

Appomattox Court House National Historical Park



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Fact: Hannah Reynolds was the only civilian casualty during the Battle of Appomattox Court House.

In 1865 Hannah Reynolds was a slave of Dr. Samuel Coleman who lived a mile west of the village (near Grant's Headquarters). On April 9th, the Colemans left their home in fear of the looming battle, but Hannah was sick and unable to leave. During the Battle of Appomattox Court House she was killed when an artillery shell hit the house.