# **Sticking with the Confederacy**

## During the American Civil War

### North Carolinians acquired the nickname \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. North Carolinians provided for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of all of the Confederate soldiers, even through the state has only \_\_\_\_\_ off the South’s population.

### North Carolina provided more than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ troops and suffered \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on all

### Confederate casualties. (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ died from battle wounds & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from disease)

## Fighting on the Virginia Front

### North Carolinians fought bravely in just about every major engagement in VA. North Carolinians ever

### since have been taught to remember that their troops were “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

### \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”.

* + - * + At Bethel, VA the first North Carolinian was killed in combat, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.North

Carolinians formed part of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the three- day battle of Gettysburg. Despite

casualties, Tar Heels pushed through the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. When the Confederate army laid

down its arms at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in 1865, one-fourth of those who surrendered were from North Carolina.

* + - * + North Carolinians also committed one of the greatest mistakes of the War. General \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ got caught between the lines and was mistakes for a Union General. North Carolinians accidently

wounded him, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* + Defending the North Carolina Coastline
    - * Once the war began, the North planes to attack \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the capital of the Confederacy.

One way was through the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* + - * In 1861, the Union began to capture Confederate Forts on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, By 1862 the North Controlled the Sounds.
      * The North has maintained a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, where a fleet of ships patrolled the ocean outsides all southern ports. By 1863, most southern ports had been cut off. The only port that remained

open was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The South used \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to slip in and out of Cape Fear waters. These ships went to British ports to get supplies to the Confederate Military. Wilmington

became known as the “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

* + End of the War
    - In 1865 a Union naval force took \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, closing the Wilmington port. General

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ turned to north from Georgia. After burning Columbia, SC Sherman’s army headed

to key railroad depot at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Along the way, he destroyed and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at

Fayetteville and battled confederate soldiers at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* + - Bentonville was the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fought in the state during the war. Sherman took possession

of Central NC. Some of his troops camped on the University campus in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, where they

stabled their horses in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* **Conflicts on the Home Front**

### The Civil War, like the American Revolution, bred conflict within the state. Almost \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

### North Carolinians were conscripted; \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Price gouging (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_) was a constant fact of the war, as money in North Carolina lost value

## Women in the War

* + - To keep the army in the field, the state required ever family to provide a “ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” a portion of

all \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ grown on the family farm. In North Carolina, the men in more than half of the

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ had gone to war. If the soldiers was the husband, then the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ had

the burden of doing both her job and his in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

By 1863, many soldier’s wives hat to see \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from their communities.

When prices began to rise steeply in 1863,, women participated in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The demanded

flour at a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. When a merchant refused, the women, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

## Deserters and Fugitives

* + - Disorder spread across the state by 1863. In the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ groups of buffaloes (so called because

they were said to “ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” ) hid in the swamps to avoid fight for

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Some buffaloes actually went over to fight for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Once

the Union captured \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, it set up a new state government there. Union Governor

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ recruited both \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to fight for the North.

* + - The west was even more disorderly than the east. Groups similar to the buffaloes went by the name

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because many of them were “ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” They often fought

skirmishes with the Home Guard \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* + - In the Uwharries, many unhappy citizens joined the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a society

organized to help \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They celebrates July 4, 1863 by

running a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Disorder was so bad that General \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ came with

Confederate troops to arrest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ men and sent them back to the army.

## The Peace Movement

* + - As the Confederacy struggles to continue, Some North Carolinians concluded that the secession had been a

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They rallied around \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a prominent newspaper editor. After

the battle of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Holden began to urge the state to seek a separate peace with

the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The proposal soon grew into a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* + - Opposing Holden throughout the war was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, who had been elected governor in

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Vance quarreled with the precedent of the confederacy, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

He insisted that all supplies raised in the state go only to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Vance adamantly opposed the peace movement. He argues to citizens that a separate peace meant

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the North. The consequences could include \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

confiscation of slaves, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

* + - In the election of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Vance and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were the two candidates for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
    - Vance one the majority across the state. Governor Vance continued to lead a very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ state until the North put an end to the resistance in 1865.
* Directions: In the space below, write a journal entry from the perspective someone living in North Carolina during the War. (Examples: A woman taking care of the farm, buffalo or outlier, someone part of the Peace Movement, a confederate soldier, etc.) MUST BE 6-8 Sentences!

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