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**Why the Discrepancy?**

North Carolina ranks 43rd in the list of states in per capita income, according to a study made by the University of North Carolina "News Letter".

The pathetic plight, compared with higher income received in other states, prompts the question, Why the discrepancy?

And while our leaders are answering that one, please let them explain why industrial wages in Martin County are hardly half the average received in North Carolina?

Something's wrong somewhere. Some of the products in this section, where a pitifully low wage rate apparently is in effect, are in competition with those manufactured in sections where the wage rate is higher. Is labor more efficient in other areas? If that isn't the answer, then what is the answer.

As for per capita income, the average North Carolina individual receives \$961 less than the average received by the individual in New York, and about \$500 less than the average in the nation. Only five states, Kentucky, Alabama, South Carolina, Arkansas and Mississippi trail our great State with poverty incomes.

All the truth has not been told. One can't help but wonder how much longer the peo-

ple will listen to the politicians who, with waving hands, point out what a great State we have and overlook the fact that the average income is only \$930 a year.

That miserable per capita income, along with want, suffering and even death, possibly has something to do with the clamor for health insurance, increasing welfare demands, pensions.

And the pitiful part of it all is that those who would deny man enough to live on will turn and deny him relief from other sources.

Relief demands will maintain themselves just as long as those on the low side, regardless of cause or reason, do not have enough to live on. And those on the high side may just as well make up their minds to pitch in and help make up the difference.

**Pickups**

Our Air Force is reported to have a supersonic plane that travels near 1,000 miles an hour. S. S. convention prayer: "God save us from the sin of a hurried life."

Harry Truman is a quiet wonder — by plugging kept a reluctant Congress on the job so long, and little by little persistently put much of his program through.

Wise Father—Joe DiMaggio, Jr., of course was crazy to see his famous Yankee center fielder play in the World Series—Dad says: "No missing school to see base ball." Poor kid.

Nearly every one of the papers has carried full page ads—"Do you want to put the A. & P. out of business?" Justice has a real case against them. Two sides to the story.

**The Only Way**

The only way to handle the atom bomb menace is to have a strict and absolute international control of it, with free right to examine in every country what they are doing in making and developing it—isn't it?

Russia making the bomb brings it up fresh.

Shouldn't the United Nations have control?

This is what the U. S. proposed many, many months ago. This proposal still stands. We hope with all our might Russia will join. This will not bring peace, alone.

Then arms reduction by all nations.

Even this will not bring peace.

Then should come moral re-armament everywhere, and then we will have peace.

—The Window Seat.

Some fellows are so lazy going to the dogs that they want the dogs to meet them half way.

**CHURCH NEWS**

**HASSELL CHRISTIAN**  
Olin Fox, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 10:00. C. B. Burroughs, Supt.  
Christian Youth Fellowship at 6:45 p. m.  
Preaching first and third Sundays at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
The Woman's Council Wednesday evening after first Sunday at 7:30.  
Visitors are welcome.

**OAK CITY CHRISTIAN**  
Olin Fox, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 10:00. Ernest Bunting, Supt.  
Preaching 2nd Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Council Wednesday afternoon after second Sunday at 3:30.  
Visitors are welcome.

**EVERETTS CHRISTIAN**  
Olin Fox, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 10:00. Mrs. Geo. Taylor, Supt.  
Christian Youth Fellowship Monday evening at 7:30.  
Preaching 4th Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Council Saturday afternoon before first Sunday at 3:30.  
Visitors are welcome.

**PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS**  
N. J. Ward, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:45. Sam Whichard, Supt.  
Morning worship at 11:00.  
Youth service at 6:30.  
Evangelistic service at 7:30.  
Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday night at 7:30.

**WEST END BAPTIST**  
J. Thad Ashley, Pastor.  
9:45, Sunday school. Burroughs Taylor, Superintendent.  
6:30, Baptist Training Union.  
7:30, Evening worship service.  
The W. M. U. will meet Thursday evening, November 10, at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. John B. Roberson. All members and ladies of the community are invited to attend.  
Mid-week prayer service will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.  
The public is invited to all services.

**Piney Grove Baptist**  
W. B. Harrington, Pastor.  
Regular services will be held at Piney Grove Baptist Church Saturday and Sunday at 11:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and the public is invited.

**RIDDICK'S GROVE**  
W. B. Harrington, Pastor.  
Regular services will be held at Riddick's Grove Baptist Church Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and the public is invited.

**Jamesville Methodist**  
B. E. Bingham, Minister.  
Jamesville, 11 a. m., "I Cannot Come Down".  
Siloam, 3 p. m., "The Valley of Decision."  
The minister will preach at both services.  
Mrs. B. E. Bingham will speak to the young people at Jamesville at 7:30 p. m.  
There will be special singing at both services.

**HAMILTON BAPTIST**  
E. R. Stewart, Pastor.  
10 a. m., Bible school. H. S. Supt.  
6:30, Baptist Training Union. Lorette Oglesby, Director.  
7:30 p. m., Wednesday, prayer services.  
The public is invited.

**EVERETTS BAPTIST**  
E. R. Stewart, Pastor.  
10, Bible school. G. H. Forbes, Supt.  
11, Worship service.  
6:30, Baptist Training Union. Paul Bailey, Director.  
7:30, Evening worship service.  
7, Thursday evening, prayer services.  
The public is invited to attend all services.

**Church Of The Advent (Episcopal)**  
Rev. Thomas Hastings, Rector.  
Weekday Morning and Evening Prayer 8 and 5.  
Friday, Nov. 11, at 8 p. m. Service of Institution. The Rt. Rev. Thos. Wright, Bishop of East Carolina, will report on the General Convention.  
Sunday, November 13: Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.  
Morning prayer 11:00 a. m.

**ST. MARTIN'S, Hamilton**  
Sunday, November 13, Holy Communion, 9:30 a. m.

**CHRISTIAN**  
John L. Goff, Pastor.  
Bible school, 9:45. The Phila-thea Bible Class taught by Mrs. G. G. Woolard and the Bob Peel Bible Class, taught by Mr. E. S. Peel invite visitors and non-attending men and women. W. H. Sessions, Supt. Morning worship and celebration of the Lord's Supper, 11:00. Sermon by the pastor. CYF and Chi Rho groups meet at 6:30. Evening praise and worship service at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor, Monday, 7:30. Church Board will meet in the office of the superintendent of education. Tuesday, 7:30, choir rehearsal. Wednesday, 7:45, Study Class taught by Mrs. G. G. Woolard will meet in the home of Mrs. J. Edward Corey on Park Drive. Theme: "Grass-roots of Christianity."

**COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN**  
Sunday school, 10:00. Eugene Corey, Supt.  
Church, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Richard Gardner, Pastor. The Ladies Aid will meet Tuesday night at Chimney Corner.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
James Lowry, Pastor.  
Williamston: Sunday school, 9:45. Morning service, 11:00. Sermon topic: "The Last Lap on Believer's Journey." The Hour of Power, Wednesday night at 7:00, with supper served by ladies of circle No. 1. Pioneer Vespers, 7, Sunday night. Nursery for small children at the morning service.  
Roberson's Chapel: Preaching service, 12:30. Prayer meeting Tuesday night, 7:30. Youth Fellowship, Thursday night, at 7:30.  
Bear Grass: Sunday school, 10. Evening service, 7:00. Prayer meeting Thursday night at 7:00. Youth Fellowship Tuesday night at 7:30.

**METHODIST**  
E. R. Shuller, Pastor.  
9:45, Church school. Fletcher Thomas, Supt.  
11:00, Morning worship.  
6:00, Youth Fellowship.  
7:30, Evening worship.  
7:30, Tuesday, Laymen's Club will meet at the church.  
7:30, Wednesday, Bible study.  
8:15, Wednesday, Choir rehearsal.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Hamilton  
Neal Puckett, Pastor.  
Saturday, 7:30 p. m., Song service, Bible drill and study.  
Sunday, 10:00, Sunday school, T. F. Respass, Supt.  
11:00, Services by pastor.  
7:00, C. E. Meeting.  
8:00, Services by pastor.  
Wednesday, 7:30, prayer meeting.  
The public is invited to all services.

**CHRISTIAN CHAPEL**  
Bible school at 10. H. L. Roebuck, Supt.  
Church service at 11, P. E. Cayton, pastor.  
Evening service at 7:30.

**WILLIAMS CHAPEL AME ZION**  
M. Franklin Gregory, D. D., Minister.  
The pastor is urging that every effort be made to discharge the budget for the annual conference. The 28 leaders and other workers are being asked to stand by.  
9:45 a. m., Church school. R. S. Gaither, Supt.  
11:15, Morning worship. Theme: Constant Faith, Patience and Godliness. The Gospel Chorus and the Young People's Choir will unite to provide music for the service.  
All officers and board members will be present at church on Thursday evening, 7:30.

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