

OHIO GENEALOGY

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This guide provides an overview of resources for Ohio research available in the Special Collections Department. Most Ohio books are shelved in call numbers beginning with 977.1. The department also has many additional items not listed here, many of which are locale-specific. Consult the online catalog at www.slcl.org or ask for assistance at the Special Collections Reference Desk.

Call numbers and other location information follow each entry. Books with call numbers beginning with “R” may be used in the library only. *Ancestry* is an online database available on computers at all St. Louis County Library branches.

GENERAL RESOURCES AND GUIDES

Bell, Carol Willsey. *Ohio Guide to Genealogical Sources*. Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical Pub. Co., 1988. Call no. 977.1 B433O.

Schweitzer, George Keene. *Ohio Genealogical Research*. Knoxville, Tennessee: G.K. Schweitzer, 1994. Call no. 977.1 S413O.

Sperry, Kip. *Genealogical Research in Ohio*. Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical Pub., 2003. Call no. 929.1 S751G.

CEMETERY GUIDES AND RECORDS

Bentley, Elizabeth P. *Ohio Cemetery Records: Extracted from The Old Northwest Genealogical Quarterly*. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company., 1984. Call no. R 977.1 O37 and 977.1 O37.

Ohio Genealogical Society. *Ohio Cemeteries, 1803-2003*. Mansfield, Ohio: Ohio Genealogical Society, 2003. Call no. Q 977.1 O37.

Ohio Genealogical Society. *Ohio Cemeteries*. Mansfield, Ohio: Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998. Call no. Q 977.1 O37

COUNTY AND CITY RECORDS

Materials for Individual counties are shelved together under a common Dewey Decimal Call Number. Call numbers for counties are posted in the Department and on its website under “Guides.” For assistance, please inquire at the Special Collections Reference Desk.

Ancestry includes a variety of county and city-specific databases. On the *Ancestry* homepage, click the “Search” tab. On the next screen, scroll down to the section titled, “Browse by Location” and click on the link for New York. A list of available databases will result.

LAND AND TAX RECORDS

- Knepper, George W. *The Official Ohio Lands Book*. Columbus Ohio: Auditor of State., 2002.
Call no. R 977.1 K68O.
- Jackson, Ronald Vern. *Index, Ohio Tax Lists, Volume 1, 1806-1810*. West Jordan, Utah: Genealogical Services, 1988. Call no. R 977.1 J13I.
- Jackson, Ronald Vern. *Ohio U. S. Military Land Grants, 1787-1801*. West Jordan, UT: Genealogical Services., 1998. Call no. R 977.1 J13O and 977.1 J13O
- Powell, Esther Weygandt. *Early Ohio Tax Records*. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company., 1985. Call no. R 977.1 P882E and 977.1 P882E.

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

- Bowers, Ruth and Anita Short. *Gateway to the West*. (2 volumes). Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company., 1989. Call no. R 977.1 B786G and 977.1 B786G.
- Green, Karen Mauer. *Pioneer Ohio Newspapers, 1802-1818: Genealogical and Historical Abstracts*. Galveston: Frontier Press., 1988. Call no. R 977.1 G796P and 977.1 G 796P.
- Ohio Source Records from The Ohio Genealogical Quarterly*. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company. Call no. 977.1 O37.

MAPS AND GAZETTEERS

- Atlases for some Ohio counties are shelved with the oversized books beginning with call numbers 977.1 and R 977.1.
- Overton, Julie M. *Ohio Towns and Townships to 1900: A Location Guide*. Camden, Me: The Penobscot Press, 2000. Call no. 977.1 O96O.

OHIO HISTORY

- Fess, Simeon D. *Ohio: A Four-Volume Reference Library on the History of a Great State* (4 volumes). Chicago: Lewis, 1937. Call no. R 977.1 F413O
- Galbreath, C. B. *History of Ohio* (5 volumes). Chicago : The American Historical Society, Inc., 1925.
Call no. R 977.1 G148H and Q 977.1 G148H
- Howe, Henry, 1816-1893. *Historical Collections of Ohio: An Encyclopedia of the State*. (2 volumes). State of Ohio, 1888. Call no. R 977.1 H856H and Q 977.1 H856H

VITAL RECORDS

- Bell, Carol Willsey. *Ohio Divorces: The Early Years*. Boardman, Ohio: Bell Books, 1994.
Call no. Q977.1 B433O
- Bell, Carol Willsey. *Ohio Wills and Estates to 1850: An Index*. Columbus, Ohio: C. W. Bell., 1981.
Call no. R 977.1 B433O and Q 977.1 B433O.

Nathan, Jean. *Ohio Marriages Recorded in County Courts Through 1820: An Index*. Mansfield, Ohio: Ohio Genealogical Society, 1996. Call no. R 977.1 O37 and 977.1 O37

Ohio Genealogical Society. *Ohio Marriages Recorded in County Courts, 1 Jan 1821-31 Dec 1830*. Mansfield, Ohio: Ohio Genealogical Society, 2003. Call no. R 977.1 O37 and 977.1 O37

“Ohio Deaths, 1908–1932, 1938–1944 and 1958–2002.” Database online. *Ancestry*.

“Ohio Marriages, 1803–1900.” Database online. *Ancestry*.

Smith, Marjorie Corinne. *Ohio Marriages Extracted from The Old Northwest Genealogical Quarterly*. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company, 1980. Call no. R 977.1 S655O and 977.1 S655O

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