

**Today in Georgia History**  
**September 16, 1779**  
**Siege of Savannah**

**Suggested Readings**

Kenneth Coleman, *The American Revolution in Georgia, 1763-1789* (Athens: University of Georgia Press, 1958).

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Harvey H. Jackson, *Lachlan McIntosh and the Politics of Revolutionary Georgia* (Athens: University of Georgia Press, 1979).

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A real American rifle man

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French Flotilla led by D'Estaing 1778

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French Troops in American Revolution

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General Benjamin Lincoln

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*The siege of Savannah by the fleet of Count D'Estaing in 1779*

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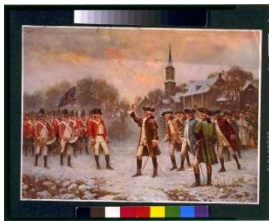
Portrait of Pulaski  
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Pulaski monument, aerial view 1855,  
Foltz Photography Studio (Savannah, Ga.), photographs, 1899-1960  
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Pulaski, 1360-25-13-14  
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Red Coat Troops Confronting Colonists  
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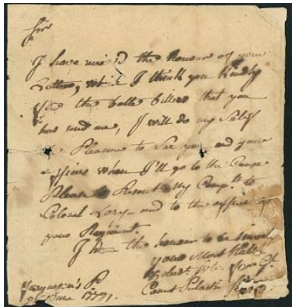
Revolutionary War-Map of Siege of Savannah digitally altered color-photo by Russ Bryant  
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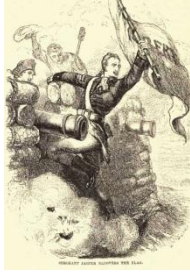
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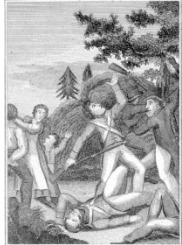
Revolutionary War-Pulaski Letter  
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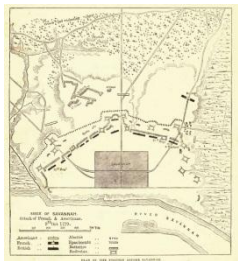
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Sgt Jasper Captures the Flag  
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Sgt William Jasper scene, 1361PR-04-05  
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Vue de la ville de Savannah, du camp, des tranchées et de l'attaque Octobre 1779  
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