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  - Illustration based on French descriptions of Florida Native Americans.
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  - Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 1 includes historical background and suggested activities for early European exploration and the primary sources included in the set.

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### Suggested Search Terms
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### Suggested Search Terms
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### Suggested Search Terms
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- Malcontents
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- Ebenezer
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  - A notice of six runaway slaves from the plantation of the Royal Governor James Wright.
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  - Georgia’s copy of the Declaration of Independence
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  - Recollections of a Georgia Loyalist by Elizabeth Lichtenstein Johnston
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- A Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 1 includes historical background and suggested activities for the Georgia during the early years of the United States of America and the primary sources included in the set.

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- Abraham Baldwin’s Annotated Draft of the United States Constitution, MS 1703
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- Central of Georgia Railway Records, MS 1362
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- Central of Georgia Railway
- Cotton Gins
- Agriculture in Georgia: An Overview
- Eli Whitney in Georgia
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### Suggested Search Terms

- Whitney, Eli, 1765–1825: Cotton Gins and Ginning: Railroads Georgia History

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<td><em>Georgia has over 900 historical markers related to the Civil War. Most of these markers relate to a specific soldier movements and battles. The following 15 markers were put up by the Georgia Historical Society to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Civil War.</em> ◊ March to the Sea: Ebenezer Creek ◊ Explosion at the Confederate Powder Works ◊ Civil War Women’s Riot ◊ Georgia’s Secession Convention ◊ African-American Soldiers in Combat ◊ Civil War Slave Conspiracy ◊ Georgians in the Union Army ◊ The Battles for Atlanta ◊ History of Emancipation: Special Field Orders No. 15 ◊ The Burning and Destruction of Atlanta ◊ General Cleburne’s Proposal to Arm Slaves ◊ Madden Branch Massacre ◊ William Clayton Fain: Georgia Unionist ◊ Birthplace of Gen. Montgomery C. Meigs ◊ Birthplace of Gen. John C. Fremont</td>
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- Civil War and Reconstruction
  - Reconstruction
Encounter and Exchange (A New Encounter: Black Slaves in Georgia)
- Exchanges in Slavery and Freedom
  - A New Landscape for Freed Slaves

African-American Life & Culture in the Georgia Lowcountry
- Timeline
- Learn More
  - Jacqueline Jones Lecture segments 7-10
  - Dr. Alison Dorsey Lecture

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Interactive Case Study
- Primary Source 4: 1881 Newspaper

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Civil War in Georgia: Overview ◇ Battle of Kennesaw Mountain ◇ Wilson’s Raid ◇ Battle of Pickett’s Mill ◇ Union Blockade and Coastal Occupation in the Civil War ◇ Capture of Jefferson Davis ◇ Sherman’s March to the Sea ◇ Battle of Chickamauga ◇ Deportation of Roswell Mill Women ◇ Atlanta Campaign ◇ Battle of Resaca ◇ Andrews Raid ◇ Nancy Harts Militia ◇ Black Troops in Civil war Georgia ◇ Women During the Civil War ◇ Andersonville Prison ◇ Civil War Dissent ◇ Confederate Gold ◇ Welfare and Poverty during the Civil War ◇ Guerrilla Warfare during the Civil War ◇ USS Water Witch ◇ Emancipation ◇ Sherman’s Field Orders No. 15 ◇ Civil War: Atlanta Home Front ◇ Desertion during the Civil War ◇ Civil War Journals, Diaries, and Memoirs ◇ Civil War Industry and Manufacturing ◇ CSS Savannah

Suggested Search Terms

Civil War; United States – History – Civil War; Emancipation; Confederate States of America; Civil War personal narratives; Georgia--History--Civil War, 1861-1865.
### Chapter by Chapter Primary Sources

**Chapter 13: Reconstruction**

- Hugh L. Dennard Pardon and Loyalty Oath, 1865-1867
- William Jones Pardon, 1865

### Featured Historical Figures

- Mother Mathilda Beasley

### Opening America’s Archives

**Primary Sources Set 2 (Civil War, Reconstruction, and the New South)**

- SS8H6—Impact of the Civil War and Reconstruction in Georgia
  - Photograph of former slaves in front of slave cabin on St. Catherine's Island
  - “The First Colored Senator and Representatives in the 41st & 42nd Congress of the United States.”
  - Pardon of William Jones by President Andrew Johnson
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 2 includes historical background and suggested activities for the Reconstruction and the primary sources included in the set.

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- **Growth and Change in Georgia**
  - S.S. Savannah
  - Central of Georgia Railroad
  - Cotton Cultivation

#### Three Centuries of Georgia History (Nineteenth Century)
- **Technological Advancements**
  - Automobile Racing
  - Wright Brothers
- **Social Movements**
  - Girl Scouts USA

#### Encounter and Exchange (Progressive Encounters)
- **Early Movements for Civil Rights in Georgia**
  - The Savannah Men’s Sunday Club
  - The Niagara Movement
- **Progressive Encounters with the Urban Environment**
  - Progressivism in Georgia
  - John Nolen’s Encounter with Savannah
- **Spring Cleaning in Georgia’s Oldest City**
  - The Swat the Fly Campaign, 1912
  - The Slums
  - The City Market

#### African-American Life & Culture in the Georgia Lowcountry
- **Timeline**
- **Sites**
- **Learn more**
  - Buddy Sullivan Lecture—Segments 4 & 5
  - Dr. Alison Dorsey

### New South
New South

**Ossabaw Island: A Case Study on the African-American Experience**

**Interactive Case Study**
- Primary Source 3: Tabby Cabins
- Primary Source 4: 1881 Newspaper

**Chapter by Chapter Primary Sources**

**Chapter 15: Georgia at the Turn of the Century**
- Juliette Gordon Low Photographs and Letters

**Opening America's Archives**

**Primary Sources Set 2 (Civil War, Reconstruction, and the New South)**
- SS8H7—Political, social, and economic changes in Georgia between 1877-1918
  - Booker T. Washington “Atlanta Exposition Speech”
  - “From Darkness to Light” Cotton States Promotion
  - “Official Guide to the Cotton States and International Exposition.”
  - “The South and Her Problems.”
  - “Lynch Law in Georgia.” pamphlet
  - Coverage of the Sam Hose lynching in the Athens Weekly Athens Banner.
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 2 includes historical background and suggested activities for the New South and the primary sources included in the set.

**Featured Historical Figures**
- Juliette Gordon Low

**Historical Markers**
- Mary Turner and the Lynching Rampage of 1918
- Leo Frank Lynching
- Bellevue, Home of Sen. Benjamin Harvey Hill
- Birthplace of Benjamin Harvey Hill
- Joel Chandler Harris
- Felton Home
- Booker T. Washington 1856-1915
- Cotton States Exposition of 1895
- Alfred Holt Colquitt

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### GHS Collections

- The Race Question Scrapbook, MS 1568
- Steve Oney Papers MS 2361
- The Foltz Photography Studio photographs, MS 1360 includes photographs dating from the New South era.

### New Georgia Encyclopedia

- Redemption
- Bourbon Triumvirate
- Leo Frank Case
- Alonzo Herndon
- Cotton Expositions in Atlanta
- Henry W. Grady (1850-1889)
- Black Suffrage in the Twentieth Century
- Hoke Smith
- Atlanta Race Riot of 1906
- Rebecca Latimer Felton
- Segregation
- W.E.B. Du Bois in Georgia
- Atlanta Compromise Speech
- Clark Atlanta University
- Populist Party
- County Unit System
- Constitutional Convention of 1877
- Joseph E. Brown
- Lucius Holsey
- Lost Cause Religion
- Farmers’ Alliance
- Thomas E. Watson
- Lucy Craft Laney
- Auburn Avenue (Sweet Auburn)
- Grant Park
- Inman Park
- Lynching
- Woolfolk Murder Case
- Ku Klux Klan in the Twentieth Century
- Convict Lease System
- Jesse O. Thomas (1885-1972)
- John Hope (1868-1936)

### Suggested Search Terms

- Southern States--History--20th century
- Southern States--History--19th century
- Lynchings Georgia
- Leo Frank 1884-1915

### RISE OF MODERN GEORGIA

#### Online Exhibits

- Three Centuries of Georgia History (Twentieth Century)
  - 1930s
    - Great Depression
    - New Deal

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- **1930s**
  - Gone with the Wind
- **Social Movements**
  - Women’s Suffrage Movement

Opening America’s Archives

Primary Sources Set 3 (Moving Towards Modern Georgia)
- SS8H8—Georgia After WWI
  - Political Poster of Eugene Talmadge as 1926 Democratic candidate for Georgia’s Commissioner of Agriculture.
  - Eugene Talmadge for Governor. Political handbill
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 2 includes historical background and suggested activities for the post-WWI Georgia and the primary sources included in the set.

Featured Historical Figures
- **Johnny Mercer**

Historical Markers
- Bobby Jones and the Beginning of the Grand Slam ◊ Raymond-Richardson Aviation School ◊ Johnny Mercer ◊ Margaret Mitchell

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GHS Collections
- The Foltz Photography Studio photographs, MS 1360 includes photographs depicting life in the 1930s & 1940s.
- Stage prop used in the filming of "Gone With The Wind." A-1361-358
- Crowed lined up for tickets for "Gone with the Wind" at Lucas Theater, MS 1360
- Photograph of Eugene Talmadge, MS 1360
- Photograph of Eugene Talmadge at rally, MS 1360PH

New Georgia Encyclopedia
- Viola Ross Napier (1881–1962)
- Helen Douglas Mankin (1894–1956)
- Charles Lindbergh in Georgia
- Howard Coffin (1837–1937)
- Progressive Era
- Woman Suffrage
- Ina Dillard Russell (1868–1953)
- Erskine Caldwell (1903–1987)
- John Donald Wade (1892–1963)
- Gone With the Wind (Novel)
- Gone with the Wind (Film)
- Margaret Mitchell (1900–1949)
- Eugene Talmadge (1884–1946)
- Ben Epps (1888–1937)
- Fox Theatre
- Bobby Jones (1902–1971)

Suggested Search Terms
- Jazz; Eugene Talmadge; Progressive Era; Women's Suffrage; Gone with the Wind; Margaret Mithcell

GLOBAL CONFLICT

Online Exhibits
Three Centuries of Georgia History (Twentieth Century)
- Global Conflict
  - World War I

Chapter by Chapter Primary Sources
Chapter 16: World War I and the 1920s
- WWI related items from the Frank O'Driscoll Hunter Papers, 1917–1982

Featured Historical Figures
- Juliette Gordon Low (WWI and the Girl Scouts)

Opening America's Archives
Primary Sources Set 2 (Civil War, Reconstruction, and the New South)
- SS8H7—Political, social, and economic changes in Georgia between 1877–1918
  - Newspaper coverage of Otranto shipwreck
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 2 includes historical background and suggested resources for studying WWI in Georgia.

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**GLOBAL CONFLICT**

**Online Exhibits**

Three Centuries of Georgia History (Twentieth Century)
- Global Conflict
  - World War II

**Chapter by Chapter Primary Sources**

Chapter 18: America and Georgia in World War II
- USO Club, St. Mary’s Catholic School Dance from the Foltz Photography Studio photographs

**Opening America’s Archives**

Primary Sources Set 3 (Moving Towards Modern Georgia)
- SS8H9—Impact of WWII on Georgia
  - “Georgia Schools at War, 1944.” Booklet
  - Lamar Q. Bell Photograph Collection
  - Photograph McEvoy Shipyard
  - Photograph for Union Bag & Paper Company
  - Photograph of USO Club St. Mary’s Catholic School Dance
  - Letter from President Franklin D. Roosevelt to William Dodd, Ambassador to Germany, December 2, 1935.
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 3 includes historical background and suggested activities for the WWII in Georgia.

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- Raymond-Richardson Aviation School
- S.S. Oklahoma and Esso Baton Rouge
- United States Navy Pre-Flight School
- Finney General Hospital
- The Georgia Hussars Organized 13 February 1736
- S.S. James Oglethorpe and the Battle of the Atlantic

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- December 31, 1946 World War II in Georgia
- March 04, 1944 Eighth Air Force Bombs Berlin
- April 08, 1942 World War II: U-Boat Attack
- November 2, 1897 Richard B. Russell
- July 16, 1963 Carl Vinson
- April 29, 1950 Dobbins Air Force Base Dedicated
- March 30, 1942 Bell Bomber Plant

GHS Collections

- GHS collection of World War II Papers & Other Materials, MS 1548
- Lois Dozier Norvell Papers, MS 1690
- A keyword search on the GHS Image Catalog for World War, 1939-1945 results in 60 objects.
- Frederick William Mingledorff, Jr. family Papers, MS 1991
- Harold J. Hart Papers, MS 1840

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- World War II in Georgia
- U-boat Attacks during World War II
- Carl Vinson (1883-1981)
- Richard B. Russell Jr. (1897-1971)
- Union Camp
- Lucius D. Clay (1897-1978)
- Mighty Eighth Air Force Museum
- Fort Gordon
- Fort Stewart
- Fort Benning
- Dobbins Air Reserve Base
- Robins Air Force Base
- Naval Air Station Atlanta

Suggested Search Terms

World War II; World War, 1939-1945

Modern Georgia

Online Exhibits

- Three Centuries of Georgia History (Twentieth Century)
  - Social Movements
    - Civil Rights Movement

Chapter by Chapter Primary Sources

- Chapter 20: The Civil Rights Era
  - Correspondence from the A. Pratt Adams, Jr. Collection, MS 2165

Featured Historical Figures

- Jackie Robinson

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Primary Sources Set 4 (Growing Pains, 1945-1970)
- SS8H1I—Role of Georgia in the modern Civil Rights Movement
  - Issues of the Red and Black during integration of UGA
  - Selection of items from the A. Pratt Adams, Jr. Collection
  - Selected items from the Ethel Hyer Family Papers
  - Video clips from WSB-TV
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 4 includes historical background and suggested resources for studying the Modern Civil Rights Movement in Georgia.

Lecture Series Learning Packets
- Carry Me Home: Birmingham, Alabama

Historical Markers
- Moores Ford Lynching ◊ Savannah High School ◊ Koinonia Farm ◊ Lt. Col. Lemuel Penn ◊ Dr. Thomas H. Brewer ◊ Dorchester Academy Boys Dormitory ◊ Thankful Baptist Church ◊ Civil Rights Trail

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- Ethel Hyer Family Papers, MS 2117
- W.W. (Westley Wallace) Law Speech and Transcriptions, MS 1670
- Joseph L. Bernd collection of Federal Bureau of Investigation records on the 1946 Georgia Election, MS 5920
- A. Pratt Adams, Jr. Papers, MS 2165

### New Georgia Encyclopedia

- Atlanta Sit-ins
- Freedom Rides
- Universal Negro Improvement Association
- Freedom Singers
- Voter Education Project
- National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)
- Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC)
- Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC)
- Coretta Scott King (1927-1974)
- Hamilton Holmes (1941-1995)
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- Donald Hollowell (1917-2004)
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- Coretta Scott King (1927-2006)
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- William Bootle (1902-2005)
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- Thomas Brewer (1894-1956)
- William G. Anderson (b. 1927)
- Claude Sitton (b. 1925)
- Jean Childs Young (1933-1994)
- Frances Pauley (1905-2003)
- Julian Bond (b. 1940)
- Martin Luther King Jr. (1929-1968)
- William Holmes Borders (1905-1993)
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- Slater King (1927-1969)
- Preston King (b. 1936)
- Joseph Lowery (b. 1924)
- Charles Weltner (1927-1992)
- Roy v. Harris (1895-1985)
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- Stetson Kennedy (1916-2011)
- Horace T. Ward (b. 1927)
- First African Baptist Church
- King Center
- Student Movement of the 1960s
- Lemuel Penn Marker
- Albany Movement
- King Papers
- Civil Rights Movement
- Ministers' Manifesto
- Segregation
- Americus Movement
- Desegregation of Higher Education
- Bus Desegregation in Atlanta
- Angelo Herndon Case
- Martin Luther King Jr. Streets in Georgia
- Communists
- Columbians

### Suggested Search Terms

- African Americans—Civil rights—Georgia—History—20th century
- Civil rights—United States; African Americans—Civil rights—History—20th century
- National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; Albany Movement; Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee; Atlanta Student Movement; Civil rights—Georgia—Savannah
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ONLINE EXHIBITS

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- Global Conflict
  - Korean War
- Technological Advances
  - Nuclear Ship Savannah

CHAPTER BY CHAPTER PRIMARY SOURCES

Chapter 19: Changes in Georgia and America
- Letter from Corporal Harold Cheves, Korea, to Mrs. Gladys Cheves (mother), Savannah, October 8, 1953

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Primary Sources Set 4 (Growing Pains, 1945-1970)
- SS8H11—Post-WWII developments of Georgia from 1945 to 1970
  - Collection of photographs used for the second “Forward Atlanta” campaign
  - “Agriculture in Georgia” pamphlet
  - “Know Georgia’s Products: Key to a New Economy” booklet
  - Video clips from WSB-TV
- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 4 includes historical background and suggested resources for studying post-WWII in Georgia.

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- Objects and documents related to the 1996 Olympic events held in Savannah, Georgia.

Opening America’s Archives

Primary Sources Set 5 (Social, economic, and political developments in Georgia since 1970)

- SS8H12—Role of Georgia in the modern Civil Rights Movement
  - Photographs of Jimmy Carter doing humanitarian work
  - President Jimmy Carter’s Annotated Statement on the Failed Rescue Mission Regarding the Hostages in Iran
  - Selected items from the Ethel Hyer Family Papers
  - Photographs of Techwoods Homes demolished for 1996 Olympics
  - Centennial Olympic Park renderings
  - Newspaper article on 8th grade involvement in Olympic preparations

- Teacher Guide to Primary Source Set 5 includes historical background and suggested resources for studying Georgia since 1970.

Lecture Series Learning Packets

- An Evening with Leah Ward Sears

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◊ Leah Ward Sears, MS 2427 ◊ Vince Dooley Papers, MS 2363 ◊ John P. Rousakis Papers, MS 1678 ◊ Savannah Olympic Support Council Records, MS 1856 ◊ Bull Street Improvement Project Records, MS 1719

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Latino Immigration ◊ Boundaries of Georgia ◊ Civil War Reenacting ◊ Carter Family ◊ Cornelia Bailey (b. 1945) ◊ Millard Fuller ◊ Rosalynn Carter ◊ Carter Center ◊ Olympic Games in 1996 ◊ County Unit System ◊ Third Parties ◊ Grace Towns Hamilton (1907-1992)

Suggested Search Terms

Georgia—History—20th century; Carter, Jimmy,--1924; Presidential elections--1970-1980; Olympic Games (26th : 1996 : Atlanta, Ga.); Southern States Emigration and immigration; County Unit System — Georgia