

Reading Questions: 424 – 430

1864 – 1865: The Final Test of Wills

Why did the North want to keep the Confederacy from being recognized by foreign nations?

What does the term “total war” mean?

What was General Grant’s (Union) strategy to bring the South to its knees?

How did Sherman’s “march to the sea” reflect Grant’s strategy?

Why did General Lee surrender?

What was the toll of the war on the nation?