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**Conditions in the Post-war South**

Economic Problems

Increased taxes help pay for public works projects –

**Politics in the Postwar South**

Scalawags:

Carpetbaggers:

African American Voters:

Republican party splits over-

**Former Slaves Face Challenges**

Explain some of the post-war victories of slaves:

However, what are some continual challenges freed African Americans now face?

Changes in the Sothern Economy

What was the “Forty Acres and a Mule”?

Facing labor shortages, what options or alternatives do white plantation owners have?

What causes cotton to lose its value and what are outcomes?