**Major Events Leading to Civil War**

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| **Missouri Compromise 1820-** | **Significance:** |
| **Compromise of 1850-** | **Significance:** |
| **Kansas-Nebraska Act-** | **Significance:** |
| **Dred-Scott Case & Decision-** | **Significance:** |
| **Election of 1860-** | **Significance:** |

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