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Solicitor W. F. Evans Speaks In Zebulon

On last Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, Solicitor W. F. Evans addressed the people of Little River township in the town hall of Zebulon, on his candidacy for Solicitor. All the seats were filled and many stood in the rear and around the walls. Many farmers were present to hear the Solicitor give an "account of his stewardship," as he expressed it. He spoke more than an hour showing how he had fulfilled all pre-election promises and asked the people to reelect him on his record.

He said down in the bottom of every man's heart there was a desire to see the right prevail no matter how bad he might be. He has during the last three years met single handed and won over some of the best criminal lawyers in Wake county, even when as many as six and seven appeared against him.

Among other things he said, in substance, "I stand before you with campaign pledges fulfilled and executed. Four years ago I received your orders to do my duty, and I return to you today to ask you to endorse what I have done, what you told me to do when you elected me. I promised vigorous law enforcement, and no man need complain now because he got what he was promised. The very fact that in some places in this district I have offended the criminal and lawless elements ought to be a mighty good reason for the decent people to get together and oppose them. I think that most of you, my fellow citizens, believe I ought to be given a second term on my record."

"Up to a few weeks ago no one heard of any opposition to my re-nomination. There had been no voluntary, popular uproar against me on the part of the people, but the opposition to me was hatched in the Buck Jones incubator, in a back office in the city of Raleigh. It is not an expression of popular feeling, but a manufactured, synthetic, spurious opposition put out by a political machine."

"I have been quoted as having said that Mr. Brassfield told me that he did not intend to run. That was an error. I have never in my life discussed the subject with him. But what I did say was that I had entirely reliable information that up to just a few days before he announced his candidacy, he did not intend to run, that he said he did not think I could be beaten. But the new wizard of the Jones machine who came down from my old home laid down before him certain resources not heretofore apparent, certain combinations that could be made, and finally persuaded Mr. Brassfield to make the race."

"I am not here to do any thing detrimental to my opponents personal character. I think he is a very decent sort of fellow, entirely too decent for the job the Jones' machine has assigned to him. He is not running for the office, but is being run. Whatever the personal traits of character, it is the things for which he stands that counts. He cannot escape the hands of his following; he cannot deceive and play traitor to the interests that are backing him in his campaign. For three years I have given the district law enforcement of undoubted vigor. I say that it should continue; Mr. Brassfield says by the very act of his opposition, that it should not. The issue is clear. Every voter ought to find his or her place in the conflict of the two opposing ideas. You never know when you will need a State's attorney to come to your protection with the arm of the law just as that poor Anglo-Saxon woman did from the brute who was convicted and sentenced to the electric chair, in Raleigh a few weeks ago."

"They say my law enforcement costs too much. I spent several hundred dollars in rooting out the whiskey business at Apex sometime ago, and now Apex is a clean town. I had a house packed to hear me there the other night. I convicted a prominent sportsman and politician in Raleigh sometime ago and he put \$1250 into the school funds and has a two-years' suspended judgement against him. I put a great deal more into the school funds than my salary is. I am

A LETTER TO THE WOMEN OF ZEBULON AND WAKEFIELD

As I have not had a list of those contributing so generously to our Detention Home, I am asking the Editor of your paper to let me express my appreciation of your kindness, and to tell you what our Detention Home is and what we hope it will do.

To each of you, to the members of the Woman's Club and to each individual, who has helped, we send our heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation, both for your material help and for your sympathy and interest which means more than you know. He who is the "Help of the helpless" will not be unmindful of your thought for His little ones.

The Detention Home, which is located at the old County Home is not an orphanage, nor a permanent home for the children sent there. It is a temporary home for children under sixteen years of age. These children are sent there by the Judge of the Juvenile Court, until they can be returned to their homes, if those homes have become fit for them, sent to some institution or placed in foster homes.

These children are not all delinquent children. In many cases, in most cases it is the parents who are delinquent and should be on probation.

It is our earnest wish that we may as far as possible remove the handicaps from these children, and give them a chance to become honest, christian men and women.

In His name who said "Inasmuch as you do it unto one of these little ones, Ye have done it unto me."

Your affectionate friend,
FANNY YARBOROUGH BICKETT.

PICNIC SUPPER

There was a picnic supper given on the lawn at the home of C. M. Rhodes, Tuesday night, May 24, in honor of the Hawaiian string band of State College. Honor guests were five graduates of State College as follows: Messrs E. E. Hood, W. J. Furgerson, W. C. Creary, C. G. Goodman, W. A. Hayse. Others present were: Mr. E. H. Hood and family, Mr. T. Y. Puryear and family, Mr. H. H. Hood and family, Mr. H. E. Whitaker and family, Mr. W. M. Hood and family, Mr. F. V. Hood and family, Mrs. Martha Phillips and C. M. Rhodes and family, there being 44 in all to enjoy the occasion.

The table was beautifully decorated with roses furnished by a friend, Mrs. E. A. Rhodes.

The supper consisted of chicken stew, barbecue, fried chicken, fresh fish, weiners, ham and eggs, sandwiches and cakes of various kinds, pickles and custard, ice tea and lemonade, of which every one did their full duty to.

After supper was over all gathered on the porch and yard to hear the music. Several selections were played of which every one enjoyed very much. The guest departed declaring they had a full evening, and would like to come back again soon.

A Friend..

Our greatest joy comes from doing good. We can gain all kinds of honor in this world and wear badges of real distinction, but there is nothing that will do our own soul the good that some little deed of kindness will.

As we grow older and see a little more of this big world we wonder why more folks haven't discovered this only recipe for gilt-edge happiness.—The American Tyler-Keystone.

not in this for the money. I can make a great deal more than I get in private practice. I understand that that gambler says he will spend \$5,000 to defeat me and money is being spent. But I am not going to be defeated. You people of Little River township gave me a big majority the last time and you are going to do it again. I stand on my record. I carried out my promises. I have too much bulldog in me to be run out. I don't want to be Solicitor always, but I do want to be elected this time."

ROAD COMPLETED

The Gillette Construction Company have completed the section of highway No. 90, between Zebulon and Pilot and have moved their equipment to Bryson City in the Western part of the State. They also carried the "honor" convicts of the State with them.

Within a week No. 90 will be opened all the way from Wendell to Rocky Mount, and will be hard surfaced the whole distance.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

The Cradle-Roll Department of the Zebulon Methodist Sunday School will have special exercises next Sunday morning at ten o'clock in charge of the superintendent, Mrs. W. C. Campen. Mothers having members of this department are urged to be present. All newly enrolled babies will receive a certificate of membership.

A conference of officers and teachers of the Sunday school will be held at eleven o'clock.

ZEBULON

Central, N. C., has a young town under 20 years, located on two State highways with good roads leading in from all parts of the State with a population of more than 2,000—with more than 35 business enterprises—with one of the State's best cotton and tobacco markets.

With good churches and a high school, this town offers great possibilities to business enterprises, manufacturing plants and home seekers.

We have 5 miles of paved streets, lights, water and all city convenience. Property at its worth, not what it will be worth ten years hence.

We invite you to invest your money and grow with the town.

TO SPEAK AT LOUISBURG

Solicitor W. F. Evans will speak in Louisburg, Saturday p. m. at 3:30 o'clock in the Court House. A 15 piece boys brass band from the Goldsboro orphanage will furnish music for the occasion. The public is cordially invited. Mr. Evans is one of the best speakers in the State.

Kiwanis Banquet Last Friday Night Was A Grand Success

There was "pulled off" on last Friday evening in the Center Brick warehouse what our oldest citizens tell us was the biggest affair of its kind ever held in Zebulon. The occasion was a get-together meeting of the business men of the town and the farmers from the country around. The supper was prepared by the ladies of the Woman's Club assisted ably by Prof. P. H. Massey and other men of the town.

About 6:30 o'clock the guests began to assemble in front of the building. Probably sixty members of the Kiwanis of the Raleigh Club were present. Among these, were Sec. of State Everett, Dr. Peacock, of Shaw University, and Shaub of State College, Post Master Duncan and many other prominent men of the capital city. Dr. "Dilly" Horton was also down to refresh his mind with old land marks so as not to completely forget his knowledge of our progressive young town. One hundred and fifty of the business men and farmers of Zebulon and its environs were out to do justice to the occasion. As the man not acquainted with our people looked over the more than two hundred guests, we are sure he could not tell the merchant from the farmer or even the Raleigh business man from the Zebulon one. Not only were numbers present, but the counting numbers were there to grace the occasion.

About 7:30 the guests filed into the long bountifully laden tables that filled one side of the warehouse. And such a banquet! We were again impressed with the fact that Zebulon has about the best cooks to be found anywhere. Chicken barbecue, creamed potatoes, salad, tomatoes, rolls and corn bread, pickles, coffee, wafers and ice cream were all recognized and enjoyed by the writer and everybody else. Perhaps there were other good things that he did not recognize in the variety and abundance. And while it may not have been served "like the queen's taste," (we fully believe it was) There is no doubt but that it was served to a man's notion.

The women of Zebulon are to be congratulated on the splendid way in which they carried out so elaborate an affair without any difficulty. Souvenirs of the occasion had been provided by business concerns of Zebulon and Raleigh. Among these we recall caps from White's Ice Cream Co., pencils from the Maxwell House Coffee Co., matches, key rings, and cigarettes from other firms. Zebulon merchants furnished much of the table ware for the occasion; also the chairs were generally loaned by our furniture dealers.

A piano had been loaned for the occasion. Near the end of the meal, with Post Master Duncan as toast master, the assembly was entertained for nearly two hours with all sorts of good things. Mayor E. C. Daniel was introduced, and he stated that speaking was not his business, but that Mr. L. L. Massey, who is a good speaker, would give the address of welcome. Mr. Massey reviewed the history of Zebulon from the time it

consisted of a heavily timbered forest of pine about twenty years ago, to the present. Few towns in the State have seen a more rapid yet healthy growth. With Wakefield a mile away and Wendell three miles distant, Zebulon was handicapped, yet she has outstripped Wakefield and today is running Wendell a neck to neck race.

Mr. Sherwood Brockwell in his characteristic way gave the response.

Following these addresses, were several musical numbers. To racy music by Miss Maxine Robertson, the producer of "Rose Time," a play to be given in the interests of the Woman's Club at Wakelon, May 28, introduced some of the leading characters. She invited the banqueters to attend the performance and enjoy themselves and help the ladies at the same time. The Zebulon quartette (more properly the Wakefield quartette) gave two or three enjoyable numbers. They were followed by the Kiwanis quartette who were greatly enjoyed. A lady from Raleigh, whose name we forget sang three beautiful songs which were greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. E. H. Moser made an interesting talk on Greenville, Tenn. He was especially impressed, he said, with the fact that the merchants of the town provided a good market for everything the farmers brought in to sell. Mr. M. S. Chamblee made a very original speech on Zebulon and Zeb Vance, giving some interesting stories and remarks on Zeb. Dr. Jeter next introduced the chief speaker of the evening, Prof. I. O. Shaub of State College. Dr. Shaub spoke on the relation of the town and country especially showing how each is dependent on the other. He said the business men of Zebulon, Raleigh and other towns nearby ought to realize the need of getting into closer touch with the farmers. They must learn to co-operate and by doing so, will be able to mutually help one another. His address was very practical.

The last feature of the occasion was a contest between three Raleigh men and three Zebulon men in answering certain impromptu questions. The prize was to be a garden plow. The judges decided for reason best known to themselves that none of them deserved the prize and awarded it to "Red" Cox who had earlier in the evening entertained the audience with very vivaciously dancing the Charleston. The prize for the most merited speech was awarded to Mr. M. S. Chamblee. It was a box of candy, and he was required to share with the ladies present. Mr. McDonald of Raleigh, awarded the prizes. By the number present we hope he had at least the box to carry home to show his wife that he got first prize.

The program closed with a short address from Secretary of State Everett in which he eulogized North Carolina's past, present and future. He is a very charming and eloquent speaker and his warm thrilling words were a very fitting conclusion to a very happy and auspicious occasion.

A B. V. D. S. At The Baptist Church

CELEBRATES 60TH BIRTHDAY

Mr. S. T. Barham, of Wake Forest Sunday 2, celebrated his 60th birthday Sunday, May 23. Mr. Barham is the father of 7 children and has 20 grand children which were all present to help him enjoy his birthday. There was a large table spread out in the big oak grove loaded with good eats, such as, fried chicken, barbecue, boiled ham, pies, cakes, pickles and sandwiches of different varieties.

The birthday cake holding 60 candles of various colors formed the center piece, and on either end of the table were baskets filled with spring flowers. Grace was said by Rev. Mr. Shoe, of Wake Forest College, after which the party did justice to many good things. The afternoon was spent making pictures, and different conversation, which were interesting to all. There were present besides Mr. and Mrs. Barham, their 7 children, whom are all married, and their children as follows: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams, and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wall and family, of Rolesville, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coley, of Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Barham and family, of Rolesville, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young, of Rolesville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ethridge, of Raleigh, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Barham, of Rolesville. Other relatives present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Perry, of Rolesville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walters, of Wendell, Mrs. J. C. Mitchell, of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Stell, of Rolesville, Mr. Harold Stell, also of Rolesville.

Mr. Barham received many useful presents, which were greatly appreciated by him. About 6 p. m. the crowd dismissed themselves to go to their homes in various directions, declaring the most delightful time they ever spent.

BIG "NITE"

"Rosetime" to be given by the Woman's Club, Friday, May 28.

At last! Just what you've been waiting for, a good snappy play that will delight both young and old. Full of fun! pep! romance! sentiment! music! In fact everything entertaining.

See how as small town girl becomes a famous movie star. The piece she has to pay for that fame and how she is finally saved from a most critical situation by her home town sweetheart, who she left three years previous for the movies—most intriguing, most alluring—is the play to "Rosetime" played by a cast of unusual ability and talent. The Misses Sophia Campen, Davis, Chamblee, Ida CaBoon, Mrs. Wallace Chamblee and the Messrs Myron Horton, Prof. P. H. Massey, Wallace Temples, Marvin Winstead, William Collier, Jr., Channie Whitley.

Every one likes to see a pretty chorus girl and "Rosetime" is full of them. Mr. Ziegfeld doesn't know what he's missing by not coming to Zebulon for we are sure that if he saw the winsome Misses Hazel Weathersby, Lucia Flowers, Justine Davis, Ermah Dawson, Fanny Lou Wiggs, Biddie Campen, Marion Whitlock, Mrs. Foster Finch doing some of the beautiful snappy "Rosetime" dance, all so gorgeously costumed that when Mr. Ziegfeld left town Zebulon would be minus eight of her charming young ladies.

We can't tell you just what you're missing if you don't see "Rosetime," so be right on time at the Wakelon high school auditorium, Friday, May 28, at 8:15 p. m. and see for yourself.

"Rosetime" is being presented by the Woman's Club of this city for the purpose of raising money to build a community building.

Here's your opportunity to spend one night of good wholesome fun and also help build the so much needed community building in your city.

Come and bring the others. Miss "Rosetime" and you miss half your life—see it and live happily forever! Tickets on sale, 35c, 50c, reserved seats 75 cents.

The soil of the Nile delta is over 70 feet deep.

No, this is not a secret society, not is it anything that costs you anything to join. And it is not for the older people, either. If you work in it, it is just because you love to do it, even on a hot June day. D. V. B. S. means Daily Vacation Bible School. You say school! Yes, that's it. But you do not have to have books to study. The teacher is the only one who has a book and she has to do the studying for everybody! Now isn't that fine?

How would you young people in Zebulon like to go to a school where you would not have to study, but just learn because everything was so interesting that you would find it fun going to school? If the boys and girls of Zebulon want to go to a school like this, then watch the announcement in the Record. You who attend the Baptist Sunday school listen for the time when you are to enroll. You all meet, that is all the boys and girls between the ages of five and fifteen, at the church some afternoon and register. You may bring all the noise making things you can find along with you. After every body has given his name, then all will parade. Probably cars will be at the church waiting to carry you on a ride to Wendell or elsewhere.

On Monday morning all will gather at the church about nine o'clock where the Principal of the school, who in this case will probably be Mrs. W. K. Phillips, will meet you with a full number of teachers. Then what a fine time all will have! For three hours everyday for perhaps three weeks all will meet every morning. There will be Bible stories, sword drills, good music, playing stories, games at recess, salute the flag, and making things every day. There will be no tuition charges; it will be free to everybody, even the pencils, note books, crayola and everything else. And then every Friday afternoon there will be another automobile ride, a picnic or some other enjoyable thing.

So watch the Record next week, you who do not attend the Baptist Sunday school. Just so you are large enough to walk to the church and not old enough to get married, then you are the young people who are wanted. Stick a pin in your self right now and let it keep you from forgetting. Who ever heard of a school in hot weather that was a sure-enough-goodness vacation? Well, that is just what this school is going to be. If you don't go to Sunday school, start next Sunday. Then no matter what school you attend, you can enroll in this Daily Vacation Bible School. Just think, a school where you enjoy every bit of it and every bit of it helps you to know more and be a better boy or girl. That is just what this school is going to be, and we want every boy and girl in Zebulon and around Zebulon who can possibly do so to be present on the day of enrollment, go with us on the Big Parade, and then stay with us in everything 'til the commencement on the last day, when our fathers and mothers, big brothers and sisters and everybody else will be present to hear

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