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New Free Resource - Searchable Journal Index

Did you know the *NCGS Journal* has been published quarterly since 1975 and it contains over 346,000 names? With thousands of pages of articles and transcribed records, it's a resource you don't want to miss. We recently launched a [new searchable journal index](#). This feature makes it easy to

check for many spelling variations and discover if your ancestor is may appear in a past issue of the *NCGS Journal*.

In addition to the searchable journal index, you can now search a comprehensive list of [NCGS Journal article titles](#), complete through Volume 46 (2020), Issue No. 1.

*Our search tables are powered by free wpDataTables – [WordPress Table Plugin](#).

Search the Journal Index

Volunteer with Us



We are looking for two enthusiastic individuals to fill the roles of **Publicity Chair** and **Publications Chair**. If you're passionate about genealogy and want to direct our publicity and marketing efforts or if you're interested in getting books into print and keeping resources accessible to researchers, consider volunteering for one of these positions. If you would like to know more about either position, contact Laurel Sanders at president@ncgenealogy.org.

We are also looking for Social Media Committee members and Board Members, specifically a secretary, treasurer, and director.

Immediate Volunteer Needs



Upcoming Webinar with Jill Morelli

Mark your calendars for tomorrow at 7:00 pm. We're looking forward to a live webinar with Jill Morelli. Her presentation, "A Salisbury Diary: Extracting Evidence for Context and Content," discusses context and it helps us understand the lives of our ancestors? You will learn how to conduct a search for manuscripts and integrate the experiences into the life events of another.

Contribute to the *NCGS Journal*



Dive into specialized topics and learn more about North Carolina genealogy with the *NCGS Journal*. Later this year, Volume 46 No. 4 will cover **migration into, across, or out of North Carolina**.

We are always on the lookout for contributions which may include **images, suggested resources, personal family stories, and interesting information about migration** that would benefit journal readers and genealogical researchers.

Please send any contributions to journaleditor@ncgenealogy.org by **June 15**.

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NCGS Helps Digitize Manuscript Collections



The North Carolina Genealogical Society is committed to promoting the collection, preservation, and utilization of manuscripts, documents, and other materials of genealogical and historical value. In the course of creating the *NCGS Journal*, manuscript records are located and often included in the published issues. Since 2016, sixteen collections have been digitized. These collections are found in local repositories and are now digitally accessible.

Your membership and donations make it possible to pursue preservation projects while producing high-quality programs, online content, and printed resources.

[Donate Today](#)

Help for Local North Carolina Genealogy Societies

Are you part of a local North Carolina Genealogy Society that's being impacted by Covid-19? [We are here to help!](#) We will host your regularly scheduled meeting online, at no cost to your society. We also have ten, pre-recorded webinars available for you to use, in case you don't have a speaker available.

[Covid-19 Help for Societies](#)

NCGS Tidbits

19 new members have joined NCGS.
NCGS member Robert McLaren died on March 17, 2020.

About the North Carolina Genealogical Society (NCGS)

NCGS has been helping people discover their North Carolina heritage since 1974. We aim to raise research standards through educational programs and publications, acquaint members with North Carolina research sources, and promote the preservation and access of genealogically significant materials.

Join today and uncover your Tar Heel story through our online resources, connection to our growing community of members, and exciting online and in-person educational opportunities.

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