Newspaper Sources

Where to Search on the Internet

Ancestry.com
www.Ancestry.com
British On-Line Newspaper Library
http://www.uk.olivesoftware.com/
Boston Globe
Brooklyn Daily Eagle (1841-1902)
http://www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org/eagle/
Genealogy Bank.com
http://www.genealogybank.com/qbnk/newspapers.html
Godfrey Library (See Below)
http://www.godfrey.org
Google News Archive
http://news.google.com/archivesearch
Historical New York Times (Times Select)
(free 14 day trial)
Los Angeles Times
http://www.latimes.com/
NewsBank, Inc.
http://www.newsbank.com/
Newslink – CA newspapers (can access other states too)
http://newslink.org/canews.html
Newspaper Archive.com
On-line Newspapers.com
http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/index.htm
Paperboy
http://www.cyberpaperboy.com/
Small Town Newspapers
http://www239.smalltownpapers.com/smalltownpapers/jsp/stphome.jsp
Today’s Front Pages
Do a "Google" search by typing in the name of your town or newspaper to see if it is offered.

***Look at various state libraries/archives for newspapers for their towns and then borrow microfilms by Interlibrary Loan.

The list of how to contact the state libraries/archives are on Cyndi’s List which can be accessed at: http://www.cyndislist.com/lib-state.htm

**Libraries With ProQuest Historical Newspapers & Ancestry.com and Heritage Quest Access**

Best way to access the historical newspapers from inception is to gain access to a university library through an active employee or active student- alumni are not usually granted access to this data base.

**County of Los Angeles Public Library**
http://colapublib.org/periodicals/index.html

County of Los Angeles Public Library (COLA) has a subscription to Heritage Quest which includes the US census since 1790-1930 (the most recently released census to the public)- which is accessible from both the library and remotely from your home computer. You must have a LA County Library Card to access this research site remotely.

COLA a subscription to ProQuest historical newspapers, however, many of the subscriptions do not go back before the late 1980’s to the current. Full text of nine national U.S. newspapers from 1986 to current: Atlanta Constitution Journal, Barron’s; Boston Globe; Christian Science Monitor; Denver Post; New York Times; USA Today; Wall Street Journal and the Washington Post. Enter the specific newspaper title in the "Publication Title" box of the "More Search Options" link on the search screen to locate articles specifically in a given newspaper, or click on the tab, "publications" to see the extensive list of newspapers, including the ProQuest Historical newspapers.

**Los Angeles Public Library (LAPL)**
630 West Fifth St. (between Grand and Flower, downtown)
Los Angeles, California 90071-2097
History & Genealogy Department  
Tom Bradley Wing  
Lower Level 4.  
Telephone: Information, Main Number (213) 228 7000  
http://www.lapl.org/  
The closest LAPL to the Conejo Valley and Ventura County is the Woodland Hills branch (818)-226-0017  

There is no charge for a library card.  

ProQuest access to the Los Angeles Times Historical Database (1881-1985) is available on site or with a library card-holder password. The LAPL also has a subscription to ProQuest Newspapers which includes the more recent LA Times, Wall Street Journal, Washington Post, and Christian Science Monitor. The LAPL also has ProQuest Newstand available and includes hundreds of newspapers from the 1990’s- to current date.  

Ancestry.com Library edition- on-site only  
www.lapl.org/central/history.html  

**Newspapers (Microfilm copies):** All general city newspapers are located in the Department of History and Genealogy. Los Angeles newspapers are well represented in the microfilm collection. Newspapers from several other major cities are available, including the Chicago Tribune 1849 -, New York Times 1851 -, Times of London 1785 -, San Diego Union and San Francisco Chronicle 1869 - Denver Post, and the Boston Globe. (See the three ring binder listing all the newspapers and their dates at the reference desk.)  

**Brimhall Thousand Oaks Library**  
1401 E. Janss Road  
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360  
805-449-2660  
www.tol.lib.ca.us  

The Brimhall Thousand Oaks Library (TO Library) has a subscription to **Ancestry.com library-edition** This subscription is only accessible for research at the library.  

The TO Library also has subscription to the **ProQuest Historical LA Times.**  
And **Heritage Quest for US Census 1790-1930**-( the most recently released census to the public). Both of these sources are available remotely with a Thousand Oaks Library Card.
A Thousand Oaks Library card is obtainable for non-Thousand Oaks residents for $70 per year per single card.

**Ventura County Library System**

There are 15 libraries comprising the Ventura County Library System. They are all sharing the same computer system for databases and resources. You need a Ventura County Library Card to access the databases from your home computer. You do not need to live in one of the Ventura County communities to obtain a free library card. See the website below for locations of the 15 branches.

The Ventura County Library System has subscriptions to ProQuest Historical Newspapers (Los Angeles Times (1881-1985) and New York Times (1851-2003) and 350 other newspapers from 1980’s forward, and America’s Newspapers. They are accessible remotely by using your Ventura County Library card.
http://www.vencolibrary.org/

**Jewish/Yiddish Newspapers**

*Czernowitz Yiddish Newspapers*
http://www.ibiblio.org/yiddish/Tshernovits/npap/newspap.html

*The Forward and Yiddish Forward*
http://www.forward.com/

**Los Angeles Jewish Libraries and Museums**

*Hebrew Union College, Frances-Henry Library*
Facility Director: Dr. Yaffa Weisman yweisman@huc.edu
Hebrew Union College
Frances-Henry Library
3077 University Ave.
Los Angeles CA 90007
Telephone: (213) 749-3424
http://www.huc.edu/libraries/losangeles/

The Frances-Henry Library contains over 100,000 volumes of Judaica and Hebraica as well as periodicals, microfilms, records, tapes, and CD-ROMs covering every aspect of Jewish intellectual endeavor. The Library also houses the Joseph H. Rosenberg Branch of the American Jewish Archives, a
branch of the American Jewish Periodical Center, the Joseph Periodical Room, and the Jacob Sonderling Conference Room.

**Jewish Community Library, Peter M. Kahn Memorial**
6505 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90036
Telephone: (323) 761-8644
Website: www.JCLLA.org
Facility Director: Abigail Yasgur, Director
323) 761-8644

**Simon Wiesenthal Center Library and Archives**
1399 South Roxbury Drive (third floor)
Los Angeles, CA 90035-4709
Tel: 310-772-7605
http://www.wiesenthal.com/site/pp.asp?c=fwLYKnN8LzH&b=242509
library@wiesenthal.net

**University of Judaism Jack M. & Bell Ostrow Library**
15600 Mulholland Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90077
(310) 476-9777
http://library.uj.edu/

**Other Libraries**

**Godfrey Library (Middleton, CT)**
www.godfrey.org
$35/year subscription includes access to:

- Papers of Record
- NewsBank US and World Newspapers (1,400)
- Newspaper Archive.com
- Small Town Newspapers 1934-2005
- Early American Newspapers
- Various State Newspaper

British Newspaper Collection:
http://www.bl.uk/collections/britishnewspapers1800to1900.html
Yizkor Book Resources

JewishGen.org

Library of Congress
http://www.ibiblio.org/yiddish/LOC/yizkor.html

New York Public Library -Dorot Divison
NYPL has digitized 650 of the 700 post WWII Yizkor Books on-line- photographs included- not translated into English- easily downloaded to your computer
http://www.nypl.org/research/chss/jws/yizkorbooks_intro.cfm

National Yiddish Book Center-
David and Sylvia Steiner Yizkor Book Collection
http://www.yiddishbookcenter.org/+10151
Charges $120 to print a Yizkor Book on demand

Center for Jewish History (New York, NY)
www.cjh.org

Holocaust Center of Northern California
http://www.hcnc.org/yizkor.html

United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

Yad Vashem Library
http://www.isragen.org.il/ROS/ARCHIVES/AppendixA.html
This site was prepared by the Israel JGS.

Yale University Judaica Collection
http://www.library.yale.edu/judaica/yizkor.html

Yivo Institute For Jewish Research (New York, N.Y.)
Libraries in Los Angeles:

Hebrew Union College Frances-Henry Library
http://www.huc.edu/libraries/losangeles/

Simon Wiesenthal Museum Library/Yeshiva University
http://www.wiesenthal.com/site/pp.asp?c=fwLYKnN8LzH&b=242509

UCLA Library–Judaica Collection
http://www.library.ucla.edu/libraries/url/colls/judaica/yizkor.htm

University of Judaism
http://library.uj.edu/