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Last month our speaker Dr. Paul Leslie who was born in New Orleans, LA and currently teaches Louisiana History at Nicholls State University talked about a variety of plantation owners during the War of 1812.

GUEST SPEAKER

C. J. Christ, President of the Regional Military Museum in Houma, LA will be speaking about the Blimp Base in Houma, LA during WWII. Join us!

LIBRARY PROJECT

As a project beginning with National Library Week, the week of April 14th, this library will start collecting photographs of old Terrebonne to be digitized and perhaps displayed. Do you have anything we could borrow to scan, print and display? Do you know anyone else who might have old photographs we could scan? Here is the notice we're putting out to the general public:

Thursday, April 18, 2013; 6-7 p.m.; D.E. room: "Share Your Pictures of Historic Terrebonne! Do you have old pictures of Terrebonne Parish that you would like to share with other residents? The library is helping preserve local history by collecting photographs showing lifestyles and landmarks from the past. Bring in your old pictures, and we will scan and copy them. Selected photos will be put on display in the Main Library. With permission, we will also put images online, so researchers around the world can learn more about life in Terrebonne Parish's past. We're particularly interested in photos showing places and activities that have changed since the pictures were taken—buildings which have been torn down or remodeled, businesses that no longer exist, festivals, old methods of fishing or farming, and so on. Limit 20 photos per household, from 1990 or earlier. Please bring photos that focus less on individual people or families, and more on historic places and activities."

NOTABLE THINGS

The Louisiana Research Collection (LaRC) has received a major collection of Civil War historical documents from the Louisiana Historical Association. The collection includes the papers of

Jefferson Davis, papers of General Albert Sidney Johnston, Civil War muster rolls, Civil War soldiers diaries, pension records, and records of Civil War heritage organizations including the Washington Artillery, Army of Northern Virginia, Army of Tennessee, United Confederate Veterans, United Sons of Confederate Veterans, and the United Daughters of the Confederacy. At the end of April there will be online guide to the collection.

The United States Citizenship and Immigration Service (USCIS) have a Genealogy Notebook on their website which you may find of interest. The genealogy notebook is a place for the USCIS Genealogy Program to share answers to commonly asked Genealogy research and record questions. You can submit a question by writing to: Genealogy.USCIS@uscis.dhs.gov. The current genealogy notebook question refers to C-files. C-files are document naturalizations - the acquisition of United States citizenship after birth. C-Files contain copies of records evidencing the: Granting of naturalized U.S. citizenship by courts between from 1906 to 1956; and Issuance of Certificates of Citizenship to those who derived or resumed U.S. citizenship. C-files are a product of the 1906 naturalization act. To access the USCIS Genealogy Notebook go to: <http://tinyurl.com/buejdkc>

QUERY

In Assumption Parish Marriages 1826 – 1876, on p. 31 & 126, is the following combined entry: LAROSE, Valfroid (Joseph & Eugenie FREMIN) m. Odilia BORNE (Theodule & Eulalie CLOSE) 17 Nov 1866 SPH DBR v. 10 p. 74.

And in DBR v. 12, p. 288 & 355, is the following combined entry (less witnesses):

LAROSE, Valfroi (Joseph Larose and Eugenie FREMAIN) m. omitted Jan 1872 Olesinia HIMEL (Henri Himel and Cleonise CHOIX) SPH-4, 437a.

Can anyone provide the following: a date of divorce or death for Odilia BORNE, the date in Jan for Olesinia's marriage and children (and info), if any, from the marriage to Odilia BORNE.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT:

Cali Grace SCHULTE was born 29 Mar. 2013. Her parents are Jerome David Schulte Jr. and Christy Ann Cavalier Schulte; paternal grandparents are Jerome D. Schulte Sr. and Roberta Theriot Schulte; paternal great grandparents are Joseph B. Schulte (dec.) and Catherine M. Engelhaupt Schulte (dec.) and Eugene J. Theriot (dec.) and Leona M. Tivet Theriot (dec); maternal grandparents are Chris J. Cavalier and Christina Hebert; maternal great grandparents are **Essie Joseph Cavalier** and **Marceline Landry Cavalier (members of TGS)** and Lee Roy Hebert and Beverly Trombly Hebert.

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<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~laterreb/tgs/>

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