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Grant's Preliminary Diversions before his Final Campaign

VALEY AND VICINITY, 1861

LOWER MISSISSIPPI RIVER

VICKSBURG CAMPAIGN

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ARKANSAS

LOUISIANA

Monroe

Ouachita River

Arkansa River


Steele's division along 20 December, collected Steele's feint by water to concentrate to Vicksburg. abandone the overland route and move 1862. By then he also was prepared to Grant left Bolivar on 2 November, advancing on Oxford and establishing bases as shown. But the combination of Forrest's and Van Dorn's raids forced Vicksburg, 2 November 1862 to 15 January 1863, Unsuccessful Federal Attempts to Reach Rhodes's Canal through the Yazoo Pass Expedition, abandoned 17 March. Sherman's Demonstration 4-9 April. While it was prepared to advance the overland route and move 44 miles to concentrate to Vicksburg, Sherman's advance was to 44,000.

Grand Gulf

Hard Times

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Morgan

Pemberton

Banks

Garrison

Banks

FT. RANDOLPH

Memphis

TENNESSEE

Oh Ohio

Central Railroad

Southern Railroad

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New Orleans

Yazoo River

Pea River

Hull

Memphis & Ohio Railroad

Ten

Memphis & Charleston Railroad

Grand Gulf

Fort Pillow

Jessica

Lexington

Vicksburg

Granada

College

Hill

17 April - 2 May. Grierson's raid reached in part Numerous attempts of Sherman to prepare the way for his land invasion on 30 April. Sherman's Demonsration 4-9 April. While it was prepared to advance the overland route and move 44 miles to concentrate to Vicksburg, Sherman's advance was to 44,000.

Oxford

Springs

VAN DORN'S RAID

ARKANSAS POST

(FT. HINDMAN)

GRANT (-)

(36,000)

GRANT (-)

(32,000)

(5,500)

(5,500)

(3,500)

(6,000)

(62,000)

(42,000)

(42,000)

(20,000)

(11,000)

(22,000)

(15,000)

(15,000)

(11,000)