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| Differences Between North and South | What did the North do to make money?  Why did the North’s population grow so quickly?  Why did some Northerners dislike slavery? (2 reasons)  What type of society was the majority of the South?  What did the South’s economy depend on?  Why did the South not have as many railroads as the North?  Why did the South have less immigrants?  In what Southern states did African Americans consist of at least 50% of the population?  Why did Southern whites fear the abolition of slavery? |
| Slavery in the territories | What was the Wilmot proviso? What was it supposed to prevent?  Did the Wilmot Proviso fail or succeed? Why?  What did California do in 1849?  What was the main issue with California becoming a state?  Why was this an issue to Southerners? |
| Senate Debates | What were the 4 major issues at the start of the 31st Congress in 1849?  What did the Southerners threaten?  Who wrote the Compromise of 1850?  What were the terms of this Compromise? (see chart on bottom of 308)  What is popular sovereignty?  What did Clay fear would happen if no compromise occur?  After Clay left the Senate, who took over the battle for the Compromise?  What did Douglass do to pass the Compromise of 1850?  Who became President after Zachary Taylor? Why is this important?  Why was Calhoun’s death important?  What was the biggest issue with the fugitive slave law? |
| Thoughts/ important stuff I need to remember: | |