

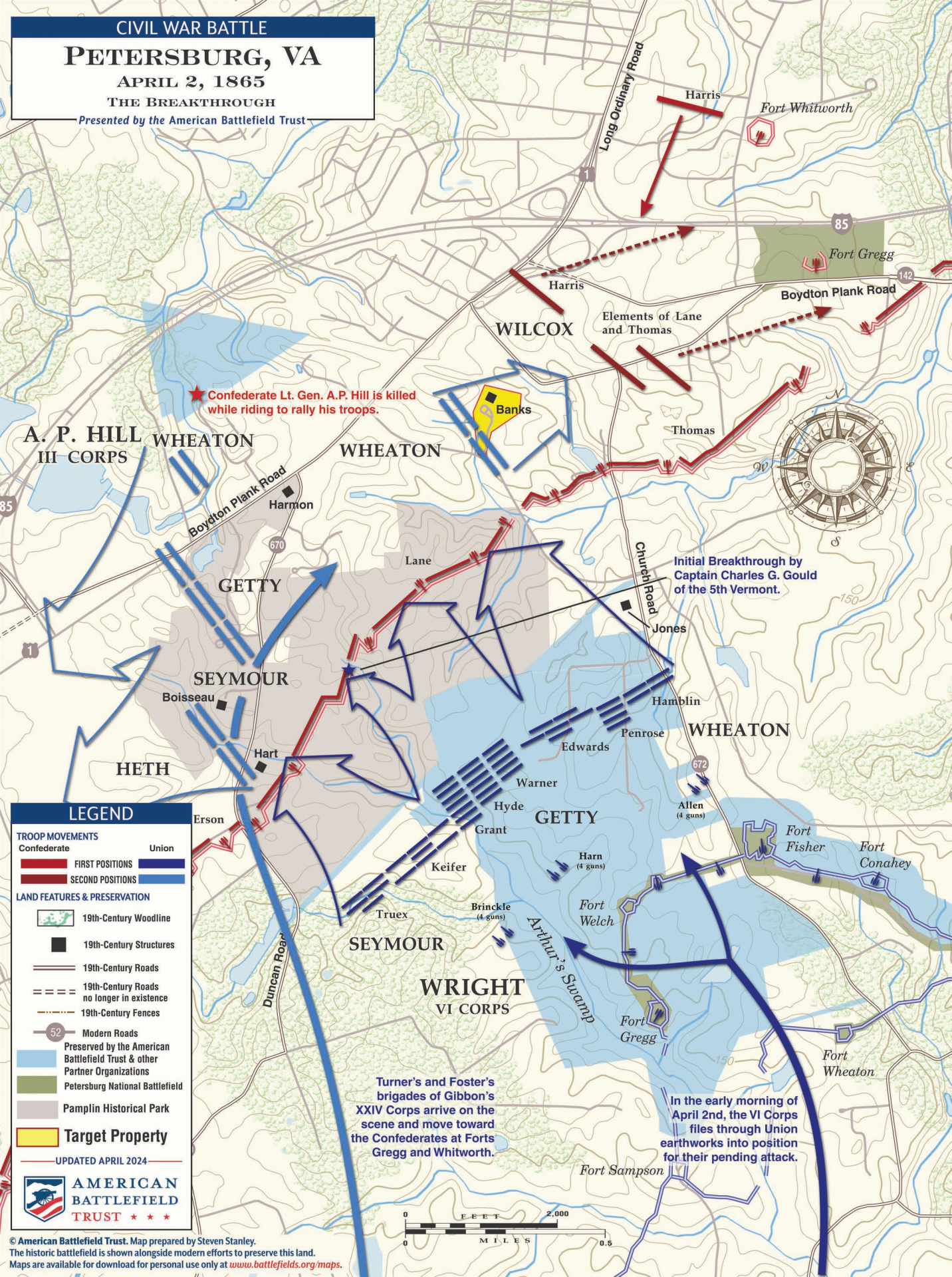
CIVIL WAR BATTLE

PETERSBURG, VA

APRIL 2, 1865

THE BREAKTHROUGH

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★ Confederate Lt. Gen. A.P. Hill is killed while riding to rally his troops.

A. P. HILL
III CORPS

WHEATON

WHEATON

WILCOX

Banks

Thomas



Initial Breakthrough by
Captain Charles G. Gould
of the 5th Vermont.

GETTY

SEYMOUR

HETH

WHEATON

GETTY

Fort Fisher

Fort Conahey

LEGEND

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Confederate	Union

LAND FEATURES & PRESERVATION

- 19th-Century Woodline
- 19th-Century Structures
- 19th-Century Roads
- 19th-Century Roads no longer in existence
- 19th-Century Fences
- Modern Roads
- Preserved by the American Battlefield Trust & other Partner Organizations
- Petersburg National Battlefield
- Pamplin Historical Park
- Target Property

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Turner's and Foster's brigades of Gibbon's XXIV Corps arrive on the scene and move toward the Confederates at Forts Gregg and Whitworth.

In the early morning of April 2nd, the VI Corps files through Union earthworks into position for their pending attack.

