Radical Reconstruction
Northerners moved to the south to exploit the South
White Southerners who worked with Republicans and supported Reconstruction
Many African Americans went from enslaved laborers to legislators and administrators working in nearly all levels of government—local to the Senate Poor white farmers who hated the large plantation owners and the Democratic Party often joined the Republicans Many reforms—repealed black codes, state hospitals, institutions for orphans, mentally ill, hearing and visually impaired, rebuilt railroads and industries in the South. Also established a system of public schools \$\$\$\$=high property tax—grafting very common in South
Started in 1866 in Pulaski Tennessee by former Confederate soldiers Goal was to drive the carpetbaggers and intimidate African American voters so as to regain control of the south for the Democratic Party
1. made it a federal crime to interfere with a citizen's right to vote   2. federal elections under the supervision of federal marshals   3. Ku Klux Klan Act—outlawed the activities of the Klan

Summary	