

# DANCING RABBIT GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

FEBRUARY 2016

## *President's Message*

Greetings,

I'd like to take this opportunity to once again say "Thank You" for your support in 2015. It takes every one of us working together to make DRGHS successful. I'm looking forward to an even better 2016.

Our January meeting was to close out the business of 2015 and discuss goals for the New Year. This was a productive meeting as many ideas and projects were discussed. We will be implementing some of these ideas in the coming months.

As we begin the New Year at DRGHS, let's remember that our membership dues were due on the first of January. Many of you have already paid your dues. If you have not paid please do so ASAP. Individual dues are \$15.00 annually and family dues are \$20.00.

Our program calendar for 2016 is mostly blank. Sign up now to choose the month that you would prefer to present a program. We have three prospective programs but they have not made a firm commitment as of now. I would like to see us do most of the programs in house. Each of us has a story to tell and I know it would be enjoyed by all.

Robert

**Remember to check out our website**

[www.drghs.org](http://www.drghs.org)

**See you at the February Meeting**



**Wednesday, February 10, 2016**

**1:00 PM**

**Carthage-Leake County Library**

## **FEBRUARY PROGRAM**

"The Replacement Soldier" is the title of our program to be presented by Patricia Wynell Parrish.

During World War II the term "replacement soldier" was used to refer to a soldier replacing someone KIA or WIA in a company. This is the story of a young man, an ancestor, who was a replacement. The story has been featured in articles and a documentary by the "Atlanta Journal Constitution".

### **Upcoming Events      Mark Your Calendar**

MGS Annual Seminar	Saturday, January 30
DRGHS February Meeting	Wed. Feb. 10
DRGHS March Meeting	Wed. March 9

### **UPCOMING MGS SEMINAR**

The Annual Seminar presented by Mississippi Genealogical Society will be held on Saturday, January 30, 2016. Featured speaker will be "The Legal Genealogist" Judy G. Russell, JD, CG, CGL. For information see [www.msgensociety.org](http://www.msgensociety.org)