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Carolina Counties

Guilford Leads With \$7,453,043; Watauga's Indebtedoms Placed at \$706,582

The average county in North Carolira has a county-wide debt of \$1.-386,022 and a township and and district debt amounting to \$501,215, leaving, when the debt of towns and cities is excluded, the average county issue of the University News Letter.

A study of the figures, says the publication, reveals that 33 counties have a debt in excess of the average amount and 67 less than the aver-Only 29 counties have less than a million dollars of indebtedness. Guilford has the largest indebtedness, \$7,453,043, and Currituck the smallest, \$164,665.

The University publication places Watauga's indebtedness at \$706,-582, or \$49.90 per capita. Ashe county has a debt of \$1,673,567; Avery \$604,735, Caldwell, \$1,073,and Alleghany, 231,455.

"If we rank the counties on the basis of per capita indebtedness," publication states; "using estimated population for 1927, we find the medium county has a per capital debt of \$90.95. Cartaret has the heaviest per capital debt. \$197.20 equivalent to a mortgage of \$1,000 on every family in the county."

Juckson, Henderson, Iredell, Montgomery, Pamico and Branswick fol-low in the order named, each having per capita debt in excess of \$100. Northampton citizens are least burlened by debt, the per capita in that ounty being \$14,20. Incidentally, Northanguen rank-

ear the top in school efficiency.
Other counties," says the News Letter, "might find it advantageous to look into Northampton's methods of county administration," Curricuck, Hoke, Gates, Camdon, Alleshary and Dare counties each have less aggregate debt than North-ampton, but not to small a per capita debt.

The annual interest charge the bonded indebtedness average county and its special distriets is \$75,635.05—a total annual interest charge of \$101,730.15, asuming an interest rate of 514 per cent on the floating indebtedness.

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a hundred per cent last Sunday." ... Bo: "But I didn't see you on the

furnace and my profanity is now practically perfect.

Deeply in Debt GOVERNOR SMITH

New York Executive Tells Democrat ic Leaders that Party Must Adhere to the Principles of Jeffer-

cities is excluded, the average county Governor Alfred E. Smith's letter debt of \$1.887,237, says the current read at the Jackson Day dinner in District Commissioner D. P. Weke

ic Leaders that Party Mast Adhere to the Principles of Jefferson and Jackson

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"The Democratic party deserves success in the nation, but, in my opinion, cannot attain it by retying

Greensbore, Jan. 17.—The suicide

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Wilson administration London was from that experience, I offer these ter Sergeant B. F. Beicher, of El naval aide to President Wilson. suggestions herein contained to the berton, Ga.

She: "Thank the Lord it's not pay as the thin but fill the stage thorized by the 1927 general assem-

Game Preserve For

OUTLINES VIEWS State Fish and Game Commis Wants to Lease 500 Acres fr

opinion, cannot attain it by reiving wholly upon the mistakes of its positive confidence by a constructive, forward looking platform with promises of material betterment for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best promises of material betterment for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best promises of material betterment for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best promises of material betterment for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best promises of material betterment for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best promises in which he placed the United States as needed on continuous to the revolting case. The farmer a man of 57 years and of strong build, was needed at 2 a.m. talking to himself by other prisoners. At 8 this morning in the Guilford superior court for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best possible solution to the revolting case. The farmer a man of 57 years and of strong build, was need at 2 a.m. talking to himself by other prisoners. At 8 this morning in the Guilford superior court for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best possible solution to the revolting case. The farmer a man of 57 years and of strong build, was need at 2 a.m. talking to himself by other prisoners. At 8 this morning in the Guilford superior court for the outraging of his two daughters, was hailed as the best possible solution to the revolting case. The farmer a man of 57 years and of strong build, was need at 2 a.m. talking to himself by other prisoners. At 8 this morning in the Guilford superior court of the news world but this sneech was filled with the mist of country are demand, it being estimated that the most powerful nation of the new world but this sneech was filled with the most powerful nation of the new world but this sneech was filled with the most powerful nation of the new world but this sneech was filled with the most being sufficient seed to supply the demand, it being estimate "If I may be pardoned for a definite suggestion at those time, I conture to say that the declaration of
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control task of preparing a platform.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Claude Ovens of Valdese

He: "They say radio is in its in"Yes the manager is very econo- will probably meet this week to
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Watauga County & EACE MUST

President Coulidge Tells Pan-American Conference That Only Thru-Conciliatory Methods Can All Na-

capital city of Cuba, Long before he come out of the national palace again about the first of March and county, has been a student at the with President Machado to start the will remain here until the crop is Normal for several years. tion, the platform, where finally will the legislation of the line of great a tendency to speak of the political outleak for great a tendency to speak of the political outleak for man, as could obtain places in the the undertaking, and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty, Miss Annie Dougherty will produce more "speaks" than is not a produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the undertaking, and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty, Miss Annie Dougherty will produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty will produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty will produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty will produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty will produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the time of the tine of the the undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty will be undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty will be undertaking and it is safe to D. D. Dougherty and Mr. Graydon Eggers, who will produce more "speaks" than is not appearant to the constitution of the plant of the through the first the time of the time of

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be the president's noval aide at latth, get the party nowhere. We key and during the Pan-American have had sufficient experience slowed in form that experience, I offer items to Perfection avail aide to President Wilson.

Perfection

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But But I didn't see you on the link."

"Sincerely yours, "Sincerely yours, "Ob you notice how fat all the form and my profamity is now tractically perfect."

"Do you notice how fat all the forms are?"

"Yes the manager is very econo-"

"I at the party nowhere. We is from Ashevilles N. C. were Lieutenant J. F. Plachta, of Pittsburry, and Mass ter Strict, and Massic. Aum to Washington. Jan. 17.—With the Rachel Swift died on the mourning of Aster lowes have the wounts of the mourning of the the nominary of Electors, and Massic. Aum to Washington. Jan. 17.—With the Rachel Swift died on the mourning of the manager is from that experience, I offer itesson of Havana at Mass the wide do the mourning of the manager is send to the industry and Mass. She the wide on the mourning of the the nominary President's Train, and Mass the washington. Jan. 17.—With the Rachel Swift died on the mourning of the manager is send to the mourning of the Intention of the washington. Aum to Washington. Aum to Washington Jan. 17.—With the Washington Jan. 17.—With the Washington Jan. 1

those wooden legs?" Pluvius: "Lumbering, old deah."

Much Interest Shown In Potato Culture

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FARMER, TAKES OWN LIFE ton of the principles of justice and problem faced by the farmers in problem faced by the farmers in the county this year will be seen waraugans at Carson.

any time in her history.

| cation was quite extensive. "No, expensive,"

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR SHIRT PLANT

FI'E CENTS A COPY

New York Manufacturer Goes Over Local Situation With Business Man; Will Submit Proportion in

fied seed potatoes. Wataugn seed ers will be leaving for that institu-have been tried out in the eastern tion within the next week. They are part of the state and have proven Miss Gladys Swift and Charles highly successful; the only trouble Farthing of Hoone and Misses Angle has been supplying them in suffic Mae and Vora Sherwood of Cove count quantity to interest the large Creek. Mention may also be made growers.

Mr. Costello will be in the county though she halls from Alleghans

Appalachian State Normal

EAST TENNESSEE DEFEATS ALAMANCE MAN SHOT AS HE NORMAL, SUGRE 22 TO 34 PUACHASED THEATRE TICKET

attempt the final 1,000 miles, a trip "I presume your daughter's edu-cation was quite extensive." by airplane over the pole similar to the one he made across the North Pole region a few years ago.