



ALABAMA GENEALOGY

This guide contains a sample of The Newberry Library resources on this topic. Consult a reference librarian, the library web site, or catalog for more details.

CENSUS

All years available on-line at public access computers. Ask at 2nd floor reference desk. Also, 1820-1880 on microfilm complete with indexes. 1850 and 1860 mortality schedules shelved with census indexes.

Davis, Joyce. **Alabama early settlers, 1816: Alabama Counties – Mississippi Territory.** Hanceville, AL : Briarwood Press, 1983. Call # folio F325 D38 1983. This book lists all people living in counties that were later annexed into Alabama.

Return of the census of 1866 for counties [of Alabama] white and colored population. Call # Microfilm 983. Specify county.

GUIDES AND GENERAL WORKS

Barefield, Marilyn Davis. **Researching in Alabama: a genealogical guide.** Easley, S.C.: Southern Historical Press, c 1987. Call # Local History Ref Z1253 B37 1987 (2nd floor open shelf).

MAPS AND GAZETTEERS

Atlas of historical county boundaries: Alabama. New York: Simon & Schuster, c1996. Call # Local History Ref G1201 F7 A8 1993 Ala. (2nd floor open shelf).

Foscue, Virginia O. **Place names in Alabama.** Tuscaloosa: University of Alabama Press, c1989. Call # F324 F67 1989.

Dodd, Don. **Historical atlas of Alabama.** University, Ala.: University of Alabama Press, c1974. Call # G1340 D6 1974.

LAND RECORDS

Early land records are on the 2nd floor open shelf in the call number range Local History Ref F325 B358 1985 – F325 O53 1986.

Land records [computer file]. Call # Local History Ref CD ROM 15 (Ask at 2nd floor reference desk). See also <http://www.glorerecords.blm.gov/>

VITAL RECORDS AND LOCAL HISTORIES

Consult both the card and computer catalogs under the subject heading of the county in which you are interested.

Austin, Jeannette Holland. **Alabama Bible Records.** Riverdale, GA : J.H. Austin, 1987. Call # folio F325 .A97. Records spanning from 1700-1900s from 256 family bibles.

Daughters of the American Revolution. **Index to Alabama wills, 1808-1870.** [Ann Arbor?], 1955. Call # fK49.211. Index to probated wills in Alabama.

Foley, Helen S. **Marriage and death notices from Alabama newspapers and family records, 1819-1890.** Greenville, SC.: Southern Historical Press, reprinted 1992, c1981. Call # F325 F62 1992.

Saunders, James Edmonds. **Early settlers of Alabama.** Baltimore, Genealogical Pub. Co., 1969. Call # F873.8.

BIOGRAPHIES

Alabama Blue Book and Social Register. Birmingham, Ala. : Blue Book Pub. Co., 1927. Call # E 4873 .03.

Notable men of Alabama : personal and genealogical, with portraits. Atlanta : Southern Historical Assoc., 1904. Call # E4873 .24. 2 vols., indexed.

MILITARY RECORDS

Julich, Louise Milam. **Roster of Revolutionary soldiers and patriots in Alabama.** Montgomery, Ala: Parchment Press. Call # Local History Ref E255 J84 (2nd floor open shelf). Includes bibliographical references and indexes.

Gandrud, Pauline Myra. **Alabama soldiers (Revolution, War of 1812, and Indian wars).** [Hot Springs National Park, Ark.], 1975-. Call # E69.323. Specify surname. This is an ongoing series. As of 5/2001 the Newberry has through surnames starting with O.

Owen, Thomas McAdory. **Revolutionary soldiers in Alabama.** Montgomery, Ala: Brown Print. Call # Local History Ref E255 094 1911 (2nd floor open shelf).

Alabama 1907 Census of Confederate Soldiers. Cullman, Ala.: Gregarth Co. Call # varies. Consult the computer catalog under the name of the county as a subject heading.

PERIODICALS

Alabama genealogical exchange. Call # folio F321 A12. Vols. 1-3, 1984-1986.

The Alabama genealogical register. Call # E 69003.005. Vols. 1-10. 1959-1968.

The Alabama historical quarterly. Call # F321 A17. Newberry has vols. 18-44 (1956-1982). Tables of contents for all volumes can be found at:
<http://www.auburn.edu/~bamarev/ahistqtr.html>

The Alabama Review: a Quarterly Journal of Alabama History. Call # F321 A253. Newberry has vol. 1 – to date, except vols. 22-25. Tables of contents for all volumes can be found at:
<http://www.auburn.edu/~bamarev/arev56-.htm>