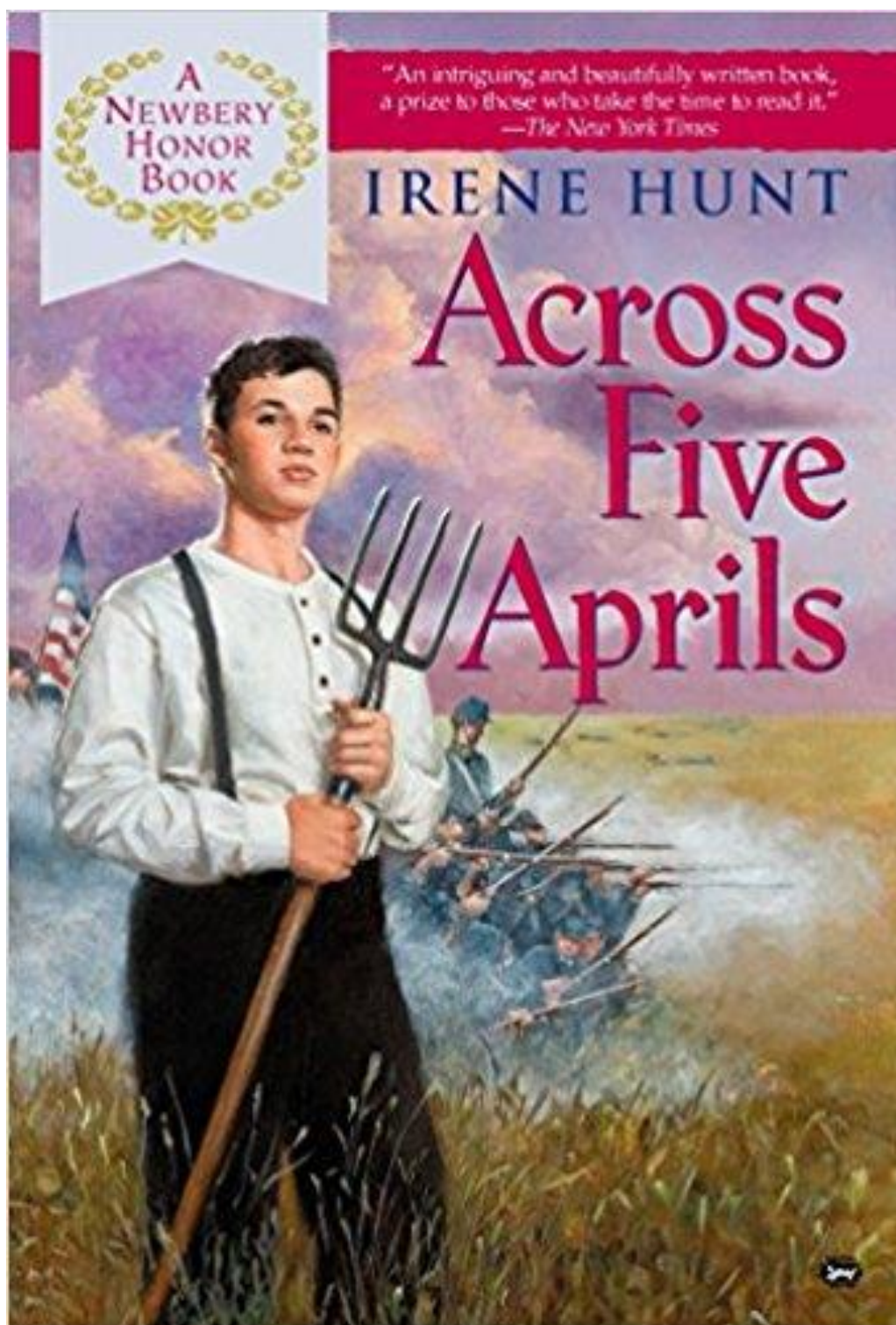


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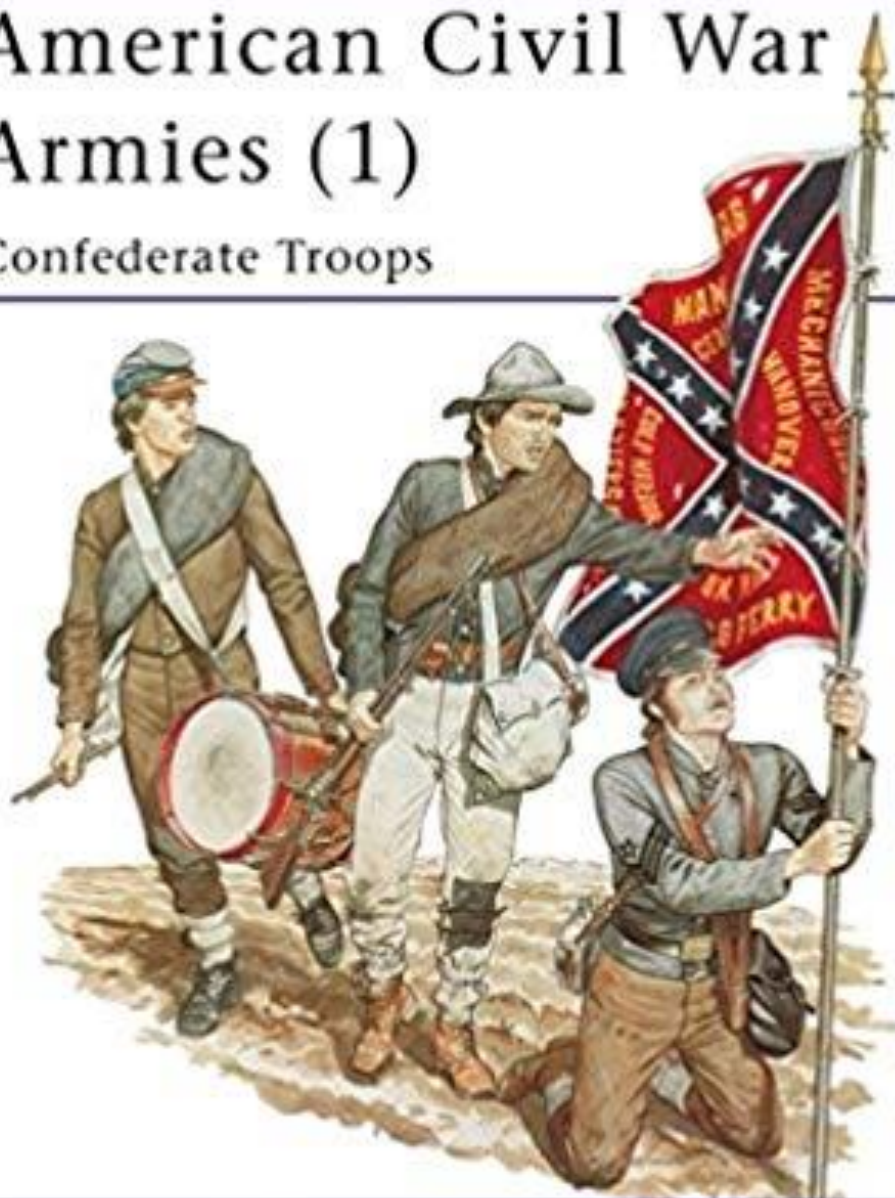
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Book # 1

ACROSS FIVE APRILS

These are questions you need to ask your child as you read this book.

1. Why do you think the Creighton family speaks differently than we do? (pg. 1-2)
2. What does Bill think about slavery? (pg. 26)
3. Which side was Ulysses S. Grant on? (pg. 46)
4. Why did Bill want his mother to know he was not at Pittsburg Landing? (pg. 192)
5. Why do you think the price of coffee went up?
6. What side was General McClellan on? (pg. 85)
7. Why do you think they burned down the Creighton's farm? (pg. 113)

Book # 2

CIVIL WAR UNION TROOPS

These are questions you need to ask your child as you read this book.

1. What are the two different types of hats they wore with their uniform? (pg. 6)
2. Where were the soldiers from that they called Chasseur? (pg. 21)
3. Look at the pictures on pages 25-32 and explain all the differences you see in the uniforms?

Book # 3

CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE TROOPS

These are questions you need to ask your child as you read this book.


1. Do you think you could be a tailor and make clothes with the pattern on page 7?
2. Look at the uniforms on pages 25-32 and talk about all the differences you see?
3. What do you think they used Cap boxes for? (pg. 33)

READING ACTIVITY

After reading Across Five Aprils, fill out the timeline with the main events from the story. This will help your child with reading comprehension and be able to better understand the story.

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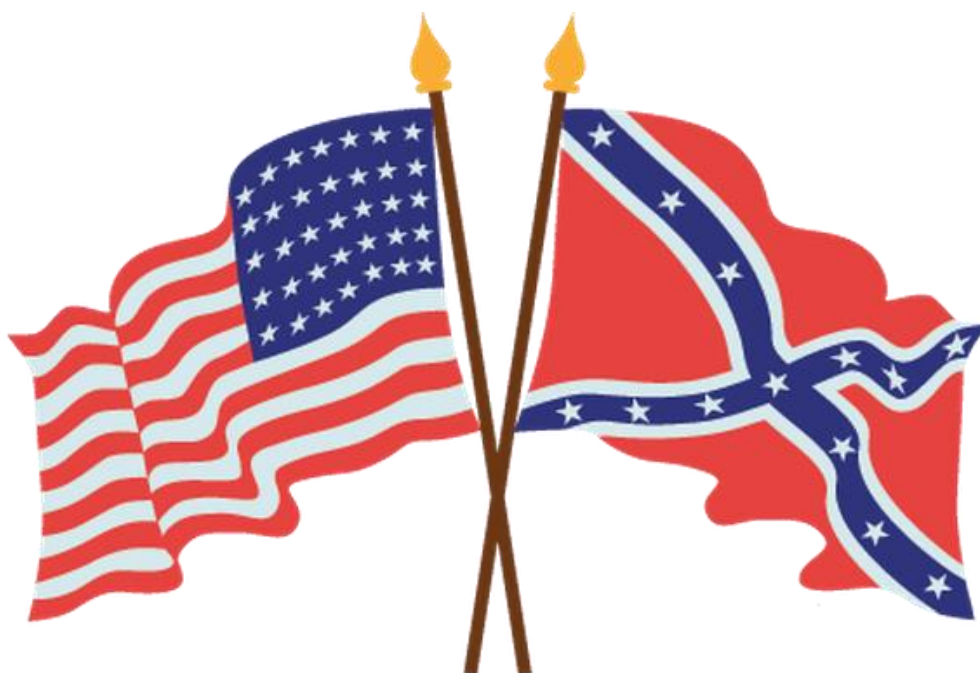
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WRITING ACTIVITY

Pretend to be in the Civil War, either from the North or the South. Write about what it is like living in a tent and moving all the time. Be sure to include when you think the war will end. Then have your parents respond back to your letter, telling about what is happening back at home and when they think the war will end.



MATH ACTIVITY

Solve the following equations.

1. If the Civil War ended in 1865 and it is 2018 now how many years have passed since the war ended?

2. At the end of the Civil War there were 36 states involved, if 13 of those states were Confederate how many of them were Union states?

3. If the Civil War were to happen today and half of the states were Confederate and half were Union states how many would each side have?

SOCIAL STUDIES ACTIVITY

Put a red circle around the names of the states that were Confederate states, then put a blue circle around the names of the states that were Union states.



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