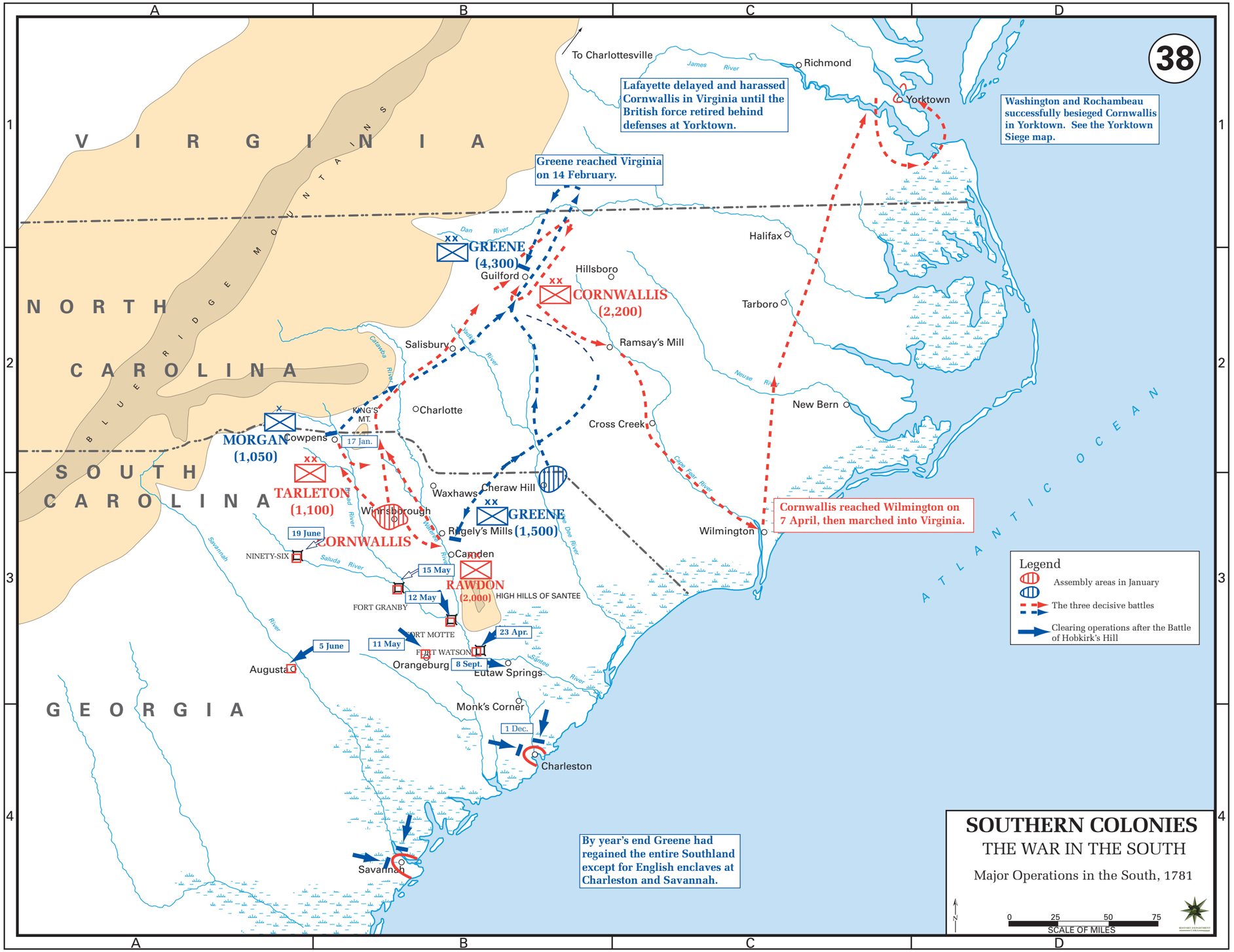
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VIRGINIA
NORTH CAROLINA
SOUTH CAROLINA
GEORGIA
BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS
ATLANTIC OCEAN
To Charlottesville
James River
Richmond
Yorktown
Lafayette delayed and harassed Cornwallis in Virginia until the British force retired behind defenses at Yorktown.
Washington and Rochambeau successfully besieged Cornwallis in Yorktown. See the Yorktown Siege map.
Greene reached Virginia on 14 February.
Dan River
GREENE (4,300)
Guilford
Hillsboro
CORNWALLIS (2,200)
Halifax
Tarboro
Salisbury
Yadkin River
Catawba River
Ramsay's Mill
Neuse River
New Bern
Charlotte
KING'S MT.
Cowpens
17 Jan.
MORGAN (1,050)
Cross Creek
Cape Fear River
TARLETON (1,100)
Waxhaws
Cheraw Hill
Winnsborough
GREENE
Rugely's Mills (1,500)
Wilmington
Cornwallis reached Wilmington on 7 April, then marched into Virginia.
19 June
CORNWALLIS
Camden
Lynches River
Lynch River
Pee Dee River
NINETY-SIX
Saluda River
Savannah River
15 May
RAWDON (2,000)
HIGH HILLS OF SANTEE
12 May
FORT GRANBY
FORT MOTTE
23 Apr.
11 May
FORT WATSON
5 June
Augusta
Orangeburg
8 Sept.
Eutaw Springs
Santee River
Monk's Corner
1 Dec.
Charleston
Savannah
By year's end Greene had regained the entire Southland except for English enclaves at Charleston and Savannah.
Legend
Assembly areas in January
The three decisive battles
Clearing operations after the Battle of Hobkirk's Hill
SOUTHERN COLONIES
THE WAR IN THE SOUTH
Major Operations in the South, 1781
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SCALE OF MILES