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HOME OF ZEBULON DRUG COMPANY SINCE 1920



Drug Firm Celebrates Golden Anniversary

Fifty years of service to the community will be climaxed Tuesday morning when Zebulon Drug Company celebrates its Golden Anniversary with an open house beginning at 9 a. m. and continuing through the day until 5 p. m. There will be no receiving line, but E. C. Daniel, Sr., will be on hand to greet the thousands of friends of the drug firm who visit during the day.

Zebulon Drug Company is located at the corner of Horton and Arendell Avenues in the heart of the Zebulon business district. It occupies a two-story brick building constructed in 1920 for the firm.

The firm was originated in Wakefield, then a growing, thriving town, in 1905. Two years later it moved to Zebulon, and was first located where Kannon's Cafe is now, becoming one of the first businesses in the new community.

Mr. Daniel said he especially wants the older people of the community to come in the store on Tuesday. He hopes the open house can be a homecoming for many hundreds who will come to see old friends.

Gifts will be presented to men and women who attend the anniversary celebration, and favors will be given children.

Everyone who visits the store will register for many valuable free prizes to be awarded after a drawing scheduled for 6 p. m. Tuesday.

Prizes to be awarded after the drawing include two \$25.00 government bonds; five \$10.00 bills; a silver serving tray; and a Wadsworth wrist watch made by Elgin.

Winners do not have to be present. The persons who win the gifts will be notified if they are not in the store at the time of the drawing.

PHARMACIST



Haywood Jones

... U.N.C. graduate ...

Haywood Jones Here Since 1939

Haywood Jones graduated from the University of North Carolina School of Pharmacy in 1939. He became associated with the Zebulon Drug Company immediately following his graduation.

He grew up on a farm just outside the city limits of Tarboro. During his high school days and following his graduation from high school, he went to work for R. E. L. Cook of Tarboro.

"I worked behind the soda fountain on Saturdays in Mr. Cook's drug store," Haywood said. "It was here that I first got a taste of the drug business."

Haywood said that he had no idea of ever entering the pharmaceutical trade, even though the (See JONES, Page 12)

Druggist Helps Progress, Sees Many Changes in Half Century

E. C. Daniel, president of Zebulon Drug Company, has been a man of vision and far-sightedness and ever-minded of the advancements of both his trade and his community.

"I have always worked for the betterment of the Town of Zebulon and the surrounding communities," he said in a recent interview.

"These are my friends and folks," he continued, "and I love everyone of them."

Mr. Daniel was born in Granville County on September 15, 1885. He is the son of the late William and Esther Daniel, both natives of that locality.

At the age of seven his parents moved to Franklin County, and two years later the family moved to Wake County. He has been a resident of this community ever since.

He was a farm lad and attended to the many chores that farm boys are required to do.

"I have plowed over most of Zebulon," Mr. Daniel said, explaining that when he was a young man the town of Zebulon was not established and was just a wooded and farm land area.

He obtained his primary education at Wakelon High School and later at Page's Pharmacy School in Greensboro.



E. C. Daniel, Sr.

... former mayor ...

When he left Wakelon School he became associated in a general grocery business in the village of Wakefield. Three years later he decided to sell this business and enter the drug trade.

"My drug store was located between the Frank Massey home and the Wakefield Baptist parsonage," he said.

Some time after entering the drug business, he was encouraged by Dr. Z. M. Caveness, then a

prominent physician of Wakefield but now for many years a practicing physician of Raleigh, to enter a pharmaceutical school and become a druggist.

After receiving his pharmaceutical training he came back to Wake County and has remained here since as one of the leading druggists of the county and State.

Back in the early days, the operator of a drug store was faced with many problems and a most serious one was that of transportation. At times he had to resort to hauling his drugs and merchandise from Raleigh by wagon.

"I bought my first soda fountain from the W. H. King Drug Co. and hauled it from Raleigh by wagon," he said.

The variety of confections served at the soda fountain were not as varied and sundry as now. They served cokes, lemonade, and ice creams.

"We cut the ice from the local ponds," he said laughingly, "and stored it in sawdust ice houses."

He said the ice came from the ponds that were located on a portion of Wakelon Heights, and was then hauled to Wakefield.

Mr. Daniel said that he had to close his drug store twice daily in order to go and get the ice.

W. C. Ferrell of Wakefield built Mr. Daniel's first drug store and ice house.

Mr. Daniel has always been proud of the fact that his business telephone was the first to be installed in the town and that its number was "one."

"It was installed in 1908," he said, "by the old Will Wynne system out of Raleigh, and was a one-line system with phones at Knightdale, Eagle Rock, Wendell (See DANIEL, Page 2)

All Night Sing

On Saturday night, December 3, beginning at 8:00 p. m., in the Wakejon School Auditorium, the best quartets, trios, and vocalists in our state will gather as featured attractions to give an enjoyable evening of clean, wholesome entertainment in an all night gospel singing. It will be sponsored by the Lions of Zebulon.

Coming from all around, each and every one is well-known and has achieved acknowledgement of talent by winning different contests.

New Zebulon Corporation Formed To Manufacture Shirts, Pajamas

Louis Rosenstock, president of The Devil Dog Manufacturing Company, has announced the formation of a new corporation for the manufacture of shirts, pajamas and underwear.

The company will bear the title of Lordley, Incorporated, and its offices at present will be maintained at the local dungaree plant. Plans are being formulated for a permanent home in this vicinity for the corporation.

Harold Seavers, who will serve as vice president of the corporation, will have charge of this new enterprise. He was formerly associated with the Birnie Company of Atlanta, Ga., and Wilson Bros. Company of South Bend, Indiana.

Mr. Seavers comes from a long line of clothing manufacturers. His father operated a plant that did an estimated output of \$5,-

000,000 a year. His uncle is at present in charge of the Wilson Bros. plant at Crawfordsville, Indiana.

Mr. Rosenstock said that he feels that the company is very fortunate in securing a person of Mr. Seavers' ability, qualifications and drive. He said that Mr. Seavers comes well-equipped and able to make a successful company of Lordly corporation.

Seavers will make his home in Zebulon.

Officers of the new corporation will be Louis Rosenstock, president, Harold Seavers, vice president, Lee Doliver, secretary, and Elliot Rieger, treasurer.

The officers, including Mayor Allen Barbee of Spring Hope, are on the Board of Directors. Bourke Bilisoly of Wendell is counsel for the corporation.

Baby Found Dead

A five-month-old Negro baby was found dead in its crib recently south of the city limits of Zebulon.

Deputy Sheriff Earl Duke said the parents of the child, William and Mary Pearce, found the dead baby. Duke said there were no indications of any foul play in the death, and that the baby apparently died from choking on something.

Rural Wake County Assured Clinics If Hospital Bonds Receive Approval

Wake County citizens outside of Raleigh have again been assured that clinics would be built with approximately a million dollars of the \$5,000,000 they will be asked to approve in the county hospital bond referendum to be held December 13.

Paul Lyman, chairman of the seven-member County Hospital Authority, was questioned recently regarding the Authority's plans for clinics in the county after members of the Wake County Rural Medical Society expressed doubt that the bond vote would carry in rural Wake unless the people were informed of clinic plans.

Lyman said recently, as he has on numerous occasions, that the Authority hopes to construct a

300-bed hospital in or near Raleigh before construction of the clinics is begun.

Clinics will be constructed, he said, as they can be fitted into the total hospital program. Just when and where they will be built is not known yet, he said.

He added that no one can say at present just how much the hospital will cost but a figure of \$5,000,000 has been set by the Medical Care Commission as being adequate to finance the hospital, including a nurse's home and nurse training center.

Four of the five million dollars needed for the hospital will come from the bond money if the referendum being provided by Medical Care Commission. The estimated (See HOSPITAL, Page 8)