Physical material

– Print – search SOLO; pre-1920 books in VHL stack

– Microforms
  • Travels in the Old South, New South, West & South west
## Online resources

### Bodleian databases

- Via SOLO/Databases A-Z
  - Early American Imprints I: Evans (1639-1800)
  - EEBO (1475-1700) and ECCO (1701-1800)
  - The Making of the Modern World (1450-1914)
  - The Making of Modern Law (1800-1926)

### Other online content (generally pre-1922)

- Making of America ([http://quod.lib.umich.edu/u/m/moagrp/](http://quod.lib.umich.edu/u/m/moagrp/))
- Library of Congress
NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES
Primary Sources
Individual newspaper & magazine archives online

- New York Times (1851-2014)
- Washington Post (1877-2001)
- San Francisco Chronicle (1865-1984)
- Chicago Defender, (1909-1975),
- New York Amsterdam News (1922-1993),
- Pittsburgh Courier (1911-2002)
- The Nation
- National Review
- The New Republic
- Vogue
Physical magazine titles held at Oxford


Newspaper & magazine collections

Early American Newspapers (microfilms, e-access from British Library)
Black Journals (microfilm) (early 20th C)

American Periodicals (1740-1940)
Ethnic American Newspapers from the Balch Collection (1799-1971)
19th Century US Newspapers
African American Newspapers, series I (1827-1998)
Ethnic NewsWatch (1959-)
Nexis UK, Factiva, Business Source Complete, ABI/INFORM (c. Last 20 years)
Periodicals Archive Online
Other online resources

• Chronicling America
  (chroniclingamerica.loc.gov) (1789-1963)

• Google News Archive
  (news.google.com/newspapers)

• Making of America
  (http://quod.lib.umich.edu/m/moagrp/)
  (19th C)

• Hathi Trust (www.hathitrust.org)

• newspapers.com (subscription required £)
UNPUBLISHED ARCHIVE MATERIAL

Primary Sources
Finding aids

- A guide to manuscripts relating to America in Great Britain and Ireland VHL Ref. E 178 .C74 1979
- ArchivesHub (UK) http://archiveshub.ac.uk
- ArchiveGrid http://beta.worldcat.org/archivegrid/
- SNAC https://snaccooperative.org/
- National Archives Catalog (US) www.archives.gov/research/catalog/
- Guide to visiting US archives libguides.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/us-archives
Physical archival material in Oxford

– VHL microfilm collections
– VHL Elections Archive
  www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/vhl/finding-resources/elections-archive
– Weston Library
  www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/weston/finding-resources/catalogues
Other online archives

• VHL’s Diigo page (www.diigo.com/user/vhllib)
• Library of Congress (www.loc.gov/collections)
• State digital libraries and Historical Associations (www.digitalstatearchives.com/)
• Hathi Trust (www.hathitrust.org)
• Flickr Commons (www.flickr.com/commons)
• Digital Public Library of America (dp.la)

Tips for finding sources on the web blogs.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/us-studies/2012/04/27/finding-primary-sources-on-the-web-for-us-history-some-tips/
Online Collections

- Virginia Company Archives
- Early Encounters in North America
- The American Revolution from a British Perspective, 1763-1783
- North American Immigrant Letters, Diaries, and Oral Histories
- North American Women’s Letters and Diaries
- The War of 1812: Diplomacy on the High Seas
- Migration to New Worlds, 1800-1924
- Slavery in America and the World: History, Culture and Law [via HeinOnline]
- Electing the President: Proceedings of the Democratic and Republican National Conventions (1832/56-1988)
- The American West
- African American Studies Center
Organised by time period, our online guide includes links to our online databases and other key resources for the study of US History.

[libguides.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/ushistory]
Biographical sources

- American National Biography
- World Biographical Archive
- Who’s Who in America via Nexis UK (most recent editions)

Who’s Who in America and American National Biography (older editions)

Biographical Directory of the United States Congress (bioguide.congress.gov)
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