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Morrison Answers Questionnaire of Unions

1. Would you support the adoption of a law fixing a penalty against an employer for discharging an employee for political, religious or trade union affiliation?

Answer: Yes.

2. Would you support the adoption of a law fixing a penalty for false advertising in newspapers for employers, stating that no labor troubles existed at the place of employment, and to further penalize advertisers who fail to live up to their advertisements?

Answer: Yes.

3. Would you support the adoption of a law to prevent rent profiteering by fixing a maximum rental of not exceeding 12 per cent annual rent upon valuation as shown by the tax books, plus same percentage on the value of improvements, this not to apply to share farming?

Answer: I will not. In my opinion such a law would be extremely so-called, unconstitutional, and subversive of the basic liberties of the land owners of North Carolina. I do not see any reason why there should be a demand to control the rental value of real estate in North Carolina until we are ready to establish a socialistic government, and let the government fix the price of everything else.

4. Part 1. Will you favor the submission of a constitutional amendment reducing the present constitutional limit of taxation, State, county and town, based upon the revaluation?

Answer: I will as to State and county. There is no constitutional limitation on town and city taxation now. This is regulated by statute, and I would not object to further limitation in respect to town taxation should be any limit fixed in our constitution to town taxation by a vote of the people.

4. Part 2. Farmers' Union asks how do you stand on repeal of Revaluation Act?

Answer: I am not willing to repeal the Revaluation Act in the sense that we shall utterly abrogate it as applied to this year's taxation. I believe this was an honest effort towards an improved taxation system in the State. But I am not in favor of it as a fixed policy. I favor raising all taxes for State purposes through license, franchise, inheritance, and the other present sources of special taxation, and if necessary, by a small income tax above a reasonable exemption, and then repealing the present Revaluation Act. Revenue Bill, and Machinery Act and relegating under proper law to the counties for county, town and local taxation I believe the time has come when there should be no tax whatever levied upon property in North Carolina for State purposes. The policy being adopted, there would no longer be any excuse for the State authorities fixing the valuation on property. I am in favor of this policy, and shall earnestly endeavor if I am elected governor, to have it adopted. Of course, this means that I do favor a repeal of the Revaluation Act, but it means a mere condemnation of this act by me. I believe that the revenue with which to reasonably run our state government can easily be obtained without doing injustice to anybody, and without levying either a property or an income tax for State purposes, but out of the abundance of caution I very earnestly favor the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment giving the State authority to levy an income tax, so we can be certain to have sufficient power to raise the necessary revenue for State purposes without a continuation of the policy expressed in the Revaluation, Revenue, and Machinery Acts now in force. I do not believe that equality in the valuation of property between the various counties of the State can ever be obtained through any act of officials. It is an impossible task. I believe the officers now undertaking to execute the Revaluation Act will honestly endeavor to produce equality and justice, but it cannot be done. I do not believe in throwing away all the information and benefits of the revaluation being made, but under new laws the whole question should be sent down to the county officials to overhaul and change valuation where they think justice requires. I endeavored in a speech made a few days ago at Chapel Hill, to which I refer you for a more particular expression of my views upon this very important question. I hesitate to express myself about this Revaluation Act in terms of condemnation, because I believe that if it is considered as a more liberal and more equitable system we now have to the just and scientific systems finally aimed at by the Democratic Party, it has great value to the State, but as a fixed and permanent policy, I am unalterably opposed to it. I am satisfied that there should be a complete restoration of local self-government in the matter of the valuation and taxation of both real and personal property in this State as can be made, and execute the Constitutional mandate with reference to the Public Schools. I am in favor of taking care of the weak counties in the matter of the school term, but beyond this, I do not believe that the State ought to exercise any authority whatever over the funds raised in the counties by taxation upon property.

5. Would you support the adoption of a Child Labor Law divorced from school, welfare, or any other law as

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BICYCLE WEEK

SATURDAY, APRIL 17, TO MONDAY, APRIL 26

The good old days of bicycle joy are here again, the joy of every red-blooded boy and girl in America and I have here in Hickory for your inspection the largest array of bicycles and sundries ever brought to western North Carolina and for eight days I am going to make cut rates on all bikes and repairs.

Bicycles will run from \$33.00 to \$55.00, all makes, sizes and models. All during this sale I will sell inner tubes for \$1.00, rubber pedals for \$1.25, clincher casings for \$2.75 to \$4.50, good single tubes for \$1.98 and up.

Bring the children in during this sale as we have wheels for them too. We also have light, classy, easy running bikes, as well as the heavy service or motor bike style.

Inspect our stock next week and you will be convinced that we can sell you a better wheel for less money than you can get anywhere.

Yours for a good ride
P. M. KEEVER
Hickory, N. C. and Lincolnton, N. C.

by it. I would be truly glad to give you my opinion about the matter referred to, but I have none with which I am satisfied. I assure you that I will give very earnest consideration to any argument addressed by you representative to me, or to the General Assembly upon this question.

10. Inasmuch as it is now lawful to exempt from taxation mortgages on homes of \$3,000 or less on a five-year basis, will you return the exemption from taxation on the amount that is so mortgaged, thereby placing the borrower on the same ground as the lender?

Answer: I was a member of the Platform Committee of the Democratic Party when the mortgage exemption from taxation on homes to which you refer was endorsed. I opposed it then on the ground that it should be reversed, and that the owner of the real estate should only be taxed upon his equity of redemption that his interest in it was only the value in excess of the mortgage. I was voted down upon it, and although I did not carry the fight to the Convention, because I feared I could not win, I assure you it would give me pleasure to use my influence which I may acquire by being elected Governor to have this law abrogated, and the real estate exempted from taxation to the amount of the mortgage. I am not sure but what this can be done without a Constitutional amendment, and if, upon investigation, I find that it can be done, I promise you to exert myself to have it done.

11. Would you support the adoption of a law making it compulsory to incorporate all towns and villages with a population in excess of 1,000?

Answer: Yes, with this limitation: I would not favor this unless the majority of the qualified voters within the territory proposed to be incorporated petitioned or voted for the same.

12. Would you restore the law that was in force prior to 1917, wherein counties and towns calling upon the State for soldiers in emergency, have to pay the expenses of such soldiers furnished?

Answer: I cannot commit myself to the restoration of a law that was in force prior to 1917, because I have not familiarized myself with it, but in so far as it does what is suggested by your question I am in favor of it. I have not had time to inform myself with exactness as to what this law was, but I favor the expenses being borne by the counties and towns where they call for soldiers. I do not know of anything in this law prior to 1917 to which I am opposed, but it seems to be in some confusion, and I have not had time to acquaint myself thoroughly with what it is, but I will favor the principle embraced in your question.

13. Will you favor the appropriation by the state, for the use of the Bureau of County Health Work of the State Board of Health, of an amount sufficient to treat free of charge all defective school children?

Answer: Yes, with some proper limitation as to forcing the parents where they are able, to pay the expense, or have the children treated themselves.

14. Would you favor the Australian Ballot System, whereby every man entitled to vote can cast his vote free and untrammelled, and without intimidation, coercion or espionage, thereby insuring a fair and honest election?

Answer: Yes.

15. Will you favor an act requiring the use of a sufficient part of the funds derived from the tax on fertilizers for the establishment of such plants as will enable the Agricultural Department to sell fertilizer materials in car lots to farmers at cost?

Answer: I have the impression that to tax fertilizers in the state for the purpose of raising revenue with which to put the state in competition with the fertilizer dealers would be unconstitutional, and would be unwise. In time of peace I do not believe this could be done lawfully. My present impression is adverse to the proposition suggested by you.

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SALE OF THE DAVID BARGER LANDS

Under an order of the Superior Court of Catawba county made in the special proceedings entitled, "B. Catherine Barger, L. M. Barger, et al. vs. Elsie Barger, L. M. Barger, et al.," the undersigned, as commissioner, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in front of the First National Bank of Hickory, at Hickory, N. C., on the 13th day of May, 1920 at 2 p. m. those two certain tracts or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in Hickory township, Catawba county, North Carolina, bounded as follows to-wit:

First Tract: Beginning at a stone corner and running with a line of the said John H. Deitz N. 63 E. 31 poles crossing a branch to a stake on the north side of the branch; thence N. 89 East 21 2-5 poles to a stake in the old Robinson line, Dietz's corner; thence west 64 4-5 poles to the corner of lot No. 2; thence with the line of said lot south 83 West 8 1-2 poles to a stone; thence South 24 East 29 1-2 poles to a red oak; thence South 26 East 50 poles to a stone; thence South 66 1-2 East 27 1-2 poles to a white oak; thence south 75 east 25 poles, crossing a branch, to the beginning, containing 38 acres, more or less.

Second Tract: Beginning at a red oak, the John Whisman corner, runs north 1 East 22 poles to a stone, Agnes Barger's southeast corner; thence with said line South 83 West 29 poles to a stone; thence South 38 poles to a stone in David Barger's line; thence with said Barger's line north 84 East 37 1-2 poles to a stone, said Barger's corner in the old Robinson line; thence with the old Robinson line North 23 West 17 1-2 poles to a hickory, Robinson's corner; thence south 82 west 1 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 7 acres and being lot No. 1 in the division of the Sally M. Barger lands.


Said lands to be sold free and discharged of the right and estate of dowry of B. Catherine Barger widow of David Barger, first in tracts, lots or parcels, and then as a whole; sale to be reported at the best price offered for confirmation or rejection.

Terms of sale: Cash or else, if best suited to purchaser, one-third in cash upon confirmation of sale, balance in two equal installments payable in six and twelve months respectively to be secured by notes and approved security. Deposit of ten per cent will be required of the successful bidder or bidders on the day of sale.

This the 12th day of April, 1920.
J. W. WHISNANT, Commissioner.

April 15, 22, 29 May 6th.

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KEEP MAN GUESSING. SAYS OLD MAMMY

"Old Mammy" is one of the quaint characters in "The Inferior Sex" a picture starring Mildred Harris Chaplin and released by First National, which will be shown at the Grand Theatre today.

The old negroess time had been off married, and as she expressed it, "Four oh dem havin' promised to lub and obey me."

As the cook in the home of the young married couple, she gives some wholesome advice to the wife, who spends all her time trying to please an indignant husband.

"Keep 'em guessin'," said Old Mammy. "De onliest way to along with men is to keep 'em happy. And de onliest way to make 'em happy is to make 'em unhappy. Keep 'em guessin' and dey will be onhappy and den dey'll lub you and be happy."

Sheriff Isenhower will be at the city manager's office Saturday from 1 to 5 with the Hickory township tax books. As all polls must be paid by May 1, those in arrears would do well to attend to this matter Saturday if they expect to vote in November. 15-2t

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