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My advice is to check for medical and payroll records for the man. Most of these were kept in other locations. My husband's mantra is always, "Follow the Money!"
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Hi Kim,

There are many records available for WWII Army research, and they advance well beyond an official military service record.

With that said, here's what your patron can expect during the request process:

1) As a high number of official service records were damaged or destroyed in the 1973 National Archives fire, there is a mixed bag effect when requesting WWI and WWII Army records. Your patron should fill out the form requesting his/her father's WWII official military service file. The patron will want to include their father's legal name, military service (or serial) number, social security number, and birth/death details. If the patron's father has passed, you will want to note this, and include a copy of the death certificate with the application. I tend to send patrons to the downloadable form on the National Archives website, as the online option can be confusing at times. This is entirely their choice. In many instances, your patron will receive any paperwork which survived the fire. This typically includes a final payroll voucher, medical/hospital treatment records, commendations, and other details. It varies from person to person. Your patron will want to consult the NPRC website for visitation and contact information:
https://www.archives.gov/personnel-records-center/military-personnel/visitors-services

*This is not the end of the research process! Depending on what type of information your patron wishes to discover, there are a lot of other records to research.

2) The patron can e-mail (stl.archives at nara.gov) or send a separate request to the National Personnel Records Center for a copy of their father's Veterans Administration Index Card. This card will include a summary of their service details, as well as enlistment/discharge dates, pension numbers, and other information. This card is handy to have, as it will give solid unit/regiment data which can be used to request a unit history from the Army Education and Heritage Center. This can be done online and free of charge.

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Side Note - There are two quick resources your patron can use to get started on research if they haven't already sought them out. The first are the WWII Draft Cards on Ancestry, and the second are the WWII Enlistment Cards on Fold3. Some people have both, but most people have at least one card, either a draft or an enlistment card. The enlistment cards can assist in confirming service information on a basic level, so your patron will want to search for one while waiting for records from the NRPC.

Finally, there is a great book available by Jennifer Holik entitled *Stories from the World War II Battlefield 2nd edition: Reconstructing Army, Air Corps, and National Guard Service Records (Volume 1)* [https://www.amazon.com/Stories-World-War-Battlefield-Reconstructing/dp/1938226348/ref=sr_1_5?keywords=Jennifer+Holik+World+War+II&qid=1573065157&sr=8-5]*, which provides a detailed guide on what type of records are available, how to access them, and how to expand a search into European records. This book is available through ILL, which should help the budget for this project.

If anyone is curious why I wrote a dissertation on the topic at hand before lunchtime, I have been writing and researching World War I topics for several years, and I published my first genealogy guide on the subject last year. If any patrons need help with this, they can sign up for a free guide, which will be delivered in PDF format to their e-mail inbox, from the World War I Centennial Commission website - [https://www.worldwar1centennial.org/index.php/commemorate/family-ties/ww1-genealogy-research-guide.html](https://www.worldwar1centennial.org/index.php/commemorate/family-ties/ww1-genealogy-research-guide.html).

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Discovering your family's history is both fun and rewarding. RELIC's Darlene Hunter, Certified Genealogist, will demonstrate the essential first steps to take and resources to use, most of which are available for free through the library.

Wednesday, November 13, 2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.<http://bit.ly/2kGWQWo>
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We are eager to add to the collection of our local school yearbooks. If you have a yearbook not represented in our collection, we would appreciate your lending it to us so that it can be scanned and returned to you unharmed.

Dr. Peter Henriques, George Mason University Professor of History Emeritus and George Washington Scholar, illuminates the early influence the very complex Mary Ball Washington exerted on her famous son and further examines their later, quite controversial relationship and the friction between them.

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Donald A. Hutslar, Log Construction in the Ohio Country, 1750-1850. Large paperback (ca. 8.5 x 5.5), excellent condition.

Irving Werstein, Kearny the Magnificent (1962), hardcover with dust jacket, very good condition. (Civil War Union General Philip Kearny).


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Thanks for this info, Debra! Is the death certificate required? She said she has it "somewhere" but doesn't know where. We can get one from the state of FL where he died for only $5.00, if it's required.

Kim

>>> "Debra Dudek" <ddudek at fountaindale.org> 11/6/2019 1:43 PM >>>
Hi Kim,

There are many records available for WWII Army research, and they advance well beyond an official military service record.

With that said, here's what your patron can expect during the request process:

1) As a high number of official service records were damaged or destroyed in the 1973 National Archives fire, there is a mixed bag effect when requesting WWI and WWII Army records. Your patron should fill out the form requesting his/her father's WWII official military service file. The patron will want to include their father's legal name, military service (or serial) number, social security number, and birth/death details. If the patron's father has passed, you will want to note this, and include a copy of the death certificate with the application. I tend to send patrons to the downloadable form on the National Archives website, as the online option can be confusing at times. This is entirely their choice.

In many instances, your patron will receive any paperwork which survived the fire. This typically includes a final payroll voucher, medical/hospital treatment records, commendations, and other details. It varies from person to person. Your patron will want to consult the NPRC website for visitation and contact information: https://www.archives.gov/personnel-records-center/military-personnel/visitors-services

This is not the end of the research process! Depending on what type of information your patron wishes to discover, there are a lot of other records to research.

2) The patron can e-mail (stl.archives@nara.gov) or send a separate request to the National Personnel Records Center for a copy of their father's Veterans Administration Index Card. This card will include a summary of their service details, as well as enlistment/discharge dates, pension numbers, and other information. This card is handy to have, as it will give solid unit/regiment data which can be used to request a unit history from the Army Education and Heritage Center. This can be done online and free of charge.

3) When your patron has the name of their father's unit/regiment, they will want to move to acquiring copies of muster rolls which are on microfilm at the National Personnel Records Center in St. Louis. Muster rolls are great, as they certify where the patron's father is once a month, his condition (sick, missing, in hospital, present, etc) and where the unit is located when the roll was called. These rolls name the patron's father by last name, and show all the other men he served with, which helps when looking through photos of Army buddies and friends in old photographs and correspondence. The patron can consult the NRPC regarding access to the muster rolls in person, or if a researcher can do so on their behalf.

4) When your patron is finished researching muster rolls, they will want to move on to the daily morning reports, which are also on microfilm at the National Personnel Records Center in St. Louis. Each day, the officer in charge would write a short description of events, furloughs, movements, and other occurrences. These are hand written, and depending on the officer, will vary in quality of information. With a good record keeper, your patron can discover the daily experiences of
his/her father during the war, and can find out when and where they went on leave, as well as the extra curricular activities planned out for the servicemen during holidays and special events. The patron can consult the NRPC regarding access to the daily morning reports in person, or if a researcher can do so on their behalf.

5) There are often a lot of local resources on WWII veterans, from photographs, articles, World War II honor books, and other publications which may be stored at a local level. These can take some time to track down, but they may contain other useful information.

Side Note - There are two quick resources your patron can use to get started on research if they haven't already sought them out. The first are the WWII Draft Cards on Ancestry, and the second are the WWII Enlistment Cards on Fold3. Some people have both, but most people have at least one card, either a draft or an enlistment card. The enlistment cards can assist in confirming service information on a basic level, so your patron will want to search for one while waiting for records from the NRPC.

Finally, there is a great book available by Jennifer Holik entitled Stories from the World War II Battlefield 2nd edition: Reconstructing Army, Air Corps, and National Guard Service Records (Volume 1) (https://www.amazon.com/Stories-World-War-Battlefield-Reconstructing/dp/1938226348/ref=sr_1_5?keywords=Jennifer+Holik+World+War+II&qid=1573065157&sr=8-5), which provides a detailed guide on what type of records are available, how to access them, and how to expand a search into European records. This book is available through ILL, which should help the budget for this project.

If anyone is curious why I wrote a dissertation on the topic at hand before lunchtime, I have been writing and researching World War I topics for several years, and I published my first genealogy guide on the subject last year. If any patrons need help with this, they can sign up for a free guide, which will be delivered in PDF format to their e-mail inbox, from the World War I Centennial Commission website -https://www.worldwar1centennial.org/index.php/commemorate/family-ties/wwi-genealogy-research-guide.html (https://www.worldwar1centennial.org/index.php/commemorate/family-ties/wwi-genealogy-research-guide.html).

If you need any additional help, let me know.

Cheers,
Debra

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Hello;
I'm hoping to have a patron send off for her father's military records from WWII (if they exist.) The online form from the Archives is asking for a 'service number.' Is this required? Does anyone know how I could locate it? I saw his serial number, but I think that's different.
Also...did individuals sometimes register for the draft and then decide to volunteer before their number was called? I have a WWII draft card and a WWII Army enlistment record that have very similar information. They might be for the same person, but I'm not sure, since questions asked are not always the same. For example, one asks for next of kin and the other does not.
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*Subject:* RE: [Genealib] missing or not accessible newspaper visualization

There?s another website (non-Stanford) that appears to have re-published the same information, including the visualization:
I have been using the web site:
https://www.stanford.edu/group_ruralwest/cgi-bin_drupal_visualizations_us-5Fnewspapers
which plots over 140,000 newspapers published over three centuries in the United States.

However when I click the bookmarked link which I have [last used in May 2019] it asks me to log in to Stanford University. Does anyone have the public link to the searchable database? Thanks for any help.

Larry Naukam
If I were to venture a guess, radio began to become more widespread and available to the masses after World War I; and television became more widely available right after World War II. Now it appears that the Internet will kill off the print editions of the remaining newspapers.

On Wed, Nov 13, 2019 at 2:06 PM William Forsyth <William.Forsyth at proquest.com> wrote:

> My mistake. The greatest peak appears to have been in 1914, with 17,131 newspapers. [It's hard to control the animation.] However, there was a noticeable decline beginning after 1945, too. The two World Wars and the war economies appears to have had a direct effect on newspaper growth.
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> *From:* William Forsyth
Great idea, Larry. I also watched closely the change in the total newspaper count over time, with the peak around 1946. It would be fascinating to learn the reasons why the decline began right after WWII. Also, I wasn’t surprised to see heavy growth in the Midwest with all the small town newspapers that were published in the 20th Century.

Interesting topic. There are several side issues with this newspaper decline program as it relates to our field.

- How is a community’s history being preserved without a newspaper? Is somebody in each town capturing the important Facebook posts and organizing them? That is how I get my local news.

- Obituaries are expensive now with the surviving newspapers because they need income. I guess we are seeing answers develop there as to who records these. Funeral homes now publish the obituaries, the online vendors contract with them, and years down the road, we will have to filter for our community in order to get obituary collections (if those companies still exist).

- How are the surviving papers (print and electronic) being saved locally with the less opportunity to use microfilm as a preservation method? Some are being picked up by online vendors. Who knows how long these will last. Many libraries cannot now replace newspaper films that have been damaged by wear? masters gone,
companies folded. Small town newspapers may not be getting saved in many cases? film or digital or original.

Lots of issues in this area! We are in changing times.

Tom Neel, Library Director
Ohio Genealogical Society

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Do you think their research would be a great topic for a keynote or luncheon presentation at the RUSA Genealogy Preconference at ALA Annual, or even part of the main ALA Conference programming?

Genealib Readers, please feel free to chime in or contact me offline via email.

Bill

William J. Forsyth, PMP ? Senior Product Manager
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Thank you, Bill. I did find both of those. What I seek to do is put in a search for a specific town, which I used to be able to do at the Stanford site. The links do not appear to allow that.

It seems to be behind the Stanford Univ wall.

Larry Naukam

On Wed, Nov 13, 2019 at 3:47 PM William Forsyth <William.Forsyth at proquest.com> wrote:

I should have explained that the visualization is hyperlinked in the first sentence:

The Growth of US Newspapers, 1690-2011 <https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=http-3A__vimeo.com_26364172-3Fwidth-3D1080&d=DwMFaQ&c=WMhnfwkfN4LR6wX29ZSgFCZFf_hw4vy5MAv7iZJNaAD4&r=KG0y5FcT-lU3sPuFCHuYsDFDjPdgwuoLGkf5tKeZQ1M&m=HAHIVTFbNzTWJee9RlryibvDDV9JOLI_1S1gDWS-D4&s=3HBKZRIKDFnbclyln_wyZ90vuZUnEwmId9xdaVaqHKJ0&e=> from Geoff McGhee on Vimeo.

It's a really cool timeline.

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of genbook
Sent: Wednesday, November 13, 2019 1:23 PM
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The Growth of Newspapers Across the U.S.: 1690-2011
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From philipsutton at nypl.org  Wed Nov 20 17:56:06 2019
From: philipsutton at nypl.org (Philip Sutton)
Date: Wed, 20 Nov 2019 17:56:06 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] HS Genealogy / History Achievement Award, 2020
Message-ID: <CAGvAnk08ETLPgN-mKcy+7wkGVhXkYqzxEyNsTuPqJy3Nggr5aw@mail.gmail.com>

Dear all

The RUSA Genealogy and History Achievement Award Committee administers an annual award of $1,500 to a librarian, library, or publisher to encourage, recognize, and commend professional achievement in historical reference and research librarianship.

The HS Genealogy / History Achievement Award
<http://www.ala.org/rusa/hs-genealogy-history-achievement-award> is sponsored by ProQuest

We are looking for nominees for the 2020 award. If you know of anyone who has made an exceptional contribution to genealogy and history research, with regards to bibliography, book reviewing, indexing, professional association leadership, programs, and training, then we would like to hear from you. Preference is given to RUSA members.

You can nominate someone using the online form at https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdckyaakVjjrncWQfIIeaVt VibB3aXgWE9Wbl8IZXSN33g/viewform

Please let myself, Phil Sutton, or committee chair Helen E. Gbala know if you have any questions.

Thanks you for your time.

Phil
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From meganthelibrarian at gmail.com  Thu Nov 21 10:09:47 2019
From: meganthelibrarian at gmail.com (Megan Lewis)
Date: Thu, 21 Nov 2019 10:09:47 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Group opposing USCIS's proposed fee hikes
As many of you have probably heard, USCIS has proposed increasing fees for documents from the USCIS Genealogy program by over 400%.

A group of genealogists, historians and records access advocates created a website Records Not Revenue https://www.recordsnotrevenue.com/ to help people protest these hikes. Feel free to pass the link along.

Comments against the fee hikes are due December 16, 2019. Recordsnotrevenue.com has all the relevant contact information.

Megan Lewis,
USHMM reference librarian
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From nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov Thu Nov 21 17:19:34 2019
From: nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov (Nancy Maxwell)
Date: Thu, 21 Nov 2019 22:19:34 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Room divider panels
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Hi, List:

Have any of you purchased room divider panels to create a "private" workspace within a room? The genealogy room here was not originally designed to contain an archival processing space, but now I get to have one, and I'm looking for affordable prices on room divider panels. If you've had experience with these items, I'd appreciate knowing where you found them and what they cost.

Appreciate the help!

Nancy

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DEMCO is the place.
Arlene Miles
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> > |   Grapevine Public Library
Hello All!

Anyone got a working phone number for Heritage Archives? One that works and has a person on the other end. Maybe, you even have a name for someone there.

Thanks!

Mary

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Mary K. Mannix

Have you thought about shelves that would function to hold supplies in the Processing area. We have shelves that divide our genealogy are from our Archives Seating area. We love the shelves instead of a blank wall and they are very sturdy.
*The mission of the Middle Georgia Regional Library is to*

*connect all people to the information necessary to*

*improve their lives through excellent services and materials.*

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From dsmith at usf.edu Sun Nov 24 09:56:38 2019
From: dsmith at usf.edu (Smith, Andrew)
Date: Sun, 24 Nov 2019 14:56:38 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Benjamin Franklin's Family (Volume 1) - new book release
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Release Date November 8, 2019
FIRST MAJOR GENEALOGY OF BENJAMIN FRANKLIN’S FAMILY PUBLISHED

English Ancestry, First Volume in a Series, Now Available

[Boston, Massachusetts, November 2019] Benjamin Franklin’s Family is a decades-long project to document the family of noted Revolutionary War patriot Benjamin Franklin. The first book in this multi-part series, Volume 1: English Ancestors, can now be purchased at Amazon for $25.99.

This volume documents the history of the Franklin ancestors in England. The surname Franklin is a common one in England. Franklin families in Northamptonshire in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries were analyzed to determine which are related to Benjamin and which are not.

From Robert to Thomas, to Henry, to Thomas, to Josiah, five generations of Franklins show that the family was not associated just with the village of Ecton, but with villages across the county of Northamptonshire.

It also treats the families of the women who married into the family: Josiah’s first wife, Anne Child, Thomas’s wife Jane White, Henry’s wife Agnes Jones, and Thomas’s wife Margery Meadows.

Author Michael J. Leclerc, an accredited associate of the Board for Certification of Genealogists, states that “I am extremely pleased to help historians and genealogists alike see the members of this family and the contributions they have made.”

More details about the project are available at www.franklinsfam.com.

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