**Ch. 16 Section 2: Life in the Army**

1. Civilian Soldiers
   1. Many rushed to enlist (join army) on both sides
   2. Farmers
   3. Immigrants
   4. No African Americans at first
      1. North later accepted black soldiers
   5. Union: 2 million
      1. Blue Uniforms
   6. Confederate: 1 million
      1. Gray/Yellow uniforms
         1. Many lacked uniforms, shoes, etc.
2. A New Kind of War
   1. Unhealthy Conditions
      1. Filthy Camps
      2. Poor Hygiene
      3. Lice/Flees
      4. Sickness
      5. More soldiers died from disease than in battle
   2. Prison Camps
      1. Terrible Conditions
      2. North: Elmira, NY
      3. South: Andersonville, GA
   3. Changes in Military Technology
      1. More casualties
      2. New strategies
      3. Rifles
         1. Better range and accuracy
      4. Miniballs= bullet with a hollow base
      5. Ironclads= naval warships covered with iron
         1. Faster
         2. Better protected
         3. *The Monitor*  Vs.  *The Merrimack*
            1. First battle between two iron clads
            2. Ended in a draw