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**NC-A Rip Van Winkle State**

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| As the United States expanded and progressed forward, NC did not. It remained stuck in time. Below are the five reasons why NC did not progress. | **Education**  Most people did \_\_\_\_\_\_ believe \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was supposed to improve things, but it did \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ follow through with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ already in place. There were \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, only \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ schools). Children were needed at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |
| **Isolation**  People do not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ together. There are \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. People want \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-they want to only deal with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-did not want people telling them \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_. | **Farm Conditions**  Farm conditions were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ attempts to make \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Serious lack of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Between 1815 and 1850 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |
| **Bad Government**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the state \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Most counties are in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ part of the state, therefore the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rules the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_! | **Economy**  The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ picks \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This invention allowed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to produce \_\_\_\_\_\_\_% more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ which means more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. NC becomes an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ state with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the population as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ owners \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ money in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rather than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. |

Which of these five reasons do you think to NC slow progress? Rank each reason below: 1 is biggest reason, 5 is the least.

\_\_\_\_\_ Economy \_\_\_\_\_ Bad Government \_\_\_\_\_ Education

\_\_\_\_\_ Isolation \_\_\_\_\_ Farm Conditions

In the space below, explain why you ranked your #1 Reason as #1.

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