**Lincoln’s War Politics:**

* military arrests of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* suspended habeas corpus (speedy trial)
  + “are all laws but one to go unexecuted, and the government itself go to pieces, lest that one be violated?” – Lincoln’s Address to Congress
* martial law
* ignored the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

- Ex parte Merryman

- required Lincoln to release a Maryland secessionist

**Congressional Politics:**

* with no opposition Republicans pass laws they could not before the war

1. Homestead Act 1862

2. Morrill Land Grant Act 1862

3. raised tariffs

4. Transcontinental RR

5. National Banking Acts 1863-64

**Clement L. Vallandigham:**

* Congressman from Ohio
* outspoken
* ran for governor
* arrested May 1863
* Lincoln \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him to the Confederacy
* ran his campaign from Canada
* unanimously nominated by democratic party

**Election of 1864:**

* Republican Candidates: Abraham Lincoln and Andrew Johnson
* Democrat Candidates: George B. McClellan and George H. Pendleton

**Why didn’t Lincoln suspend the election in the name of war?:**

* “We cannot have free government without elections; and if the rebellion could force us to forego or postpone a national election, it might fairly claim to have already conquered and ruined us.”
* “It seems exceedingly probable that this administration will not be re-elected. Then it will be my duty to so co-operate with the president-elect as to save the Union between the election and the inauguration, as he will have secured his election on such ground that he cannot possibly save it afterward.”

**Why did Lincoln Win the election?**

* military victories including the capture of Atlanta
* Andrew Johnson- broadens the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Emancipation:**

* 1861 Confiscation Act

- all slaves used for insurrectionary purposes would be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* 1862 abolished slavery in DC and W. territories
* Sept 22, 1862 announces preliminary Emancipation
* Jan 1, 1863 Emancipation Proclamation issued
* 1865 13th amendment

**Inflation skyrockets in the South:**

* Confederate Currency, $10, 1861 Backed by cotton and printed in excess, Confederate Currency quickly depreciated in value, becoming \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Postage Stamp, 1 cent, 1862-1863 Postage stamps, which served as a substitute for coins during the Civil War, were privately encased in brass with a mica shield to protect them from moisture.

**William T. Sherman:**

* “I will make this war as severe as possible, and show no symptoms of tiring, till the South Begs for mercy.”

**Lee Surrenders to Grant:**

* Robert E. Lee surrounded, exhausted and w/o supplies
* April 9, 1865 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Appomattox Courthouse, VA

**Results of the Civil War:**

* over \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dead

- 500,000 wounded

- 50,000 amputees

* South lay in ruins
* Slaves are Free
* Reconstruction must begin