

Press Release New Release:

Search for Dublin Ancestors with the latest release from TheGenealogist

This week <u>TheGenealogist</u> is pleased to be releasing almost 60,000 records from the **1851 Dublin City Census Index.** This new release will be a great aid for those researchers with ancestors who may have been living in Ireland's Capital City on the 30 March 1851 at the time when the census was taken.



Jaunting Cars In Dublin from TheGenealogist's Image Archive

Researchers will find the Index to the 1851 Dublin census to be a wonderful tool for anyone searching for people in Dublin city in the mid-nineteenth century. It provides the names and addresses of approximately 59,000 heads of household and was compiled by Dr D A Chart.

You can search over a million early Irish census records from 1821 to 1851. Also the only complete surviving censuses for Ireland that exist, 1901 and 1911 (over 8 Million records) can be searched via TheGenealogist's unique search tools, allowing you to search for an ancestor using their address or keywords.

Earlier records compiled for 1813 to 1891 were destroyed at the government's request or by the civil war in 1922. This only leaves census substitutes for researchers of nineteenth century Ireland to use in their quest to delve into their family history.

Fortunately for Dublin Dr. D. A. Chart used the census to compile a "1851 Dublin Heads of Household Index" in 1915. At the time this was primarily to assist staff working in the Public

Record Office of Ireland (PROI) searching for proof of age for applicants for the old-age pension.

This index survived the fire and is one of the few remaining fragments of census information available for that time.

TheGenealogist also has a number of **Irish Trade and Residential Directories** that can be useful for those researching their Dublin ancestors, as well as the previously released **Dublin Will and Grant Books**.

The **1851 Dublin City Census Index** in this current release covers the parishes of St. Andrew's, St. Anne's, St. Audeon's, St. Bridget's, St. Catherine's, St. George's, St. James's, St. John's, St. Luke's, St. Mark's, St. Mary's, St. Michael's, St. Michael's,

St. Nicholas Within, St. Nicholas Without, St. Patrick's Deanery, St. Paul's, St. Peter's,

St. Thomas's, St. Werburgh's and the civil parish of Grangegorman.

About TheGenealogist

<u>TheGenealogist</u> is an award-winning online family history website, who put a wealth of information at the fingertips of family historians. Their approach is to bring hard to use physical records to life online with easy to use interfaces such as their Tithe and newly released Lloyd George Domesday collections.

<u>TheGenealogist's</u> innovative SmartSearch technology links records together to help you find your ancestors more easily. <u>TheGenealogist</u> is one of the leading providers of online family history records. Along with the standard Birth, Marriage, Death and Census records, they also have significant collections of Parish and Nonconformist records, PCC Will Records, Irish Records, Military records, Occupations, Newspaper record collections amongst many others.

<u>TheGenealogist</u> uses the latest technology to help you bring your family history to life. Use <u>TheGenealogist</u> to find your ancestors today!

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