3. Which of the following statements is true concerning the map pictured below?

A. The Union thought that by blockading the southern ports they could easily win the war.

B. The Union wanted to shut the south off from all possible help in an attempt to squeeze the Confederacy into submission.

C. The snake’s head begins in the Union’s capital and tail ends in the Confederate capital to mark the journey the soldiers would face during the war.

D. The Union knew that the Confederacy had the industrial advantage so they were attempting to cut off any exportation of goods.

**Answer**

B. The Union wanted to shut the south off from all possible help in an attempt to squeeze the Confederacy into submission.