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# TRUE FACTS ON THE EVE OF THE ELECTION

## THE PEOPLES CANDIDATE VERSUS THE RING

Through the columns of this paper I want to thank the voters of Halifax County, and especially Roanoke Rapids and Rosemary in advance of the primary for their aid and support they have given me in my campaign.

The primary is near; the campaign is coming to a close. I have tried to make a clean fight against all three of my opponents. **I HAVE PLEDGED MYSELF TO THE PEOPLE IF NOMINATED AND ELECTED WHERE I STAND.**

That is more than I have seen or heard of either of my three opponents. Some of the politicians of Halifax County have tried by unfair methods to defeat me. But I would much rather be defeated in a clean campaign than to be nominated by some unfair method. **IT WAS SUGGESTED TO ME LAST WEEK THAT IF I WOULD WITHDRAW FROM THE RACE**

**THERE WOULD NOT BE A CANDIDATE AGAINST ME IN THE 1932 ELECTION, IF I SHOULD WANT TO BE A CANDIDATE.**

I have the grit and courage to take defeat as I do victory. I will always go to the people with my fight, not line up with the so-called ring. I am glad the people can vote like they want to, and that no one will know how they voted. I leave it to the men and women to say by their votes June 7th, who will represent them.

I was informed by E. L. Travis, Jr., chairman of the Board of Elections of Halifax County, that our present Coroner, W. C. Williams, of Rosemary, asked him to try and get D. Mac Johnson and me to withdraw from the race, but Mr. Williams was informed by Mr. Travis that it could not be done.

*SIGNED*

**Clarence O. Byrd**

**Vote For Byrd For Representative**

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### TWIN CITY HAPPENINGS

Mr. Allen Zollicoffer spent several days in Baltimore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox spent Tuesday in Pikesville.

Mr. Gene Cannon has returned home for the summer.

Mr. W. H. O'Berry of Kinston was a recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor.

Miss Vashti Kennemur has returned home from State Teachers College Farmville, Va., to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennemur.

Leo Pittard, Aurelian Springs boy, who was a recent winner in a State contest, will be the guest of the Kiwanis Club here tonight.

Calvin Kennemur attended the graduation exercises of his sister Miss Vashti Kennemur at State Teachers College, Farmville, Va.

The Rosemary Boosters Club has been recently organized. It consists of girls in the Rosemary Manufacturing Co. who will be the official rooters for the Bascoes. They hope to have a special uniform to wear at the Saturday games and will be out in full force for the game this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O. Taylor and children of Norfolk spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Jones on Jackson Street.

#### Roanoke Rapids Public Schools

##### Commencement Exercises

High School Auditorium

June 6, 1930

8 P. M.

##### Programme

- Music ..... Rosemary Band
- Invocation ..... Rev. J. N. Bynum
- Berceuse (Jocelyn)—Godard ..... Vocal Ensemble
- Annual Address ..... Dr. Robert H. Wright  
President of E. C. T. C.
- Violin Solo—Serenade—Schubert ..... Mrs. W. A. China
- Presentation of Diplomas ..... Mr. T. W. Mullen  
Chairman Board of School Trustees
- Presentation of Awards.
- Pale in the Amber West—Parks ..... Male Quartet
- Presentation of Seventh Grade Certificates ..... Miss Clara Hearne  
Elementary Supervisor
- Announcements.
- Music ..... Rosemary Band

##### Graduating Class

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|----------------------|-------------------|
| LOUISE BROWN         | VIRGINIA NEWSOM   |
| MARY CAMERON         | FLOSSIE POWELL    |
| JESSIE DAVIS         | OLIE POWELL       |
| GLADYS FIELDS        | CECIL SHEARIN     |
| ANNIE FITTS          | MARY WALTER SHELL |
| MACON FLOYD          | ODELIA SLEDGE     |
| CLYDE FULGHUM        | ANNIE K. TAYLOR   |
| MACIE GOODMAN        | LAURA NELL THRIFT |
| LURLINE HARDY        | NANNIE WAFFORD    |
| VIRGINIA HOBBS       | ELSIE WHITE       |
| PEARLIE ISTRIECKO    | MARGARET WOOD     |
| EMMA JAMES           | EDWIN AKERS       |
| LILLIAN BEL LJENKINS | HARRISON GILES    |
| MABEL JOHNSON        | GRAHAM LYNCH      |
| BEULAH KIDD          | RUSSELL MOODY     |
| OLIVIA MASON         | RALPH SHELL       |
| EMMA MATTHEWS        | MURPHY TICKEL     |
| LUCILLE MOORE        | HUBERT WIRTZ      |
| PRISCILLA MULLEN     | CLIFTON JOHNSON   |

##### MARSHALLS

RUBY TICKEL, Chief

Marion Hudson

Daisy McCommons

Charles Dickens

Crichton Harris

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### To The Voters of HALIFAX COUNTY

It was brought to my attention that a rumor was being spread over Halifax County that I voted a Republican Ticket in 1928, and the voters advised not to vote for me in the Primary on June 7th. I take this method of denying the statement, I did not vote a Republican ticket, or any part thereof, and do not intend doing so in the future, and trust my friends will deny this should they hear such statement.

RESPECTFULLY,

**J. W. HARVEY**

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