

Today in Georgia History
November 20, 1785
James Wright

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Georgia Historical Society Three Centuries of Georgia History, <http://www.georgiahistory.com/containers/46#Wrightgraph>

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Arrest warrant issued by James Wright for the murder of an Indian man – 884 James Wright Papers 003
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Confiscated estates of Wilkes County including James Wright's land, 1783 -- 1361 BS
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Indian Life
A Pictorial History of the United States, RB E178 S834 1882, 001
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Indian Life
Story of Georgia and the Georgia People, MC F286 S66 1901,001
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James Wright Portrait, 1361PH-25-15-4925
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James Wright's confiscated property sold to Samuel Stirk
Samuel Stirk Papers MS 763
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Indian Life in Their Native Forests

A Pictorial History of the United States, RB E178 S834 1882, 001

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Revolutionary War, 1361PR-04-05

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Revolutionary War, Attack on Savannah, 1361PR-03-34

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Revolutionary War, Vue de la ville de Savannah, du camp, des tranchées et de l'attaque Octobre 1779

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Siege of Savannah

Cassell's *History of the United States* by Edmund Ollier, Cassll, Fetter & Galpin (New York: ca.1878)

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Siege of Savannah Map, 1361 MP 375
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Slave village in Georgia
Cassell's *History of the United States* by Edmund Ollier, Cassll, Fetter & Galpin (New York: ca.1878)
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Slaves working on plantation
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Slaves working, harvesting rice, 1361PH-01-04-033
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Slaves working, picking cotton on a Georgia Plantation
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Samuel Stirk deed and letter, 1783-1784. Manuscript Collection, MS 763
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