



## Maps to explore for the location of your family history

The **National Library of Scotland's (NLS)** *Geo-referenced Maps* with their new enhancements, is one of the best maps for genealogists to explore the Ordnance Survey (OS) six-inch maps 1888-1913 - <https://maps.nls.uk/geo/explore>

**NLS** have now added a box top left-hand side for 'Search OS six-inch 1883-1913 names'. This gazetteer was created by volunteers logging all the names they could find on the maps so, you can now search for the town, village, street or lane where your family lived or worked, and the map will zoom straight there...

The **FamilySearch.org** map feature; '**England Jurisdictions 1851**' is also a great help to find out more about the following; County, Civil Registration District, Probate Court, Diocese, Rural Deanery, Poor Law Union, Hundred & Province, and the church you are researching, especially when Parish Registers and Bishops Transcripts began, just click on '**Options**' and the link to '**FamilySearch Research Wiki**' for the information on your church or place of interest;

[https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/England\\_Jurisdictions\\_1851](https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/England_Jurisdictions_1851) then for the map, click on; <https://maps.familysearch.org>

Also, for other types of maps, go to - <https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Maps>