

**Today in Georgia History**  
**November 9, 1886**  
**John Brown Gordon**

**Suggested Readings**

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After the Battle of Antietam

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Antietam battle ground

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Battle of Gettysburg

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Battle of Antietam, 1862

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Battle of the Wilderness

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Bridge on the Appotomax

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“Faithful to the South”

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John Brown Gordon, age 22

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John Brown Gordon, age 33

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John Brown Gordon as Senator

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John Brown Gordon in uniform, at the end of the war

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John Brown Gordon monument

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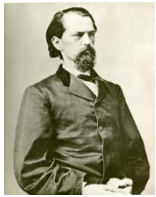
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John Brown Gordon portrait in uniform

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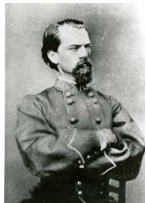
John Brown Gordon portrait in uniform

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John Brown Gordon portrait, older

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John Brown Gordon portrait, U. S. Senate

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John Brown Gordon's funeral by EA Speer

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John Brown Gordon's funeral by EA Speer

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John B. Gordon, Senator

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Two members of the Ku-Klux Klan in their disguises

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Last stand of the Army of Virginia, commanded by General Lee by Edwin Forbes

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North West Georgia mine

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Official Portrait of Senator John Brown Gordon, 1905

**Georgia Capitol Museum, Georgia Archives, Office of Secretary of State, 1992 23 0048**



Raccoon Rough

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Raccoon Roughs reunion, 1889, John Brown Gordon with raccoon skin  
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Satchel presented to John Brown Gordon  
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UVC reunion pamphlet  
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