

# **BELLWORK: 3/12/2020**

These were the in-class activities on Thursday, March  
12, 2020

THE UNION MUST AND

SHALL BE PRESERVED

FREE SPEECH.  
FREE HOMES.  
FREE TERRITORY.



FOR PRESIDENT  
**ABRAHAM LINCOLN**  
OF ILLINOIS



FOR VICE PRESIDENT  
**HANNIBAL HAMLIN**  
OF MAINE



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- Compare the poster on the next slide to the [Platform of the Republican Party](#) in the 1856 & 1860 elections
- Upon Lincoln's election in 1860, South Carolina voted to secede from the union, followed over the next few months by 6 other states.
- Based on the information from these documents, what was the essence of the conflict between Southern States and the Republican Party that led to secession?

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## Abraham Lincoln: Public & Private Communication

Use the documents provided to respond to the questions that follow at the end of the file.

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## The Secession Ordinances

Why did Southern States say they had a legal right to secede?

# DOCBLOCK I

*The Emancipation Proclamation*

Abraham Lincoln

1863

NO HAPP, Just read and prepare to debrief

# DocBLOCK II

*Personal Letter*

Maj. Sullivan Balloo

1861

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Why do you believe the Civil War happened?

Was it avoidable in any way that would also guarantee emancipation?