"A GREAT SLAUGHTER PEN"
SOUTHERN RESISTANCE TO THE "WAR OF NORTHERN AGGRESSION"

- Eastern Theater of War:
  - Slow, overly-cautious, thinks Lincoln is a "well-meaning baboon"
  - Inside the North—gain foreign recognition
  - Plan is uncovered

THE WAR OF NORTHERN AGGRESSION?

(Sept 1862)
THE BLOODIEST DAY

Battle of Antietam (Sept., 1862)
Bloodiest single day of Civil War
— lost nearly 1/4 of his army
gets fired

(A Dec. 1862)

“A GREAT SLAUGHTER PEN”

Fredricksburg (Dec., 1862)
— a great slaughter pen
— It is well that war is so terrible, otherwise we should grow too fond of it
Results

But... longer war favors North