



Further Reading

The following resources are recommended for further reading about the Paxton massacres and their aftermath. Many of the resources can be found at Digital Paxton (digitalpaxton.org), The Library Company's digital history project. Digital Paxton, features nearly 3,000 pages of material, including 39 artworks, four books, 17 broadsides, 180 manuscripts, 27 newspaper issues, 71 pamphlets, and nine political cartoons, many of which have never before been digitized.

Digital Paxton

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- Jack Brubaker, "The Aftermath of the Conestoga Massacre."
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- Nicole Eustace, "Condolence."
- Will Fenton, "Introduction" and "A New Looking-Glass for the 1764 Paxton Pamphlet War."
- Michael Goode, "Pontiac's War and the Paxton Boys."
- Scott Paul Gordon, "Elites" and "Print and Place in the Paxton Crisis."
- Kevin Kenny, "Peaceable Kingdom Lost: The Paxton Riots."
- Angel Luke-O'Donnell, "Paratexts."
- Darvin Martin, "A History of Conestoga Indian town."
- James P. Myers, Jr., "Anonymity."
- Judith Ridner, "Material Culture" and "Passion, Politics, and Portrayal in the Paxton Debates."

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