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In case you need this assistance, here is the contact information:

Ancestry Library Edition

Technology Support

1-800-509-3884 (current as of 12/2/2014)

alt at ancestry.com

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On Tue, Dec 2, 2014 at 4:33 PM, Library of Congress <loc at service.govdelivery.com> wrote:

Dec. 10 Intro to Library of Congress Online Resources

Date: Wednesday, December 10
Time: 3:00 p.m - 4:00 p.m (Eastern Standard Time)
URL: http://www.loc.gov/rr/program/orientation.html
Orientations are held in real time via webinar software, which allows participants from around the country and the world to join us. Registration is required. Confirmation, log-on instructions, and handouts will be sent via email.


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This service is provided by the Library of Congress at www.LOC.gov

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This happened to me today while trying to print something from a different web site using Chrome. It may be a Chrome issue rather than an ALE issue. It happened when I selected B/W because I was sending to a B/W printer. When I changed it to Color it worked fine. Curious...

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The Culture Center
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From merlyn at iferretout.info  Wed Dec  3 12:56:03 2014
From: merlyn at iferretout.info (merlyn at iferretout.info)
Date: Wed, 03 Dec 2014 12:56:03 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Text Transcription Tool Recommendations
Message-ID: <a8033df373c1be988935987d494ef397@iferretout.info>

I am compiling a list of text transcription tools to share with researchers who come through the Dyer's doors. So far, it's a short list. These are the only ones that I've found that are made specifically to transcribe text. Are there any others?

- Transcript (PC)
- GenScriber (PC/Mac)
- Scrivener (Mac/PC) is great tool, but it is not made specifically for
transcribing. It's probably a bit too complicated for users if
transcribing all they wish to do.

The tool does not have to be Free.

Many Thanks!
Merlyn Liberty
Dyer Memorial Library
http://www.dyerlibrary.org

From pjones at okhistory.org Wed Dec 3 14:51:30 2014
From: pjones at okhistory.org (Patricia Jones)
Date: Wed, 3 Dec 2014 13:51:30 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] Text Transcription Tool Recommendations
In-Reply-To: <a8033df373c1be988935987d494ef397@iferretout.info>
References: <a8033df373c1be988935987d494ef397@iferretout.info>
Message-ID: <022201d00f32$887cdc10$99769430$@okhistory.org>

FromThePage and Scripto (both open source).

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www.okhistory.org
(405) 522-4025

From gbalah at cod.edu Wed Dec 3 18:36:09 2014
From: gbalah at cod.edu (Gbala, Helen)
Date: Wed, 3 Dec 2014 23:36:09 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] History Section Genealogical Publishing Company Award
Message-ID: <3D353EC80D212F41B0E3B7ADE899E94E62023A33@MAIL10.cdnet-ad.ad.cod.edu>

Know any outstanding librarians worthy of a nod? Nominate him/her by December 14
for their outstanding work! They'll get all the bragging rights!

History Section Genealogical Publishing Company Award is presented to a librarian,
library or publisher who is a RUSA member, and recognizes professional achievement
in historical or genealogical reference, service or research librarianship.
Sponsored by Genealogical Publishing Company; $1,500* and a citation.

Nomination materials should include

A completed copy of the nomination form (attached)

Complete contact information for both the nominee and the nominator

Previous work experience (titles and employers)

An outline of service to ALA, RUSA and the History Section Service to allied
organizations

Awards received
Publication credits

A narrative outlining why the nominee deserves the award; must go beyond a listing of the nominee's credentials.

Any other information relevant to the nominee's qualifications for this award

Submissions must be received by December 14, 2014.

Mail to: Helen Gbala
ATTN: Genealogical Publishing Company Award
21W134 Club Terrace
Itasca, IL 60143

-OR-

E-mail to: gbalah at cod.edu

Subject: Genealogical Publishing Company Award

Helen E. Gbala
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From jdaugherty at nhcgov.com  Thu Dec  4 10:37:19 2014
From: jdaugherty at nhcgov.com (Daugherty, Jennifer)
Date: Thu, 4 Dec 2014 15:37:19 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Book Indexing Software
Message-ID: <B1F5D089E2854045902E05FD1EF47E97A7D3E4E@SRVEXMBX01R.nhcgov.com>

Hello:
Can anyone recommend a good shareware indexing software? I will be using it to create indexes for our local genealogy society's journal. And, as you can imagine, my budget is $0.
My current method consists of me manually marking up the document and then building the index in an excel spreadsheet. I keep thinking that there has to be easier way.

Thanks,
Jennifer

Jennifer Daugherty | Librarian, Senior
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I looked and could not find a price, but the library I retired from used CINDEX for many years to do involved indexing for the City Historian's publications. Besides CINDEX, there are Sky Index 6 (.txt) and Sky Index 7 (.sky7). and Macrex. I am told that one can also do this in Microsoft Word. Of course, Office compatible freeware may also have these features in their Word compatible module.

Larry Naukam
Retired Director of Historical Services
(Local History, Genealogy, and Digitizing)
Rochester NY Public Library
Jim Anderson, a member of the Alabama Genealogical Society, created an index for us (us being various genealogical groups in Alabama) to use when indexing magazines and old court records that is great and it is free. There was an article about his indexing program recently in a local history magazine, *Columns The Quarterly Newsletter of the International Society of Family History Writers and Editors* Volume 26, No. 4 December 2014.

Jim Anderson has developed Format-A-Dex, a set of free web tools and guides to simplify the process of indexing a journal, newsletter, society magazine, or any other document that is fact-filled with names, places, and events. Because it was designed by a writer/editor involved in genealogy, Format-A-Dex is focused on the needs of editors in genealogical and historical societies. Jim welcomes feedback to help refine this product. More information about this free tool can be found on the Format-A-Dex website (http://www.formatadex.com/) and blog (http://format-a-dex.blogspot.com/).

Jim is most creative and a retired Apple dealer.

Yvonne Shelton Crumpler, Retired librarian from Tutwiler Collection of Southern History and Literature, Birmingham Public Library, Birmingham, AL
Currently... President of the Alabama Genealogical Society

On Thu, Dec 4, 2014 at 9:48 AM, genbook <genbook at gmail.com> wrote:

> I looked and could not find a price, but the library I retired from used
> CINDEX for many years to do involved indexing for the City Historian's
> publications. Besides CINDEX, there are Sky Index 6 (.txt) and Sky Index
> 7 (.sky7). and Macrex. I am told that one can also do this in Microsoft
> Word. Of course, Office compatible freeware may also have these features in
> their Word compatible module.
> >
> > Larry Naukam
> > Retired Director of Historical Services
> > (Local History, Genealogy, and Digitizing)
> > Rochester NY Public Library
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> >
> > genealib mailing list
> > genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
> > http://mailman.acomp.usf.edu/mailman/listinfo/genealib
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*Yvonne Crumpler*

*rayscru at gmail.com <rayscru at gmail.com>*

All tyranny needs to gain a foothold is for people of good conscience to remain silent.
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References: <CAA5Zxu--W=RTWtNXm1BBmH0z2VlFEBGxqD=RijsN8qeMb5_N-Q@mail.gmail.com>
Message-ID: <CAA5Zxu_skTr6YA3r_c_uE=E-i3wD6rmeppybzMCSaQcZtzDQUEg@mail.gmail.com>

Fairfax County Public Library's Virginia Room has more books to trade. Please respond to our volunteer, Fran, at Bfm1010 at cox.net and Frances.Millhouser at fairfaxcounty.gov. Be sure to include your mailing address in your email so that we can make your mailing label.

And there's an Excel and a pdf version of the same list, so I hope everyone will be able to open it.

Thanks.
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Elaine McHale
Librarian
Fairfax County (VA) Public Library

WHAT'S NEW IN RELIC

December 2014

The Ruth E. Lloyd Information Center for Genealogy and Local History (RELC), Prince William Public Library System, Bull Run Regional Library, 8051 Ashton
RELIC SEEKS FUNDS FOR NEW MICROFILM SCANNER

RELIC currently maintains a microfilm reader that allows scanning of images and downloading them to a flash drive. It has been a very popular service. Unfortunately this machine and its software, which are close to ten years old, are not supported by current technology. We expect its computer’s operating system will have to be upgraded in the near future. When that happens, the scanning function will no longer be operable.

We would like to obtain a new model film scanner, compatible with the latest technology. The Library’s current operating budget does not allow for such a major purchase, costing between $8000 and $18,000, depending on the model.

Donations made to ?Prince William County? (with ?RELIC Donation Account? on the check’s memo line) are now being earmarked for future purchase of this equipment. Friends of RELIC, who have derived some benefit from our services, are encouraged to contribute to this fund. We appreciate your support.

RELIC PROGRAMS

Here are our latest offerings. Funding for selected RELIC programs is provided by the Friends of Central and Bull Run Libraries. To be notified of upcoming programs and new resources in RELIC, visit eNotifications/subscribe<http://eservice.pwcgov.org/eServices/eNotifications/subscribe.aspx> and select Library ? What’s New in RELIC. Unless otherwise stated, all these programs will take place at the community room at Bull Run Regional Library, 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA. Programs may last from 60 to 90 minutes. You may register for any of these programs at 703-792-4540 or relic2 at pwcgov.org<mailto:relic2 at pwcgov.org>. You may also register online at RELIC Programs<http://www.pwcgov.org/government/dept/library/RELIC/Pages/RELIC-
December 11, 11 a.m. ? Genealogy 201: Beyond the Basics, with Tish Como.

January 8, 11 a.m. ? How to Be Successful Using DNA in Your Genealogy Research, with Jim Bartlett.

January 20, 7 p.m. ? How to Be Successful Using DNA in Your Genealogy Research, with Jim Bartlett. (Repeat)

February 11, 2 p.m. ? African American Genealogy: Tracking Families before the Civil War, with Don Wilson.

February 17, 7 p.m. ? The American Invasion of Canada during the Revolutionary War, with Ron Mayer.

?Genealogy Doctor?: free counseling (contact us for an appointment).

For a comprehensive list of upcoming genealogical programs scheduled in the Washington metropolitan area we recommend you see Harold McClendon of Mount Vernon, Virginia: http://mvgenealogy.org/PDFs/Upcoming_Genealogy_Events.pdf or email him at haroldm at erols.com to subscribe.

GENEALOGY 201: BEYOND THE BASICS

Presented by Tish Como

Genealogy 101 introduced basic resources and techniques for researching your family?s history. Genealogy 201 presents alternate resources to enhance your family?s history and advanced search techniques to help maximize your results from online databases including census records, passenger lists, maps, and books. RELIC?s Tish Como will present this program on Thursday, December 11, at 11 a.m. at Bull Run Regional Library.

To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or arelic2 at pwcgov.org. You may also register a RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.
HOW TO BE SUCCESSFUL USING DNA IN YOUR GENEALOGY RESEARCH

Presented by Jim Bartlett

Learn what you can, and cannot, determine from the various DNA tests (Y-DNA, mtDNA and atDNA) from Jim Bartlett, who has been an active genealogist since 1974. He administers the BARTLETT-DNA Project, with 250 participants, and successfully uses DNA test results as an essential part of his genealogy research. Jim?s explanations and examples do not require an understanding of the biology behind the tests. His discussion will provide examples of what the various test results look like and how you can use them to further your genealogy research.

This 90 minute program will be presented twice at Bull Run Library: Thursday, January 8, 2015, at 11 a.m. and on Tuesday, January 20, 2015, at 7 p.m. To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2@pwcgov.org. You may also register at RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.

African American Genealogy:

Tracking Families Before the Civil War

Presented by Don Wilson

Discovering African American family history prior to 1865 can be difficult. There are special challenges to finding documentation during the age of slavery. RELIC?s Don Wilson will identify sources that can be used to trace lives and relationships and demonstrate the process through a case study approach. This 90 minute program is scheduled for Wednesday, February 11, 2015, beginning at 2 p.m., at Bull Run Regional Library.

To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2@pwcgov.org. You may also register at RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.
The American Invasion of Canada
during the Revolutionary War
Presented by Ron Mayer.

Military historian Ron Mayer will describe this unusual Revolutionary War campaign, among whose participants were Daniel Morgan and his Riflemen. Due to his efforts in Quebec, Morgan was promoted and given command of the Eleventh Virginia Regiment of the Continental Line. This program will be presented on Tuesday, February 17, beginning at 7 p.m., at Bull Run Regional Library.

To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2 at pwcgov.org. You may also register at RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.

?Genealogy Doctor? Accepting Appointments for Research Help

Don Wilson, head of RELIC, sets aside time each month for free private sessions to mentor persons researching their family history. A thirty-minute session can be used to discuss and analyze an historical or genealogical problem that has stumped you.

Daytime and evening hours are possible. To set up an appointment, please call RELIC at 703-792-4540 or email relic2 at pwcgov.org. Bull Run Regional Library is located at 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA 20109.

Have a question about Prince William County history, places or families? Need guidance with your genealogical research? You may contact RELIC staff for help and advice at Ask RELIC or by calling us at 703-792-4540. Hours, September to June (ET): Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm, Friday-Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday noon-5pm. Closed Federal holidays.
Those of you interested in helping your patrons begin to explore and understand the vast amount of family history information contained in each of their cells may be interested in my book published this week. NextGen Genealogy: The DNA Connection is available at Ancestry, Barnes & Noble and the publisher, ABC-Clio.

Dave Dowell in Nashville, TN
(805) 215-8395
coverimage without CeCe

Author of NextGen Genealogy: The DNA Connection, November 30th, 2014.


Follow "Dr D Digs Up Ancestors" <http://blog.ddowell.com/> http://blog.ddowell.com

Administrator of the Dowell Surname, the Smothers Surname & the R-S1026 Haplogroup DNA Projects @ FTDNA

Dear fellow Librarians Serving Genealogists:

Due to space and library collection policy changes, we must clear eighteen 3-foot long shelves of non-local genealogy materials. Most of the items are from West Virginia, Illinois, Ohio, Virginia, and miscellaneous other places. See the attached list. These have to be gone from our shelves before the end of this year, either to libraries or a dumpster.

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www.alleganlibrary.org
Open Mon-Th 10-9, Fri & Sat 9-5:30; closed Sun
My hours: MW 12-9, TuTh 9-6, F/every 3rd Sat, 9-5:30

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We will take everything for Georgia. We can pay for postage.

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Date: Tue, 9 Dec 2014 11:16:12 -0500
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References: <CA+mUgxWB1M-Rpm+pa1a3QQP2uH=ZpJGXLc8bdKReMkUja0CYEj6Q@mail.gmail.com>
Linda,

TADL will take the Flint Gene. Society Newsletters
RIDES ZV330 Woodmere
Attn: Katheryn Carrier

Thanks!

PS. If you do a "leftovers" list we *may* be able to take some more but we too have limited space available.

KC

Katheryn Carrier
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231-932-8538 fax

On Mon, Dec 8, 2014 at 4:24 PM, Linda Koch <lkoch at alleganlibrary.org> wrote:

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Dear Colby:

I was looking through your list.

I am only interested in items from New York....

Is the Yesteryear you listed a periodical? I believe it was published in Walton (Sullivan County), NY...How much (approx.) Do you think it would take to ship that up to New York?

I was reading the list while a nor'easter rages outside and it blipped the rest of the list right off my computer....ARGH.

Heather H. Georghiou
hhgeo at rcls.org
Local History Librarian
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From: "Colby Hunter" <chunter at chestateelibrary.org>
Sent: Monday, December 08, 2014 5:18 PM
To: "Librarians Serving Genealogists" <genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Must Purge Shelves of Non-Michigan Items

We will take everything for Georgia. We can pay for postage.

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[mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Linda Koch
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Hey Heather,

Linda Koch wrote the original email. She is at the bottom of this thread. Sorry for the cold weather. Hope it doesn't get to bad up there. :)

Colby

Colby Hunter, Information Specialist
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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
[mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Heather Henrickson-Georghiou - NFL
Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 2:09 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Cc: hhgeo at rcls.org
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Must Purge Shelves of Non-Michigan Items

Dear Colby:
I was looking through your list.

I am only interested in items from New York....

Is the Yesteryear you listed a periodical? I believe it was published in Walton (Sullivan County), NY...How much (approx.) Do you think it would take to ship that up to New York?

I was reading the list while a nor'easter rages outside and it blipped the rest of the list right off my computer....ARGH.

Heather H. Georghiou
hhgeo at rcls.org
Local History Librarian
Newburgh Free Library
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Newburgh, NY 12550
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From: pnorris at ridgewoodlibrary.org (Peggy Norris)
Date: Tue, 9 Dec 2014 15:13:10 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Employment Opportunity
Message-ID: <314744896@ridgewoodlibrary.org>

The Ridgewood (NJ) Public Library seeks a Local History Librarian for the Bolger Heritage Center.

Job Summary: The Library seeks a dynamic professional with a passion for customer service, innovation, and local history & genealogy to lead our Bolger Heritage Center (HC). The successful candidate will manage, preserve and popularize HC resources, bringing history alive with creative programming for all ages. The Library also encourages staff to learn the interests and needs of our community by assisting at all Library service desks; upgrade their individual knowledge and skills on an ongoing basis; and share relevant knowledge with all staff.


Peggy W. Norris Bolger Heritage Center Ridgewood Public Library 125 No. Maple Ave.
Ridgewood, NJ 07450
Making room on my bookshelves again?


Please include your mailing address in your reply and reply off list.

Claire Kluskens
Alexandria, VA
ckluskens at verizon.net

I am most interested in Pendleton District Census for South Carolina if it is still available.

Laura G. Holden
Head of Genealogy and Local History

SC Room
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Date: Thu, 11 Dec 2014 14:44:22 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Archiving online only newspapers articles
Message-ID: <CA+Q4LnkBY8MEcyLOPU5VR_aOMfFr_GZYpwQ5tRvOoqdiilLzzQ@mail.gmail.com>

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Whether you find a way to store it electronically or not, I would print it off.

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Nicole Wedemeyer Miller,
University of Illinois GSLIS

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items, Washington County, Pa., or our library (Donora, within Washington County,
Pa.) may also want them. Thanks for sharing the list!
Donnis Headley
Donora Public Library
Donora, PA 15033

----- Original Message ----- 
From: "Linda Koch" <lkoch at alleganlibrary.org>
To: "Librarians Serving Genealogists" <genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
Sent: Monday, December 8, 2014 4:24:14 PM
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Pam

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In the other pictures do you recognize the same town?
Album of Vero Beach Florida With Cooper family and others(ex:)
Doug Burnett

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How about 'Of local interest...a collection of photos covering families
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I hesitate to suggest this but... for those homes that may still be standing a volunteer using google earth could confirm--long and tedious but if you have a volunteer group or a local historical soc that may take that on as a project.
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We have in our collection a 1999 spiral-bound, self-'published' "book" of selected photocopied photographs, mostly of houses and properties throughout our area (Athens, GA). In their original format, these images are early 20th century photographs from an archival collection at the University of Alabama. A notable UGA professor--recently deceased--photographed the photos, processed them as 35mm slides, and printed them onto regular copy paper which he had bound.

Because the images contain no descriptions, citizen historians have, since then, taken to annotating the photographs with post-it notes, indicating possible/probable locations, owners, movement of the houses, demolition, etc. Corrections to the annotations have been made by later reviewers.
My question is, what would you do with this work? Having it bound and cataloged doesn't really solve our problem. The post-it notes won't last forever, and aren't archival. But they do indicate to the modern reader that the annotations aren't part of the original work, and I would like to preserve the information on them. To complicate matters further, the professor does not explicitly indicate that permission was obtained by UA to reproduce the photographs, though he does credit the institution and the photographer. Depending on how one interprets the word "published," the original photographs may or may not be in the public domain. I could digitize the document... but the muddy rights make putting it online something of a gamble.
Thanks for your thoughts,
Angela
Angela C. Stanley >> Heritage Room Librarian >> Athens-Clarke County Library >> (706) 613-3650 x352

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Post a photo or so a week in the local newspaper with the caption, "Do You Know Me?"
Our local Austin History Center did that for years with some success.
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Norwalk History Room, Norwalk Public Library, CT

On Sat, 12/13/14, Nicole Miller <reservationfor5 at gmail.com> wrote:

I visited last spring, and yes, the Genealogy room has been dismantled, and now all their staff and collection have been rolled into the Main Reading Room.? The head of genealogy gave me a tour, and he pointed out that their online catalog is imperfect.? He showed me that staff has retained card catalog drawers pertaining to genealogy in a back room, and that staff have added years of handwritten annotations onto those cards which has turned it into a valuable finding aid.? The only way to access this is to ask staff, because this info. is not usually reflected in online records.

Nicole Miller

On Fri, Dec 12, 2014 at 7:45 PM, Claire Kluskens <cklusakens at verizon.net> wrote:Actually, I understand the Local History & Genealogy collection is now in the main reading room - the old Local History & Genealogy Room is no more. That happened several months ago, as I recall.?

Claire Kluskens?

On Dec 12, 2014, at 8:07 PM, William Houyouse <dutch at bright.net> wrote:
After showing your new id and stowing stuff in lockers ? you will go to a smaller room for the genealogical research not the beautiful main reading room. ? First you will search the collection on computers - find
the books you need, complete the call slips, turn them in at the desk. While you are waiting for the books to be delivered you can browse the shelving units in the room that are stocked with common genealogical references. You use copy cards for the copy machines. If I remember correctly you go back to the coat/locker area for change. My advise is to study the card catalog at home, note which volumes you want to check, bring your list along and it will save a lot of time. It has been a couple of years since I was there and things constantly change but it is a national treasure trove!

On Fri, Dec 12, 2014 at 3:33 PM, Karen Stanley <kstanley at flash.net> wrote:
The logistics of getting registered and issued a researcher's card are worth mentioning, since the process is very different from visiting the library as a tourist. It can take an hour or more to get through the registration process at both the Library of Congress and the National Archives, depending on the time of day and how many others are ahead of you in the line. At LC, the registration office is in a building across the street, and it's a fair hike through the tunnels to the main library once you have your card and are ready to research. And you'll want to allow some time to get oriented to the collection and the rules.

If you have the time and are going to be in DC for several days combining research and tourism, you might want to drop in at the start of your visit just to go through the registration process and maybe (if time permits) get a brief orientation. I always find that even if I have time and a research objective in hand for my first visit, once I've had a chance to do a bit of research and understand more fully what is available, I always want to come back. So I try to arrange my schedule (and my family's expectations) to permit more than one research day to allow for unexpected breakthroughs.

Finally, as a former genealogy reference librarian, I have to say this: take advantage of the reference staff! Don't just tell them what documents you are looking for; tell them what questions you are trying to answer. They know the collection and can make suggestions for things you never thought of.

Karen Stanley
Houston, TX

On Fri, 12/12/14, Nancy Maxwell <Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov> wrote:
Next Spring I'm giving a talk about Library of Congress for genealogists. I'm relying heavily on their web sites and digital collections, but I suffer from I've-never-been-there-but-I'm-going-to-talk-about-it Syndrome. If you've researched there, what are THE most important things I should include? Never mind about what I've already found; personal experience matters just as much.

Thanks for your input!

Nancy

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Pam,

I pulled my copy of DDC (edition 20, I think they are up to 23 now) to have
a look at the numbers in the 929 section.

929.1072 is labeled "Research" under Genealogy and states "Class here the specific techniques and procedures involved in doing genealogical research in a specific area. Class comprehensive works on genealogical research in 929.1"

My version also no longer uses 929.1028, which was "Auxiliary techniques and procedures; apparatus, equipment, materials" Use 929.1072 for techniques and procedures and 929.3 for equipment, apparatus, and materials. Not sure what the 5 at the end of the .10285 was, unless it was a periodical/serial.

So if the book is about using DNA in a genealogical setting I would probably go with 929.1072, since it is a specific technique and procedure involved in doing genealogical research.

Sometimes the original cataloger may put a prime mark (929.1'072 or 929.1/072) to indicate to other catalogers that the record can be cut short at 929.1. That may be what happened to those you have cataloged at 929 or 929.1.

Victor

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Well, I knew it would come to this. My DNA books are all over the Dewey place! I want them together! I know, I know cataloging is not that simple. Does anyone have a good catalog number?

What I have found are the following numbers on our shelf:

929.10285
929.1072
929.1
929
616.042 Genetic Disorders
572.86 - Biology - DNA

The reason this came up is because we just received the book "NextGen Genealogy" and LOC used 929.1072 - Ugh!

Would like to be more consistent. I am not a cataloger, but the catalogers do listen to me. <g> I know many more books will be published in the coming years and I want to get ahead of this.

Thanks for any advice.

Pam
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Hello!

If anyone is in an institution who buys the _Frederick News-Post_ on microfilm can you e-mail me off list?

Thanks!

Mary

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Thanks to everyone who replied to my query regarding the content of the talk I'm going to give on genealogy and the Library of Congress. If anyone has anything else to add, other things I could talk about, please contact me off-list.

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I also have not been recently but read of the LH&G move.  
>From past experience, don't forget all the special reading rooms. Of most common use - Newspapers and Periodicals and Microfilm. Some microfilms were self-service so you could spend the hour waiting for books to be pulled looking there. Geography and Maps. Lots have been digitized now, but maybe not all and still a lot of gazetteers and such. (I love the land ownership maps, but I think they are online now)  
Over the years I have also gotten records for someone of the family copyright registrations for their pattern catalogs and sheet music great-great granddad wrote!! (Copyright Office and Performing Arts RR it was then, not sure now.)  
Remember -- 3 buildings, connected underground. Cafeteria on the 6th floor of Madison Bldg was pretty good. The quick snack lunchroom on the tunnel level was not half bad. Just remember they are open to staff only at peak lunch times! (Or were)  
There are also exhibits, not just in the main Jefferson Building, but other places. Always was something outside Geo & Maps.  

Check the catalog from home, so you can have some call slips ready to turn in right away. Also note that some materials are stored off site and must be requested in advance. (I remember particularly foreign language newspapers - maybe just for Cyrillic and such)
Season's Greetings, List:

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Is there a way to limit searches to Book Subscription Lists records only in the "U.K. and U.S. Directories, 1680-1830" database in Ancestry (Library Edition)?

The Book Subscription Lists has an index of books purchased through subscriptions and that is what I am trying to access, along with subscribers names.

Thank you for any help you can offer on this.

Patricia Nunes Jones, MLIS

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> Reading the database description I got the impression that the
book subscription lists were British only. So I put in location as
United Kingdom and used keyword "book subscription". This got results.
Without the location limiter, I got hundreds of hits to the Charleston
directory which was available by subscription. Sometimes I wish Ancestry
had a "but not" field.

Anne Gometz
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not a complete listing.
Harris Publishing Company Inc.

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FOCUSING ON PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY

Our most comprehensive guide for research in Prince William County history and genealogy is our pathfinder Roots in Prince William<http://www.pwcgov.org/government/dept/library/RELIC/Documents/Roots%20in%20PW%20-%202011.pdf> (19 pages, last revised in 2011). In it you'll find dozens of categories of what is available, including business records, census substitutes, church records, land records, manuscripts, newspapers, school records, vital records. It contains links to many online sources, including Ron Turner?s web site www.pwcvirginia.com<http://www.pwcvirginia.com/>, which posts many documents and transcripts of Prince William sources.

See our Digital Library<http://eservice.pwcgov.org/library/digitalLibrary/index.htm> for our latest collection of indexes, databases and images related to Prince William history, including people indexes, historic sites, maps, and newspapers. Many databases have been updated in 2014.
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Donations made to ?Prince William County? (with ?RELIC Donation Account? on the check?s memo line) are now being earmarked for future purchase of this equipment. Send checks to RELIC at 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA 20109. Donations may be tax deductible. We appreciate your support.

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January 8, 11 a.m. ? How to Be Successful Using DNA in Your Genealogy Research, with Jim Bartlett.

January 20, 7 p.m. ? How to Be Successful Using DNA in Your Genealogy Research, with Jim Bartlett. (Repeat)

February 11, 2 p.m. ? African American Genealogy: Tracking Families before the Civil War, with Don Wilson.

February 17, 7 p.m. ? The American Invasion of Canada during the Revolutionary War, with Ron Mayer.

February 24, 7 p.m. ? Genealogy 101: Getting Started, with Beverly Veness.
Genealogy Doctor?: free counseling (contact us for an appointment).

For a comprehensive list of upcoming genealogical programs scheduled in the Washington metropolitan area we recommend you see Harold’s List, compiled monthly by genealogist Harold McClendon of Mount Vernon, Virginia: http://mvgenealogy.org/PDFs/Upcoming_Genealogy_Events.pdf or email him at haroldm at erols.com to subscribe.

HOW TO BE SUCCESSFUL USING DNA IN YOUR GENEALOGY RESEARCH

Presented by Jim Bartlett

Learn what you can, and cannot, determine from the various DNA tests (Y-DNA, mtDNA and atDNA) from Jim Bartlett, who has been an active genealogist since 1974. He administers the BARTLETT-DNA Project, with 250 participants, and successfully uses DNA test results as an essential part of his genealogy research. Jim’s explanations and examples do not require an understanding of the biology behind the tests. His discussion will provide examples of what the various test results look like and how you can use them to further your genealogy research.

This 90 minute program will be presented twice at Bull Run Library: Thursday, January 8, 2015, at 11 a.m. and on Tuesday, January 20, 2015, at 7 p.m. To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2 at pwcgov.org. You may also register at RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.

African American Genealogy:

TracKing Families Before the Civil War

Presented by Don Wilson

Discovering African American family history prior to 1865 can be difficult. There are special challenges to finding documentation during the age of slavery. RELIC’s Don Wilson will identify sources that can be used to trace lives and relationships and demonstrate the process through a case study approach. This 90 minute program
The American Invasion of Canada
during the Revolutionary War
Presented by Ron Mayer

Military historian Ron Mayer will describe this unusual Revolutionary War campaign, among whose participants were Daniel Morgan and his Riflemen. Due to his efforts in Quebec, Morgan was promoted and given command of the Eleventh Virginia Regiment of the Continental Line. This program will be presented on Tuesday, February 17, beginning at 7 p.m., at Bull Run Regional Library.

To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2 at pwcgov.org. You may also register at RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.

GENEALOGY 101: GETTING STARTED
Presented by Beverly Veness

If you are curious about your family history, you have an opportunity to learn about methods, strategies and resources for tracing your roots at a free session sponsored by RELIC. This 90-minute program, conducted by Beverly Veness of the RELIC staff, is scheduled for Tuesday, February 24, at 7 p.m. at Bull Run Library. She will highlight the numerous free genealogical resources available at RELIC and will explore basic techniques for tracking ancestors.

To register for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2 at pwcgov.org. You may also register at RELIC Programs by clicking on the program date.
Don Wilson, head of RELIC, sets aside time each month for free private sessions to mentor persons researching their family history. A thirty-minute session can be used to discuss and analyze an historical or genealogical problem that has stumped you.

Daytime and evening hours are possible. To set up an appointment, please call RELIC at 703-792-4540 or email relic2 at pwcgov.org. Bull Run Regional Library is located at 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA 20109.

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