

Chapter 3: From Territory to Statehood Discussion Questions

1. What action did Tennessee settlers take in 1784 as a result of their frustration with North Carolina's reluctance to protect them?
2. Why did the State of Franklin fail to be recognized as a state?
3. What did Congress name the Tennessee country after it was ceded by North Carolina in 1789?
4. Who was appointed governor of the Southwest Territory?
5. What is land speculation?
6. What were the four steps in Tennessee statehood?
7. Why did the Federalists oppose statehood for Tennessee?
8. When did Tennessee become a state?
9. Who was Tennessee's first governor?
10. What was Tennessee's first state capital?