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## THE OLD FORT NEWS

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### APPOMATTOX

Farewell, brave heroes of the South,  
Who at the blazing cannon's mouth,  
Dared freedom's rights maintain.  
Long as this great republic lives,  
And Liberty itself survives,  
Your fame shall never wane!  
The afterglow of glory bright  
Gilds all the clouds of that dark night  
Which shrouded all the land;  
And sire to son the story tells,  
And proudly on the record dwells  
Of all your deeds so grand.  
The South will ever hold with pride  
The memory of those who died  
For sacred liberty;  
And endless glory wreathes the name,  
And ever brighter shine the fame  
Of Robert Edward Lee!

—S. A. Steel.

### TEA GIVEN FOR SCHOOL FACULTY LAST SATURDAY

Mrs. George Sandlin, Miss Bula Kanipe and Miss Una Plott entertained with a beautifully appointed tea on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sandlin, the guest list being limited to the faculty and substitute faculty of the Old Fort School, together with the wives and husbands of the married members of the board of trustees.

The living rooms and the dining room were artistically decorated with a profusion of spring flowers.

Miss Millie Kanipe greeted the guests at the front door and Mrs. I. L. Caplan presented them to the receiving line which included Mr. and Mrs. Sandlin, Miss Plott and Miss Bula Kanipe. In the hall guests were greeted by Mr. Charles Jenkins, and receiving at the dining room entrance was Mrs. Hart Taylor.

A handsome cluny cloth covered the tea table, the center piece of which was a huge bouquet of shaded roses. Silver candlesticks held table burning tapers. Mrs. P. H. Mashburn poured tea and was assisted in serving by Mesdames A. V. Nolan, I. V. Beasley and H. E. Ragle.

About forty-five guests called, among whom were the following from out of town: Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Stepe and Mrs. William Treverton, of Marion; Miss Margaret Halliburton, of Canton, and Miss Nancy Killiam, of Waynesville.

### U. D. C. MEETING

The Old Fort chapter of the U. D. C. held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Garfield Turner. Mrs. J. B. Johnson, president, presided over the meeting. A large attendance was present. During the business session, donations were discussed for the Jefferson Davis Highway and the Bessie Beal Bed fund. A donation of \$10 to the Fort Fisher memorial was voted by the chapter. Miss Gertrude Dula was elected as registrar by the chapter. A report of the district meeting held in Black Mountain was given by Mrs. D. T. Roughton. An application for membership was received from Mrs. M. M. Rabbitt of Cincinnati, Ohio. A salad course was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Theodore Carver.

### WOMEN THEY TALK ABOUT

"Women They Talk About" is the exciting story of a battle between a man and a woman who have been lovers—a political battle—in which the son and daughter of the contestants—as well as Cupid—act as referees. Miss Rich and Miss Ferris appear as mother and daughter, women of the aristocracy—while Collier and Randolph play the parts of son and father—in the ranks of plain folks. "Women They Talk About" is well worth seeing. At Everybody's Theatre, Monday and Tuesday.

### HOME COMING DAY

A Home Coming day will be celebrated at the new Baptist Church on the first Sunday in June. This will be an all day service and several former pastors and members from many different towns in Western North Carolina are expected to attend this service.

Miss Una Plott was hostess at an elaborate luncheon at the Le Faine Hotel in Waynesville on Sunday. Those enjoying Miss Plott's hospitality were, Miss Milly Kanipe, Miss Gladys Warren, Miss Bula Kanipe, Miss Margaret Maness; Messrs. Roger Kanipe, Albert Kanipe and Carey Hedgepeth.

Be sure and attend the Fiddlers Convention on Friday and Saturday.

### COMMENCEMENT BEGINS AT OLD FORT MAY 24TH

The commencement exercises of the Old Fort High School and Grammar School will begin on Friday evening, May 24th, with the musical recital given by the class under the direction of Miss Dorcas Williams, at the school auditorium.

On Sunday morning, May 26th, Rev. W. O. Goode, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Marion, will preach the baccalaureate sermon. This will be a union service.

On Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock the public is invited, to visit the Home Economics Department, and other class rooms.

On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the senior class will have their class exercises.

Wednesday, May 29th, at 10:30 a. m., Dr. R. J. Bateman, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Asheville, will deliver the literary address, after which the diplomas will be awarded the students. The graduating class is composed of the following: Ashby Robinson, Carolyn McIntosh, Betty Crawford, Thelma Souther, Francis Mauney, Mary Will Greene, Eunice Wilkerson, Olga Marston, Elaine Mashburn.

### RECITAL FRIDAY EVENING

Miss Dorcas Williams, director of music in the Old Fort High School, will present her pupils in recital on Friday evening, May 24, at eight o'clock. The program consists of piano and vocal numbers, also ensemble playing. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Crippen will leave Friday for Rochester, N. Y., where they will attend the graduating exercises of the Rochester General Hospital, where Miss Elenore Crippen receives her diploma this month. Mr. and Mrs. Crippen expect to be gone two weeks.

The Woman's Missionary Union met at the Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon and elected officers for the coming year as follows: Mrs. Dora Kanipe, president; Mrs. B. Y. Allison, secretary; Mrs. H. C. Marley treasurer.

A benefit bridge party will be given at the home of Mrs. D. T. Roughton on Thursday evening. Many attractive prizes have been donated for the affair by local firms. A large crowd is expected to attend as it is given by the Civic Department.

## Women They Talk About

FOR WHAT ARE THEY NOTED?

### QUESTIONS

1. Maude Adams
2. Jane Addams
3. Dolly Madison
4. Molly Stark
5. Lucy Stone
6. Gade Corson
7. Priscilla Alden
8. Nellie Bly
9. Louisa Alcott
10. Harriet Beecher Stowe
11. Edna Ferber
12. Betsy Patterson
13. Madame Jumel
14. Nancy Hanks
15. Virginia Dare
16. Anne Morgan
17. Anna Case
18. Myra Kelly
19. Amelia Earhart
20. Rosa Bonheur
21. Irene Rich
22. Audrey Ferris
23. Dolores Costello
24. May McAvoy
25. Fannie Brice

Free admission will be given to the five persons sending the best list of answers as to the identity of the noted women in the above list—"Women They Talk About," a modern drama, at Everybody's Theatre Monday and Tuesday, 27th and 28th. Send your answers to Box 191. The judges will be Miss Gladys Warren, Miss Lenore Keatley and Miss Gertrude Dula.

## SPECIAL MOTION PICTURES

### RAYON INDUSTRY

Which kind of work does a Rayon Factory offer its girls?  
This can be seen at

## Everybody's Theatre

MONDAY AND TUESDAY  
MAY 27th - 28th

In the Enka Film showing the girls at work in the Enka Factories abroad.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Miss Susan Allison of Asheville visited relatives in Old Fort Sunday. Ewart Grant of Newland spent the week-end in Old Fort.

Albert Noblitt spent Saturday in Asheville.

Miss Janie Parker of Biltmore spent Sunday in Old Fort.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Lytle of Biltmore were visitors in Old Fort Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Stowe of Asheville visited A. B. Finch last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Lytle of Marion visited relatives in Old Fort Sunday.

Locke Grant of Newland was in Old Fort Saturday.

George Beaudax of Black Mountain was a visitor in Old Fort Tuesday.

Misses Millie Kanipe, Anne Bridges, Bula Kanipe and Miss Una Plott were shoppers in Asheville Saturday.

Horace Burgin of Ridgecrest was a visitor here Sunday.

H. B. Burns spent last Thursday in Asheville.

Mrs. H. M. Jones of Hendersonville was a visitor in Old Fort Monday.

Marie Sabom spent several days last week in Hendersonville and Flat Rock.

Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. D. T. Roughton were visitors in Asheville Wednesday.

Miss Anne Bridges, who has been spending several days with Misses Bula and Millie Kanipe, left Tuesday for Union Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swann were visitors in Asheville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Pickens spent Wednesday in Swannanoa.

Miss Edith O'Neal of Burnsville was a visitor in Old Fort Sunday.

Hardie Allison of Lewiston, Idaho, is visiting his father, J. R. Allison.

J. R. Allison, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. J. L. Nichols and Mrs. W. A. Silvers of Marion were visitors in Old Fort on Thursday.

Mrs. Mae Rabbitts of Cincinnati, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. Winslow Burgin and Mrs. Garfield Turner.

Mrs. D. W. Adams, who has been ill, is much improved.

The Sunbeam Missionary Class enjoyed a picnic at the Tourist Camp recently. Twenty-two were present.

Mrs. Charley Snyder was a visitor in Old Fort Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Bradley, Miss Maud Crawford, Miss Maggie Freeman and Mr. Fred Bradley were visitors in Hendersonville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Mashburn were guests of Mrs. W. R. Bruce in Greenville, S. C., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Crippen and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Mashburn were visitors in Asheville on Saturday.

Will Mashburn of Ordway, Colo., is visiting his brother, P. H. Mashburn.

Mrs. D. W. Young and Mrs. Thos. Pritchard of Asheville were visitors in Old Fort on Monday.

The Bridge club met with Mrs. Hart Taylor on Thursday evening. The top score was won by Miss Maud Crawford.

Miss Gladys Davis of Charlotte was a guest of Miss Carrie Saunders last week.

Miss Frances Mashburn, of the Asheville Normal, is spending several weeks in Old Fort as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Henry Ragle.

Miss Nan Killian and Miss Margaret Halliburton of Canton spent the week-end with Miss Bula Kanipe.

W. G. Parker of Kings Mountain, former teacher in the Old Fort High School, was a visitor in Old Fort on Tuesday.

Mr. L. J. Whisnant made a business trip to Lenoir last Tuesday.

Jack Saunders of Marion was a visitor in Old Fort Sunday.

Francis Miller of Black Mountain was in Old Fort Tuesday.

J. A. Swann and daughter, Hazel, were in Black Mountain Saturday.

News has been received of the death of Mrs. Ross Hoffman's father, which was caused by an automobile accident in Jacksonville, Fla.

A delightful party was given at the home of Mrs. D. T. Roughton on Saturday evening, complimentary to the Senior Class of the Old Fort High School.

Mr. Faucette of Clarksville, Tenn., who attended the Presbyterian Assembly at Montreat last week, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Janie Reid, on Sunday.

An intermediate B. Y. P. U. was organized by Mrs. B. Y. Allison last week at Cherry Springs with a class of twenty-four. Mrs. Silas Nanney was Bible reader. Mrs. Allison will act as leader for the present.

Miss Lula Williams of Asheville spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Dorcas Williams.

The Ladies Aid Society held their regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. T. Roughton, with Mrs. Alma Jordan, vice-president, presiding.

Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Rhinehardt are spending this week in Glendale, S. C., where Mr. Rhinehardt is conducting a revival meeting at the Wesleyan Church.

Dr. D. M. McIntosh has made extensive improvements on the grounds of his home on Main street, which includes a paved driveway to the garage and swimming pool.

A large circle of relatives and friends were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Davis, Friday. This enjoyable affair was planned by Mrs. Davis as a surprise to her husband on his birthday.

The Union Bible Class met at the home of Mrs. Grady Nichols on Tuesday evening. This class, which is non-denominational, is growing in interest and attendance. The class meets at different homes each Tuesday night. Everyone, regardless of what church they belong to, is invited to attend these meetings.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Chas. A. Snyder, who has long been connected with and manager of the firm of Bryson Snyder Co., will not be active with the business for some months, on account of poor health. He is spending a short time with relatives at Canton, N. C., before leaving for the Pacific coast for a few months stay.

Mr. Geo. W. Bryson, of Western North Carolina and Tennessee, who has had wide store experience, will take over the management of the store during Mr. Snyder's absence, and will appreciate your continued patronage.

BRYSON-SNYDER CO.

## EVERYBODY'S THEATRE

OLD FORT, N. C.

### FIDDLERS CONVENTION

A Great Musical Treat.

— COME —

"Best Wishes"—Comedy.

Friday and Saturday

MAY 24th - 25th

### WOMEN THEY TALK ABOUT

ABOUT

Irene Rich and Audrey Ferris.

"Alice Pic Nic"—Comedy.

Monday and Tuesday

MAY 27th - 28th

### NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE

Notice is hereby given that, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed by L. O. Lawing and wife, Velsie Lawing, to J. R. Gray and J. C. Reynolds dated July 13, 1928, and registered in Book 39 at page 230 in the office of Register of Deeds of McDowell County, North Carolina, to secure the payment of certain indebtedness therein mentioned, and default being made in the payment of said indebtedness as therein provided, the undersigned, J. R. Gray, and D. F. Giles, administrator of the estate of J. R. Reynolds, will, on the 3rd day of June, 1929, at 12 o'clock M., at the court-house door of McDowell county, Marion, N. C., offer for sale at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract of land, lying and being in Montforts Cove Township, McDowell County, North Carolina, and described as follows:

Beginning at a black-jack bush, W. M. Lawing's corner; thence with his line S. 80 E. 60 poles to a sourwood, his corner; then with his other line S. 70 poles to a Spanish ash, Israel Lawing's corner; thence with his line E. 60 poles to a pine, his corner and Neal's line; thence with Neal's line N. 60 poles to a stake near John Morris' line; thence N. 45 W. 90 poles to a stake on the Burke line; then with the said line W. 65 poles to a stake on William Lawing's line; then with the said line S. 50 poles to the beginning, containing 59 acres.

This 2nd day of May, 1929.

D. F. GILES,

Administrator of the Estate of J. C. Reynolds.

J. R. GRAY.

## What They Have Been Saying All During Our BIG SALE

Hello, John! What are you doing here?

Hello, Sallie! Did Katie come?

Gee! But did you ever see so many good bargains?

Did you get one of those beautiful 9x12 Congoleum Rugs for only \$5.98 and a small one for only one cent?

They sure are doing things here. Gee! Such beautiful House Dresses for 98c and \$1.95.

And look at those wonderful Spring Coats and Silk Dresses for only \$3.95 and \$4.95.

How can they sell them so cheap?

They sell you fine granulated sugar, too, on Friday and Saturday during the sale for only 3c per lb., with 5 lbs. to a customer, with a purchase of \$1.00 or more.

I am coming back next Friday and Saturday to buy some more, and see who gets the wonderful prizes.

Tell the folks to be sure and meet me at this big sale.

## Bryson-Snyder Co.

OLD FORT, N. C.

## Don't Live in a Shadow - All Your Life

Step out of the shadow of financial dependence into the sunshine of financial independence. The step is not long, the way is not difficult—a savings account with a portion of your earnings added regularly will soon place you in a position where you can be financially independent.

### THE BANK OF OLD FORT

OLD FORT, N. C.

## SUMMER HATS ON SALE

Good Styles and Quality.

Summer Hats with brims just arrived.

## Dula Millinery Shop

Old Fort, N. C.

## PLANTS

	per doz.
Lily of the Valley	30c
Hybrid Everblooming Sweet William	25c
Asters	10c to 25c
Zinnias, large transplanted	25c
Marigolds, French and African	10c to 25c
Dusty Miller	25c
Cosmos	10c to 25c
Calendula	25c to 35c
Tomato plants	25c per 100 up.

Also the following hardy perennials: Iris, Spiderwort, Coreopsis, Gaillardia, Boltonia, Hardy Asters.

## IRVIN A. HEWITT, Old Fort, N. C.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of James O. Moore, deceased, late of McDowell County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Old Fort, N. C., on or before the 9th day of May, 1930, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.  
This 6th day of May, 1929.  
T. B. FAW, Administrator of James O. Moore, deceased.