

# The Road To Civil War

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1. How was Lincoln able to win the Election of 1860?
2. What advantages did the Southern states still have in the federal government, even after the Lincoln win?
3. What is the response of the South to the Election of 1860? What state led the response?
4. What compromises were attempted to keep the Union together?
5. Why did Lincoln reject the compromise?
6. In your opinion, could "lame duck" Buchanan have handled things different? If so, how?
7. What arguments did Southerners make to justify secession?
8. How can Southern secession be linked to the American Revolution?