

Orange County Genealogical Society

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**Saturday, September 7, 2019**

**10:30 AM**

**1841 Historic Courthouse**

**101 Main Street**

**Goshen, NY**

## **“Using Newspapers in Your Research”**

Presented by: Mary Colbert

There's more to newspapers than obituaries and marriage announcements. You can find local news stories, maritime news, advertisements, legal notices, real estate news, and much more. It is easier than ever to find your ancestor in old newspapers because so many have been digitized and are searchable. In this presentation you will get tips on searching newspapers on a variety of websites.

Mary Colbert is the Vice President, Library for the Dutchess County Genealogical Society. She has taught genealogy classes at the East Fishkill Library, Mount Saint Mary Desmond campus, and other sites.

Mary has been researching her New York Irish family history for over 40 years. She is currently writing a family history book which will be printed this fall. She posts her progress on the book as well as family stories on her blog:

<https://colbertwhelanfamily.wordpress.com/>

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