## Chapter 17

The War of the Union

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Chapter 13 – "Bloody Ground: The Civil War" [1861-1865] BFW Textbook TOPIC 17 – The War of the Union [1861-1865]







Largest Union Army

- Death of Jackson
- Lee Defeats Hooker
  - a. Peak of Lee's Career
  - b. Lee's last major win

## A. Battle of Chancellorsville

Battle of Chancellorsville (May, 1863) a. Lee (CSA) v. Hooker (USA). b. Confederate victory - Known as Lee's greatest victory. c. "Stonewall" Jackson shot by his own men and died. d. Hooker relieved of command - George G. Meade given command of Army of the Potomac. e. Lee decided to go North again - leads to the Battle of Gettysburg.

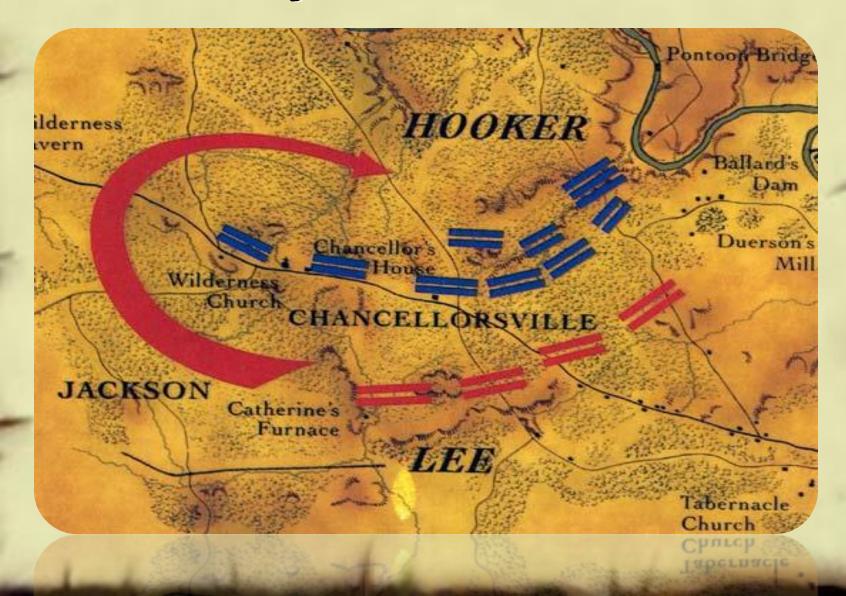










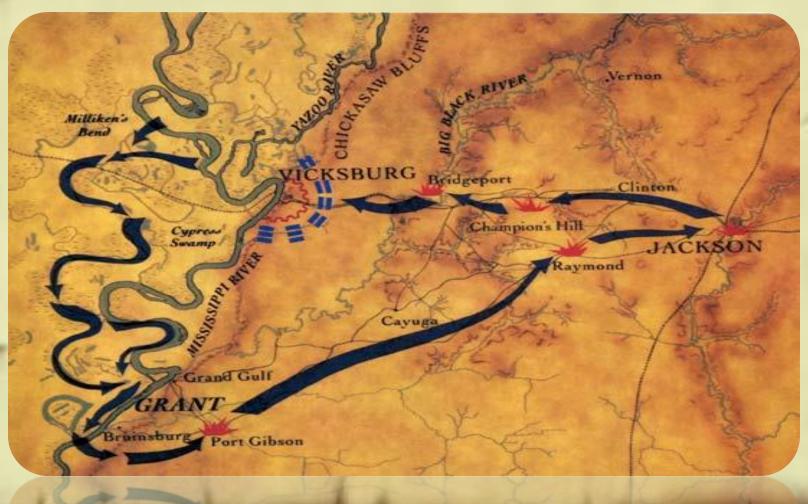




- Vicksburg (May July 1863)
  - a. Pemberton (CSA) v. Grant (USA).
  - b. Union victory.
  - c. City surrendered on July 4<sup>th</sup> after a long siege -Pemberton surrendered 30,000 men.
  - d. Completed Union strategy of splitting Confederacy in two (last stronghold on Mississippi River).



## Vicksburg (May - July 1863)



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C. Gettysburg

Battle of Gettysburg (July 1-3, 1863)

- Lee (CSA) v. Meade (USA).
- 3<sup>rd</sup> day Pickett's Charge (13,000 men killed).
- Union victory 51,000 casualties.
- Lee lost 1/3 of his army.
  - Last Confederate offensive.
- Guaranteed no European recognition for Confederacy.

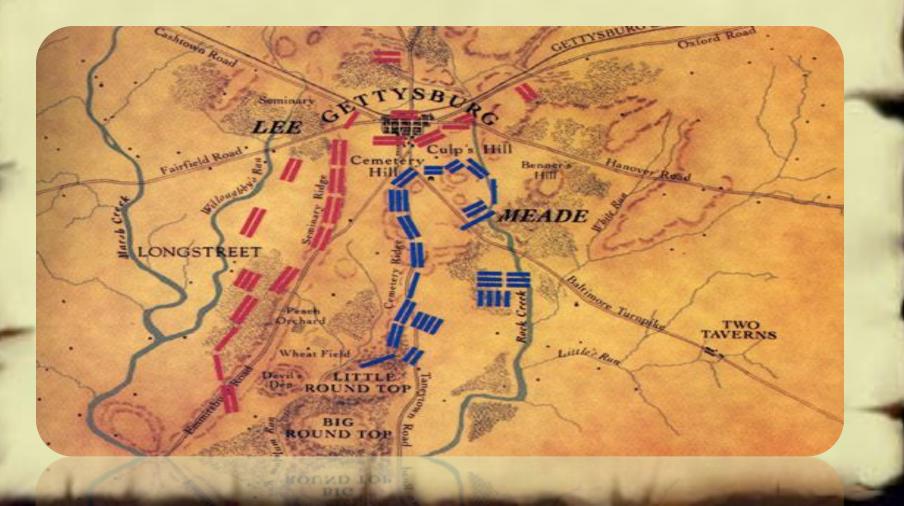


## Battle of Gettysburg (July 1,1863)





Battle of Gettysburg (July 2,1863)





Battle of Gettysburg (July 3, 1863)



C. Gettysburg (Cont'd...)

<u>Cemetery Established</u>

