

Battles of Appomattox Station and Appomattox Court House, April 8-9, 1865

H.E. Howard - Appomattox Campaign of the Civil War



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Although initially successful, the assault faltered as Union infantry arrived on the field.

Battle of Appomattox Station

Grant recalled his migraine seemed to disappear when he read Lee's letter, and he handed it to his assistant Rawlins to read aloud before composing his reply: General, Your note of this date is but this moment, 11:50 A. This unique action pitted artillery without infantry support against cavalry.

Battle of Appomattox Courthouse

Lee decided that he could not bring up his army fast enough to fight their way through before large numbers of Union infantry would arrive.

Appomattox Campaign (March 29)

According to Major Henry Edwin Tremain, the two Union regiments had to hold off a larger force of Confederate cavalry until nearly dark when the main body of Custer's division arrived to reinforce them.

Battle of Appomattox Court House

Root, however, rode into Appomattox Court House where he was shot by a picket. These trains are loaded with supplies—clothes, blankets, equipment, ordnance, medical supplies, and most importantly—food.

Battle of Appomattox Station

In the meantime, he sent wagons into the countryside to gather provisions. Most of the 7,700 Confederates were captured or surrendered, including Lt.

Appomattox Confederate Cemetery

Virginia Start: 1865-04-08 Results: Introduction The Battle of Appomattox Station was fought between a Union Army Army of the Potomac, Army of the James, Army of the Shenandoah cavalry division under the command of Brigadier General Brevet Major General George Armstrong Custer and Confederate Army of Northern Virginia artillery units commanded by Brigadier General Lindsay Walker with support from some dismounted cavalymen, artillerymen armed with muskets and some stragglers on April 8, 1865, at Appomattox Station, Virginia during the Appomattox Campaign of the American Civil War. Federal soldiers at Appomattox Court House, Virginia, photograph by Timothy H. Shortly afterward their cavalry dashed toward the Court House, till halted by our line.

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