To Blog or Not to Blog, That is the Question!

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Introduction to Blogging

- What is it?
- Who does it?
- Why do it?
- How do you start?
- Finding other bloggers



What is Blogging?

- Blog truncated form of web log
- Online story, diary, commentary on all kinds of topics
- Can be text, have images, audio, video
- Daily, weekly, whenever
- Blog challenges



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A blog (a truncation of the expression web log)[1] is a discussion or informational site published on the World Wide Web and consisting of discrete entries ("posts") typically displayed in reverse chronological order (the most recent post appears first). Until 2009 blogs were usually the work of a single individual, occasionally of a small group, and often covered a single subject. More recently "multi-author blogs" (MABs) have developed, with posts written by large numbers of authors and professionally edited. MABs from newspapers, other media outlets, universities, think tanks, advocacy groups and similar institutions account for an increasing quantity of blog traffic. The rise of Twitter and other "microblogging" systems helps integrate MABs and single-author blogs into societal newstreams. Blog can also be used as a verb, meaning to maintain or add content to a blog.

The emergence and growth of blogs in the late 1990s coincided with the advent of web publishing tools that facilitated the posting of content by non-technical users. (Previously, a knowledge of such technologies as HTML and FTP had been required to publish content on the Web.)

A majority are interactive, allowing visitors to leave comments and even message each other via GUI widgets on the blogs, and it is this interactivity that distinguishes them from other static websites. [2] In that sense, blogging can be seen as a form of social networking service. Indeed, bloggers do not only produce content to post on their blogs, but also build social relations with their readers and other bloggers. [3] There are high-readership blogs which do not allow comments, such as Daring Fireball.

Many blogs provide commentary on a particular subject; others function as more personal online diaries; others function more as online brand advertising of a particular individual or company. A typical blog combines text, images, and links to other blogs, Web pages, and other media related to its topic. The ability of readers to leave comments in an interactive format is an important contribution to the popularity of many blogs. Most blogs are primarily textual, although some focus on art (art blogs), photographs (photoblogs), videos (video blogs or "vlogs"), music (MP3 blogs), and audio (podcasts). Microblogging is another type of blogging, featuring very short posts. In education, blogs can be used as instructional resources. These blogs are referred to as edublogs.

On 16 February 2011, there were over 156 million public blogs in existence. [4] On 20 February 2014, there were around 172 million Tumblr [5]

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Who Blogs?

- Individuals
- Businesses
- Archives
- Libraries
- Anyone!



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Looking for Miss McKenzie

While continuing with the digitisation of <u>NRS 15051</u>, Photographs collected by the History Department of the Department of School Education, we came across this photo which noted on the back that the older woman in centre was Miss McKenzie who worked at Canowindra School for an astounding 48 years!



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Why Blog?

- Tell clients latest news & resources
- Tell your family stories
- Use as 'cousin bait'
- More effective than print publishing
- Why? Searchable by Google!





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Military Medals and Records

52 Weeks of Genealogical Records in 2014 - Week 1 - Military Medals



Military Medals belonging to my great uncle Ma

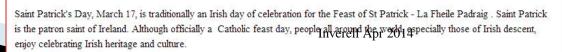
St Patrick's Day Post

A big thank you to Shauna Hicks of Shauna Hicks History Enterprises for Genealogical Records for 2014. The intention of this challenge is to fo Since records are such an integral part of history and family history resea encourage researchers and bloggers, to share familiar resources and to e research a subject which I have been meaning to do for quite some time quite a few members of my family who fought in various wars, and I a





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Letters Home - My Irish Families

March 6th, 2010



This week's blog is my contribution to the <u>Carnival of Irish Heritage & Culture</u>, 18th edition

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With four gg grandparents born in Ireland it is no wonder that I am interested in Irish heritage and culture. Of the four it is only my gg grandmother Maria Jeffers who gives me any real insight into her life back in Ireland. However, I will also outline the other Irish gg grandparents just in case someone else is interested in those families.

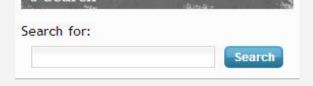
Maria Jeffers arrived in Brisbane in 1864. Maria (daughter of Isaac Jeffers and Harriet Ballantyne) was born in Portadown, County Armagh in 1844. Maria came to Queensland, Australia on board the *Legion of Honour* in 1864. She married Adam Johnston (see below) in 1864 in Brisbane, Queensland. In later life she had a close friend Abraham Francis and she is seen with him in this photograph.

Of my four Irish ancestors, Maria Jeffers is the only one known to have kept contact with her family back in Ireland. A few surviving letters to and from one of her brothers who stayed in Portadown confirms this. The letters were in poor condition with pages and pieces missing and had been given to one of Maria's grandsons on a collateral line who kindly let me photocopy them many years ago.

One of my father's elderly cousins also said that Maria wrote to a brother in the USA but we had no proof until I recently received an email from someone in the USA descended



from that brother. We are now exchanging information and pooling what we know on the family in Portadown.









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19 Responses to "Letters Home - My Irish Families"

Andrew Jeffers

16 May 2010 at 1:11 pm

Hi,

I have some goose pimples running along my back at the moment.

10 Years ago I went to portadown to find some family heritage. I took my father Kerry.

Story is My great gandfather's name is James Jeffers. We went to the church where he was married and is seemes his ther was isaac and his mother was harriot.

I am blown away!!!! I was reading the rest of your Blog taliing about Albert.

My Granfather Albert was from Tandragee, His mother died and his father remarried. His Father James Died.

The Albert in your letter is My Grandfather. He had an older brother Moses who was about 10 years older.

Can you please send me your contact details it would be great to talk to you.

Thanks

Andrew Jeffers

Sydney

Lyndsay O'Brien 22 May 2010 at 12:24 pm

Hi Shauna,

What a great blog! I'm sorry I haven't been able to keep up with my family research. I am working crazy hours these days. I am still pulling together information and I hope to make a trip to Ireland in October to try and find more information on the Jeffers family. I see from this blog's comments that we have possibly made another family connection! The power of the internet! I hope to hear back from you soon! I really enjoyed reading this post!

Lyndsay O'Brien

lyndsayobrien@yahoo.com

Kerry Jeffers

1 June 2010 at 11:10 am

Hi Shauna

I am Andrew's father, the son of Albert Jeffers. It seems that I have information regarding Annie (Albert's stepsister) who went to America. She married a parson with the sirname of Paul and I have the last known e-mail address of their son Samuel Paul who lives in a retirement village in the USA. Annie used to live in Acron Ohio. Sam's last known e-mail address is spaul@summeronridgewood.com

Regards Kerry Jeffers

David Gunderson

13 March 2010 at 8:02 am

Thanks Shauna for this great information on our mutual grandmother Maria Jeffers. We are the mirror counterparts of two trees - the Johnstons and the Gundersons. I must start following your advice and record all my mother's 'stories' for future generations. Hope to stay in touch and share more of our family history.

Cheers,

David Gunderson

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From reels to radio. Find out about the National Film & Sound Archive Collection

by GUEST BLOG on Jan 11, 2014 - 7:41 pm

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In our goal to uncover as much information as possible on our ancestors we often leave no stone unturned. But have you investigated whether your family appeared in a film or was on the wireless? Genealogist <u>Shauna Hicks</u> looks into Australia's main media archives.

Many of us have ancestors who were involved in theatrical pursuits and may have been on stage, radio or in films. There are a variety of resources to learn more about this, but an often overlooked repository is the NAISTAN INTERPRETARIES (NFSA) located in Canberra. So just what is the NFSA? It has an audiovisual collection of more than 1.7 million works including films, television and radio programs, videos, audio tapes, records, compact discs, phonograph cylinders and wire recordings. Plus there are documents, photographs, posters, lobby cards, publicity items, scripts, costumes, props, memorabilia, oral histories and vintage equipment. When I lived in Canberra for a few years, I was fortunate to visit the NFSA on a number of occasions and it is a must-see destination on any trip to the nation's capital. If you can't get there in person, their website is a great place to discover what's available, and search the collection online. Searches can be narrowed by the

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What other archives can you visit?

While the NFSA has the largest audiovisual collection, other supporting records may be found in archives and libraries. The NAC Archives and many of the latter's collection, including audiovisual material and documentation more than 28 years old, is available through the NAA's reading rooms. Another rich source for artistic ancestors at the NAA is the copyright, patents and trademarks category of their online catalogue. These records have been indexed by name, and it is a simple matter to enter a first and last name and perhaps find a literary or musical work submitted by an ancestor. I knew my son's grandfather had been involved with Sydney theatre when he first arrived in Australia in the early 1950s, so I searched on his surname, not really expecting to find anything. Serendipity does happen and I discovered that Ivor Henry Andrews Speed had lodged a literary work in 1951 titled Made to Measure, so now I want to investigate this further! My example demonstrates that we really do need to look for our ancestors everywhere as we don't know where they might have left a record of their activities.





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Blog Challenges

← 52 Weeks of Genealogical Records in 2014 – Week 12 Gazetteers

52 Weeks of Genealogical Records in 2014 – Week 13 Personal Names and Surnames

April 18th, 2014

This blog challenge is to stimulate my own genealogy blogging efforts in 2014 by focussing on a different kind of genealogical record each week. I wanted a challenge that reflected my own archival background as well as my own

genealogy interests and there are probably lots of of have included. The challenge has an Australian focution found just about anywhere in the genealogy world.

The 52 different types of genealogical records I find particular order (each week will be a random surprisover 52 weeks but I now realise that I have to factor continue a little bit over a year. Anyone is welcome challenge. Let me know if you are participating an each week's challenge.

2 Responses to "52 Weeks of Genealogical Records in 2014 - Week 13 Personal Names and Surnames"

John Nangle

19 April 2014 at 8:56 am

Tweet

Hi Shauna

says:

Just happened on your blog through Irish Genealogy News. I am impressed with your 52 weeks of Records. I have relations on my mothers Cavan side in Aus so your blog proved helpful. I suppose you are aware that Sarah Finns nee Fagan mother was listed in the 1901 census under Legan in Glasnarget and living with her married daughter Mary(b 1865) and giving city of Dublin as her place of birth. You might also be aware that the Church records for Dublin city are available free on Irish Genealogy site. There is a Robert Fegan listed in Griffiths Valuation and Tithe Applotment books for Glasnarget. Good hunting John



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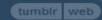








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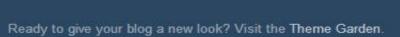










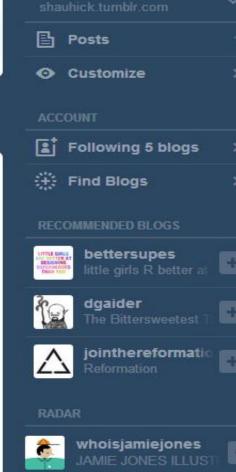








The State Library has just received a new CD-ROM entitled Norfolk Island Rev. Fulton Baptisms, Burials and Marriages 1801-1806.



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Some of my favourite genealogy websites

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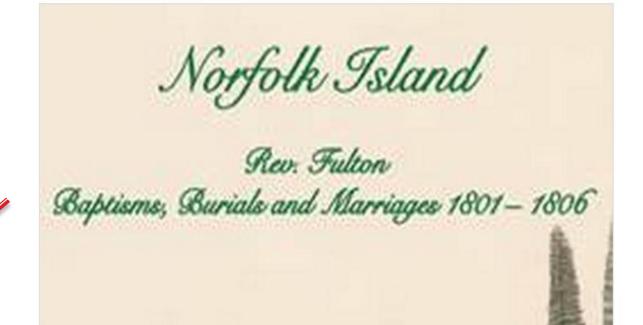
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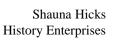
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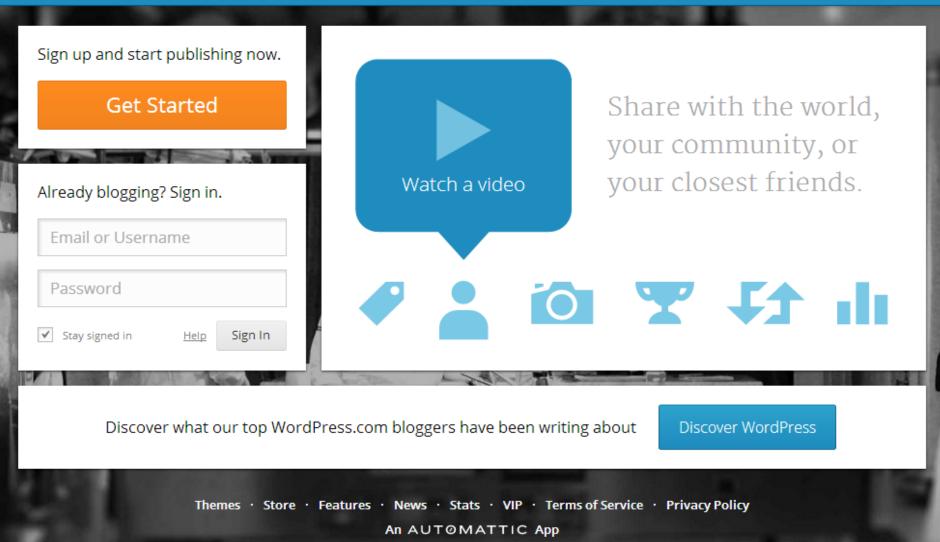


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February 16th, 2014

Welcome to my website where you will discover publications and events that I am participating in.

In 2006 I was invited to give a talk on my personal involvement with family history at the Melbourne Writer's Festival. The event was held at the historic Melbourne Athenaeum which celebrated its 170th anniversary in 2009.





To learn how I became hooked on tracing my own family history, have a look at All In The Family: Researching Your Family History.

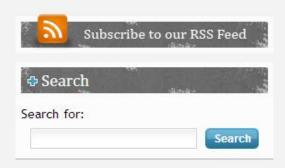
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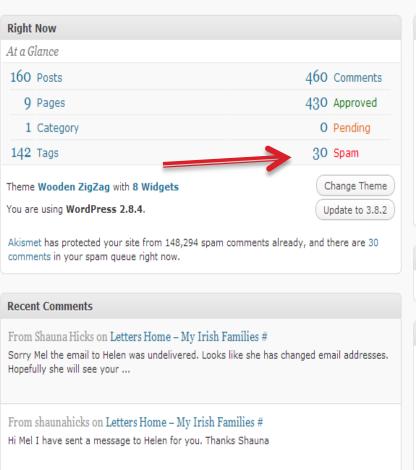
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WordPress 3.9 Release Candidate 9 April 2014

As teased earlier, the first release candidate for WordPress 3.9 is now available for testing! We hope to ship WordPress 3.9 next week, but we need your help to get there. If you haven't tested 3.9 yet, there's no time like the present. (Please, not on a production site, unless you're adventurous.) To test WordPress 3.9 [...]

WordPress 3.8.2 Security Release 9 April 2014

WordPress 3.8.2 is now available. This is an important security release for all previous versions and we strongly encourage you to update your sites immediately. This releases fixes a weakness that could let an attacker force their way into your site by foreign.

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Genealogy notes 27 Mar - 4 Apr 2014 National Family History Month Aug 2014

This week I am travelling and it is hard to keep up with things on the road, especially in the caravan. Before we left I was madly trying to finalise sponsorship details for National Family History Month in August as there are only four months to go. As the voluntary national coordinator I have to do all the sponsorship arrangements, look after the website and put the events up in the calendar and then all the publicity and promotion via social media and our sponsors networks. Almost a full time job especially in the last few months before August but it is one way that I can give back to the genealogy community for the fantastic career and life it has given me over the last four decades (almost)!

Pandora Archive

In 2013 this blog was selected for permanent preservation in the National Library of Australia's Pandora web 8 archive.

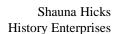




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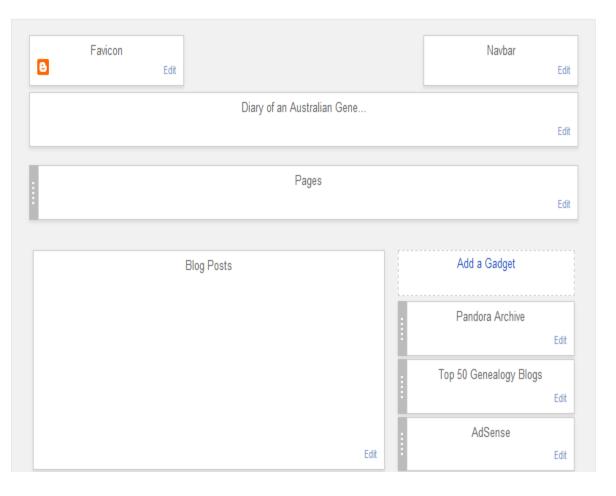
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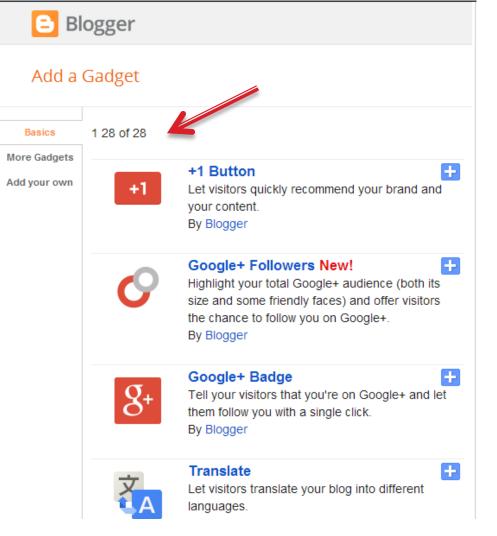


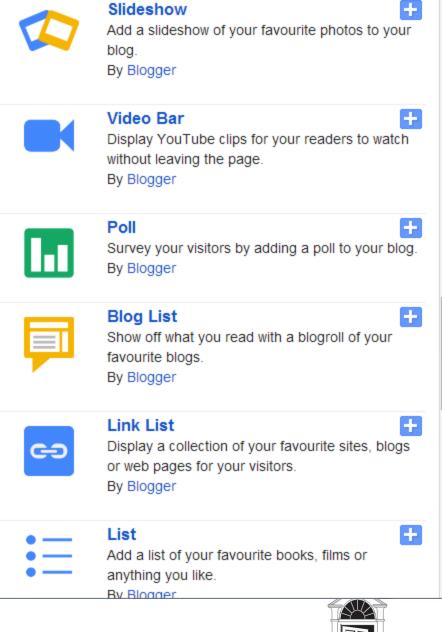




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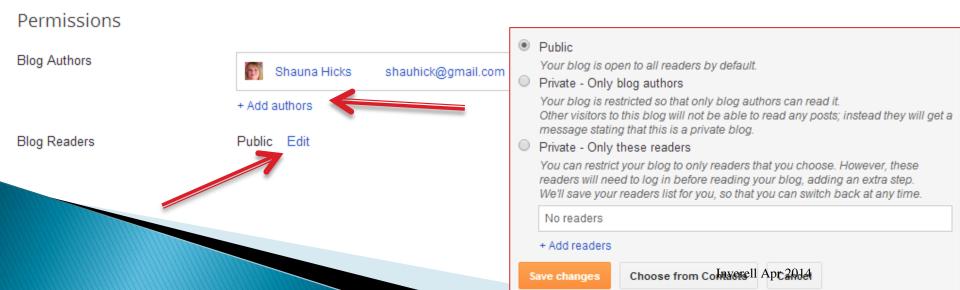
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Posted by Shauna Hicks at 22:52

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Military Monday: 2014 Trans-Tasman ANZAC Day Blog Challenge

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Have a look at what *Heritage and Research* at Auckland Libraries "Our boys, their families" has developed to assist you! Feel free to download to your computer.

ANZAC Day is the day that is a national day of remembrance for Australian and New Zealanders who died during armed conflict.

This is the fourth year that Auckland Libraries and the *Kintalk* blog have issued a *Trans-Tasman ANZAC Day Blog Challenge*.

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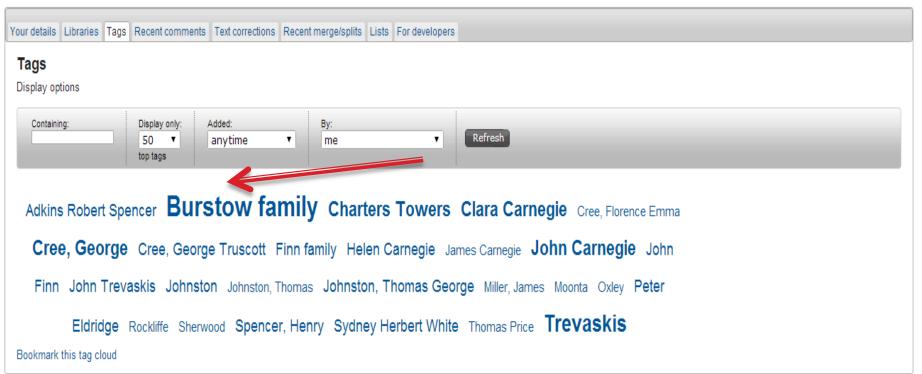
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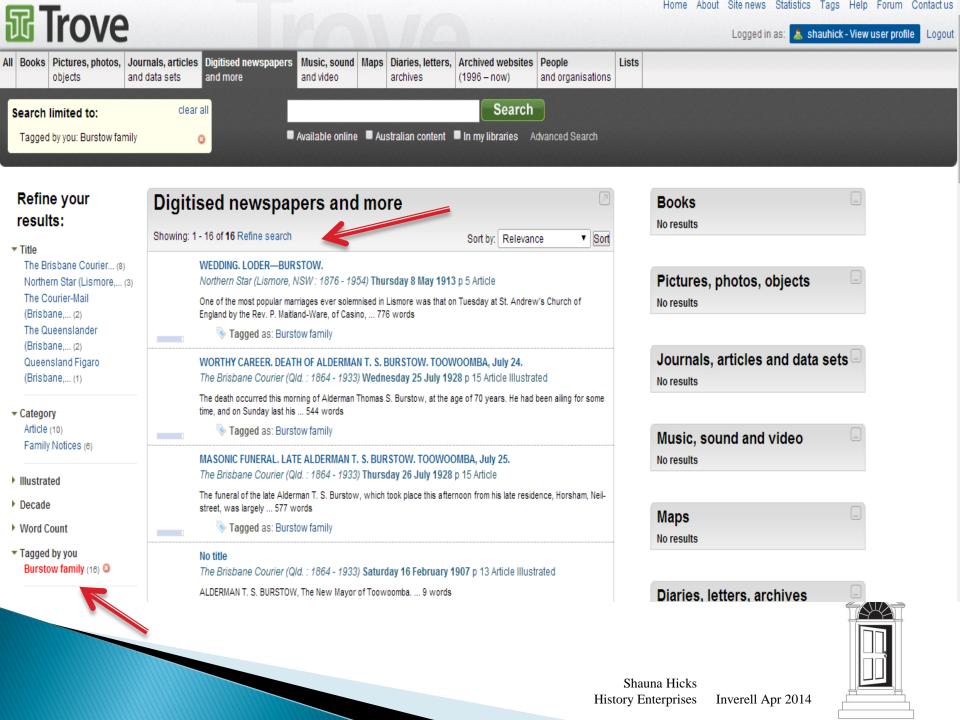


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Rev. Canon Whyte, B.A. (Vicar), also be-Nation. Add New Comment ing present. It was the arst marriage in at tilns Lispore of a nurse from the hospital. The . Chapchurch was literally packed with onlooksident of Fix this Text ers, including the hospital committee, the staffs of every bank in Lismore, a large be overnumber of juvenile and adult patients who had been nursed by the bride, the wives of the medical officers and many others. The bride was Balimba, daughter of Mr. Thomas S. and Mrs. Burstow, of Toowoomba, and George Harold, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Loder, of "Sunnyside, Tamworth. Pure white bridgl flowers adorned the niter in its Easter ."One of the most poptilur marriages ever. colors of white and gold. Mrs. A. E. Farmers. solemnised in Lismore WUS, thal on' Tues Brown was the organist, and in complis an immest to the bride and bridegroom, who ment of day-nt St.'Andrew's Church of (England during their residence in Lismore had been attendants at St. Andrew's, the full choir If the Hov. I'. '.Maitland-Wara,, of Casino, under the baton of Mr. H. Williams was in attendance, and at the entrance of the a very old friend «if the bridegroom, tho bride sang the marriage homn, "How wei-Hov. Canon Whyte, H.A. (Vicar), a Fix this text come was the call. The bride, who was given away by Col. C. E. Taylor (bon. ON. ing present, lt:>Wns¿tho tirst marringa in set, of the hospital), looked very becoming in her protty traveiling frock of cream cloth, routtee effect trimmed with braid meday. Lismore of a nurse' from tbcJiospital. Tho -:--, and snished with satin collar, a quaker al Colothusiasgrey motor bonnet, and coat with satin church was .literally pucked, .with onlook-'..': of Vic She carried an ivory bound revers. the Fedprayer book, the gift of the matron (Miss ers, including the hospital ^'committee, tho the im-Lynes. Four of the bride's confreres at Station the hospital, who attended her, were de. Genstnlfs of every bunk in Lismore, u lurga - ^ Nurse Anschau, Rearing chestnut brown poplia de soi, creum cloth collar and cuffs, Jenkins number of "juvenile and .'adult patients who' and brown beover hat with black ostrich teather; Nurse Eichardson, in a costume of brown velvet with silver buttons, nathail been nursed by the bride, tho Wives .-'... tier plue felt but with phenounts wings; Nurse Schutes, in cream resible, guipure of the medical ollicers and many others. bands, and white felt hat, with postes of violets; and Nurse Popkin, in cream resil-



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GeniAus: Trove Tuesday - A Broken Resolution

geniaus.blogspot.com > 2014/02 -

Feb 18, 2014 - **Trove Tuesday** - A Broken Resolution. I returned from the Unlock the Past Genealogy Cruise all fired up. During the cruise I spent a lot of time ...

Trove Tuesday | Lonetester HQ

www.lonetester.com > tag ▼

I actually found this article last week, but felt that I needed to introduce him before his giving details of his death, so I decided to make this a **Trove Tuesday** post.

Trove Tuesday: Deaths of South Australian Pioneers ...

www.lonetester.com > 2014/02 -

Feb 25, 2014 - **Trove** has done it again!! Yes, truly. It has managed to come up with the most awesomest of articles. And I know you'll believe me when I say ...

Trove Tuesday#1 - a collection of blogs from 28 August

trove.nla.gov.au > Forum > Archived sub-forums > Trove Blog ▼

Aug 31, 2012 - A wonderful idea from Trovite, BranchesLeavesPollen, has resulted in setting up **Trove Tuesday**; an opportunity for bloggers to join her in ...

Images for trove tuesday

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More images for trove tuesday

Trove Tuesday - Keystone Cops | Dance Skeletons

danceskeletons.blogspot.com > 2014/01 ▼

Jan 27, 2014 - Welcome, Blog Posts, Popular Posts, Community Cook Books,

Branches Leaves & Pollen: Trove Tuesday



branchesleavespollen.blogspot.com > trove-tuesday ▼
by Amy Elizabeth Houston Lehmann - in 38 Google+ circles
At the end of that post I invited other GeneaBloggers to join me for Trove
Tuesday, and the next week a whole bunch did! This was especially thanks to
the ...

Trove Tuesday

Subscribe to the Trove Tuesday Weekly Wrap-Up!

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This is a directory of all the blog posts following the Trove Tuesday blogging prompt.

Trove Tuesday began with my post, Trove Tuesday: Love, Life & Death in Newspapers on Tuesday, 21 August 2012.

At the end of that post I invited other GeneaBloggers to join me for Trove Tuesday, and the next week a whole bunch did! This was especially thanks to the promotional efforts of Jill Ball at Geniaus and Fi at Dance Skeletons.

Trove gave us an excellent wrap up of Trove Tuesday #1 on their forum.

I will be updating this page each Tuesday evening (AEST), so please send me a message if I have missed a blog post, or you have found a broken link.

http://branchesleavespollen.blogspot

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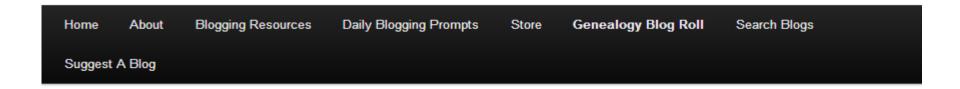
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http://geneabloggers.com/genealogy-blogs



Daily Blogging Prompts

Many genealogy and family history bloggers like to post every day but at times are at a loss for ideas. Take your inspiration from the Daily Blogging Prompts below – there are over 40 of them! This is not only a great way to create new content, but also lets you participate in a community effort with other genealogy bloggers.

And now, all of the prompts have their own Pinterest board!



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Black Sheep Sunday

Census Sunday

Church Record Sunday

Sentimental Sunday

Sunday's Obituary

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Amanuensis Monday

Madness Monday

Mappy Monday

Maritime Monday

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Motivation Monday

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Talented Tuesday

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Travel Tuesday

Tuesday's Tip

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Wednesday's Child

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Friday's Faces from the Past

Friday Funny

Funeral Card Friday

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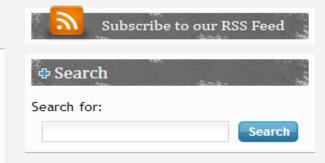
52 Weeks of Genealogical Records in 2014 – Week 12 Gazetteers April 9th, 2014

This blog challenge is to stimulate my own genealogy blogging efforts in 2014 2 by focusing on a different kind of genealogical record each week. I wanted a challenge that reflected my own archival background as well as my own Tweet genealogy interests and there are probably lots of other records that I could have included. The challenge has an Australian focus but most of these records will be found just about anywhere in the genealogy world.

The 52 different types of genealogical records I finally decided on are listed in no particular order (each week will be a random surprise). Originally I planned to do this over 52 weeks but I now realise that I have to factor in travel and illness so it will continue a little bit over a year. Anyone is welcome to do all or part of this blogging challenge. Let me know if you are participating and I will put a link to your post under each week's challenge.

So far I know of six bloggers who are taking up the challenge from time to time and I have put links to their individual entries at the end of each week's blog if they have submitted something for that week. Thanks Judy Webster, Sharn White, Cassmob, Anne, Campaspe Library and Sharon for participating and encouraging me to keep up the blog challenge myself!

Also participating in this blog challenge:



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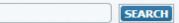
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- Book Review The Family and Local History Handbook 12 by Shauna Hicks

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1st Fleet and Beyond &

This site has been created to assist with the research of the Lyons, Barton, Buglass, Thorn, Robson and Critchley families from the First Fleet through to today. http://www.unlockthepast.com.au/australian-

A Little Bit of Irish 🖗

William Skyvington's personal blog about his mother's family in Australia, ealogy-history-blogs

A Pocket Full of Family Memories &

Debra has a passion for family history, memoirs, old photographs, vintage postcards, historical and gothic novels, London, WWII history and cats.

AcKnowledge Consulting @

Largely a business site, however it does include family history of the De La Rue family.

AIF Online Museum @

An online collection of artifacts from the Australian Imperial Force, 1914-1919.



Family Tree and Ancestry research servicess. An experienced Researcher and Investigator (UK) offering specialist services to descendants of families originating in the United Kingdom. Offering a special emphasis on Lincolnshire, Yorkshire and Lancashire.

Ancestor Chasing & - NEW

A personal blog researching the author's ancestors - a tribute to the lives of her ancestors.

A personal blog, that includes lots of useful information for researchers as well. Watch the past come alive as you find the ancestors within you.

Ancestry.com.au &

The official blog from Ancestry.com.au.

Android Genealogy &

This is a blog for everyone with an interest in genealogy and Android phones or tablets.





New Zealand Genealogy & History Blogs

Below is a list of Blogs relating to Genealogy or History fromNew Zealanders. These contain important news, updates about resources, events, how tos, tips and general ramblings about all things history in New Zealand. If you know of any others that you think should be here please tell us - email inquiries@unlockthepast.com.au \square

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Keith Johnson Wellington NZ @

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Mad About Genealogy № - NEW

If you follow Linda's Mad About Genealogy blog will certainly keep you up to date with all the latest genealogy happenings worldwide.

Making Connections to the Past, Present and Future & - NEW

Maureen West's blog about her family history.

New Zealand Genealogy News ₪

New Zealand Poet Laureate № (National Library of NZ)

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by Claire Santry

7 hours ago - I appreciate that the words 'census' and 'lost' must never be used carelessly in earshot of an **Irish genealogist**, so I'm going to tread very gently ...

'Irish Roots' blog - The Irish Times

www.irishtimes.com > blogs ▼

4 days ago - All these problems stem from the peculiar nature of the organisation behind it, the **Irish Family History** Foundation. The IFHF was set up to ...

Welcome to Irish Genealogy - Irish Genealogy

www.irishgenealogy.ie *

This **Irish** Government supported, official web site, is dedicated to helping you in ... The **Irish** Abroad · Geography · How-To · Discussion Groups, **Blogs** & Mailing ...

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Blog | Donna Moughty's Genealogy Resources | Donna M. ...

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January 2013 - November 2012 - June 2012 - March 2012

'Irish Roots' blog - The Irish Times

www.irishtimes.com > blogs ▼

4 days ago - There should be conga lines of Northern Irish civil servants dancing through the Ancestry is the unchallenged colossus of online **genealogy**.

Blog | Donna Moughty's Genealogy Resources | Donna M. ...

www.moughty.com > blog ▼

Donna Moughty, a professional **genealogist**, **blogs** weekly on methodology and **Irish** research.

British & Irish Genealogy Blog - Blogger

bi-gen.blogspot.com ▼

Nov 16, 2013 - What began back in January 2011 with a tentative first post will end this week, as the 'British & Irish Genealogy Blog' winds down to a close.

Genealogy websites | National Archives of Ireland

www.nationalarchives.ie > Genealogy *

Association of Professional Genealogists in Ireland (APGI) ... British & Irish Genealogy

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Thursday, 10 April 2014

FindMyPast to release 100 record sets in 100 days

FindMypast has launched 100 in 100, a plan to release 100 record sets in the next 100 days.

This ambitious initiative will see millions of new records, many of them exclusive to FindMyPast, newly available to subscribers. Among them will be military, census, parish and civil records, and no doubt many other types of collections.



Click logo to see details of today's releases



Irish records will feature in the mix

The first upload brings nearly 50,000 records across eight British WW1 Pals Regiments collections, as follows:

- · Birmingham Pals 1914-1918
- · Birmingham Employers Roll of Honour 1914-1918
- 1st Bradford Pals (16th West Yorkshire Regiment)
- · Edinburgh Pals (15th and 16th Royal Scots Regiment)
- Glasgow Pals 1914-1918

Welcome to Irish Genealogy News

Irish genealogy research is famous for being difficult, if not impossible. This reputation isn't entirely deserved, although there can be some fundamental difficulties in discovering your Irish ancestry, particularly if you don't know where your ancestors lived. That's why I launched my website, Irish Genealogy Toolkit. It's a free online guide to Irish family history research, and it's designed to help you to find your heritage.

This blog runs in parallel with the main website. As its name suggests, it carries all the latest Irish genealogy news. In addition to hot-off-the-press details of the latest record releases, you'll also find occasional features and interviews with genealogy specialists, as well as loads of tips and hints to help you with your research.







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Irish Genealogy Toolkit will guide you to your Irish ancestors

Irish genealogy gained a reputation long ago for being a frustrating one-way street to disappointment and headache.

Thankfully, calming potions and analgesics are no longer essential equipment for the amateur genealogist because family history in Ireland has entered a golden era.

More and more records - many of them free are now available online and offline.

So, if you've been longing to find out who your ancestors were, and how they lived, there's never been a better time to start looking.

You do, however, need to look with some care! Too many websites overstate the difficulty of Irish genealogy research or encourage you to part with large sums of money unnecessarily. I'm not referring here to well-qualified professional genealogists, who use experience and great skill to unlock the past for their clients. No, I'm talking about the bandwagon merchants, who are all too ready to fleece the unwary.

With the advice available on this site - all of it provided absolutely free - you can avoid these pitfalls.

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Trove Tuesday - Ticket to Bangkok

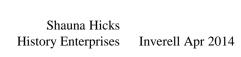
Today should find me in Bangkok boarding a ship for a cruise to Rome.

Mr Geniaus and I should have flown into Bangkok a couple of days ago on Qantas, as we used frequent flier points for our flight I was not aware of the one-way fare from Sydney to this destination. A quick enquiry of the Qantas website (9/3/2014) shows me that a one way economy fare would be \$AU928.

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An article on Trove tells me that the same flight 60 years ago in 1954 would have cost £142/10 the equivalent of \$AU284.08.

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50 genealogy blogs you need to read in 2013!

Inside History's 2nd Annual Genealogy Blog Awards are here! With the help of geneablogger Jill Ball, we've compiled our best 50 blogs from around the world. Get ready for "a glorious and unforgettable ride". Drum roll, please...

What makes a geneablog great? Many people's responses to this question via Twitter and Google+ have guided the choices here for Inside History's 2nd Annual Genealogy Blog Awards.

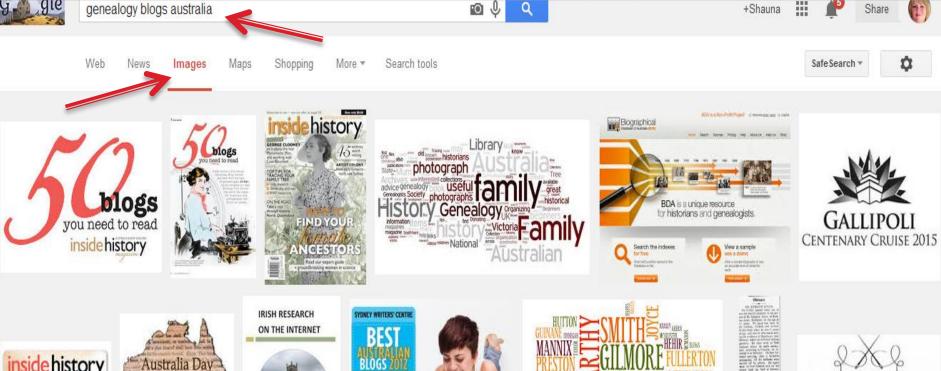




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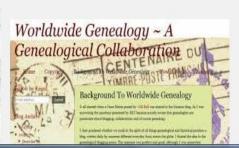














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- Reading blogs learn lots of new tips
- Writing blogs definitely 'cousin bait'
- Why not give blogging a go?
- Good luck!





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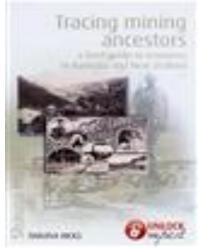
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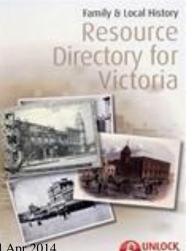












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