

**Get What You Came For: New Search Options Let you Target Obituaries, Photos, Passenger Lists, Births, Marriages, and more**  
**June 12, 2013**  
**Chat Log**

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Is there a handout for today?

**A:** Our speaker does not have handouts for today's webinar, but the recording will be available indefinitely.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Yeah - it's webinar Wednesday

**A:** :)

**Geoff Rasmussen (to All - Entire Audience):** Welcome everyone! It's Webinar Wednesday!

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Can people submit ideas for future webinars somehow?

**A:** You bet, please send them to me at [geoff@legacyfamilytree.com](mailto:geoff@legacyfamilytree.com)

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** It doesn't feel like Wednesday when I miss a webinar which only happens when I have another committment that couioldn't be scheduled some other time or those rare ones that don't apply to me-only when it's about an area whrer I have no ancestors.

**A:** :) Never miss Webinar Wednesday! You never know what will happen.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** These categories don't all have the newspaper image and seem to be transcriptions.How about links to the actual article.

**A:** He'll show you - they have all the historical newspapers images too.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Does GenealogyBank have any plans to add Soundex capability or something similar? Or will it remain a literal search only?

**A:** From his response, it sounds like they are considering this.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Are there papers from any other country?

**A:** I'll ask this in the Q/A if he doesn't answer it.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** All their papers and records are U.S. only.

**A:** He'll probably cover this, but if not, I'll ask in the Q/A.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Newspaper articles have helped me to construct many branches in my family tree. Newspapers in small towns are my favorite for researching because they publish everything from birth announcements, school news, graduations, engagements, weddings and more.

**A:** Great!

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Front page obits are super...they list everything in small towns

**A:** You're right...

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** I love some of the old papers. We like to think Twitter is something new, but old papers used to give little short blurbs like "Mrs. Dawson is going to visit her mother for the weekend." It is great stuff to read! :)

**A:** :)

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** do you have many small town newspapers or do you rely most on larger towns

**A:** He's answering this right now...

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** How come that opening screen does not show when I sign in to Genealogy Bank?

**A:** I'll ask in the Q/A since a few others have also asked this.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** What is the cost to conduct searches on GenealogyBank? Thanks

**A:** 25% off through Friday for webinar viewers: <http://www.genealogybank.com/legacysavings>

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** I believe you can search for free. However, can't go beyond the snippets unless you have a subscription.

**A:** That's right.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** After his last webinar - I looked up ships of family and learned about the voyage, and arrival

**A:** Great!

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** ...how about states like Montana?

**A:** Yes, you are able to locate a list of all newspapers for each state. I see 20 newspapers for Montana.

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Can you access a list of all the papers they have BEFORE signing up to help assess whether the cost will be worth it?

A: Yes.

**Audience Question:**

Q: Research Tip: I have a family branch that lives near the state line. I have found many articles in the neighboring state on GenealogyBank.

A: Great tip. Fun to hear Tom talking about this right now too.

**Audience Question:**

Q: In checking the web page (during the webinar) I would like to find the actual cost per month. I appreciate the free 30 days but am looking for the price. Thanks

A: At [www.genealogybank.com/legacysavings](http://www.genealogybank.com/legacysavings), in the upper right it shows \$4.37/month, but I think it might only be billed annually at \$52.46.

**Audience Question:**

Q: I use the built in Legacy calendar quite a bit!

A: Great! Click on the calendar button in Legacy. The calendar goes back to the year 1700. Easy to see what days the newspaper corresponds with.

**Audience Question:**

Q: Does GenealogyBank have international newspapers?

A: I'll ask this in the Q/A.

**Audience Question:**

Q: I had a subscription to GB a few years back. Looks like there has been lots of improvements and additions so may be time to subscribe again!

A: Yes, they are constantly adding new content.

**Audience Question:**

Q: is there an overlap of newspapers in Genealogy Bank and NewspaperArchive.com?

A: I'll ask in the Q/A.

**Audience Question:**

Q: Search Australian Newspapers for free at [trove.nla.gov.au/](http://trove.nla.gov.au/)

A: Thanks for the link.

**Audience Question:**

Q: I've recently joined GenealogyBank, and this webinar is helping me with tremendous ideas!

A: Great!

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**Audience Question:**

**Q:** does the 5% membership discount apply at the [legacyfamilytreestore.com](http://legacyfamilytreestore.com) site too?

**A:** yes

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** What is URL for list of Tom's Webinars

**A:** [http://familytreewebinars.com/presenter\\_details.php?presenter\\_id=26](http://familytreewebinars.com/presenter_details.php?presenter_id=26)

**Audience Question:**

**Q:** Are the question section also included in his archived webinars?

**A:** yes