Impeachment

1. Background of the case
2. Societal factors at work in the case
3. Important “actors” in the case: names and descriptions of roles
4. Popular conceptions of the case (ideas, notions, constructing the case by people who were key players)
5. Popular dimensions of the case (feature of a situation, problem, or things in the impeachment case)
6. Resolutions of the case

Questions

1. What was the issue at the heart of the impeachment charges against Andrew Johnson? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
2. Is violating the Tenure of Office Act a “high Crime or Misdemeanor”? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
3. Was Johnson guilty of “high Crime or Misdemeanor”? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
4. Was Johnson impeached mostly for constitutional reasons or mostly for political reasons? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
5. What was the issue at the heart of the impeachment charges against President Clinton? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
6. Is lying about an illicit extra-marital relationship a “high Crime or Misdemeanor”? Is lying under oath “high Crime or Misdemeanor”? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
7. Was Clinton guilty of “high Crimes or Misdemeanors”? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)
8. Was Clinton impeached mostly for constitutional reasons or mostly for political reasons? (Please defend your answer and explain with evidence taken from each case.)