

The Civil War

Hardships of War/Women's Roles

Use pages 463-467 from 17.4 handout to help you complete this chart. Describe the Hard life of Soldiers and Women in the Civil War.

Hard Life of Soldiers

- What age were most soldiers?
- As the death toll rose, what was the age range of Southern soldiers?
- Because of changes in weapon technology, in most battles how many soldiers were killed?
- What were medical conditions like on the battlefield? Why were the condition as they were?
- What killed more soldiers than guns or cannons?

Women in the War

- Why did women take jobs in factories and farms?
- What did women societies supply the troops with?
- Many women worked as nurses. Name some Union and Confederate nurses.