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CO#3: Why did Union (Northern) forces ultimately win the Civil War?

Instructions: Respond to each of the following prompts using the resources identified in each prompt.

- (1) Using the “Resources of the North & South” handout and the textbook (Sherman quote on p.330; chart p.330; “Americans Expect a Short War” text pp340-342), complete the following comparison chart of North & South.

ISSUE	NORTH	SOUTH	ADVANTAGE	SOURCE
Naval Ship Tonnage	25	1	North	Txt p339

(2) What were the Union & Confederate strategies for victory? (Text 11.1)

a. Union:

b. Confederate:

(3) How did each side's strategy reflect its advantages? (Your head)

a. Union:

b. Confederate:

(4) Despite having so many disadvantages, why was the Confederacy generally more successful in the first few years of the war? (text 11.1; cartoon history)

(5) What was the Emancipation Proclamation and how did it affect the war? (text 11.2; cartoon history)

(6) How did African-Americans (slave & free) affect the course of the war? (text 11.3; cartoon history)

- (7) How did luck help shift the tide of war at Chancellorsville? (text 11.4)
- (8) Summarize the Battles of Gettysburg & Vicksburg and explain their significance in the war. (text 11.4)
- a. Gettysburg:

 - b. Vicksburg:
- (9) Confederate Secretary of War, John Campbell said that the, "...mountain districts of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama menace the existence of the Confederacy as fatally as...the armies of the United States." Explain what he meant by this. (text 11.4)
- (10) How was Grant ultimately able to get Lee to surrender? (text 11.4; cartoon history)