

Wilmington, N. C. June 11 1895

Col J. W. Foster
Duty

Dear Sir

It is my pleasure
duty to notify you of
the action taken by
our company the "Naval
Reserve" last night
in electing you an
Honorary member of their
company. I was also
instructed by them
to thank you for the
numerous kind notes
you have shown us.
Let me also add ~~my~~

my thanks to you, for your
kindness to the company
you always will have
a place in each member's
heart you have won
many strong and true
friends by your kindness
to the 'Reserve'

I am as ever
your True Friend

W. H. Roberts
Sec. & Tre. Wilmington Division
Naval Battalion N.C.S.G.