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Connie did a presentation on the Suffragettes these were women of the late 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup> centuries who advocated for women to vote in public elections. Elizabeth Stanton a major pioneer of women's rights in America and Susan B. Anthony were co-founders of the National Women's Suffrage Association. She talked about the Night of Terror of November 1917. The National Woman's Party members, called the Silent Sentinels, which was a group of female protesters, picketed the White House for the rights for women to vote. A group of 33 women were imprisoned and brutally tortured and beaten by the guards and the superintendent, an event known as the "Night of Terror". Remember these women Lucy Burns, Alice Paul, Dora Lewis, Pauline Adams, Edith Ainge, Berthe Arnold and Emily Davidson just to name a few who suffered to give women the right to vote which passed in 1920 with the Nineteenth Amendment. Remember to vote in the upcoming elections. IT'S YOUR RIGHT.

We do not have a meeting in November, but our **ANNUAL HOLIDAY SOCIAL GATHERING** is on December 17, 2016 at noon. Come and visit with us for a holiday good time with some good food and good people. Bring your favorite dish or dessert to share with us and maybe 1 or 2 door prizes. Come pass a good time with us.

## DO NOT FORGET TO NOMINATE A MEMBER FOR THE TGS GENEALOGY OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF THE YEAR AWARD.

#### **RENEWAL TIME**

JESS SAYS IT IS TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP. DUES ARE DUE BY **FEBRUARY 28, 2017**. IT IS NOT TOO EARLY TO RENEW. DO IT TODAY. MEMBERSHIP FORM IS ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER.



#### DEATHS

Lyie **DUPRE SIMONEAUX** was born February 01, 1925 and at the age of 91, died Monday, September 19, 2016. She was a native of Pointe-Aux-Chene, LA and resident of Montegut, LA. Chauvin Funeral Home was in charge of the funeral arrangements. Burial was held at Sacred Heart Catholic Cemetery in Montegut, LA. She is survived by her sons, <u>Wayne G. SIMONEAUX (member of TGS)</u> and wife, Denise Reed, and Dale A. SIMONEAUX and wife, Desiree; daughter, Susie SIMONEAUX PARROTT and husband, Jerry; brother, Ernest DUPRE Jr.; grandchildren, Beth S. BOURGE and husband, Mark, Alex SIMONEAUX and wife, Ashley, Andre SIMONEAUX, Sarah SIMONEAUX, Amy PARROTT and Lauren PARROTT; great-grandchildren, Marybeth BOURGE, Evan and Owen SIMONEAUX. She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Noble G. SIMONEAUX; parents, Ernest and Josephine LEBOUEF DUPRE; brothers, Duffy DUPRE and Lynus DUPRE; sisters, Elodie D. PRICE, Necia D. ROBICHEAUX, Genevive D. HEBERT and Adele D. PELLEGRIN.

#### **BOOK SIGNING**

John DeSantis will be at the Nicholls State University Archives, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, in Thibodaux, LA, hosted by Bayou History Center, for his book signing of the Thibodaux Massacre on Sunday, November 13, 2016 at 4pm.

#### **BOOK LIST**

Jess and Sandra have finished digitizing all the books that the Society has published since we started. We can now reprint any book that you may need. You will see a new book list (WISH LIST) with books that have not be printed in quite a while and don't expect all them on one page.

#### QUERIES

Don't forget to send us your brick walls. We will put them in the newsletter and the quarterly, so that we can help you break down that brick wall. Give as much info as you have on the person you are looking for, not just the name. Email to jessndot@bellsouth.net or mail to TGS, P O Box 20295, Houma, LA 70361-0295.

#### **ROAD TRIPS**

How would you feel if would have a meeting at say a plantation house or some other historical place? Email <u>wmoore1048@aol.com</u> with your thoughts.

#### ADDRESS CORRECTION

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DATE	LOCATION	TIME
October 29, 2016	Main Branch	1:00 p.m.
NO MEETING IN	NOVEMBER	
December 17, 2016	Main Branch	12:00 p.m.
	VISIT OUR WEB PAGE	AT
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## **2016 MEETING SCHEDULE**