



# Warren County Genealogical Association

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## Meet the New Officers!

On January 1, 2011, the Warren County Genealogical Association inducted the new officers for the 2011 year!



Left to Right: Cheryl Watson-Mingle, president, Brandi C. Barnes, vice president, Marion Rhea Speaks, Secretary and Jean Hall Hobbs, Treasurer

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## Last Month's Meeting

Since this year marks the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the beginning of the Civil War, WCGA has decided to dedicate each meeting for the year 2011 around this historical event.

The meeting which took place on March 19, 2011 was opened by president, Cheryl Watson-Mingle and the business and future plans for the group was discussed.



After the business portion of the meeting was concluded, an interesting program presented by Reba Prater, president of the United Daughters of the Confederacy (UDOC). Mrs. Prater (and fellow UDOC member, Ginger Lathan) discussed how to research ancestors' participation in the Civil War as well as how to acquire appropriate documentation which would allow entrance into the UDOC

***Pictured above are Ginger Lathan and Reba Prater.***

**Hobbs at 201 Locust Street, McMinnville, TN 37110.**

### **Future Meetings....**

**June 18, 2011**-Guest speaker, Don Martini

**July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2011**-Guest speaker, Dena Croft-Sullivan on her book, *The Civil War Diaries of a Confederate Soldier*

**August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011**-Guest speakers, George and Charlein McGlothan, owners of Falcon Rest will discuss the Civil War

**September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011**, Guest speaker, Jimmy Reedy will discuss the Native Americans' role in the Civil War.

Also during the March meeting, Cheryl Watson-Mingle presented a plaque and a birthday cake with the WCGA logo to Ms. Ladye Jane Hunter, in appreciation for all that she has done for the group. Ladye Jane Hunter acted as president for the group until January 2011



### **Upcoming Meetings**

WCGA's next meeting will take place on **Saturday, April 16, 2011 at 2pm** in the office on Locust Street. The guest speaker will be Dr. Michael Bradley who has written several books on the Civil War. His program will discuss how history has treated the Civil War. After the program, guests will be treated to contemporary Civil War-era refreshments provided by WCGA members.

**For the May 21, 2011 meeting, WCGA will be going to the Bryan House for dinner and entertainment provided by Mr. Roy Davis. The Bryan house is located in Rock Island TN and is a Civil War era home. For anyone interested in attending, the price is \$25 per person and money needs to be given to Mrs Jean**

**FOR ANYONE INTERESTED IN DOING THEIR OWN FAMILY RESEARCH, WCGA MEMBERS WILL WELCOMES VISITORS TO THE OFFICE EVERY FRIDAY FROM 1PM-4PM.**