

# A LIST OF SOURCES

## Personal & Family Records:

- Personal Knowledge
- Family Knowledge
- Personal Interview
- Family Bible
- Lineages
- Genealogies
- Histories
- Bulletins / newsletters
- Coat of Arms
- Journals
- Diaries
- Biographies
- Letters
- Photographs
- Autograph albums
- Scrapbooks
- Baby books
- Adoption Record
- Wedding book
- Legal papers
- Funeral program
- Memorial cards
- Heirlooms
- Farm records
- Health records
- Military records

## Certificates:

- Birth
- Marriage
- Death
- Divorce
- Adoption
- Graduation
- Christening
- Baptism
- Confirmation
- Ordination
- Apprenticeship
- Achievement
- Award

## City Directories:

- Directory
- Phone book

## Health:

- Hospital records
- Medical records
- Immunization records
- X-rays
- Insurance papers
- Vaccination papers

## School Records:

- Diploma
- Report card
- Honor Roll
- Awards
- Transcripts
- Yearbooks
- Publications
- Scholarship

## Insurance:

- Life
- Fire
- Automobile
- Accident
- Health
- Property

## Newspapers:

- Indexes
- Births
- Deaths
- Engagements
- Marriages
- Anniversaries
- Advertisements
- Announcements
- Society page
- Local news
- Obituaries

## Local Histories:

- Public libraries
- County histories
- Town histories
- Historical Societies

## Censuses:

- Federal Census Indexes
- Federal Census 1790
- Federal Census 1800
- Federal Census 1810
- Federal Census 1820
- Federal Census 1830
- Federal Census 1840
- Federal Census 1850
- Federal Census 1860
- Federal Census 1870
- Federal Census 1880
- Federal Census 1890
- Federal Census 1900
- Federal Census 1910
- Federal Census 1920
- Federal Census 1930
- Mortality schedules
- Agriculture
- Manufacturers
- State Censuses

## Church Records:

- Birth
- Blessing
- Baptism
- Confirmation
- Ordination
- Banns
- Marriage
- Divorce
- Annulment
- Death
- Burial
- Membership list
- Minister records
- Minutes
- Mission reports

## Marriage Records:

- Banns
- Intention
- License
- Return

**Divorce:**

- Papers

**Land Records:**

- Deed
- Mortgage
- Survey
- Patent
- Land grant
- Map
- Lease
- Tax notices
- Abstract of Title
- Estate Records
- Financial Records
- Water rights

**Probate Records:**

- Will
- Administration
- Inventory
- Bond
- Settlement
- Packet
- Guardianship

**Civil and Legal Activity:**

- Bonds
- Summons
- Subpoena
- Guardian papers
- Contracts
- Bounty awards

**Court Records:**

- Docket
- Minutes
- Order
- Decree
- Judgement
- Case file

**Court Related Records:**

- Police
- Jail / prison
- Jury
- Justice of Peace
- Voter registration
- Brands

**Licenses:**

- Business
- Occupation
- Professional
- Hunting
- Fishing
- Firearms
- Drivers
- Motor vehicle

**Tax Records:**

- Poll tax
- Property tax
- Real estate tax

**Employment Records:**

- Indenture
- Apprenticeship
- Citations
- Achievement award
- Disability records
- License
- Income tax records
- Union records
- Pension
- Personnel
- Social Security
- Severance records
- Retirement

**Military Records:**

- Service
- Pension
- Disability
- National Guard
- Citations
- Service medals
- Ribbons
- Insignias
- Selective Service
- Bounty award
- Discharge records
- Sword / firearms
- Uniform
- Burial

**Immigrant Records:**

- Passenger lists
- Passport
- Visa
- Crew list
- Citizenship papers
- Voter registration
- Customs records
- Naturalization
- Application for naturalization
- Alien registration
- Deportment papers

**Institutional Records:**

- Charity
- Hospital
- Convent
- Seminary
- Library
- Asylum
- Sanitarium
- Historical society
- Genealogical

**Collections:**

- Indexes
- Newspapers
- Personal papers
- Correspondence
- Surname files
- Biographies
- D.A.R. (Daughters of the American Revolution)
- D.U.P. (Daughters of the Utah Pioneers)

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