
Library of Congress 201: Finding Resources

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Exhibition features suffragists from Seneca Falls to 19th Amendment.

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PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run Creek, Bull Run

1 negative : glass ; 4 x 5 in. or smaller



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
[Bull Run, Va. View of Bull Run]

Photograph from the main eastern theater of war, First Bull Run, July 1861.



BOOK

BOOK/PRINTED MATERIAL

The Bull-Run rout;

Also available in digital form.



MAP
Plan of Bull Run

Shows 1st battle of Bull Run. Pencil, pen-and-ink, and watercolor on tracing paper. Title in pencil on matte board. LC Civil War maps (2nd ed.) 564.9 Accompanied by fact sheet (1 leaf...



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[...] House, Bull Run

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[Bull Run, Va. Sudley Church]

Photograph from the main eastern theater of



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Mr. Russell on Bull Run.

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The battle of Bull Run...

Also available in digital form.



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Moral, "Third Bull Run battle":

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PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
[Bull Run, Va. View of the battlefield]

Photograph from the main eastern theater of war. First Bull Run, July 1861.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run, Virginia. Sudley church

1 negative (2 plates) : glass, stereograph, wet collodion.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run, Virginia. The battlefield

1 negative (2 plates) : glass, stereograph, wet collodion.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run, Virginia. Robinson's house

1 negative (2 plates) : glass, stereograph, wet collodion.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run, Virginia. Soldier's graves

1 negative (2 plates) : glass, stereograph, wet collodion.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run bridge, March, 1863

1 photographic print on card mount : albumen.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Bull Run, Virginia. Robinson's house

1 negative (2 plates) : glass, stereograph, wet collodion.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
The Battlefield of Bull Run

1 print : wood engraving. | Map of battlefield.



PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING
Snow peaks, Bull Run mining district, Nevada

1 photographic print : albumen. | Photograph showing a summer view of snow covered peaks in

Plan of Bull Run



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King, Porter.

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Notes

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- LC Civil War maps (2nd ed.) 564.9
- Accompanied by fact sheet (1 leaf ; 28 x 22 cm.)
- Available also through the Library of Congress Web site as a raster image.
- Vault

Medium

1 map : ms., col. ; 45 x 66 cm., on sheet 49 x 70 cm., mounted on matte board 59 x 77 cm.

Call Number/Physical Location

G3884.M25S5 1861 .K51

Repository

Library of Congress Geography and Map Division Washington, D.C. 20540-4650 USA dcu

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Jackie Robinson: Remembering Number 42 with Primary Sources

April 12, 2013 by [Danna Bell](#)

Baseball still holds a special place in the culture of the United States. As this year's season opened around the nation's capital, we began to see more and more people wearing baseball caps, shirts and jackets with their team's favorite logo.



Jackie Robinson in his Kansas City Monarchs Uniform

communities in the United States.

Though baseball has been a part of the culture of the United States for many years, not all were allowed to play in the major leagues. The Library of Congress [timeline](#) "Baseball, the Color Line and Jackie Robinson" documents the history of minority involvement in baseball, including [April 15, 1947](#), the day Jackie Robinson broke the color line established in 1887.

In spite of abuse from both baseball fans and other teams, as well as threats against him and his family, Robinson played for ten seasons with the Brooklyn (later Los Angeles) Dodgers, had a lifetime batting average of .311, and helped the Dodgers win the National League pennant several times. In 1955, he helped them win the World Series. His number 42 was permanently retired by the Major Leagues in 1997.

The Primary Source Set [Baseball Across a Divided Society](#) provides a teaching guide and easy access to primary sources including images, sheet music and an early Edison film to help students learn more about baseball and its role in various

- Compare the image of the [baseball team](#) from the US Naval Academy to the image of students from the Morris Brown College [baseball team](#). What are the similarities and differences between the pictures?
- Students should read Branch Rickey's [speech](#) for the "One Hundred Percent Wrong Club" where he discusses why he decided to bring an African American player into the major leagues. In it he describes the type of man he needed to break the color line. Why do your students think Jackie Robinson fit Rickey's description?
- Students can study the [timeline](#) "Baseball, the Color Line and Jackie Robinson" and add other events that were taking place at the same time as those on the timeline. What parallels do they see? Ask them to consider how national and world events affected baseball.

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Library of Congress Search: Making it Easier to Find and Use Primary Sources

May 1, 2012 by [Anne Savage](#)

If you've recently searched online for primary sources from the Library of Congress, you may have noticed an exciting change: the search from the Library's home page now offers the option to narrow the results by format. Try it out with a sample search on *Bull Run*, using the drop-down box to select "Map."

Once you select one of the maps listed, you'll see another change: there is a new display page, or *object page*, being used for these maps.

It includes a new functionality that lets you zoom in on very fine details, drag the image to focus on different sections, and click a



Library's main search box

toggle button for a full screen view. To check it out, click on "Enlarge" or click on the thumbnail of the map, and be sure to try rotating your mouse wheel.

In addition to the zoom functionality, there are handy new lists of related materials which will make it even easier to use primary sources in your teaching setting:

- "Part of..." tells you what collections the item is in.
- "More maps like this" is a selection of related primary sources in the same format – in this case, maps.
- "You might also like" is a selection of related items in other formats.



Detail from Plan Of Bull Run

Search Help

Searching for Digitized vs. Non-Digitized content

Items are considered "digitized" if they are accessible in an online format such as a digital image, a digitized audio or video file, an "e-book" or a web page. Note that not all texts in the Library's Catalog can be read online, nor have all the images in our various collections been converted to digital formats.

Non-Digitized content are physical items, of all formats, from the Library's Catalog and Collections that can only be accessed first hand at Library of Congress facilities.

Searching for Exact Words or Phrases

The Use of Operators

The operators AND, OR, and NOT are supported. The Boolean phrase should be enclosed in parenthesis.

The Use of Quotation Marks

If you are searching for an exact match, enclose your search in quotes. If you enclose your search in quotes you will only get results for the exact terms or phrase you entered in the exact order you entered them.

Examples of searching for an exact phrase:

- "Civil War maps"
- "Jackie Robinson"
- "Declaration of Independence"
- "ice cream"

You can also search for an exact phrase and a keyword as in the following examples:

- "civil war" maps
- "Abraham Lincoln" funeral
- farm "dust bowl"

Capitalization

One teacher's journey into the LOC's collections

- Research in our [Primary Source Sets](#) and [Teaching with the Library of Congress Blog](#)
- The library search engine DOES not work like Google. **It will not** respond effectively to a search in the form of a question.
“What are the powers of the president?”
- Think broadly about your topic. For example, if you are wanting resources on [presidential powers](#)
- What synonyms or phrases that could be related to the concept?
Write them in the chat box.
- **For example:** veto, commander in chief, impoundment, executive order, pardon/reprieve, impeachment, or specific president's names.

Think about what search term is used... searching for items relating to *economic trusts*

Using the term “trusts” yielded the following results.



PHOTOGRAPH,
PRINT or DRAWING

PHOTO, PRINT, DRAWING

Trust Catalog Record - Electronic Resource Available

B4783 U.S. Copyright Office. "In memory of Trust who passed in his checks June 1st 1870"--printed on tombstone. "Trust" written in pencil below image. "James F. Smith" written in pencil below image. Associated name on shelflist card: Hageboeck, A.

Contributor: Hageboeck, August

Date: 1870

None of these items has anything to do with the economic idea of “trusts.”

If we change the search term to “monopoly” let’s see what we find...



NOTATED MUSIC

Trusting

Sheet Music. print | 1 score | From: Music Copyright Deposits, 1870-1885 (Microfilm M 3500) Also available through the Library of Congress Web Site as facsimile page images. (Additional Physical Form). Print (Form). Electronic Resource (Form). Remote (Form).

Contributor: White, Smith & Co. - White, Charles A.

Date: 1885

Resource:

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NOTATED MUSIC

Trusting

sheet music | 1 score | For piano Sheet Music (Form).

Contributor: George Willig & Co. - Engelbrecht, J. C.

Date: 1877

Resource:

Using *monopoly* as the search term yields...

Using the term [monopolies](#)
I found what I was looking
for.

The first item is Monopoly
by Joseph Keppler, item is a
political who illustrated for
Puck magazine.



PHOTO. PRINT, DRAWING

Monopoly

1 photomechanical print : offset, color. | Illustration shows on the left a cartoon drawn by L.M. Glackens that shows "The Trusts" as bloated, clownish figures that frighten "The Common People", and on the right, a large gorilla-like monster with human head, holding Liberty in one arm and a large coin in the other, as it topples the dome on the U.S. Capitol with...

Contributor: Keppler, Udo J. - Glackens, L. M. (Louis M.)

Date: 1909-12-15



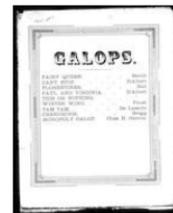
PHOTO. PRINT, DRAWING

Anti-monopoly

Print shows signs reading "cheap farms" and "for sale", wealthy people and horse-drawn carriage, three railroad trains, a wagon upset on the railroad tracks, and a mansion in mid-ground; a storm is underway in the background on the right and there is a large building, possibly a station or hotel, on the left, and factories in the left background.

Contributor: W.W. Bostwick & Co.

Date: 1873



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Monopoly galop

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Contributor: Gabriel, Chas. H.

Date: 1884

Resource:

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PHOTO. PRINT, DRAWING

The Cerebrus of monopoly

1 drawing.

Contributor: Davenport, Homer

Date: 1900

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Prints and Photographs Division (875,736)

Library of Congress Online Catalog (1,102,076)

Format

Photo, Print, Drawing

Contributors

Glackens, L. M. (Louis M.)
Keppler, Udo J.

Dates

1909

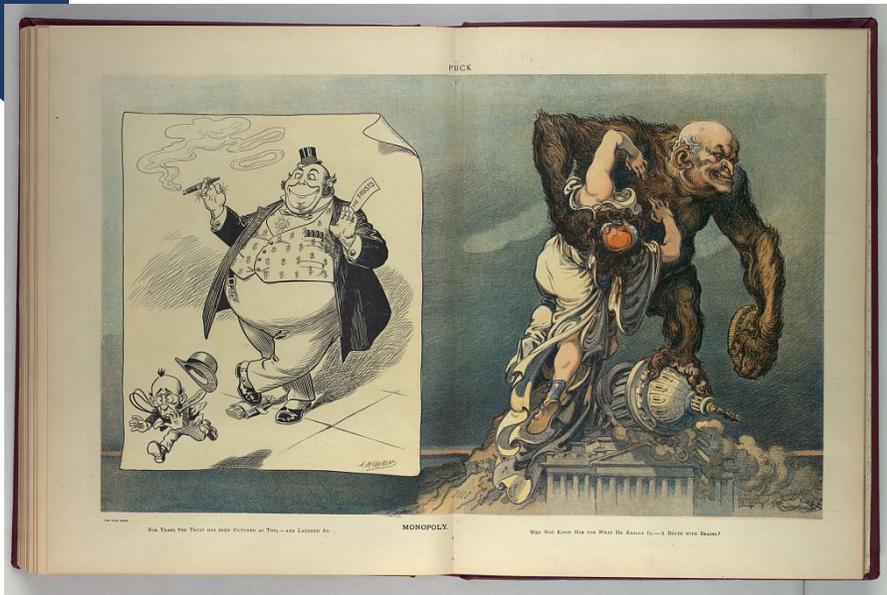
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Language

English

Subjects

Cartoons (Commentary)
Color
Industrial Trusts
Monopolies
Monsters
Offset Photomechanical Prints
Periodical Illustrations
Political Patronage



Title: Monopolies

Caption: For years the Trust has been pictured as this, - and laughed at. Why not know Him for what He really is - a Brute with brains?

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