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Compiled by Robert E. Harris, Published by Robert E. Harris,

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LC Card No. 91-091904

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Thanks,

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From: fxlibrarian at gmail.com (Elaine McHale)
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It looks like Robert Harris passed away in 2005:
http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/atlanta/obituary.aspx?n=robert-harris&pid=15834788
. An old Rootsweb thread said his address was 2380 Crestcliff Drive
Tucker, GA 30084 (
http://archiver.rootsweb.ancestry.com/th/read/HARRIS-VA/1999-07/0931271693).
That address is still owned by the woman listed as his widow in the
obituary.

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Elaine McHale
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On Fri, May 1, 2015 at 11:11 AM, Johnson, Jane <jjohnson at cmlibrary.org>
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From kpoznick at weatherfordtx.gov Fri May 1 15:24:22 2015
From: kpoznick at weatherfordtx.gov (Kathleen Poznick)
Date: Fri, 1 May 2015 19:24:22 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] more periodicals for the postage
Message-ID:
<87B5243F1ABD4D4B98066A32C73C24E8D7B03363@WFMS01.local.ci.weatherford.tx.us>

This time I decided to pull from the Western part of our collection. The following
periodicals are free for the cost of postage:

*   Hidden Valley Quarterly (Escondido, CA) 1978-1979

*   Marin Kin Tracer (Marin Co., CA) 1978

*   Quarterly (Santa Maria Valley, CA) 1975-2001 (4 vols.)

*   The Searcher (Southern California) 1968-1979 (2 vols.)

*   Sequoia Genealogical Society Newsletter (Sequoia, CA) 1975-1991

*   Bulletin (Portland, OR) 1977-1978

*   Bulletin (Oregon) 1970-1978 (2 vols.)

*   Appleland Bulletin (Wenatchee area, WA) 1978-2007 (5 vols.)

*   Trail Breakers (Clark Co., WA) 1976-1986 (2 vols.)

*   Nebraska History Quarterly 1969-1979 (unbound 19 issues)

*   Treesearcher (Kansas) 1976-1978

*   Buffalo Chips (Kearny, NE) 1978-1986, 1990-1999, 2000-2003 (3 vol.)

*   Quarterly (Orange Co., CA) 1965-2001 (8 vols.)

*   Pioneer Pathfinder (Sioux Falls, SD) 1979-1981

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2007 141-1,2,5,6   141-5,6   141-6   141-6
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2013  147    147   147-1,3,4,5,6    147-4,5,6
2014  148   148-1,2,4,5    148-1,2    148-1
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Texas DAR Bulletin
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1992 fall
1993 spring, fall
Vol XXXVII no 5, Special Texas Centennial Edition
1996 fall
1997 spring
1999 spring
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From kdolce at volusia.org Wed May 6 13:36:25 2015
From: kdolce at volusia.org (Kim Dolce)
Date: Wed, 6 May 2015 13:36:25 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] NEFLIN Genealogy Interest Group - Jacksonville (05/22/15)
Message-ID: <554A18D9.ACA3.00AA.1@volusia.org>

Hello to all;

If your library belongs to NEFLIN, you are able to attend the Genealogy Interest
Group quarterly meetings.

Our next meeting will be on Friday, May 22nd at the Jacksonville Public Library -
Main Library, Room 440: 303 N. Laura Street Jacksonville,@ 9:00 AM. We will have
two 1 hour workshops given by Ann Staley, a professional genealogist from
Jacksonville. After lunch, for those who can stay, we'll have a round table
discussion.

You do not have to sign up for both sessions, but NEFLIN would like to know in
advance who will be attending. Genealogy doesn't have to be your main
responsibility - anyone with an interest can attend.

If you think you can attend, let me know and I can send your email to NEFLIN...or
you can sign up with the link below.

I hope some of you in the area will be able to make it. If you have any questions
or need more information, just let me know off list.

Thanks!

NEFLIN Genealogy Interest Group -
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When
Friday May 22, 2015
Add to Calendar

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Main Library
Room 440
303 N. Laura Street
Jacksonville, FL 32202
 Driving Directions

Hello,

If you have not registered and would like to attend these events, please use the links below:

NEFLIN Genealogy Interest Group
Friday, May 22, 1:30 pm - 4 pm
Location: Jacksonville Public Library
in Main Library

Genealogical Research Topics
with C. Ann Staley
Friday, May 22, 9 am - 12 noon
Location: Jacksonville Public Library
in Main Library

If you have any questions about this event, please feel free to contact NEFLIN.

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From: pcooper at irclibrary.org (Pam Cooper)
Date: Wed, 6 May 2015 16:27:46 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help
Message-ID: <00ee01d0883b$1d65c040$583140c0$@irclibrary.org>

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Have you checked online newspaper indexes which cover the area(s)?

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mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of James Jeffrey
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 3:54 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

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Date: Wed, 6 May 2015 21:05:54 +0000
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Hi, Jim! Many of the older WV honorees are Medal of Honor winners (some still
living). Many bridges on the Interstates in WV and on smaller local roads are named
in memory of a serviceman or woman whose family lived/lives near that location.

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Does FDOT have any idea when the highway was dedicated? Was it always known by this

name, or re-named at some known date? This would give a date to start searching for newspaper stories. Have you checked with historical and genealogical societies? Death records and local newspaper obituaries?

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State legislators are another good source for highway names especially in this case
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Wondering if the state archives could help with your search

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How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
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Great suggestion James! I just checked Footnote. Only the SSDI shows the
1995 NE Lester in Lake Worth and I found his obituary which has nothing in
it. And I am not ruling out that he could have been Lester Nathan.


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I have tried what I could find. Not much online. We have Newsbank obituary
index which covers many Florida newspapers to about 1997.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 4:54 PM, Mara Munroe <Munroe at oshkoshpubliclibrary.org
> wrote:

> Have you checked online newspaper indexes which cover the area(s)?
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Susan: I wish there was a date. I am going to try and locate the sign again
and see if there is a date hidden somewhere. I should have asked FDOT when

I was on the phone. Duh!!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:10 PM, Scouras, Susan C <Susan.C.Scouras at wv.gov>
wrote:

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Subject: [Genealib] genealib Digest, Vol 140, Issue 3
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Some state put a decal on the back of signs to indicate when the sign was made. If the back of the signs are accessible the date of creation might give you a time frame when the designation was made...if the signs haven't been replaced over the years.
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Any recommendations for a few comprehensive or "best" books on Native American
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To tell the truth, I know of no good over all source because it depends
so much on what area and tribes you are dealing with. Even worse, most
of the people we get think they're Cherokee no matter where their
ancestor comes from. :(

This is still a standard title IF you have ancestors from those tribes.
Lennon, Rachal Mills./Tracing Ancestors among the Five Civilized Tribes:
Southeastern Indians prior to Removal./Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical
Publishing Company, 2002.

However, maybe this would be of help.
https://familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/Indians_of_Indiana .

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Colleagues -- I have recently been made aware of two opportunities that I
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Date: Mon, 11 May 2015 23:10:03 -0700
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway: a "map trap"???
Message-ID: <CANQTj-Gi40fSO0r14T9MBqqjD-zZbYj+KcUpMEfFgOAuumX-zg@mail.gmail.com>

Instead of a hacker attack on online maps, might the non-existent "Nathan
Lester Highway" be a deliberate error made to catch other mapmakers who
could be plagiarizing? There have been stories of such deliberate mistakes
circulating for decades, although mapmakers tend to deny it.

Many years ago, I remember reading that some folks who lived in an area
near a large city were surprised to find that they were residents of a
supposed incorporated suburb, according to a commercially-produced map. No
such town by that name existed.

I live on a two-block-long dead-end street. About halfway along the length
is a turn-around area which was once the end of the street before it was
extended an extra block. On a map of my city that is handed out by the
Chamber of Commerce, that tiny area is given the name of "Truitt Court."
 No other map I've ever seen gives it a name, and it is certainly not
marked by any street sign. Neighbors who live in the three houses that
front on the turn-around just laugh about it, as their mail comes addressed
to our street.

I once had an AAA map which seemed to have a deliberate "error" on the

driving distances chart inset; it showed driving distances and estimated
times between a real town and a town which doesn't exist. A close
examination of the actual map showed a small feature with that name in the
approximate location, but no populated place; and nobody in their right
mind would give a fig about the driving time to get to that spot, as it
wasn't even close to a junction or any other destination anyone would care
about.

Wikipedia has an article on "Trap streets" and I also found a page on "Map
traps." From what people have posted, it sounds like Google Maps made some
"errors" in New Jersey, and when confronted, claimed they were mistakes. I
just tried searching for "Nathan Lester Highway" in Google Maps and came up
empty; could that be because the jig is up?

Barbara Hill
California Genealogical Society volunteer

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin, etc.

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I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode <ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison <ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf -- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document the person who

you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

Allison L. Ryall
Genealogy Specialist
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ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:quinn.shasta at ocls.info>

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is Highway A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?

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> *Sent:* Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
> *To:* Librarians Serving Genealogists
> *Subject:* Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help
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> I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results list
> was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL connections,
> but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it mentioned some
> Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.
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> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org> wrote:

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> Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
> like a good possibility!
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> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode <ernestthode at gmail.com>
> wrote:
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> How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
> Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
> philanthropists.
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> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison <ryall.allison at ocls.info>
> wrote:
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>   Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
> http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf --
> which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate bill,
> house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on this chart.
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> Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document the
> person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?
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> Best,
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> *Allison L. Ryall*
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> I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could give
> a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is Highway A1A
> named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?
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> FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
> weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
> highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
> approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have paid
> for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down the
> Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!
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> The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.
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> Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very happy!!
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Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 09:59:22 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway: a "map trap"???
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Barbara: I never heard of ?map traps.? If it is a deliberate mistake, then they
are messing with everyone including the emergency services, which to me could be a
serious offense.

Many town names, area descriptions still exist and can be seen in the background of
topographical maps.

What is interesting, we have noticed lately the weathermen are now using some of
those names and it certainly confuses people. For example, we have a place name
called Nevins in south Vero Beach. It does not exist on any listing of towns for
this area. However, search in the topographical database you will see that it is
Vero Beach.

Nevin is from an old citrus family business that existed in the 1930s in that area.
So, does that tell you we have a problem with our weathermen too? When you say a
tornado is about to touch down in Nevin, who is going to listen?

Currently, we are trying to identify every topo name in this area because historically they all mean something about a family or business.

However, roads and highways are a more recent issue where military and police officers are often honored. The same A1A in our county already has two names on it ? one going south to honor an early pioneer and one going north to honor an entrepreneur. Another road leaving town has multiple military men and fallen police officers and they split the highway in 5-6 different parts.

Is there documentation for all of this, well yes, but I had to research almost all of it myself through newspapers, court records, state records, etc. It is very much like shotgun research. It is all over the place No consistency.

Eric, our state archivist said we need a date in order to search the Florida records. There is a highway board, but nothing has been scanned and indexing is limited. If I had a date, I could also search the newspapers.

Ernie, we have thought of that possibility about the Nathan Lester in Connecticut, but how crazy is that!! What connection does he have to Florida?

What a conundrum!!

All of your comments are so welcomed and appreciated and makes this very interesting.

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Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 2:10 AM
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Instead of a hacker attack on online maps, might the non-existent "Nathan Lester Highway" be a deliberate error made to catch other mapmakers who could be plagiarizing? There have been stories of such deliberate mistakes circulating for decades, although mapmakers tend to deny it.

Many years ago, I remember reading that some folks who lived in an area near a large city were surprised to find that they were residents of a supposed incorporated suburb, according to a commercially-produced map. No such town by that name existed.

I live on a two-block-long dead-end street. About halfway along the length is a turn-around area which was once the end of the street before it was extended an extra block. On a map of my city that is handed out by the Chamber of Commerce, that tiny area is given the name of "Truitt Court." No other map I've ever seen gives it a name, and it is certainly not marked by any street sign. Neighbors who live in the three houses that front on the turn-around just laugh about it, as their mail comes addressed to our street.

I once had an AAA map which seemed to have a deliberate "error" on the driving distances chart inset; it showed driving distances and estimated times between a real town and a town which doesn't exist. A close examination of the actual map showed a small feature with that name in the approximate location, but no populated place; and nobody in their right mind would give a fig about the driving time to get to that spot, as it wasn't even close to a junction or any other destination anyone would care about.

Wikipedia has an article on "Trap streets" and I also found a page on "Map traps." From what people have posted, it sounds like Google Maps made some "errors" in New Jersey, and when confronted, claimed they were mistakes. I just tried searching for "Nathan Lester Highway" in Google Maps and came up empty; could that be because the jig is up?

Barbara Hill

California Genealogical Society volunteer

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Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 14:00:29 +0000
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Actually, the Shenandoah River does indeed flow through Jefferson County, W. Va. on
its way to its confluence with the Potomac at Harper?s Ferry. Of course, Virginian?
s always felt that it was stolen for the song since most of the river is in
Virginia. The song was written by a DC song-writing team; they should have known
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Eric

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Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central Virginia, or the
misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West Virginia," maybe the Nathan
Lester being referred to is the one who owned the Nathan Lester House and Farm Tool
Museum in Ledyard, Connecticut.

The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the Land of Ten
Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because New Orleans is famous
for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers are called the Dodgers because
baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge the trolleys to get into the stadium. The
Detroit Pistons are not called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but
because Fred Zollner owned a piston factory in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Ernie Thode

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 8:09 AM, Grundset, Eric <egrundset at
dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>> wrote:
Pam,

I?m just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state government
offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to see if there were ever
one about this road? That may have been done early on, but I didn?t see it in the
thread. Of course, you probably thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt 29 from
Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border (through Warrenton,
Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville) has the name ?The Seminole
Trail.? Needless to say, there were never any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember
searching for an explanation to this back in the early 1980s and only coming up
with the answer of it being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass
through central Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General
Assembly named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In
1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the road,
designated it ?The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway.? So, now it has three
names, but everyone just calls it ?29.? In Fairfax City, Va., Rt. 29 merges for a
few miles with US Rt 50 where it shares that highway?s names of Fairfax Boulevard
within the city limits (it is Arlington Boulevard from the Roosevelt Bridge into DC
to the Fairfax City line) and ?Lee Jackson Highway.? The roads split in the western
part of this small city and go their separate ways with 29 being those names
mentioned earlier. Giving directions is always fun!

We have plenty of other examples up here of one road with multiple names along its
course. Your example of road names is indeed curious. Please let us all know when
the answer pops up.

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Is it possibly an "honorary designation" such as sections of highways are sometimes
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The three Lester items in Florida that I found on the US Board of Geographic Names
website are all in Leon and Polk Counties.

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been married previously to Nathan Lester and it mentioned some Lester children and
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On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks like a good
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On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode <ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been Stuart or
Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison <ryall.allison at
ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
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http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf -- which shows
how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate bill, house bill, etc.) but
the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document the person who
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Best,

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin,
etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They
may be able to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same
problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false)
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Ernie Thode

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<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A
from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this
name as was stated previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local
GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid
as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the
name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post
Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called
businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They
included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the

Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

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I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
<ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate

bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

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Larry, you are so right. Many local roads have multiple names, but as always they
are historically very interesting too. Sometimes they identify a family that lived
here and we did not know it. So, the hunt begins.

I heard from the State Archives again and they have checked all legislative records
too.

I also did something I may regret. I posted to Facebook asking FL east coast
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OTOH, sometimes companies DO put in bogus information into directories and maps. I had an uncle whom I know lived his entire life at one location. He never had an apartment where an older city directory said that he did - I was able to ask him before he passed. I suggest that the reason was to catch someone who might have appropriated the directory company's information. And what about so-local occurrences where EVERYONE knows why a location or road is named something. But try and find proof of that.

Larry Naukam

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 11:08 AM, Nancy Maxwell <Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov> wrote:

Just have to say that this is one of the coolest threads ever. :)

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The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge the trolleys to get into the stadium. The Detroit Pistons are not called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but because Fred Zollner owned a piston factory in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 8:09 AM, Grundset, Eric <egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>> wrote:
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I?m just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state government offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to see if there were ever one about this road? That may have been done early on, but I didn?t see it in the thread. Of course, you probably thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt 29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border (through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville) has the name ?The Seminole Trail.? Needless to say, there were never any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to this back in the early 1980s and only coming up with the answer of it being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass through central Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General Assembly named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In 1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the road, designated it ?The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway.?
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It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
can't do. --Garfield the Cat

From kdr at ckls.org Tue May 12 12:07:56 2015
From: kdr at ckls.org (Kathleen D. Rippel)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 11:07:56 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
Message-ID: <2ftp9xkilx00sqnpgjfsw9ho.1431446876570@email.android.com>

Just as further clarification, I do know that the Encyclopedia of Associations had
some dummy records for the cited reason; in case someone attempted to copy the
work.That was when we reference librarians still had only print books to search,
NOT online. I have no idea if they continued it, since I moved into other areas of
library science!

KathyKathleen Reid Rippel

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Sent from my smartphone.

-------- Original message --------
From: Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org>
Date: 05/12/2015 10:44 AM (GMT-06:00)
To: 'Librarians Serving Genealogists' <genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Larry, you are so right. Many local roads have multiple names, but as always they
are historically very interesting too. Sometimes they identify a family that lived
here and we did not know it. So, the hunt begins.?I heard from the State Archives
again and they have checked all legislative records too. ?I also did something I
may regret. I posted to Facebook asking FL east coast residents if they can find a
sign with the name ?Nathan Lester? on it. We shall see how this works out.?Pam ?
From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at
mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of genbook
Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update?OTOH, sometimes companies DO
put in bogus information into directories and maps. I had an uncle whom I know
lived his entire life at one location. He never had an apartment where an older
city directory said that he did - I was able to ask him before he passed. I suggest
that the reason was to catch someone who might have appropriated the directory
company's information. And what about so-local occurrences where EVERYONE knows why
a location or road is named something. But try and find proof of that.Larry?

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From rayscru at gmail.com Tue May 12 12:40:48 2015
From: rayscru at gmail.com (Yvonne Crumpler)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 11:40:48 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
In-Reply-To: <CAJ0jkDnaFmhQzKBUkwS4s3AGHVdLj=Ft1w_gZx8A-t2vTc8L6w@mail.gmail.com>
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In Alabama naming highways, or portions of highways has to go through the
Alabama Legislature. If Florida is the same someone needs to check
legislative acts. That is my only thought at this point.

Yvonne S. Crumpler,
Retired, librarian Birmingham Public Library

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 10:17 PM, Joann Tebo <jet4 at mail.usf.edu> wrote:

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%20Island>
>> 285470IslandLeonFL303733N0841327W108Beachton-19-OCT-1979Lester Cemetery
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>> Lake
>> <http://geonames.usgs.gov/apex/f?p=136:3:0::NO:3:P3_FID,P3_TITLE:285471,Lester
%20Lake>
>> 285471LakePolkFL280720N0815953W128Lakeland-19-OCT-1979
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>> Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin, etc.
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>> If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there.  They may
>> be able to trace it.
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>> If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same
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>> problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false)
>> name.
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>> Ernie Thode
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>> On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org>
>> wrote:
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>>> All of you have been so very  helpful. Thank you.
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>>> I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A
>>> from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this name
>>> as was stated previously.
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>>> Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local
>>> GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid as
>>> none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the name.
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>>> I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post
>>> Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called
>>> businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They included
>>> realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.
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>>> I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the
>>> Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the only
>>> place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any local or
>>> Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along the Florida
>>> east coast with this name.
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>>> I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet
>>> source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I
>>> believe there is none.
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>>> Your thoughts are appreciated.
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>>> *Sent:* Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
>>> *To:* Librarians Serving Genealogists
>>> *Subject:* Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help
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>>> I googled for "nathan lester" florida.  Fairly far down the results list
>>> was an obituary.  It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL connections,
>>> but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it mentioned some
>>> Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.
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>>> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org>
>>> wrote:
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>>> Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
>>> like a good possibility!
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>>> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode <ernestthode at gmail.com>
>>> wrote:
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>>> How about Nathan Lester?  He died in 1976.  His residence may have been
>>> Stuart or Palm City, FL.  He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
>>> philanthropists.
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>>> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison <ryall.allison at ocls.info>
>>> wrote:
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>>> Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
>>> http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf --
>>> which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate bill,
>>> house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on this chart.
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>>> Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document the
>>> person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?
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>>> Best,
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>>> *Allison L. Ryall*
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>>> Genealogy Specialist
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>>> West Oaks Library and Genealogy Center
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>>> I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
>>> give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is Highway
>>> A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?
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>>> FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
>>> weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
>>> highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
>>> approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have paid
>>> for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down the
>>> Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!
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>>> The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.
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>>> Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very happy!!
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> jet4 at mail.usf.edu
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> It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one *can't
> do*. --Garfield the Cat
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All tyranny needs to gain a foothold is for people of good conscience to
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From: Susan.C.Scouras at wv.gov (Scouras, Susan C)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 17:40:07 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
In-Reply-To: <5551D146.4B3F.00C1.1@grapevinetexas.gov>
References: <004b01d08c02$4c343ee0$e49cbca0$@irclibrary.org>
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Wonder what all of our searches are doing to the trackers of Internet queries? Yes,
this has been a cool thread and a great research exercise for all of us.

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-----Original Message-----
From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at
mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Nancy Maxwell
Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 11:08 AM
To: 'Librarians Serving Genealogists'
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Just have to say that this is one of the coolest threads ever. :)

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Actually, the Shenandoah River does indeed flow through Jefferson County, W. Va. on its way to its confluence with the Potomac at Harper?s Ferry. Of course, Virginian?s always felt that it was stolen for the song since most of the river is in Virginia. The song was written by a DC song-writing team; they should have known better!

Eric

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Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central Virginia, or the misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West Virginia," maybe the Nathan Lester being referred to is the one who owned the Nathan Lester House and Farm Tool Museum in Ledyard, Connecticut.

The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge the trolleys to get into the stadium. The Detroit Pistons are not called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but because Fred Zollner owned a piston factory in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Ernie Thode

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I?m just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state government offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to see if there were ever one about this road? That may have been done early on, but I didn?t see it in the thread. Of course, you probably thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt 29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border (through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville) has the name ?The Seminole Trail.? Needless to say, there were never any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to this back in the early 1980s and only coming up with the answer of it being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass through central Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General Assembly named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In

1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the road, designated it ?The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway.?
So, now it has three names, but everyone just calls it 29.? In Fairfax City, Va., Rt. 29 merges for a few miles with US Rt 50 where it shares that highway?s names of Fairfax Boulevard within the city limits (it is Arlington Boulevard from the Roosevelt Bridge into DC to the Fairfax City line) and ?Lee Jackson Highway.? The roads split in the western part of this small city and go their separate ways with 29 being those names mentioned earlier. Giving directions is always fun!

We have plenty of other examples up here of one road with multiple names along its course. Your example of road names is indeed curious.
Please let us all know when the answer pops up.

Eric

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin, etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They may be able
to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same problem and
they may have identified the source of the (possibly false) name.

Ernie Thode

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A from Miami to
Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this name as was stated
previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local GIS and
Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid as none of their

maps, emergency services or zoning division has the name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post Office,
Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called businesses along the
highway to see if they ever heard of it. They included realtors, resorts,
businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the Internet who is
able to make global changes to online maps. It is the only place the name can be
found. I have not seen it printed on any local or Florida maps yet online there are
thousands of addresses along the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet source. This is
where we need to find the original documentation and I believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

Pam

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On Behalf Of Ernest Thode
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results list was an
obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL connections, but she had
been married previously to Nathan Lester and it mentioned some Lester children and
grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks like a good
possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode <ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been Stuart or
Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison <ryall.allison at

ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate bill, house
bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document the person who
you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

Allison L. Ryall
Genealogy Specialist
West Oaks Library and Genealogy Center
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ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:quinn.shasta at ocls.info>

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On Behalf Of Pam Cooper
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 4:28 PM
To:
genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could give a prize
to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is Highway A1A named the ?Nathan
Lester Highway.?

FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two weeks
talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and highway names. We
know that the Florida Legislature and each county approves the name and making the
sign. So, that means tax payers have paid for the brown and yellow (white)
lettering signs all up and down the Florida east coast for someone that nobody
knows!

The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.

Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very happy!!

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JoAnn Tebo
jet4 at mail.usf.edu<mailto:jet4 at mail.usf.edu>

It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
can't do. --Garfield the Cat

From pcooper at irclibrary.org Tue May 12 14:11:01 2015
From: pcooper at irclibrary.org (Pam Cooper)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 14:11:01 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway Update - Almost Final
Message-ID: <00b701d08cdf$01f8e9b0$05eabd10$@irclibrary.org>

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From: egrundset at dar.org (Grundset, Eric)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 18:48:36 +0000
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From rmftucker at gmail.com Tue May 12 17:43:04 2015
From: rmftucker at gmail.com (Ruth MF Tucker)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 16:43:04 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
Message-ID: <299DECA7-9B61-40D6-8D8E-80B11D45B325@gmail.com>

This thread brings up what my descendant may find confusing in the future. Since
we dropped our landline several years ago and opted to have calls to that number
transferred to my cell phone, our listing is in the current telephone books
distributed but the street address is incorrect and is listed as a place we have ?
Never? lived. I?ve tried for several years to have this corrected and get nowhere,
so I?ve basically given up. But what confusion for future researchers!

Ruth Tucker
Genealogist/Newletter editor
Northeast Iowa Genealogical Society

From pkennedy at tmcpl.org Tue May 12 19:31:28 2015
From: pkennedy at tmcpl.org (Patrick Kennedy)
Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 23:31:28 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway Update - Almost Final
In-Reply-To: <00b701d08cdf$01f8e9b0$05eabd10$@irclibrary.org>
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Message-ID: <C03538A3D574B14885B8598C7E835BC505535A@Europa.ad.tmcpl.org>

Good Evening,

I returned after a week off and have been catching up on email . . . interesting
thread here. Forgive me if someone tried this, but I did not see.

I went out to my vehicle and tried imputing the address from Vero Beach as "Nathan Lester Highway." It would not take it, but readily accepted the highway number. So, even my mapping program in the vehicle does not recognize the name.

I even checked a local history book b/c a local manufacturer did a lot of work in Vero Beach - Indian River, but I did not see any reference to the name.

Patrick

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] on behalf of Pam Cooper [pcooper at irclibrary.org]
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Date: Tue, 12 May 2015 16:55:57 -0700
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway Update - Almost Final
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Date: Wed, 13 May 2015 07:23:42 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway Update - Almost Final
In-Reply-To: <22F9F4BBEED5470793D2AA334C6DC827@InspironDesktop>
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GoogleMaps can be edited by users using a tool called Map Maker. Google
suspended Map Maker just yesterday because of a rash of prank entries; see
http://www.bbc.com/news/technology-32704566.

Megan

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From sholl at slcl.org Wed May 13 13:35:40 2015
From: sholl at slcl.org (Scott Holl)
Date: Wed, 13 May 2015 12:35:40 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] William Filby award goes to manager of History &
 Genealogy at St. Louis County Library
Message-ID: <CANSXF45HyTvvX1UCXoUsC1x90pw0eDE-MJ=ykcYNDv8j0Dt-8A@mail.gmail.com>

St. Louis County Library's manager of History and Genealogy, Scott Holl,
was given the William Filby Award for Genealogical Librarianship at the
National Genealogical Society Conference Librarian's Day on May 12. The
Filby Award is given to a person who has made significant contributions to
the field of genealogy or local history. Holl, who has a Master's degree in
Library and Information Science from Dominican University, was nominated
for work he has done at St. Louis County Library, especially for enhancing
the library's collection of European genealogical materials.

Scott Holl came to St. Louis County Library (SLCL) in 2007 as assistant
manager. In September 2014, he was named manager of the History and
Genealogy department. He expanded the library's German collection to
include more than 550 *Ortssippenb?cher* (local family genealogical
registers) and other published sources for German genealogy that are rarely
held in U.S. libraries. He is the creator and editor of PastPorts, a
monthly electronic newsletter with articles about genealogical resources at
the library.

This is not the first award Holl has received for his work at SLCL. In 2014
Scott received the Missouri State Genealogical Association Certificate of
Appreciation.

Scott started his library career at the Newberry Library in Chicago. Before
coming to SLCL, he worked as the archivist and librarian at Eden
Theological Seminary.

Founded in 1903, the National Genealogical Society is dedicated to
genealogy education, high research standards, and the preservation of
genealogical records. Their annual conference is being held in St. Charles.

Founded in 1998, the History and Genealogy Department of St. Louis County
Library is a major research destination offering access to a growing
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microfilm rolls, and a variety of electronic databases. It is located
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To learn more about the History & Genealogy Department at SLCL, please call
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Subject: [Genealib] The 1904 West Point Howitzer Yearbook
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From: jjohnson at cmlibrary.org (Johnson, Jane)
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Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 9:15 AM
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Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central
Virginia, or the misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West
Virginia," maybe the Nathan Lester being referred to is the one who
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Connecticut.

The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the
Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because
New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers
are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge
the trolleys to get into the stadium. The Detroit Pistons are not
called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but because Fred
Zollner owned a piston factory in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Ernie Thode

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 8:09 AM, Grundset, Eric
<egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>> wrote:
Pam,

I?m just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state
government offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to
see if there were ever one about this road? That may have been done
early on, but I didn?t see it in the thread. Of course, you probably
thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt
29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border
(through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville)
has the name ?The Seminole Trail.? Needless to say, there were never
any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to
this back in the early 1980s and only coming up with the answer of it
being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass through central
Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General Assembly
named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In
1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the
road, designated it ?The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway.?
So, now it has three names, but everyone just calls it 29.? In Fairfax
City, Va., Rt. 29 merges for a few miles with US Rt 50 where it shares
that highway?s names of Fairfax Boulevard within the city limits (it
is Arlington Boulevard from the Roosevelt Bridge into DC to the Fairfax
City line) and ?Lee Jackson Highway.? The roads split in the western
part of this small city and go their separate ways with 29 being those
names mentioned earlier. Giving directions is always fun!

We have plenty of other examples up here of one road with multiple
names along its course. Your example of road names is indeed curious.
Please let us all know when the answer pops up.

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On Behalf Of Joann Tebo
Sent: Monday, May 11, 2015 11:17 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Is it possibly an "honorary designation" such as sections of highways
are sometimes given in other states to honor war heroes or patrolmen

killed in the line of duty?

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 1:40 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
The three Lester items in Florida that I found on the US Board of
Geographic Names website are all in Leon and Polk Counties.

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin, etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They may be able to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false) name.

Ernie Thode

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this name as was stated previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

Pam

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I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results
list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL
connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it
mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
<ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate
bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on
this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document
the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

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Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
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Highway A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?

FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have
paid for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down
the Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!

The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.

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Thode
Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 9:15 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central
Virginia, or the misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West
Virginia," maybe the Nathan Lester being referred to is the one who
owned the Nathan Lester House and Farm Tool Museum in Ledyard,
Connecticut.

The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the
Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because
New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers
are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge
the trolleys to get into the stadium. The Detroit Pistons are not
called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but because Fred
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dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>>> wrote:
Pam,

I?m just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state
government offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to
see if there were ever one about this road? That may have been done
early on, but I didn?t see it in the thread. Of course, you probably
thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt
29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border
(through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville)
has the name ?The Seminole Trail.? Needless to say, there were never
any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to
this back in the early 1980s and only coming up with the answer of it
being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass through central
Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General Assembly
named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In
1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the
road, designated it ?The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway.?
So, now it has three names, but everyone just calls it 29.? In Fairfax
City, Va., Rt. 29 merges for a few miles with US Rt 50 where it shares
that highway?s names of Fairfax Boulevard within the city limits (it
is Arlington Boulevard from the Roosevelt Bridge into DC to the Fairfax

City line) and ?Lee Jackson Highway.? The roads split in the western
part of this small city and go their separate ways with 29 being those
names mentioned earlier. Giving directions is always fun!

We have plenty of other examples up here of one road with multiple
names along its course. Your example of road names is indeed curious.
Please let us all know when the answer pops up.

Eric

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On Behalf Of Joann Tebo
Sent: Monday, May 11, 2015 11:17 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Is it possibly an "honorary designation" such as sections of highways
are sometimes given in other states to honor war heroes or patrolmen
killed in the line of duty?

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 1:40 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com><mailto:ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>>> wrote:
The three Lester items in Florida that I found on the US Board of
Geographic Names website are all in Leon and Polk Counties.

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin, etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They may be able to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false) name.

Ernie Thode

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org><mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this name as was stated previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local
GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid
as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the
name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post
Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called
businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They
included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the
Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the
only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any
local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along
the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet
source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I
believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

Pam

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On Behalf Of Ernest Thode
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results
list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL
connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it
mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper

<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org><mailto:pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com><mailto:ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
<ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info><mailto:ryall.allison
at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate
bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on
this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document
the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

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Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 4:28 PM
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Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is
Highway A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?

FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have

paid for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down
the Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!

The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.

Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very
happy!!

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It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
can't do. --Garfield the Cat

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From pcooper at irclibrary.org Wed May 13 16:27:39 2015
From: pcooper at irclibrary.org (Pam Cooper)
Date: Wed, 13 May 2015 16:27:39 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
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Do you think the bogus entries will be erased? Talk about a forged history for
future generations!

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To: 'Librarians Serving Genealogists'
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This reminds of the trick by the telephone companies to add bogus entries, but of course, those were ruled un-copyrightable.

Jennifer Daugherty | Librarian, Senior

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Johnson, Jane
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 2:12 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

A representative from a map book publisher told me they intentionally added bogus cemeteries, so they could catch others violating their copyrighted materials. This was after I called seeking information on several I could not find.

I made an agreement with them to tell me the ones that were bogus, so I could stop searching for them, and I would tell them where cemeteries were that they had not listed. They would continue to list the bogus cemeteries, but they would now add more choices. It was a wonderful agreement for both parties.

Jane Johnson

Manager

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OTOH, sometimes companies DO put in bogus information into directories and maps. I
had an uncle whom I know lived his entire life at one location. He never had an
apartment where an older city directory said that he did - I was able to ask him
before he passed. I suggest that the reason was to catch someone who might have
appropriated the directory company's information. And what about so-local
occurrences where EVERYONE knows why a location or road is named something. But try
and find proof of that.

Larry Naukam

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 11:08 AM, Nancy Maxwell <Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov>
wrote:

Just have to say that this is one of the coolest threads ever. :)

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>>> "Grundset, Eric" <egrundset at dar.org> 5/12/2015 9:00 AM >>>
Actually, the Shenandoah River does indeed flow through Jefferson
County, W. Va. on its way to its confluence with the Potomac at
Harper?s Ferry. Of course, Virginian?s always felt that it was
stolen for the song since most of the river is in Virginia. The song was
written by a DC song-writing team; they should have known better!

Eric

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin,
etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there.   They
may be able to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false) name.

Ernie Thode

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this name as was stated previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

Pam

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I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results
list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL
connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it
mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
<ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate
bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on
this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document
the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

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To:
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Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is
Highway A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?

FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two

weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have
paid for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down
the Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!

The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.

Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very
happy!!

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It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
can't do. --Garfield the Cat

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It is unlikely that a corrected version of a print item will be published.
It would be possible to "correct" maps etc., but that would take time and
money. Neither of those are in great supply these days.

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On Wed, May 13, 2015 at 4:27 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org> wrote:

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> for future generations!
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> OTOH, sometimes companies DO put in bogus information into directories and
> maps. I had an uncle whom I know lived his entire life at one location. He
> never had an apartment where an older city directory said that he did - I
> was able to ask him before he passed. I suggest that the reason was to
> catch someone who might have appropriated the directory company's
> information. And what about so-local occurrences where EVERYONE knows why a
> location or road is named something. But try and find proof of that.
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> Larry Naukam
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> On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 11:08 AM, Nancy Maxwell <
> Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov> wrote:
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> Just have to say that this is one of the coolest threads ever. :)
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> Actually, the Shenandoah River does indeed flow through Jefferson
> County, W. Va. on its way to its confluence with the Potomac at
> Harper?s Ferry. Of course, Virginian?s always felt that it was
> stolen for the song since most of the river is in Virginia. The song was
> written by a DC song-writing team; they should have known better!
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> Eric G. Grundset

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> [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Ernest
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> Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central
> Virginia, or the misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West
> Virginia," maybe the Nathan Lester being referred to is the one who
> owned the Nathan Lester House and Farm Tool Museum in Ledyard,
> Connecticut.
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> The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the
> Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because
> New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers
> are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge
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> We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt
> 29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border
> (through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville)
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> any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to
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> Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin,
> etc.
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> If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They
> may be able to trace it.
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> If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same
> problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false)
> name.
>
> Ernie Thode
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> On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper
> <pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
> All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.
>
> I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A
> from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this
> name as was stated previously.
>
> Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local
> GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid
> as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the
> name.
>
> I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post
> Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called
> businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They
> included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.
>
> I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the
> Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the
> only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any
> local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along
> the Florida east coast with this name.
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> I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet
> source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I
> believe there is none.
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> Your thoughts are appreciated.
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> Pam
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> Email: pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>
> Web Site: http://www.irclibrary.org/genealogy
> Please note: As of July 1, 2006, under Florida law, e-mail addresses
> are public records. If you do not want your e-mail address released in

> response to a public records request, do not send electronic mail to
> this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.
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> From:
> genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:
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> [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:
> genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>]
> On Behalf Of Ernest Thode
> Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
> To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
> Subject: Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help
>
> I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results
> list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL
> connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it
> mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.
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> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper
> <pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
> Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
> like a good possibility!
>
> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
> <ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>> wrote:
> How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
> Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
> philanthropists.
>
> On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
> <ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>> wrote:
> Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
> http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
> -- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate
> bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on
> this chart.
>
> Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document
> the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?
>
> Best,
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>
> Allison L. Ryall
> Genealogy Specialist
> West Oaks Library and Genealogy Center
> Orange County Library System
> ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:quinn.shasta at ocls.info>
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> genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>]
> On Behalf Of Pam Cooper
> Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 4:28 PM

> To:
> genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
> Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help
>
> I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
> give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is
> Highway A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?
>
> FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
> weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
> highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
> approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have
> paid for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down
> the Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!
>
> The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.
>
> Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very
> happy!!
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> Pam
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> ****Florida has a very broad Public Records Law. Virtually all written
> communications to or from State and Local officials are public records
> available to the public and media upon request. The Orange County
> Library System policy does not differentiate between personal and
> business emails. Emails sent via any Library-owned system will be
> considered public and will only be withheld from disclosure if deemed
> confidential pursuant to State Law.****
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> JoAnn Tebo
> jet4 at mail.usf.edu<mailto:jet4 at mail.usf.edu>
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> It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
> can't do. --Garfield the Cat
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From Munroe at oshkoshpubliclibrary.org Wed May 13 19:16:27 2015
From: Munroe at oshkoshpubliclibrary.org (Mara Munroe)
Date: Wed, 13 May 2015 23:16:27 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
In-Reply-To: <CAKEoNhU-LVpSc0RqK7YPJUVYZ_Rmztt1g+Oi6Ta5K5=x+U=CqQ@mail.gmail.com>
References: <004b01d08c02$4c343ee0$e49cbca0$@irclibrary.org>
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Message-ID: <8D5076B2B24C544180F364946D3D98F80F92D40E@Contra.wals.local>

And, funny, but we just got asked about a road named change: it was upgraded to a
County Trunk Highway, which are all named by letters, but the locals still just
called it by the old name, Allenville Road for years afterward.

Mara
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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [genealib-bounces at
mailman.acomp.usf.edu] on behalf of genbook [genbook at gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 5:03 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

It is unlikely that a corrected version of a print item will be published. It would
be possible to "correct" maps etc., but that would take time and money. Neither of
those are in great supply these days.

Larry Naukam
Retired Director of Historical Services
(Local History, Genealogy, and Digitizing)
Rochester NY Public Library

On Wed, May 13, 2015 at 4:27 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Do you think the bogus entries will be erased? Talk about a forged history for
future generations!

Pam

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mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>] On Behalf
Of Daugherty, Jennifer
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 2:22 PM
To: 'Librarians Serving Genealogists'
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

This reminds of the trick by the telephone companies to add bogus entries, but of
course, those were ruled un-copyrightable.

Jennifer Daugherty | Librarian, Senior

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mailman.acomp.usf.edu> [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf
Of Johnson, Jane
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 2:12 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

A representative from a map book publisher told me they intentionally added bogus
cemeteries, so they could catch others violating their copyrighted materials. This
was after I called seeking information on several I could not find.

I made an agreement with them to tell me the ones that were bogus, so I could stop
searching for them, and I would tell them where cemeteries were that they had not
listed. They would continue to list the bogus cemeteries, but they would now add
more choices. It was a wonderful agreement for both parties.

Jane Johnson
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mailman.acomp.usf.edu> [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf
Of genbook
Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

OTOH, sometimes companies DO put in bogus information into directories and maps. I
had an uncle whom I know lived his entire life at one location. He never had an
apartment where an older city directory said that he did - I was able to ask him
before he passed. I suggest that the reason was to catch someone who might have
appropriated the directory company's information. And what about so-local
occurrences where EVERYONE knows why a location or road is named something. But try
and find proof of that.
Larry Naukam

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 11:08 AM, Nancy Maxwell <Nmaxwell at
grapevinetexas.gov<mailto:Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov>> wrote:
Just have to say that this is one of the coolest threads ever. :)

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Frances Pittman Malcolm Genealogy Room
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>>> "Grundset, Eric" <egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>> 5/12/2015
9:00 AM >>>
Actually, the Shenandoah River does indeed flow through Jefferson
County, W. Va. on its way to its confluence with the Potomac at
Harper?s Ferry. Of course, Virginian?s always felt that it was
stolen for the song since most of the river is in Virginia. The song was
written by a DC song-writing team; they should have known better!

Eric

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Thode
Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 9:15 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central
Virginia, or the misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West
Virginia," maybe the Nathan Lester being referred to is the one who
owned the Nathan Lester House and Farm Tool Museum in Ledyard,
Connecticut.

The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the
Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because
New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers
are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge
the trolleys to get into the stadium. The Detroit Pistons are not
called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but because Fred
Zollner owned a piston factory in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Ernie Thode

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 8:09 AM, Grundset, Eric
<egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org><mailto:egrundset at
dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>>> wrote:
Pam,

I?m just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state
government offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to
see if there were ever one about this road? That may have been done
early on, but I didn?t see it in the thread. Of course, you probably
thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt
29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border
(through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville)
has the name ?The Seminole Trail.? Needless to say, there were never
any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to
this back in the early 1980s and only coming up with the answer of it
being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass through central
Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General Assembly
named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In
1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the
road, designated it ?The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway.?
So, now it has three names, but everyone just calls it 29.? In Fairfax
City, Va., Rt. 29 merges for a few miles with US Rt 50 where it shares
that highway?s names of Fairfax Boulevard within the city limits (it
is Arlington Boulevard from the Roosevelt Bridge into DC to the Fairfax
City line) and ?Lee Jackson Highway.? The roads split in the western
part of this small city and go their separate ways with 29 being those
names mentioned earlier. Giving directions is always fun!

We have plenty of other examples up here of one road with multiple
names along its course. Your example of road names is indeed curious.
Please let us all know when the answer pops up.

Eric

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On Behalf Of Joann Tebo
Sent: Monday, May 11, 2015 11:17 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Is it possibly an "honorary designation" such as sections of highways
are sometimes given in other states to honor war heroes or patrolmen
killed in the line of duty?

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 1:40 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com><mailto:ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>>> wrote:
The three Lester items in Florida that I found on the US Board of
Geographic Names website are all in Leon and Polk Counties.

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Lakeland

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin,
etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They
may be able to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same
problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false)
name.

Ernie Thode

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>><mailto:pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A
from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this
name as was stated previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local
GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid
as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the
name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post

Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called
businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They
included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the
Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the
only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any
local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along
the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet
source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I
believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

Pam

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are public records. If you do not want your e-mail address released in
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this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.

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On Behalf Of Ernest Thode
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results
list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL
connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it
mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org><mailto:pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com><mailto:ernestthode at

gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
<ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info><mailto:ryall.allison
at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate
bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on
this chart.

Pam ? is the contact that is given on the last page of the document
the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

Allison L. Ryall
Genealogy Specialist
West Oaks Library and Genealogy Center
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On Behalf Of Pam Cooper
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 4:28 PM
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Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is
Highway A1A named the ?Nathan Lester Highway.?

FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have
paid for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down
the Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!

The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.

Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very
happy!!

Pam

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Web Site: http://www.irclibrary.org/genealogy
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are public records. If you do not want your e-mail address released in
response to a public records request, do not send electronic mail to
this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.

****Florida has a very broad Public Records Law. Virtually all written
communications to or from State and Local officials are public records
available to the public and media upon request. The Orange County
Library System policy does not differentiate between personal and
business emails. Emails sent via any Library-owned system will be
considered public and will only be withheld from disclosure if deemed
confidential pursuant to State Law.****

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are public records. If you do not want your e-mail address released in
response to a public records request, do not send electronic mail to
this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.

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It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
can't do. --Garfield the Cat

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From Susan.C.Scouras at wv.gov Thu May 14 09:25:58 2015
From: Susan.C.Scouras at wv.gov (Scouras, Susan C)
Date: Thu, 14 May 2015 13:25:58 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
In-Reply-To: <8D5076B2B24C544180F364946D3D98F80F92D40E@Contra.wals.local>
References: <004b01d08c02$4c343ee0$e49cbca0$@irclibrary.org>
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I still have doubts that Nathan Lester Highway was a purposeful plant. I don't
think Google or any other search engine would want to compromise real addresses of
real people and businesses. When publishers want to catch copyright violators, to
my knowledge and experience, they include false names and addresses, not incorrect
ones. Again, why would they want to damage their own reputations by messing up
information for real people and businesses? It's the same as the coupon companies
that catch businesses that fraudulent submit coupons for redemption for products
they haven't sold and maybe don't even carry-they put coupons for non-existent
products in their flyers so there is no doubt about fraud.

By the way, when I checked Bing the first time, nothing came up for Nathan Lester
Highway. Yesterday, I got the same flood of results as from Google.
Curioser and curioser. :)

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Mara Munroe
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 7:16 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

And, funny, but we just got asked about a road named change: it was upgraded to a County Trunk Highway, which are all named by letters, but the locals still just called it by the old name, Allenville Road for years afterward.

Mara

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu> [genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] on behalf of genbook [genbook at gmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 5:03 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update
It is unlikely that a corrected version of a print item will be published. It would be possible to "correct" maps etc., but that would take time and money. Neither of those are in great supply these days.

Larry Naukam
Retired Director of Historical Services
(Local History, Genealogy, and Digitizing)
Rochester NY Public Library

On Wed, May 13, 2015 at 4:27 PM, Pam Cooper <pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>> wrote:
Do you think the bogus entries will be erased? Talk about a forged history for future generations!

Pam

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Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 2:22 PM
To: 'Librarians Serving Genealogists'
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

This reminds of the trick by the telephone companies to add bogus entries, but of course, those were ruled un-copyrightable.

Jennifer Daugherty | Librarian, Senior

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu<mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu> [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Johnson, Jane
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2015 2:12 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

A representative from a map book publisher told me they intentionally added bogus cemeteries, so they could catch others violating their copyrighted materials. This was after I called seeking information on several I could not find.

I made an agreement with them to tell me the ones that were bogus, so I could stop searching for them, and I would tell them where cemeteries were that they had not listed. They would continue to list the bogus cemeteries, but they would now add more choices. It was a wonderful agreement for both parties.

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Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

OTOH, sometimes companies DO put in bogus information into directories and maps. I had an uncle whom I know lived his entire life at one location. He never had an apartment where an older city directory said that he did - I was able to ask him before he passed. I suggest that the reason was to catch someone who might have appropriated the directory company's information. And what about so-local occurrences where EVERYONE knows why a location or road is named something. But try and find proof of that.
Larry Naukam

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 11:08 AM, Nancy Maxwell <Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov<mailto:Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov>> wrote:
Just have to say that this is one of the coolest threads ever. :)

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>>> "Grundset, Eric" <egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>> 5/12/2015
9:00 AM >>>
Actually, the Shenandoah River does indeed flow through Jefferson
County, W. Va. on its way to its confluence with the Potomac at
Harper's Ferry. Of course, Virginian's always felt that it was
stolen for the song since most of the river is in Virginia. The song was
written by a DC song-writing team; they should have known better!

Eric

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Thode
Sent: Tuesday, May 12, 2015 9:15 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Along the lines of "The Seminole Trail" leading through central
Virginia, or the misplaced Shenandoah River in "Almost Heaven, West
Virginia," maybe the Nathan Lester being referred to is the one who
owned the Nathan Lester House and Farm Tool Museum in Ledyard,
Connecticut.

The Los Angeles Lakers are called the Lakers because Minnesota is the
Land of Ten Thousand Lakes. The Utah Jazz are called the Jazz because
New Orleans is famous for its jazz musicians. The Los Angeles Dodgers
are called the Dodgers because baseball fans in Brooklyn had to dodge
the trolleys to get into the stadium. The Detroit Pistons are not
called the Pistons because autos are built in Detroit, but because Fred
Zollner owned a piston factory in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Ernie Thode

On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 8:09 AM, Grundset, Eric

<egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org><mailto:egrundset at dar.org<mailto:egrundset at dar.org>>> wrote:
Pam,

I'm just wondering if any of those that you contacted in the state
government offices checked the acts of the Florida General Assembly to
see if there were ever one about this road? That may have been done
early on, but I didn't see it in the thread. Of course, you probably
thought of that yourself.

We have a similar situation in Virginia where the 250-mile long US Rt
29 from Northern Virginia all the way down to the North Carolina border
(through Warrenton, Culpeper, Charlottesville, Lynchburg and Danville)
has the name "The Seminole Trail." Needless to say, there were never
any Seminoles in Virginia. I remember searching for an explanation to
this back in the early 1980s and only coming up with the answer of it
being a name given as a tourist draw to get them to pass through central
Virginia on the way to Florida. Act of the Virginia General Assembly
named it thus in February 1928 giving no real explanation as to why. In
1993, the General Assembly, not removing the older nickname for the
road, designated it "The 29th Infantry Division Memorial Highway."
So, now it has three names, but everyone just calls it 29." In Fairfax
City, Va., Rt. 29 merges for a few miles with US Rt 50 where it shares
that highway's names of Fairfax Boulevard within the city limits (it
is Arlington Boulevard from the Roosevelt Bridge into DC to the Fairfax
City line) and "Lee Jackson Highway." The roads split in the western
part of this small city and go their separate ways with 29 being those
names mentioned earlier. Giving directions is always fun!

We have plenty of other examples up here of one road with multiple
names along its course. Your example of road names is indeed curious.
Please let us all know when the answer pops up.

Eric

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On Behalf Of Joann Tebo
Sent: Monday, May 11, 2015 11:17 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway - Update

Is it possibly an "honorary designation" such as sections of highways
are sometimes given in other states to honor war heroes or patrolmen
killed in the line of duty?

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 1:40 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com><mailto:ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>>> wrote:
The three Lester items in Florida that I found on the US Board of
Geographic Names website are all in Leon and Polk Counties.

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Island<http://geonames.usgs.gov/apex/f?
p=136:3:0::NO:3:P3_FID,P3_TITLE:285470,Lester%20Island>

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Lester Cemetery<http://geonames.usgs.gov/apex/f?p=136:3:0::NO:3:P3_FID,P3_TITLE:285469,Lester%20Cemetery>

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Bradfordville

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Lester Lake<http://geonames.usgs.gov/apex/f?p=136:3:0::NO:3:P3_FID,P3_TITLE:285471,Lester%20Lake>

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Try checking with Google maps, Rand McNally, Garmin, Yahoo, Michelin,
etc.

If the name got onto one of their sites, somebody put it there. They
may be able to trace it.

If they rejected it for their sites, maybe they encountered the same
problem and they may have identified the source of the (possibly false)
name.

Ernie Thode

On Mon, May 11, 2015 at 11:51 AM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org><mailto:pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>>> wrote:
All of you have been so very helpful. Thank you.

I have tried many contacts to solve the mystery of the naming of A1A
from Miami to Amelia Island. Just an FYI, there are NO signs for this
name as was stated previously.

Unbelievably, it is a dead end. I just got off the phone from our local
GIS and Address Database Coordinator. She said the name may not be valid
as none of their maps, emergency services or zoning division has the
name.

I contacted, the State Archives, FDOT, Lester family in Stuart, Post
Office, Realtors, State Representatives and others. I also called
businesses along the highway to see if they ever heard of it. They
included realtors, resorts, businesses, etc. NONE ever heard of it.

I have a strange sensation that we have someone messing with the
Internet who is able to make global changes to online maps. It is the
only place the name can be found. I have not seen it printed on any
local or Florida maps yet online there are thousands of addresses along
the Florida east coast with this name.

I hesitate to throw this out to Social Media or any other Internet
source. This is where we need to find the original documentation and I
believe there is none.

Your thoughts are appreciated.

Pam

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Web Site: http://www.irclibrary.org/genealogy
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are public records. If you do not want your e-mail address released in
response to a public records request, do not send electronic mail to
this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.

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On Behalf Of Ernest Thode
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 8:33 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I googled for "nathan lester" florida. Fairly far down the results
list was an obituary. It was for a Lorraine Cohen, with NC and FL
connections, but she had been married previously to Nathan Lester and it
mentioned some Lester children and grandchildren in Naples, FL.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 8:22 PM, Pam Cooper
<pcooper at irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org><mailto:pcooper at
irclibrary.org<mailto:pcooper at irclibrary.org>>> wrote:
Ernest: You got me on this one. Where and how did you find this? Looks
like a good possibility!

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 6:17 PM, Ernest Thode
<ernestthode at gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com><mailto:ernestthode at
gmail.com<mailto:ernestthode at gmail.com>>> wrote:
How about Nathan Lester? He died in 1976. His residence may have been
Stuart or Palm City, FL. He and his wife Lorraine Cohen were apparently
philanthropists.

On Wed, May 6, 2015 at 5:30 PM, Ryall, Allison
<ryall.allison at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info><mailto:ryall.allison
at ocls.info<mailto:ryall.allison at ocls.info>>> wrote:
Usually Florida puts this type of information in this file
http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/statistics/hwydata/desroads.pdf
-- which shows how each designated road received its name (i.e. senate
bill, house bill, etc.) but the Nathan Lester Highway is not listed on
this chart.

Pam - is the contact that is given on the last page of the document
the person who you have already spoken to (Walter Liddell)?

Best,

Allison L. Ryall
Genealogy Specialist
West Oaks Library and Genealogy Center
Orange County Library System
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On Behalf Of Pam Cooper
Sent: Wednesday, May 06, 2015 4:28 PM
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mailman.acomp.usf.edu>>
Subject: [Genealib] Florida Librarians --- Help

I have a reference question that has stumped everyone. I wish I could
give a prize to the first Florida librarian who can tell me why is
Highway A1A named the "Nathan Lester Highway."

FDOT is NOT able to find it in their records. I have spent the last two
weeks talking to a variety of people involved with transportation and
highway names. We know that the Florida Legislature and each county
approves the name and making the sign. So, that means tax payers have
paid for the brown and yellow (white) lettering signs all up and down
the Florida east coast for someone that nobody knows!

The signs exist from Miami to Nassau County.

Your help would make my patron and the newspaper reporter so very
happy!!

Pam

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Web Site: http://www.irclibrary.org/genealogy
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are public records. If you do not want your e-mail address released in
response to a public records request, do not send electronic mail to
this entity. Instead, contact this office by phone or in writing.

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communications to or from State and Local officials are public records
available to the public and media upon request. The Orange County
Library System policy does not differentiate between personal and
business emails. Emails sent via any Library-owned system will be
considered public and will only be withheld from disclosure if deemed
confidential pursuant to State Law.****

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It's amazing what one can accomplish when one doesn't know what one
can't do. --Garfield the Cat

From lholden at andersonlibrary.org Thu May 14 15:19:54 2015
From: lholden at andersonlibrary.org (Laura Holden)
Date: Thu, 14 May 2015 15:19:54 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] HeritageQuest and Remote Access problems
Message-ID: <002a01d08e7a$f72d4d80$e587e880$@andersonlibrary.org>

Has anyone had patrons who experienced problems in trying to download census
images from home?

Thanks,

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Laura G. Holden

Head of Genealogy and Local History

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From kdolce at volusia.org Thu May 14 15:33:18 2015
From: kdolce at volusia.org (Kim Dolce)
Date: Thu, 14 May 2015 15:33:18 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] HeritageQuest and Remote Access problems
In-Reply-To: <002a01d08e7a$f72d4d80$e587e880$@andersonlibrary.org>
References: <002a01d08e7a$f72d4d80$e587e880$@andersonlibrary.org>
Message-ID: <5554C03E020000AA00053A7F@vgwmta.co.volusia.fl.us>

I'm not aware of anyone having that problem, but I did have a patron tell me she
had trouble logging in from home. When I went home that night, I logged in remotely
a few times. Most of the time I had no problems getting in, but one time I came up
with a login screen from HQ, not the library. So of course I entered my info and it
didn't work. I wonder if that's what she encountered. She is a new user, and I
can't duplicate the home search from work so it was difficult for me to figure out
exactly what was happening.

Kim

Kim E. Dolce
Genealogy/Reference Librarian
Daytona Beach Regional Library
105 E. Magnolia Ave.
Daytona Beach, FL 32114
386-257-6036 ext. 16315
kdolce at volusia.org

>>> "Laura Holden" <lholden at andersonlibrary.org> 5/14/2015 3:19 PM >>>

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From mkmannix at gmail.com Fri May 15 16:02:15 2015
From: mkmannix at gmail.com (Mary K. Mannix)
Date: Fri, 15 May 2015 16:02:15 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Preconference at San Francisco 2015
Message-ID: <CAPXojw--V7dwuT4ZpCLixGec9JJGMe5HeLDT8gBakdADH8M8DQ@mail.gmail.com>

Hello All,

Sorry if I missed something, and I have tried poking around, but does
anyone know anything about the Genealogy Symposium\Preconference at
Annual this year?

Thanks,

Mary

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Mary K. Mannix
Maryland Room Manager
C. Burr Artz Public Library
Frederick County Public Libraries
Frederick, MD

From amy at amyjohnsoncrow.com Fri May 15 16:06:56 2015
From: amy at amyjohnsoncrow.com (Amy Johnson Crow)
Date: Fri, 15 May 2015 15:06:56 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Preconference at San Francisco 2015
In-Reply-To: <CAPXojw--V7dwuT4ZpCLixGec9JJGMe5HeLDT8gBakdADH8M8DQ@mail.gmail.com>
References: <CAPXojw--V7dwuT4ZpCLixGec9JJGMe5HeLDT8gBakdADH8M8DQ@mail.gmail.com>
Message-ID: <2A3C1408-9EFE-41C9-82C4-2468B4864953@amyjohnsoncrow.com>

There is one on Friday. I am away from my computer right now, but will post the
info very soon.

Amy

Sent from my iPhone. Please excuse any typos.

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From: mkmannix at gmail.com (Mary K. Mannix)
Date: Fri, 15 May 2015 16:09:57 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Preconference at San Francisco 2015
In-Reply-To: <2A3C1408-9EFE-41C9-82C4-2468B4864953@amyjohnsoncrow.com>
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Message-ID: <CAPXojw9RPBOY4FKwj5pwO7UWFD_REeXey7ADzTN9zssziRGKUJA@mail.gmail.com>

Thanks, Amy, yep, that is when it usually is. Are you organizing it this year?

Thanks!

Mary

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<amy at amyjohnsoncrow.com> wrote:
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From RzepczynskiK at michigan.gov Sat May 16 15:07:10 2015
From: RzepczynskiK at michigan.gov (Rzepczynski, Kris (DNR))
Date: Sat, 16 May 2015 19:07:10 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Books to trade or available for postage
Message-ID:
<DM2PR09MB0666CEF5D37347ABEA145532ADC60@DM2PR09MB0666.namprd09.prod.outlook.com>

Colleagues,

The Archives of Michigan is deaccessioning our duplicate copies, please see the
attached spreadsheet for the list of titles. We prefer to trade, if possible, and
all items are available on a first come, first serve basis. More to come in the
future!

If interested, please email me off-list at rzepczynskik at
michigan.gov<mailto:rzepczynskik at michigan.gov>. Thank you.

Kris Rzepczynski
Senior Archivist, Archives of Michigan
Vice President Membership, Federation of Genealogical Societies
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From jet4 at mail.usf.edu Sun May 17 22:29:30 2015
From: jet4 at mail.usf.edu (Joann Tebo)
Date: Sun, 17 May 2015 22:29:30 -0400
Subject: [Genealib] Nathan Lester Highway Update - Almost Final
In-Reply-To: <CAL768sVLVpHw2Qe-wbDM24jExRbbJz0v7+d_GY9Zd61fbG7tTw@mail.gmail.com>
References: <00b701d08cdf$01f8e9b0$05eabd10$@irclibrary.org>
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There is the factor that some mapping concerns will name a street or add a
street segment [usually a small one] for the purpose of copyright
protection. I have a Tampa map with a "non-existent" street done for this
purpose. I just happen to know that particular neighborhood well and know
that street is not there.

On Wed, May 13, 2015 at 7:23 AM, Megan Lewis <meganthelibrarian at gmail.com>
wrote:

> GoogleMaps can be edited by users using a tool called Map Maker. Google
> suspended Map Maker just yesterday because of a rash of prank entries; see
> http://www.bbc.com/news/technology-32704566.
>
> Megan
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> On Tue, May 12, 2015 at 7:55 PM, Michael Carroll <mcarroll at pobox.com>
> wrote:
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>>   My two cents: I believe Google Maps is to some extent crowd-sourced.
>> If people in my area still call the main road ?Nathan Lester Highway? then
>> I can put that as my business address, and Google will accept it. The fact
>> its official name has been something else for the last 60 years or so
>> doesn?t matter.
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>> Then, once it?s in Google, it gets picked up and scattered hither and
>> yon, like volcanic ash.
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>> But I confess I looked in GenealogyBank for references to Nathan Lester
>> Highway and found none.
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>> Michael Carroll
>> Sun City Vistoso Genealogical Society <http://scvgs.org> librarian
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>> I have checked Mapquest, Yahoo, and other map sites. They do NOT have
>> this highway. So, I truly believe it is GOOGLE! But the question is why.
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>> I have contacted them and hoping they will respond. I will send one more
>> update to this list if they do.
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>> I guess it is true, you cannot believe everything online or in books! But
>> we sure learned a lot along the way!
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>> Thank you everyone.
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From: amy at amyjohnsoncrow.com (Amy Johnson Crow)
Date: Tue, 19 May 2015 10:12:21 -0400
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The RUSA Genealogy Preconference at ALA Annual 2015 will be Friday, June 26 at the
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Sent: Friday, May 22, 2015 7:16 AM
To: AUTOCAT at LISTSERV.SYR.EDU
Subject: [ACAT] Genealogy survey results (was RE: Graduate student seeks
genealogists for online survey)

Last month, I posted a link to a survey regarding "Research Trends & Emerging
Technologies for Genealogists." My original post to the listserv can be seen at
the very bottom of this message. Many participants asked to see the results.
However, due to the large number of participants and the significant number of
questions/answers, I have summarized the results below instead of posting the
entire survey word for word.

Research Trends & Emerging Technologies for Genealogists (Survey by Catherine Lucy;
Spring 2015)

There were 425 participants. The largest age brackets were 55-68 (44.2%) and 31-54
(37.4%). 95.8% live in the U.S., and 48% identify as an intermediate level
genealogist. Nearly half (48.5%) have been involved in genealogy for over 15
years. The majority of participants own print copies of genealogy books, subscribe
to paper journals/newsletters, and have genealogy software on their computers;
conversely, the majority do not belong to a genealogical society/club/organization
or subscribe to genealogy listservs/newsgroups.

The preferred genealogy software for organizing a family tree is Family Tree Maker
(Ancestry), followed by Other, RootsMagic, None, and Legacy. 46.2% have paid
subscriptions to Ancestry.com, followed by Other, Fold3, None, One Great Family &
World Vital Records. The top 3 favorite genealogy websites were Find a Grave,
followed by Family Search, and Ancestry. 78.1% have posted a comment or replied to
an inquiry on one of these sites? community forums.

57.1% have tried DNA testing, with Ancestry?s service being the most used, followed
by Family Tree DNA, and Others. 55% read genealogy blogs on a regular basis; the
most popular is Eastman?s Online Genealogy Newsletter. The top 3 apps to use on a
smartphone or tablet are Ancestry, Find a Grave, and Evernote (or One Note);

however nearly 28% are not utilizing apps at all in their research.

These are the top 3 problems for users that arise in research: questionable source/info, loss of records due to fire (etc.), and paying for access. Traditional records are still very much in use. The top 3 are Government records, followed by cemetery records, and newspapers. Approx. 90% visit a library, archive or repository in person for research purposes, with the most common frequency being ?sometimes? at 52.9%. 68.7% have used a finding aid both in person and online; 13.2% have used neither.

69% follow genealogy topics on social media. The top 3 preferred sites are Facebook, Pinterest, and Google+. If discovering a new ancestor on a family tree, the majority would first visit a website such as Ancestry or Family Search; others would first ask a family member or view published records. Biggest obstacles in researching ancestry are loss of records, followed by paying for access, little-to-no access to records outside your geographic region, can?t verify names/dates, language barrier, other, and relatives who won?t cooperate.

The question regarding when it is acceptable to pay for information garnered the most comments, as participants felt they should be able to select more than one answer. The top 3 answers were monthly/annual fees are acceptable, followed by only when requesting a copy of a document, and pay a one-time fee for each items found online.

A few general comments: 1. Vital records should always be free. 2. Hitting brick walls?.I wish I could afford professional help. 3. I did not know that some of the resources you mentioned in this survey existed. 4. I wish I could travel to investigate but I can?t so I just stick to the Internet. 5. No hobby is totally free and expecting that it is is na?ve at best. 6. DNA has helped both myself and my husband reach back further in our lines. 7. Questions about storage and back-up may have been appropriate. 8. Several participants took advantage of free use of subscription services at their public libraries, and were very thankful for that access.

Thank you to all who participated.

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Sent: Thursday, April 23, 2015 8:24 AM
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If you or someone you know is a genealogist (whether amateur or experienced), please consider taking my survey "Research Trends & Emerging Technologies for Genealogists." I am in the iSchool MLIS program at San Jose State University, and I?m researching current technologies that genealogists use to conduct research. Participation is anonymous & open to anyone 18+, with an emphasis on American genealogists (but you may reside anywhere in the world). There are approx. 27 multiple choice questions, and will take approx. 15 minutes to complete. The survey will remain open until the morning of Mon. April 27, 2015.

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Thank you,

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Subject: [Genealib] RUSA Genealogy Preconference - reminder
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Good afternoon, everyone,

We?ve had a couple of questions about attendance at the RUSA Genealogy

Preconference at ALA on Friday, June 26 at the Parc 55 San Francisco Hotel. To clarify for everyone:

- It is open to everyone, regardless of whether you are an ALA and/or RUSA member or not
- It is FREE, including the lunch (sponsored by ProQuest)

Though the event is free, we ask that you register at http://bit.ly/1KxFOtQ <http://bit.ly/1KxFOtQ>. This will allow us to plan for lunch, handouts, etc.

If you could register before the end of the week, that would be ideal.

We look forward to seeing all of you there!

Sincerely,
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This new volume as now been published:

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The six former monarchies of the Balkans, Greece, Roumania, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia/Serbia, Montenegro and Albania are covered. The first three from the establishment of their new dynasties, and the latter three from their indigenous establishment as Kingdoms. The monarchy of unified Italy is covered from its establishment, together with its five predecessor monarchies - Sardinia, Two Sicilies, Tuscany, Parma and Modena. The complex inter-weaving of these Houses is shown in the finest detail. 272 pages.

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The strength of the dollar against European currencies in recent months means that this is a very good time to purchase genealogical books from Europe (an effective price drop of 10% in the last three months alone).
Have you had readers making enquiries about ancestors who were from Europe and were titled (e.g. Prince, Count, Baron)? This series of books, published in England, about royal genealogy could provide the answers. They are offering an additional 20% discount for U.S. Libraries.

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In particular, they are a source of detailed information on German Royal and Noble dynasties.

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Good morning, everyone,

We have an exciting announcement regarding the RUSA Genealogy Preconference.
Brewster Kahle, founder of Internet Archive, will present ?Providing Universal

Access to Modern Materials ? and Living to Tell the Tale.? This is sure to be an exciting session.

If you or your colleagues have not yet registered for this FREE event, please do so in the next few days, as we are trying to get an accurate count for lunch (generously sponsored by ProQuest).

You can find the registration form at: bit.ly/1KxFOtQ <http://bit.ly/1KxFOtQ>

We look forward to seeing all of you there!

Amy Johnson Crow
Chair, RUSA Genealogy Preconference

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Subject: [Genealib] Family Archive Viewer compact discs
Message-ID: <1A3077143331974E929CED21535DA5240104C950@FHCPLSVR-03.dewey.local>

Greetings! I am sharing some information that may be helpful to libraries that
still have compact discs requiring Family Archive Viewer. Our library has more than
one hundred of these compact discs as part of our circulating collection. I was
considering withdrawing them from the collection because our computers would no
longer "read" the discs, and several patrons who had checked out discs reported
that their computers were unable to "read" them, too. After checking the Internet
for information about Family Archive Viewer, I located the following links on the
now-defunct genealogy.com website. The links may still be accessed using the
Internet Archive (which is a tremendous resource in itself):

https://web.archive.org/web/20140831222025/http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/
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I hope this is helpful. Thanks and have a great day!

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