

The Original Old Fort
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Dr. F. A. Soudley,
Asheville, U. C.

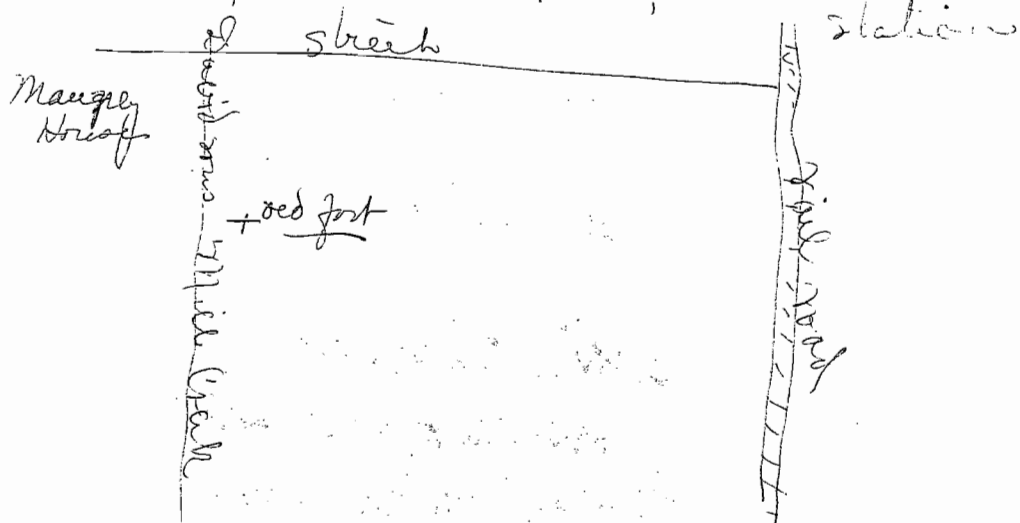
Dear Dr. Soudley,

My intentions have been better
but I have been unusually busy, for I intended
to write you immediately after Mr. Lytle
had made us a visit.

In the early winter, I went
~~for~~ Mr. F. G. Lytle and he spent two
days in our home.

While here, I had him show me
the spot where his grandfather had
lived here, the old fort at Old Fort, stood
the place he pointed out is where there
has been an old spring - now, opposite
the Mauney property and a few hundred
yards below where the bridge crosses
(Davidson's) Mill Creek. This seems to be
the location you had in mind.

40 " Day of the Land" is like this,



Mr Lytle also pointed out the spot where Wm
McDowell and his "Buncombe Riflemen"
Camped on the second night after leaving
Asheville. That camping place is on the
opposite side of the road, No. 10, from the old
Carson home - where a small house now
owned by J. L. Plutlar now stands. It
occurs to me that you may be interested
in that little fact.

I am anxious to attend one of the
meetings of the Buncombe County Historical
Asso., and I hope you will advise me
when I may do so.

Yours very truly,
Mary M. Greene