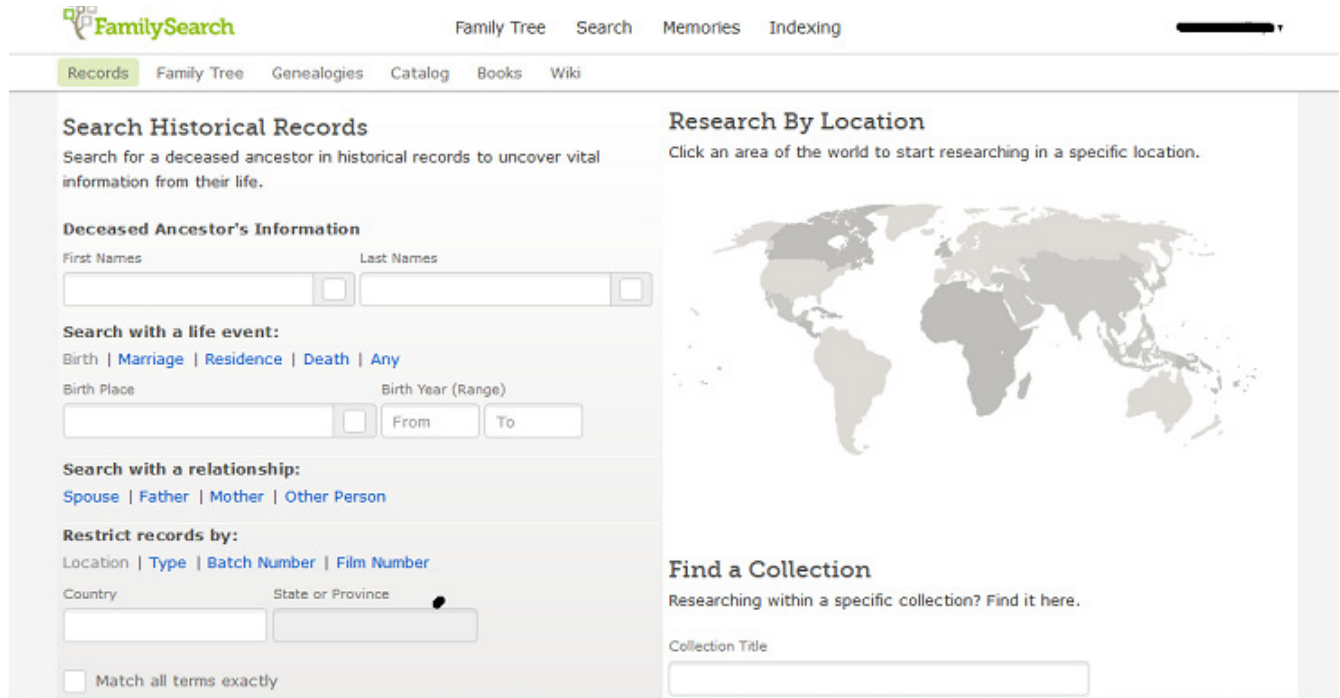


Using FAMILY SEARCH.org

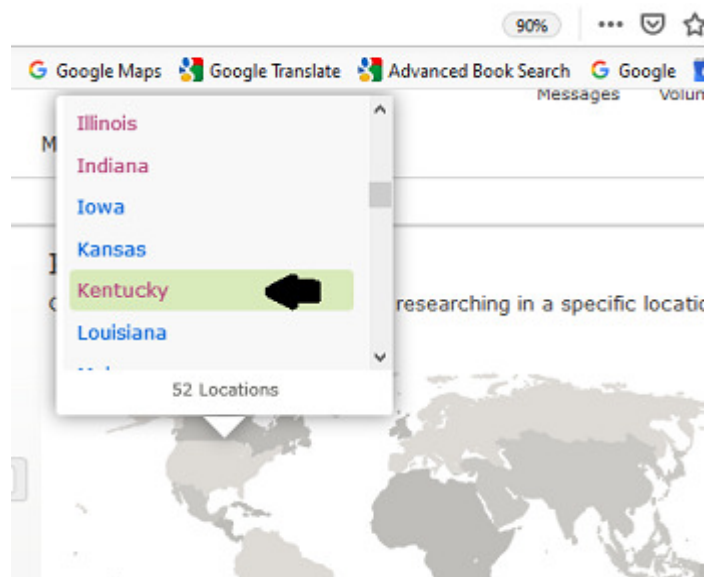
Just so you know, FamilySearch.org is the genealogy website created by the LDS (Mormon) Church. You will need to register for a FREE account to use the site and access documents (Don't worry if you aren't Mormon, missionaries won't be calling on you and you won't be getting phone calls if you do sign up). The Mormon Church has been at the forefront of preserving documents and making them available to researchers. So, let's get started:

First, go to <https://www.familysearch.org> and sign in THEN click on SEARCH and select RECORDS. Once you've gotten the search page (see below) fill in the search criteria on the left side of the page AND you can narrow the search by selecting an area. Just click the portion of the world map where you would like to search.



The screenshot shows the FamilySearch.org search page. The top navigation bar includes 'Family Tree', 'Search', 'Memories', and 'Indexing'. Below this, a secondary bar has 'Records' (highlighted), 'Family Tree', 'Genealogies', 'Catalog', 'Books', and 'Wiki'. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column, titled 'Search Historical Records', contains several sections: 'Deceased Ancestor's Information' with input fields for 'First Names' and 'Last Names'; 'Search with a life event:' with links for 'Birth', 'Marriage', 'Residence', 'Death', and 'Any'; 'Birth Place' and 'Birth Year (Range)' input fields; 'Search with a relationship:' with links for 'Spouse', 'Father', 'Mother', and 'Other Person'; and 'Restrict records by:' with links for 'Location', 'Type', 'Batch Number', and 'Film Number'. Below these are input fields for 'Country' and 'State or Province', and a checkbox for 'Match all terms exactly'. The right column, titled 'Research By Location', includes the instruction 'Click an area of the world to start researching in a specific location.' and a world map. Below the map is a section titled 'Find a Collection' with the instruction 'Researching within a specific collection? Find it here.' and a 'Collection Title' input field.

Select the state, country or region on the drop-down menu and click.



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he next page is divided into 3 major sections: *Indexed Historical Records*, *Image-Only Historical Records* and *Catalog Material*.

Indexed Historical Records

Search collections of records for documents about your ancestors. You can filter which collections you would like to search within.

Deceased Ancestor's Information

Indexed Historical records are fully searchable. You can narrow your search by clicking *Show All* at the bottom of this section. From this list you can pick a record group to search.

Filter by Collection: Showing All 105 - [Show Top 5](#)

	Title	Records	Last Updated
<input type="checkbox"/>	 BillionGraves Index	203,233	Jun 27, 2019
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Currentobituary.com index, 2001-2014	6,267	Dec 20, 2016
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Find A Grave Index	4,547,875	Sep 11, 2019
<input type="checkbox"/>	Kentucky Births and Christenings, 1839-1960	546,309	Mar 9, 2012
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Kentucky Civil War Service Records of Confederate Soldiers, 1861-1865	267,987	Apr 20, 2012
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Kentucky Civil War Service Records of Union Soldiers, 1861-1865	1,256,188	Apr 20, 2012
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Kentucky Confederate Pension Applications, 1912-1950	4,886	Sep 28, 2015

When you see the little camera icon, you know that images of the original are available.

The next section, *Image-Only Historical Records* are other records groups with images but are NOT indexed.

Image-Only Historical Records



Can't find records for your ancestors when you search? Try our collections that haven't been indexed yet. Select a collection to start browsing the images.

Next, pick a record group to browse, and click:

Image-Only Historical Records

 Can't find records for your ancestors when you search? Try our collections that haven't been indexed yet. Select a collection to start browsing the images.

Census and Lists: Showing All		Images	Last Updated
United States Enumeration District Maps for the Twelfth through the Sixteenth US Censuses, 1900-1940		63,619	Jun 20, 2014
Military: Showing Top 5 - Show All 8		Images	Last Updated
United States Confederate Navy and Marine Service Records, 1861-1865		21,529	Jun 18, 2014
United States Records of Confederate Prisoners of War, 1861-1865		51,108	Feb 28, 2013
United States Revolutionary War, Virginia Pension Application Files, 1830-1875		10,771	Jun 18, 2014
United States Union	Browse Images in Collection	Individual	502,960
Civilians, 1861-1866			Mar 7, 2011
United States Union Provost Marshal Files of Two or More Civilians, 1861-1866		107,471	Mar 10, 2011

On this new page, look for the **Browse through** Images link and click:

United States Revolutionary War, Virginia Pension Application Files, 1830-1875

Description

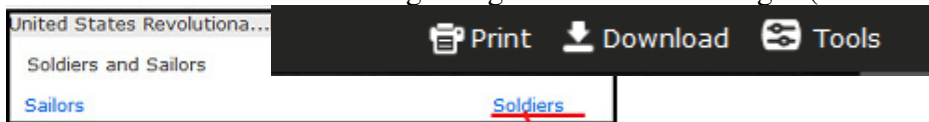
Half pay pensions of Virginia soldiers and sailors based on service in the Revolutionary War. The Virginia General Assembly granted the payment of half pay for life to the state's military and naval officers and others who served until the end of the war in state units within the state's borders or in the Continental Army. This collection is part of Record Group 15, Records of the Veterans Administration, and is National Archives Microfilm publication M910.

[Learn more »](#)

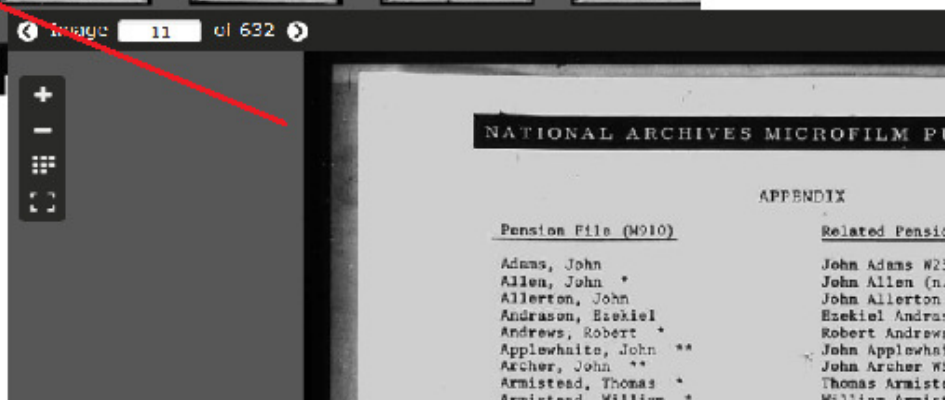
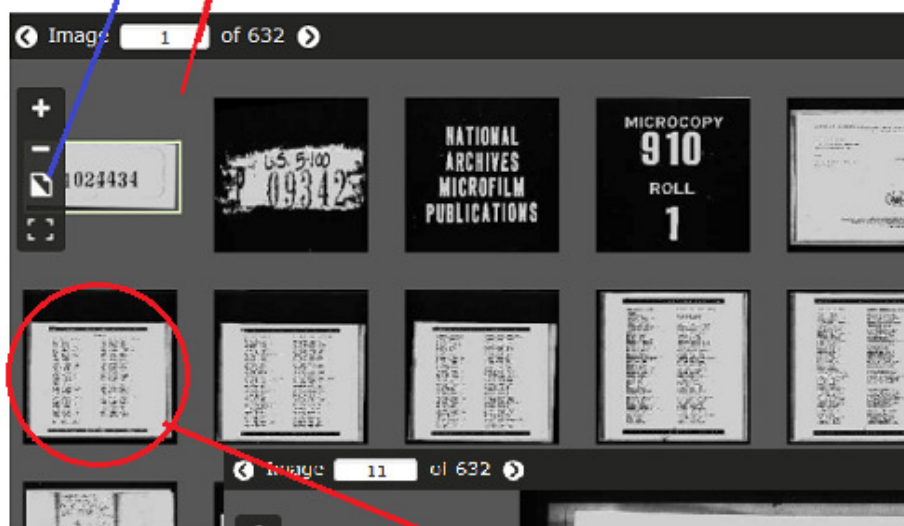
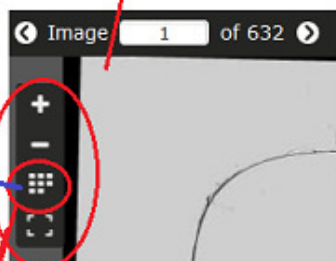
View Images in this Collection

[Browse through 10,771 images](#)

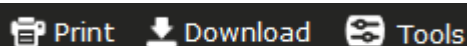
Next, you may be given a series of additional filters to narrow your browsing until you reach the images page. The following screen shots explain how to navigate the images. Indexes, if there are any can USUALLY be found near the beginning of the series of images (occasionally they're at the end).



By clicking these you can toggle from single frames to tiled view.

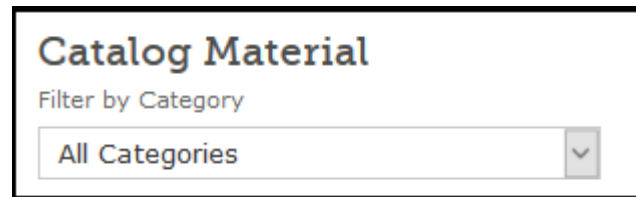


Once you find a frame with an image you want to save, just click on **DOWNLOAD** near the top/right of the page.



You can navigate the page by “grabbing” with your cursor (and holding the mouse button down) while pulling the images up-or-down in the frame of your browser.

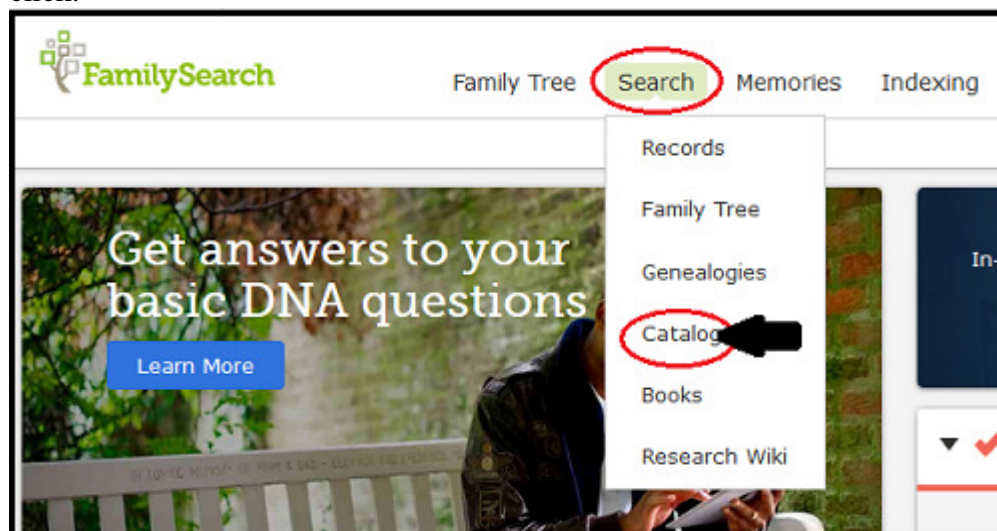
The next major section **Catalog Material** is a list of items available from the LDS Library, usually in print.



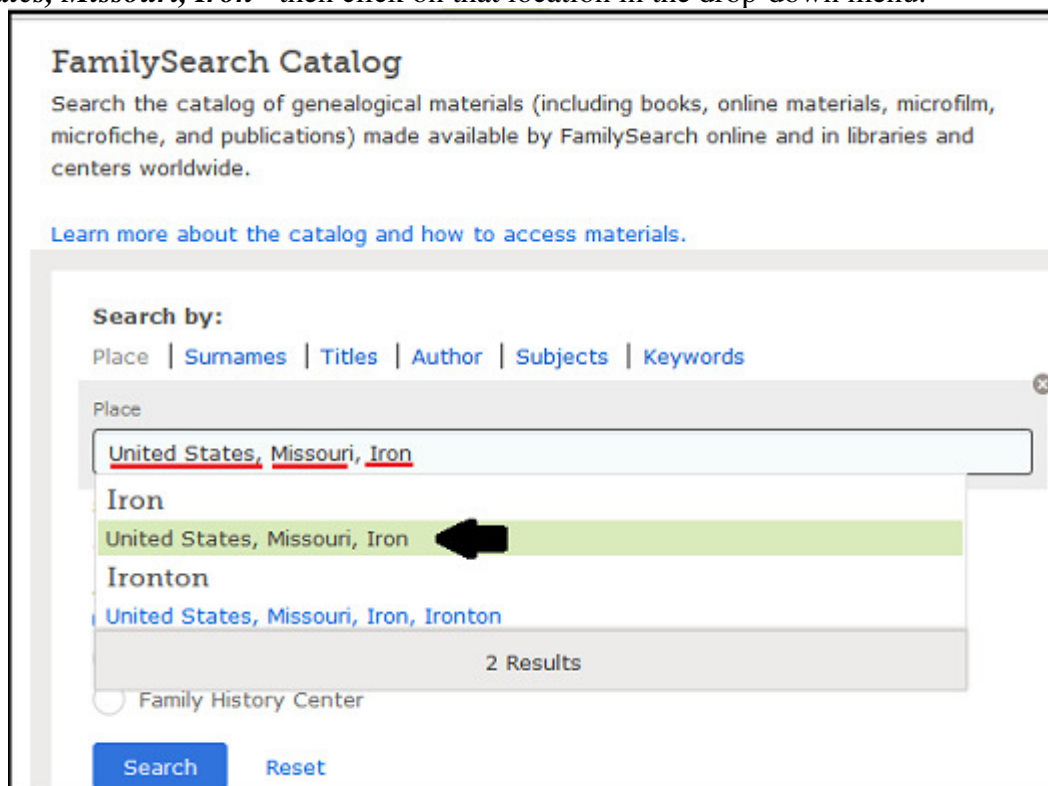
BUT THAT'S NOT ALL.....

I just recently learned another way to us the FamilySearch site.

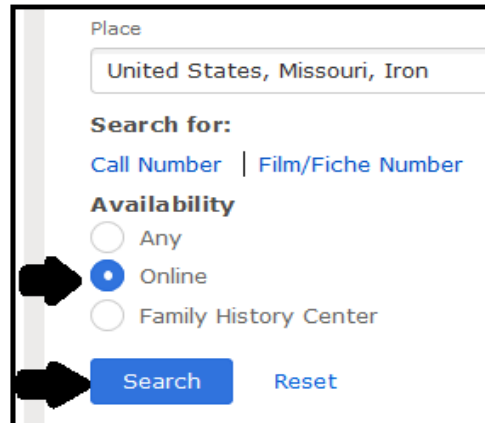
Again, go to FamilySearch.org. This time click on search then (on the drop down menu) select **Catalog** and click.



On the next page that opens, type in the **COUNTRY, STATE, COUNTY**. For this example I entered **United States, Missouri, Iron** then click on that location in the drop-down menu.



Next, tick the *On Line* option and click *Search*



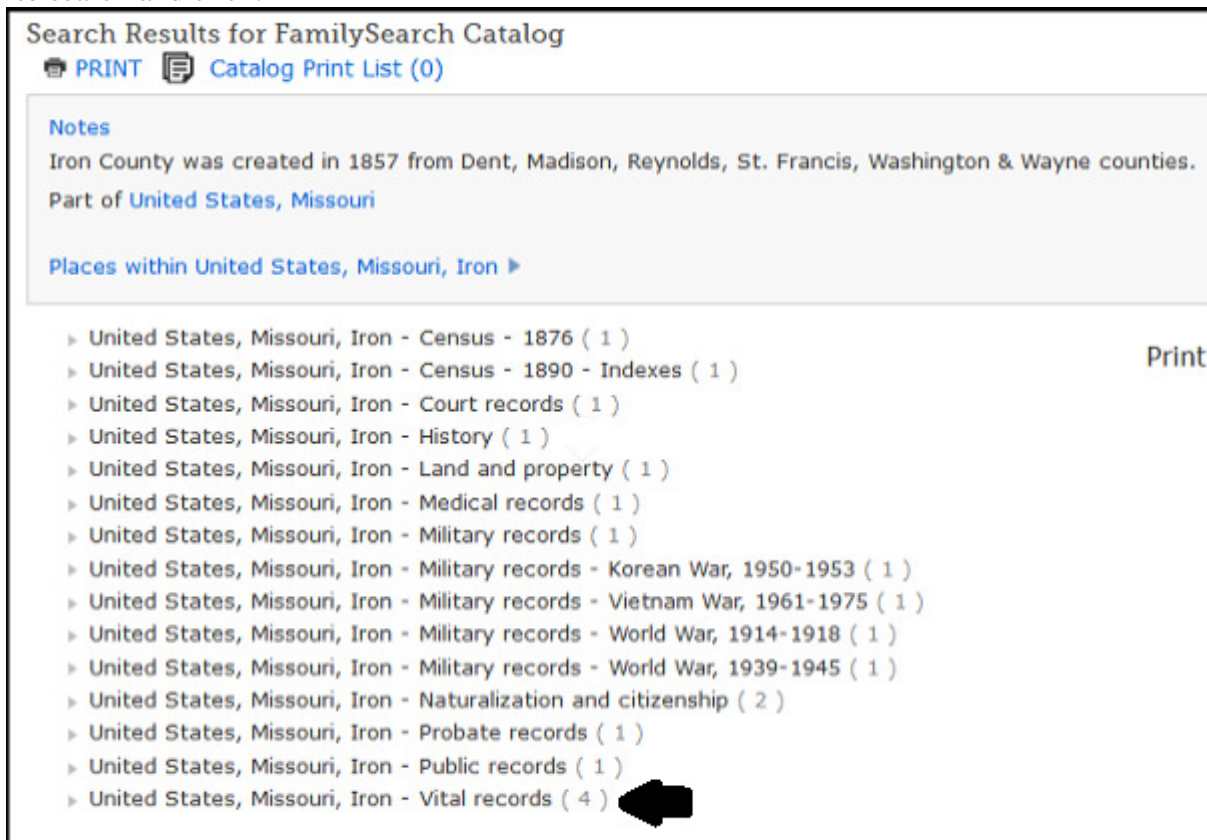
Place
United States, Missouri, Iron

Search for:
[Call Number](#) | [Film/Fiche Number](#)

Availability
☐ Any
☒ Online
☐ Family History Center

[Search](#) [Reset](#)

The next page/screen will give you a list of available records groups. Select the records group you wish to search and click.



Search Results for FamilySearch Catalog
[PRINT](#) [Catalog Print List \(0\)](#)

Notes
Iron County was created in 1857 from Dent, Madison, Reynolds, St. Francis, Washington & Wayne counties.
Part of [United States, Missouri](#)

[Places within United States, Missouri, Iron ▶](#)

- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Census - 1876 \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Census - 1890 - Indexes \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Court records \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - History \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Land and property \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Medical records \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Military records \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Military records - Korean War, 1950-1953 \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Military records - Vietnam War, 1961-1975 \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Military records - World War, 1914-1918 \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Military records - World War, 1939-1945 \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Naturalization and citizenship \(2 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Probate records \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Public records \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Vital records \(4 \)](#)

[Print](#)

....and you will get a drop-down menu then select one to explore and click.



- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Probate records \(1 \)](#)
- ▶ [United States, Missouri, Iron - Public records \(1 \)](#)
- ▼ **[United States, Missouri, Iron - Vital records \(4 \)](#)**
 - [Iron county, Missouri, marriages : book A, book B, newspapers](#)
Author: Bell, James E. (James Edward), 1927-
 - [Marriage records, 1857-1960](#)
Author: Iron County (Missouri). Recorder of Deeds; Missouri. County Court (Iron County)
 - [Missouri, Iron County, birth records, 1883-1887](#)
Author: Iron County (Missouri). County Clerk; Missouri. State Archives
 - [Missouri, Iron County, death records, 1883-1887](#)
Author: Iron County (Missouri). County Clerk; Missouri. State Archives

This will open a new list of specific record groups available

FamilySearch

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Marriage records, 1857-1960

Authors: [Iron County \(Missouri\). Recorder of Deeds \(Main Author\)](#)
[Missouri. County Court \(Iron County\) \(Repository\)](#)

Format: Manuscript/Manuscript on Film

Language: English

Publication: Salt Lake City, Utah : Filmed by the Genealogical Society of Utah, 1972, 1996

Physical: on 6 microfilm reels ; 35 mm.

References: (Digital Collection) [Missouri. County marriage, naturalization, and court records, 1802-1969](#)

Add to Print List

Notes







Missouri, County Marriage, Naturalization, and Court Records are available online, click here.
Microfilm of original records at the Iron County Courthouse, Ironton, Missouri.
Indexes are at front of each volume.
[View this catalog record in WorldCat for other possible copy locations](#)

Subjects

Locality Subjects
[United States, Missouri, Iron - Vital records](#)

Location
Family History Library

Film/Digital Notes (This family history center has 6 of 6 films/ fiche.)

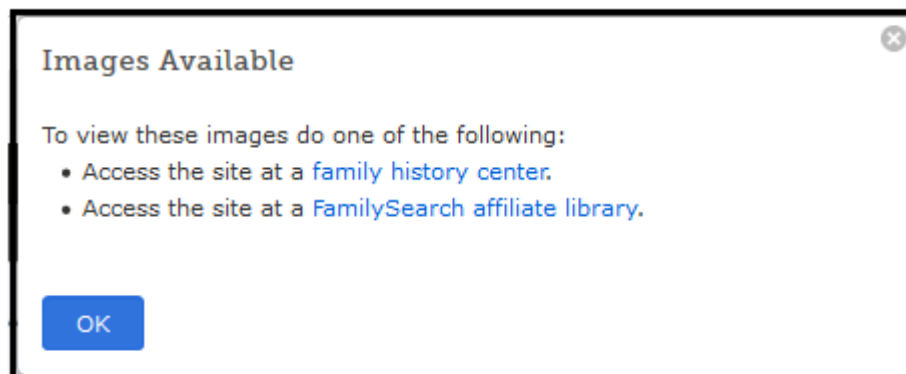
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Marriage license records v. 1-3 1857-1889	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	915142	7424353	Q 
v. 4-5, 1889-1905	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	915143	7578695	
v. 6-7, 1906-1922	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	915144	7578696	
Marriage records v. 8-9 1920-1927 v. 10 p. 1-209 1927-1930	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	2028265 Items 2-4	7425172	Q 
v. 10, p. 208-end, 1930-1933 v. 11-13 1933-1949	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	2030382	7425174	Q 
v. 14, 1949-1960	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	2030335 Item 1	7425173	Q 

Choose one of these and click on the camera icon to view the records.

If you see a camera icon with a key above it,



it means these records cannot be viewed from your home computer, but must be viewed at either a Family History Center or an LDS affiliate Library



This is due to SOME counties not allowing public access to their records (They want to charge for them?).