

The United States Newspaper Program is a cooperative national effort among the states and the federal government to locate, catalog, and preserve on microfilm newspapers published in the United States from the eighteenth century to the present. Funding is provided by the [National Endowment for the Humanities](#). Technical assistance is furnished by the [Library of Congress](#).

U.S. Newspaper Program Participants

The USNP has supported projects in each of the fifty states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Each project is conducted by a single organization within a state or territory, usually the state's largest newspaper repository. A project's staff inventories holdings in public libraries, county courthouses, newspaper offices, historical museums, college and university libraries, archives, and historical societies. Catalog records are entered into a national database maintained by the [Online Computer Library Center \(OCLC\)](#) and accessible through more than 53,500 dedicated computer terminals worldwide. Microfilm copies of newspapers are generally available to researchers anywhere in the country through inter-library loan.

We have listed NEH awards to date in support of USNP projects. The dollar amount includes funds for planning, for implementation, and for the continuation of multi-stage projects. The list contains both current and completed projects and provides the number of titles and newspaper pages that have been or are estimated to be cataloged and microfilmed.

Please note: e-mail addresses and URLs are current as of June, 2006. Not all institutions maintain a Web site specifically for USNP projects.

In addition to state projects, the Endowment has funded the cataloging of newspapers at eight [national repositories](#) and also funded preservation at one of the eight. Each of these libraries has extensive newspaper collections containing titles from most of the 50 states. The Library of Congress, with its own fiscal resources, also participates in the USNP as a national repository.

ALABAMA

Alabama has microfilmed 7.2 million pages of more than five hundred newspapers, among them the *Anniston Hot Blast* and the *Ozark Banner Advertiser*. The project has received \$571,563 in NEH support.

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ALASKA

The project has microfilmed 100,000 pages of such papers as the *Forty-Ninth Star* and the *Esquimaux*, an 1866 newspaper for men laying Western Union's overland line. Included are handwritten newspapers from before the U.S. purchase of Alaska. The project has received \$650,190 in NEH support.

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ARIZONA

The Arizona project has microfilmed over 1,212,881 pages of newsprint from 57 towns in all 15 counties of the state. Titles preserved include the *Williams News*, the *Arizona Record*, the *Copper Era*, and *El Sol*. Holdings are searchable online by title, city, county, and subject. The project has received \$1,033,226 in NEH support.

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ARKANSAS

The Arkansas Newspaper Project has cataloged 3,400 titles, including the first *Arkansas Gazette* published in 1819. The project has received \$659,854 in NEH support.

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CALIFORNIA

Among the 15,500 newspapers cataloged and the 2.6 million pages microfilmed in California are the *Alpine Argus* and the *O Lavrador Portuguez*. The holdings date from 1846 and include publications in Spanish, Chinese, Armenian, and thirty-six other languages. The project has received \$6,967,377 in NEH support.

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COLORADO

Colorado newspapers such as the *Avalanche Echo*, the *Durango Wage Earner*, and the *Rocky Mountain News* are among the 1.7 million pages microfilmed. The project has received \$345,438 in NEH support.

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CONNECTICUT

The Connecticut Newspaper Project has microfilmed 1,094,446 pages and cataloged 7,161 titles of papers dating back to the 1755 *Connecticut Gazette*. The project has received \$1,932,416 in NEH support.

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DELAWARE

The project has microfilmed 700,000 pages, including the state's first newspaper, the 1781 *Delaware Gazette*. The project has received \$405,371 in NEH support.

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

The project, which has cataloged 1,600 titles, including ethnic, religious, and immigrant newspapers, has received \$141,529 in NEH support.

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FLORIDA

The Florida Newspaper Project has microfilmed 785,690 pages of papers such as the *Okaloosa Messenger*, the *Tropical Sun*, and the *Pelican*. The project has received \$678,628 in NEH support.

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GEORGIA

Rough Rice's Ready Reporter, *Twig County New Era*, and the *Wiregrass Farmer* are among the 2.5 million pages that have been microfilmed of newspapers dating back to the eighteenth century. The project has received \$557,550 in NEH support.

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HAWAII

Hawai'i has microfilmed 260,000 pages and cataloged 476 titles such as *Windward Living* and the *Leeward Sun Press*. The project, which includes papers in English, Hawaiian, and Portuguese, has received \$72,402 in NEH support.

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IDAHO

Idaho newspapers such as *The Blackfoot Optimist*, *The Blab*, and *The Fruitland Banner* are among the 300,000 pages microfilmed. Holdings are indexed by city. The project has received \$59,040 in NEH support.

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ILLINOIS

The Illinois Newspaper Project has cataloged more than 20,500 titles, among them the *Herald of the Prairies*, the *Griggsville Reflector*, and the *Ruralist*. The project has received \$5,176,621 in NEH support.

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Also, the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library, 112 N. 6th Street, Springfield, IL 62701, telephone: 217-785-7956, cooperates with the Illinois Newspaper Project and preserves originals and microfilm of many Illinois newspapers.
Web site: http://www.alplm.org/library/library_depts.html#Newspaper

INDIANA

More than 900,000 pages have been microfilmed in Indiana. The project, which includes newspapers dating back to the 1830s and is searchable online, has received \$542,272 in NEH support.

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IOWA

Iowa newspapers such as the *Royal Booster*, the *Walnut Bureau*, and the *Ackley Phonograph* are included in the 3.9 million pages microfilmed. The project has received \$695,338 in NEH support.

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KANSAS

The Kansas Newspaper Project has microfilmed 1.6 million pages and cataloged 10,330 titles. The project has received \$72,976 in NEH support. Microfilmed newspapers are available through interlibrary loan. A database of titles that are available for loan can be searched at the Web site listed below.

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KENTUCKY

The Kentucky Yeoman and the *Blue Grass Blade* are among 4,750 titles cataloged and 800,000 pages microfilmed in Kentucky. The project, which includes African American and Civil War-era publications, has received \$564,523 in NEH support.

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LOUISIANA

The 1794 New Orleans *Moniteur de la Louisiane*, the state's first French newspaper, is among the 4.8 million pages microfilmed. The project has received \$303,073 in NEH support.

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MAINE

Maine has microfilmed 356,000 pages of publications dating back to 1785 when Maine was part of Massachusetts. Titles include the *Squirrel Island Squid* and the *Twin-Towns Screamer*. The project has received \$435,984 in NEH support.

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MARYLAND

Among the 2 million pages microfilmed in Maryland are the *Log Cabin Advocate* and *Saint Mary's Beacon*. The project, which is searchable online, has received \$347,170 in NEH support.

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MASSACHUSETTS

The 1690 *Publick Occurrences*, America's first newspaper, is among 8,127 titles cataloged. The project, which includes several famous abolitionist newspapers, has received \$770,942 in NEH support.

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MICHIGAN

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MINNESOTA

The project has microfilmed 4.1 million pages and contains more than three hundred editions commemorating inaugurations and town centennials. The project has received \$868,135 in NEH support

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MISSISSIPPI

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MISSOURI

The *St. Louis Lightning Express*, the *Far West*, and the *Missouri Mule* are among the 3,400 titles cataloged and 236,000 pages microfilmed. The project has received \$794,974 in NEH support. The University Libraries of the University of Missouri-Kansas City administered the Missouri State Newspaper Project. Collections of newspapers and the microfilm of the newspapers are available at the State Historical Society of Missouri.

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MONTANA

The Montana Newspaper Project has microfilmed 320,000 pages, among them the *Bitter Root Journal* and the *Sweetgrass Boulder Blade*. The project has received \$126,181 in support from NEH.

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NEBRASKA

The project has microfilmed 300,000 pages and includes temperance publications, ethnic newspapers, and women's rights newspapers. The project has received \$729,366 in NEH support.

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NEVADA

The Nevada Newspaper Project has cataloged 975 titles such as the *Sagebrush Stockman*, the *Snowbound*, and the *Battle Mountain Scout*. The project has received \$114,360 in NEH support.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE

More than one million pages have been microfilmed in New Hampshire, encompassing more than 1,644 titles published from 1756 to 1993. The project has received \$764,572 in NEH support. The library of Dartmouth College administered the New Hampshire State Newspaper Project. Collections of newspapers and the microfilm of the newspapers are available at the New Hampshire State Library.

New Hampshire State Library

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NEW JERSEY

The New Jersey Newspaper Project has microfilmed 3.15 million pages dating back to 1777. The project has received \$879,901 in support from NEH.

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NEW MEXICO

The Horse Fly and the *Los Cerrillos Rustler* are two of the 1,599 titles cataloged; 500,000 pages have been microfilmed. The project, which is searchable online, received \$655,790 in NEH support.

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NEW YORK

The *New-York Gazette*, first published in 1725, is among the 4.27 million pages microfilmed. The project, which includes the original 1897 *New York Sun* article "Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa-Claus," has received \$6,051,746 in NEH support.

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NORTH CAROLINA

North Carolina has microfilmed 3 million pages of newspapers such as the *North Carolina Gazette*, first published in 1751. The project, which includes papers from ninety-nine out of one hundred counties, has received \$1,334,095 in NEH support.

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NORTH DAKOTA

The project has microfilmed 3.3 million pages of papers, including the *Farmers Railroad*, the *Wyndmere Missile*, and the *Gladstone Rustler*, a cowboy publication. The project has received \$205,809 in NEH support.

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OHIO

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OKLAHOMA

The project has microfilmed 370,500 pages and includes the 1844 *Cherokee Advocate*, the first newspaper in the state, published in English and Cherokee. The project has received \$852,307 in NEH support.

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OREGON

The project has microfilmed 651,873 pages, among them the *Bumblebee* and the *Weekly Bedrock Democrat*. The project received \$1,090,573 in NEH support.

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PENNSYLVANIA

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PUERTO RICO

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RHODE ISLAND

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SOUTH CAROLINA

The first newspaper in the Royal colony of South Carolina appeared when Thomas Whitmarsh produced the *South-Carolina Gazette* in 1732. In the 19th century, ethnic newspapers served the German and Irish communities and today's Hispanic communities are reached by papers with Hispanic titles. The project has microfilmed 990,332 pages with \$397,893 in NEH support.

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SOUTH DAKOTA

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TENNESSEE

The Tennessee Newspaper Project has cataloged 10,300 newspapers with publication dates from the 18th to the 21st century. Interesting titles include the *Bolivar Palladium* from the early 1800s, *Carthage Casket* from the mid 1800s, *Mountain Ears* from the 1930s, and the *Gas Bag* from the 1940s. The project received \$1,477,872 in NEH support.

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TEXAS

Among the 1,194,041 pages microfilmed are the *Blooming Grove Rustler* and the *Evening News and Dinner Horn*. The project, which includes the newspapers of Jewish, Czech, and German settlers, has received \$1,401,998 in NEH support.

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U. S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

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Web site: <http://virginislandspace.org/Division%20of%20Libraries/libraryresources.html>

UTAH

The *Earnest Worker*, *Beehive News*, and *Utah Scandinav* are among the 1,263 titles cataloged by the Utah Newspaper Project. The project received \$112,595 in NEH support.

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VERMONT

The 267,000 pages of microfilmed holdings include Vermont's first newspaper, the *Vermont Gazette*, or *Green Mountain Post Boy*, which was printed in 1781 by Judah Padock Spooner and Timothy Green in Westminster on the historic Dresden Press (the first official printing press of the state of Vermont). Newspapers for Italian, French-Canadian, Slavic, and other immigrant groups working in the state's quarries, lumberyards, and textile factories are also represented. The project has received \$427,894 in NEH support.

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VIRGINIA

The first Virginia *Gazette*, printed in 1736, and the Richmond *Planet*, an African American newspaper from the Reconstruction period, are among 477,000 pages microfilmed. The program has received \$3,417,158 in NEH support.

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Web site: <http://www.lva.lib.va.us/whatwedo/vnp/index.htm>

WASHINGTON

The Washington State Newspaper Project has microfilmed 1.5 million pages and cataloged 2,200 titles with \$432,363 in NEH support.

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WEST VIRGINIA

Among the 460,000 microfilmed pages and 1,180 cataloged titles are the *Wheeling Intelligencer*, the *Point Pleasant Register*, the *Spirit of Jefferson-Farmers Advocate*, and the *Charleston Gazette*. The project received \$171,294 in NEH support.

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P.O. Box 6069
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e-mail: hforbes@wvu.edu
Web site: <http://www.libraries.wvu.edu/wvcollection/newspapers.htm>

WISCONSIN

The project includes Native American and African American newspapers, as well as underground newspapers from the 1960s. Two thousand titles have been cataloged. The project received \$130,472 in NEH support.

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Web site: <http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/libraryarchives/collections/news.asp>

WYOMING

The Wyoming Newspaper Project has microfilmed 219,000 pages and cataloged 445 titles with \$266,192 in NEH support.

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National Newspaper Repositories

AMERICAN ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY

The American Antiquarian Society has cataloged 14,324 titles with \$340,071 in NEH support.

Vincent Golden
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185 Salisbury Street
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Web site: <http://www.americanantiquarian.org/newspapers.htm>

The society has compiled a listing that provides information on whether a state has an online index of newspaper holdings. The listing includes links to the online indexes. The URL for the newspaper index listing is
<http://www.americanantiquarian.org/newspapers9.htm>

CENTER FOR RESEARCH LIBRARIES

The Center for Research Libraries has cataloged 1,035 titles with \$35,743 in NEH support.

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6050 South Kenwood Avenue
Chicago, IL 60637
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e-mail: reilly@crl.edu
Web site: <http://www.crl.edu/content.asp?11=5>

KANSAS STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Kansas State Historical Society has cataloged 10,330 titles with \$353,376 in NEH support. Microfilmed newspapers are available through interlibrary loan. A database of titles that are available for loan can be searched at the Web site listed below.

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Web site: <http://www.kshs.org/library/news.htm>

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

The Library of Congress has cataloged 14,350 titles.

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Library of Congress
Washington, DC 20540-4550
telephone: 202-707-2958
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Web site: <http://lcweb.loc.gov/rr/news/ncp.html>

NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY

The New York Public Library has microfilmed 2 million pages and cataloged 7,000 titles
with \$1,020,745 in NEH support.

Evelyn Frangakis
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Web site: <http://www.nypl.org/>

NEW YORK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The New York Historical Society has cataloged 9,080 titles with \$290,637 in NEH
support.

Mariam Touba
170 Central Park West
New York, NY 10024
telephone: 212-873-3400 x225 or x226

e-mail: reference@nyhistory.org
Web site: <http://www.nyhistory.org/>

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY

Rutgers University has cataloged 3,139 titles with \$71,677 in NEH support.

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Web site: <http://www.libraries.rutgers.edu/rul/libs/scua/scua.shtml>

WESTERN RESERVE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Western Reserve Historical Society has cataloged 3,920 titles with \$180,532 in NEH support.

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Cleveland, OH 44106
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WISCONSIN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Wisconsin Historical Society has cataloged 7,000 titles with \$350,848 in NEH support.

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