

# U. S. Spending Reveals Many Inequalities In Taxes

## North Carolina Schools Suffer Most Directly

Pays Highest Federal Tax Of Any State In Union  
**\$80.27 PER PERSON**

New York.—By outright gifts, by loans secured and unsecured and by expenditures for the normal costs of maintaining government, the United States expended more than 11 thousand million dollars last year.

To meet this tremendous outlay, the Government levied taxes, collected the receipts of its customs duties and borrowed the remainder.

The bulk of the money was borrowed. In total the borrowing exceeded eight thousand million dollars.

To answer in definite form the questions being asked more and more frequently: "Where does the money come from?" and "Where does the money go?" the Hearst newspapers presented last Sunday an itemized report showing the nation's revenues and its extraordinary or emergency expenses.

The Federal budget for normal expenditures, totaling more than three thousand million dollars, purposely was omitted from the report.

From the table of Federal revenues, as presented by the Hearst newspapers, one fact stands out with startling clarity. The present Federal taxing system results in gross inequalities.

The people of North Carolina, for example, pay \$260,405,991 in taxes, or at the rate of \$80.27 per person. The bulk of this total comes from the levy on tobacco.

The people of North Carolina pay the highest per capita Federal tax of any State in the country. Whether there is direct connection may be questioned, but the fact remains that nowhere in the United States has education suffered more severely during the depression than in this same State.

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CAMBRIDGE . . . Ann Burlak (above), a fiery textile labor orator was invited to leave the sidewalks of New York long enough to address Harvard students, whose noisy welcome startled Ann.

672,239,194 from all States and territories during the last fiscal year.

New York State contributed more than 21 per cent. of the total, the amount collected from the State being \$568,022,279, or at the rate of \$43.88 per capita.

The little State of Delaware, with a population of only 240,000 paid in \$18,018,636, or at the rate of \$75.07 per capita. But Delaware must be classed as an exception. There are hundreds of corporations doing business in other States which for various reasons, maintain their home offices in Delaware.

The Government, collecting an income tax both on corporations and individuals, receives as a result an unusually large sum from Delaware.

But Virginia, another tobacco State, paid in \$122,662,243 last year, at the rate of \$50.37 per person.

Compare these figures with those for half a dozen other States chosen at random.

New Mexico paid no gift tax at all, contributed only \$8 as a result of the tobacco tax and wound up the year with a total payment of \$870,198, or at the rate of \$2.02 for each of its 431,000 citizens.

It was Mississippi, however, that shouldered the least burden of all States last year. The State paid in \$2,315,293, which compared with its population of 2,036,000, showed a per capita tax of only \$1.13.

The Federal tax, figured on a per capita basis, was \$1.90 in South Dakota; in North Dakota it was \$2.52; in California it was \$25.72, and in Illinois it amounted to \$27.73.

### Crack Safe Of Concord Store

Concord.—Striking with swift and unerring accuracy, expert yeggmen cracked the safe at Efird's department store, in the heart of the city's business section, Monday night or early Tuesday morning and got away with between \$1,500 and \$2,000 in cash, the exact amount not having been immediately determined. It is believed to be the largest robbery in Concord's history.

Entrance was gained by prying the lid of a trapdoor on the roof, the thieves reaching the second floor interior by gaining foothold on a row of shelves. From that point the distance to the office on the mezzanine, where the safe is kept, is but a short flight of stairs. City police officers who investigating were unable to find anything that even remotely resembled a clue.

Some folks object to getting their hands dirty, but they might be reminded that there is such an article as soap which can be had most anywhere.

### Lady Went Back To Taking CARDUI and Was Helped

For severe periodic pains, cramps or nervousness, try Cardui which so many women have praised, for over fifty years. Mrs. Dora Dungan, of Science Hill, Ky., writes: "Several years ago, when I was teaching school, I got run-down and suffered intensely during menstruation periods. I took Cardui and was all right again. After I was married, when I felt all run-down and was irregular, I always resorted to Cardui and was helped. . . . It may be just what you need. Thousands of women testify Cardui benefited them. If it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician. Sold in 41 bottles."

### Rowan Farmers Enter Exhibit

First entries from North Carolina for the International Grain and Hay Show, to be held in connection with the International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago December 1 to 8, were made by T. R. Nichols and W. A. Hayes, of Purlar, and James A. Patterson, of Salisbury. All will exhibit white corn, and Patterson has listed additional entries for the lespedeza seed classes.

According to officials of the crops contest, which is the largest competition of its kind in the world, Patterson was a blue ribbon winner in the corn classes of the Exposition at the 1931 show.

W. H. Darst, agronomist at the North Carolina State College, Raleigh, will have charge of the exhibits from this state during the week of the Exposition. In past years the North Carolina State College has sent several winning teams to the collegiate crops judging contest, a feature of the Chicago crops show.

Entries for the International Grain and Hay Show may be made free of charge and the closing date announced by the management for filing them is November 20.

The International Stock Exposition, which will celebrate its 35th anniversary this year, will be held in its palatial new home on the same site as the old structure that had housed the Exposition for the past 34 years and which were levelled in the fire that swept the Chicago Stock Yards last spring.

It will be completed by the last of this month in time to receive the first arrivals among the thousands of prize animals that will be coming from the four corners of the continent to compete for the final honors of the live stock show year.

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### DEATHS

REV. SAMUEL T. MOYLE  
Rev. Samuel Thomas Moyle, 70, super-annuated Methodist minister, died Saturday afternoon at his home on West Innes street. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

The deceased was the son of the late Samuel Thomas Moyle of Cornwall, England, and Miranda Gilmore Moyle of Chatham county, North Carolina. His father was killed in the coal mines of that county three months before his birth and his mother died when he was nine days old, he being reared by his grandparents.

He was educated at Old Trinity college and his last appointment was at Lillington. He was a member of the North Carolina Methodist conference for 44 years and had been living here for the last two years.

His widow, nee Miss Flora M'Ivor Bodie of Nashville, N. C., and the following children are the immediate survivors: Samuel B. and Paul O. Moyle of Columbia, S. C., William W. Moyle, of Boundbrook, N. J., Mrs. Caleb J. Maddox of Durham.

MRS. A. WILEY KLUTTZ  
Funeral services were held at Organ Lutheran church in eastern Rowan at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon for Mrs. A. Wiley Kluttz, 90, who died Nov. 10th after an illness of several days. Surviving are three children: Z. A. Kluttz, with whom she made her home, Mrs. L. H. Brown, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. L. H. Davis of Birmingham.

WILLIAM URBANSKY  
William Urbansky, 67, a prominent business man here for the last 26 years, died Tuesday afternoon at his home on South Main street after being in ill health for months.

Mr. Urbansky is survived by his widow, one daughter, Miss Lucille Urbansky, a kindergarten teacher here, and two sons who were associated with him in business, William Urbansky, Jr., and Gordon Urban.

Mr. Urbansky came to Salisbury in 1908 from St. Mary's, Kansas, and conducted the Salisbury Pawn shop here since that time. In 1928 he closed his business and retired for about a year, during which time he spent months in Atlantic City and other points in the east, but returned and reopened his concern.

J. M. COLE  
Word has been received here of the death of J. M. Cole, at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning at his home at High Rock in Davidson county. He was the father of Mrs. Julia Wyatt of 113 Circle drive, Salisbury. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 11 o'clock at the Lick Creek Baptist church.

W. LEWIS BECK  
Following a stroke of paralysis sustained Sunday morning, W. Lewis Beck, 73, died at his home in Spencer late Tuesday night. The funeral was held from Oakdale Baptist church in Spencer Thursday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Beck, who was a native of Davidson county, came to Spencer when the town was started nearly 40 years ago and had been in the service of the Southern Railway most of this time.

He is survived by his wife, four sons and five daughters: J. T., W. N., J. C. and R. L. Beck, of Spencer; Misses Fannie and Mildred Beck, Mrs. J. L. Wyatt, Mrs. J. R. Simmerson and Mrs. Luther Weant, all of Spencer. He is also survived by 22 grandchildren.

Mr. Beck was a member of the Junior Order in Spencer and a life long member of the Baptist church.

SLAYER SENTENCED TO DEATH

Will Carter was sentenced by Judge Thomas J. Shaw at Charlotte last week when the criminal court wound up a two week's session to be electrocuted on January 11 between the hours of 4 a. m. and 3 p. m. The negro was charged with having slain J. A. Davis, Charlotte grocer, on September 3 and was convicted of the charge.

If your home town can't depend on you to help keep its money at home, will it think of you when it comes to passing out jobs and other favors?

### Cotton Yield Is Steady In State

Late Conditions Show Promise of Heavier Crop, State Firm

North Carolina's expected cotton yield for 1934 changed but little in October as compared with the figures for August and September, but the production is estimated at 7 per cent higher or 22 pounds more to the acre than on November 1, 1933, by the statistical division of the state department of agriculture.

The report indicated production of 650,000 bales for the current year with an acreage yield of 322 pounds. Ginnings to November 1 totalled 388,000 bales or 60 per cent, less than the 82 per cent for stated.

the southern states as a whole.

The indicated yield per acre for North Carolina is far above comparative figures for any of the other heavy producing cotton states of the south. South Carolina was second in this respect with 262 pounds expected per acre, but the anticipated yield in that state was 595,000 bales or more than for Tar Heel planters.

The estimated yield in North Carolina to September 1 was 325 pounds per acre and the forecast was for 656,000 bales, showing only slight decreases to November. Weather conditions, the report pointed out, have continued good.

For the cotton states as a whole, the yield per acre showed a steady increase, the improvement being from 163 pounds in September to 169 on November 1. The production prospect increased from 9,252,000 bales two months ago to 9,634,000 this month, the report stated.

The North Carolina per acre yield increased 22 pounds over 1933, while that for the entire nation dropped from 208.5 to 169 pounds.

The statistical report carried the following observation on conditions:

"The state has been greatly favored this year. Tobacco, hay, potatoes, fruits, peanuts, and cotton have been good. Small grains were only fair. With good prices available for these products, there should be little excuse for the farmers not being able to pay up most of their debts."

### DR. REYNOLDS GETS POST

Dr. Carl V. Reynolds of Asheville, president of the State Board of Health, was elected acting state health officer, and he will succeed to the post held by Dr. James Parrott, who died last week.

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