

The National Park System is dedicated to conserving the scenic, scientific, and historic heritage of the United States for the benefit and enjoyment of its people.

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THE NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM

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AN INVITATION

THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE of the Department of the Interior invites you to the areas of the National Park System, which are the property of all Americans. It urges you, when you visit them, to take advantage of the opportunities offered to learn more about them; and it asks your assistance in protecting the natural and historic features found in them.

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Visitors should go first to the new visitor center at the Andrew Johnson Tailor Shop, corner of College and Depot Streets. Arrangements may be made there to visit the Andrew Johnson and Homestead Grounds, recently restored.

Location: In Greeneville.

*ANTIETAM NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD SITE and ANTIETAM NATIONAL CEMETERY (Md.)
731 and 11 acres, respectively

Scene of battle that brought an end to Lee's first invasion of the North in 1862, and postponed indefinitely England's threatened recognition of the Confederacy.

Museum. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Sharpsburg, Md.

Location: Near Sharpsburg.

*APPOMATTOX COURT HOUSE NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK (Va.) 972 acres

Scene of the surrender of the Confederate Army under Gen. Robert E. Lee to the Federal Army under Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, which ended the Civil War. McLean House, in which surrender terms were framed has been reconstructed.

Museum. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Box 218, Appomattox, Va.

Location: 3 miles northeast of town of Appomattox on State Route 24.

Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

BATTLEGROUNDS NATIONAL CEMETERY (D. C.) 1 acre

Established in 1864 after the Confederate attack on the Nation's Capital which culminated in the battle of Fort Stevens; contains the graves of more than 40 Union soldiers who fell in the attack.

For further information write Superintendent, National Capital Parks, Washington 25, D. C.

**BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY (Va.-N. C.) 61,018 acres

Scenic parkway and drive averaging 3,000 feet above sea level; follows tops of Southern Appalachian ranges, and embraces several large recreational areas; beautiful scenery and interesting examples of mountain culture; total length when completed 477 miles.

Season: Parkway open year round, weather and road conditions permitting. Concessioner accommodations and recreation areas open May 1 through October.

Activities: Camping, picnicking, hiking, horseback riding, fishing (State license required).

Accommodations: Bluffs Lodge at Doughton Park; housekeeping cabins at Rocky Knob; coffee shop at Doughton Park and Mabry Mill; sandwich shops at Crabtree Meadows, Cumberland Knob, Smart View, and Peaks of Otter; campgrounds at Crabtree Meadows, Doughton Park,

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*EDISON LABORATORY NATIONAL MONUMENT (N. J.) 1.51 acres

Buildings and working equipment used by the famous inventor for many of his experiments. Also his library, papers, and models of some of his inventions. Monument commemorates important phase of Nation's industrial and technological progress.

Location: Main Street and Lakewood Avenue in West Orange, N. J., 2 miles west of Garden State Parkway.

Hours: Wednesday through Sunday, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. and 1:30 to 4 p. m.

Activities: All tours of the area are conducted by attendants qualified to interpret its historic features and to answer your questions. Arrangements for group visits should be made in advance by writing to the Superintendent, Box 126, Orange, N. J.

*EFFIGY MOUNDS NATIONAL MONUMENT (Iowa) 1,204 acres

Outstanding Indian mounds in shapes of birds and animals.

Location: 3 miles north of Marquette on State Route 13.

Hours: 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Activity: Hike (round trip 11½ miles) to Yellow River mound group and to viewpoint overlooking Mississippi Valley. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, McGregor, Iowa.

**EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK (Fla.) 1,499,428 acres

Largest remaining subtropical wilderness in the United States with extensive fresh- and salt-water areas, open Everglades prairies, mangrove forests, and abundant wildlife, including rare and colorful birds.

Season: Full operation—Dec. 1 to Apr. 30; limited operation—May 1 to Nov. 30.

Activities: Boating, fishing (State license required for fresh water), camping, bird watching. Boat service, both rental and guided, available at Flamingo. Naturalist programs and guided walks available during winter. Boat service also available at Everglades and along Florida Keys.

Accommodations: At Flamingo, modern marina, visitor center, and restaurant, lodge and campground. For reservations, and rates at Flamingo Lodge write Everglades Park Company, 2980 Coral Way, Miami 34, Fla. Tourist courts available in nearby Homestead, Florida City, Everglades, and along the Florida Keys.

Warning: Caution should be exercised if planning a backpacking trip. Check with a park ranger before venturing

ing away from established roads and trails, and marked waterways.

*FEDERAL HALL NATIONAL MEMORIAL (N. Y.) .5 acre

Site on which stood Old Federal Hall, First Capitol of the United States of America under the Constitution, and the scene of momentous events in the early days of the Republic, including the first inauguration of President George Washington, and organization of first Congress of the United States. Contains memorial room depicting career of John Peter Zenger, colonial defender of freedom of the press, and historical museum. (The National Park Service cooperates with Federal Hall Memorial Associates, Inc., in its administration.)

Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Executive Director, Federal Hall Memorial Associates, Inc., Wall and Nassau Streets, New York 5, N. Y.

Location: In lower Manhattan at corner of Wall and Nassau Streets, just off Broadway.

Hours: 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., Monday through Friday.

*FORT CAROLINE NATIONAL MEMORIAL (Fla.) 119 acres

Overlooks the site of Laudonier's colony of 1564, early French settlement attempt within the present United States; struggle here between the French and Spanish began two centuries of European colonial rivalry in North America.

Location: About 10 miles east of Jacksonville.

*FORT DONELSON NATIONAL MILITARY PARK and FORT DONELSON NATIONAL CEMETERY (Tenn.) 103 and 15 acres, respectively

Civil War fortifications controlling the upper Cumberland River, captured by General Grant in 1862.

Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Dover, Tenn.

Location: Adjacent to town of Dover, near junction of State Routes 49 and 76.

*FORT FREDERICA NATIONAL MONUMENT (Ga.) 94 acres

Fortified town built by the British in 1736 during the struggle between Spain and Britain for control of the southeastern section of the United States. It became the headquarters for Britain's southern frontier against Spanish Florida. Ruins of the King's magazine and the barracks, constructed of brick and tabby, and a portion of the moat which surrounded the town may be seen. Though buried under the dust of two centuries, archeological excavations within the town have now exposed the foundations of the original houses which line each side of Broad St., Frederica. The visitor center contains the superintendent's office and the museum, where exhibits tell the story of Frederica.

Location: 12 miles from Brunswick on St. Simons Island.

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Publications on Individual Areas

For most of the areas of the National Park System, the National Park Service issues illustrated publications of general information. Copies of these are provided to visitors or visitor groups at entrance or information stations. Those who wish to obtain copies in advance may purchase them from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C. One asterisk preceding the area name indicates that the publication for that area costs 5 cents; 2 asterisks, 10 cents; 3 asterisks, 15 cents.

In addition, the Service issues a number of specialized publications which are obtainable by purchase only. Price List 35, which lists all Service publications, may be obtained on request to the Superintendent of Documents.

All orders must be accompanied by cash, check, or money order in the proper amount; postage stamps are not accepted in payment.

Season. There is no closed season in most areas, but icy or snow-covered highways and lack of overnight accommodations make visits to some of them impractical or difficult during the winter. There are references to opening and closing dates, but these ordinarily refer to the period when overnight accommodations and meal services are fully available.

Accommodations, meals, and miscellaneous services within area boundaries, are provided by concessioners operating under contract with the United States, except for a few hotels, lodges, or camps situated on private lands. In many areas the demand for accommodations exceeds the supply during the months of heaviest travel; hence it is advisable to make reservations well in advance.

Campgrounds are maintained in many areas by the National Park Service. They may be used without payment of any fee; however, heavy demand makes it necessary to limit the length of stay in campgrounds in some of the areas.

Fishing. State fishing licenses are required only where so stated in the text.

Photography. Helpful suggestions to photographers as to when and where to take good pictures can be obtained from uniformed National Park Service employees. There are usually no restrictions on photographing except in caverns and for taking commercial motion pictures, the latter requiring a permit from the area superintendent. Photography, both amateur and professional, is encouraged in areas administered by the National Park Service.

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*CHALMETTE NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK (La.) 243 acres

Part of the scene of the Battle of New Orleans, a brilliant victory for American Arms, led by Gen. Andrew Jackson, in the War of 1812.

Important positions along General Jackson's line and the historic remains of the canal in front of the American position are identified through historical markers.

Location: 6 miles from New Orleans on State Route 1.

CHICAGO PORTAGE NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE (Ill.) 91 acres (not federally owned)

Preserves a portion of the famous portage discovered by Marquette and Joliet and used by French and American pioneers to link the Great Lakes with the Mississippi; one of the early economic foundations of Chicago.

For further information write Superintendent, Cook County Forest Preserve, Cummings Square, River Forest, Ill.

*CHICKAMAUGA AND CHATTANOOGA NATIONAL MILITARY PARK (Ga.-Tenn.) 8,190 acres

Civil War battlefields of Chickamauga, Orchard Knob, Lookout Mountain, and Missionary Ridge, important in operations around Chattanooga in 1863.

Museums (8 a. m. to 5 p. m.), reference library. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Location: Chickamauga Battlefield—9 miles south of Chattanooga on U. S. 27. Point Park and Lookout Mountain—from Chattanooga, take U. S. 41, 64, and 11 to Scenic Highway to entrance.

(*Two publications, 5 cents each—one on Chickamauga Battlefield; one on Point Park, Lookout Mountain, and Chattanooga Battlefields.)

*COLONIAL NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK AND YORKTOWN NATIONAL CEMETERY (Va.) 9,430 and 3 acres, respectively

Jamestown Island, site of first permanent English settlement in America; Yorktown, scene of culminating battle of American Revolution; Colonial Parkway, between Yorktown, Williamsburg and Jamestown; Cape Henry Memorial, marking approximate site of first landing of Jamestown colonists.

Location: Yorktown—13 miles northeast of Williamsburg via Colonial Parkway; Jamestown—10 miles southwest of Williamsburg via Colonial Parkway.

Activities: Visits to Jamestown's historic townsite, to the visitor center, to Glasshouse, and to Jamestown National Historic Site owned and administered by the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities; to the Moore House where the Articles of Capitulation were drafted

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*FORT JEFFERSON NATIONAL MONUMENT (Fla.) 47,125 acres

Monument area contains seven Dry Tortugas Islands and surrounding shoals and waters in Gulf of Mexico; is an outstanding bird refuge. Construction of Fort Jefferson, on Garden Key, was begun in 1846 for control of the Florida Straits. It was a Federal military prison during and after the Civil War.

Location: On Garden Key, 68 miles from Key West.

Transportation: Visitors must arrange for their own boat transportation. Landing of float aircraft permitted.

Accommodations: In Key West.

*FORT MATANZAS NATIONAL MONUMENT (Fla.) 228 acres

Spanish fort built in 1737 to protect the "back door" to St. Augustine. Near this site the Spaniard, Menendez, massacred two parties of French Huguenots in 1565, thus determining that colonial Florida should remain Spanish rather than French territory.

Location: 14 miles south of St. Augustine via State Route A1A.

*FORT McHENRY NATIONAL MONUMENT AND HISTORIC SHRINE (Md.) 43 acres

The successful defense of this fort in the Baltimore Campaign during the War of 1812 inspired the writing of the Star-Spangled Banner.

Museums in buildings within the old Star Fort, formerly the barracks for officers and enlisted men. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Baltimore 30, Md.

Location: In Baltimore, 3 miles from center of city.

*FORT NECESSITY NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD SITE (Pa.) 2 acres

Scene of battle between colonial troops led by George Washington and French troops assisted by Indians—the opening battle of the French and Indian War. Fort reconstructed on basis of archeological exploration.

Museum. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Farmington, Pa.

Location: 11 miles east of Uniontown on U. S. 40.

*FORT PULASKI NATIONAL MONUMENT (Ga.) 5,760 acres

Early 19th-century fort, with moat and drawbridge, whose successive bombardment in 1862 first demonstrated the total ineffectiveness of old-style masonry fortifications against rifled cannon.

Self-guided trips through fort. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Box 204, Savannah Beach, Ga.

Location: 17 miles east of Savannah on Cockspur Island.

Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m., except Christmas.

Transportation: Arrangements should be made with private companies in Savannah.

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Fees and Charges. At Mammoth Cave National Park and a few other areas, guide service or admission fees are charged.

Members of the U. S. Armed Forces in recreational or educational groups sponsored by military centers, the USO, or like organizations are admitted free, as are children under 12 years or members of school groups under 19 years, when escorted by an adult.

*ABRAHAM LINCOLN NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK (Ky.) 117 acres

Traditional birthplace cabin of Abraham Lincoln, enclosed in memorial building on site of birthplace.

The birthplace farm and the memorial building are open daily. Attendants are on duty at the memorial building. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, R. F. D. No. 1, Hodgenville, Ky.

Location: About 3 miles south of Hodgenville on U. S. 31E and State Route 61.

**ACADIA NATIONAL PARK (Maine) 41,955 acres

Rugged coastal area on Mount Desert Island, including highest elevation on the Eastern Seaboard, and interesting headlands on the nearby mainland. A varied and beautiful exhibit of seacoast, mountain, and eastern forest.

Season: June 1 to October 1.

Activities: Hiking, mountain climbing, camping, picnicking, bathing, horseback riding, drives on carriage road, fishing (State license required for fresh water).

Accommodations: Campgrounds. For information on accommodations outside park write to the Chambers of Commerce at Bar Harbor, Northeast Harbor, and Southwest Harbor.

Accommodations: Light refreshments at the Washingtons Birthplace Post Office, at main parking area. Picnic area.

***GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER NATIONAL MONUMENT (Mo.)** 210 acres

Site of the birthplace and childhood home of the famous Negro scientist. Existing landmarks include the spring, a grove of trees, and the graves of the Carver family.

Location: 2½ miles southwest of Diamond.

GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL PARKWAY (Va.-Md.) 3,281 acres

Includes many interesting landmarks associated with the life of George Washington; when completed will extend from Mount Vernon to Great Falls on the Virginia side of the Potomac River, and from Great Falls to Fort Washington on the Maryland side. Completed portions are on the Virginia side of the Potomac.

For further information, write Superintendent, National Capital Parks, Washington 23, D. C.

***GETTYSBURG NATIONAL MILITARY PARK and GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY (Pa.)**

3,409 and 21 acres, respectively

Battlefield that marks a turning point of the Civil War; portion of battlefield dedicated burial ground by President Lincoln in his famous Gettysburg Address.

Location: In and adjoining the city of Gettysburg.

Activities: Complete tour of park with licensed guides; tours conducted by park historians for educational groups; Cyclorama—a painting of Pickett's Charge, 370 feet in circumference, 30 feet high.

GLORIA DEI (OLD SWEDES') CHURCH NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE (Pa.) 3 acres (not federally owned)

Second oldest Swedish church in the United States, founded in 1677; the present structure was erected about 1700. Splendid example of cultural and religious aspects of early Swedish colonization in America.

For further information, write the Rector, Gloria Dei Church, Delaware Avenue and Christian Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

GRAND PORTAGE NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE (Minn.)

660 acres (not federally owned)

Nine-mile portage on a principal route of Indians, explorers, missionaries, and fur traders into the Northwest interior; includes a reconstruction of the important Grand Portage post of the North West Company.

For further information write Superintendent, Isle Royale National Park, 87 North Ripley Street, Houghton, Mich.

****GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK (N. C.-Tenn.)**

510,394 acres

Loftiest range of mountains east of the Black Hills and one of the oldest uplands on earth. Diversified and luxuriant plantlife, often

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Location: On State Route 216 about 9 miles southwest of Kings Mountain.

Activities: Museum foot trails lead to American positions and British campsite, identified by markers.

***LINCOLN MEMORIAL (D. C.)** .6 acre

Classical structure of great beauty with a seated figure, 20 feet high, of the Great Emancipator.

Hours: 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., except Christmas Day.

***LINCOLN MUSEUM NATIONAL MEMORIAL (D. C.)**

In this building was Ford's theater in which Lincoln was shot by John Wilkes Booth; contains famous collection of Lincolniana.

(*Information on Lincoln Museum and House Where Lincoln Died contained in one folder.)

Location: 511 Tenth Street NW.

Hours: 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., Monday through Saturday; 12:30 p. m. to 9 p. m., Sunday and holidays.

****MAMMOTH CAVE NATIONAL PARK (Ky.)** 51,354 acres

Series of underground passages, of which 150 miles have been explored; deep pits and high domes; gypsum and travertine formations; historical and archeological remains. Forested ridges and ravines along Green River, with abundant wildlife.

Location: 100 miles south of Louisville and 100 miles north of Nashville, Tenn., near U. S. 31W.

Activities: Conducted trips through cave, camping, boat rides on Green River, naturalist-guided walks and evening programs, hiking.

Accommodations: Hotel (all year), cottages and cabins (summer); for reservations and rates, write National Park Concessions, Inc., Mammoth Cave, Ky. Lunchroom in cave. Campground, picnic area.

***MANASSAS NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD PARK (Va.)**

3,109 acres

Here was fought the opening field battle of the Civil War, and, here, a year later, a Confederate victory led to Lee's first invasion of the North. Sometimes called "Bull Run." Here the Confederate general, Thomas J. Jackson, acquired the nickname "Stonewall."

Museum (9 a. m. to 5 p. m.), battlefield markers. Organized groups given special service if arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Manassas, Va.

Location: 26 miles southwest of Washington, D. C., on U. S. 29 and 211.

***MERIWETHER LEWIS NATIONAL MONUMENT (Tenn.)**

300 acres

Site on the Natchez Trace where Meriwether Lewis, one of the leaders of the Lewis and Clark Expedition, died and was buried.

Location: 7 miles east of Hohenwald on State Route 20.

Activities: Use of small museum; picnicking.

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***SAN JUAN NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE (P. R.)** 40 acres

Oldest masonry fortifications within the territorial limits of the United States, begun by the Spanish in the 16th century to protect a strategic harbor guarding the sea lanes to the wealth of the New World. Includes Castillo de San Felipe del Morro (known as El Morro), Castillo de San Cristobal, Casa Blanca, and portion of ancient city wall of Puerto Rican capital; and El Canuelo, an small island across harbor entrance. Fortifications, of extraordinary extent and massiveness, fought off siege by Sir Francis Drake. National Park Service handles visitor guidance under cooperative agreement with the Department of the Army.

Location: In city of San Juan.

Activities: 4 tours daily throughout the year. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, P. O. Box 712, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Reception Center in Administration Building and small museum in El Morro.

***SARATOGA NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK (N. Y.)**

5,500 acres

Scene of American victory over the British in 1777; turning point of the Revolution, which induced France to come to the assistance of the new nation, and one of the decisive battles in world history; Gen. Philip Schuyler's summer house, 1777.

Location: 28 miles north of Albany, between Stillwater and Schuylerville on U. S. 4.

Season: About April 1 to November 30.

Activities: Visits to temporary museum (8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.) containing relics of the Revolutionary period, and to John Neilson House which served as quarters for American staff officers during the battles. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, R. F. D. No. 1, Stillwater, N. Y.

*****SHENANDOAH NATIONAL PARK (Va.)** 211,615 acres

Outstanding portion of the Blue Ridge Mountains, with Skyline Drive traversing its crest; magnificent vistas of historic Shenandoah Valley, Allegheny Mountains, Piedmont Plateau; hardwood forests; wealth of wildflowers.

Season: Although park is accessible practically all year, most facilities are closed during winter and early spring.

Activities: Hiking, camping, picnicking, horseback riding, fishing (State license required). Naturalist talks and conducted trips.

Accommodations: Lodges, cabins; for reservations and rates write Virginia Sky-Line Co., Inc., Luray, Va. Po-

of extraordinary size; regarded by botanists as the cradle of present vegetation of eastern America; abundant and varied wildlife.

Activities: Fishing (State license required), hiking, camping, horseback riding.

Accommodations: Lodge with cabins near summit of Mount LeConte; reached only by trail; for reservations and rates, write Jack Huff, Gatlinburg, Tenn. Campgrounds. Hotels and tourist courts in cities and towns near the park and in Asheville, N. C., and Knoxville, Tenn.; for information, write Knoxville Tourist Bureau, Henley Street, Knoxville; East Tennessee Automobile Club, Knoxville; Chambers of Commerce of Gatlinburg and Maryville, Tenn., and of Asheville, Waynesville, Bryson City, and Sylva, N. C.; also from Cherokee Association, Cherokee, N. C., and Government Services, Inc., Fontana Village, Fontana Dam, N. C.

***GUILFORD COURTHOUSE NATIONAL MILITARY PARK (N. C.)** 224 acres

Here, on March 15, 1781, the British General Cornwallis won a Pyrrhic victory over the American forces which so weakened his command that the British soon after took the road to Yorktown and final surrender.

Location: 6 miles northwest of Greensboro, close to U. S. 220.

Activities: Visits to museum and to points in battlefield.

***HAMPTON NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE (Md.)**

45 acres

One of the great Georgian mansions of America built during the latter part of the 18th century.

Location: Near Towson.

***HARPERS FERRY NATIONAL MONUMENT PROJECT (W. Va.-Md.)** 515 acres

This scenic and historic area is at the confluence of the Shenandoah and Potomac Rivers in the Blue Ridge Mountains. It is the site of important events from colonial times, including the famous John Brown Raid. Strategically important, Harpers Ferry changed hands many times during the Civil War.

Location: On U. S. 340, about 18 miles southwest of Frederick, Md.

***HOME OF FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE (N. Y.)** 94 acres

Birthplace, home, "Summer White House," and grave of President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Location: 2 miles south of Hyde Park and 4 miles north of Poughkeepsie on U. S. 9.

Hours: 10 a. m. to 5 p. m., except Monday.

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***MOORES CREEK NATIONAL MILITARY PARK (N. C.)**

50 acres

Scene of the battle between the Patriot forces and the Loyalists. The Patriots' first victorious battle fought during the Revolutionary War under military command, commonly referred to as the Lexington and Concord of the South.

Location: 25 miles northwest of Wilmington, N. C., on U. S. 421 and State Route 210.

Activities: Interpretive services and guided trips available throughout the year. Historic earthworks, cannon, and bridge site where battle was fought.

Hours: 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Sundays and holidays 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

***MORRISTOWN NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK (N. J.)**

958 acres

Sites of important colonial military encampments during the Revolution; the Ford Mansion, Washington's headquarters, 1777-80.

Location: In Morristown.

Hours: Wick House—1 p. m. to 5 p. m., Tuesday through Saturday; 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. on Sunday. Other park buildings—10 a. m. to 5 p. m., Tuesday through Sunday. Park closes at 8 p. m.

Activities: Visits to Ford Mansion, the historical museum, Fort Nonsense, Jockey Hollow, the Wick House, and other historic sites. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Morristown, N. J.

***MOUND CITY GROUP NATIONAL MONUMENT (Ohio)**

68 acres

Group of prehistoric Indian mounds, excavations of which have shown occupancy by distinctly different Indian cultures.

Location: 4 miles north of Chillicothe on State Route 104.

Activities: Visits to mounds and archeological exhibits. Organized groups given special service if advance arrangements are made with the Superintendent, Box 332, Chillicothe, Ohio.

***NATCHEZ TRACE PARKWAY (Miss.-Tenn.-Ala.)**

45,298 acres

Follows general location of the old Indian trail between Nashville and Natchez, known as the "Natchez Trace," an important route in early travel. When completed will extend approximately 450 miles.

Activities: Motoring over 125 paved miles of parkway; parking areas conveniently placed to enable you to inspect parts of the Old Trace, read the historical markers, and visit points of historical or natural history interest.

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tomac Appalachian Trail Club cabins; for reservations and rates write Potomac Appalachian Trail Club, Inc., 1916 Sunderland Place NW., Washington 6, D. C. Campgrounds. Trail shelters.

***SHILOH NATIONAL MILITARY PARK and SHILOH NATIONAL CEMETERY (Tenn.)**

3,591 and 10 acres, respectively

Park embraces the battlefield of Shiloh, near Pittsburg Landing, where a battle fought in 1862 prepared the way for Grant's successful siege of Vicksburg; also well-preserved Indian mounds.

Location: 22 miles northeast of Corinth, Miss., on State Route 22. 5 miles south of U. S. 64 at Crump, Tenn.

Activities: "SHILOH—Portrait of a Battle" 30-minute documentary film shown daily; guide service usually available for organized groups; exhibit room (8 a. m. to 5:30 p. m., mid-spring to mid-autumn; 8 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., mid-autumn to mid-spring). Organized groups desiring special services should make advance arrangements with the Superintendent, Pittsburg Landing, Tenn.

***STATUE OF LIBERTY NATIONAL MONUMENT (N. Y.)**

10 acres

Colossal copper statue on Liberty Island; a gift of the French people to commemorate the alliance of France and the United States during the American Revolution; universal symbol of freedom and democracy.

Hours: 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. (When Daylight Saving Time in effect, visiting hours are until 6 p. m.)

Transportation: Boat from landing in Battery Park (between Castle Clinton and South Ferry at the lower tip of Manhattan) every hour, with half-hour schedules during summer.

***STONES RIVER NATIONAL MILITARY PARK and STONES RIVER NATIONAL CEMETERY (Tenn.)**

324 and 20 acres, respectively

Scene of a stubbornly fought midwinter battle in 1862, which began the great Federal offensive to trounce the Confederacy; includes part of the battlefield and part of Fortress Rosecrans.

Location: 3 miles northeast of Murfreesboro on U. S. 41.

Hours: 8 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

***THOMAS JEFFERSON NATIONAL MEMORIAL (D. C.)**

1 acre

Heroic statue of Thomas Jefferson in a circular colonnaded structure, in classic style as introduced in this country; on interior walls are four panels with inscriptions based upon his writings.

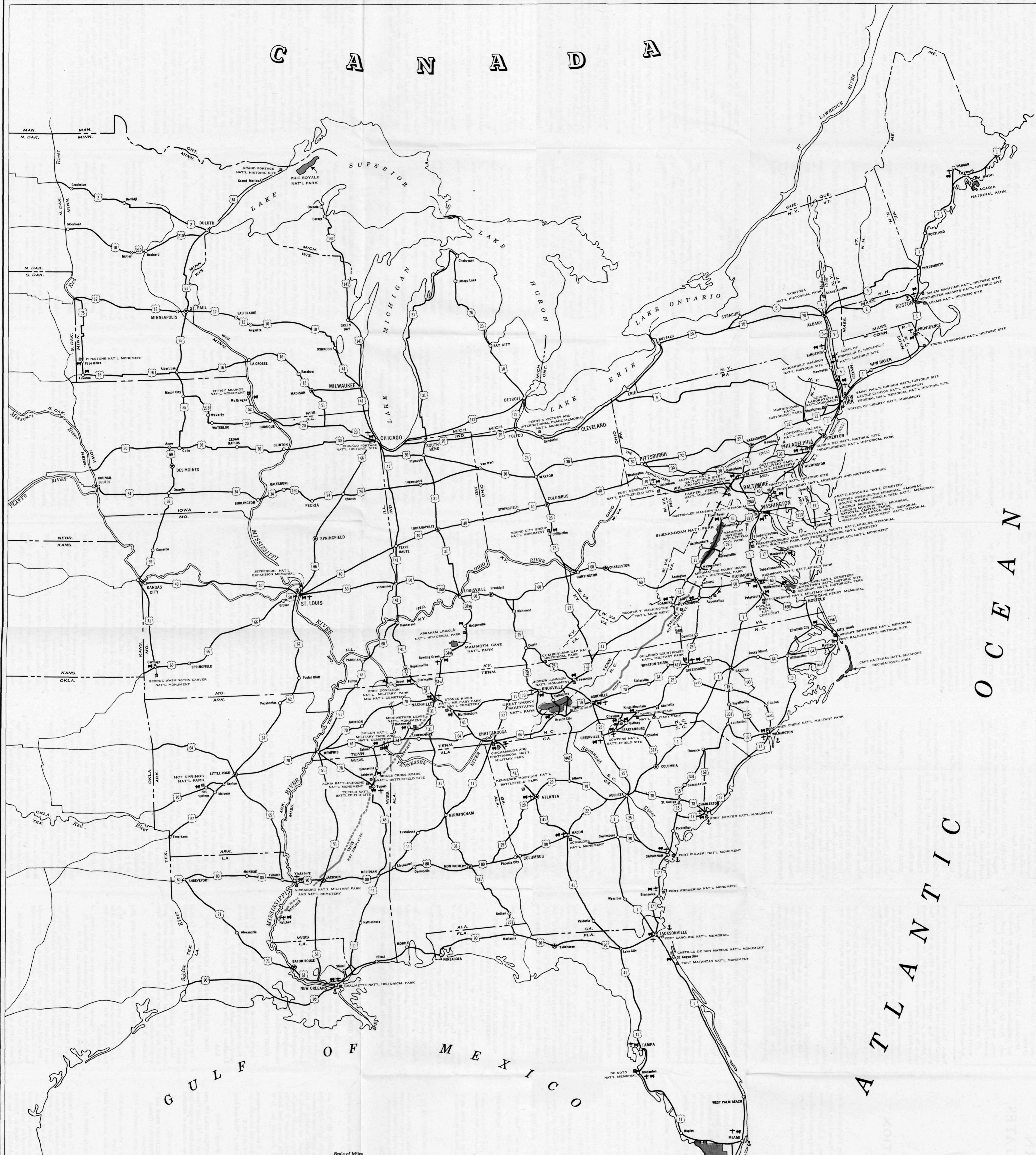
Hours: 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Activities: Tour of house; visit to grave and ground surrounding house and to the adjoining Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, which is administered by the Archivist of the United States.

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AREAS ADMINISTERED BY THE NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
AND NON-FEDERAL NATIONAL HISTORIC SITES

MAIN HIGHWAYS

CONNECTING HIGHWAYS

RAILROAD TERMINALS

AIRLINE TERMINALS

PORTS

U.S. HIGHWAY NUMBERS

THE SKELETON HIGHWAY SYSTEM SHOWN ON THIS MAP WILL BE
OF ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING AREAS ADMINISTERED BY THE
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE ON REGULAR HIGHWAY, RAILROAD, AND
AIRLINE TRAVEL MAPS.

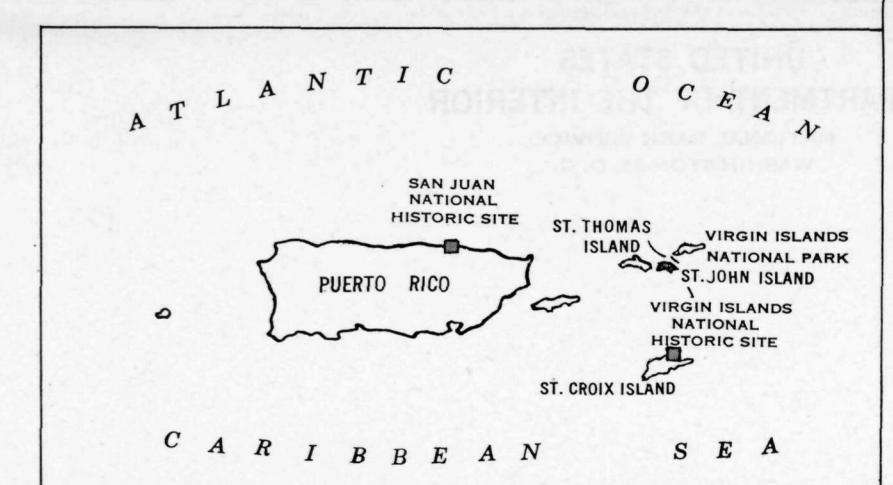
THE AIRPORT AND RAILROAD TERMINALS SHOWN ARE IN GENERAL
THOSE FROM WHICH SCHEDULED BUS SERVICE OR SHORT RUN TAXI
SERVICE TO THE PARK MAY BE OBTAINED.

STATE HIGHWAY NUMBERS

Airport Data From Civil Aeronautics Board Map dated Sept. 30, 1953.
Areas Administered By The National Park Service As Of May 1953.

THE NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM—EASTERN UNITED STATES

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IN PLANNING TRIPS, IT IS ADVISABLE TO CHECK CURRENT STATE ROAD MAPS FOR LATEST HIGHWAY INFORMATION