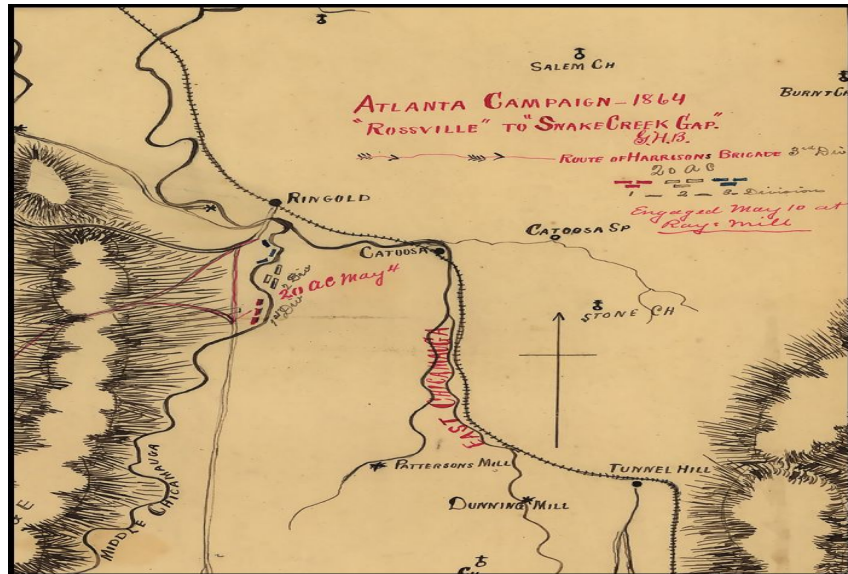


# General Sherman's Atlanta Campaign and March to the sea

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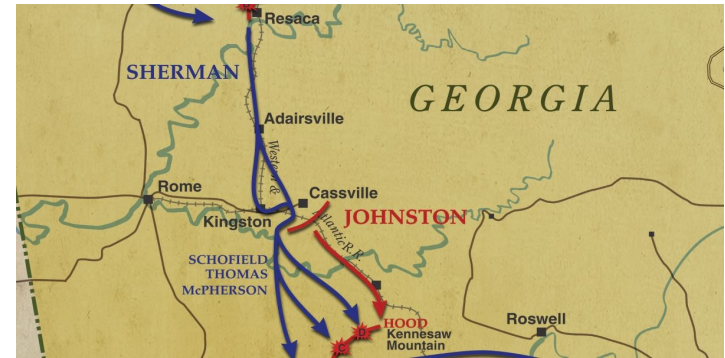


# Facts about General Sherman's Atlanta Campaign



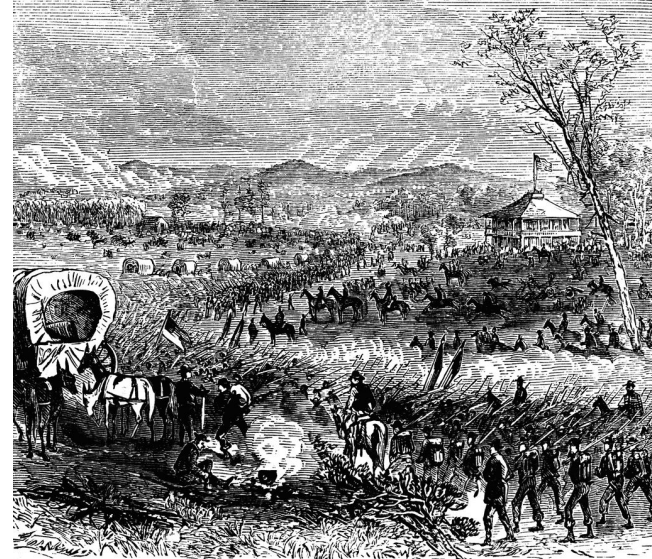
## Interesting facts about General Sherman's Atlanta Campaign

- The Atlanta Campaign was a series of battles fought in the western Theater of the American Civil War throughout Northwest Georgia and around the area around Atlanta during the Summer of 1864.
- General Sherman's Atlanta Campaign began in early May 1864.
- An estimated number of 4,423 union soldiers died during the Atlanta Campaign
- Sherman's goal was to destroy the army of Tennessee, Capture Atlanta and cut off vital confederate supply lines
- Sherman failed to destroy his enemy, he was able to force the surrender of Atlanta in September of 1864





# Facts about General Sherman's March to the sea



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- The purpose of The March to the sea was to frighten Georgia's Civilian population into abandoning the confederate cause
- General Sherman's March to the sea happened November 15, 1864
- During the March to the sea Sherman's troops did not destroy any towns in their path, but they stole food and livestock.
- The path of destruction the Union arm cut as it moved across Georgia during SHerman's March to the sea was about 60 miles wide and about 250 miles long
- The Tatic of destroying much in an army's path is "Scorched Earth"

