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Living On Other Peoples Money.

How many people in this community are living on their own money.

If the question was put to each person individually, he unquestionably would answer that he is living on his own funds.

But are we really living on our own money?

Let's dig down under the surface and see what we find.

For the sake of argument we will assume that you are running an account with the grocer, and the butcher, and possibly other merchants.

You pay, of course, but perhaps you make settlement only every sixty or ninety days.

Now was it your money that paid the wholesaler for the goods you are using and for which you have not paid, or was it the merchant's?

And if it was the merchant's, and you have not paid him, is it your money you are living on until settlement day, or is it his?

We contend that fully one-half the people are living from day to day on other people's money, and by doing so they are themselves directly contributing to the present high cost of living.

Now control your rising anger for a moment, and we will humbly endeavor to show you why you are keeping prices up.

The average mercantile stock costs several thousands of dollars, and it must be paid for in cash or the merchant must obtain a line of credit from the wholesaler.

In turn you buy your goods from the merchant on credit, and he in self defense must add still an additional "safety" profit.

Thus two "safety" profits are added to the original selling prices of the article.

If every customer paid spot cash for his goods the merchant in turn could do the same with the wholesaler, thereby securing from the latter a discount for cash of possibly 5 to 7 1/2 per cent.

And then the merchant himself would not be required to add the "safety profit" to his goods, which would mean another substantial reduction in the price of the article and all because of the simple expediency of handling the cash over the counter.

Now doesn't it look as though this practice of living on other people's money is costing us considerably more than we are justified in paying for such a doubtful privilege?

It might require some slight inconvenience and a little temporary retrenchment in order to change over to a cash system, but if a merchant made you a flat offer of a fifteen or twenty per cent discount for cash you would jump at the opportunity.

Doesn't it appear to be to the advantage of everybody in this community to wipe out the baneful credit system and buy and sell for cash? Contributed.

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Will cure your Rheumatism Neuralgia, Headaches, Cramps, Colic, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts and Burns, Old Sores, Stings of Insects Etc. Antiseptic Anodyne, used internally and externally. Price 25c.

Winton Wavelets

Busy People From a Busy Town

Compiled and Arranged by the Herald Correspondent

Mr. I. V. Turner spent Saturday in Norfolk.

Miss Elsie Piland, of Chowan College spent from Saturday until Monday at home.

Miss Susie Brett entertained a number of her friends at her home Friday night, in honor of her thirteenth birthday.

Mrs. I. V. Turner spent Thursday and Friday with relatives in and around Euro.

Mr. H. H. Jones spent several days in Norfolk last week.

Mrs. George Browne spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Gates County.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vann, of Union, were in town Monday.

Mrs. D. D. Hale spent Saturday and Sunday in Norfolk with her son who is in St. Vincent hospital.

Little Harry Jones is very sick at this writing.

Mr. George V. Cooper left Monday for Kinston.

Mr. Biggs, the electrician was in town today.

Mrs. W. W. Rogers, of Ahoskie, visited Mrs. J. G. Newsome and Mrs. Jiz Matthews this week.

Mr. C. W. Mitchell, of Aulander, was on our streets Tuesday.

Miss Kate Blanchard, of Hertford, N. C., is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Story, of near Murfreesboro, visited Mr. R. E. Story Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. R. C. Bridger has returned home from Raleigh, Wake Forest and Durham.

Mrs. J. B. Smith left Saturday for St. Andrews hospital, Suffolk. We hope soon to hear of her recovery.

Mrs. Brack Hill and little daughter Jeraldine Page, returned to her home in Euro last Thursday.

Mrs. Richard Buck visited her daughters Mesdames Lilley and Black last week.

Mr. Ben Johnson is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Sally Cross returned to Murfreesboro after spending some time with relatives here.

Messrs Richard Jordan and Floyd Jenkins attended the recital at Chowan College Monday night.

Mrs. H. B. Knox returned home Monday from Rocky Mount where she attended the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

Monday afternoon from 3 to 5 Mrs. R. C. Bridger was at home to the members of the Episcopal church in order for them to meet their newly elected Bishop, Rev. Thos. C. Darst. Two hours were spent in friendly intercourse and the time passed quickly by. Nearly every member was present and all were loath to leave. Mrs. Bridger served a salad course in which she was assisted by the younger members of the church.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The Hertford County Union met with the Chowan church on Tuesday February 2.

There were only six churches represented, owing to the bad roads and inclement weather.

The Pres. and Vice-Pres. being absent, Mrs. Jno. Freeman presided during the morning session.

"How not to have and how to have an Ideal Society was discussed in full.

A splendid luncheon was served in the Baraca-Philathea rooms prepared by the ladies of the W. M. S. of Chowan church.

At the afternoon session Miss Willie Lambertson Vice-President of Chowan Association presided. This was more of an open conference on young peoples work. Some splendid talks were made by some of the members of the different Y. W. A. and teachers of young peoples work.

The question of supporting a missionary by the West Chowan Association on the Foreign Field was also discussed, to be decided at the next meeting of the Union, which will be the first day of June at Buckhorn church or Union.

Although this meeting was not so largely attended, it was said to be one of the best that has been held.

BISHOP MAKES VISITATION

Rev. Thos. C. Darst, D. D., the newly elected bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, made a visitation here last week to the Parish of St. John. He preached a powerful sermon from the book of Exodus, subject: "What do you hold in your hand—a rod?" to a large and appreciative. He confirmed a class of five and his closing remarks to them were helpful and uplifting.

Ten years ago this field, the Missionary District of Windsor, called Mr. Darst as their Rector, he then being at Newport News, but the time had not come for him to take up work in Carolina. So when he did decide to come this field stood ready with open arms to receive him as their bishop.

We hope Bishop Darst will enjoy his work and we will have the pleasure of hearing him often.

Menola Items

Owing to the unpassable weather Sunday morning the attendance at Sunday school was small.

Mr. Raleigh Parker, of Richmond, spent the week-end at home.

Sorry to report Miss Vera Blow on the sick list this week. Hope she will soon be well.

Miss Mabel Lawrence spent from Friday until Monday with her friend, Miss Hettie Blanchard, of Woodland.

Several of our people attended the Union Meeting at Woodland last week.

Mr. I. F. Snipes was in Ahoskie one day last week on business.

Union News

Mr. N. H. Parker who has for a number of years been clerking for Mrs. A. P. Sears, has resigned his position.

Mr. Robt. Rawls of Lewiston was in town last Wednesday.

Mr. Wave Dukes spent last week-end in Va.

Messrs E. Harrell and J. H. Lawrence were at Menola last Wednesday.

Mr. T. E. Browne of Raleigh, spent last week-end in the home of Mr. A. M. Brown.

Mr. J. E. Parker was in Lewiston Sunday. Mr. Parker held a position in Lewiston for several years. He is at home this year, but pays frequent visits to that town.

Mrs. Ida Browne is the guest of Mrs. A. M. Browne.

Listen for the wedding bells! Mr. J. H. Lawrence spent Monday in Winton.

On Friday evening February 12th, a Valentine Party will be given at the Public School Building. Dainty refreshments will be served at a very small cost. The proceeds go for the benefit of the school.

Come one and all and enjoy the amusements of the hour. On Saint Valentines Day Will you come to our party? We'll see that you have A welcome, right hearty.

Notice.

There has been taken up at the plantation of Mrs. Lizzie Jernigan in Ahoskie township one Bull Yearling, color pale red, unmarked, about one and a half years old.

The owner of this yearling can secure same by applying to Mrs. Jernigan and proving his ownership and paying all costs of advertising and keeping; otherwise same will be sold after 30 days. Jno. A. Northcott, Register of Deeds.

Winton, N. C., February 3rd., 1915.

Prompt Action Will Stop Your Cough.

When you first catch a Cold (often indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "It does not matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded. Dr. King's New Discovery soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. "It seemed to reach the very spot of my Cough" is one of many honest testimonials. 50c. at your Druggist. Adv.

Cure Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure.

The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 50c. 50c. 50c.

Resolutions of Condolence and Respect.

Having been appointed by the Holly Spring Baptist Church in conference to draw up resolutions of condolence and respect in memory of our dear friend and beloved sister, Mrs. W. D. McGlohon. And as it seemed good to our Heavenly Father to call from among us our well beloved sister; We surrender to His infinite power and knowledge. We hereby;

Resolve 1st, That in the death of sister McGlohon we realize that we have sustained a great loss, Both church and community.

2nd, That we give recognition to the faithfulness and willingness that the deceased always responded with in every need and work of the church during the whole of her long consecrated and useful life.

3rd, That her ever constant and thoughtfulness of others and the rays of brightness she shed for all, should be an example to us and encourage us to continue the work of our Father in cheerfulness and hope.

4th, That feeling our loss to be Heaven's gain; We bow to the omnipotent God realizing that it is only temporary. She has won her crown; we hope to join her there.

5th, That we tender our deepest and warmest sympathy and affection to the bereaved family and relatives, and pray God's blessings and comfort on them in their lonely hours of grief.

6th, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Hertford County Herald for publication. That a copy shall be sent to the Biblical Recorder for publication and that a permanent record of them be made in the minutes of our church.

K. R. Isreal, H. A. Piland, Committee.

Dr. R. T. Vann to Leave Meredith

Meredith College is to lose Dr. R. T. Vann as its president. He has given out the statement that he had tendered his resignation in order to accept the position of the secretary of the Board of Education recently created by the Baptist State Convention.

Dr. Vann's resignation is not to become effective till the close of the present session of Meredith College. At an early date there will be held a meeting of the board of trustees of the college to take up the matter of a successor to Dr. Vann. Asked last night if he knew of any one in view as president of the institution Dr. Vann said that he knew of none.

That Dr. Vann is to leave Meredith College will be a source of regret to all the friends of that great Baptist college for the education of young women. Dr. Vann has been an educator for many years. For fifteen years he has been president of Meredith College, and that institution has grown and flourished under his administration, being a power for good in its work and influence. Raleigh will regret that he will be taken from this city, as his new position will take him to Durham.

As secretary of the new board Dr. Vann will be its executive head. His duties will have to do with the correlating of the work of the Baptist high schools and colleges of the State, a position of the greatest importance in the educational work of the Baptists of the State. That the board has made a wise choice is the opinion of those who know of the work to be done and the qualifications of Dr. Vann. He is in close touch with the Baptists of the State and he will be a tower of strength to the board which as one its duties is to have charge of the collection of funds for the four Baptist institutions of the State, with charge also of the matter of ministerial education.—News and Observer.

Turkeys For Sale.

I have some Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Apply to W. T. HOLLOWAY, R. F. D. No. 4, Ahoskie, N. C.

Are They Fakirs?

A man and woman is making their rounds throughout this section canvassing for a set of books that they claim to be recommended by Supt. Joyner. We have not heard of any direct sale they made. They approached one teacher and told her that the editor of the Herald had offered them a certain sum for a set of books, but they could not sell them to any other person than a teacher.

The matter has been taken up with Supt. Joyner, and we hope to publish his letter next week.

A Test for Liver Complaint Mentally Unhappy—Physically Dull.

The Liver, sluggish and inactive first shows itself in a mental state—unhappy and critical. Never is there joy in living, as when the Stomach and Liver are doing their work. Keep your Liver active and healthy by using Dr. King's New Life Pills; they empty the Bowels freely, tone up your Stomach, cure your Constipation and purify the Blood. 25c. at Druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve excellent for Piles. Adv.

OUR ADVERTISING COLUMNS are read by the people because it gives them news of absorbing interest. People no longer go looking about for things they want—they go to their newspaper for information as to where such things may be found. This method saves time and trouble. If you want to bring your wares to the attention of this community, our advertising columns Should Contain Your Ad

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Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days Your druggist will refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

U. Vaughan's "The Quality Store" MURFREESBORO, N. C. IS THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR Hardware, Farm and Garden Tools Plows and Casting and American Wire Fencing. The kind that has been tried and proven to be the best. Carload just received, 6 and 12 inch mesh, 3 to 5 feet high. PRICES RIGHT. Get Our Prices Before Buying. WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION. U. VAUGHAN Murfreesboro, N. C.

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A LITTLE MORE FOR YOUR MONEY We'll give you a little better Groceries than any other store. We'll be a little more appreciative than any other store. We'll give you a little better service than any other store. We'll try to make this store indispensable to your ideas of service and economy. We'll give you a little better value for your money than any other store. And we'll make it a store that You will be glad to call Your store. For We Want Your Patronage. GARRETT & BAKER Ahoskie, N. C.

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