**Name: Period: Date:**

A Nation Divided/Civil War Test Review

Due:

Part I: Causes of the Civil War

1. What was the Compromise of 1850?
2. How did the Kansas Nebraska Act affect the Compromise of 1850?
3. What happened in the Senate after the Kansas-Nebraska Act?
4. Analyze the term “Bleeding Kansas”. What events led to Kansas being referred to in this manner?
5. What was the significance of the Dred Scott Decision?
6. Who were the abolitionists? What role did they play in the conflict between the north and the south?.
7. Discuss how the Underground Railroad was used? What famous person is known as the Moses of her people?
8. Why was the Fugitive Slave Act so controversial?
9. Who were the three candidates in the 1860 election and to what party did they belong?
10. Which political party split and why?
11. Who won the election of 1860? What was the result?
12. Which state was the first state to secede?
13. What was the Union vs the Confederacy’s strategies/plan for the war.

Part III Battles: Write the importance of each battle in the Civil War

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| Name of Battle | Importance in the Civil War |
| Fort Sumter |  |
| Bull Run |  |
| Antietam |  |
| Gettysburg |  |
| Sherman’s March |  |
| Appomattox Courthouse |  |

1. What was the date the Civil War started? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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