

Celebrate 300th Anniversary
Walter Raleigh's Lost Colony

ROANOKE, March 2nd. —Roanoke Island will this year be conspicuous in the news of the world by reason of the celebration of the 300th anniversary of the settling of Sir Walter Raleigh's Lost Colony, which begins July Fourth and continues through September sixth.

R. B. Fearing, chairman in charge of arrangements, reported while in Raleigh this week that requests for information had come from the leading newspapers of London and other English cities as well in America. Particular emphasis has been placed upon the settlement of Roanoke Island because it marks the beginning of English civilization in America.

Oberammergau in Upper Bavaria, Germany, has long been noted throughout the world for the Passion Play, which attracts people from everywhere. While the celebration of Roanoke Island will be celebrated by the presentation of a historic pageant, under the direction of Paul Green, it will differ completely from the Oberammergau sacred pageant, but there will be a similarity in that it is planned to make the Roanoke Island Pageant an institution just as is the Oberammergau pageant.

The celebration will be held at Wanteo, the county-seat of Dare,

which is now as accessible as any other county-seat in North Carolina. Formerly this point on the map of Eastern North Carolina was so completely isolated that it was supplanted in interest by the later settlements at Jamestown in Virginia and Plymouth Rock in Massachusetts.

The three hundredth anniversary of the settlement of Jamestown was celebrated with an exposition at Norfolk, but it is not planned to make the celebration at Roanoke Island an exposition, or anything like an exposition, according to Mr. Fearing, although the restoration of the old fort, the chapel and other buildings give to the historic spot a peculiar interest, which will be enhanced by the presentation of the historic pageant.

Not far distant is the Wright Memorial, marking the spot where man first rose into the air in a heavier than air machine, and this is also a world renowned spot.

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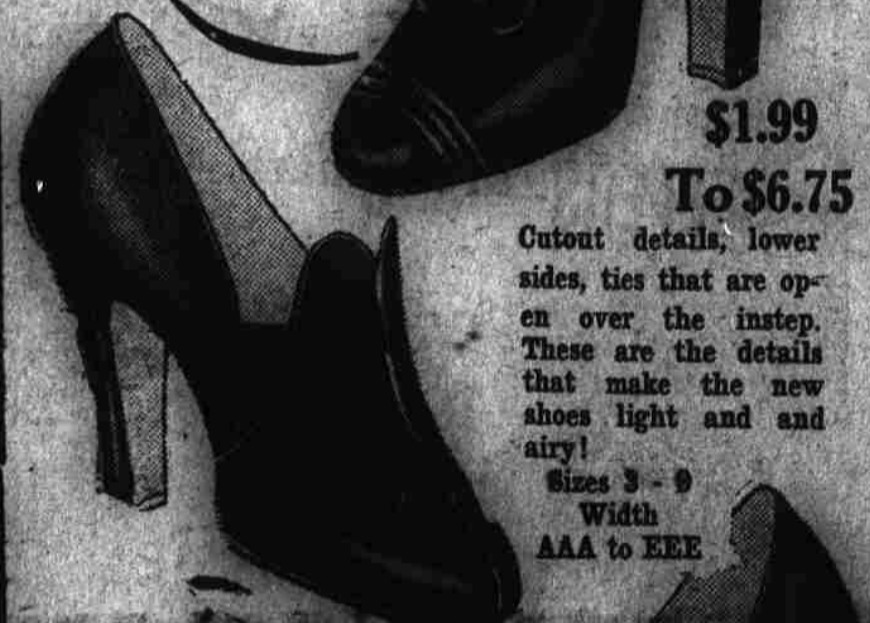


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Universalist Church Notice

Rev. Gustav H. Ulrich will preach at Outlaw's Bridge Universalist church Sunday morning, March 7th at 11:00 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. Ulrich succeeds Rev. John T. Fitzgerald as pastor of the Ecerton circuit. Everyone is invited to attend and hear Rev. Mr. Ulrich.

DR. STOREY ADDRESSES PRESBYTERIANS AT DINNER

Rev. C. H. Storey, D. D. of Wilmington was the guest speaker at a meeting composed of Presbyterian Elders and Deacons and their wives held in the agriculture room of the Beulaville high school Wednesday evening.

A bountiful dinner was served by the ladies at 6:00. The dinner was spread on a long table reaching the length of the room and the meal was eaten in picnic style.

Before the dinner hour Dr. Storey met with the men in an adjoining room for a open conference, and discussed some of the church problems. After the dinner hour, Dr. Storey addressed the whole group on the subject of Stewardship. Dr. Storey is a recognized authority on this subject and lived up to his reputation at this meeting, stating that Stewardship

was man's only acceptable relation with God. Dr. Storey spoke for about 40 minutes proving his contention from the Bible and challenging each member of the group to a life of stewardship. The speaker showed that God was the owner of all and that we as stewards living on God's land and using God's materials should recognize this relation and the only way to recognize God's ownership is to make material recognition. You do that in rent of land, in rent of a home, in interest on money. This rent and interest is our way of recognizing that another owns what we have in trust. We may fail to recognize God by refusing to pay to His work some material value, but at the day of Judgment we will find that He marked it down as a sin.

We cannot expect God's continual favor unless we are in this right relation with our God. God does not need money but God needs men. It is only as you are willing to make this recognition of God, that you can get in the right relation with God, and the man who is not in the right relation with God cannot claim to be a Christian. Dr. Storey began his address with the question "Can Two Walk Together Unless They Be Agreed?" and then closed by answering his question in the negative. Unless we are right with God in our giving, which is a part of God, we cannot walk

with our God here or hereafter. Dr. Storey closed his remarks with a challenge to the church officers to go back to their churches and practice this relation in their own lives and to show others the way to the right relation with God. If a few of you will dare to practice stewardship in your churches, it won't be long before the whole church will grasp the vision and carry on for the glory of our God.

OLD COUPLE MARRY IN IN DUPLIN

Boston Spearman and Hannah Grady, both of Lenoir County were visitors at the Registrar of Deeds office recently for the purpose of purchasing marriage licenses. Boston gave his age at 78 and Hannah gave hers as 75, and officiating attendants say that they feel that the old colored couple were talking the truth about their ages as they seemed to be getting mighty old. It could not be learned as to whether this was the first venture for either of the couple in matrimony or not, but we do feel that they were brave old souls to stand out together in the building of a new home in which to spend their last days.

Alfreda Kindley, route 1, St. Pleasant, Cabarrus County, started 400 baby chicks as a 4-H winter project and had lost only 15 at the close of the first long winter.