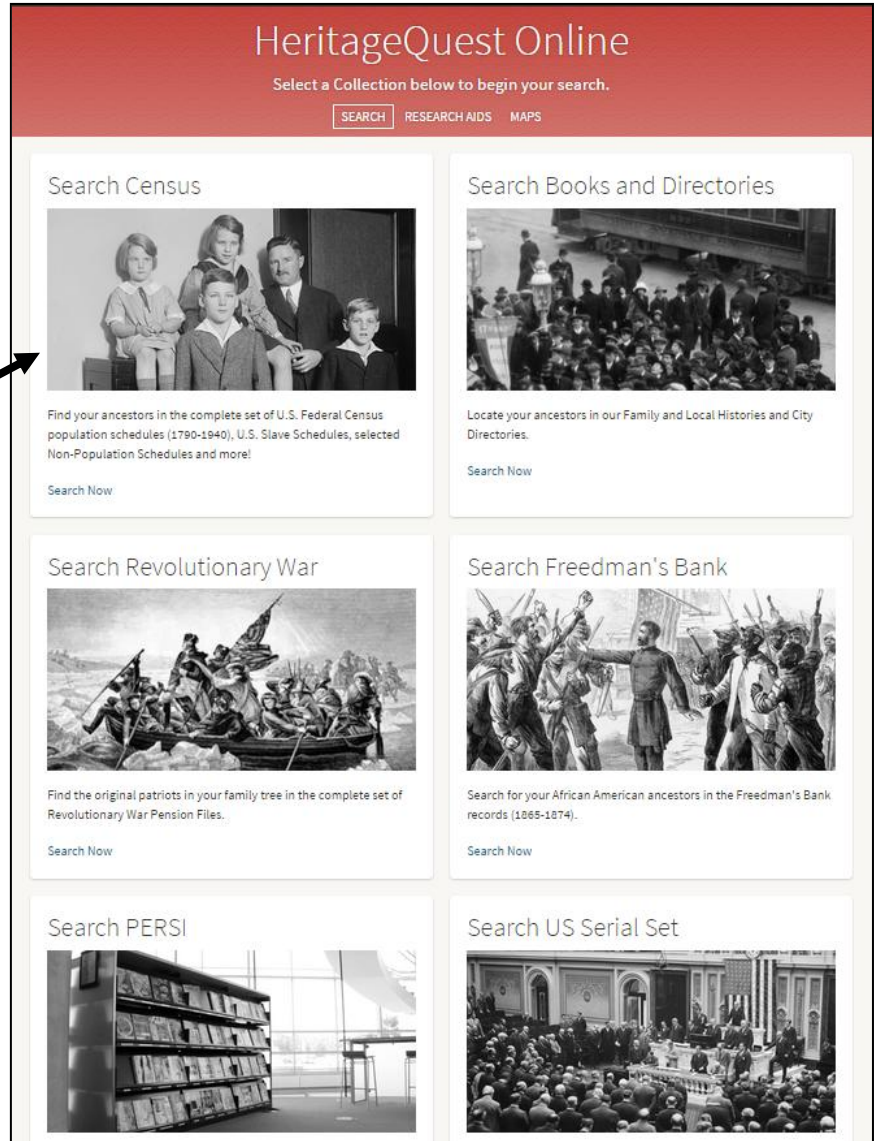


HeritageQuest is powered by Ancestry.com and uses Ancestry's search platform.

Simply click on the record set (e.g. Census, Books and Directories, Revolutionary War, etc.) that you would like to search to begin searching.

There is no "search all record sets" option. Only one record set can be searched at a time.

To follow this guide, select **Search Census**.



U.S. Federal Census Collection

Match all terms exactly

First & Middle Name(s) Last Name

Birth Year Location

Lived in City, County, State, Country

Any Event City, County, State, Country

Add family member: Father Mother Sibling Spouse Child

Father First & Middle Name(s) Last Name

Mother

Sibling

Spouse

Child

Keyword

e.g. pilot or "Flying Tigers" ▾

Gender Race/Nationality

Included data collections:

- 1790 United States Federal Census
- 1800 United States Federal Census
- 1810 United States Federal Census

You can search across all census records by using the search screen to the left, or select a specific year to search only that year.

The HQ census search has an every name index to the 1790-1940 general population schedules, and also includes additional special census schedules, not previously included with HQ. This is the same index that is in Ancestry Library Edition.

Special Census Schedules

Included data collections:

- 1850 U.S. Federal Census - Slave Schedules
- 1850 United States Federal Census
- 1860 U.S. Federal Census - Slave Schedules
- 1860 United States Federal Census
- 1870 United States Federal Census
- 1880 United States Federal Census
- 1890 United States Federal Census Fragment
- 1890 Veterans Schedules
- 1900 United States Federal Census
- 1910 United States Federal Census
- 1920 United States Federal Census
- 1930 United States Federal Census
- 1940 United States Federal Census
- Selected U.S. Federal Census Non-Population Schedules, 1850-1880
- U.S. Enumeration District Maps and Descriptions, 1940
- U.S. Federal Census - 1880 Schedules of Defective, Dependent, and Delinquent Classes
- U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885
- U.S. Special Census on Deaf Family Marriages and Hearing Relatives, 1888-1895
- U.S., Indian Census Rolls, 1885-1940

You can input data in as little as one field, or as many as all of the fields in order to search.

If you would like to mimic the “old” HQ census search, try searching with a surname and make it an **Exact** search. Then add a **Lived In** location and also restrict it to **Exact**.

SEARCH Match all terms exactly

First & Middle Name(s)

Last Name

Exact

Birth

Year

Location

Lived In

Exact to this place

Any Event

Next, select the census year of interest. To follow this guide, **select 1850**.

Search Filters Broad Exact

root

LIVED IN: Orleans C...

Edit Search | New Search | UPDATE

U.S. Federal Census Collection

Shortcut Keys ▶

952 results

- 1830 United States Federal Census
- 1840 United States Federal Census
- 1850 United States Federal Census
- 1860 United States Federal Census
- 1870 United States Federal Census
- 1880 United States Federal Census
- 1890 Veterans Schedules
- 1900 United States Federal Census
- 1910 United States Federal Census
- 1920 United States Federal Census
- 1930 United States Federal Census
- 1940 United States Federal Census

To better determine which is the correct individual, hover your mouse over the entries to view more data about the household.

Search Filters Broad Exact

root

LIVED IN: Orleans C...

[Edit Search](#) | [New Search](#) | [UPDATE](#)

1850 United States Federal Census

This database is an index to individuals enumerated in the 1850 United States Federal Census, the Seventh Census of the United States. Census takers recorded many details including each person's...


[Learn more about this database...](#)

[Browse Individual Records](#)

[Shortcut Keys](#)

View Record	Name	Home in 1850 (City, County, State)	Birth Year	Birthplace	Gender	View Image
View Record	John Rae [John Root]	Gaines, Orleans, New York	abt 1805	New York	Male	
View Record					Female	
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NAME: Titus Roat

AGE: 70

BIRTH YEAR: 1780

BIRTHPLACE: Massachusetts

HOME IN 1850: Kendall, Orleans, New York

GENDER: Male

FAMILY NUMBER: 779

HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS	NAME	AGE
	Titus Roat	70
	Martha Roat	50
	Wilson Roat	20
	Cyrus Roat	17
	Reuben Roat	13
	Alexander Roat	11
	Hiram Roat	8
	Malissa Roat	7

For those not trying to mimic an "old" HQ census search, input as much information as desired and then click **Search**.

SEARCH Match all terms exactly

First & Middle Name(s) Last Name

Exact... Exact...

Birth Year Location

Exact...

Lived In

Exact...

Any Event

Exact...

Add family member: [Father](#) [Mother](#) [Sibling](#) [Spouse](#) [Child](#)

	First & Middle Name(s)	Last Name
Father	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Mother	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Sibling	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Spouse	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child	<input type="text" value="montraville"/>	<input type="text"/>

Keyword

e.g. pilot or "Flying Tigers"

Gender Race/Nationality

SEARCH Clear search

All U.S. Federal Census Collection results for Aretas Root

Use the “sliders” to the left of the screen to narrow down search results. Then click **Update**.

Search Filters: Broad Exact

aretas

root

BORN: Vermont, USA

LIVED IN: Orleans C...

ANY: Michigan, USA

Hide additional fields ^

GENDER: Male

CHILDREN: montraville

Edit Search | New Search | **UPDATE**

U.S. Federal Census Collection

Shortcut Keys ▶

51,454 results

RECORDS | CATEGORIES

Sort by name | results count

Year	Count
1790 United States Federal Census	193
1800 United States Federal Census	258
1810 United States Federal Census	316
1820 United States Federal Census	449
1830 United States Federal Census	630
1840 United States Federal Census	926
1850 U.S. Federal Census - Slave Schedules	10
1850 United States Federal Census	2,982
1860 U.S. Federal Census - Slave Schedules	18
1860 United States Federal Census	3,420
1870 United States Federal Census	3,895
1880 United States Federal Census	4,364

To follow this guide, click on the **1850 census**.

Continue to refine your search as necessary.

All 1850 United States Federal Census results for Aretas Root

Search Filters: Broad Exact

aretas

root

BORN: Vermont, USA

LIVED IN: Orleans C...

ANY: Michigan, USA

Hide additional fields ^

GENDER: Male

CHILDREN: montraville

Edit Search | New Search | **UPDATE**

Results 1-20 of 2,037

View Record	Name	Home in 1850 (City, County, State)	Birth Year	Birthplace	Gender	View Image
View Record	A L Root	Ridgeway, Orleans, New York	abt 1801	Vermont	Male	
View Record	Eackiel Root	Murray, Orleans, New York	abt 1788	Vermont	Male	
View Record	Nathan Root	Clarendon, Orleans, New York	abt 1798	Vermont	Male	
View Record	Montrovill Root	Barre, Orleans, New York	abt 1835	Vermont	Male	
View Record	Benjamin A Root	Royalton, Windsor, Vermont	abt 1842	Vermont	Male	

To edit your search terms select **Edit Search** and a search box will open.

Click **Send Document**, to send it to your personal **Discovery Page**. From home you have the option to download or print.

Name: A L Root

Age: 49

Birth Year: abt 1801

Birthplace: Vermont

Home in 1850: Ridgeway, Orleans, New York

Gender: Male

Family Number: 184

Household Members:

Name	Age
A L Root	49
Charlotte Root	35
Permelia Root	8
Samuel Root	5
Delilah Root	3
Maria Root	2

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