Resources for Researching World War I Soldiers

The following resources were utilized by the City of Savannah, Municipal Records & Archives division during the Chatham County World War I Fallen Documentation Project, the aim of which was to document all those listed on the Chatham County World War I Honor Roll. This list is provided as an aid to those who are embarking on their own research of a World War I service member. It does not attempt to be all-inclusive, and there may be additional resources locally, nationally, and online available to assist you in your search.


National Archives (https://www.archives.gov/research/military)
- Records include: Service and Burial records
- World War I Genealogy Research: https://www.archives.gov/research/genealogy/wwi

Familysearch.org (https://www.familysearch.org/)
- Records include: Service and Draft registration cards

Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com)
- Military Records include:
  - Draft, Enlistment and Service records
  - United States World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918
  - Casualties records
- United States Federal Census Collection
- Savannah City Directories

Georgia Historical Society
Useful resources include:
- Savannah City Directories

Live Oak Public Libraries, Bull Street Branch, Kaye Kole Genealogy and Local History Room
Useful resources include:
- Savannah City Directories

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