

## Abolitionists



Abolitionists campaigned to end slavery.

## John Brown



John Brown led a raid on the United States Arsenal (Arsenal) at Harpers Ferry, Virginia. He was trying to start a slave rebellion. He was captured and hanged.

## Harriet Tubman



Harriet Tubman established a secret route that escaped slaves took; it became known as the "Underground Railroad."

## Abraham Lincoln



After Abraham Lincoln became President of the United States in 1860, some southern states seceded from the Union. Later, other southern states, including Virginia, seceded to form the "Confederate States of America."