**Honors Questions for Chapter 15: Reconstruction**

1. What was freedom to a former slave? Were African Americans free in post Civil War south?

2. Describe the 13th Amendment

3. What did freedmen do because they were not welcomed in white society?

4. What was Lincoln’s plan for Reconstruction?

5. What legislation was passed in response to Lincoln’s reconstruction plan?

6. Describe the components of the Freedman’s Bureau, The Civil Rights Act of 1866 and the 14th Amendment.

7. Describe the elements of Radical Reconstruction?

(Military Reconstruction Act, Tenure of Office Act, 15th Amendment)

8. Why was President Andrew Johnson Impeached by the House of Representatives?

9. What were the two ways that southern states respond to reconstruction laws passed by Congress?

10. Describe the election of 1876 and how it led to the end of reconstruction?

11. Who was Booker T. Washington and what was the Atlanta Compromise?

12**. (doc 1.16)** Civil Rights Cases of 1883

a) Background

b) Constitutional Question

c) Answer and reasoning of Supreme Court

13. **(doc 1.18)** Plessy v Ferguson 1896

a) Background

b) Does this law violate the 13th Amendment?

c) Was the 14th Amendment created to provide for social equality?

d) Does the 14th Amendment prohibit states from separating the races in education and transportation?

e) Explain the court’s reasoning.

Important Vocabulary words from Chapter 15

Benevolent

Paternalistic

Conciliation

Inept

Repressible

Double Entendre

Sharecropper

Suffrage

Carpetbaggers

Scalawags