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## **TPS-DePaul Newsletter**

February 2015

Register now for our Level I program at DePaul's main campus in Chicago!

Wednesday 2/25, 3/4, 3/11 | 4:30-8:30pm | Click here to register

In this three-session workshop, you'll explore the vast array of primary sources at <a href="https://www.loc.gov">www.loc.gov</a>, as well as integrate primary sources into your existing teaching practice to promote critical thinking, student inquiry, and Common Core alignment.

This program is open to educators of ALL grade levels and subject areas, including inservice and pre-service teachers, librarians, and administrators. 12 CPDUs are provided for program completion.

Space is limited, so register now!

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## **Notable Dates in February:**

2/2: Groundhog Day

## **Teacher Resources**

## **Black History Month Resources**

The Library of Congress has a number of resources on African-American history and culture. Start with the Library's Topics page on African-American History, the African-American History Month Portal, the online presentation "African-American Odyssey," or the resource guide "African-American Mosaic."

2/12: Lincoln's Birthday

2/14: Valentine's Day

2/16: Presidents' Day

2/18: Ash Wednesday

2/19: Chinese New Year

2/22: Washington's Birthday

2/25, 3/4, 3/11: TPS-DePaul Level I Program (Chicago campus)

#### **Quick Links:**

Library of Congress

LOC Teachers Page

LOC Kids and Families Page

Teaching with the LOC Blog

Congress.gov

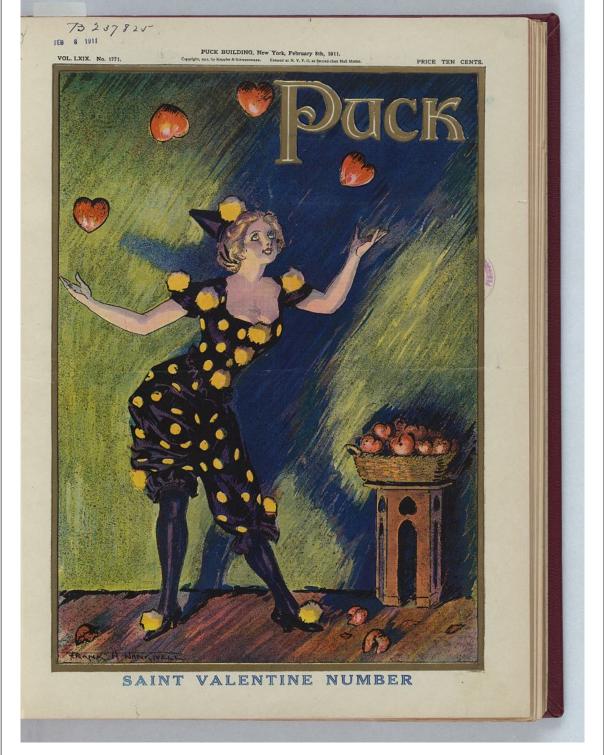
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# Teacher Webinars on the Civil Rights Movement

The Library continues to hold a series of webinars on integrating Civil Rights Movement resources into your classroom. For a full list of webinar dates, including registration information and recordings of completed webinars, click here.

# Summer 2015 Institutes at LOC and CES

The Library of Congress has opened registration for its 2015 Summer Teacher Institutes in Washington, D.C., including programs focusing on science and the Civil Rights Movement. For dates and application information, click here. In addition, the TPS-affiliated Collaborative for Educational Services will be holding the NEH workshop "The Springfield Armory & the Genesis of American Industry" in Springfield, MA. This latter program includes a stipend for travel, housing, food, and supplies. For more information, click here.



Saint Valentine number (1911). http://www.loc.gov/pictures/item/2011648865/