**HELPFUL GENEALOGICAL URLS**

Ontario Ancestors (Ontario Genealogical Society): <https://ogs.on.ca/>

Durham Region Branch, O.G.S.: <https://durham.ogs.on.ca/>

General Register books: <https://www.onland.ca/ui/>

By map: <https://help.onland.ca/en/property-search/>

Note: easier to use (rural): <https://www.familysearch.org/en/>

1851/2 census Oshawa: <http://images.ourontario.ca/whitby/3307477/data?n=29>

(Anglican entries only / names only)

Whitby Newspapers: <http://vitacollections.ca/whitbynews/search>

Oshawa Newspapers: <http://news.ourontario.ca/oshawa/search> (index only)

Clarington (Bowmanville) Newspapers: <http://vitacollections.ca/claringtonnews/search>

Port Perry (Scugog) Newspapers: <https://vitacollections.ca/lshs-news/search>

Ontario Newspapers List:

<https://theancestorhunt.com/blog/ontario-online-historical-newspapers-summary/>

Trent University Library and Archives: <http://www.trentu.ca/library/archives/digital_resources>

Coroner’s Inquests Index (Durham): <http://www.trentu.ca/library/archives/84-020>

Prisoners: Cobourg Jail: <http://www.trentu.ca/library/archives/84-020>

Newcastle District Marriage Records (additional entries only): <http://www.trentu.ca/library/archives/83-016>

Newcastle District Census & Assessment: <http://www.trentu.ca/library/archives/84-021>

(Supplement to the microfilm)

Barbara Kyle & Peter Bolton’s Port Hope website: <http://alivingpast.ca/>

Early Ontario website: Michael Stephenson: <https://www.ontariogenealogy.com/>

Early Ontario website: Bill Martin: <http://my.tbaytel.net/bmartin/earlyont.htm>

Wesleyan Methodist Baptismal Register (with images): <http://bowergenealogy.ca/resources/methodist/IndexM.htm>

**Maps:**

1861 Tremaine’s Maps: <https://utoronto.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=8cc6be34f6b54992b27da17467492d2f>

McGill University Historical Atlas (ca. 1870’s): <http://digital.library.mcgill.ca/CountyAtlas/>

**Directories:**

Vernon’s Directories: Oshawa 1921 – 2002

Whitby 1960 – 2002

[https://www.familysearch.org/library/books/records/?search=&sort=\_score&perpage=10&page=1&fulltext=1&&page=1&refine[OwningInstitution][]=The%20Ontario%20Genealogical%20Society](https://www.familysearch.org/library/books/records/?search=&sort=_score&perpage=10&page=1&fulltext=1&&page=1&refine%5bOwningInstitution%5d%5b%5d=The%20Ontario%20Genealogical%20Society)

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Search Oshawa Directories 1921-1969 online: [https://bit.ly/2UQzcpz](https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2F2UQzcpz%3Ffbclid%3DIwAR0cCf-WJv4RpohuufKWjzwb8fUlf3d_1q3vVfbD7iu0Ii31SvQfL9Ff53I&h=AT0OxB0iqT_FkOtV3LydMX9n2znmusNYAKrguDHggl7XhFPQCLFqDOHQ4W9DUKg5ZBZfEkk_7MA94IfVVCJskzGggxB539pxC-0cXdriTUGetkaLEA0iFjN-1lAR_IamSJO0Xfh2xBziSLeNtzIRpHr0FBodJF5LIeM3EDP9OIC4zeyUxK4btKcs) [#2020AAW](https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/2020aaw?source=feed_text&epa=HASHTAG)

(Includes 1916/17 Ontario & Durham Counties Vernon’s Farmers & Business Directory & 1911 Oshawa Business Directory)

Gazetteer and Business Directory for the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham 1865-6: <https://archive.org/details/gazetteerbusines1865suth>

Farmers’ and Classified Business Directory for the Counties of Durham, Northumberland, Peterborough and Victoria for 1887.

<https://archive.org/details/farmersclassifie1887unio>

Farmers and Business Directory for the Counties of Durham, Northumberland, Ontario, Peterboro and Victoria. 1890 <https://archive.org/details/farmersbusinessd1890unio>

Farmers and Business Directory for the Counties of Durham, Northumberland, Peterboro and Victoria. And Districts of Haliburton, Muskoka Nipissing and Parry Sound. 1897-8

<https://archive.org/details/farmersbusinessd1897unio>

Farmers and Business Directory for the Counties of Durham, Haliburton, Northumberland, Peterboro and Victoria. 1903 <https://archive.org/details/farmersbusinessd1903unio>

1866 Directory of Ontario County: <https://durham.ogs.on.ca/resources/Ontario_1866_Directory/index.html>

1869 Directory of Ontario County: <https://durham.ogs.on.ca/resources/Ontario_1869_Directory/index.html>

**Local History Books on-line:**

“Past Years in Pickering” by William R. Wood 1911: [**https://archive.org/details/pastyearsinpicke00wooduoft/page/18/mode/2up**](https://archive.org/details/pastyearsinpicke00wooduoft/page/18/mode/2up)

Reach / Scugog Townships:[**https://www.scugogheritage.com/historybooks/index.htm**](https://www.scugogheritage.com/historybooks/index.htm)

**Church Records Collection:**

An assortment of transcriptions and photocopies of local church records are held in the office.

**Yearbook collection:**

See our collection list at: <https://durham.ogs.on.ca/publications/yearbook-index.htm>

[Other yearbooks available in various Archives and Libraries, including the Town of Whitby Archives.]

**Museums, Archives and Historical Societies:**

Beaverton Thorah Eldon Historical Society: <https://btehs.com/>

Beaverton Historical Society: <https://historicbeaverton.org/>

Cannington & Area Historical Society: <http://www.canningtonhistoricalsociety.ca/home.html>

Clarington Museums & Archives: <https://claringtonmuseums.com/>

Durham Region Area Archives Group: <https://durhamregionarchivesgroup.com/whitby-archives/>

Lake Scugog Historical Society: <https://lakescugoghistoricalsociety.com/>

Manvers Historical Society: <https://www.facebook.com/ManversHistorical/>

Millbrook and Cavan Historical Society [Archives]: <https://millbrookcavanhs.org/>

Newcastle Village and District Historical Society: <https://newcastlehistorical.ca/>

Oshawa Historical Society: <https://oshawahistoricalsociety.org/>

Oshawa Museum [& Archives]: <http://oshawamuseum.org/>

Pickering Local History Collection Digital Archive:

<https://corporate.pickering.ca/PLHCWebLink/Welcome.aspx?cr=1>

Pickering Museum Village:

<https://www.pickering.ca/en/discovering/pickering-museum-village.aspx>

Pickering Township Historical Society: <https://www.facebook.com/PickeringHistorical/>

Port Hope and District Historical Society [Dorothy’s House Museum]

<http://www.porthopehistorical.ca/museum.htm>

Port Hope Archives: <https://www.archeion.ca/port-hope-archives>

Port Perry / Scugog Township Heritage Gallery:

<https://www.scugogheritage.com/misc/hamlets.htm>

Scugog Shores Museum Village:

<https://www.scugog.ca/en/live-and-play/Scugog-Shores-Museum-Village.aspx>

Sunderland & District Historical Society: <http://sunmus.ca/>

Town of Ajax Archives: <https://www.ajax.ca/en/play-and-discover/history-and-archives.aspx>

Town of Whitby Archives: <https://www.whitbylibrary.ca/archives-and-local-history>

Uxbridge Historical Centre [Museum & Archives]: <https://www.uxbridgehistoricalcentre.com/>

Uxbridge Scott Historical Society: <http://www.ushs.ca/>

Whitby Historical Society [Lynde House Museum: <https://whitbyhistoricalsociety.com/>

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