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Kansas-Nebraska
most explosive

1854 - Peoria speech
1st great speech

1843 - Robert
1846 - Edward Baker
1850 - William Wallace
1853 - Thomas - Ted

23

1842 - Mar.

1809

1832 Old Name cand.
1832 - Militia
1833 Postmaster
1834 House - he won
1836 Old Name
1838 Re-elected
1840 Re-elected
1846 - U.S. House
1860 - Pres.

1865

Henry Clay - idol

Nationalism

Noctrine of Instruction

P13

Political party - he
like them

Noctrine of Necessity

Left his father

Ambitions

Elections - not standarized

Private life is not accessible

Save the Union (first)

Slavery (second) Colonization

Drink
Tobacco
Religion
Women

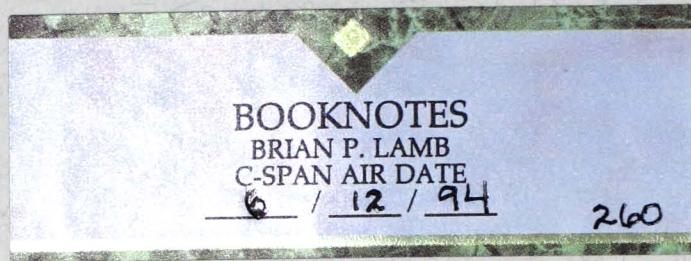
Lincoln and Thaddeus
James S. Shields

Legend - Drafting of Emancipation Proclamation

General Sherman - hated politics

General Grant
McClellan

Bull Run
Antietam
Vicksburg



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