13. Using Newspapers for Genealogical Research: An Introduction

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Lecture Outline:

- What will we be talking about?
- Types of information found in newspapers
- Newspaper Sources: Digital vs. Paper/Microfilm
- First Website: Ancestor Hunt
- Second Website: Chronicling America
- Third Website: Newspapers.com
- Next steps
- Some suggestions

Links from lecture:

Ancestor Hunt: lists of links by location to newspaper resources, both free and subscription.

Chronicling America: Library of Congress website for historic newspapers, free

Newspapers.com: Subscription newspaper website

<u>"The Family Tree Historical Newspapers Guide"</u> by James M. Beidler (2018, Family Tree Books). Available in paperback or kindle.