

Blackburn Park [22]
Head of Walnut Street, Pacific

Bluff-top cannon commemorates the Battle of Pacific (or Franklin). Confederate artillery fired from a position on this bluff, during the October 1, 1864 battle – the closest point to St. Louis that Confederates reached during the Civil War.

Tour Stop 23 is 5 blocks south, via N. 1st Street.

Pacific Junction [23]
First and Central Streets

An historical marker overlooks the site of the railroad junction that was one of the most strategic military resources in eastern Missouri, and led to the attack on Pacific on October 1, 1864. The Southwest branch of the Pacific Railroad connected Pacific to Rolla at the time of the Civil War. Most Union offensives in southwest Missouri and Arkansas in 1861 and 1862 were supplied from this place.

Tour Stop 24 is two miles east, via Business Rte. 44.

Battle of Pacific Site [24]
Business Rte. 44 (historic Route 66) at Dozier Crossing Road

Two miles east of Pacific on historic Route 66 is where Union veteran troops from Illinois, Indiana and New York began an attack on Confederates who occupied Pacific. They crossed a stream here to engage Confederate pickets.

Tour Route continues at Museum of Transport, Barrett Station Road in St. Louis County.





Missouri's CIVIL WAR

The U.S. Grant Trail Association operates as a committee of communities affiliated with Missouri's Civil War Heritage Foundation. Founded in 2001, this foundation is a 501(c)(3) educational organization devoted to preserving Missouri's Civil War heritage sites, and promoting tourist interest in Missouri's rich Civil War history.

The U.S. Grant Trail focuses on places in Missouri that defined the early Civil War career of the future President and Lieutenant General. These and nearby places have a wealth of cultural attractions, including battle sites. Southeast Missouri is the venue of choice for Civil War travelers in the upper Midwest.

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Featured Campaigns

- 1861**
 - Grant's Greenville Offensive
 - Thompson's Big River Offensive
 - Thompson's withdrawal to Fredericktown
 - Union defensive - Carlin's Brigade
 - Union defensive - Plummer's Brigade
- 1862**
 - Pope's Island No 10 Offensive
- 1863**
 - Marmaduke's Cape Girardeau Offensive
 - Route of Shelby's Brigade
 - Marmaduke's withdrawal
- 1864**
 - Price's Expedition
 - Route of Marmaduke's Division
 - Route of Shelby's Division
 - Route of Cabel's Brigade
 - Union defensive - 16th Army Corps (September)
 - Union defensive - 16th Army Corps (October)



- #### CIVIL WAR SITES AND CEMETERIES
- 25. Museum of Transportation
 - 26. Oak Hill Cemetery
 - 27. Father Dickson Cemetery
 - 28. Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site
 - 29. Hardscrabble Site
 - 30. Missouri History Museum
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 - 33. Calvary Cemetery
 - 34. Mary Meachum Crossing Site
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 - 43. Eads Shipyard
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 - 48. Camp Curtis Site
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 - 51. Caledonia
 - 52. Ft. Davidson State Historic Site
 - 53. Iron County Courthouse
 - 54. Grant's Ironton Headquarters Site
 - 55. Grave of Adin Lowe
 - 56. War Eagle Monument
 - 57. Battle of Fredericktown Civil War Museum
 - 58. Fredericktown Battlefield
 - 59. Battle of Cape Girardeau Site
 - 60. Old Lorimer Cemetery
 - 61. Common Pleas Courthouse
 - 62. Grant's Headquarters Site
 - 63. St. Vincent's College
 - 64. Fort D
 - 65. Battle of Belmont Site
 - 66. Hunter-Dawson House State Historic Site
 - 67. New Madrid Historical Museum

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NEW HAMBURG



Mother Angela Gillespie supervised nurses who were the first women to serve on a U. S. Navy ship, departing Cairo on December 29, 1862.



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Bloomfield



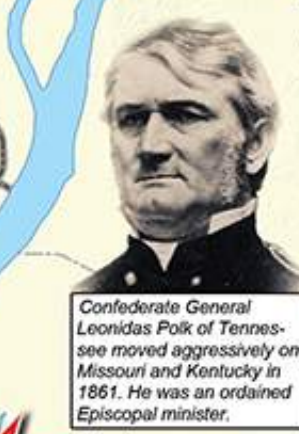
THE STARS & STRIPES
"THE UNION, 'TIS MINE AND SHALL BE PRESERVED"



BATTLE OF ISLAND #10



New Madrid
New Madrid Civil War driving trail maps are available at the Higginson School Historic Site.



Confederate General Leonidas Polk of Tennessee moved aggressively on Missouri and Kentucky in 1861. He was an ordained Episcopal minister.



COLUMBUS-BELMONT STATE PARK

Featured Campaigns

- 1861**
 - Thompson's Big River Offensive
 - Grant's Belmont Offensive
 - Route of Oglesby's Brigade
 - Route of Perczel's Iowa Infantry
 - Route of Wallace's Brigade
 - Smith's Expedition to Milburn and Viola
 - Thompson's Withdrawal from Bloomfield
- 1862**
 - Grant's Fort Donelson Offensive
 - McClelland's Reconnaissance
 - Smith's Reconnaissance
 - Pope's Island No. 10 Offensive
- 1863**
 - Marmaduke's Cape Girardeau Offensive
 - Marmaduke's Withdrawal
- 1864**
 - Forrest's Paducah Raid

- #### MISSOURI CIVIL WAR SITES
- 65. Nathaniel Watkins Grave
 - 66. Bloomfield Herald Site
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 - 68. Stars and Stripes Museum
 - 69. Confederate Fort Thompson
 - 70. New Madrid Historical Museum
 - 71. New Madrid Bend Overlook
 - 72. Hunter-Dawson House
 - 73. Battle of Belmont
 - 74. Charleston Square
 - 75. Mississippi County Historical Society

- #### KENTUCKY CIVIL WAR SITES
- 1. Fort Jefferson Hill
 - 2. Columbus-Belmont State Park
 - 3. Blandville
 - 4. Forrest's Headquarters
 - 5. Tilghman House and Civil War Museum
 - 6. William Clark Market House Museum
 - 7. Grant's Landing Site
 - 8. Fort Anderson Park
 - 9. Mayfield Square
 - 10. Camp Beauregard

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