



RESEARCH AT CORTLAND COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

KELLOGG MEMORIAL RESEARCH CENTER
WED-SAT 12PM-5PM

AT A GLANCE

CCHS is dedicated to the collection and preservation of resources that include published and unpublished historical, genealogical, and archival material that illuminate Cortland County's rich history.

FEES

- Members and students: FREE
- Non-members: \$10 (includes four free copies)
- Additional copies: \$.25/page
- Photos: Fees vary

FREE ONLINE RESOURCES

- Deed records:
www.searchiqs.com/NYCOR/Login.aspx
- 1855 & 1863 Map: Library of Congress website
- Newspapers:
fultonhistory.com

WHAT WE HAVE

- Birth/death/marriage announcements*
- Business and organization records*
- Cemetery readings
- Census record indexes
- City directories
- Family files*
- Genealogies
- Letters & diaries
- Manuscripts
- Military information
- Maps and atlases
- Photographs
- Scrapbooks
- Town & county histories
- Yearbooks

* These resources are primarily newspaper clippings, not original records.

NOT AVAILABLE AT CCHS

- Official vital records and property deeds.

[Visit our website for more info:](http://cortlandhistory.org)

cortlandhistory.org

Go to "Learn" →

"History and Genealogy Resources"

We are adding indexes and finding aids that can help guide you to our unique resources!

FAMILY HISTORY RESOURCES

- Family files: Contain various resources including newspaper clippings, correspondence, previous genealogy research and more! These files are often a good starting point when conducting research on individuals and families within Cortland County. Check the index on our website to see if we have a file on your family!
- Genealogy & local history books
- City directories for Cortland, Homer, McGraw: Find out where your ancestors lived and worked.
- Maps & atlases: See exactly where your ancestors lived in Cortland County in 1855, 1863, and 1876.
- Archives and manuscripts: Early original town records can provide unique and useful information. Some of these records have indexes and transcriptions that make searching for particular people easy!
- Photographs: You might find some images of your ancestors or the places they lived and worked!
- Cemetery binders: Includes gravestone readings from the 1930s-40s. Does not include official burial records.

BUILDINGS, BUSINESSES, AND MORE

- General files: Newspaper clippings and other materials gathered by topic provide information on businesses, organizations, events, and more.
- Programs & advertisements
- Materials and records for businesses such as Wickwire Bros., Smith-Corona, Brockway Motor Trucks, and more!
- Sanborn maps show the evolution of buildings in Cortland from 1884-1960s.
- Photographs

TELLING YOUR STORIES SINCE 1925
CORTLANDHISTORY.ORG