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Nashville's Blue Flames Beat Wakelon Bulldogs 20-7

By Bill Quick

The Nashville Blue Flames, undefeated in four games this season, parched the Bulldogs of Wakelon High 20-7 last Friday night in a game at the Wakelon Athletic Field. The Flames shriveled the hopes of the Zebulon fans in the final three minutes when substitute halfback Elton Edwards took a Tommy Wood kickoff after Wakelon scored its first TD, and meandered determinedly 77 yards for a Nashville six-pointer that clinched the victory.

Wakelon kicked to the Flames to open the contest and Nashville picked up two first downs and then was forced to punt. On an exchange of boots, Wakelon had the ball near midfield when halfback Bobby Sawyer ran 47-yards through the Nashville line to score. A backfield in motion penalty called back the TD and until the final minutes of the second quarter, no threat was made by either team.

With only minutes toward the end of the first half, Wakelon was on her own 25 and gambled on a fourth down situation. Nashville took over and in three plays went into a 7-0 lead.

The Flames second TD came late in the third when Tommy Wood attempted to boot the ball from his own 22, received poor protection and was downed on the 18. Two plays later, Nashville scored from the three. The PAT attempt was not good.

Wakelon marched 71-yards midway the fourth, picking up four first downs and on a Wood to Las-pino pass and successful PAT attempt by Randy Creech cut the score to 13-7. Bulldog star gazers saw a repetition of the 1960 game. But on the ensuing kickoff, Edwards took hero honors as he wiggled his way into the Wakelon end zone for Nashville's third TD.

The Blue Flames added another TD for good measure seconds later, but it was nullified by a clipping penalty. Wood intercepted the ball on the next play and Wakelon was in possession on the 27 when the game ended.

Of course, capitalizing on gam-

bles and turning the opposition's mistakes into the TDS is all in the game. This is no attempt to rationalize on Wakelon's loss. Rather it's to point out in the diagnosis of the game, what the key plays were.

Nashville deserved to win and we would not take away from their loss. We wish the Blue Flames all the luck in the world but Wakelon fans can be sure that when Messrs. Wood, Creech, Debnam, Ellington, Flood, Strickland et al face the Nash Countians a year hence, they'll remember.

Rolesville Next On Friday Night
The turnout at the Friday night game was the largest we can remember in three seasons and football fans in the area are to be commended for the support they've given to the Bulldogs, the coach and the school.

We hope just as large a crowd will be on hand this Friday night when Rolesville comes to the local athletic field to engage the Bulldogs. Bob Price brings a winless, yet spirited group to Zebulon and the rivalry between the two teams insures a bang-up game for local gridiron enthusiasts.

Make it a date . . . Wakelon-Rolesville at eight! We'll see you there.

Nashville Leads

Nashville continues to lead the standings in the Wake-Nash-Edgecombe Conference. With only two conference games to yet play, the Blue Flames stand as the No. 1 contender for the crown.

The standings:

Team	All	Gms.	Conf.		
	W	L	T	W	L
Nashville	4	0	0	3	0
Benvenue	3	0	1	2	0
Spring Hope	2	1	0	0	0
Wendell	1	2	0	0	1
Wakelon	1	2	0	0	2
Rolesville	0	3	0	0	2

Hospital Notes

The following were patients at Wendell-Zebulon Hospital Wednesday morning.

White

Edward Finch, Herbert Winstead, Harold Brannan, Ollie Friday, Priscilla Jones and Charlotte Barham.

Colored

Maud Rogers.

White Birth

Mr. and Mrs. William Ronald Barham of Wendell announce the birth of a baby girl Wednesday, September 27.

Bazaar Date Set; Program Is Held

The annual Methodist Church bazaar date has been set for November 14. Plans for the looked-forward-to affair were laid at the WSCS meeting Monday night.

The spiritual life and business meeting of the WSCS was at the church. Mrs. Whitley Chamblee, leader, told of the "retreat" she attended at Duke this summer.

Mrs. Frank Wall, past president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Albert Pulley, president.

The rummage sale will continue on Saturdays from 2 to 5 o'clock.

"I Was Witness"

Says Local Lady of Gas Fire

"It lit up the world," Mrs. Dorothy Lowery reported Tuesday night of the spectacular fire which threatened Morehead City with destruction. Mrs. Lowery and her husband, Aaron, were visiting the Atlantic Beach area when the first big fuel explosion took place.

According to Mrs. Lowery, the tank Potomac was unloading 35,000 drums of JP-5 jet aircraft fuel within 250 yards of the State Ports Terminal. The Captain, A. W. Hunter, began an attempt to move the tanker from its berth, but the rapidly growing fire prevented the move.

Mrs. Lowery said a boat, the

Bonnie H. picked up tanker crewmen from the water with a line.

Three Four Oaks residents, caught aboard a small boat, suffered burns from the fire which spread across the water catching them before they could escape the area.

Heading for the fire, Mrs. Lowery stopped long enough to purchase a camera and color film. "I have twelve pictures to be developed," she reported.

The Zebulon resident lauded volunteers who performed valiantly to protect life and property during the tremendous blaze.

School Plan Presented To Board; Action Delayed For Further Study

FHA Rally

To Convene At Corinth-Holders

"Have Values—Will Travel" is the unique theme to be used for the District IV Future Homemakers of America Rally to be held Saturday, September 30, at Corinth-Holders School in Johnston County.

Approximately 800 girls from the 90 schools plan to attend the rally as a group. This is intended to be a get acquainted session for the girls.

Kakie Jordan, State FHA president, will welcome the group along with H. C. Bowers, principal of the host school, and E. S. Simpson, superintendent of Johnston County Schools. A devotional "Candle of the Lord" will be pre-

sented by the Smithfield chapter. Guest speaker for the event will be Hank Wilkerson, a most effective speaker who represents the N. C. Egg Marketing Association. His topic will be "Packing Your Values."

A State recreation leader will be elected from the group and they will take part in the program relaxers. Other participating schools are Stovall, Roxboro, Wilson's Mills, Benson, Broadway and Oxford.

Approximately 20 members of the Wakelon FHA will attend this meeting, Mrs. Mary L. Palmer, leader, has announced.

The Wake County Board of Education took no action last Thursday night on the consolidation issue brought before them in a public hearing.

The hearing was for the purpose of letting school patrons from Zebulon present their consolidation plan. The plan was presented with approximately 200 people attending the meeting, the majority of them from Zebulon.

Dr. Selz Mayo, with the rural sociology department of N. C. State College, was the first speaker for the Zebulon group. He maintained that schools must be an integral part of the community life. He indicated that consolidation causes drop outs to increase, extra-curricular activities decline and the P.T.A. in name only.

Dr. Mayo proposed that the Wake Board somehow keep the schools in the community, adding that he has seen the atrocious conditions that have resulted from the current trend towards consolidation.

Dr. L. M. Massey urged the Board to conduct another study and survey of the schools. The former member of the State Board of Education suggested a territory be gotten adjacent to a community.

The proposed Bethany Church area as the site for the new high school was vehemently opposed by Mayor Ed Hales. He also said that students west of Knightdale would probably, be incorporated into the Raleigh school system eventually, and that Rolesville students should go to Wake Forest schools.

Philip Whitley of Wendell, a former state legislator of Wake County, said that if it is necessary to consolidate the Wendell and Zebulon schools, he proposed the

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Wendell Lions Having Sing; Proceeds To Help Public Library

Wendell Lions Club is sponsoring two famous singing groups in concerts Wednesday, October 4, in the Wendell School auditorium. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Wendell Public Library.

The Rangers Trio was organized in Dallas, Texas, in 1958, and after doing a series of TV and radio programs there they moved to Charlotte, where they have been featured on radio and TV regularly. Their unique sound and style have won them acclaim as being the top gospel trio of today. The Rangers make many personal appearances all over the country. They have three Long Play albums on the market that are enjoyed by their friends. Members of the Rangers are David Reece, manager, pianist, baritone and emcee; Roby McNeal, first tenor; and Clark Thompson, lead. All the Rangers are married and make their home in Charlotte.

The Harvesters Quartet was organized in Charlotte in 1955 and began doing their own TV and radio programs which they still

maintain. They grew very fast in popularity and are now considered among the very top in gospel quartets. The Harvesters are loved by everyone for their fine singing and their outright sincerity and dedication to their work. They have many fine albums and recordings that are heard and enjoyed by thousands daily. Members of the Harvesters are Bill Hefner, manager, first tenor and emcee; Buddy Parker, lead; Don Norman, baritone; Bob Thacker, bass; and Jack Clark, pianist. All the members of the group are married and make their home in Charlotte.

The program begins at eight o'clock. An admission will be charged.

Aides Certified

Six women have finished the 30-hour nurses' aide course given at Wendell-Zebulon Hospital September 5 through September 16. The women certified were Wilma Lanier, Dorothy Brantley, Helen Horton, Ruby Strickland, Judy Debnam and Pattie Perry. Mrs. Crafton Hudson was the instructor.

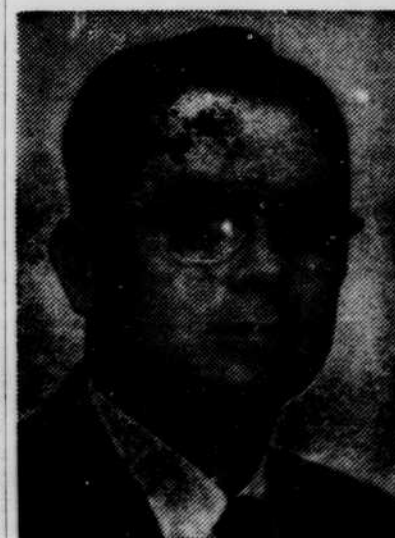
Gearheart Children Baptized Sunday

At the Sunday morning worship service at the Zebulon Methodist Church, September 24, the minister christened Pamela Rae Gearheart and Gary Martin Gearheart, children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gearheart. Pamela Rae was born May 15, 1959, in Columbia, S. C., and Gary Martin on Sept. 15, 1961, at Wendell-Zebulon Hospital.

Present for the ceremony were Mr. Gearheart's parents from Bluefield, West Virginia, and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis of Washington, D. C.

World-Wide Communion Sunday

Sunday, October 1, will be observed as World-Wide Communion Sunday around the world and members of the Zebulon Methodist Church will join in the celebration. Communion will be served on Sunday morning at 11:00 and the morning meditation will be given by the pastor, the Rev. W. K. Quick.



HAROLD COLE

Mayor's Quote

I would like to express my appreciation to those who attended the meeting held at the Wake County school superintendent's office Thursday night, September 20. This meeting was held to present the plan of consolidation to the Wake County Board of Education that would locate the school in the Wendell-Zebulon area.

T. E. Hales
Mayor

Rev. Harold Cole Fills Pulpit At Wakefield Sunday A.M.

Harold Cole, executive secretary of the Council on Christian Education, will fill the pulpit at Wakefield Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the Rev. Horace Hamm, pastor. The Rev. Mr. Hamm is conducting a revival at Immanuel Baptist Church in Kingston.

The Rev. Mr. Cole received his education at Furman University and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky. He formerly served as Baptist student director of the South Carolina Convention He has also served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Clemson, S. C., and taught in the Department of Religion at Clemson College.

Morning worship service begins at 11 o'clock.