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Directions: Read through pages 24 and 25. Fill in the missing words from the sentences.\*

1. The period of Reconstruction, or rebuilding, was a time of political unrest. Some members of Congress tried to \_\_\_\_\_ the South. Former slaves fought to keep their freedom.
2. They became voters and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. By the end of Reconstruction, however, much of their freedom became \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Abraham Lincoln began his \_\_\_\_\_ term as president as the war was \_\_\_\_\_.
5. In his inaugural address, Lincoln expressed his \_\_\_\_\_ for rebuilding the Union.
6. He wanted all Americans to \_\_\_\_\_ as soon as possible. He put together a plan to rebuild the nation.
7. He offered amnesty, or forgiveness, to Southerners. This would allow the states to \_\_\_\_\_ the Union as quickly as possible.
8. On the evening of April 14, 1865, Lincoln attended a play at \_\_\_\_\_ in Washington, D.C. John Wilkes Booth went to the box where Lincoln was sitting and shot the president in the back of the head.
9. A few days after the assassination, \_\_\_\_\_ killed Booth. Lincoln did not live to see his plans carried out.
10. His death \_\_\_\_\_ rebuilding in the South.

\*Hint: The sentences are in order as they are in the book. Only missing some sentences!