



Vancouver Public Library

Genealogical Resources

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Recent Additions to the Collection

Items listed below without a REF. designation may be borrowed. Call 604-331-3603 to request a book, or place your request online at www.vpl.ca. REF. items must be used in the library.

1918 Census of Independent Doukhobors: Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta & British Columbia by Jonathan J. Kalmakoff, 2002 (REF.929.3712 K14n)

Alaska Sources: A Guide to Historical Records and Information Resources by Connie Malcolm Bradbury and David Albert Hales, 2001 (REF.929.373 B79a)

Assiniboia East: Index to the Census of Canada 1891, edited by Eileen P. Condon, 1990 (REF.929.37124 A84c)

Births, Deaths, Marriages from Regina Leader, 1900-1905 / compiled & edited by John L. Marley, 1991 (REF.929.37124 M34a)

Books You Need to Do Genealogy in Ontario, 2nd ed., by Ryan Taylor, 2000 (929.3713 T24b1)

British Columbia War Memorials: An Index of Names, revised ed., published by British Columbia Genealogical Society, 1990 (REF.929.3711 B86b)

China Connection: Finding Ancestral Roots for Chinese in America, revised 2nd ed. Ed. by Jeanie W. Chooy Low, 1994 (REF.929.351 L91c)

Creating Your Family Heritage Scrapbook: From Ancestors to Grandchildren, Your Complete Resource & Idea Book for Creating a Treasured Heirloom by Maria Given Nerius and Bill Gardner, 2001 (929.1 N44c)

Cyndi's List: A Comprehensive List of 70,000 Sites on the Internet, 2nd ed., 2 vol., by Cyndi Howells, 2001 (REF. 929.10285 H85c2)

District of Alberta: Index to the Census of Canada, 1891, edited by Eileen P. Condon, 1998 (REF.929.37123 D61c)

District of Saskatchewan: Index to the Census of Canada 1891, edited by Eileen P. Condon, 1992 (REF.929.37124 D61c)

German Maps & Facts for Genealogy by Wendy Uncapher and Linda Herrick, 2001 (REF.929.343 U54g)

The Handy Book for Genealogists: United States of America / Everton Publishers, 1999. 9th ed. (REF.929.373 H23e)

Index of Newspapers, 1902-1914, in Delta, British Columbia / Delta Diggers Genealogy Group, 1998 (REF.929.3711 I38a)

Index to Ontario Settlement Names Resulting from the OGS Strays Project by David J. Browne, 1998 (REF. 929.3713 B882i)

Index to the Upper Canada Land Books, vol.3&4, Susan Smart, general editor, 2001 (REF.929.3713 I383s)

King's Daughters and Founding Mothers: the Filles du roi, 1663-1673 by Peter J. Gagne. 2nd ed., 2 vol. 2001 (REF.929.3714 G13k)

Lands of the German Empire and Before by Wendy Capher, 2000 (REF.943.083 U54L)

Ontario Local Records: Perth Military Settlement, 1816-1822 [microfilm], published by the Public Archives of Canada, 1971 (REF.MICROFILM 929.3713 O5911p)

R.C.M.P. Obituary Index, 1933-1989, rev.ed., compiled by Norman G. Wilson, 1990 (REF.929.371 W75r)

Researching Your Family History in Newfoundland and Labrador, rev.ed., compiled by Dianne C. Jackman, 2002 (REF.929.3718 J12r)

The Sleuth Book for Genealogists: Strategies for More Successful Family History Research by Emily Anne Croom, 2000 (929.1 C94s)

Strays!: an Index to the OGS Strays Project, 8 vol., published by *Ontario Genealogical Society*, 1996-2001 (REF. 929.3713 S91o)

UE Loyalists & Military Claimants of Upper Canada: Registered Warrants & Fiats, 1798-1865 by Barbaranne Wright, 2001 (REF.929.3713 W94u)

Your Guide to Cemetery Research by Sharon DeBartolo Carmack, 2002 (929.5 C28y)

Your Guide to the Family History Library by Paula S. Warren, 2001 (929.2 W286y)

Genealogy Programs at the Vancouver Public Library

The History and Government Division offers free genealogy workshops, once or twice a month. Winter 2003 workshop dates:

- **Genealogy on the Internet**
Saturday, February 15
9:00-11:00 a.m.
- **Chinese-Canadian Genealogy**
Tuesday, February 18
1:30-3:30 p.m.
- **Getting Started in Genealogy**
Saturday, March 15
9:00-11:00 a.m.

All workshops take place at the Central Library, 350 West Georgia Street. Pre-registration is required. Please call 604-331-3603, or visit the History & Government Division on Level 6.

VPL website: www.vpl.ca

Genealogy Programs Elsewhere in the Lower Mainland

Saturday, March 22 / 03

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Canadian Birth, Marriage and Death Records at the Cloverdale Library

Cloverdale Library

Cost: \$10.00

More information: 604-576-1384 (local 6)

Saturday, March 29 / 03

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Resources for Genealogy at the UBC Library

Cloverdale Library

Cost: \$10.00

More information: 604-576-1384 (local 6)

1906 Census Released

1906 census records were turned over to the public on Friday, January 24, following an announcement by Industry Minister Allan Rock and Heritage Minister Sheila Copps.

The special census of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta was taken following the entry of the latter two provinces into Confederation in 1905.

Release of the records had previously been blocked by Statistics Canada, and had been the subject of vigorous lobbying by researchers and genealogists. Negotiations between Statistics Canada and the National Archives led to the release.

The Vancouver Public Library will be purchasing the 11 microfilm reels that make-up the 1906 census. Digitized versions of the records can be viewed on the Library and Archives of Canada website, at www.archives.ca

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