

Ancestry Tips

Searching

Choose your topic or subject first and then enter a name to search. This will help narrow your search and cut down on the number of bad hits.

Use the card catalog to locate records by state or topic.

If you are unable to find results when entering a name, use the "exact" option. This limits the search to spellings that sound the same as what you are looking for. You can also use the "exact to this place" option to only search in the chosen location.

Printing

To print entire page:

Click on the tool icon



Choose print

Print entire image

Continue

Print

To print an enlarged section:

Use the "+" to enlarge section

Click on tool icon

Choose print

Print zoomed view

Continue

Print

For printing of the 1790-1900 censuses, choose portrait. For the 1910-1940 censuses, choose landscape.

Help

Use the learning center tab to read helpful articles on genealogy research. The charts and forms tab has downloadable charts and forms to help you keep your research organized.