KET's Electronic Field Trip to Perryville

Quiz

What evidence is left in Perryville of the battle?

What artifacts were found at a dig of the J.J. Polk house?

How many soldiers fought at the Battle of Perryville?

- A. less than 500
- B. less than 4,000
- C. more than 35 thousand

How many people were killed or wounded in the battle October 8, 1862?

- A. 100
- B. 7500
- C. 10,000

What was the largest Civil War battle in the Commonwealth of Kentucky?

- A. The Battle of Mill Springs
- B. The Battle of Richmond
- C. The Battle of Cynthiana
- D. The Battle of Perryville

What is the significance of the Battle of Perryville?

- A. This was the confederates last major attempt to claim Kentucky.
- B. There were more casualties in Perryville than in any other battle.
- C. This battle was in Lincoln's hometown.

What is the name for the troops who fought on horseback?

- A. Cavalry
- B. Infantry
- C. Artillery

What was the age of the average Confederate cavalry man in the Civil War?

- A. 45
- B. 32
- C. 17

What might have prevented soldiers in 1862 from bathing?

- A. drought
- B. company rules
- C. mosquitoes

What would soldiers do with hard tack?

- A. Sleep on it.
- B. Shoot it.
- C. Eat it.
- D. Wear it.

How would you describe the marching technique in 1862?

- A. single file
- B. shoulder to shoulder
- C. scattered

What are two reasons for the Civil War mentioned at the beginning of KET Electronic Field Trip to Perryville?

- A. issues regarding slavery and states' rights
- B. placement of railroad routes and telegraph lines
- C. taxes and slavery

After the Battle of Perryville, the Confederate forces...

- A. installed a Confederate governor.
- B. retreated from Kentucky.
- C. surrendered, which ended the Civil War.