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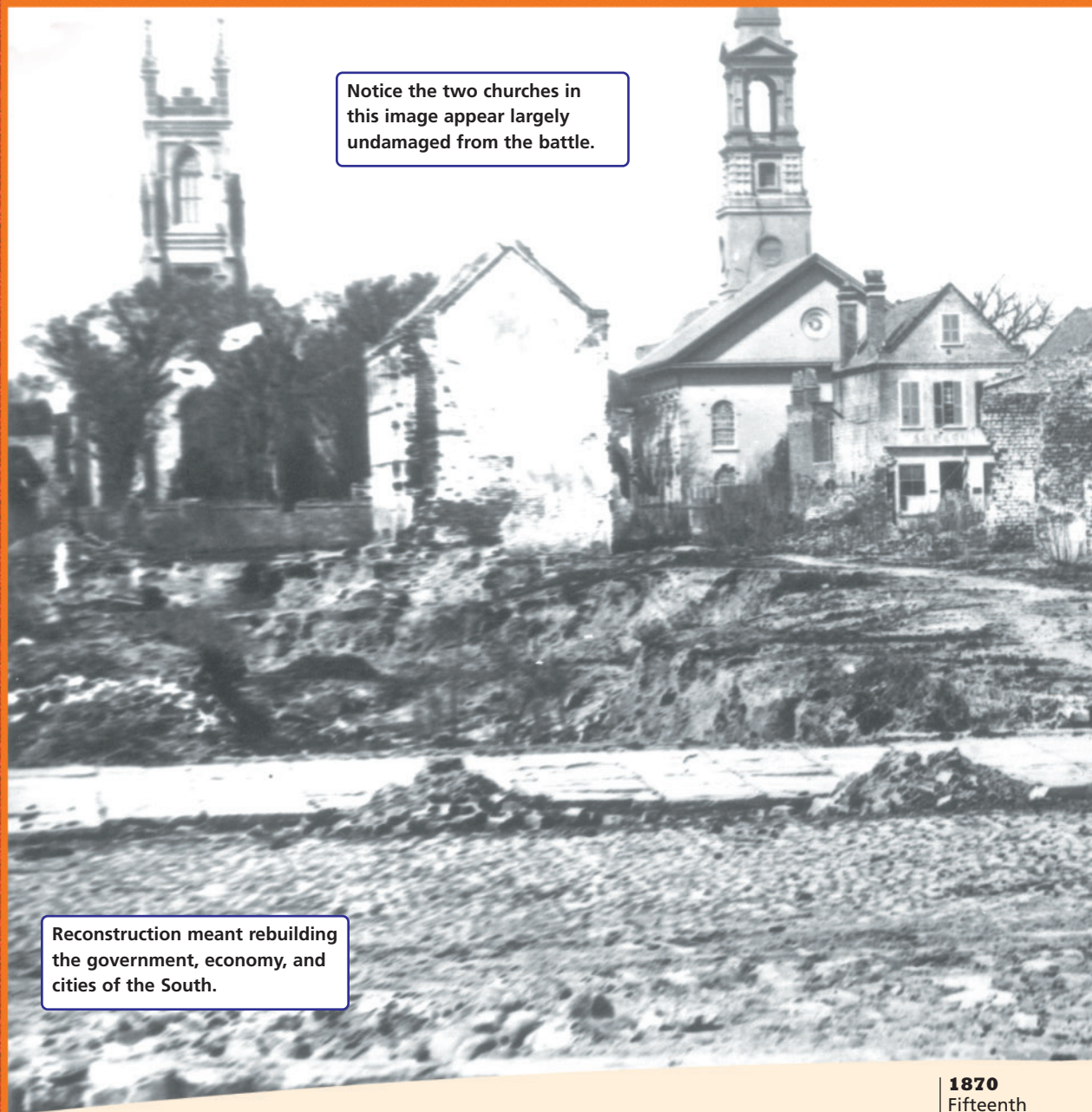
Reconstruction

1865–1877

Section 1
**Rebuilding
the Union**

Section 2
**Reconstruc-
tion and
Daily Life**

Section 3
**End of
Reconstruc-
tion**



Notice the two churches in this image appear largely undamaged from the battle.

Reconstruction meant rebuilding the government, economy, and cities of the South.

1865
Andrew Johnson becomes president after Lincoln's assassination.

1866
Civil Rights Act is passed.

1867
Reconstruction Acts are passed.

1868
Fourteenth Amendment extends full citizenship to African Americans.
Ulysses S. Grant is elected president.

1870
Fifteenth Amendment guarantees voting rights to African Americans.

USA
World **1865**

1865
Joseph Lister pioneers antiseptic surgery.



1867
Emperor Maximilian is executed in Mexico.

1870
Unification of Italy is completed.