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UNCLE SAM AND US
ARE YOU ONE of the many citizens of the United States ARE YOU ONE of the many citizens of the United States
who is interested in seeing our federal government placed
on a balanced budget basis? In other words. are you one on a balanced budget basis? In other words, are you one
of those people who would uike our government to get to
the point where it will not be spending more than it is the point wher
taking in?
If so, then you must face the facts. There are two routes If so, then you must face the facts. There are two routes
by which a balaneed budget can bee acomplished: first
taxes may be increased to do this balancing act; or, second. tederal expenditures may be decreased.
Already citizens of the U. S. are paying more than 25 per cent of their income to taxes of one kind or another
(this, of course, Includes federal, state, county, city, and
school taxes of all kinds). Much more taxation will bring us to a complete soctallstic state, and when we reach 70
per cent taxation we will have a complete dictatorship. The only way this can be done is to cut off many of the
government spending programs. At the present time, pressure is being applied to the federal government which
would add as much as $\$ 25$ btliton to the nation's annual would add as much as $\$ 25$ btllton to the nation's annual
tax burden. President Truman's 1951 budget message calls
for for social security programs financed by payroll taxes. The
budget also contains $\$ 1$ billion to initlate 34 new federal budget also contains $\$ 1$ billion to initiate 34 new federa
spending programs, programs which would carry on in-
deffitely and grow much larger until they would eventually add $\$ 4$ biltion a year to the present federal tax burdens. It is interesting to note that in the last 20 years, only two
have found the federal government operating under a balanced budget- these two years were in 1947 and
that 20 years, the public debt has risen from $\$ 17$ billion to
s258 billion, much of which, it is true, was accumulated by the war
One senator has outhined a plan which would elliminate a quarter million civillan jobs in non-military agencies,
which would lop off another 80,000 eivillans from military estabishments, reduce publlic works outlay by $\$ 1$ blllion,
and withhoid congressional approval of the 34 new plans of and withhold congressional approval of the 34 new plans of
federal spending. Another senator has proposed that excessive vacation privieges of federal employees be reduced. outlined in the Hoover commission report, is also favored
by many.
Something must be done, that is a certainty. We cannot comtinue to spend more than we make. Even the borrow-
ing limit of a government is reached in time.

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| Mrs. Cart Baker underwent an wopendectony Saturday at High- land Oeneral Hopital in Pampa Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kennedy | Mrs. Frank Reeves and Mrs. Bill Boyd were in Pampa Monday, <br> Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter of Borger spent Sunday with Mr | and insurance <br> 205A Main McLean, Texas | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { 200 } \\ \text { S. Wall Pho. } 123 \\ \text { Shamrock. Texas } \\ \text { Please Phone for Appointments } \end{array}$ | Attorney-at-Law Office in Holloway Insurance Building |



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