This is a brief overview of the collections.

**ANCESTRY.COM** – Library membership, usage available to all in-house researchers.

**CARD COLLECTIONS** filed by surname and abstracted from various sources
- vital statistics – births, baptisms, marriages, deaths, naturalizations, etc.
- will and orphans court abstracts; pre-1850
- cemetery cards; gathered from cemetery survey completed in 1930's
- tax cards; sampling of taxes taken pre-1800
- cross-reference cards; compiled from Orphans Court records

**CHURCH REGISTERS** - transcribed and indexed; info on vital statistic cards

**COUNTY HISTORIES** – exhaustive indexes of those of Lancaster, York, Adams, Cumberland, Franklin and other miscellaneous PA Counties.

**DEMPWOLF ARCHITECTURAL COLLECTION** architectural firm in York from 1880's – 1930's

**FAMILY BIBLE RECORDS** – family information placed in family file

**FAMILY FILES** – includes correspondence, obituaries, and other materials on family

**GENEALOGICAL REPORTS** on many families; these being compilations on family, gathered by the Trust from various primary sources.

**LAND WARRANTS AND LAND DRAFTS**; York County's collection of land records

**MAGAZINES**, some complete runs, some partial; National Genealogical Society Quarterly; Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine; New England Genealogical And Historical Magazine; Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography; Pennsylvania Folklife; Pennsylvania History, Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Antique

**MANUSCRIPT FILES** – original documents, small compilations, newspaper articles

On York County businesses, places, people

**MICROFILM:**

**Adams County Records**
- deed volumes A – R
- deed indexes 1800-1937
- marriages 1852-1854; 1885-1950
- orphans court dockets 1800-1853
- wills 1800-1864
- taxes 1799-1842

**Census records:** York and Adams Counties; up and including 1930 Miscellaneous

Northern Maryland counties

**Newspapers:**
- Age (York) Jan, 1883 – Jul, 1889
- Cartridge Box (York Civil War Hospital) Mar, 1864 – Jul 1865
- Delta Weekly Herald – Feb 5, 1879 – Dec. 9, 1879
- Delta Herald 1881 – 1894 Miscellaneous issues
- Delta Times 1887 – 1893 Miscellaneous issues
- Gazette (German) May 20, 1796 – Mar 14, 1834
- Glen Rock Item Jul 2, 1874 – Jan 21, 1943; incomplete
- Hanover Gazette 1810 – Feb, 1859
- Hanover Guardian Sep 1818 – Jan 1827
- Hanover Intelligencer Apr 7, 1824 – Apr 13, 1826
- Item Jul 2, 1874 – Nov 5, 1886
- Pa. Gazette Jan 1, 1775 – May 30, 1781
- Pa. Herald & York Gen. Advertiser Jan 1, 1789 – Dec 1793; Jan 1, 1794 – Dec 1798 (n/c)
- Pa. Republican # 139 July 1, 1863
- People’s Advocate Sep 1849 – Jul 1855
- Record Advertiser Sep 1974 – Dec 1983
- Shippensburg Messenger June 28, 1797
- Shippensburg Messenger June 28, 1797
- Stewartstown News 1890- 1933
- True Democrat Jun 1864 – Dec 1865; Jun 1866 – Dec 1872; Jun 1873 – May 1875
- Volksberichter Ein Yorker Wochenblatt Jul 25, 1799 – Jul 31, 1801
- Wrightsville Star 1870 – May 1873
- York County Farmer Dec 1831 – Jan 1834
- York County Star May 1857 – Jan 1862; May 1866 – 1870
- York County Star and Wrightsville Advertiser Apr 1851 – Apr 1855
- York Daily Mar 22, 1871 – Jun 11, 1918
- York Democratic Press Jul 1, 1839 – May 7, 1901
- York Dispatch May 29, 1876 – 2000
- York Gazette... Gazette & Daily... York Daily Record Nov 30, 1815 – (still receiving)
- York Press April 1, 1898 – Dec 30, 1903
- York Recorder Jan 29, 1800 – Mar 1830
- York Republican Mar 1830 – Sep 1832
York City Common Council Journals 1787 – 1899
York County births: volume 1 -5 1893-1905
York County Commissioner Minutes 1749 – 1831
York County deaths: volume 1 -5 1877- 1890
York County deeds: grantor and grantee indexes; deed books A – 3Y 1749-1859
York County Marriage Licenses: Volume A – T 1895 – 1901
York County Orphan Court docket A – Z index, books A – 2C 1749 - 1861
York County Tax Records 1769 –1849
York County Wills: A – Z index, Books A – U 1749 – 1858

**NEwspaper** marriage and death notices indexed (pre-1910)

**Non-local**, and also available:
- Printed books: Genealogies; Pennsylvania German Pioneers by Strassburger and Hinke, Pennsylvania Archives; some church records and other such, not local; Maryland Calendar of Wills; Baltimore wills, Archives of Maryland, New Jersey, And Delaware; a few New England Records, records including Suffolk Deeds, and Mayflower Index; Hinshaw's Index; Hinshaw's Encyclopedia of American Quakers Genealogy; Daughters of the American Colonists Lineage; Daughters of the American Revolution lineage books.

**Tombstone Inscriptions** of York And Adams Counties, as of the 1930's

**Wills and Orphans Court Dockets** abstracted from microfilm copies, probate records of Adams and Lancaster Counties indexed (before 1850)

**York City And County Directories** – up to 2003; not complete

**York County In The Revolution**, a source book, compiled by Henry J. Young (Red & Black series)

**York County** primary sources, most of which are only locally available.