

**Chat log 21 Nov 2017**  
**Research in Federal Records Some Assembly Required with Malissa Ruffner**

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:09 PM: First component of the GPS: Reasonably Exhaustive Research

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Better late than never? LOL!!

**A:** Welcome!

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Sorry I'm late.

**A:** Thanks for joining us!

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** I'm late, too, but already printed off the handout. I'll catch up later . . .

**A:** Thanks for joining us.

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:23 PM: Guide to Genealogical Research in the National Archives of the United States, third edition

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:23 PM: (available at HathiTrust Digital Library)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:24 PM: Guide to Federal Records in the National Archives, 3 vols. - [www.archives.gov/research/guide-fed-records](http://www.archives.gov/research/guide-fed-records)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:26 PM:  
[www.archives.gov/publications/finding-aids/guides.html](http://www.archives.gov/publications/finding-aids/guides.html)

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Was that HALTHI Trust?

**A:** Hathi Trust ([hathitrust.org](http://hathitrust.org)) is an online digital library.

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:29 PM: Prologue - NARA quarterly publication

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:30 PM: NGS Magazine

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:37 PM: Select List of Publications: National Archives and Records Administration

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:38 PM: The National Archives Catalog -  
<https://catalog.archives.gov/advancedsearch>

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:42 PM: [www.fleetwoodonsite.com](http://www.fleetwoodonsite.com)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:42 PM: [www.playbackngs.com](http://www.playbackngs.com)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:42 PM: Genealogical Institute on Federal Records (Gen-Fed)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:42 PM: [Twelvekey.com](http://Twelvekey.com)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:43 PM: 4.4 years until the 1950 census!!

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 8:43 PM: History Hub:

<https://www.archives.gov/citizen-archivist/history-hub>

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** I guess I am an hour behind and only just arriving Will I be able to access this in the future?

**A:** Yes, go to [www.familytreewebinars.com](http://www.familytreewebinars.com). It will be available for free for 7 days.

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 9:02 PM: Claire Klusken's post: Going Digital, One Twig or Leaf at a Time

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** 9:03 PM: Reference Reports:

<https://www.archives.gov/research/genealogy/reference-reports.html>

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Will Malissa be presenting this Webinar again or will it be available on the FTW website at some point? Far too much information to digest just once. but loved it. Thank you

**A:** This will be available at [www.familytreewebinars.com](http://www.familytreewebinars.com) for the next 7 days for free.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** <https://www.archives.gov/calendar/genealogy-fair>

**A:** Thanks!

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** <https://www.archives.gov/publications/general-info-leaflets/17-citing-records.html>

**A:** Thanks!