

## Mass Digitization Collaborative

Digitization is now EASY and AFFORDABLE

### There has never been a better time to digitize

#### Let Us Do the Work

Our experts guide you through the entire process and your collections are carefully digitized by a trained staff.

#### Subsidized Pricing

The Collaborative makes digitization more affordable for all sizes of projects through generous grant subsidies.

#### High Quality Digitization

Books are digitized cover to cover in full color, optimal for zooming in. Books and microfilm are OCR'd for keyword searching.

#### Fast Turnaround Time

In many cases your collections are scanned and available on the Internet Archive in a few weeks. This is especially important for sharing results with stakeholders and funding sources.

“We were looking for an opportunity to digitize our most important historical documents, our college catalogs and yearbooks, and what we can achieve with the Collaborative will cost us less than half of what it would cost to do it ourselves.”

**Cynthia Horne,**  
North Georgia College &  
State University

### Share Your Collections with the World

Your valuable content is hosted, preserved, and available in multiple formats through a partnership with the Internet Archive. With a comprehensive and user-friendly interface, the Archive lets you share your library's collections with historians, researchers, and the general public from across the globe.



(1) Scanned page from The Dart 1932, image courtesy of Lycoming College, Snowden Library

(2) Scanned page from Dominici Macri Melitensis... Hierolexicon, image courtesy of the Gumberg Library, Duquesne University

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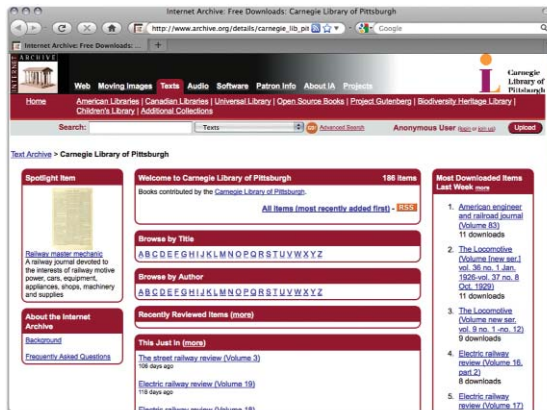
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## Program Benefits

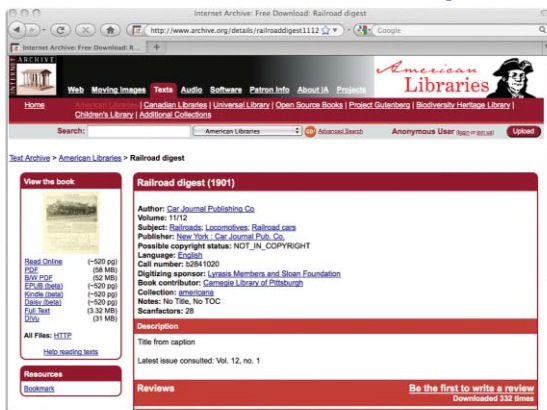
Participating in the Collaborative saves time and money. LYRASIS member support and grant funding from the Sloan Foundation enable the Collaborative to provide these important benefits to participants:

- ♦ **Centralized Coordination:** Staff facilitates all phases of digital projects including selection, shipping, and digitization
- ♦ **Visibility:** A separate collection is available on the Internet Archive website
- ♦ **Digitization:** Internet Archive and Creekside Digital perform the digitization of content
- ♦ **Preservation:** Files are backed up and migrated as necessary to ensure long-term preservation and accessibility
- ♦ **Digital Files:** Contributors download copies of the digital files
- ♦ **Ease of Billing:** Members can use funds deposited with their My LYRASIS Account

## Sample contributor landing page



## Item Metadata and View Options



### \*Services/benefits for each project include:

- ♦ Project coordination
- ♦ Selection assistance
- ♦ Deposit accounts for ease of billing
- ♦ Full online functionality: including digitization, OCR, file hosting, preservation, and tools

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Learn more about the LYRASIS Mass Digitization Collaborative by using the keyword to the right at [www.lyrasis.org](http://www.lyrasis.org)

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