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# SOUTHERN COLONIES

## THE WAR IN THE SOUTH

Major Operations in the South, 1781

To Charlottesville

Richmond

James River

Yorktown

Lafayette delayed and harassed Cornwallis in Virginia until the British force retired behind defenses at Yorktown.

Washington and Rochambeau successfully besieged Cornwallis in Yorktown. See the Yorktown Siege map.

Greene reached Virginia on 14 February.

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B L U E R I D G E M O U N T A I N S

N O R T H C A R O L I N A

S O U T H C A R O L I N A

G E O R G I A

Dan River

GREENE (4,300)

Guilford

Hillsboro

CORNWALLIS (2,200)

Halifax

Tarboro

Salisbury

Yadkin River

Catawba River

Ramsay's Mill

Neuse River

New Bern

Charlotte

KING'S MT.

17 Jan.

MORGAN (1,050)

Cowpens

Cross Creek

Cape Fear River

TARLETON (1,100)

Broad River

Waxhaws

Cheraw Hill

Winnsborough

GREENE

Rugely's Mills (1,500)

Wilmington

Cornwallis reached Wilmington on 7 April, then marched into Virginia.

19 June

CORNWALLIS

NINETY-SIX

Saluda River

Camden

Lynches River

Little Pee Dee River

15 May

RAWDON (2,000)

HIGH HILLS OF SANTEE

12 May

FORT GRANBY

FORT MOTTE

23 Apr.

11 May

FORT WATSON

5 June

Augusta

Orangeburg

8 Sept.

Eutaw Springs

Santee River

Savannah River

Monk's Corner

1 Dec.

Charleston

Savannah

By year's end Greene had regained the entire Southland except for English enclaves at Charleston and Savannah.

A T L A N T I C O C E A N

Legend

- Assembly areas in January
- The three decisive battles
- Clearing operations after the Battle of Hobkirk's Hill

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SCALE OF MILES