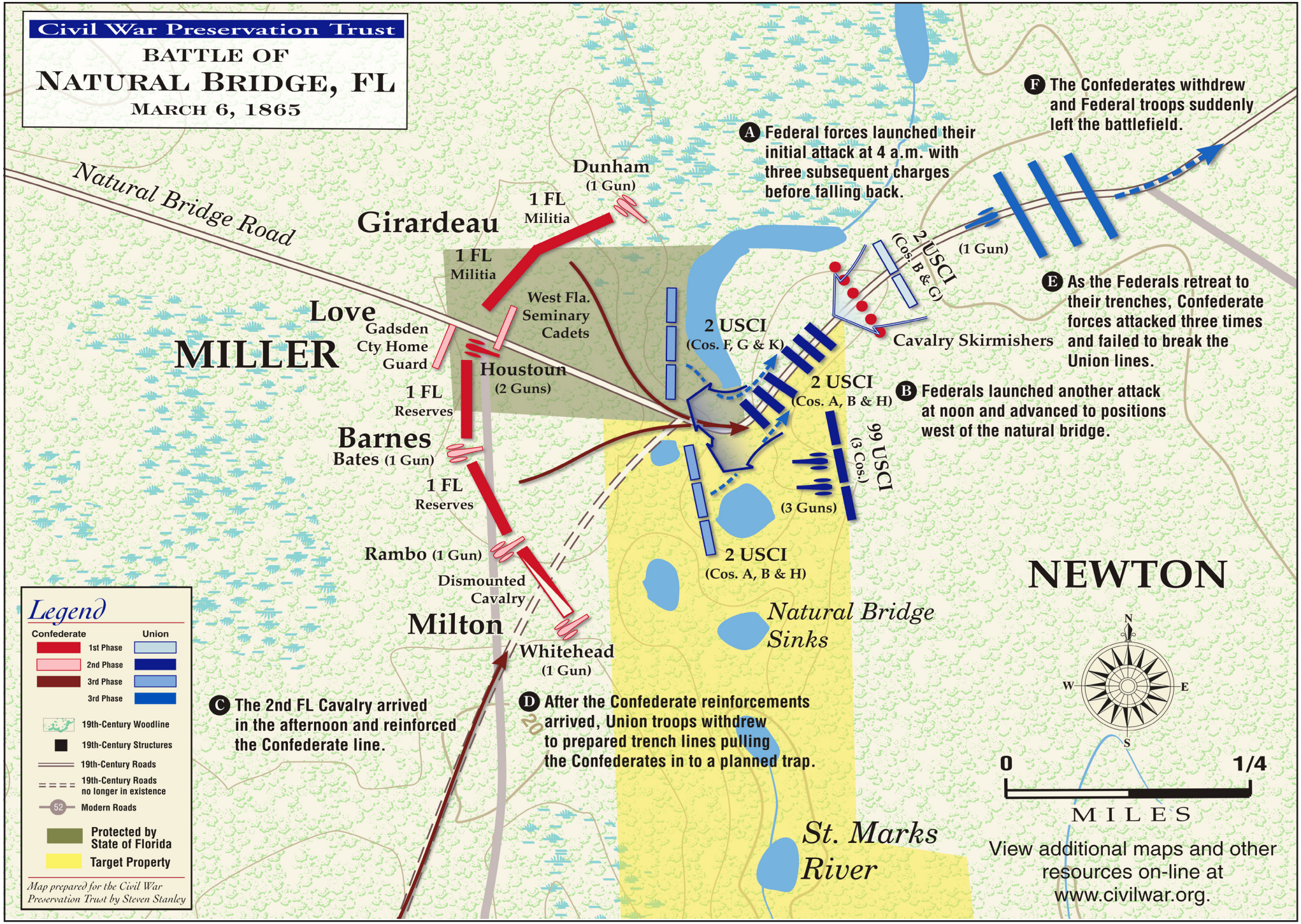
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BATTLE OF
NATURAL BRIDGE, FL
MARCH 6, 1865
Natural Bridge Road
Dunham
(1 Gun)
1 FL
Militia
Girardeau
1 FL
Militia
West Fla.
Seminary
Cadets
Love
Gadsden
Cty Home
Guard
MILLER
Houstoun
(2 Guns)
1 FL
Reserves
Barnes
Bates (1 Gun)
1 FL
Reserves
Rambo (1 Gun)
Dismounted
Cavalry
Milton
Whitehead
(1 Gun)
2 USCI
(Cos. F, G & K)
2 USCI
(Cos. A, B & H)
99 USCI
(3 Cos.)
(3 Guns)
2 USCI
(Cos. A, B & H)
2 USCI
(Cos. B & G)
(1 Gun)
Cavalry Skirmishers
Natural Bridge
Sinks
St. Marks
River
NEWTON
A Federal forces launched their initial attack at 4 a.m. with three subsequent charges before falling back.
B Federals launched another attack at noon and advanced to positions west of the natural bridge.
C The 2nd FL Cavalry arrived in the afternoon and reinforced the Confederate line.
D After the Confederate reinforcements arrived, Union troops withdrew to prepared trench lines pulling the Confederates in to a planned trap.
E As the Federals retreat to their trenches, Confederate forces attacked three times and failed to break the Union lines.
F The Confederates withdrew and Federal troops suddenly left the battlefield.
Legend
Confederate
Union
1st Phase
2nd Phase
3rd Phase
3rd Phase
19th-Century Woodline
19th-Century Structures
19th-Century Roads
19th-Century Roads no longer in existence
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Modern Roads
Protected by State of Florida
Target Property
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