

ENGLAND & WALES GENEALOGY

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A Selected List of Research Materials

Most materials are located in 929.14xx, 929.24x, 941, 941.1 & 942 of the genealogy collection unless noted elsewhere. To locate any of the titles or subjects below, please use our online catalog: GeoWeb at <http://www.indian-river.lib.fl.us/geoweb.htm>. Some items are not catalogued and can be found in the areas indicated. In addition, there are numerous books that can be found in some of our Internet subscriptions such as HeritageQuest Online and AncestryPlus.

How-to Research in England or Wales

- *The Family Tree Detective: A Manual for Analyzing and Solving Genealogical Problems in England & Wales, 1538 to the Present Day.* By Colin D. Rogers
- *Record Offices: How to Find Them.* By Jeremy Gibson & Pamela Peskett
- *Finding West Country Ancestors.* By Maude Ashe
- *Essex: The Genealogist's Library Guide Vol 1. & 2.* By Stuart Raymond
- *In Search of Your British & Irish Roots.* By Angus Baxter
- *Genealogical Research in England & Wales Vol. 1-4.* Smith and Gardener
- *A Guide to English Historical Records.* By Alan Macfarlane
- *The Handy Book to English Genealogy.* By Rachael Mellen
- *Genealogical Resources in English Repositories.* By Jay Moulton
- *Tracing Your English Ancestors.* By Collin Rogers
- *In Search of Welsh Ancestry.* By Gerald Hamilton-Edwards
- *Welsh Family History: A Guide to Research.*
- *Ancestral Trails: The Complete Guide to British Genealogy & Family History.* By Mark Herber
- *A Genealogist's Guide to Discovering Your English Ancestors.* By Paul Milner & Linda Jonas

Atlases, Maps and Gazetteers

- England- 1837-1851, Census Districts and Towns/ Reverse: 1852-1946. (Map Drawer 11, Map # 134)
- Great Britain- Ireland – 1972 Road Map. (Map Drawer 11, Map # 260)
- *A Gazetteer of Historic Lincolnshire for Family & Local Historians*
- *The Counties of Britain: A Tudor Atlas.* By John Speed
- *Atlas of British History.* By Martin Gilbert
- *The County Maps of Old England.* By Thomas Moule
- *Place Names of Great Britain and Ireland.* By John Field
- *The Illustrated Road Book of England & Wales.*
- *The Concise Oxford Dictionary of English Place-Names.* By Elert Ekwall
- *This Lovely Land of Wales: Guide to Wales*
- *Genealogical Gazetteer of England.* By Frank Smith
- Baedeker Books: *Handbook of London*, 1908 Ed; *Great Britain*, 1901Ed, *Great Britain*, 1890 Ed.
- Traveller Guides and Gazetteers: *Kent*, 1950 Ed; *Sussex*, 1957 Ed; *Hampshire*, 1949 Ed; *Isle of Wight*, 1909 Ed; *Cornwall*, 1959 Ed; *Gloucestershire*, 1917 Ed; *English Lake District*, 1922 Ed; *Murehead's Wales*, 1922 Ed.

Audio Cassette

- *Records of the Justices of Peace in England & Wales* by Ian Swinnerton – NGS 1992

Cemetery Records

- *Greater London Cemeteries & Crematoria.* By Patricia Wolfston

Census Records

- *Domesday Book. Vol. 1-38.* (Statistical Survey of England in 1086 A.D. It is a census of the population and productive resources of the country, of their value and of who held them.)
- *Lists of Londoners.* By Jeremy Gibson & Heather Creaton
- *Pre- 1841 Censuses & Population Listings.* Colin Chapman
- *Falaise Roll: Recording Prominent Companions of William, Duke of Normandy at the Conquest of England..* By M. Jackson Crispin
- *Census Returns, 1841-1891, in Microfilm: A Directory to Local Holdings in Great Britain, Channel Islands, Isle of Man.* By Jeremy Gibson
- *Local Census Listings, 1522-1930: Holdings in the British Isles.* By Jeremy Gibson
- *Poll Books, c 1696-1872: A Directory to Local Holdings in Great Britain.* By Jeremy Gibson
- *Militia Lists & Musters, 1757-1876: A Directory of Holdings in the British Isles.* By Jeremy Gibson
- *Poor Law Union Records Vol 1-4*

City Directories – See Pathfinder # 10 (England, Scotland, Wales & Ireland City/County Directories)

Court Records

- *Researching British Probates 1354-1858.*
- *Lord Mayor's Court of London- Depositions 1640-1736.* By Peter Coldham
- *Quarter- Session Records for Family Historian.* By Jeremy Gibson
- *English Estates of American Settlers: American Wills and Administrations in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, 1800-1858.* By Peter Coldham
- *English Estates of American Colonists: American Wills and Administrations in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, 1750-1800.* By Peter Coldham
- *An Index to the Wills Proved in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, 1750-1800.*
- *Wills From the Archdeaconry of Suffolk Vol 1-2.* By Marion E. Allen
- *Index to Wills and Administrations Formerly Preserved in the Probate Registry, Chester, 1831-1833.*
- *Researching British Probates, 1354-1858: A Guide to the Microfilm Collection of the Family History Library.* By David H. Pratt
- *Norfolk and Norwich Hearth Tax Assessment, Lady Day, 1666.* By P. Seaman
- *Pre-1858 English Probate Jurisdictions: Nottinghamshire: A Genealogical Research Guide to Probate Courts Having Jurisdiction in Nottinghamshire.*
- *English Wills: Probate Records in England and Wales.* By Peter Walne
- *English Wills of Colonial Families.* By Noel Curren-Briggs
- *Somerset House Wills From 1858.* By Eve McLaughlin

Emigration and Immigration

- *American Colonists in English Records.* By George Sherwood
- *British Deportees to America- 1760-1775*
- *Colonial Settlers and English Adventurers.*
- *English Estates of American Colonists.* By Peter Coldham
- *Emigrants in Chains, 1607-1776.* By Peter Coldham
- *The Complete Book of Emigrants in Bondage, 1614-1775.* By Peter Coldham
- *More Emigrants in Bondage-1614-1775.* By Peter Coldham
- *English Origins of American Colonists: From the New York Genealogical and Biographical Record.*
- *Records of Emigrants from England & Scotland to North Carolina, 1774-1775*
- *Lincolnshire Convicts to Australia, 1788-1840.* By C.L Anderson
- *The Bristol Registers of Servants Sent to Foreign Plantations, 1654-1686.* By Peter Coldham
- *Immigrants to America Appearing in English Records.* By Frank Smith
- *Omitted Chapters from Hotten's Original List of Persons of Quality and Others Who Went From Great Britain to the American Plantations.*

Heraldry, Crests, Royalty

- *A genealogical history of the dormant, abeyant, forfeited, and extinct peerages of the British empire*
- *Visitation of England and Wales* – 21 Vols.
- *The blood royal of Britain* – 5 Vols.
- *Royalty for commoners : the complete known lineage of John of Gaunt, son of Edward III, king of England, and Queen Philippa*
- *Crozier's general armory : a registry of American families entitled to coat armor*
- *The Plantagenet ancestry of King Edward III and Queen Philippa*

Military

- *In search of the "forlorn hope" : a comprehensive guide to locating British regiments and their records (1640-WWI)* – 2Vols. + Supplement
- *British army pensioners abroad, 1772-1899*

Periodicals and Large Collections

- *The British Library Harleian Manuscript 433. Vol 1-4.* Horrox & Hammond
- *Lincolnshire Family History Society*
- *Lincolnshire Family Historian*
- *Track Your British Ancestry (Family Tree Magazine)*
- *Society for Lincolnshire History & Archaeology*
- *Historical Society of West Wales Transactions Vol. 2-9*
- *South Wales and Monmouth Record Society Vol. 3-5*

Religion

- *Key to the Ancient Parish Registers* by Arthur Burke
- *Cheshire Parish Registers 1909.*
- *The Ancient Parishes, Townships and Chapelries of Cheshire.*
- *A List of Parishes in Boyd's Marriage Index*
- *Nonconformist Records: A Brief Introduction*
- *Bishop's Transcriptions and Marriage Licenses, Bonds and Allegations: A Guide to Their Location and Index* by Jeremy Gibson
- *List of Parish Registers and Other Genealogical Works* Edited by Frederick Arthur Crisp
- *The Phillimore Atlas and Index of Parish Registers*
- *Catholic Missions and Registers, 1700-1880* by Michael Gandy
- *My Ancestors Were Congregationalists in England & Wales: With a List of Registers* by D.J.H. Clifford
- *The Parish Chest: A Case Study of the Records of Parochial Administration in England* by William E. Tate
- *Parish Register Copies in the Library of the Society of Genealogists (Great Britain)*
- *A Parish Finder for England* by Graham Jaunay
- *My ancestors were Methodists: how can I find out more about them?* by William Leary

Special Collections

- *English Counties in Old Photographs.* 83 Volumes ---Each book contains hundreds of 19th and 20th century photographs and descriptions of many different English counties, regions and villages. Check the online catalog for the town or county.

Video

- *The Genealogists Video Research Guide: Research in England and Wales* – Part 1, Civil Registration; Part 2, Parish Registers; Part 3, Census and Probate
- *The Family Historian – English Genealogy* - #64

Vital Records

- *Coroner's Records in England and Wales* by Jeremy Gibson
- *Berkshire Parish, England Marriage Records, 1538-180* by Larry Scheuer

- *Canterbury Marriage Licenses*
- *Cheshire Parish Registers Vol.1, Marriages*

English & Welsh Surnames

- *4500 Derbyshire Names: (1608-1701)*. By John Palmer
- *A Dictionary of English Surnames*. By Percy H. Reaney
- *A History of Surnames of the British Isles: A Concise Account of Their Origin, Evolution, Etymology, and Legal Status*. By C. Ewen
- *Welsh Surnames and Given Names: And Their Meanings*. By Annie Lloyd
- *A Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames: With Special American Instances*.
- *The Surnames of Wales: For Family Historians and Others*. By John Rowlands
- *The Origin of English Surnames*. By Percy H. Reaney
- *Our English Surnames: Their Sources and Significations*.

Web Sites

www.britishislesgenweb.org - British Isles Gen Web Project
www.old-maps.co.uk - Access to Britain's most extensive digital historical map archive.
www.excel.net/~nclark - Lincolnshire Genealogical Research