A checklist of Resources

- **BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION**
  - Biographical Reference Bank – includes historical figures
  - Lexis-Nexis Academic Universe
  - Contemporary Authors (PAPER) - Ref PN771
  - Biography and genealogy master index (PAPER) – Ref CT213 .B55
  - Cops, crooks, and criminologists : an international biographical dictionary of law enforcement / Alan Axelrod, Charles Phillips, with Kurt Kemper. (PAPER) REF HV7911.A1 A94
  - Encyclopedia of crime and justice / Sanford H. Kadish. (PAPER) REF HV6017 .E52 1983
  - Biographical dictionary of social welfare in America / Walter I. Trattner. (PAPER) REF HV27 .B57 1986

- **BOOKS**
  - SU Library Catalog
  - Other Library Catalogs
    - EZ Borrow/PALCI (All academic libraries in PA)
    - ACCESS PA (All public libraries in PA)
  - Amazon.com

  If you have a Library Card at the **State Library of Pennsylvania** – http://www.statelibrary.state.pa.us
  American National Biography

  If you have a **Cumberland County Library card**
  - POWER Library – Biographical Reference Bank
  - POWER Library - Contemporary Authors
  - GALE – Biography Resource Center

- **BOOK REVIEWS**
  - Databases
    - Book Index with Reviews
    - Academic Search Premier
    - TITLE and REVIEW
    - Paper - Book Review Index (REF Z1219.G3)

- **NEWSPAPER ARTICLES**
  - Databases
    - Newspaper Source
    - ProQuest Direct
    - Lexis-Nexis

    - Pennsylvania Gazette – 1728-1800
    - HarpWeek – Harpers Weekly – 1857-1865

  Paper/Microfilm (Paper Indexes are near the Reference Desk. Newspapers on microfilm are in the Periodicals Room)
  - New York Times 1857 – present
  - (Boston) Christian Science Monitor – 1908-1983
  - (New Orleans) Times-Picayune – 1838-1980
  - (New York) Frank Leslie’s Illustrated Weekly – 1855-1922
  - Chicago Daily Tribune – 1849-2002
  - Los Angeles Times – 1881-2002
  - St. Louis Post-Dispatch – 1874-1969
  - Washington Post – 1904-present
ARTICLES

Databases

- Academic Search Premier
- Criminal Justice Abstracts
- NCJRS
- SocIndex

Paper/Microfilm (Reader’s Guide to Periodical Literature is near the Reference Desk. Magazines on paper/microfilm are in the Periodicals Room)

Selected MAGAZINES (MICROFILM!!!) at SU
- Ladies Home Journal – 1884-1986
- Life – 1883-2000
- Look – 1937-1971
- Nation – 1865-2001
- Newsweek – 1933-2003
- North American Review – 1815-1979
- Saturday Evening Post – 1898-1992
- Time – 1923-present

JOURNAL LIST – lists all newspapers and magazines SU owns or has access to.

OLDER NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES ARE ON MICROFILM.

If you want to make COPIES of what you find, you need to bring $$$$$ MONEY $$$$ and a VENDACARD. (You can purchase a VENDACARD in the bookstore or borrow one from the library circulation desk.)

TRANSCRIPTS OF TV NEWS PROGRAMS

Databases
- Lexis-Nexis Academic (“News” and then “News Transcripts”)

MOVIES

- EBSCOhost Academic Search Elite
- TITLE and REVIEW
- Film Review Index (PAPER) REF PN1995.F545 (There are other similar works in this location.)
- Internet Movie Database – http://www.imdb.com
- Blockbuster – http://www.blockbuster.com

STAGE/THEATRE
- Internet Theatre Database - www.theatredb.com

FOLK SONG LYRICS

- Mudcat - www.mudcat.org

OBITUARIES of FAMOUS people are in the New York Times. In the paper indexes check under the topic DEATHS

DON’T FORGET TO GOOGLE!

OTHER RESOURCES


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