Follow the links below to learn more about

**PAUL MORPHY, Henriette Delille, and Jelly Roll Morton**

**Paul Morphy**

- [Learn more about Paul and the history of chess - plus, get chess lessons from Kendric Perkins, THNOC’s own chess expert!](#)
- [Read an article](#) (also by Kendric!) about Paul & chess mania in New Orleans!
• Examine some Paul Morphy-related objects from the Williams Research Center:
  ○ a photo of the house Paul grew up in - see if you can find out what the house is today.
  ○ a bust of Paul - what’s the difference between a bust and a statue?
  ○ a photo of Paul around age 21 - can you take a selfie in the same style as this photo of Paul?
  ○ Paul’s chess set - what favorite object of yours do you hope will be in a museum one day?

Henriette Delille

• Learn more about Henriette’s life here, as part of the virtual exhibition Voices of Progress: Twenty Women Who Changed New Orleans.
• Examine this poster about Henriette made by Paper Monuments and archived in the Williams Research Center.
  ○ Click here to learn more about the amazing Paper Monuments project and see all of their posters!

Jelly Roll Morton

• View a virtual version of the exhibition New Orleans Medley: Sounds of the City. You can learn about Jelly Roll
and lots of other local New Orleanians who were vital to developing the city’s soundscape.

- Examine two of Jelly Roll’s business cards (both archived in the Williams Research Center) - what differences can you find?
  - card 1
  - card 2

- **Read a letter** Jelly Roll wrote to a friend in 1938.
  - how many brothers & sisters did he have?
  - what year did he claim to create jazz music?
  - what qualities does Jelly Roll admire in other musicians?

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