



GUIDED READING AND REVIEW

SECTION 4

The End of Reconstruction

A. AS YOU READ

Complete each of the following sentences as you read Section 4.

1. *Because* Northerners expressed outrage at the violence of the Ku Klux Klan,

2. *Because* federal troops eventually withdrew from the South,

3. *As a result of* the widespread corruption in Grant’s administration and the huge amounts of money spent in support of Reconstruction,

4. *Because* the special congressional commission set up to resolve the election crisis of 1876 had a majority of Republicans,

5. *As a result of* African Americans’ lack of property, economic opportunity, and political power in the Reconstruction South,

6. *Because* some Radical Republicans refused to endorse voting rights for women,

B. REVIEWING KEY TERMS

Identify each of the following and explain its significance.

7. solid South _____

8. Compromise of 1877 _____
