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## NEWSLETTER

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## NOVEMBER 1985 MEETING

November 21, 1985 - <u>Note that THIS MEETING</u> is on the <u>third</u> Thursday of the month, because of Thanksgiving. DATE:

6:30 o m - Registration and decaffeinated coffee TIME:

7:00 o m - Meeting

Auditorium of the Dallas Central Library PLACE:

PROGRAM: We are fortunate to have Mr BANKS MC LAURIN, a Past President of our Society, speak to us on the important subject of "Terminology and Meaning of Words and Phrases in Old Records." All of us have at one time or another experienced problems with understanding "legaleeze" of old wills, deeds, etc. Mr. McLaurin can explain many of these in "layman's language" which we can all understand. It should be a very helpful evening!

As we have done in the past, there will be no meeting in December. The next meeting will be on January 23, 1986.

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NEW REVOLUTIONARY WAR MICROFILM ACQUISITION TO MAKE DALLAS GENEALOGY SECTION ONE OF BEST IN NATION

We can all be proud of the Genealogy Section of our Dallas Public Library, but the latest decision by the Board of Directors of the Dallas Genealogical Society is another and very important step in implementing our commitment to being the BEST Genealogy Section in the South, and among the nation's best.

The Compiled Service Records of Soldiers Who Served in the American Army During the Revolutionary War are contained on 1,096 rolls of microfilm, and are offered for sale by the federal government at the cost of \$20.00 per roll. The total cost is, therefore, \$21,920. This is an ambitious project, but in light of the several other outstanding projects undertaken and completed in the past, it is realistic, and will be of use to all of our citizens in the Metroplex area, as well as to research visitors from all over the country.

With the State of Texas observing its Sesquicentennial, it was felt that some special project should be undertaken to commemorate this very special year in our state's history. And since we <u>all</u> came to Texas from somewhere else, this seemed like a universally appealing effort.

Donations of any size are most welcome. Make checks payable Genealogy Section of the Dallas Public Library.

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We give our sincere THANKS to Beth, Michael, and Matt Hudson for their time and effort in packaging 4000 forms for sale in the Library! Margaret Hudson was their cheering section.

We wish to welcome the following NEW MEMBERS of our Society: Ron Thomasson P D Box 556, Mill City, DR 97360 (503)897-2169 Foy D James P D Box 579, Aztec, NM 87410 (505)334-6181 Mrs W C Coonrod, 411 Yacht Club Dr, Rockwall, TX 75087 (214)722-2298 Mary E Shields 6339 Meadow Rd, Dallas, TX 75230 (214)363-3346 Barbara Thilley, 4014 Pin Oak Ct, Flower Mound, TX 75028 (214) 724-8903 Patricia Brewer, 3134 Royal Gable Dr. Dallas, TX 75229 (214)351-1098 Sheri B Rodgers, 5555 Spring Valley #1127, Dallas, TX 75240 (214)934-2682

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