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### America- The Story of Us (Division)

1. Why did U.S. leaders want to build the Erie Canal? How did the canal change the U.S.?

2. Some historians refer to the increase in highways and roads in the U.S. during the 19th century as a “transportation revolution.” How did the addition of many more roads and highways affect the U.S.?

3. When was the Fugitive Slave Act passed, and what were the consequences of this law?

4. In this episode, a commentator says that the Civil War played a role in advancing U.S. industrial progress. Can you give an example that proves this argument?

5. Define the word “inevitable” – what does this word mean? Do you think the Civil War was inevitable?

6.) As you view the video, record at least 3 additional facts that you found interesting: