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Announcement Of Sen. W. B. Umstead

Appointed to fill the unexpired term of Senator J. W. Bailey in the United States Senate, I shall have been a Member of the Senate for about two years at the end of said term. The ambition to serve at least a full term under a commission directly from the people is but natural, and this formal announcement that I am a candidate to succeed myself in the Senate will not be surprising.

It was my privilege to serve in the House of Representatives during the hard years 1933-1938, during which time so many difficult problems of the gravest nature had to be met and dealt with firmly by the President and the Congress. It is not comfortable even now to think of what conditions were at that time. The banks were closed, industry and business were at a standstill, agriculture was prostrate and unemployment widespread. A drastic program of recovery had to be formulated, enacted into law and executed without loss of time. In the establishment of a broad national program of recovery I tried as a Member of the House to do my part. I hope it may with due

modesty be suggested that the experience I had on a tobacco farm in Durham County where I lived and worked until twenty-one years of age may have added something helpful in a practical way to the establishment of a farm program that has meant so much to our State.

During those years much valuable legislative experience and knowledge about governmental affairs was acquired. This plus my present service is of great advantage to anyone in the Senate, and is suggested here because it may be worthy of consideration by the people of the State in selecting a candidate at a time when our nation faces so many grave problems. Whether it should be so or not, it is true that seniority and experience count in Washington.

In 1916 I finished college at Chapel Hill and taught in the High School at Kinston. In May 1917, I entered the military service of World War I. Upon my return after about twenty-three months of service, eight of which were overseas, I attended Law School at Trinity College (now Duke University). I

was licensed to practice in 1930. I served as Solicitor of the Tenth Judicial District from 1937 to 1938. After voluntarily leaving Congress at the end of 1938 I resumed the practice of law at Durham. Elected Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee in 1944. I served in that capacity during the campaign of 1944 and 1946. This greatly broadened my knowledge of people and conditions throughout the State, which is of great help to me every day now in seeking to serve the best interest of all.

There is a public record of my service and the position I have taken upon the issues of the day during the times mentioned. There are presently many important and grave questions of public concern which will doubtless be discussed in the course of the campaign. Any support that may be given me will be appreciated more than I can say, and if the people of the State honor me with a full term in the United States Senate I pledge to them the best efforts of which I am capable.

Barden Urges Aid For Schools

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26 — (Special) Congressman Graham Arthur Barden, of North Carolina in a statement today urged passage by the 80th Congress of legislation providing federal aid for the schools. Bi-partisan bills are now pending in both houses of Congress providing for appointment of federal funds among the states on the basis of their need, ability, and effort to support the schools.

Congressman Barden said: "We cannot hope to lift or even to maintain present standards of our schools and the teaching profession unless additional funds are made available for them. Some communities and states either cannot or will not provide a sufficient increase in school appropriations to take care of their school needs. I, therefore, feel that the federal government should provide help for the schools without interference with the operation and control of them by the states. This would be a wise investment in the future of our nation." Congressman Barden's educational experience gives him particular insight into school problems. He attended the North Carolina public schools and State University, and is a former teacher.

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SCRIPTURE: Acts 8:26-30. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 67.

The Personal Witness Lesson for March 7, 1948

DR. ALBERT SCHWEITZER, described by Hermann Hagedorn as "Prophet in the Wilderness," is a living example of what Sunday's lesson is undertaking to portray, namely, living for Jesus where you are. Schweitzer, at 72, is described by Hagedorn as one who "burns like Francis of Assisi and looks like Josef Stalin." But to the people of Equatorial Africa, he looks and acts like our saviour Jesus did.

The lesson passage is found in Acts 8:26-30, and is the story of Philip, leaving his very successful evangelistic campaign in Samaria to follow the lead of the Holy Spirit into the way that goeth down from Jerusalem unto Gaza, which is desert. There he found a man in search of God, and through his witness the man was saved.

THE STORY OF JESUS  
THIS man was not of Philip's race. He was an Ethiopian. But he was a man. And God loves every man of every race and of every condition of life. Jesus never did meet an unimportant person, nor will any true follower of his. Jesus said, "As the Father has sent Me, even so send I you," John 20:21.

This man was reading in the Book of Isaiah, where the prophet was foretelling how Jesus would suffer for the sins of the whole world. He could not understand the wonderful words. And the Spirit directed Philip to go and join himself to the eunuch. Philip ran to the chariot in which the rich man rode, asking, "Understandest thou what thou readest?" He was quick to give his witness. That is the first lesson of the lesson.

AND THE MAN LISTENED

WHEN we faithfully obey the Holy Spirit, he enables us to effectively witness for Jesus. We cannot be effective witnesses if we rely upon our own wisdom and our own judgment. The boy in your street who does not know Jesus will listen to your story if you go in the same glad obedience to the command of the Spirit of God as did Philip.

A lad told me this story. He had a neighbor who had never been to Sunday school, and he wanted to enlist this friend. He thought about it seriously. But he was not quite sure of himself. And then he prayed, asking God to direct him. The next day the boy asked him, "What are you doing Sunday morning?" With this opening the lad invited his neighbor to come along with him, and the result was that the little neighbor, of another race, accepted Christ as his Saviour and is today a regular attendant at church and Sunday school.

TO WHOM SHALL WE WITNESS?  
THE question now emerges. To whom shall we bear this witness? We cannot all go as missionaries, as did Dr. Schweitzer. Most of us must remain at home and carry on the work of our everyday pursuits of life.

But every Christian can witness. First, to those immediately about us. In every community in our beloved country are people who do not know Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord. We can witness to them, not to all of them, but to some of them, perhaps to one of them. And I would remind you that if you miss that particular person to whom you may be directed by the Holy Spirit, he or she may never know about the Saviour's love.

Second, we can share in the sending of the missionaries to earth's remotest bounds, through our gifts. I delight to think that I am in partnership with many great men and women on foreign fields, through my gifts and through my prayers.

Third, we can witness through personal correspondence with people in other lands. The present far-reaching media of relief for stricken peoples of the world affords a wonderful opportunity for this very witness. Ask your pastor for the name of some person your age in one of the lands to which your church is sending relief, and write that person a letter, telling of your joy in serving God.

The sunsh went on his way rejoicing. Why? Because Philip had taught him the way of salvation. He had been used as an effective witness in leading a man of another race to experience the peace that passeth all understanding. And Jesus is saying to us today, "So send I you."

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Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Isabelle P. Faison, deceased, late of Duplin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home, 103 Rotary Avenue, Greenville, North Carolina, on or before the 13th day of February, 1949, otherwise, this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.

This the 4th day of February, 1948.

William K. Faison, Administrator of Isabelle P. Faison, deceased.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR

The undersigned having qualified as Administrator of the estate of the late John J. Outlaw, deceased, of Duplin County, Glisson Township, and having qualified before the Clerk of Superior Court on the 5th day of February, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar to their recovery. All persons who are indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 5th day of February, 1948.

J. D. Outlaw, Administrator

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