



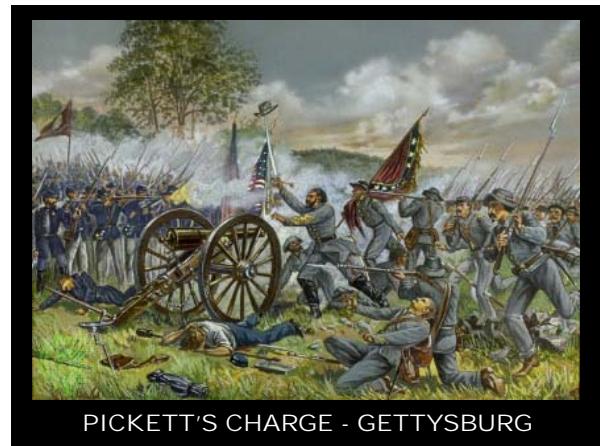
Lee's Southern troops met the Union at GETTYSBURG in Pennsylvania – July 1863

90,000 Union  
troops  
against  
75,000  
confederate  
troops



Southern General George Pickett tried to march his men across a wheat field and are mowed down by Union soldiers – PICKETT'S CHARGE

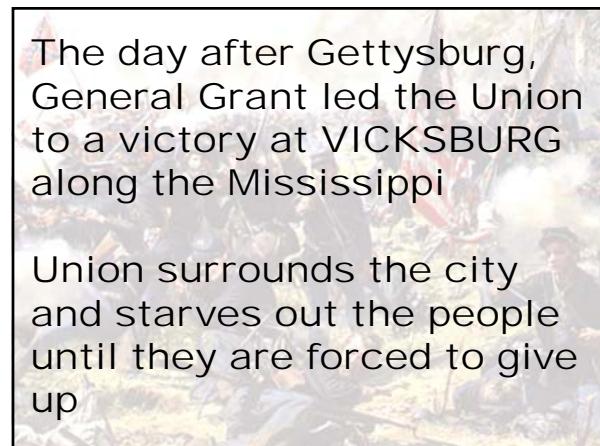




PICKETT'S CHARGE - GETTYSBURG

North wins the Battle of Gettysburg

Union has 23,000 soldiers dead and wounded and Confederacy has 28,000

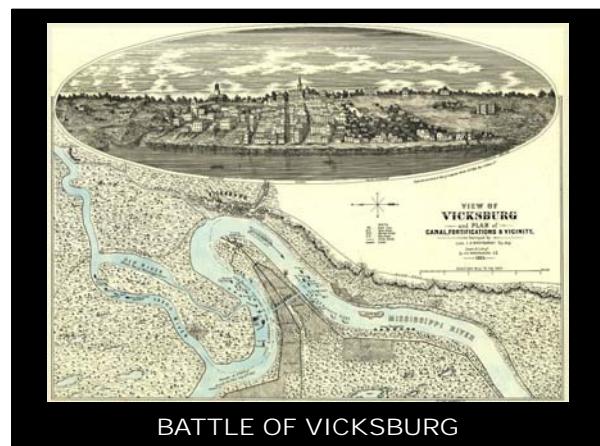
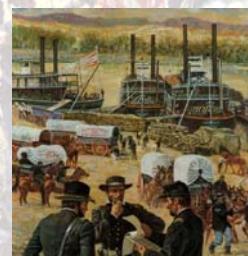


The day after Gettysburg, General Grant led the Union to a victory at VICKSBURG along the Mississippi

Union surrounds the city and starves out the people until they are forced to give up

The victory at Vicksburg gives the Union total control over the Mississippi River

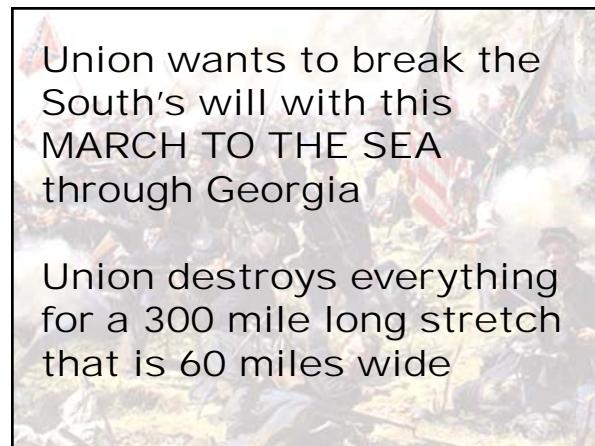
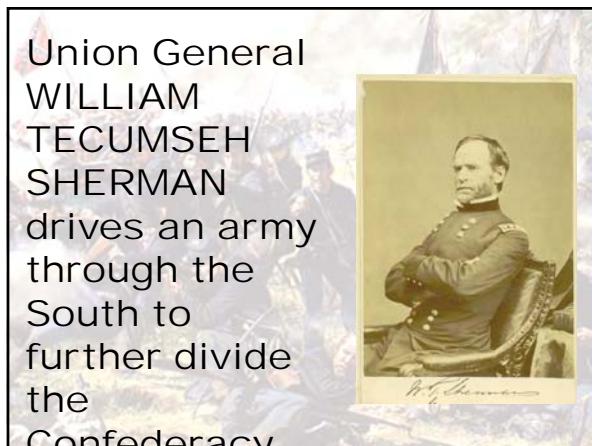
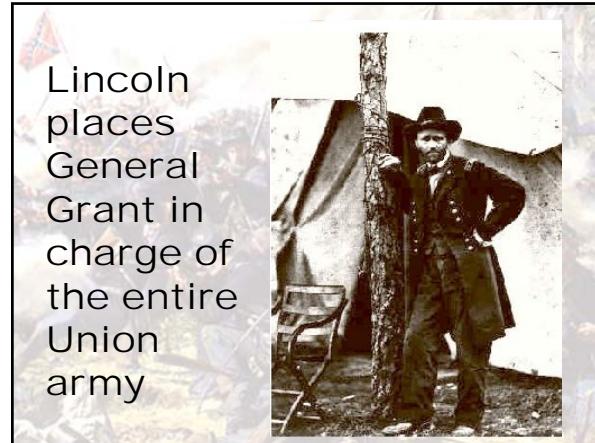
Union now has the momentum



BATTLE OF VICKSBURG



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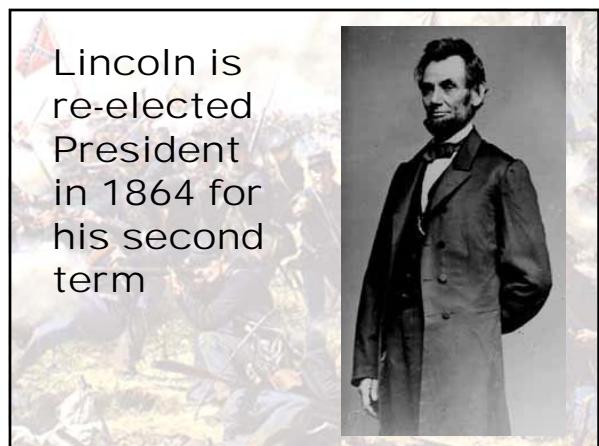
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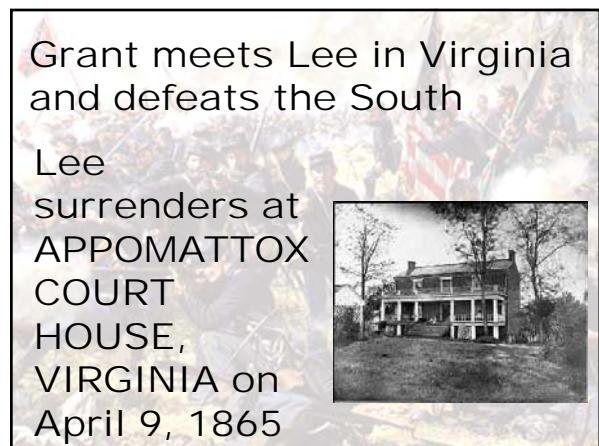
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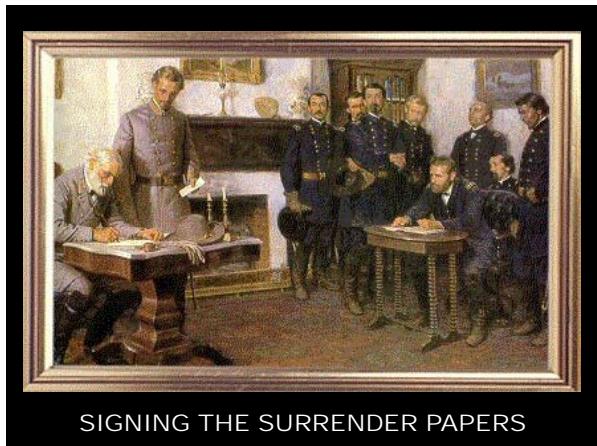


Lincoln is  
re-elected  
President  
in 1864 for  
his second  
term



Grant meets Lee in Virginia  
and defeats the South  
Lee  
surrenders at  
APPOMATTOX  
COURT  
HOUSE,  
VIRGINIA on  
April 9, 1865





SIGNING THE SURRENDER PAPERS

The Union soldiers were gracious in victory

Confederate soldiers were given food and allowed to go home

The war that had lasted four long years was finally over

