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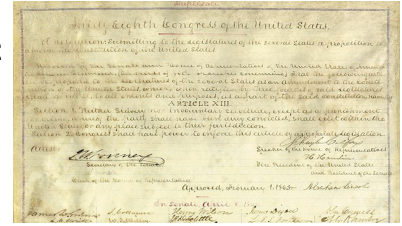
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13th Amendment]>

an amendment to the US Constitution that ended slavery throughout the country. It was ratified in 1865.

While many enslaved people were freed by the Emancipation Proclamation, it wasn't until the ratification of the _13th Amendment_ that slavery itself was abolished.



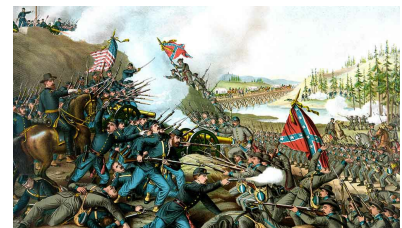
Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Make a connection between this word and another word or idea:

Civil War]>

the war (1861–1865) fought between the United States and the Confederacy, the 11 Southern states that had seceded from the Union.

When the _Civil War_ ended in 1865, there was still a lot of tension between the Union and the former Confederacy.



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compensation]>

money or other payment received for doing a job.

Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez were frustrated that farm workers did not earn enough money for their labor, so they fought for fair _compensation_.

Synonyms: payment, wages



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Congress]>

the group of people who are elected to make laws in the United States. It is made up of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

If you meet a member of _Congress_, he or she will either be a Senator or a member of the House of Representatives.

Synonyms: legislative branch



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Emancipation Proclamation]>

a presidential proclamation and executive order made by President Lincoln on January 1, 1863. It freed all the slaves in the Confederate States and territories.

President Lincoln issued the _Emancipation Proclamation_ in 1863. The act freed all the slaves living in Confederate states not yet under Union control during the Civil War.



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freedom]>

the power to act, speak and move without restriction.

We have the _freedom_ to practice any religion without the government interfering.

Synonyms: liberty, independence

Antonyms: captivity, restraint



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plantation]>

a large estate on which cash crops like cotton, tobacco or sugar are grown, usually by workers who live on the property.

He grew up on a large _plantation_ where cotton was grown.



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slavery]>

the state, condition or practice of owning or being owned by another person.

The practice of _slavery_ was abolished in the United States, and it is now illegal to own another human being.

Synonyms: enslavement



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Union]>

the portion of the United States that remained loyal to the federal government during the Civil War.

The _Union_ was the part of the US made up of mostly Northern states that was loyal to the federal government during the Civil War.



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