

Did your ancestor work on Britain's historic Railways?

It used to be every young boy's dream to be a steam engine driver and many joined the Railways to achieve their dream or be a part of this exciting, fast developing industry.

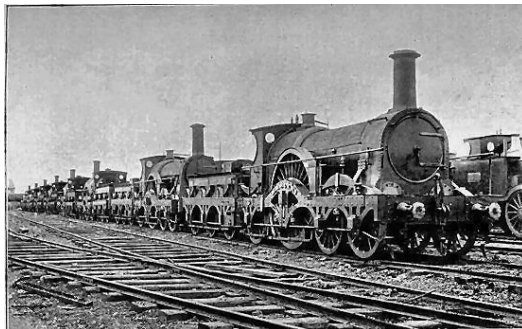
Railway mania swept Britain in the 1800s as this new form of transport was developed. **The latest records now available on TheGenealogist encompass nearly 1.5 million railway workers, with exact details on their job role and their date of birth. From station master to train guard, they're all listed in the Railway records.**

It's the first time you can search all the railway workers in one online resource, allowing family historians to find their ancestors in what became one of Britain's biggest growth industries of the 1800s.

Covering all levels of employment on the railways

The new records encompass all levels of railway worker from train driver, guard, signaller, office staff to labourers, literally anyone who worked on the railways in England and Wales.

The records are all fully searchable using the 'SmartSearch' features on TheGenealogist making it easy to find the records of your ancestors. It's now possible to search by employer, by job title, by date of birth and by county to track down your railway ancestor. The keyword filtering option is particularly useful for narrowing down your search to specific job titles.



Head of Online Content at TheGenealogist, Mark Bayley comments: "The new railway records are a unique way to trace your ancestors from their occupation. Finding your ancestor here gives you a snapshot into how they lived and worked. If they were a highly respected engine driver or made a career in a support role, they were all part of an incredible time of change and development in Britain."

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