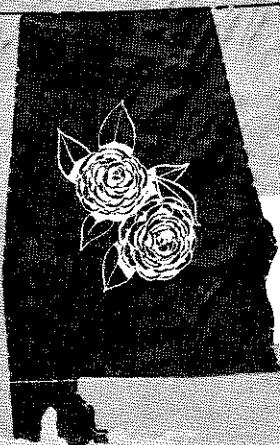


Fairhope



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FAIRHOPE (pop. 4,858, alt. to 125 ft.)

Henry George's Single Tax System was adopted by four families who founded Fairhope in 1894. They established the Fairhope Single Tax Corporation and leased the land within the original village for 99 years. Tenants own the improvements, but the Single Tax Colony pays all the taxes.

The town is on a bluff above Mobile Bay and has 123 acres of park and 2 miles of beach along the bayfront. Interesting craft shops may be visited all year. During the mid-March Arts and Crafts Week, the craftsmen can be seen working with native clays and metals; folk dances performed by skilled dancers are also a popular feature of the festival.