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TABLET FOR FORT JOHNSON

First Fort in North Carolina Marked by Colonial Dames.

Wilmington, May 24th.—Marking the site of Fort Johnson, the first fort ever built in North Carolina, there was unveiled a tablet at Southport Tuesday by the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames of America, and the exercises incident, which were of an interesting and impressive nature, were largely attended by the people of this city and Southport. The weather was ideal and everything went off just as planned.

Fort Johnson, the first fort in the province of North Carolina, was built under act of assembly of 1746 and was named in honor of governor Gabriel Johnston. The patriots of the Cape Fear, resisting the execution of the Stamp act in 1769, forced the splitting of the 24 cannon given by King George the Second. The fort was a refuge of Gov. Josiah Martin after his flight from New Bern May 24, 1775, until he was compelled by the patriots to abandon it July 18, 1775, on which day it was destroyed and royal government in North Carolina ceased.

Matinees daily at 5 o'clock, at The Athens. 5 and 10 cents, Nurses 5c.

Southern Prosperity—A Word Of Warning.

The South has at last come into her own. The whole country now appreciates the natural resources and the advantages that the Southland offers. For a number of years home seekers have passed the fields of the South and have sought opportunity for developing agriculture and other activities in the far West and Northwest, but several circumstances have combined to point the home seeker and investor to the rich opportunity which the Southern States afford.

One element in bringing about the re-discovery of southern wealth and opportunity is found in the fact the people of means have more and more made the sunny southland their winter home. They have carried back to the North their enthusiasm for its delightful climate and the productiveness of its soil. Another means of making known the resources of the South has been the enterprise of planters and farmers in growing fruits and vegetables that are constantly shipped North and East during the winter months. The forerunner of this development was the good old melon which is shipped to Northern points so early in the season to create wonder and surprise, but scores of other products have followed in the wake of the melon, so that the northern breakfast table is supplied with the southern strawberries during the month of February. It is unnecessary to speak of the citrus fruits, and numerous vegetables grown on southern soil, that fill the northern markets.

Leslie's Illustrated Weekly for April 6th, was devoted exclusively to "The South and Prosperity." This number of Leslie's gave complimentary mention of every southern state. It showed how successful the intelligent southern farmer is. It gave cotton and corn their proper place and emphasized the newer agricultural products. The article spoke of the wonderful transformation of the new South and presented a true picture of southern growth.

There is just one warning that southern people should heed in connection with all of their favorable comment. Southern people should be industrious, frugal and prudent in the use of their money. Benjamin Franklin once said, when your outgo is more than your income, you cannot grow wealthy. This sentiment applies especially to the South during these years of unusual growth and development.

As the community is made up of individuals, the course pursued by every man and woman determines the greater course for the community. If each person would save a little money every week or every month and deposit the money in the bank, a substantial safeguard against any possible financial emergency would be gradually formed. The New Bern Banking and Trust Company encourages the saving of money by accepting small deposits a dollar even. The bank also pays interest on the money at a fair rate and keeps the money absolutely safe and secure. Every person who is entering civilization, no matter how small, should become a patron of the bank. The financial interest of the South is the highest, protecting the South against any such-room growth, and it is the solid and substantial man and woman, who save a portion of their income, who constitute the backbone.

The habit of saving, also, develops character and stability. The child who early learns to save money develops in a sturdy and logical habit that will not be shaken.

WILL PROSECUTE MIGHTY MAGNATES

Senate Passes Resolution That Standard Oil Crowd Are Personally Subject to Prosecution.

Washington, D. C., May 24.—A resolution introduced by Senator Pomerenke (Dem.) Ohio declaring that John D. Rockefeller, John D. Archbold and all the other personal defendants in the Standard Oil case are subject to criminal prosecution under the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States was adopted by the Senate.

It instructs the Attorney General to report whether criminal proceedings "have been or will be started against them."

Pomerenke set forth that the supreme court in its decision decreed "that the Standard Oil Company, thirty-three constituent corporations, and seven individual defendants—John D. Rockefeller, William Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, Henry M. Flagler, John D. Archbold, Oliver H. Payne and Charles M. Pratt, have united together to form and effect a combination and conspired to monopolize and have monopolized a substantial part of the commerce among the States, in restraint of interstate trade, in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law."

He added: "Under the provisions of the act, if the defendants, or any of them, has entered into a combination or monopoly in restraint of trade, they are amenable to criminal prosecution."

The resolution says: "That the Attorney General of the United States be, and is hereby directed to inform the Senate what, if any, prosecutions have been begun or are now pending against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey or the constituent companies or individual defendants above named or any of them for violations of sections one or two of the Sherman anti-trust law."

The Pomerenke resolution was adopted by the Senate without debate.

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J. S. Miller.

Change Vandeville at Athens.

Board your horse at a Modern Sanitary Stable. Daniels-Newberry Live Stock Co. South Front St.

Invitation were yesterday sent out by the members of the graduating class for the approaching commencement exercises at the New Bern graded school which are to be held on Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The invitation in itself is a work of art and is well worthy of mention.

The invitation reads as follows:

The Graduating Class of the New Bern High School requests the honor of your presence at their Commencement Exercises Thursday evening, June 1st, nine hundred and eleven at half past eight o'clock Giffels Auditorium.

The following program has been arranged for the exercises:

Tuesday, May 30th.

Literary address at 8:30 p. m. by Rev. F. T. Overholser, of Concord, N. C.

Wednesday, May 31st.

Annual Session at 8:30 p. m. by Bishop Robert Stevens, of Wilmington, N. C.

Thursday, June 1st.

Class Day Exercises at 8:30 p. m. and Graduation Exercises at 9:30 p. m.

The following is a list of the class officers and graduates:

Mary Adelaide Berry—President.

Elizabeth Stone Hyman—Vice president.

John Raymond Jones, Secretary and Treasurer.

Graduates: Susan, Mary Adelaide Berry, Linda Louise Brown, Lillian Alice Farrow, Elizabeth Stone Hyman, Margaretta Taylor, Lee and Lily Taylor, Susan, William Bennett, Frances, J. William Whitman and John Raymond Jones.

Raymond and Davis, feature singing, talking and dancing, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at The Athens.

The Button Reception.

The members of the New Bern Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 1, best known as the Button Co., assisted by their lady friends, gave a public reception last night, to celebrate their Charlotte victories. The room on Broad street was tastefully decorated with flags and flowers, ice cream and cake was served. Mr. E. M. Green was speaker of the occasion being gracefully introduced by Mr. Bert Hibbard. There was a continuous crowd in and out for several hours, and a glad time was passed by all.

Peerless Iceland Freezers, you don't break them, they freeze quicker and last longer.

Phone 229, J. S. Miller.

Trustees Meeting.

The trustees of the City Schools will meet in the Superintendent's office at 4 o'clock p. m. on Friday May 26th. Election of teachers and other business.

T. A. GREEN Pres.

Pentecostal Services.

The Feast of Weeks, sometimes called the Pentecost, will be celebrated by the Hebrew citizens of this city on June 21 with appropriate services in the synagogue, beginning on the previous evening. The harvest character of the day is preserved in the floral offerings brought by the confirmands, also readings from the book of Ruth, the idyl of the early agricultural life of the Jew. Its deeper significance is emphasized by the solemn confirmation of the adolescent boys and girls upon the occasion.

Your lawn will present a more rightly appearance by the application of a Philadelphia Lawn Mower. J. S. Basnight Hdq., Co. Phone 99, 67 S. Front St.

Norfolk Southern Snaps Busy.

Yesterday morning several freight cars that had been damaged in a crash, up along the line were brought to this city and placed in the Norfolk Southern shop for repairs. Although this is usually the dull season in the railroad shops, this is not the case here at this time. A full force of mechanics and every one of them making full time is the record of the company's shop.

WILLIAM SIDNEY FIELDS

Have you registered your Will? Have you arranged your business so that you will avoid trouble with your heirs? Have you made a will? Have you made a will? Have you made a will?

\$300,000 ENDOWMENT FUND

Secured For Salem College. A Grand Work Accomplished. Commencement Exercises.

Winston Salem, N. C. May 24.—After a strenuous campaign, lasting eighteen months under the directions of President Howard Rondthaler of the Salem College, the oldest educational institution for women in the south, and made famous by the Moravian discipline and instruction, official announcement was made at the commencement exercises, today, that the \$300,000 endowment fund had been raised, the last \$1500 being contributed this morning.

The joyful news was received by the great audience, with rounds of applause. The general education board of New York city contributed \$75,000 to this fund and Andrew Carnegie \$25,000. President Rondthaler stated that 3,500 persons gave to the endowment fund, and that every state in the Union had contributed. The oldest living alumnae of the college Mrs. Pope Thurmond McWharther, of Athens, Ga. received her diploma with the class of 30 today. Mrs. McWharther, graduated from the old school in 1848, but in those days certificates of graduation, were not issued.

13,000 young women have attended Salem college during its 110 years. This year has been a record breaker. The enrollment numbering 629 representing 18 states. Gov. W. W. Kitchen was the commencement orator today. Diplomas to the graduates were presented by Bishop Rondthaler of the Moravian church.

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS.

March 7th, 1908	\$ 79,156.37
March 7th, 1909	137,407.77
March 7th, 1910	246,770.07
March 7th, 1911	337,986.48

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Aside from the question of coolness is the perfect enjoyment possible if you equip yourself properly for warm weather outing. Stiff collars and shirts and a heavy hat all detract from your pleasure because you are more or less uncomfortable. With our soft collars, cool, easy, but dressy, and one of our smart and roomy shirts you have only to add a cap to your costume to assure you of ideal comfort.

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