Guide for Finding Materials

Useful trick: Search google (and other interfaces) with quotation marks. If you know the title of a specific map, type the title as it is, and put it in quotation marks (i.e. "A map of the town of Philadelphia which is located in the province of Pennsylvania"). This will often narrow down your results. You can also use the quotation marks around publisher, creator, etc.

Osher Map Library materials:

-https://oshermaps.org/search-the-collection/
-https://digitalcommons.usm.maine.edu/osher_map_library/
-http://oml01.doit.usm.maine.edu/ - Legacy OML site has exhibits and text that were never fully transferred to the new site, and these can be helpful even though the interface is clunky.

Other digital map collections to search:

https://loc.gov/maps
https://www.loc.gov/collections/sanborn-maps/about-this-collection/
https://libguides.usm.maine.edu/bd/sanborn-maps-maine
https://collections.leventhalmap.org/
https://uwm.edu/lib-collections/agsl-digital-map-collection/
https://www.davidrumsey.com/luna/servlet
https://maps.lib.utexas.edu/maps/index.html
https://collections.lib.utexas.edu/
https://americana.jcblibrary.org/
https://quod.lib.umich.edu/w/wcl1ic
https://ngmdb.usgs.gov/topoview/viewer/#4/40.00/-100.00
https://historicalcharts.noaa.gov/
https://www.digitalcommonwealth.org/
https://www.digitalcommonwealth.org/collections/commonwealth:2227ng27z
https://www.raremaps.com/
https://maps.nls.uk/
https://www.bl.uk/subjects/maps
http://gallica.bnf.fr/
https://www.europeana.eu/en

Additional digital resources to know about:

https://archive.org/
https://www.hathitrust.org/
https://www.familysearch.org/en/
https://www.findagrave.com/
https://libguides.usm.maine.edu/db/nineteenth-century-collections-online
https://libguides.usm.maine.edu/db/nineteenth-century-us-newspapers
https://libguides.usm.maine.edu/db/nineteenth-century-british-library-newspapers
https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/
https://fultonhistory.com/
https://www.mainememory.net/
https://digitalmaine.com/
https://digitalmaine.com/newspapers/
https://www.maine.gov/dacf/mgs/explore/maps/airphotos/
https://storymaps.arcgis.com/
https://dsl.richmond.edu/panorama/#maps