

**CHICKAMAUGA AND CHATTANOOGA NATIONAL MILITARY PARK (GA. AND TENN.)  
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**SUMMARY**

<b>Size</b>	Twenty-nine mounted albumen photographic prints.
<b>Geographic Locations</b>	Tennessee and Georgia, USA.
<b>Inclusive Dates</b>	circa 1894
<b>Languages</b>	English
<b>Summary</b>	Twenty-nine original mounted photographs of selected sections of the grounds of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park. Prints are numbered and have explanatory labels.
<b>Access Restrictions</b>	There are no restrictions on this collection.
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<b>Stack Location(s)</b>	W:52

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### **BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE**

The Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park was the first and largest military park in the United States. The Park contains approximately 8,190 acres of land divided among several areas in Tennessee and Georgia. These lands were witness to battles between Union and Confederate forces in the autumn of 1863, when the hopes raised in the Confederacy following their victory at Chickamauga (Georgia, Sep 19-20) were darkened by the victory of the Union at Chattanooga (Tennessee, Nov 23-25).

President Benjamin Harrison signed the bill for the establishment of the park on 19 August 1890; the park was officially dedicated on 19 – 20 September 1895. The main drive for creating the park was to restore the battlefields to the conditions that existed at the time of the engagements since they offered unparalleled opportunities for historical and professional military study of the operations of two great armies over all types of terrain.

The Federal Government purchased the land, restored the fields, constructed roads, built observation towers, erected monuments to the troops engaged in the battles, and prepared historical tablets for the various organizations of each army.

Twenty-six State commissions cooperated with the National Commission in the work of marking lines of battle and ascertaining other historical points of interest: Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and Wisconsin.

The Louisiana Commission (or Committee) created the images in the Chickamauga-Chattanooga National Military Park (Ga. And Tenn.) Photographs Collection, after the Louisiana and National Commissioners established the official points of interest.

### **SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE**

The collection contains twenty-nine mounted albumen photographic prints of the grounds of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military, taken circa 1894. There are eight photographs from Missionary Ridge (Tenn. and Ga.) and twenty-one photographs from Chickamauga (Ga.). Prints are numbered, mounted on board, and have explanatory labels.

**SERIES LIST AND DESCRIPTIONS**

**Series I.** Missionary Ridge. Circa 1894

Consists of eight mounted photographs of the grounds of Missionary Ridge (Tenn. and Ga.) at the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park.

**Series II.** Chickamauga. Circa 1894

Consists of twenty-one mounted photographs of the grounds of Chickamauga (Ga.) at the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park.

**INDEX TERMS**

**Note: The number(s) below each topic are the unique identifier for each image.**

Albumen prints

All images

Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park (Ga. and Tenn.)—Photographs

All images

Chattanooga (Tenn.), Battle of, 1863

450401-08

Chickamauga (Ga.), Battle of, 1863

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Missionary Ridge, Battle of, Tenn., 1863

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		450401	View No. 1. Missionary Ridge. Slocomb's Battery, 5th Company, Washington Artillery.
		450402	View No. 2. Missionary Ridge. 13th and 20th Louisiana Regiment-Infantry.
		450403	View No. 3. Missionary Ridge. 4th Louisiana Battalion and 16th and 25th Louisiana Regiment-Infantry.
		450404	View No. 4. Missionary Ridge. First Louisiana Infantry (Regulars).
		450405	View No. 5. Missionary Ridge. Austin's Sharpshooters (14th Louisiana Battalion).
		450406	View No. 6. Missionary Ridge. Nineteenth Louisiana Infantry.
		450407	View No. 7. Missionary Ridge.
450408	View No. 8. Missionary Ridge.		
		<b>Series II. Chickamauga. Circa 1894</b>	
		450409	View No. 9. Chickamauga. Slocomb's Battery (Fifth Company Washington Artillery).
		450410	Views No. 10 and No. 11. Chickamauga. McDonald's Farm on Chattanooga and Lafayette Road.
		450411	View No. 11. Chickamauga. McDonald's Farm on Chattanooga and Lafayette Road.
		450412	View No. 12. Chickamauga. McDonald's Farm and Fields West of Chattanooga Road.
		450413	View No. 13. Chickamauga. McDonald's Farm and Fields West of Chattanooga Road.
		450414	View No. 14. Chickamauga. McDonald's Farm and Fields West of Chattanooga Road.
		450415	View No. 15. Chickamauga. Thirteenth and Twentieth Louisiana Regiment and Adams' Louisiana Brigade.
		450416	View No. 16. Chickamauga. Adams' Louisiana Brigade, Nineteenth Louisiana Infantry Regiment.
		450417	View No. 17. Chickamauga. Adams' Louisiana Brigade.
		450418	View No. 18. Chickamauga. Adams' Louisiana Brigade.

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		450420	View No. 20. Chickamauga. Fourth Louisiana Battalion Infantry.
		450421	View No. 21. Chickamauga. Fourth Louisiana Infantry Battalion.
		450422	View No. 22. Chickamauga. Slocomb's Battery, Fifth Company Washington Artillery. Glass Mills.
		450423	View No. 23. Chickamauga. Glass' Mill. Slocomb's Battery, Fifth Company. Washington Artillery.
		450424	View No. 24. Chickamauga. McAfee's Church and Spring Lake. Scott's First Louisiana Cavalry.
		450425	View No. 25. Chickamauga. McAfee Church and Spring Lake. Scott's First Louisiana Cavalry and Robinson's Louisiana Battery.
		450426	View No. 26. Chickamauga. Red House Crossing. Scott's Louisiana Cavalry and Robinson's Battery.
		450427	View No. 27. Chickamauga. Red House Crossing. Scott's First Louisiana Cavalry and Robinson's Louisiana Battery.
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		450429	View No. 29. Chickamauga. Red House Crossing. Scott's First Louisiana Cavalry and Robinson's Louisiana Battery.