

The Civil War 150 Years Ago

- Mar 3** Siege of New Madrid, Missouri begins
- Mar 7** Battle of Pea Ridge (Elkhorn Tavern), Arkansas
- Mar 8** CSS Virginia engages and destroys USS Cumberland and USS Congress
- Mar 9** USS Monitor and CSS Virginia battle at Hampton Roads, VA
- Mar 11** Lincoln relieves McClellan from position as General-in-Chief of the Federal Armies
- Mar 14** New Bern, North Carolina captured
Union forces capture New Madrid, Missouri
- Mar 18** George W. Randolph named Confederate Secretary of War
- Mar 23** Battle of First Kernstown, Virginia
- Mar 24** Riot at abolition meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio
- Mar 26** Engagement at Apache Canyon, New Mexico Territory
- Mar 28** Battle at Glorieta Pass, New Mexico Territory