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#### PREFACE

There is no general history of North Carolina based on the sources covering all phases of the State's development. Hence in the courses on North Carolina history at Trinity and the University of North Carolina extensive use is made of monographs, special works, magazine articles, and to a lesser degree of the sources. This Syllabus is based on the lectures and required readings in North Carolina history at the two institutions. The authors hope that it may prove of value outside of college classes. For all who use it the following suggestions are offered:

While the bibliography is not exhaustive, many items cited are out of print. Many of these may be found in old libraries, especially those of lawyers and public men who were active in the affairs of the past. The collection of such material forms a most interesting and instructive pursuit. A set of the *Colonial and State Records* may be found in every County Court House and in most of the public libraries.

The authors have purposely made little use of studies in biography. They believe that a knowledge of institutional and social development is a prerequisite for the intelligent understanding of the services of public men. Most of the biographical material available is lacking in this very element. However, exercises in biography may supplement the outlines here published.

The study of state history should include the study of local county history. For such a purpose an outline (No. XCIV) is reprinted from *North Carolina Day Program* with the consent of Mr. R. D. W. Connor.

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    - 3. Compromise of 1738 disallowed by Crown (C. R. IV, 415-416: 425-432: 434-435).
    - 4. Settlement of 1748; disallowed (C. R. V, 93-97).
    - 5. Law of 1755 (C. R. V, 447-461).
    - 6. Triumph of the Crown: Regulations through instructions after 1755.
  - b. Lord Granville's Share.
    - 1. Origin of his claim.
    - 2. Survey of 1743 and deeds of 1744 (C. R. IV, 655-663).

3. Resulting problems (C. R. IV, Introduction).

c. The McCulloch Grants (C. R. vol. IV, Introduction, 253-254: V, 770-782: VI, 773-774: 996-998).

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# XX. POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL CONTROVERSIES, 1729-1765, II

#### THE CURRENCY PROBLEM

- 1. Condition prior to Johnston's administration.
  - a. Proprietary issues; Depreciation.
  - b. Failure of Redemption Tax of 1729 (C. R. IV 179).
  - c. Instructions of the Crown (C. R. III, 95, 498).
- 2. The Issue of 1735.
  - a. £40,000 to retire issue of 1729 to be redeemed in 1745; £12,500 for expenses with redemption tax.
  - b. Depreciation: 700 paper equal 100 sterling (C. R. IV, 225); 1000 to 100 (C. R. IV, 416).
  - c. The misappropriation.
- 3. The intercolonial war and the issue of 1748.
- 4. Taxation: Administration of the Revenue.

REFERENCES: Bullock, Essays in the Monetary History of the United States, pp. 125-155; Raper, North Carolina, a Study in English Colonial Government, pp. 125-139; The Finances of the North Carolina Colonists (Booklet VII, No. 2.)

# XXI. POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL CONTROVERSIES, 1729-1765, III

### THE UNARMED REBELLION OF 1746 AND THE SPANISH WAR OF 1748

- Sectionalism.
  - a. Divergences of Albemarle and Bath.
  - b. Burrington and Johnston favor Bath; Reasons.
    - 1. No tradition of opposition to the government.
    - 2. Desire to build up a governor's party.
  - c. The program of Johnston.
    - 1. The Assembly at Newbern (1746) and the Bill for a Capitol.

- The prorogation: the session at Wilmington; the Quorum; Newbern the Capitol; representation equalized.
- d. Results; the Albemarle members refuse to participate in the Government; consequent weakness in revenue and court system.
- The Spanish Invasion.

References: Ashe, History of North Carolina, pp. 268-271; Colonial Records, Vol. IV, Preface, pp. XVIII-XX; Raper, North Carolina, A Study in English Colonial Government, passim.

### XXII. POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL CONTROVERSIES, 1729-1765, IV

#### THE CONSTITUTIONAL REVISIONS OF 1754-1759

- 1. Adjustment of Representation and the Capital.
- 2. Organization of counties and towns.
- The Ouorum. 3.
- The Judiciary. 4.
  - a. The Source of Justice; the Assembly and the Crown.b. The Law of 1746 set aside.

  - c. The deadlock of 1759-60; Short term Court Laws.

REFERENCES: Raper, North Carolina, a Study in Royal Government, passim; Ashe, History of North Carolina, I, 284-5: 296-7; Preface to Colonial Records, Vol. V.

Sources: Colonial Records, V, 81-93: 115-117, passim.

### XXIII. POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL CONTROVERSIES, 1729-1765, V

#### THE FRENCH AND THE INDIAN WAR

- 1. Causes of the War.
- 2. The Crisis of 1754.
  - The appeal of Governor Dinwiddie.
  - b. Regiment and £40,000 voted.
  - c. First contribution of a colony to the interest of all colonies.
- 3. Colonel James Innes and the Expedition of 1754-5.
- 4. Governor Dobbs and the West.
- 5. The Indian Rising of 1759.

- 6. Other Contributions of North Carolina in the War.
- 7. New issues of Paper Money.
  - a. Bills of 1754 and 1760-61.
  - b. Treasury notes (1756, 1757, 1758-59, 1768).
- 8. Constitutional Issues resulting from the war.
  - a. Right of the Lower House to control and direct expenses.
    - 1. 1754 (C. R. V, 287).
    - 2. The British Indemnity Fund.
    - 4. The Appointment of the Treasurer.
  - b. Significance of the constitutional controversy during the War; sense of colonial rights intensified.

REFERENCES: Ashe, History of North Carolina, I, 282-284: 289-292; Waddell, A Colonial Officer, chs. I, II; Raper, North Carolina, A Study in English Colonial Government, passim; Introduction to Colonial Records, Vol. V.

Sources: Colonial Records, Vol. V, passim.

# XXIV. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 1729-1775, I

#### DEVELOPMENT OF THE LOWER CAPE FEAR

- 1. Geographical and strategic importance of the Cape Fear River.
- 2. Causes which checked early development.
  - a. Failure of the County of Clarendon.
  - b. "The Cape of Fear."
  - c. The Pirates.
  - d. Indians.
  - e. Closing the land office.
- 3. Influences leading to permanent settlement.
  - a. Governor Burrington and the Moores.
- 4. Brunswick (1725).
- 5. Newtowne.
  - a. The Governor's dislike of Brunswick.
  - b. Harbor.
  - c. Incorporation as Wilmington (1740); the vote and the charter.
- 6. Life on the Lower Cape Fear.
  - a. Leading families.

- b. Trade.
- c. Plantations.
- 7. Fort Johnston.

REFERENCES: Connor, Cornelius Harnett and the Settlement of the Cape Fear (South Atlantic Quarterly, July, 1907); McKoy, Incidents of the Early and Permanent Settlement of the Cape Fear (Booklet, January, 1908); Waddell, History of New Hanover County, passim; George Davis, Address on the Early Times and Men of the Cape Fear; Sprunt, Tales of the Lower Cape Fear; Hamilton, Fort Johnston (N. C. Reviews, June, 1911).

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# XXV. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 1729-1775, II

#### THE HIGHLAND SCOTCH AND THE UPPER CAPE FEAR

- 1. Causes of the Scotch Immigration.
  - a. Economic.
  - b. Political; the revolt of 1745; defeat at Culloden, terms after the battle.
  - c. Influence of Governor Johnston.
  - d. Privileges of 1740 (C.R. IV, 489-490: 532-533).
- 2. Method of Immigration: Groups and clans.
  - a. Earliest settlement (1729).
  - b. Dugald McNeal and the immigration of 1739.
  - c. The battle of Culloden; increase of immigration.
- 3. Places of Settlement: Cross Creek, Campbellton.
- 4. Social Characteristics.
  - a. Dress.
  - b. Language.
  - c. Occupation.
- 5. Flora McDonald.

REFERENCES: Foote, Sketches of North Carolina, chs. X, XII; McRae, The Highland-Scotch Settlement in North Carolina, (Booklet, February, 1901); North Carolina Day Programme 1905; McLean, Flora MacDonald in America; Ashe, History of North Carolina, 265-266.

# XXVI. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 1729-1775, III

#### THE SCOTCH IRISH

- 1. Origin of the Scotch Irish.
  - a. Strathclyde.
  - b. Migration to Ireland.
- 2. Causes of Migration to North Carolina.
  - a. Religious.
  - b. Economic.
- 3. How they reached North Carolina.
  - a. Philadelphia and Charleston.
  - b. Search for new lands.
  - c. Zone of settlements.
- 4. Economic and Social Characteristics.
  - a. System of labor.
  - b. Professions.
  - c. Religion.

REFERENCES: Foote, Sketches of North Carolina, chs, IV, VII, IX; McKelway, The Scotch Irish Settlement, (Booklet, March, 1905); North Carolina Day Programme, 1907; Hanna, Scotch Irish in America: Roosevelt, Winning of the West, Vol. I, ch. 5; Lecky, Ireland in the Eighteenth Century, I, 171-240; 422-465.

# XXVII. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 1729-1775, IV

### THE QUAKERS

- 1. Quaker Immigration to the East.
- 2. The Quaker Immigration to the West.
  - a. Source and causes.
- 3. Quaker Settlements.
- 4. Social and Political Characteristics.

REFERENCES: Weeks, Southern Quakers and Slavery, passim; Peele, Rich Square Meeting, (Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, Series, VI); Bryan, Social Traits of the Quakers of Rich Square, (Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, Series, VII, VIII); White, The Quakers of Perquimans, (Booklet, April, 1908).

# XXVIII. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 1729-1775, V

#### THE GERMANS

- 1. Conditions on the Rhine and in southwest Germany leading to immigration.
  - a. The wars.
  - b. Religious conditions.
  - c. Economic conditions.
- 2. How the Germans reached North Carolina.
  - a. Redemptioners: Philadelphia and Charleston.
  - b. The intercolonial migration.
  - c. The zone of settlement.
- 3. Characteristics of the Germans.
  - a. Labor.
  - b. Contribution to agriculture and industries.
  - c. Language.
  - d. Attitude toward politics.
  - e. Religion.

REFERENCES: Faust, The German Element in the United States, I, ch. III, pp. 228-231, vol. IV, ch. II; Bernheim, The German Element and the Lutheran Church in the Carolinas, chs. I, II; German Palatines (North Carolina Booklet, April, 1905); North Carolina Day Programme, 1908; Nixon, The German Settlers of Lincoln and Catawba Counties (James Sprunt Historical Publications, Vol. XI, No. 2.)

# XXIX. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 1729-1775, VI

### THE MORAVIAN BRETHREN

- 1. Origin and history of the Moravians.
  - a. The Unitas Fratrum (1457).
  - b. Separation from Catholicism (1467).
  - c. Persecution and activities (to 1725).
    - 1. Literary works.
    - 2. Poland: Prussia.
    - 3. "The Hidden Seed" in Moravia.
  - d. Re-establishment of the Unitas Fratrum.
    - 1. Count Zinzendorf of Saxony.
    - 2. England.
    - 3. Pennsylvania and Georgia.

- 2. Religious Ideals and Methods.
  - a. Evangelical.
  - b. Missions.
  - c. Work within established church (Diaspora).
  - d. Members.
- 3. Causes of the Migration to North Carolina.
  - a. Need of larger resources.
  - b. Religious persecution in Europe.
- 4. The Contract with Lord Granville (1751).
  - a. The Journey of Bishop Spangenburg.
  - b. Location of Wachovia.
- 5. The Coming of Colonists (1753).
  - a. Route.
  - b. Early activities.
  - c. Towns; Bethabara, Bethania, Salem.

REFERENCES: Clewell, History of Wachevia, chs. I-VIII; North Carolina Review, November, 1911; Reichel, The Moravians of North Carolina; Fries, Forsythe County; idem, Der North Carolina Land und Colonie Etablishment (Booklet, April, 1910) Encyclopedias under Moravians.

Sources: Diary of Bishop Spangenburg (Colonial Records, V. 1-14; Reichel (?), Appendix, 1144-1163.)

### XXX. RELIGIOUS DEVELOPMENT, 1729-1775, I

### RISE OF PRESBYTERIANS

- 1. Early Presbyterians of the Albemarle section.
- 2. North Carolina a Mission Field.
  - a. Highland Scotch and Scotch Irish without pastors.
  - b. The Presbyteries of New Castle and New Hanover.
  - c. Nassau Hall (Princeton) and its influence.
  - d. Educational activities.
- 3. Early Ministers and Churches of the Highland Scotch.
  - a. James Campbell.
- 4. Pastors and Churches of the Scotch Irish.
  - a. Hugh McAden.
  - b. Alexander Craighead.
  - c. Henry Patillo.
  - d. David Caldwell.

REFERENCES: Foote, Sketches of North Carolina, ch. IV., pp. 131-135; chs. XIII, XIV, XV, XVI, XVII; Vann, History of the Presbyterian

church at New Bern; Caruther's Life of Caldwell; Historic Centre church, (Charlotte Observer, November 13, 1911); Douglas, History of Steele Creak church, Mecklenburg County; McKay, Centenary Sermon delivered before the Presbytery of Fayetteville (1858); Banks, Centenial Historical Address delivered before the Presbytery of Fayetteville (1858); Phillips, Historical Sketch of the Presbyterian church of Fayetteville, (1889); Colonial Records, Vol. V. Appendix, pp. 1193-1228.

### XXXI. RELIGIOUS DEVELOPMENT, 1729-1775, II

#### COMING OF THE BAPTISTS

- 1. Early Baptists of the Albemarle section.
  - a. First Notice (1695).
  - b. Perquinimans Church on Chowan River (1727);
     (The Earliest Baptist congregation organized in North Carolina in N. C. Hist. and Geneological Register, April, 1900). Paul Palmer.
  - c. Kehukee Church (1742).
  - d. Irregularities of the Albemarle Baptists.
  - e. The Philadelphia Association and John Gano.
- 2. The Yadkin Baptists.
  - a. The "New Jersey Settlement."
  - b. Pennsylvania Immigrants.
- 3. The New Lights.
  - a. The New England Revival.
  - b. The Separatists and Regulars.
  - c. Mission of Rev. Shubal Stearns.
    - 1. Sandy Creek Church.
    - 2. Sandy Creek Association (1758).
- 4. The Kehukee Association (1765).
- 5. Characteristics of early Baptists in North Carolina.
  - a. New England element.
  - b. Migration by Congregations.
  - c. Religious views and customs.

REFERENCES: Purefoy's History of the Sandy Creek Association, chs. III, IV, VI; Biggs, History of the Kehukee Association, chs. I, II; Benedict, History of the Baptists; Morgan Edwards, History of the Baptists; Williams, History of the Baptists in North Carolina, chs. III-VI; The Baptists Historical Papers, Vol. I, Nos. 2, 3, 4; Vol, II, Nos. 1, 2.

### XXXII. RELIGIOUS DEVELOPMENT, 1729-1775, III

### THE LUTHERAN AND GERMAN REFORM CHURCHES

- 1. Early German Settlers without Pastors.
- 2. First Lutheran Congregations and Churches: St. Johns, Salisbury; Organ Church, Rowan County; St. Johns, Cabarrus County.
- 3. The first Lutheran pastors.
  - a. Application to Consistory of Hanover for pastors (1772).
  - b. Revs. Adolph Nussman and J. G. Arndt.
  - c. Effect of the Revolution; the University of Helm-stadt and the N. C. Lutherans.
  - d. The Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North Carolina (1803).
- 4. The German Reformed.

REFERENCES: Bernheim, German Settlements and the Lutheran church in the Carolinas, passim; History of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North Carolina (passim); Historical Sketch of the Reformed church in North Carolina.

### XXXIII. RELIGIOUS DEVELOPMENT, 1729-1775, IV

#### THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

- 1. The Vestry Laws of 1715 and 1741.
  - a. Parishes.
  - b. Vestries.
    - 1. Eccleasiastical duties.
    - 2. Civil functions.
  - c. Church taxes, general and local.
  - d. Later laws regarding the Church.
- 2. Slow Growth of the Church of England.
  - a. Lack of organization; the Society for the Propogation of the Gospel; the Bishop of London.
  - b. Character of the clergy.
  - c. Increase of Dissenters blocks the Vestry Law (C. R. vol. VI, 595; VII, 241).
  - d. Royal Prerogative vs. Colonial Rights.
    - 1. The colonial churchmen assert right of appointing the clergy and control of their churches vs. the Crown and the Bishop of

London; (C. R. VI, 10, 81, 223, VII, 103 Weeks, 32-36).

- 3. Discrimination against the Dissenters.
  - a. Principle of the Schism Act of 1714 embodied in the instructions to the Governors (Weeks, 23-25: 32:39-41).
  - b. Marriage (Weeks, 42-46).
  - c. Militia (Weeks, 46-47).

REFERENCES: Weeks, Church and State in North Carolina (Johns Hopkins Studies, series XI, No. 5); De Rossett, (Editor), Sketches of Church History in North Carolina, pp. 58-90; Haywood, Lives of the Bishops of North Carolina, ch. I; Oliver, The Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Colonial North Carolina, (Sprunt Historical Publication, Vol. IX, No. 1.)

### XXXIV. RELIGIOUS DEVELOPMENT, 1729-1775, V

#### PIONEERS OF METHODISM

- 1. Joseph Pilmoor.
- 2. The Revival of 1774 in Virginia extends to North Carolina.
  - a. Robert Williams and Thomas Rankin.
- 3. Carolina Circuit (1776) becomes Roanoke Circuit (1778); Tar River and New Hope (1779).
- 4. Methodism checked by the Revolution.
  - a. Wesley's Letters.
  - b. Many Methodist Pioneers Englishmen.
  - c. Experiences of Jesse Lee (Thrift, Memoirs of Jesse Lee, p. 29).
- 5. Some First Things in North Carolina Methodism (Grissom, Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, Series IX).

REFERENCES: Grissom, History of Methodism in North Carolina, chs. II, III, IV; Some First Things in North Carolina Methodism, (Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, Series IX); Lee, Short History of the Methodists in the United States of America, passim; Moore, Pioneers of Methodism in North Carolina and Virginia; Burkhead (Editor), Centennial of Methodism in North Carolina.

### XXXV. EDUCATION IN COLONIAL TIMES

- 1. Predominance of Religious Motives.
- 2. Schools of the Church of England.
  - a. Charles Griffin and Rev. James Adams.
  - b. The New Bern Academy (1764) and the Edenton Academy (1770).
- 3. The Presbyterian Schools.
  - a. Crowfield.
  - b. "Caldwell's Log College."
  - c. Queen's Museum.
- 4. The Methodist School on the Yadkin (Davie County).
- 5. The German Schoolmasters.
- 6. Public Education Foreshadowed.
  - a. The Innes and Winwright Wills.
  - b. Movement for Public Support of Schools (1749).

REFERENCES: Raper, Church and Private Schools in N. C., passim; Smith, History of Education in N. C., passim, and Schools in Colonial Times (N. C. Booklet, April 1909); Foote, Sketches of N. C. Ch. XXV. Sources: Coon, Documentary History of Public Education in N. C. Vol. I.

### XXXVI. LITERATURE IN COLONIAL DAYS

- 1. Printers and Printing Presses.
  - a. James Davis.
  - b. Andrew Steuart.
  - c. The office of public printer.
- 2. -The First Books.
  - a. "Swan's Revisal"; Hall's Collection of Many Christian Experiences (1753).
- 3. The Newspapers.
  - a. The North Carolina Gazette (1755).
  - b. The North Carolina Magazine or Universal Intelligencer (1764).
  - c. The North Carolina Gazette and Post Boy (1764).
  - d. The Cape Fear Mercury (1769).
- 4. Miscellaneous Books.

REFERENCES: Weeks, The Press of North Carolina in the Eighteenth Century; Libraries and Literature in North Carolina in the Eighteenth Century.

# XXXVII. TERRITORIAL EXPANSION AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- 1. The New Counties.
  - a. From 1729 to 1775.
- 2. County Government.
  - a. The appointment of officials.
  - b. The Courts.
  - c. Representation in the Assembly.
    - 1. Rivalry of old and new counties; the West.
- 3. The New Towns
  - a. Cross Creek becomes Campbellton: Fayetteville.
  - b. Corbinton; Childsburg; Hillsboro.
  - c. Salisbury Township (1733): Borough (1770).
  - d. Charlotte.
- 4. Town Government.
  - a. The Borough Charters.
  - b. Officers.
  - c. Citizenship.
  - d. Representation.

REFERENCES: Wheeler, History of North Carolina, p. 138 or N. C. Day Program, 1911 (for new counties); Nash, Borough Towns of North Carolina (Booklet, October, 1906); Rumple, History of Rowan County; Nash, Hillsboro Colonial and Revolutionary, and History of Orange County (Booklet October, 1910); Tompkins, History of Mecklenburg County; Alexander, History of Mecklenburg County; Fries, History of Forsythe County; Guess, County Government in Colonial Nor h Carolina (Sprunt H. torical Publication, Vol. XI, No. I.)

### Sources: Laws of North Carolina, passim.

# XXXVIII. THE NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN BOUNDARIES

- 1. The Controversy Concerning the Virginia Line.
  - a. Boundary provisions of the Charters.
  - b. Conflicting claims: attitude of Virginia.
  - e. The Boundary Commission of 1728.
- 2. The South Carolina Boundary.
  - a. The Line of 1736 (S. R. XI, 149).
  - b. The Line of 1763.
  - c. The Instructions of 1771: The Line of 1772.

Sources: Colonial Records, II, pp. 733-757: 776-815; Byrd's History of the Dividing Line in Bassett, Writings of William Byrd.

REFERENCES: Ashe, History of North Carolina, I, 216; McCrady, South Carolina under Royal Government, 110-113; Prefaces to Colonial Records, Vols. II, VII, IX.

### XXXIX. ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

- 1. Growth of Population, 1729-1775; 36000 (1730); 1752; 75,000.
- 2. Development of Commerce.
  - a. Direct Trade with England.
  - b. Commercial relations with Virginia and New England.
  - c. Trade of the interior: Charleston, Philadelphia, Campbellton.
- 3. Typical Industries.
  - a. Tobacco.
  - b. Naval stores.
- 5. Slavery.
  - a. Source.
  - b. Numbers, distribution.
  - c. The Law of slavery.
    - 1. Code of 1741.
    - 2. Other laws.
- 5. The Indented Servants; Laws of 1715 and 1741.

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# XL. POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES 1765-1771, I

#### ADMINISTRATION OF TRYON—THE STAMP ACT

- 1. Character and experience.
  - a. Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina, 1764; Governor, 1765.
- 2. Plans for Improvement of the Province.
  - a. Post roads (C. R. VI, 1057-60; 1299-1300).

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- b. The capital and "Tryon's Palace."
- c. Interest in education and religion (C. R. VII, 103-104).
- 3. The Stamp Act on the Cape Fear.
  - a. First demonstrations against the Stamp Act (October 19 and November 16, 1765).
  - b. The November Conference (November 18th).
    - 1. Conciliatory proposals of Tryon.
    - 2. Reply.
  - c. The "Diligence" unable to land the stamps (November, 28, 1765).
  - d. Resistance to the enforcement of the Stamp Act (February, 1766).
    - 1. The Stamp Act Association (C. R. VII, 168).
    - 2. Release of merchant vessels obtained.
    - 3. Certain officials intimidated.
  - e. Tryon's policy; no meeting of the Assembly; writes for assistance.
  - f. Repeal of the Stamp Act.
  - g. Leaders of the opposition to the Stamp Act.

REFERENCES: Haywood, Governor William Tryon, chs. I, II, III; Waddell, A Colonial Officer, ch. 3; Ashe, History of North Carolina, Vol. I, 312-325; Connor, Life of Cornelius Harnett, ch. III; Makers of North Carolina History, ch. VII; Waddell, Stamp Act on the Cape Fear, (N. C. Booklet, Vol. I, No. 3); Davis, Stamp Act on the Cape Fear, (N. C. Day Prog. 1908.)

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# XLI. POLITICAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES 1765-1771, II

### ADMINISTRATION OF TRYON (CONTINUED) WAR OF THE REGULATORS

- 1. Conflicting views of the nature of the War of the Regulation.
- 2. Causes of the Regulation Movement.
  - a. Racial and economic divergences between the West and the East.
  - b. The system of local government.
  - c. Scarcity of money.
  - d. The fees and their collection.

- e. Taxation.
- f. Congestion of court dockets.
- 3. Agitators and Popular Leaders.
  - a. Herman Husbands.
  - b. James Hunter.
  - c. Rednap Howell.
  - d. Thomas Person.
- 4. Unpopular Officials.
  - a. Edmund Fanning.
  - b. John, William, and Thomas Frohock.
- 5. The Sandy Creek Organization (1766); (C. R. VII, 249, 251, 252).
- 6. The Regulation (1768).
  - a. Origin of name.
  - b. Immediate cause of organization.
  - c. Early acts of violence.
  - d. Policy of Tryon.
    - 1. Petition of Regulators (C. R. VII, 806-809).
    - 2. Visit to Hillsboro.
    - 3. The militia and trials (1769).
- 7. Discontent in other parts of the Province.
  - a. New members in Assembly of 1769 and reform spirit.
- 8. Rising of the Regulators, 1770.
  - a. Scenes at Hillsboro Court (September 22).
  - b. The Riot Bill.
  - c. Tryon's campaign; battle of Alamance; fate of the leading Regulators.
- 9. Significance of the Regulator Movement.
  - a. A Protest against local laws.
  - b. Relation to parties in the Revolution.

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200-203, II, 204; Husbands, "Impartial Relation" (Wheeler's History, pp. 301-331); Fan for Fanning and a Touchstone for Tryon, (N. C. University Magazine, Vol. VIII); Sermon Rev. Micklejohn, (Booklet, Vol. VIII, No. 1).

# XLII. BEGINNING OF THE WESTWARD MIGRATION

- 1. Causes.
  - a. Adventure.
  - b. Desire for New Lands.
  - c. General Political and Economic conditions.
- 2. Daniel Boone.
- 3. The Watauga Settlement.
  - a. James Robertson.
  - b. The Watauga Association.
  - c. Relation with the Indians.
  - d. The Revolution and the formal union with North Carolina.
- 4. Richard Henderson and the Transylvania Company (1774).
  - a. Treaty of Sycamore Shoals (1775).
  - b. James Robertson and John Donalson found Nashborough (1780); Nashville (1784).
  - c. The Cumberland Association; Davidson County (1783).
  - d. The Davidson Academy (1785).

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- 2. Collapse of the Courts at the Opening of the Revolution.
- 3. The Court Laws of 1776-77.
  - a. The Superior Courts; County Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions; the Attorney General; the Solicitor General.
  - b. Unpopularity of the Courts.
  - c. Revisions in the Court Laws. Ridings (1790); Additional Judges (1790-1806).
- 4. Genesis of the Supreme Court.
  - a. Accumulation of Equity Cases.
  - b. James Glasgow and the Land Frauds.
  - c. The Extraordinary Court (1799); Conviction of Glasgow.
  - d. The Court of Conference, (1801); The Supreme Court (1805); Written Decisions Compulsory; The Chief Justice and Appellate Jurisdiction (1810).
  - e. The Reorganization of 1818.
  - 5. Opposition to the Supreme Court.
  - 6. Movement to Reform Penal Laws; Imprisonment for Debt; the Penitentiary Idea.
  - 7. Leadership of North Carolina Judges in American Jurisprudence.

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Sources: Laws of North Carolina, (sessional); Revised Statutes of

1836.

### LXII. STATE PROBLEMS, 1790-1836, II

#### BOUNDARIES AND TERRITORIAL PROBLEMS

- 1. The Tennessee Land Warrants.
  - a. The Military Reservation.
    - 1. Boundaries; military grants; paper money.
    - 2. The Act of Cession (1789); North Carolina policy to 1824; land office frauds.
    - 3. The attitude of Tennessee.
    - 4. The Congressional Reservation Line.
    - 5. The University and the land warrants.
- 2. The Georgia Boundary Controversy.
  - a. The South Carolina cession of 1787; the federal cession of 1802.
  - b. The County of Walton and its northern boundary.
  - c. The Joint Commission of 1787; the protest of Georgia; the Congressional Investigation.
- 3. The South Carolina Boundary Completed.
  - a. The colonial surveys.
  - b. The line of 1803.
- 4. Opening of the Cherokee Lands.
  - a. The Indian treaties 1777, 1785, 1791, 1798, 1819, 1836.
  - b. Method of settlement; use of the Cherokee Land Fund.
  - c. Removal of the Cherokees.
  - d. "The Eastern Band of Cherokees."
- 5. The Tennessee Boundary Dispute.
  - a. The cession of 1789.
  - b. The boundary Commission of 1821; uncertain line; Hangover Ridge and Fodder Stack; State Ridge and Main Ridge.

REFERENCES: Battle, History of the University Vol. I, pp. 378-379; Goodloe, North Carolina and Georgia Boundary, (Booklet, April, 1904) Royce, the Cherokee Nation of Indians (Annual Report, American Bureau of Ethnology, 1883); Moon, Legends of the Cherokees (Annual Report, American Bureau of Ethnology, 1900); Marr, Old Charley, or The Removal of the Cherokee Indians from Western North Carolina (North Carolina Education, January, 1912).

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Fain (116 Federal Reporter 147) Annals of Congress, (Ninth Congress 2nd session, Appendix, pp. 967-991.)

### LXIII. STATE PROBLEMS, 1790-1836, III

#### GENERAL ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN NORTH CAROLINA

- 1. Population.
  - a. Decline in relative rank.
  - b. Relative increase of whites and negroes.
  - c. The migration to the West and the Southwest.
  - d. Small increase in population 1830-1840.
- 2. Decline in Land Values, 1815-1830.
- 3. Trade and Commerce.
- 4. The Currency.
- 5. Taxation.
- 6. Education.

Sources: The Census of the United States; Reports of the Treasurer 1790-1836; Legislative Reports on Internal Improvements and Education; Proceedings of Railway and Constitutional Reform Conventions.

## LXIV. STATE PROBLEMS, 1790-1836, IV

#### INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS

- 1. The relation of the Geography of North Carolina to Commerce.
  - a. The Coast; lack of harbors.
  - b. The river system inadequate.
  - c. The three zones.
  - d. Results; Small maritime commerce; Little communication between the sections; Trade diverted to other States.
- 2. The Early Demands for Internal Improvement.
  - a. Governor Martin (1783); (S. R. XIX, p. 498).
  - b. Governor Williams (1802) and other Governors.
- 3. Local Efforts at Internal Improvements.
- 4. The Genesis of State aid in 1815.
  - a. Causes.
    - 1. A new sense of public spirit follows the War with England.
    - 2. Increase of taxation and inflation of the currency.

- 3. Failure of private enterprises.
- 4. Example of other States.
- 5. Emigration.
- b. Archibald D. Murphy; Report on Internal Improvements (1815).
- c. Surveys authorized.
- d. State subscriptions to the Roanoke and the Cape Fear Navigation Companies (1815).
- 5. The Internal Improvement Fund and the Board of Internal Improvements (1819).
  - a. Murphy's Memorial of 1819.
  - b. Sources of the Fund.
    - 1. Cherokee Lands (1819).
    - 2. Dividends from Bank Stock (1821).
  - c. The Board and its Powers.

REFERENCES: Morgan, State Aid to Transportation in North Carolina, (North Carolina Booklet, January, 1911); Weaver, Internal Improvements in North Carolina (Johns Hopkins Studies, Series XXI, Nos. 3, 4.)

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## LXV. STATE PROBLEMS, 1790-1836, V

## INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS (2)

- 1. State Aid (1815-1836).
  - a. The Surveys (Expenditure).
  - b. Direct appropriation to Navigation Companies and Roads (Total Amount).
  - c. Subscription to Stocks (Total Amount).
- 2. History of the State-Aided Corporations.
  - a. Navigation Companies.
    - 1. The Cape Fear Navigation Company (Successful).
    - 2. The Roanoke Navigation Company (Not Prosperous).
    - 3. The Tar River Company (Failure).
    - 4. The Neuse River Navigation Company (Failure).

- 5. North Carolina Catawba Company (Charter Forfeited).
- 6. Yadkin Navigation Company.
- b. The Canals.
  - 1. The Club Foot and Harlowe's Creek Canal (Failure).
- c. Roads.
  - 1. Buncombe Turnpike.
  - 2. Plymouth Turnpike.
  - 3. Other Roads, chiefly in the mountain region.
- 3. Failure of Early Internal Improvement Policy.
  - a. Lack of experience.
  - b. Lack of concentration due to sectional spirit.
  - c. Appropriations insufficient.
  - d. Railway agitation.
- 4. The Movement for Railroads.
  - a. The Numbers of Carleton.
  - b. Railway Conventions.
- 5. The Crisis in Internal Improvement.
  - a. Demand for aid to Railways.
  - b. The growth of the West.
  - c. Financial problems (1825-1835).
  - d. Sectionalism.

REFERENCES: Morgan, State Aid to Internal Improvements (Booklet January, 1911); Weaver, Internal Improvements in North Carolina (Johns Hopkins Studies, Series, XXI, Nos. III, IV.)

Sources: Caldwell, The Numbers of Carleton; Reports of the Boards of Internal Improvements and of Railway Conventions; Laws, (sessional).

## LXVI. STATE PROBLEMS, 1790-1836, VI

#### THE MOVEMENT FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION

- 1. Prevalence of Illiteracy (Coon, Documentary History of Public Education in N. C., vol. 1, pp. XI-XV).
- 2. Influences which Retarded Schools.
  - a. Individualism and the aristocratic ideal.
  - b. Lack of public spirit.
  - c. Finance.
  - d. Sectionalism.

- 3. Dawn of the Public School Idea.
  - a. The colonial precedents.
  - b. The Constitution of 1776, section 41.
    - 1. Early interpretations; State aid to Academies; Tuition for the Poor (Coon, Vol. I, XXII-XXV).
  - c. Views of early Governors.
- 4. Reports of Archibald D. Murphy and John M. Walker, 1816 and 1817 (Coon, I, 105-111; 123-164).
  - a. The theory of popular education.
  - b. A system outlined.
  - c. The Poor vs. the Well-to-do.
  - d. Method of support.
- 5. Literary Fund Established (1825).
  - a. Sources of the Fund.
  - b. The Literary Board.
- 6. Early Ideals and Plans of Public Education.
- 7. The State University.
  - a. Charter and organization.
  - b. Curriculum.
  - c. Discipline.

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Sources: Coon, Laws of 1825, ch. I; Hoyt, Murphey Papers, I, 91-92, 101-102, II,48-56, 63-83.

## LXVII. STATE PROBLEMS 1790-1836, VII

#### FINANCIAL CONDITIONS (1). THE CURRENCY

- 1. Forms of State Money.
  - a. The State Currency of 1783-85.
  - b. The Certificates.
  - c. Depreciation.
- 2. Process of Redemption.
  - a. The Certificates.
    - 1. The Sinking Tax of 1788 (Laws 1788 ch. 1).
    - The Reissues of 1792, 1794, 1799 and 1802 (Laws 1789, ch. V; 1794, ch. XVI; 1799, ch. III; 1802, ch. VII).

- 3. Land Grants (Laws 1794, ch. XVI), the permanent method of redemption; completed by 1822.
- b. The State Currency.
  - 1. The Sinking Tax of 1783 (suspended 1789).
  - 2. Co-operation of the Banks.
- 3. The Banks of New Bern and Cape Fear Chartered, 1804.
  - a. Charters.
    - 1. Authorized Capital.
    - 2. Debts and Note Issue.
  - 3. The State Subscription of Stock (1807).
  - b. Effects on the Currency.
    - 1. Excess of Bank Notes and the State Currency over Specie.
    - 2. Depreciation of the State Currency.
    - 3. Remedy; the tax on bank stock (1809); A State Bank.
- 4. The State Bank of North Carolina (1810).
  - a. Terms of the Charter.
    - 1. Capital.
    - 2. Debt and Note Issue.
    - 3. The State Subscription.
    - 4. State Dividends and the State Currency.
  - b. The Amended Charter of 1811.
- 5. Final Retirement of the State Currency.
  - a. The Federal standard of currency recognized (1809).
  - b. The Federal standard the official standard in State affairs (1816).

REFERENCES: Bullock, Essays in the Monetary History of the United States, pp. 199-203; Blair, Historical Sketch of Banking in North Carolina, (in Knox, A History of Banking in the United States); Sumner, History of Banking in the United States, passim, (History of Banking in All Nations, Vol. I.)

Sources: Laws of North Carolina (Sessional); Haywood's Manual of the Laws of North Carolina (1814); Potter, Taylor and Yancey Laws of North Carolina (2 Vols.) (1821); Debate on a Bill Directing a Prosecution against the several Banks of the State (Raleigh, 1829.)

## LXVIII. STATE PROBLEMS 1790-1836, VIII

#### FINANCIAL CONDITIONS (2). THE BANKS

- 1. Inflation of Bank Notes.
  - a. Increase in Banking Capital 1804-1811.
  - b. The Note Issues.
  - c. Suspension of specie during War of 1812; resumption 1817; high standing of N. C. Bank Notes.
- 2. Speculation.
  - a. Recharter of the Banks of Newbern and Cape Fear (1814).
    - 1. The enlarged capital.
    - 2. The State's subscription.
    - 3. The Treasury Notes.
    - 4. Increase of Bank Notes.
- 3. The Crisis of 1819.
  - a. Return of Bank Notes for redemption.
  - b. Suspension of specie payments; Litigation.
  - c. Methods of the Banks to secure specie.
  - d. The State lends help.
    - 1. Purchase of additional Bank Stock (1820).
    - 2. Treasury Notes.
    - 3. Subscription to stock by the Literary Fund.
  - e. The Second Bank of the United States enforces specie payments; The Banks call in loans; Dissolution of the Banks impending.
- 4. The Legislative Investigation of 1828.
  - a. The minority recommend dissolution of the Banks and confiscation of property; Reasons.
  - b. The course of Swain and Gaston.
  - c. The vote of Thomas Settle, Speaker of the House.
- 5. Solution of the Banking Problem.
  - a. Subsequent conflicts between the Radicals and the Conservatives.
  - b. Extension of the Charters of the Banks to 1838.
  - c. The Bank of the State of North Carolina (1834).
  - d. The dissolution of the State Bank and the Bank of Newbern; recharter of the Bank of the Cape Fear.
  - e. Benefits of the early Banks.
    - 1. Retirement of the State Currency.

- 2. Profits of the State's investment.
- f. Comparison of past and present standards of banking.
- 6. Significance of the Bank issue in politics; Radicalism and Conservatism; Andrew Jackson.

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Sources: The Laws of North Carolina (sessional) or the Revised Statutes of North Carolina (1836); Reports of the Treasurer of North Carolina; Reports and Minutes of the Proceedings of the Joint Select Committee relating to the Banks (Raleigh, 1828); Debate on the Bill directing a Prosecution of the Several Banks of the State (Raleigh, 1829.)

#### LXIX. STATE PROBLEMS 1790-1836, IX

## FINANCIAL CONDITIONS (3). THE REVENUE SYSTEM

- 1. Classification of the Revenue.
  - a. The unappropriated (for general expenses).
  - b. The appropriated (Internal Improvement and Literary Funds).
- 2. The Unappropriated Revenue; Average Amount.
  - a. Poll Tax; rates; steady; constant; failure of many polls to list.
  - b. Land Tax; rates; instability; decline after 1820; increase of land entered.
  - c. Licenses; peddlers, negro traders, stores, etc.; discrimination in store tax.
  - d. Impost.
  - e. Carriage wheels.
  - f. Cotton gin tax.
  - g. Bank tax and dividends.
- 3. Expenditures from the Unappropriated Revenue.
- 4. Revenue Crisis 1830-1836.
  - a. Expenditures greater than income.
  - b. Revisal of revenue laws.
  - c. The surplus revenue from the Federal Government.
- 5. The Administration of the Revenue.
  - a. Methods of assessment and collection.
  - b. The Treasurer and the Comptroller.
  - c. Defalcation of Treasurer Haywood.
  - d. The revised administrative system (1828).

REFERENCES: Pittman, A Decade of Our History (N. C. Review, April, May, 1910).

Sources: Laws of North Carolina, (sessional); Revised Statutes of 1836; Reports of the Treasurer.

### LXX. STATE PROBLEMS, 1790-1836, X

#### THE MOVEMENT FOR CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM

- 1. General Deficiencies in the Constitution of 1776.
  - a. The Executive.
    - 1. Subordinated to the legislature; the Council of State.
    - 2. Annual election.
    - 3. Lack of initiative.
  - b. The Judiciary.
  - c. The Legislature.
    - 1. The system of representation; counties and boroughs.
    - 2. Qualification for membership.
    - 3. Scope of legislation.
    - 4. Annual sessions.
    - 5. Expense.
  - d. Provisions regarding religion.
    - 1. Joseph Henry; William Gaston; John Culpepper; William Taylor; Josiah Crudup.
    - s. Slave taxation and the free negro.
- 2. Sectionalism: The Conflict of the East and the West.
  - a. Diversity in race, and economic conditions.
  - b. Inequality in colonial days; the Regulation; the Constitution of 1776.
  - c. Growth of western and eastern counties in population; 1790-1830.
  - d. Creation of new counties; the dual system; the East finally obstructs the erection of new counties.
- 3. The Agitation for Reform.
  - a. The location of the capital.
  - b. The Convention of 1823; cause of failure.
  - c. The rebuilding of the Capitol.
  - d. The appeal to the people in 1833; attitude of the East; legislative amendments vs. the Convention.

- e. The Internal Improvement Convention of 1833; apathy of the legislature; railway agitation reinforces constitutional reform.
- f. The threat of Revolution and the message of Governor Swain (1834); the Convention Bill.
- 4. Influence of Sectionalism in State Problems; Internal Improvements, Education, etc.

REFERENCES: Boyd, The Antecedents of the Convention of 1835 (South Atlantic Quarterly, January, April, 1910); Nash, The Borough Towns of North Carolina (Booklet, October, 1906); Ashe, David Paton, (Bulletin of the N. C. Historical Commission); Pitman, A Decade of Our History (N. C. Review, April, May, 1910.)

Sources: The Debates in the Convention of 1835; Address to the People of North Carolina, (1834); Journal of the Convention of 1835; Debates on the Bill to Rebuild the Capital (1832); Debates on the Con-

vention Question in 1821.

#### LXXI. THE CONVENTION OF 1835

- 1. Membership.
- 2. Powers.
- 3. Proposed Reforms.
- 4. Typical Debates.
  - a. Borough representation.
  - b. Disfranchisement of free negro.
  - c. Representation.
  - d. Biennial elections.
  - e. The thirty-second article.
- 5. The Vote on Ratification.

REFERENCES: Connor, (H. G.), The Convention of 1835, (Booklet, October, 1908); William Gaston (Great American Lawyers, Vol. I;) Creecy, Grandfather Tales of North Carolina History.

Sources: Debates in the Convention of 1835; Journal of the Conven-

tion of 1835.

## LXXII. THE ANTI-SLAVERY SENTIMENT IN NORTH CAROLINA

- 1. The Quakers and Slavery.
  - a. Votes in the Yearly Meetings.
  - b. The North Carolina Manumission Society.
  - c. Methods of Emancipation.
  - d. Levi Coffin.

- 2. Anti-slavery Views of early Baptists and Methodists.
  - a. Minutes of the Kehukee Association.
  - b. The Rule of 1816; reasserted in 1846.
- 3. Religious Instruction of the Slaves.
  - a. Slave Missions.
  - b. Chaplains, etc.
  - c. Estimates of slave membership.
- 4. Amelioration of the Rights of Slaves before the Law.
  - a. Jury trial in regular court for capital offence (1793); right to challenge jurors (1818); comparison with colonial policy.
  - b. Killing a slave murder (1791 and 1817).
  - c. Battery on a slave: State vs. Hale (1823).
- 5. The Free Negro.
  - a. Numbers and legal status.
  - b. Henry Evans, Ralph Freeman, Ed. Chavis, John C. Stanley.
- 6. Racial relations before 1830.

REFERENCES: Bassett, Slavery in the State of North Carolina (Johns Hopkins Studies, series XVII, Nos. 7-8) and North Carolina Methodism and Slavery (Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, Series IV); Weeks, Southern Quakers and Slavery; Weaver, The North Craolina Manumission Society (Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, series I.)

Sources: Laws of N. C.; Reminiscences of Levi Coffin; Biggs, Minutes of the Kehukee Association; Purefoy, History of Sandy Creek Association; Supreme Court Reports.

## LXXIII. RISE OF THE PRO-SLAVERY SENTIMENT

- 1. The Economic Value of Slavery.
  - a. Cotton.
- 2. Negro Insurrections.
  - a. Charleston, 1822.
  - b. Southampton, Virginia, 1831.
  - c. Reports and rumors of insurrections in North Carolina.
- 3. Rise of the Abolitionists.
- 4. Decisions of the Courts.
  - a. Contentnea Society vs. Dickinson (N. C. Reports, vol. 12, 155); Hucaby vs. Jones (N. C. Reports, vol. 9, p. 120).

- b. State vs. Mann (N. C. Reports, vol. 13, p. 263);State vs. Will (1834), (N. C. Reports, vol. 18, 121).
- 5. Restrictive legislation.
  - a. Emancipation Law of 1830 (Laws 1830, ch. 9).
  - b. Instruction of slaves forbidden.
  - c. Free negroes restricted (Laws 1826, ch. 21); (1830, chs. 10, 14).
  - d. The Convention of 1835 and the Free Negro; State vs. Manuel (N. C. Reports, vol. 20, p. 144).
- 6. Legislative Resolutions and Debates.
- 7. The Case of Lunsford Lane.
- 8. Change of Racial Relations; Survivals of the Anti-slavery Ideal.

REFERENCES: Bassett, Slavery in the State of North Carolina, chs. I, II, V;—Anti-Slavery Leaders of North Carolina, (Johns Hopkins Studies, 1899); Hawkins, Life of Lunsford Lane.

Sources: Laws of North Carolina (sessional); Revised Statutes of 1836; Supreme Court Reports.

## LXXIV. CHANGES IN POLITICAL PARTY, 1820-1832

- 1. The Missouri Compromise.
  - a. Views of Macon and the Raleigh Minerva; Nationalism vs. State Rights.
- 2. Discontent with Political Methods.
  - a. The Caucus.
    - o. The Instruction of United States Senators.
- 3. Economic and Financial Depression.
- 4. The Presidential Campaigns of 1824 and 1828.
  - a. The candidates.
  - b. Local sectionalism and the popular vote.
  - c. Jackson and North Carolina; decline of Virginia's leadership in the South; John Branch, Secretary of the Navy.
- 5. North Carolina and the Tariff of 1828.
  - a. The legislative resolutions of 1827.
- 6. North Carolina and Nullification.
  - a. The legislative resolutions of 1830.
  - b. The anti-nullification and the anti-tariff resolves of 1832.

- c. Popular meetings.
- d. The States Rights minority; views of Nathaniel Macon, Burton Craige, etc.

REFERENCES: Wagstaff, State Rights and political parties in North Carolina (Johns Hopkins Studies, 1906, (pp. 40-54); Franklin, The Instruction of the United States Senators in North Carolina (Papers of the Trinity College Historical Society, series VII); Dodd, Life of Nathaniel Macon passim; Bassett, Andrew Jackson, (passim).

Sources: Hamilton, Letters of Bartlett Yancey, (James Sprunt Historical Publication, Vol. X, No. 2); Letters of Macon.

## LXXV. RISE OF THE WHIG PARTY IN NORTH CAROLINA

- 1. Cleavage among the Jacksonian Democrats.
  - a. Veto of the Maysville Turnpike.
  - b. Jackson and the tariff.
  - c. Jackson and the Force Bill.
  - d. Jackson's financial policy.
- 2. Willie P. Mangum; a type of the Anti-Jackson movement (Biographical History of North Carolina, vol. V).
- 3. The Whigs and the West; Significance of the Convention of 1835.
- 4. The election of 1836.
  - a. A Whig Governor: Edward B. Dudley.
  - b. Democratic Electors.

REFERENCES: Wagstaff, State Rights and Political Parties, pp. 68-70; Bassett, Andrew Jackson.

## LXXVI. ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER WHIG LEADERSHIP, I

#### RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION

- 1. The Movement for Railways in the United States.
- 2. Railroad Agitation in North Carolina.
  - a. The Numbers of Carleton (1828).
  - b. Early surveys.
  - c. Railroad meetings of 1833; Wilmington, Raleigh, Salisbury.
  - d. Sectionalism; Railroads, Internal Improvements, and the Convention Movement; The Experimental Railroad.

- 3. The First Three Railways.
  - a. The Halifax and Weldon (1833).
  - b. The Wilmington and Raleigh (1833).
    - 1. Charter 2. Capital 3. Termini (1835).
  - c. The Raleigh and Gaston.
    - 1. Charter 2. Capital 3. Right of Eminent Domain.
- 4. State Aid.
  - a. The Wilmington and Raleigh.
    - 1. Stock subscription.
    - 2. Bond endorsement.
    - 3. Loans.
    - 4. The Literary Fund.
  - b. The Raleigh and Gaston.
    - 1. Bond endorsement.
    - 2. Foreclosure of the mortgage.
    - 3. Reorganization of 1848.

REFERENCES: Weaver, Internal Improvements in North Carolina; Korner, Early Railroads of North Carolina (mss in possession of Trinity College Historical Society); Morgan, State Aid to Internal Improvements in North Carolina, (in preparation).

Sources: Laws of North Carolina; Revised Statutes of 1836 and Revised Code of 1855; Legislative Documents.

# LXXVII. ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER WHIG LEADERSHIP, II

#### THE NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD

- 1. Economic Conditions in the West; the Drought of 1845.
- 2. Plans for a Western Road.
  - a. The Danville Connection.
  - b. A Central Railroad.
  - c. State aid or private venture.
  - d. Sectional and party influences.
- 3. The Contest in the Assembly of 1848.
  - a. General Significance of the Session.
  - b. The Charlotte and South Carolina Bill.
    - 1. State aid.
    - 2. Attitude of the west.
    - 3. "The Danville Steal."

- c. The North Carolina Railroad Bill.
  - 1. State aid.
  - 2. Leaders.
  - 3. The vote.
- 4. Provisions of the Charter.
  - a. Capital stock.
  - b. State subscription.
  - c. Organization of the company; directors and offi-
- 5. Further State Aid; Construction of the Road; Its importance in economic and social development.
- 6. Other Appropriations by the Assembly of 1848-9.
  - a. The Gaston and Weldon Connection.
  - b. Reorganization of the Raleigh and Gaston.
  - c. The Neuse River Appropriation.
  - d. The Fayetteville and Western Plank road.
  - e. Improvement of the Cape Fear and Deep Rivers.
  - f. Improvement of the Tar River.
  - g. The mountain roads.
- 6. Leaders of the Internal Improvement Policy.

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Sources: Laws of North Carolina; Legislative Documents.

## LXXVIII. ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER WHIG LEADERSHIP, III

## THE WHIG POLICY CONTINUED UNDER DEMOCRATIC LEADERSHIP 1850-60

- 1. The Democratic Victory of 1850.
- 2. The Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad.
  - a. The Charter (1852).
  - b. State Aid (1854).
- 3. Other Appropriations of 1854.
  - a. The Western North Carolina Railroad.
  - b. The Fayetteville and Centre Plank Road.
  - c. The Neuse Navigation Company and the Yadkin Navigation Company.

- d. Bond Endorsement of 1854.
- 4. The Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal (1856).
- 5. The Fayetteville and Western Railroad (1858).
- 6. Appropriations of 1860.
  - a. The Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal.
  - b. The Chatham Railroad.
  - c. The Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Loan.

REFERENCES: Laws and Legislative Reports.

## LXXIX. ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER WHIG LEADER-SHIP 1836-1850, IV

#### EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS

- 1. Growth of the Literary Fund; the Surplus Revenue.
- 2. The School Law of 1838-9.
  - a. Provisions.
  - b. The educational campaign of 1839; Arguments for and against Public Education (Coon, vol. I, Introduction).
- 3. The School Law of 1840; The office of Superintendent of Common Schools (1852).
- 4. Growth of Schools to 1860.
- 5. The Work of Calvin H. Wiley.
- 6. Other Leaders in Public Education.
- 7. The University under Presidents Caldwell and Swain.

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- c. Local Taxation.
- d. The Institution opened.
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  - a. The Memorial of Dorothea Dix.
  - b. James C. Dobbin.
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- 4. Reforms in the Penal Laws.
  - a. Imprisonment for debt.
  - b. Movement for a penitentiary.
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  - a. Early geological surveys; Services of Mitchell, Olmstead, Emmons.
  - b. Mineral resources.
  - c. Products and methods of mining.
  - d. The Charlotte Mint; the Bechtler Mint.

- 4. Agriculture.
  - a. Products and values.
  - b. Early soil surveys.
  - c. Agricultural journals.
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  - a. Value of exports.
  - b. Advantage of Virginia and South Carolina cities.

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  - c. The first Bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina.
  - 2. Religion and Education.
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    - b. The religious necessity.
  - 3. The Genesis of Wake Forest College.
    - a. The Manual Labor Plan.
    - b. The Charter.
    - c. Influences from abroad; the Faculty.
  - 4. The Origin of Davidson.
    - a. The Western College idea.
    - b. Action of Concord Presbytery (1838).
    - c. Davidson opened (1837); The Charter (1838).

- d. The Manual Labor Plan.
- e. The Chambers Legacy.

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  - b. Nationalistic ideals.
  - c. Support of Henry Clay.
- 2. Typical Leaders in National Affairs.
  - a. Willie P. Mangum.
  - b. William A. Graham.
  - c. George E. Badger.
  - d. Thomas L. Clingman.
- 3. The Recharter of the National Bank.
  - a. President Tyler's veto; resignation of Badger; Mangum and the Caucus.
- 4. The Annexation of Texas.
  - a. Clay's visit to Raleigh; his views on Texas.
  - b. The election of 1844.

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  - a. Sentiment for a protective tariff in North Carolina.
  - b. J. J. McKoy and the Walker Tariff of 1846.
- 6. The Navy Department under North Carolinians.

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- 3. The Manhood Suffrage Campaign.
  - a. David S. Reed.
  - b. How free suffrage was brought into the campaign of 1848 (Memoirs of Holden, ch. I).
  - c. Results of the election of 1848.
  - d. The Democratic Victory of 1850.
- 4. Attitude of the Whigs to Manhood Suffrage.
  - a. Application of manhood suffrage to all elections; division among the Whigs.
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  - c. Amendment adopted (1857).
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  - a. Sectional interests.
  - b. The Wilmot Proviso.
- 2. The North Carolina Whigs and Slavery Extension.
  - a. Views of Badger and Clingman.
  - b. The Steele Resolutions in the legislature of 1848-49.
  - c. The substitute resolves.
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  - a. The Legislature of 1850-51.
    - 1. Resolves of William B. Shepherd (radical) and J. A. Gilmer (conservative).
    - 2. The reports of the joint committee; adoption of the majority report.
  - b. The Congressional Campaign of 1851.
    - 1. The issue of secession and its repudiation.
- 4. The Presidential Campaign of 1856.
  - a. The Republican Party; excitement in the South.
  - b. Professor Hedrick expelled from the University.
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  - a. The land bill of Henry Bennett (New York); attitude of Southern Democrats.
  - b. The Congressional Campaign of 1853 in North Carolina.
  - c. The State Campaign of 1858; McRae vs. Ellis.

- 2. Ad Valorem Slave Taxation.
  - a. Later Slavery Agitators; Goodloe; Helper.
  - b. Inequality in the Revenue System.
  - c. Moses A. Bledsoe (1858); The Raleigh Workingmen's Association.
- 3. Factions in the Democratic Party.
  - a. William W. Holden; the Standard.
  - b. John W. Ellis.
  - c. The State Convention of 1858.
  - d. The Senatorial Contest.
- 4. The State Campaign of 1860.
  - a. Revival of the Whig Party; ad valorem slave taxation.
  - b. The Candidates; Pool (Whig); Ellis (Democrat).
  - c. Character and results of the Campaign.

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- 2. The Democratic Campaign in North Carolina.
  - a. North Carolina Delegates to the Charleston Convention (Memoirs of Holden).
  - b. The Baltimore Convention; Policy of the North Carolina Delegates.
  - c. The sentiment for Douglas, the *Standard*; the Douglas electors; the Douglas Convention; the drift to Breckenbridge.
- 3. The Whig Campaign.
  - a. The Appeal to Patriotism.
  - b. The Mass Meetings.

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  - b. Breckenbridge vs. Bell and Douglas.

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  - a. State Rights Ideals vs. national sentiment.
  - b. Economic Conditions vs. slavery extension.
  - c. The social bond; the South or the Union.
  - d. Progress of secession in the South to Feb. 1, 1861.
- 2. The Movement for a State Convention.
  - a. Governor Ellis's message (December, 1860).
  - b. The Convention Bill; views of radicals and conservatives; influences that shaped its passage.
  - c. The election of February 28th, 1861.
- 3. North Carolina in the Peace Convention (February); views of Ruffin, Reid, etc.
- 4. Progress of Secession Sentiment in North Carolina.
  - a. Seizure of Fort Johnston and Caswell (January 1861).
  - b. Mass Meeting (Goldsboro, February).
    - c. Fort Sumter; Lincoln's Call for Troops.
- 5. The Secession Convention (May 20, 1861).
  - a. How called.
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  - c. The Ordinance of Secession: The Theory of Secession.
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  - b. Agriculture and Manufacturing.
  - c. Finances.
  - d. Transportation.
  - e. Blockade running, public and private.
  - f. State aid to the destitute.
- 3. War Politics and the Peace Movement.
  - a. Beginning of party divisions.
  - b. Friction between the Convention and the General Assembly.
  - c. The campaign of 1862.
  - d. The peace meetings of 1863.
  - e. The peace meetings of 1864.
  - f. The Raleigh Standard and its influence.
  - g. Dissatisfaction with the Confederate Government and the cause.
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  - i. The campaign of 1864; Secret organizations.
- 4. Military operations in the State.
  - a Federal coast operations in 1861.
  - b. The capture of New Bern.
  - c. The Confederate advance on New Bern and its repulse.
  - d. The Plymouth campaign.
  - e. Fort Fisher.
  - f. Stoneman's raid.
  - g. Sherman's advance into the State.
  - h. The capture of Raleigh.
  - i. The Sherman-Johnston Convention.
- 5. Attempts at Reconstruction.
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  - b. Edward Stanly's administration as military governor.

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- a. The downfall of the State Government.
- b. General Schofield's opinions and plan of reconstruc-
- c. Chief Justice Chase's visit to North Carolina.
- d. Conditions in the State at the close of hostilities.

2. Beginnings of Reconstruction.

- a. Lincoln's plan of Reconstruction.
- b. Development of Lincoln's plan under Johnson.
- c. Johnson's amnesty and North Carolina proclamations.
- d. The administration of Provisional Governor Holden
- e. Conduct of amnesty and pardon matters.
- f. The convention of 1865 and its work.
- g. The elections of 1865.
- h. The General Assembly of 1865.
- i. Relations with the United States.
- j. The Convention of 1866.
- k. The return to civil government.

- 3. Conditions and Problems of the Freedmen.
  - a. Economic and social conditions.
  - b. Legislation concerning the freedmen.
  - c. The Freedmen's Bureau.
- 4. Conditions under the Restored Government.
  - a. Attempts to secure congressional representation.
  - b. Proposed constitution of 1866 and its defeat.
  - c. Politics and election of 1866.
  - d. North Carolina and the Fourteenth Amendment.
  - e. Relations with the military authorities; the conflict of civil and military courts.

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- 1. The Military Government.
  - a. The Reconstruction Acts.
  - b. Administration of General Daniel E. Sickles.
  - c. General Order No. 10 and the disputed jurisdiction of the military governor and the United States courts.
  - d. Administration of General E. R. S. Canby.
  - e. Registration of the new electorate.
  - f. Activity of the aliens or "carpet-baggers."
  - g. Organization and work of the Union League.
  - h. Politics and election of 1867.
  - i. Political, social, religious, and economic separation of the races as a result of Reconstruction.
- 2. The Convention of 1868.
  - a. Membership; party divisions, race divisions, prominence of the aliens.
  - b. Activities of the convention.

- 3. The Constitution of 1868.
  - a. Influences tending to shape the instrument.
  - b. Changes from the original instrument.
  - c. The campaign for adoption.
  - d. Election of 1868.
  - e. Restoration of the State to the Union.

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  - a. Character of the new administration.
  - b. The Legislature of 1868.
  - c. The Presidential Campaign of 1868.
  - d. The Legislature of 1868-1869.
  - e. Extravagance in Government.
  - f. Railroad legislation and the frauds.
    - 1. The Chatham Railroad.
    - 2. The Western North Carolina Railroad.
    - 3. The Western Railroad.
    - 4. The Atlantic, Tennessee, and Ohio Railroad.
    - 5. The Williston and Tarboro Railroad.
    - 6. The Edenton and Suffolk Railroad.
    - 7. The Northwestern North Carolina Railroad.
    - 8. The University Railroad.
    - 9. The Eastern and Western Railroad.
    - 10. The Wilmington, Charlotte, and Rutherford Railroad.
    - 11. The Oxford Branch of the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad.
  - g. The Penitentiary Scandal.
  - h. The "Ring;" Corrupt influences of the "carpet-baggers."

- i. The Legislature of 1869-1870; Republican quarrels.
- 2. Social and Economic Conditions.
  - a. Labor conditions.
  - b. Agricultural depression.
  - c. Beginnings of industrial activity.
- 3. Party Politics.
  - a. Classes composing the two parties.
  - b. The race question between the parties.
  - c. Influence of the "carpet-baggers."
  - d. Lines of cleavage in the Republican party in 1869.
  - e. Organization and growth of the Conservative-Democratic party.
  - f. Political effects of Radical dishonesty and misrule.
- 4. The Ku Klux Movement.
  - a. Purposes.
  - b. Organizations.
  - c. Membership.
  - d. Geographical location.
  - e. Activities.
  - f. Results, social and political.
- 5. Suppression of the Ku Klux.
  - a. The use of militia.
  - b. Legislation.
    - 1. The militia bill.
    - 2. The Ku Klux Act (N. C.).
    - 3. The Schoffner Act.
  - c. The Kirk-Holden War.
  - d. Federal Force Acts.
  - e. Federal Ku Klux Prosecution.
  - f. The Ku Klux Trials of 1871.

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## XCIII. DEMOCRATIC REACTION AND ITS RESULTS

- 1. Overthrow of Republican Control.
  - a. The campaign of 1870.
  - b. The legislature of 1870-1871.
  - c. The impeachment and trial of Governor Holden.
  - d. The impeachment of Judge E. W. Jones.
  - e. Attempt to secure a constitutional convention; reasons for failure.
  - f. Reform legislation.
  - g. The legislative session of 1871-1872.
  - h. The political campaigns of 1872.
- 2. Reconstruction and Education.
  - a. The University.
  - b. The Public School System.
  - c. Work of Private Schools and Colleges.
- 3. The Overthrow of Reconstruction.
  - a. Constitution Reforms of 1874.
  - b. The convention of 1875.
  - c. Constitutional changes.
- 4. The Campaign of 1876.
  - a. Party conditions in 1875 and 1876.
  - b. Party conventions and platforms.
  - c. Vance and Settle as candidates; records and strength and weakness of each.
  - d. The joint debates.
  - e. Issues of the campaign.
  - f. Influences exerted in the campaign.
  - g. Election results, state and national.
- 5. The Effects of Reconstruction.
  - a. Social.
  - b. Economic.
  - c. Financial.

- d. Political.
- e. Religions.
- f. The settlement of the debt.

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#### XCIV. OUTLINE FOR COUNTY HISTORY

- I. Geographical Features.
  - 1. Size and location.
  - 2. Surface.
  - 3. Principal streams, sounds, lakes, etc.
  - 4. Character of the soil.
  - 5. Flora and fauna.
  - 6. Other geographical features.
  - 7. Influence of geography on the history and development of the county.
- II. Population.
  - 1. Racial elements:
    - a. English.
    - b. French.
    - c. Irish.
    - d. German.
    - e. Scotch.
    - f. Scotch-Irish.
    - g. Negro.
  - 2. Where they came from.
  - 3. Reasons for their settling in North Carolina:
    - a. Social.
    - b. Economic.
    - c. Political.
    - d. Religious.
  - 4. Character of the people.

## III. Organization of the county.

- 1. When and why created.
- 2. Boundaries:
  - a. Territory from which the county was formed.
  - b. Original boundaries.
  - c. Counties wholly or partially cut off from it.
  - d. Present boundaries.
- 3. Origin of its name.
- 4. Selection of the county seat:
  - a. Why selected.
  - b. Origin of its name.
  - c. Erection of public buildings.

## IV. Important Historic Events.

- 1. During the Colonial Period:
  - a. Early relations with the Indians.
  - b. Military events.
  - c. Chief political occurrences.
  - d. Industrial conditions:
    - 1. Labor; introduction of slavery.
    - 2. Agriculture.
    - 3. Commerce.
    - 4. Home manufactures.
  - e. Early schools.
  - f. Early churches.
  - g. Early newspapers and libraries.
  - h. Colonial towns.
- 2. During the Revolution:
  - a. Whigs and Tories.
  - b. Political events.
  - c. Military events:
    - 1. Soldiers furnished the British army.
    - 2. Soldiers furnished the American army.
    - 3. Battles.
  - d. Monuments, markers or other memorials.
- 3. During the period of National Development, 1783-1860:
  - a. Increase of wealth and population.

- b. Founding and growth of towns.
- c. Schools—private and public; noted teachers.
- d. Newspapers.
- e. Religious conditions churches, noted preachers, famous religious meetings, etc.
- f. Internal Improvements:
  - 1. Deepening of rivers.
  - 2. Digging of canals.
  - 3. Road building.
  - 4. Railroads.
- g. Industrial conditions:
  - 1. Agriculture.
  - 2. Commerce.
  - 3. Manufactures.
- h. Military events:
  - 1. War of 1812.
  - 2. War with Mexico.
- i. Political events.
- V. Secession and the Civil War, 1861-1865.
  - 1. Sentiment of the people on secession.
  - 2. Secession campaign of 1861.
  - 3. Soldiers furnished to the Confederacy.
  - 4. Battles.
  - 5. Monuments.
- VI. Reconstruction, 1865-1876.
  - 1. Carpet baggers:
    - a. Where they came from.
    - b. Character.
    - c. What they did.
    - d. Results of their control.
  - 2. Ku Klux Klan:
    - a. Number of dens in the county and locations.
    - b. Leaders and membership of each.
    - c. What the Ku Klux Klan did.
    - d. Results of their activities.
  - 3. The Negroes and Reconstruction:
    - a. Relation between the whites and negroes before the Civil War.

- b. Influence of the carpet baggers on the negroes.
- c. Disturbances between the whites and negroes.
- d. Results.

## VII. Since Reconstruction, 1876-1911.

- 1. Important political events.
- 2. Erection of public buildings.
- 3. Development of the public school system.
- 4. Road building.
- 5. Railroads.
- 6. Commerce.
- 7. Manufactures.
- 8. Agriculture.
- 9. Increase in population and wealth:
  - a. Population in 1880:
    - 1. Urban.
    - 2. Rural.
  - b. Population in 1910:
    - 1. Urban.
    - 2. Rural.
  - a. Wealth in 1880:
    - 1. Urban.
    - 2. Rural.
  - b. Wealth in 1910:
    - 1. Urban.
    - 2. Rural.
  - c. Causes of increase.







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