

Bottle Talk

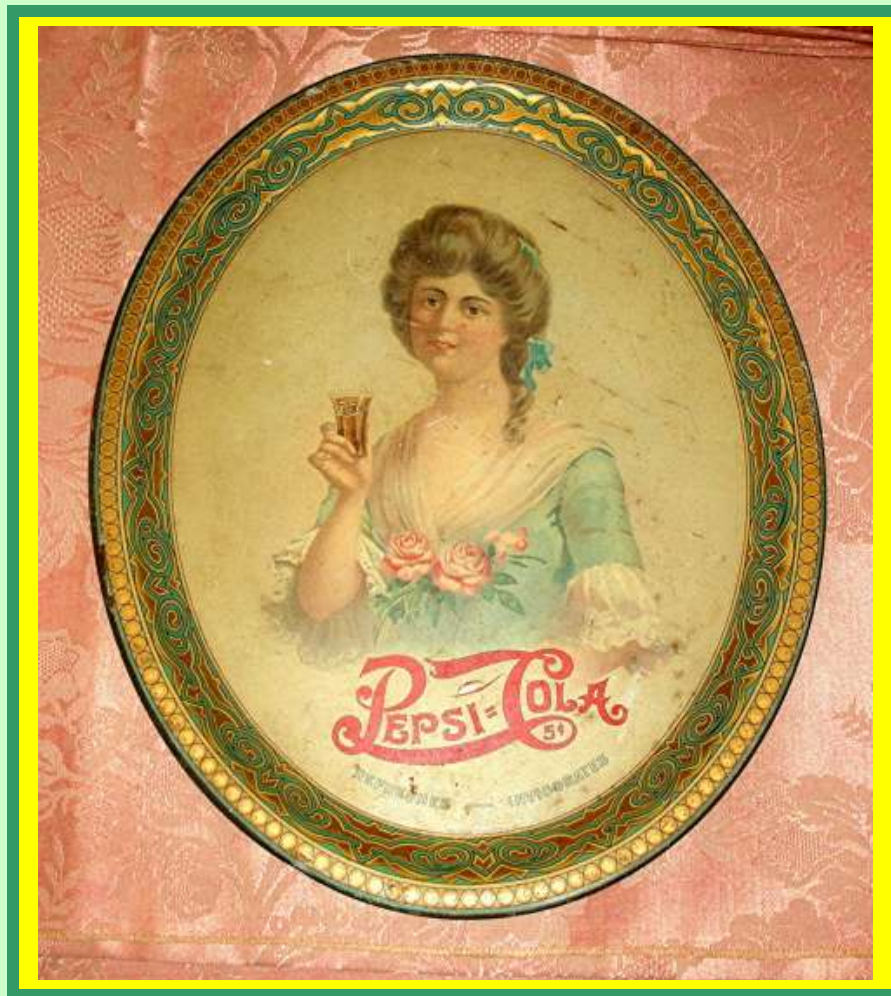
RALEIGH BOTTLE CLUB NEWS LETTER

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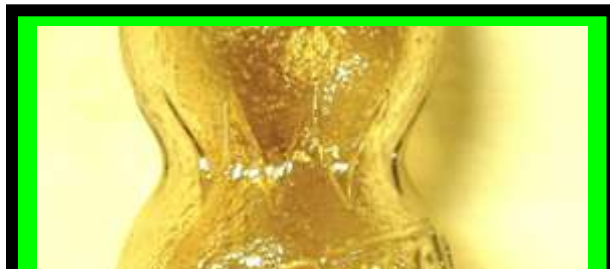
Extremely Rare Early Pepsi Tray

On display at Ash-Lynn's Antique Mall, Salisbury, N.C.

Asking Price \$1200.00



THE RBC GALLERY Show and tell



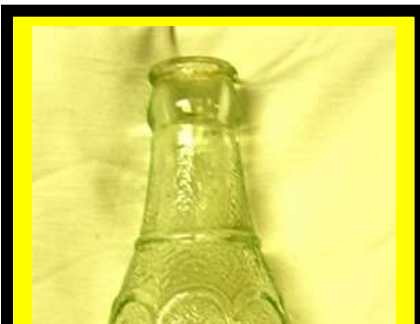


Top: Copeland's *Big Hit Beverage* with baseball player swinging a bat embossed both front and back. Big Hit was bottled in Brunswick, Ga.



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TIP-A-TILTON soda is a much sought after art deco bottle due to its great design. The front is embossed with a woman and child having a picnic. The reverse shows a man holding a bottle, trees, and the front of an old automobile. The words 'Snappy Drink' are embossed on the base. Tip-A-Tilton was bottled in San Pedro, California.



Man's Size soda is considered the crown prince of Art Deco bottles. The bottle is embossed with a heavy set man drinking a bottle of soda. The bottle in the man's hand has the same identical embossing. This unusual bottle was produced in Athens, Alabama



***Mickey Mouse** soda is considered to be the king of Art Deco sodas with Mickey and Minnie Mouse embossed on the bottle. This bottle was pulled from production because the bottler did not have permission from Disney to use the popular design. A Mickey Mouse bottle like this sold a few years ago on Ebay for \$1200.00.*



The very rare, 1910, original
Pepsi fountain syrup ju
Guru, Donnie Medlin.
Donnie.

Dean Haley presented
to find Camden, S.C. s
a good addition to his s



*If you are a collector of painted label soda bottles you need to be a member of the **PAINTED SODA BOTTLE COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION**. Your membership entitles you to receive the bi-monthly issue of **SODA FIZZ** magazine. This is the premier publication for the ACL soda bottle collector. The bargain price of \$25.00 gives you a one year membership and six issues of **SODA FIZZ**.*

*Send your payment to:
PSBCA -The Soda Fizz
341 Yellowstone Drive
Fletcher, N.C. 28732*



BOTTLE COLLECTORS

*If you have not yet joined the FOHBC I would strongly encourage you do so. There is no better way to keep up with what is going on in the world of bottle collecting. Membership includes a subscription to the **BOTTLES AND EXTRAS** magazine. Membership information can be found on the website: www.fohbc.com*

2008 Coca-Cola Events

*34th National Convention
July 1-5
Grapevine, Texas*



RBC Website

"Up and Running"

www.raleighbottleclub.org

WANTS AND DESIRES

Advertisements will be limited to bottles, collectibles and things associated with the collection of these items, such as display racks, cases, and frames. Bottle ads will get priority. Ads cannot exceed 60 words and will run for a maximum of three months. Currently all ads are welcome. If space becomes a problem we may have to limit ads to active RBC members.

WANTED:

*..... Will pay reasonable price for glass 2- Liter bottles in very good condition, w/cap and bright color. ACL or Styrofoam .
Marshall Clements
(919) 423-8557
meclem@prodigy.net*

...Will pay top dollar for bottles embossed 'Wilmington, N.C'

Sodas Medicines
Whiskeys Beers
Milks

Contact:
Chris Whitehurst
cbw315@yahoo.com

*..... Koca Nola bottles I don't have. Fair prices paid, depending on variety. Also want good photos of Koca Nolas in your collection, with detailed information on embossings, for a book. Send price wanted with first letter to Bill Baab, 2352 Devere Street, Augusta, GA 30904.
Phone: 706) 736-8097.
riverswamper@comcast.net*

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..... My long-awaited Augusta pottery book has been published, capping 35 years of research and collecting. 74 well-illustrated pages. "Augusta on Glass" costs \$40 (shipping charges included). Make personal checks or money orders payable to Bill Baab, 2352 Devere St., Augusta, GA. 30904.



FOR SALE Bill Clark's collection of beer bottles. This collection appears to have been assembled over the last 5 to 10 years. It consists of 150 to 200 bottles and as you can see from the pictures they make a bright and colorful display. Asking price is .50 per bottle for the complete collection. If you are interested contact meMarshall Clements 919-423-8557



Mary Clark has asked me to assist her in selling some of Bill's large and varied collection. If you have ever seen Bill's 'Bottle House' you understand the magnitude of this endeavor. Mary and I will take an inventory and categorize the items over the next few months. We will probably offer them for sale in category groups rather than one piece at a time. The higher end pieces will be offered to the RBC at a fixed price prior to putting them up for Ebay auction. Various items and collections from Bill's estate will be offered in future issues of Bottle Talk.

Marshall Clements

MAY 17 - LINCOLNTON, N. C.

Piedmont

Bottle & Pottery Club's 2nd annual Bottle and Pottery Show & Sale 9:00am-3:00pm at the James Warren Citizen's Center, 115 West Main Street, Lincolnton, N.C. Free Admission - No Early Buyers. Experts on-hand to provide Free Bottle & Pottery Appraisals. INFO: Johnny McAulay (704) 719-7108, John Patterson (704) 636-9510, or Chuck Rash: (704) 732-0373. [Click here for show flyer](#). Directions via Mapquest: [Click Here](#) then click "Directions To". [Click here for dealer contract](#) to reserve table at show.

JUNE 6-7 - KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE NEW

The East Tenn. Antique Bottle & Collectibles Society Show (Fri. 10 AM - 5 PM, Sat. 9 AM - 4 PM) at the Kerbela Shrine Temple, Knoxville, Tennessee. Tables \$35, \$25 additional. INFO: **BILLIE MCNAMARA**, PH: (865) 933-6137, E-mail: info@etabcs.org, Website: www.etabcs.org.

JUNE 6-7 - LUMBERTON, NORTH CAROLINA NEW

The Robeson Antique Bottle Club's Annual Bottle, Coin & Collectible Show & Sale (Fri.. 3 - 9 PM; Sat. 9 AM - 1 PM) at the Expo and Farmer's Market, 1027 US 74 East, Lumberton North Carolina. INFO: **PAUL VALENTI**, PH: (910) 738-3074, 456 Boone Rd., Lumberton, NC 28360 or **MITCHELL McCORMICK**, PH: (910) 628-6245 or **BRET LEE**, Email: dex@intrstar.net.

AUGUST 8-10 - YORK, PENNSYLVANIA EXPO

The 2008 FOHBC EXPO (Fri. Seminars and Specialty Meetings in AM; Set-up, Early Adm. 1 - 5 PM, Banquet 6:30 PM; Sat. 9 AM - 5 PM, Early Adm. 7 - 9 AM; Sun. 9 AM - 3 PM) at the York Fairgrounds, York, Pennsylvania. 600-800 tables capacity for the largest EXPO ever! For consignments, contracts and INFO: **R. WAYNE LOWRY**, 401 Johnston Ct., Raymore, MO 64083, PH: (816) 318-0161, E-mail: JarDoctor@aol.com.

OCTOBER 18 - LOUISBURG, NORTH CAROLINA NEW

The Raleigh Bottle Club's Annual Show & Sale (Sat. 8:30 AM - 2 PM< Gen. Adm. \$3; Early Adm. 7 AM, \$10) at 111 South Church St., Louisburg, North Carolina. INFO: **BARTON WEEKS**, Show Chairman, PH: (336) 508-2759, E-mail: bweeks6@triad.rr.com or **DONNIE MEDLIN**, Co-Chair. PH: (919) 496-1367. All show info available at: www.raleighbottleclub.org. Club E-mail: raleighbottleclub@gmail.com.

If you have any questions about the Raleigh Bottle Club or just want to talk about bottles give me a call on (919)423-8557 or contact me via email at meclm@prodigy.net

BLAST FROM THE PAST



Photo of the old Dr. Pepper plant in Bellville, Texas. This photo was taken by Marshall Clements in March, 2008. This old building had many uses since 1944. After the bottling plant it became a potato chip factory. It was later converted into a restaurant. Several restaurants/diners have since occupied this building. It is now being remodeled for what appears to be another restaurant. Notice the 10-2-4 clock and the 1944 date on the upper face of the building.

If you have an old photo that might make a good "Blast From The Past" feature, please let me know. Pictures must be of good quality and owned by the submitter. Submission of a photo does not guarantee publication.

MEETING INFORMATION

Meeting Time and Dress Code

Monthly meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month. The meetings are held in the Glenn Laurel Clubhouse at 1330 Galax Street, Raleigh, N.C. The meetings start at 7:30 and usually last about an hour. Feel free to come any time after 6:00 for fellowship and a little selling and trading prior to the meeting. The dress is always casual.

Directions to Clubhouse

From Crabtree Valley Shopping Mall, go south on Edwards Mill Road toward Blue Ridge and Duraleigh Road for approximately 1 1/2 miles. Look for a school on your left followed by Carnegie Park Apartments. Take a right at the stop light onto Laurel Hills Road then an immediate right onto White Pine Drive. Continue on White Pine Drive until you come to a stop sign. Turn right onto Galax Street. Continue on Galax to the bottom of the hill and the white club house will be on your left.

RBC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

1 year membership \$15.00

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP _____

Email Address: _____

My collecting interests are:

Please make check payable to: **Raleigh Bottle Club**

Bring you check to the club meeting or mail it to: Robert Creech
1309 Hinnant Road
Selma, NC 27576

How did you learn about the Raleigh Bottle Club: Newsletter _____
Member _____

