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Raleigh Bottle Club Newsletter

show and Tell

COVER: Nice Orange Crush thermometer bought at local auction by Marshall Clements. A nice buy for \$70.00. Book value ranges from \$120.00 to \$160.00 based on condition.

RIGHT: This unusual WHITE CROWN MASON pint jar was presented by Vernon Creech. Check out the original concave milk glass lid. This is one of several nice jars found by Vernon while on a buying adventure in Pennsylvania.

BOTTOM: This amber jewel was presented by Pem Woodlief. Pem seems to have a knack for coming up with the unusual. This half gallon amber jar is embossed **THE LEADER** sells in the \$200.00 to \$300.00 range.





Why this is called a TELEPHONE JAR is somewhat of a mystery. If you know the reason please let us know. This nice pint jar was presented by RBC member Vernon Creech.



These three colorful pint jars were issued by KERR in 1976 to honor the Bicentennial. They were issued as decorative jars only and were not to be used for canning. These unusual and beautiful jars were shown by RBC member Vernon Creech. The set is valued at about \$100.00.



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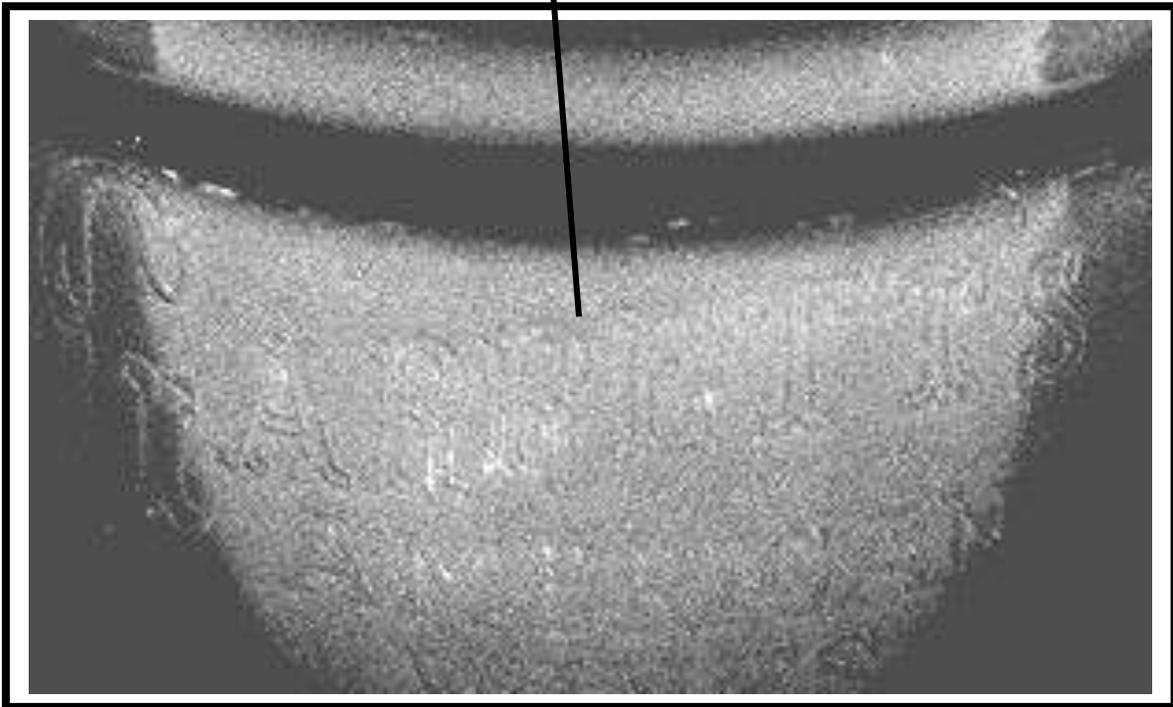
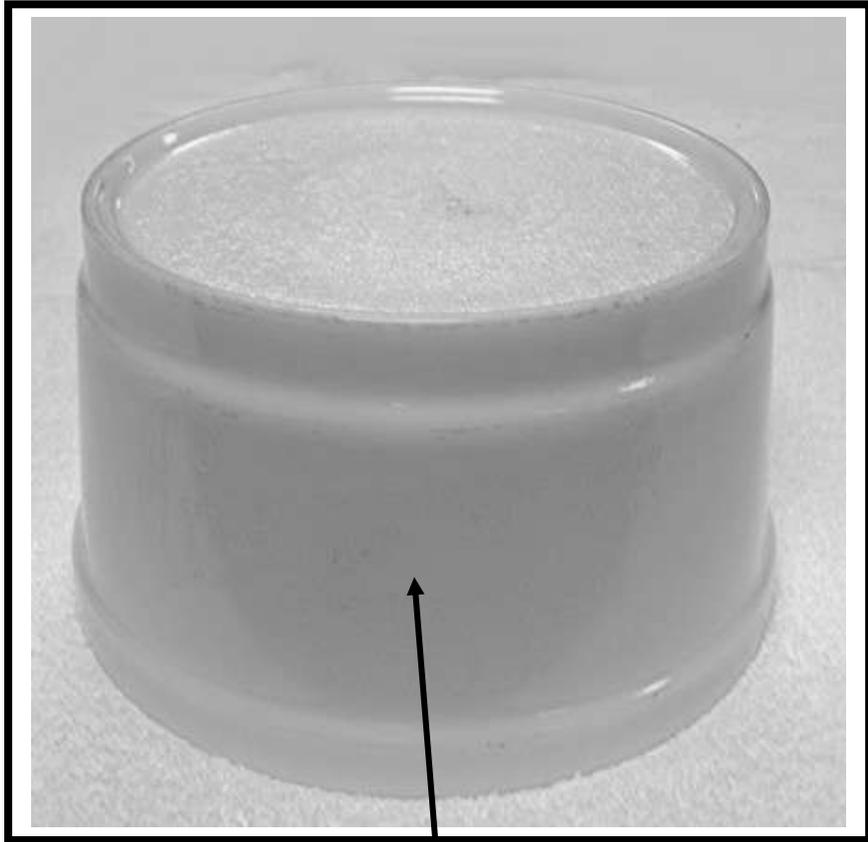


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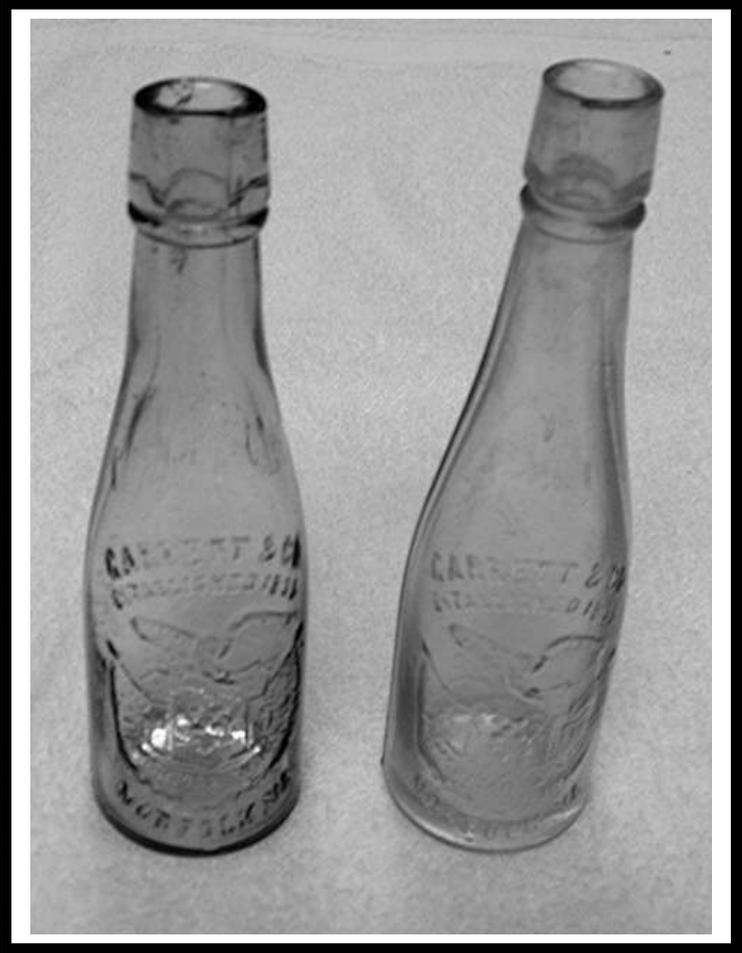
These nice half pint milk bottles belong to Skinny Medlin. These bottles usually sell from 5 to 10 dollars each depending on their condition. The fronts are identical. The back view is where you see the difference in the wording. These variations help to make the bottles more collectible.



The DEAN of the Raleigh Flee Market strikes again. I have always heard, "the early bird get the worm". RBC member Dean Haley has made a believer out of me. One early Saturday morning Dean was taking his normal stroll through the flea market. He eyed a box containing three counter top candy jars and went to take a quick look. After a quick glance he moved on to the next box. A man followed behind him looking in the same box and pulled out this very rare Coca-Cola Chewing Gum jar. Dean happened to see the embossing and knew he had made a very bad and expensive mistake. The man bought all of the jars for **\$5.00 each**. Dean tried to buy the Coke jar but the man happened to be a flea market vendor and was going to add it to his sales table. Dean followed him like a shadow to see where his table was located. Dean ambled by the table a few minutes later and, sure enough, the jar was in plain site with a new price tag of \$45.00. The vendor's son was watching the table. Dean asked if \$45.00 was his best price on the jar. The young man phoned his dad and told him someone was interested in the jar and could he do any better on the price. Dean ended up getting this nice Coca-Cola Chewing Gum jar for \$35.00. This jar is listed in the various Coke price guides from **\$400.00 to \$700.00**. It pays to be early. It pays to be alert. It pays to be persistent. It pays to be knowledgeable, but most of all..... it pays to be lucky.



Another great ebay find for club member Skinny Medlin. This GARRETT'S AMERICAN WINES dispenser base is not something you see every day. Due to the milk glass color it is difficult to see the embossing, but looking at the negative print you can make out what it actually looks like. It fits nicely with Skinny's collection of Garrett's wine bottles.



These three bottles will give you just a small glimpse of Skinny's nice GARRETT'S wine bottle display. The bottle on the left is embossed with the cities St. Louis, Mo. and Weldon, N.C. Any GARRETT'S wine bottle embossed with a North Carolina town is highly sought after by several of the RBC members. The two small sample bottles are both from Norfolk, Va. and are virtually the same except for the slight difference in height.



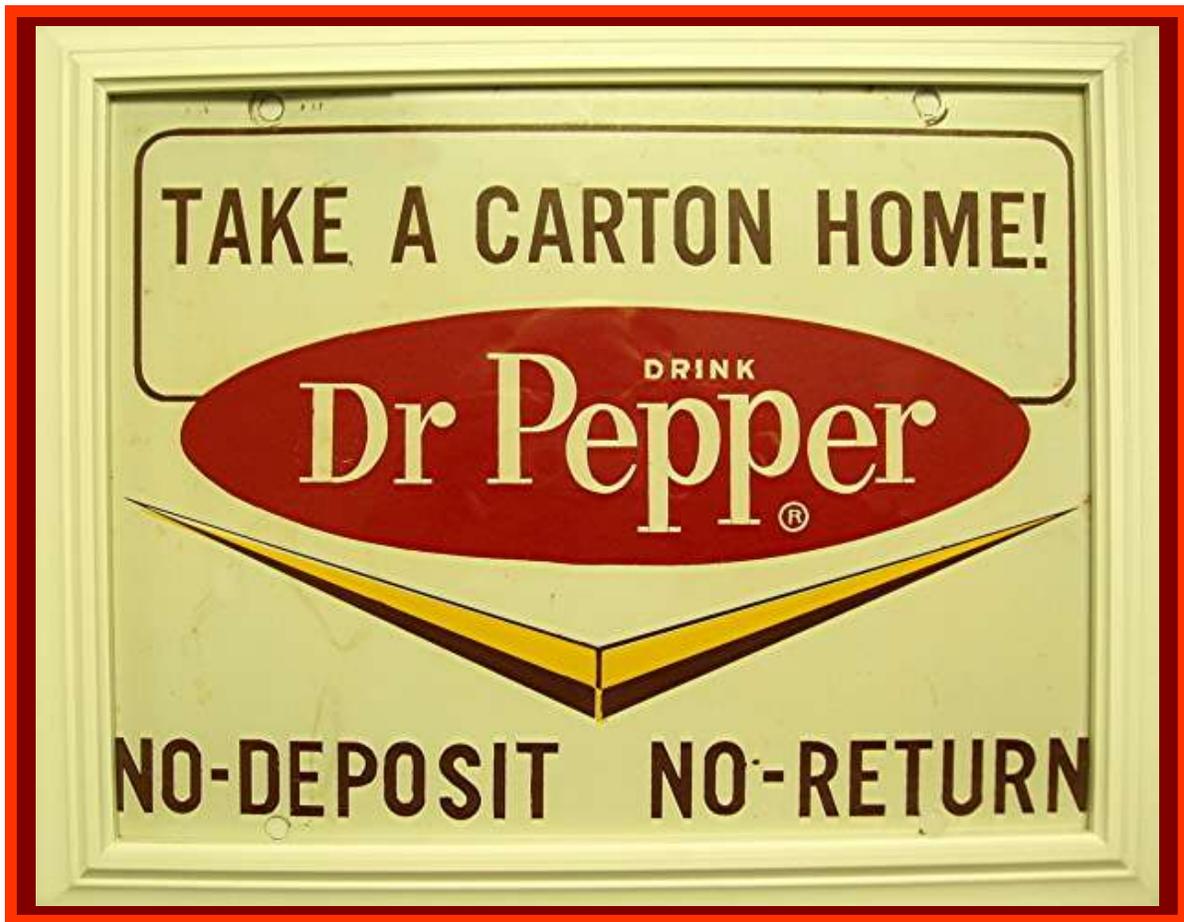
Two nice sodas shown by Whitt Stallings. The Pepsi on the left is a diamond slug plate from Raleigh, N.C. It is a very unusual and difficult bottle to find.

Book value \$200-\$300.00

The bottle on the right is a rare Coke with unusual embossing:
E. DANNENBURG
AUTHORIZED BOTTLER
OF
Coca-Cola
WILSON-GOLDSBORO
NORTH CAROLINA
USA

Value....Approx. \$175.00





Another very nice and very rare NDNR *Dr. Pepper* rack sign from the collection of RBC member Sterling Mann. You could burn a lot of gas and spend a lot of nights away from home searching for one of these beauties.

CALL FOR PHOTOGRAPHS

It is always nice to have old photos for the monthly newsletter. I think it adds a lot and keeps us in touch with the past. All bottle collectors have ad pieces and/or photographs as part of their collection. How about sharing yours with the readers of *Bottle Talk*.

Marshall Clements blobtop@gmail.com

WANTS AND DESIRES

WANTED

Coca-Cola Water bottle TOP.

Any style, but prefer the one with the sail boat.

Contact Steve Williams at (317)848-4921
or steve.williams@chiefind.com

BOTTLE TALK READERS

**YOU COULD HAVE
YOUR AD IN THIS SPACE.**

Ads are free to all readers as long as space allows.

Raleigh Bottle Club members get first priority if space becomes a problem

2-LITER SODA BOTTLES WANTED

Will pay reasonable price for glass, two liter, soda bottles in very good condition, w/cap and bright color. ACL or Styrofoam.

*Marshall Clements (919) 423-8557
blobtop@gmail.com*

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

**Sodas Medicines
Whiskeys Beers
Milks**

**Contact:
Chris Whitehurst
cbw315@yahoo.com**

***** **WANTED** *****

Raleigh, N.C. Memorabilia

(old items embossed or labeled RALEIGH,, N.C)

ephemera - advertisement - license plates
- BOTTLES -

Contact: Jack Murdock 919-829-5766

RBC MEMBER NOTICE

It is time to pay your annual \$15.00 club dues. If you have not yet paid your dues please contact the Treasurer, Jerry Higgins, and make payment.

FINAL NOTICE

BLAST FROM THE PAST



Photo from Marshall Clements collection

This old Dr. Pepper sign can be seen on N.C. Hwy 52 between Fancy Gap and Hillsville, Va. If you are a collector you probably, at one time or another, have passed by this sign on the way to the labor day weekend antique market in Hillsville.

This photo is from Marshall Clements collection of roadside signs.

**RALEIGH BOTTLE CLUB
MEMBER FOHBC**



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



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

SODA BOTTLE COLLECTORS

If you are a collector of painted label soda bottles you need to be a member of Painted Soda Bottles Collectors Association. A one year membership includes bi-monthly issues of Soda Fizz magazine. This magazine is a must for the soda bottle collector. Soda Fizz is the premier magazine for the collector of painted label soda bottles. For additional information contact:

psbca@thesodafizz.com

THE BOTTLE WORLDS PREMIER WEB SITE

www.raleighbottleclub.org

If you have constructive ideas or suggestions please contact Robert Creech at:
raleighbottleclub@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

JULY 31, AUGUST 1 AND 2 - POMONA, CALIFORNIA NEW

FOHBC is hosting The Annual National Show, Pomona Fairplex, 1104 W. McKinley Ave., Pomona, CA 91768, Banquet – July 31 (6pm), Dealer unloading – August 1 (8am – 12 noon), Setup and early admission – August 1 (1pm – 5pm), General admission (\$5) – August 2 (9am – 3pm). Info: Pam Selenak, 156 S Pepper St, Orange, CA 92868, ph: 714) 633-5775, email: pselenak@yahoo.com or R Wayne Lowry, 401 Johnston Ct, Raymore, MO 64083, ph: (816) 318-0161, email: JarDoctor@aol.com

SEPTEMBER 18-19 - JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

The Antique Bottle Collectors of North Florida's 42nd Annual Show & Sale (Sat. 8 AM - 3 PM; Early Buyers Fri. 5 PM to 8 PM) at the Fraternal Order of Police Bldg., 5530 Beach Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida. INFO: **MIKE SKIE**, 3047 Julington Creek Road, Jacksonville, FL 32223, PH:: (904) 710-0422 or **JACKIE McRAE**, PH: (904) 879-3696.

SEPTEMBER 20 - WINCHESTER, VIRGINIA

The Apple Valley Bottle Collectors Club's 35th Annual Show & Sale, (9am - 3pm, early buyers 7:30am), at the Mount Carmel Baptist Church, Family Life Center, 1309 Opequon Ave, Winchester, VA. Info: **Richard Venskoste**, 2038 Chestnut Grove Rd, Winchester, VA 22630, ph: (540) 247-4429

SEPTEMBER 26.... RALEIGH, N.C. ...SEE INFORMATION on Page 14.

OCTOBER 3 - CHESTERFIELD, VIRGINIA

Richmond Virginia Antique Bottle Show & Sale (Sat. 9 AM - 3 PM, \$3, Early Adm. 7:30 AM \$10) **NEW LOCATION** -at the Chesterfield County Fairgrounds, 10300 Courthouse Rd., Chesterfield, VA 23832, INFO: **MARVIN CROKER**, PH: (804) 275-1101, E-mail: RichBottleClub@comcast.net or **ED FAULKNER**, PH: (804) 739-2951

OCTOBER 3 - POINT PLEASANT, WEST VIRGINIA

The West Virginia State Farm Museum Bottle Show (9am to 3pm) West Virginia State Farm Museum (located 4 miles north of Point Pleasant on Fairgrounds road - take State Route 62 North, 4 miles then turn right on Fairgrounds Road), Point Pleasant, West Virginia. INFO: **CHARLIE PERRY**, 39304 Bradbury Rd, Middleport, OH 45760, PH: **(740) 992-5088**, E-mail: perrycola@suddenlink.net.

NOVEMBER 22 - GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

The Southeast Bottle Club's Greensboro Antique Bottle, Pottery & Collectibles Show & Sale (Sun. 9 AM - 3 PM, Adm. \$1, Set-up 7 - 9 AM; No Early Adm.) at the Farmer's Curb Market, 501 Yanceyville St., Greensboro, North Carolina. Free appraisals, free bottles for kids, food available, 160 tables. INFO: **REGGIE LYNCH**, 4734 Pimlico Lane, Waxhaw, NC 28173, PH: (704) 221-6489, E-mail: lynch@antiquebottles.com. Website: www.antiquebottles.com/greensboro.



ANTIQU BOTTLE AND COLLECTIBLES SHOW

Sponsored by the ***RALEIGH BOTTLE CLUB***

Saturday, September 26, 2009

Early Buyers: 6:00-8:30 am \$10.00

General Admission: 8:30 am-2:30 pm \$3.00

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"I FINALLY GOT IT".

**Dealer setup on Friday evening 5-9:00 PM or Saturday morning 6:00 AM
Early buyers Saturday morning 6:00 AM.**