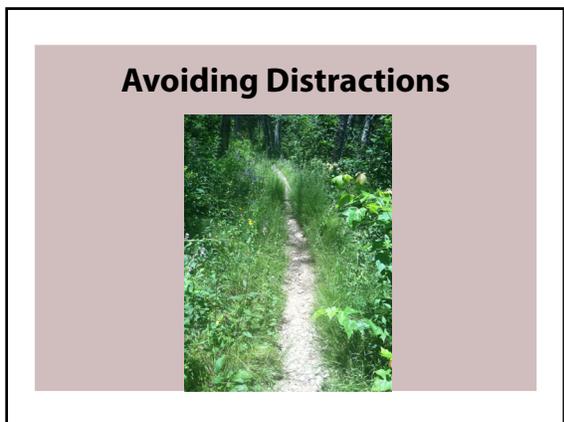


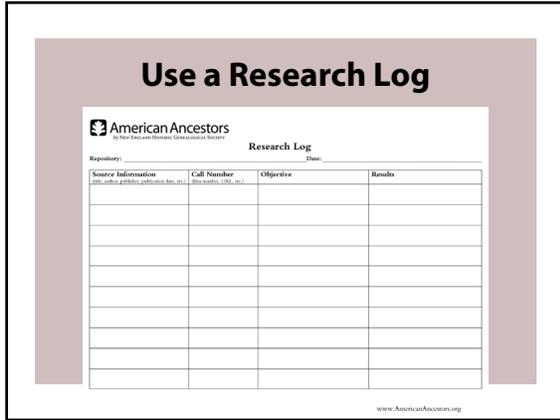
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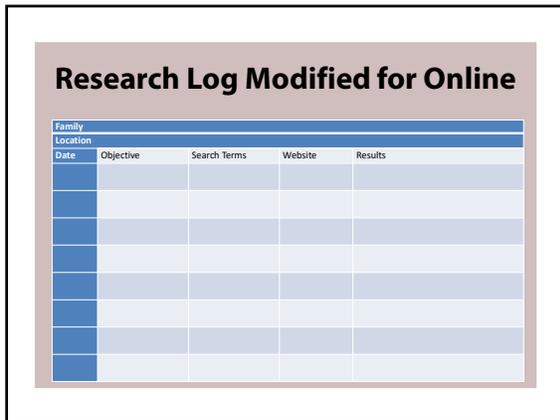
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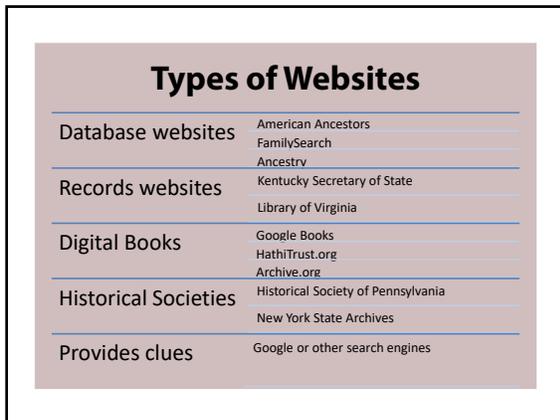
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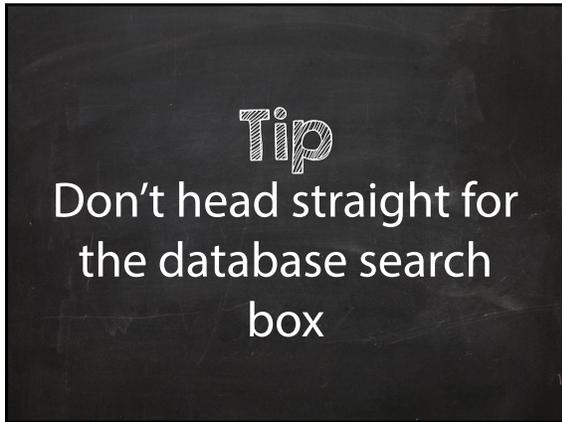
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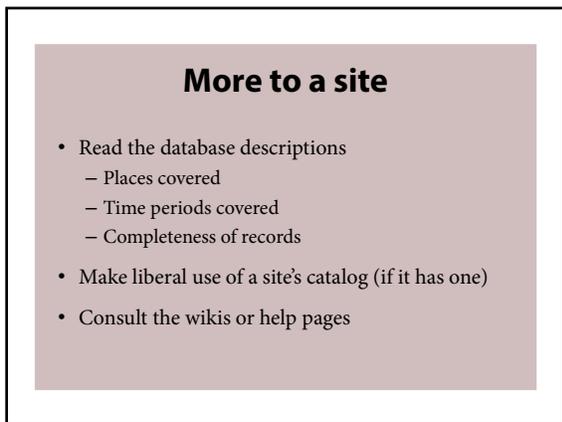
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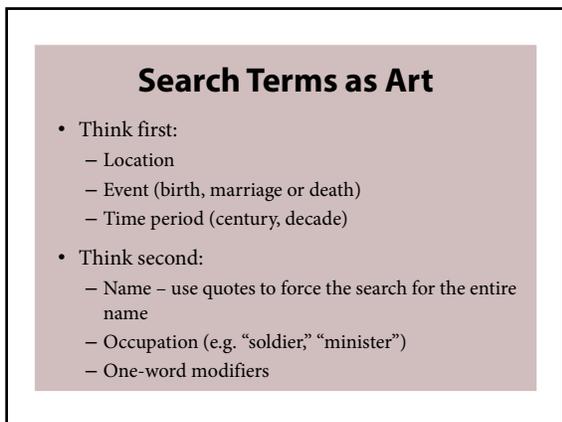
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When Searching a Database

- “Less is More” when searching
- Look at the records before and after your target
- Seek the original; don’t trust the transcription (or indexing)
- Don’t expect to find everything for free

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Tip

Work with a family you
are already familiar
with

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Hey Google...

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Google

- How you search affects the results you get
- Google searches most of the internet, not everything on the internet is devoted to genealogy
- Looking for subjects and historical events may offer insight into choices your ancestors made
- Don't ignore a page or book because it doesn't seem to have genealogy

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Google.com

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Bedford Cemetery

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Language is Everything

- The internet is world-wide
- Websites are often in the language of the country in which the pages were created
- Browsers and Google can translate, but...
- Using the language of the country is better

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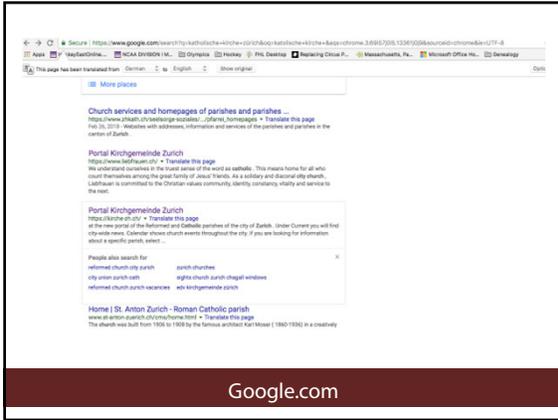
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Use search terms in the language of the country

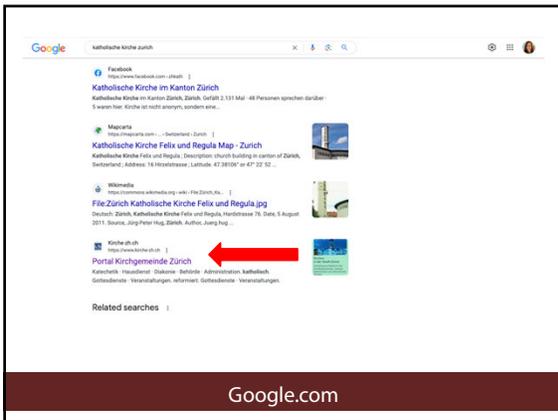
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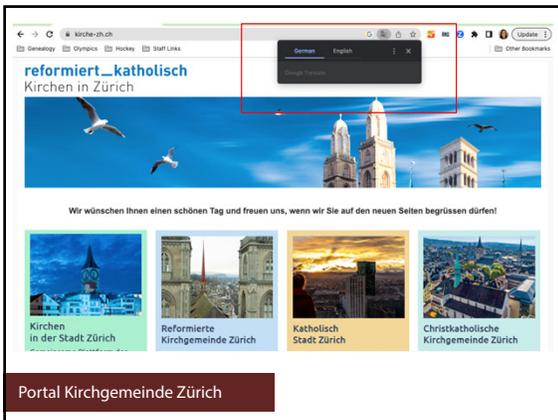
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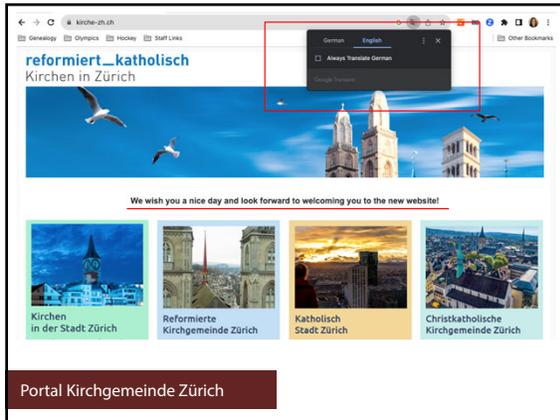
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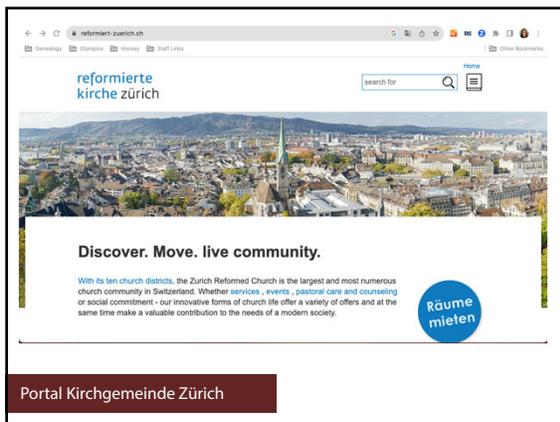
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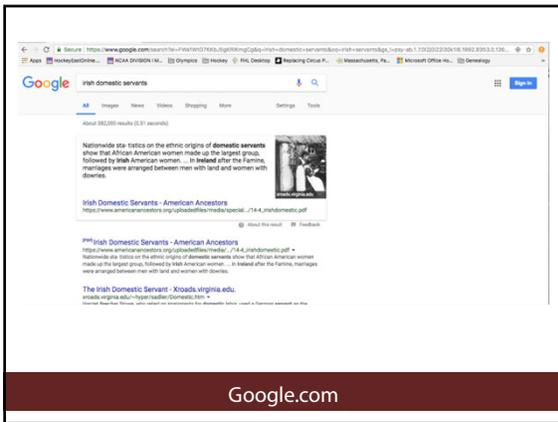


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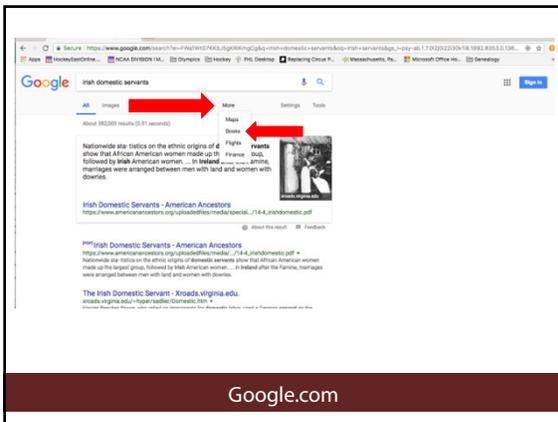
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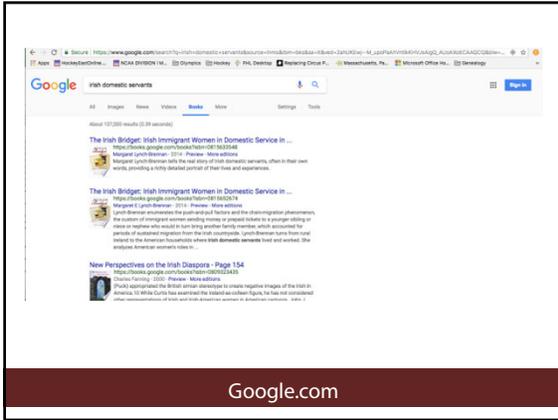
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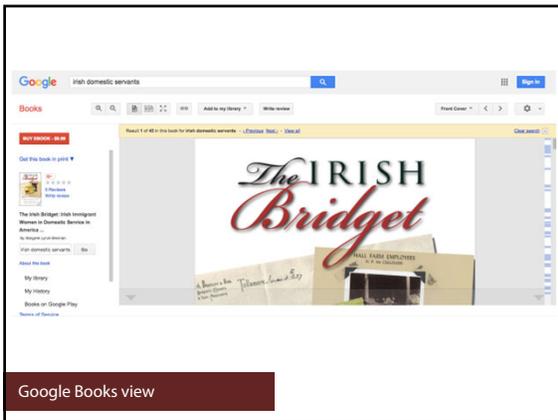
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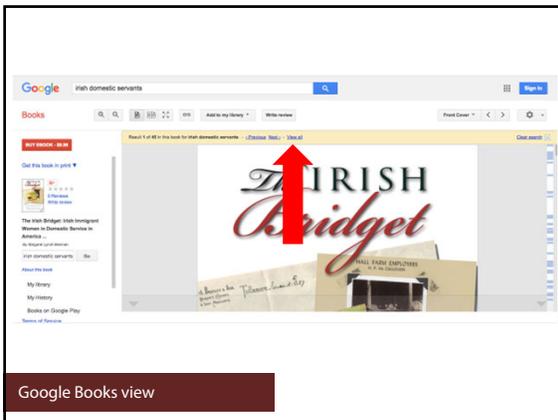
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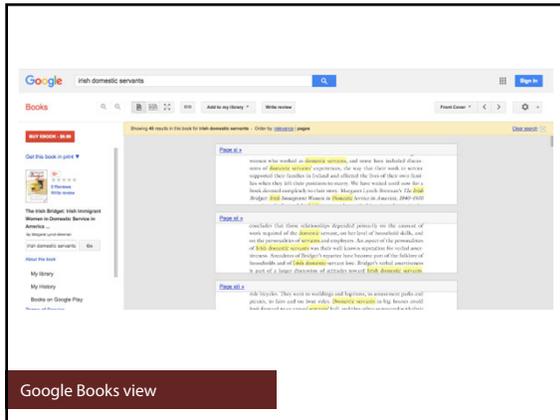
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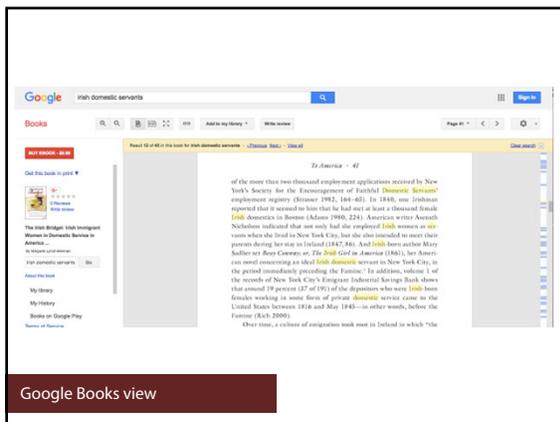
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Faithful Domestic Servants?

- From *The Irish Brides*, one of the pages mentioned “New York’s Society for the Encouragement of Faithful Domestic Servants” and applications for employment
- Can these applications be found?

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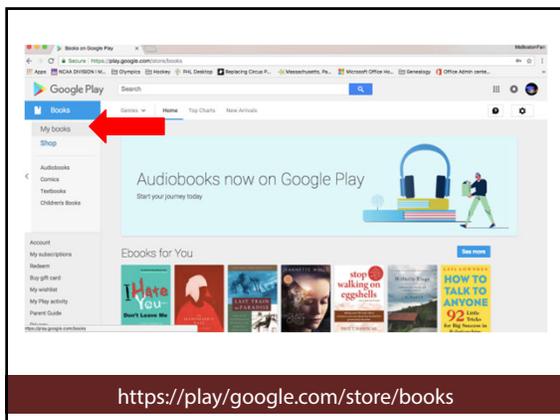
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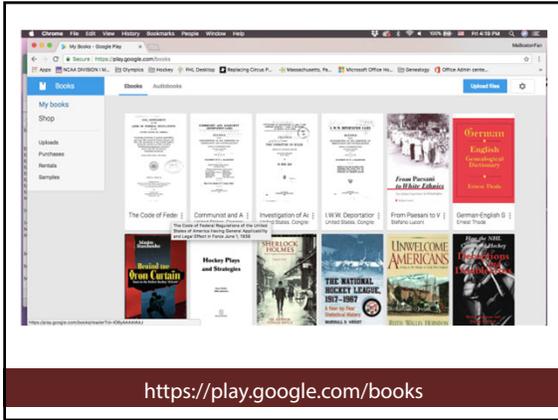
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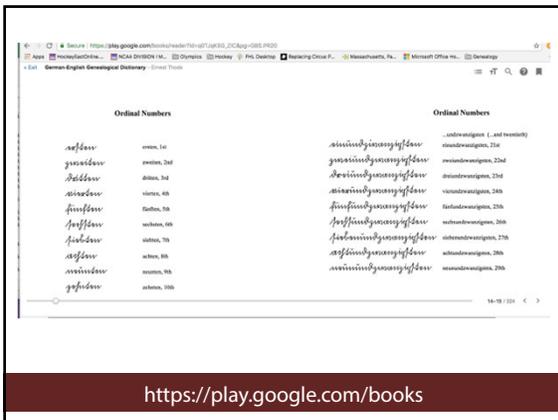
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Newspapers

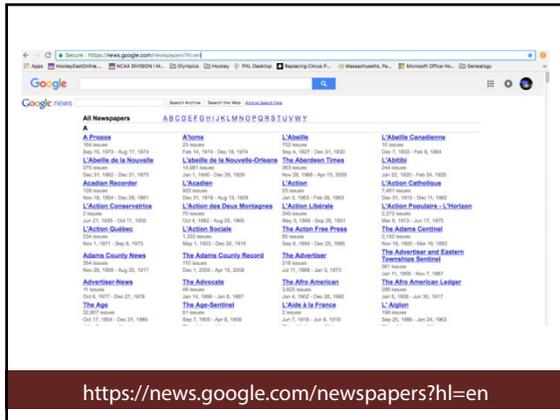
- Google can sometimes refer you to pages of newspapers found at subscription sites like:
 - Newspapers.com
 - NewspaperArchive.com
- However, they have their own collection of digital newspapers, that are not easy to find
- Some of these are searchable

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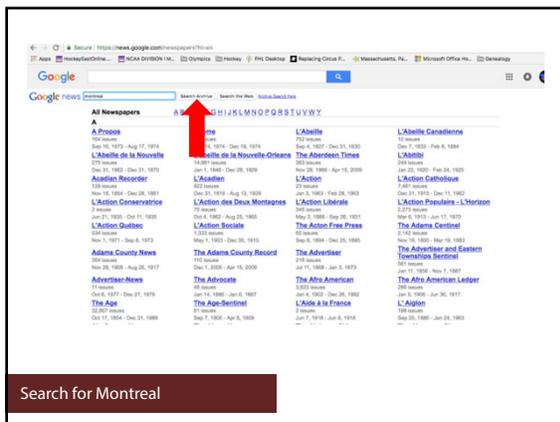
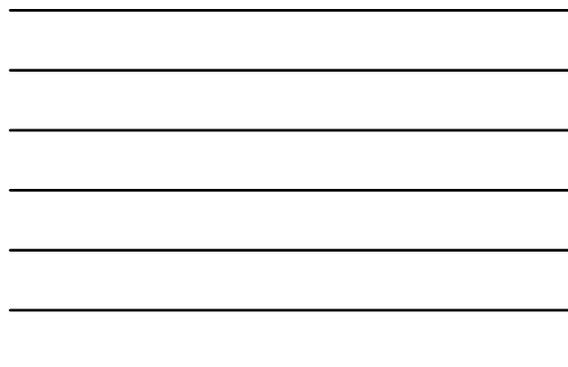
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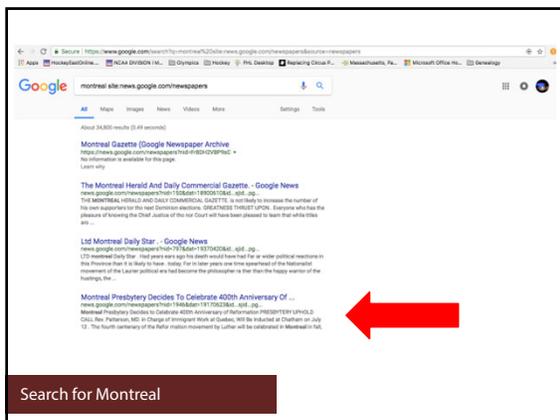
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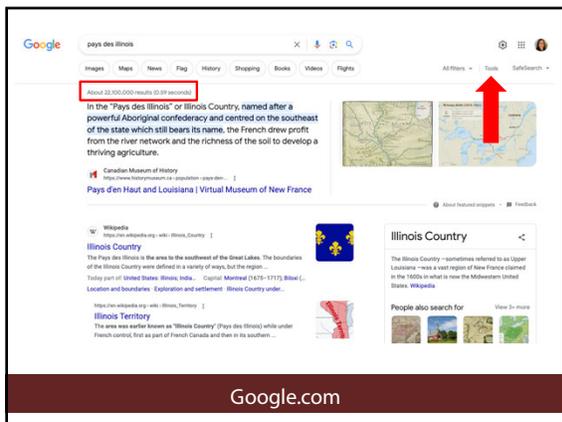


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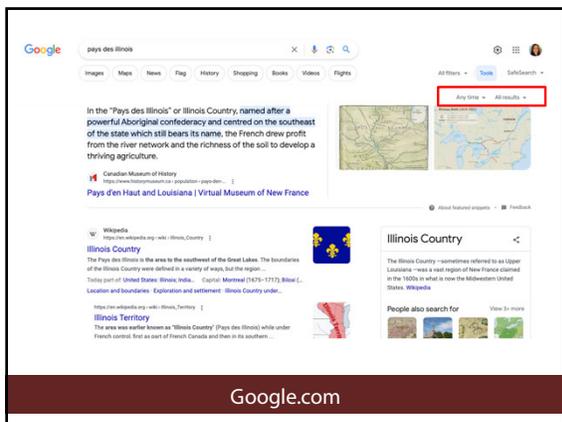




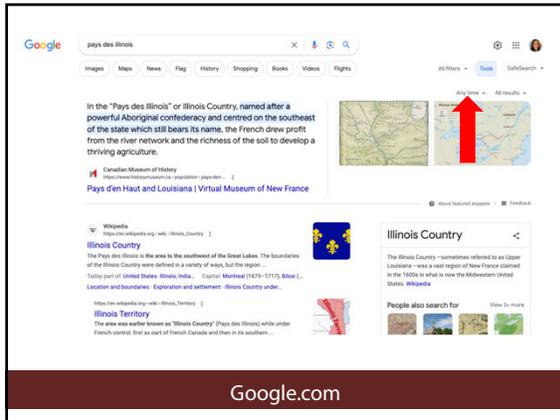
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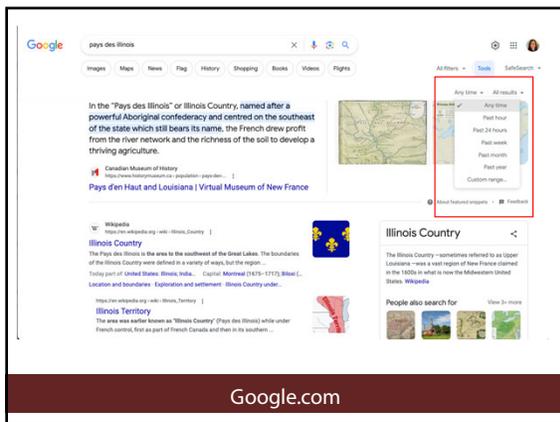
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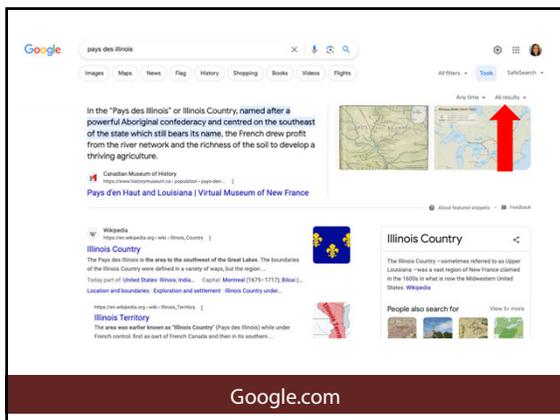
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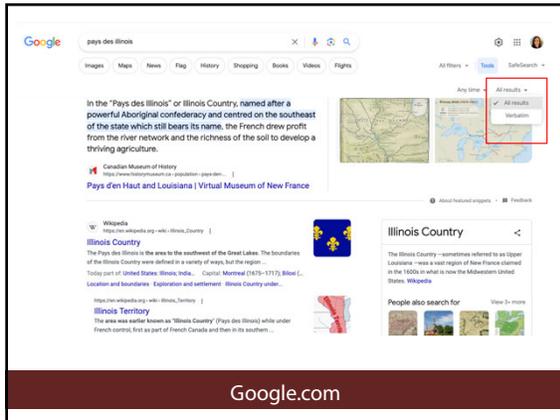
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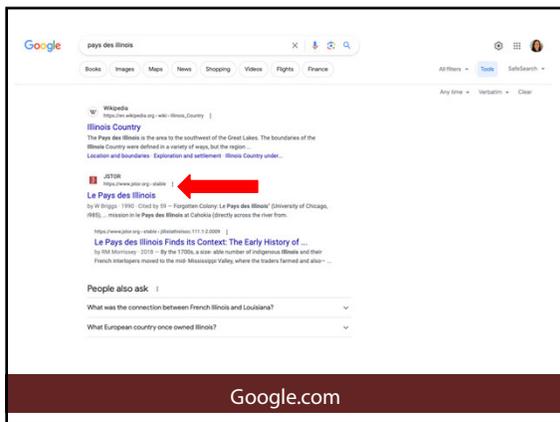
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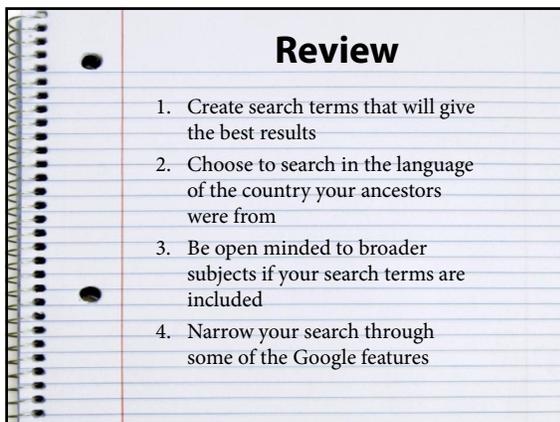
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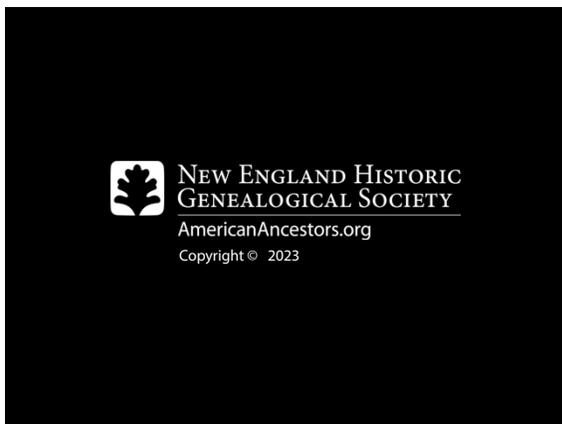
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