The Strain of War

Reading Tip: Read at different speeds. If you find the material easy to understand, you should read a little faster. If the text is difficult, slow down to understand what you read.

Reading for Accuracy DIRECTIONS: Use your textbook to decide if a statement is true or false. Write T or F in the blank. If a statement is false, rewrite it to make it true.

1. After the Battle of Fredericksburg, General Joseph Hooker resigned and was replaced by General Ambrose Burnside.

2. Stonewall Jackson was wounded in the Battle of Fredericksburg and died a week later.

3. McClellan, Burnside, Hooker, and Meade were generals who led Confederate forces.

4. In the North, Congress decided to allow the formation of all-African American regiments.

5. The 45th Massachusetts was an African American regiment that served on the front lines of the battle for Fort Wagner.

6. The Battle of Gettysburg ended the Confederate goal of gaining help from Britain and France.

7. Ulysses S. Grant held a 47-day siege against Vicksburg, Mississippi.