

Wallace Enterprise

OF DUPLIN COUNTY

Published Every Thursday By
THE WELLS-OSWALD PUBLISHING CO.
Wallace, N. C.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES IN Duplin and Pender Counties	
One Year	\$1.00
Six Months	.50
Three Months	.25
Elsewhere	
One Year	\$1.50
Six Months	.75
Three Months	.50

W. G. WELLS Editor
W. L. OSWALD Superintendent

This paper does not accept responsibility for the views of correspondents on any question.

Entered as Second Class Matter January 19, 1923, at the Postoffice at Wallace, North Carolina, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Thursday, December 31, 1936

1937 will be a good year for the person who fights to move ahead.

FOR 1937: LET'S LOOK OURSELVES IN THE FACE

The beginning of a New Year always appeals to the individual who is easily led into thinking that something new really starts and affords an opportunity for inaugurating better days for human beings, governments and associations.

The attitude thus created is not without value even if the illusion of beginning over again must be made real by the labor of the person affected. The reader of this article, if so minded, can make the era of new events come true but it depends entirely upon the will power, the stamina and the courage of the party involved.

Since there are, no doubt, hundreds of people in this county who will look forward to 1937 with bright hopes and high aspirations, it is not amiss to give them some encouragement. There is no reason why individuals should not take the New Year as a time for checking up, to weigh progress made and to plan advances for the future. Every man and every woman desires improvement and to dwell upon your own state in frankness with yourself is the first step forward.

Throwing aside all the advanced talk of mental scientists it may be assumed that the first duty of the individual is self-development. Properly understood this includes all the rest of the program. The person who develops properly is able to understand others and to make himself, or herself, understood in a world that is complex with problems and confused with error. It is an achievement that few of us realize.

We believe it is a good plan to give a few hours to self-analysis regularly and New Year's day is apt to find us in such a mood. As a practical method, let us suggest that you write down, for your private contemplation, a list of vices and virtues, making a sort of balance sheet of your personal qualities. When you have done this, study the results a bit.

Spread out a little further and include a listing of your activities in your community. Put down in writing, if you will, the names of the local organizations that, you think, deserve your support and, also, the operations in your area that do not, in your opinion, deserve your sanction. When you finish, check up on your contribution, in service or cash, to make these agencies function. It will give you an idea of what lies ahead of you.

You should not fail to note that you are a complex human being, with three phases intermingled to make a person. What of your physical condition? What of your mind? What of your spiritual nature? Are you conscious of recent improvement in any line or does frustration register as you contemplate what might have been? Anyway, look at the report frankly and make up your mind. It is the step toward getting somewhere.

No personal inventory would be complete without some analysis of your use of time and money. Time is the essence of life, as someone has well said, and most of us waste much of it without ever thinking that we are spending life itself. Money, a necessary commodity under present civilization, often assumes strange forms in our thinking and therefore we fail to establish a correct personal relationship to it. Time and money, vital to every life, should not be confusing but both will bother us unless we do some clear thinking.

Anyway, as 1937 gets underway there should be some realization of the duty involved in developing our individual personalities to the highest possible level, a desire to understand, as far as we may, the task assumed and a firm determination to make progress toward the goal in the days that stretch before us.

KIND WORDS FOR LEGISLATORS

Congress will soon assemble to consider the state of the Union and to determine what legislation, if any, should be passed for the benefit of the people of the United States.

The duty assumed by Congressmen is rarely understood by the voters. The men who compose the two houses are not super-men. They cannot lay claim to all wisdom and, at best, the most that an individual member can do is to try to do the best possible in the light of the circumstances around him.

Inasmuch as it is quite common for disgruntled constituents to blame luckless representatives for many ills, most of which they are entirely unable to relieve, it might be a generous thing, just before the next session opens, to say a few words in praise of the legislators of the United States.

Of course, we realize that there are worthless men elected to high office and that they do not add prestige to the workings of democracy. However, by far the majority of those who engage in public service are imbued with a desire to be effective and to make positive contributions to the welfare of the nation and its citizens.

With this in mind, let's pause a moment in contemplating personal affairs and give a greeting to all legislators in Washington, the State capitals and minor legislative assemblies. Let's hope that they have more wisdom than we think they have, that their labors will bear abundant fruit and that their work will rebound to their own credit and the betterment of their constituents.

RIISING PRICES MAY HURT

The rising price of wheat is welcomed by wheat growers. While an advance means more money for the wheat on hand today, it may cause the production of an excessive crop in 1937 with consequent price collapse which will take a heavy toll from all growers.

This paper realizes that much has been accomplished for the farmers during the past four years and that much more will have to be accomplished before the cash income of farmers attains the level of 1928. While prices have shown great improvement over the depression years, they have been sustained, in part, by reduced production. The farmers' goal will not be reached until a fair price is obtained for normal production. While this is desirable, it will not be accomplished by violent fluctuation of production and prices but rather by the slow improvement of international markets for agricultural products.

While the gain in wheat prices has been spectacular, a rise has been seen in cotton, cotton seed oil, other foodstuffs, wool, leather and hides. With these crop prices going up, farmers will probably be enticed into planting submarginal lands which the nation has been painfully taking out of cultivation. There is also apt to develop something of a speculation in land values, with increasing and growing mortgages, which will mean heavy losses when the price level recedes. It should be observed that recent gains are attributed by many experts to purchases made by Europe in anticipation of a probable war.

LIFTED

WOULD BE 80

The News and Observer, Monday, Dec. 28 Eighty years ago today Woodrow Wilson was born in the Presbyterian Manse in Staunton, Va., of Ohio parents who became Southerners of "the straightest" quality.

The war President, reared in the South in Reconstruction days, felt deeply the tragedies of that period so vividly recently portrayed in "Gone With the Wind". Though most of his mature years were spent in Northern universities he never lost the feeling of the Reconstruction wrongs. He was as broad as the continent in his sympathies but regarded himself as a Southerner of the widest sympathies.

"When I am dead you will find 'Calais' written on my heart", said Queen Mary. If he had spoken the language of his inner self, Woodrow Wilson would have said as the lengthening shadows fell upon him: "When I am dead you will find the 'League of Nations' written on my heart". He died believing that the spirit of the League would one day put an end to human slaughter. Not long before the "sunset and evening star" for him, Woodrow Wilson said to a very dear friend who shared his faith that wars could and would be ended:

"Do not trouble about the things we have fought for. They are sure to prevail. They are only delayed. . . . And I will make this concession to Providence—it may come in a better way than we proposed."

In this day of the hectic fashioning of armaments, of armies and navies, it is not easy to be steadfast in the faith that inspired Wilson. But as the darkest hours are just before dawn so the light irradiating from Peace may bless this troubled world and the dream of Woodrow Wilson be realized.

MY HOMAGE

By Leleta Kenan

O, lovely star of the East, to night
To you I must humble homage pay.
(Thou, blessed of all the heavenly light,
To be chosen above His head to stay!

Don't you feel His love? It descends
To me, undeserving, thou purst on it.
On it many a turn of fortune depends;
But not only I have beheld the blue.

Delight was not meant alone to dwell—
If it were so, no Savior we'd need;
Disappointment is a part of every cell
And to better and worse each act must lead.

But for meeker souls, who shame to express
Their great gratitude of gruesome years,
I perform my duty, and firmly stress
The smothered fact: there's need in tears.

Of hearty thanks. Why can't they see
Their blessings, when they come, bountiful?
Why, for each worry He sends handy a sea
Of cures; for each pain a lofty crown full.

With the soothing sweet of His skillful joy,
Since before the wiles of the old Rome age
There've been friends, and from love, joy
He made born the One who receives my homage.

Teachey News

Judge Leo Carr and daughter, Miss Betty Jane of Burlington spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Carr.

Henry V. Ward of Maxton Junior College is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Janie Ward.

Miss Dorothy Turner of New York City is visiting friends and relatives here.

Henry D. McMillan of Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McMillan.

Friends of this community were agreeably surprised at the marriage of Lucian Wells to Miss Estelle Taylor of Rocky Point. Mr. Wells is a son of Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Wells and a graduate of Davidson College and Miss Taylor was a member of our school faculty for four years and is a very fine young lady and we are proud to welcome her, and have her to make her home with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Ennis of Richmond, Va., spent the holidays with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McLendon spent the holidays at his father's home in Burgaw.

R. W. Wells and daughter, Miss Sally M. Wells of Greensboro are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Dunn are spending the holidays at his parents' in Concord.

Mrs. T. R. McMillan, Minnie Ward and Ernest David of Rockingham are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Carr of Dunn spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Carr.

This community was shocked Saturday night in the death of one of its most prominent and beloved citizens, Mr. Eugene G. Forlaw. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Jack Carroll and daughter, Miss Rachel Wells spent Monday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan and twins of Greensboro, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Chas. H. Hearn and Mrs. J. D. Mallard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Isley of Guilford spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. E. G. Forlaw and family.

Miss Maud Carr of Wilmington spent Christmas with her parents.

Worth Turner of Louisville is spending the holidays with his father, Bert Turner.

L. C. Huffines of Guilford College spent several days with

Mrs. A. R. Bland, Sr., was hostess Wednesday evening when she entertained a number of the town's younger set, honoring her son, A. R. Bland, Jr., a student in Maxton Junior College, who is spending the holidays at home. Decorations were suggestive of Christmas. Several games were enjoyed. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Alderman Christmas day were Frank Alderman of Elizabethtown, Mrs. Maggie Alderman of Rose Hill.

Mrs. Rachel Southerland had as her guests Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan and children, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Exie Croom Hume of Burgaw.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stanford, of Lynchburg, Va., were weekend guests of Mrs. Stanford's father, C. C. Moore.

Mrs. W. B. Herring, who is a patient in a Kinston hospital, is reported to be improving.

A number of local people attended the funeral of Eugene Forlaw in Teachey.

A. R. Bland, Sr., who was ill Saturday night, is recovering.

House guests of Mrs. Sarah Reid and Mrs. Laurie Harrell during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reid, Billie, George and Annie Reid, of Savannah, Ga.; Mrs. Julia Young, of Savannah, Ga., and Daniel Reid of Greensboro. Other guests Christmas day were Paul Newton, Jr., Graham Grady, Grady Fussell, of Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore

his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Forlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Fields, and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Dunn were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boney.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Huffines of Cameron attended the funeral of Mr. E. G. Forlaw Sunday.

Jacob Ward of Fort Bragg is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Janie Ward.

James Rivenbark of Greensboro is spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wells and family are spending the holidays in Charlotte.

Miss Hagler of Columbia, S. C., is visiting Mrs. J. L. Wells.

Moyer McMillan and Miss Jarman of Kinston were in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Forlaw of Mullins, S. C., attended the funeral of his brother, Mr. E. G. Forlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boney spent Christmas in Rowland.

Misses Katherine Bland, Genelle Rouse, Mary J. Mallard, Madeline Hearn, Nell Forlaw, Mrs. Chas. H. and Walden Hearn attended the young people's rally at the First Presbyterian Church, in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Huffines, Jr., of Greensboro attended the funeral of Mr. E. G. Forlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wells and family are spending the holidays in Monroe.

Mr. Knox and son of Charlotte are visiting Rivers Rouse and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Forlaw of Greensboro spent a few days with Mrs. E. G. Forlaw and family.

Miss Melva Forlaw, student nurse of James Walker Hospital, is at home for the holidays.

Rev. S. G. Harness filled his appointment at the Presbyterian Church Sunday night.

Mrs. Jane Knight and son of Guilford were guests of Mrs. E. G. Forlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carr of near New Bern were at his father's home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Blanton and children spent Christmas in Mt. Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Blanton and children spent Christmas in Mt. Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Holland spent Christmas in Goldsboro.

J. D. Mallard of Greensboro spent Christmas at home.

Miss Eugenia Forlaw of Enfield spent the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rouse and family spent the holidays at Magnolia.

Rose Hill News

Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Mallard of Goldsboro were the recent guests of Dr. Mallard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mallard. A daughter of Dr. Mallard, Miss Lessie Pratt Mallard, remained for a week's visit with her relatives here.

Miss Mildred Batts of Wallace is visiting Miss Pauline Scott.

Guests of Miss Thelma Mallard Scott during the week-end were Miss Milda Gray Whaley of Rocky Mount and Miss Mabel Royal Faircloth of Faison.

Mrs. M. G. Early, Misses Dorothy and Mildred Early, of Thomasville visited relatives here the past week. On their return to Thomasville they were accompanied by Mrs. L. K. Alderman, L. K. Alderman, Jr., and little Miss Marilyn Alderman, who will remain for a visit with Mrs. Early.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Starling were A. D. Ward of New Bern, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Allen, of Delway.

Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Benton and children of Benson visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Mary Forlaw and Miss Margaret Forlaw are visiting Mrs. Forlaw's daughter, Mrs. C. Leouwenburg, in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forlaw are spending the holidays with Mrs. Forlaw's relatives in North Wilkesboro.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Barnes attended a Christmas program at Concord Baptist Church on Tuesday evening. A pageant, "The Bells of Bethlehem", was given. The presentation was directed by Miss Josephine Wilkins. A Christmas tree with gifts was the closing feature.

Teachers who have returned to their homes here for the holidays are Miss Sallie Mae Johnson, Orrum; Miss Sallie Henderson of Nahunta; John Farrior, Magnolia; Miss Mary Lou Wilkins, Wallace; Miss Sallie Wilkins, Harrell's Store; Eldon Rogers, Bailey, and Miss Kathleen Brice, Calypso.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Johnson, who have been in Scotland Neck for several weeks, visited relatives here the past week.

Misses Sudie, Rachel, and Marie Herring, and Miss Dorothy Fussell, students in Flora MacDonald College, are spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Wells of Atkinson were recent guests of Mrs. Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hawes.

Dallas Herring, a student in Davidson College, is at home for the holidays.

Sidney Rich, who has been employed for some time in Richmond, is visiting his parents.

Marvin Teachey, a student in Richmond, is visiting his parents.

W. S. Wells, Jr., who suffered an attack of pneumonia last week, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wells were guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farrior in Willard.

Frederick Scott, who holds a position in Philadelphia, visited his parents here last week.

Emmons Scott and Talmadge Jones, who are stationed at the Southport CCC camp are at home now.

David Vernon Sellars, who is stationed at the CCC camp in Washington spent the holidays at home.

Bernard Fussell is recovering from an operation for appendicitis in a Wilmington hospital.

The Rehobeth Chapter, O. E. S., held its monthly meeting Friday afternoon.

Guests of Mrs. Lucian Bradshaw Christmas day were her mother, Mrs. G. C. Holland, of Pink Hill; Misses Grace and Leatrice Holland of Pink Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw of Richmond, Va., visited relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw now residing in Richmond, where Mr. Bradshaw recently accepted a position.

Miss Estelle Fussell, who holds a position in Winston-Salem, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fussell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fussell visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Fussell was formerly Miss Agnes Harrell of Rose Hill.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E.

Teachey Christmas day were Mrs. Teachey's father, Dr. J. M. Murphy, Misses Velma, Margaret, and Jessie Murphy, and Miss Eunice Thompson, Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lichfield of Aurora were guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fussell.

Miss Eunice Teachey, who is a student nurse in a Wilmington hospital, was home last week.

Miss Lucile Teachey of Wilmington recently visited her parents.

John Ivy and Henry Matthews, who are students at U. N. C., are spending the holidays at home.

Miss Ruth M. Fussell is visiting relatives in Scotland Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fussell of Holly Springs are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fussell of Stedman were guests of relatives here this week. They were accompanied by a daughter, Miss Elizabeth Fussell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Sheffield of Warsaw were guests Christmas day of Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Teachey.

Mrs. J. A. Teachey had as her guests Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rouse, of Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Teachey, with other members of their family, visited Mrs. Collie Hanchee, in Wallace Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Butler, Jerome and Miss Myra D. Butler, were recent guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hatcher visited relatives here Friday.

Miss Maeford Hatcher of New York City visited relatives, and friends in this section the past week.

Miss Olivia Turner is spending some time in Fremont, where she is visiting friends.

J. D. Jerome and Doane Fussell are spending some time here.

J. L. Baldwin of Wilmington was a recent visitor in town.

Miss Janet Dobson of Kenansville is visiting Miss Lila Mae Carr.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dew were Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dobson, Kenansville; Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Rivenbark, Wallace; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sams, Willard; Mrs. Alvin Murphy, Willard; Mrs. Mary Alderman and Mrs. Maggie Alderman, Rose Hill.

Kenansville Happenings

Christmas Party
Mrs. John A. Gavin entertained at one of the prettiest parties of the season, honoring the members of her card club Tuesday of last week. Each guest was given an attractive Christmas tally with a number, the numbers corresponding with a gift to be found by each member on a beautifully decorated tree. When scores were added, Mrs. C. B. Guthrie held high, for which she was given a beautiful party handkerchief.

Mrs. J. E. Jerritt received individual powder puffs for second high. Dainty refreshments were served.

Birth Party
Mrs. C. B. Guthrie entertained a number of boys and girls on Christmas Eve, honoring her son, Charles, Jr., on his ninth birthday. Mrs. Penney directed the games for the little folks. After much fun both indoors and out, the guest of honor served refreshments to his little friends. Each guest present was given a miniature Santa Claus as favor of the jovial occasion. Charles, Jr., received many attractive gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Penney had as their guests during the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Martin and son of Norfolk, Va., Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kaser, Jr., and daughter of New Bern, also Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Penney of Beulaville.

Mrs. S. F. Emory is visiting her sister, Mrs. Penney.

Mrs. Hattie Kornegay and daughters, Misses Margaret and Virginia Kornegay of Goldsboro, also Edward S. Kornegay of Washington, D. C., spent Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Boney.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingram and children of Burgaw, also Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ingram of Sarecta, spent Christmas here with Mrs. Annie Ingram.

Mrs. Wilbur Adams of An.

(Please turn to Page Five)