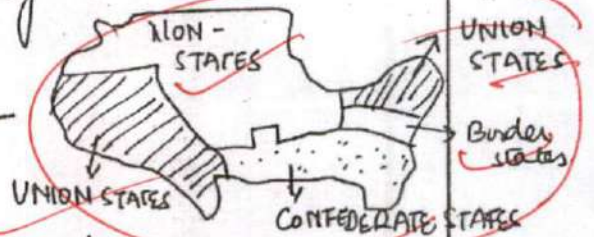


2. (a) Examine the issues involved in the American Civil War. Was it a contest between two separate nations? (20 Marks)
- (b) The colonists had destroyed within months a way of life that had outlasted British history by tens of thousands of years, and the people soon realised that the trespassers were committed to nothing less than total occupation of the land. Discuss the Colonial occupation of Australia. (15 Marks)
- (c) 'Harnessing of economic interests was a logical prelude to the process of welding into a nation during 19<sup>th</sup> century'. Discuss the unification of Germany in the light of given statement. (15 Marks)

The American Civil War took place between 1861-1865 between the Northern states of the Union and secessionist states of Confederacy.

CONTEST BETWEEN TWO NATIONS



- Issue of slavery → The advocacy of slavery by the southern states and the powerful abolitionist movement in the North presented both the groups as separate entities.

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- New territories and separating tendencies - The Missouri Compromise which resolved the issue of number of 12 slave and free states with Missouri as slave state and Maine as free state was part of larger conflict which became more pronounced in this period.