Writes about the sources, but fails to address the question [1–2]
- Level 2** Answers based on reasonable interpretations of Source G [3]
- Level 3** Answers that explain a valid reaction to events or characters in the cartoon
e.g. welcomes Calley getting punished [4–6]
- Level 4** Valid reactions to the point of view of the cartoonist [7–8]
e.g. Calley is being sacrificed by the Generals/being treated by the Generals as a scapegoat

5 Study Source H.

What is the message of this cartoon? Explain your answer using the details of the source and your knowledge. [7]

- Level 0** No evidence submitted or response does not address the question [0]
- Level 1** Surface description of the cartoon [1]
- Level 2** Misinterpretation of the cartoon [2]
e.g. Calley let the army down; angry with Calley
- Level 3** Interprets sub-message of the cartoon [3–4]
e.g. the army was upset/ worried
- Level 4** Interprets Big Message of cartoon [5–6]
e.g. Army/ US troops are unhappy with Calley verdict
- Level 5** Cartoonist's point of view [7]
e.g. Worrying for the army that morale is being lowered/Cartoonist is sympathetic towards soldiers; unfair on soldiers

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6 Study all the sources.

How far do these sources provide convincing evidence that people in America support Calley? Use the sources to explain your answer.

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