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robert lee, coke county texas
"WAC" News
Miss Marian Giibert

Becomes Bride Of Sgt. J. S. Craddock, Jr.

Miss Marian Gilbert, daustrer of Mr. and Mrs. H. M Gilbert of Carhon, and Syt. J. S. Crad dock, $\sin$ of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cradd $x$ k of this place, were marrie Satuadey at 9 a m in the First Methodist Church in Denton. Rev. Walker, pastor of the church there, performed the ceremony.
The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of black crepe, trimmed in lace. with a block lace hat and black accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid.
J. S. gladuated from Robert Lee high School and received his degree from lexas Tech. The bride graduated from the Carbon
High School and this month reHigh School and this month received ber degree from Nortb Texas State Teachers' College, Denton.
The couple will be at home t Camp Callan, aifornia
Mrs. E, T. Sparks had a reu nion of her tamily last Sunda) and a write up of the occasion will be in next issue.

## REQUEST

Mr. R. B. Allen requests the ublic ta meet at the courthouse Saturday afternoon, situation.

We failed to include all ite in this week's iscue. Thanks f your indulgence.

Invest in War Bunds.

August 18, 1943. ort Bragg, N. C. Robert Lee Observe Rebert Lee,
Just want you to change my ddress again. This time it goe ike this:
SCU No. 1449
Station Complement Fort Bragg, N. Carolina. Thanks.

Yours truly,
Lt. Jane M. Taylor.
Your news items are appreciated very much-so, please. send we can get them in the paper.
Mrs. Frank D. Bryan has joined her husband in Little Rock, Arkansas, and has work there in Ready-ta-wear at Pfeifer's. Robinson and is attached to the truck regiment.

Preston E. Mathers, Aviation Metal Smith of Naval Air Station at Norman, Oklahoma, is at home on a 9 day leave, visiting his parents.
"e handle the famou Taybor Mad. Ratt
CUMBIE \& ROACH

## Notice

I plan to be in Robert t ee on Saturday afternoon Aug 28, and am anxious to talk with any the citizens there who have an problems or other matters the would like to talk over with me Thanking you for your court sies and with kind regards, I an Sincerely your
O.C. Fisher.

## ALAMO THEATRE

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robert lee texas wis Friday and Saturday Aug 27-28 bugk jones--rex belli in "DAWN ON THE GREAT DIVIDE" Aloo "Thime stooges"

Wednesday only Money Nite Sept 1 george brent brenda marshallin "YOU CAN'T ESCAPE FOREVER' Comedy and "Valley of Vanishing Men"

## TEXAS THEATRE

BRONTE, TEXAS
Friday and Saturday Aug 27-28 ABBOTT and COSTELLO IN "WHO DONE IT"
Comedy and Late News
Tuesday only Money Nite Aug 31
GEORGE BRENT-BRENDA MARSHLL IN
"YOU CAN'T ESCAPE FOREVER"
Comedy and
"VALLEY OF VANISHING MEN"

Received Word Of The Promotion Of Son sgt. M. C. McCutchen
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCutch en received word that their son, been promoted to Sgt the 15 th of this month. His address is Sgt. Madison C. McCutchen, A. S. U. 38371951, 49th A. D. G. H. Q and H. Q. Sq., Stinson Field, San Antonio, Texas. NO. ICE
Bro. L W. Hayhurst will preact at Church of Chust he 29 th . at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} ., 3: 30, \mathrm{p} \mathrm{m}$. and $9 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Every one invited to attend these services.
Buy War Bunds
Local Items
Mrs. Buchanan is displaying a table cloth map sent her by Hu$\xrightarrow{\sim}$ Miss Katie Sue Good who has the week end with homelo spent

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McCabe acMr. and Mrs. J. F. McCabe acwent to Childress, Texas the la ter part of last week after Pvt. J. F. Jr. Mionday they carried him back to his post of duty.
Mrs. P. P. Fitzhugì of Dallas server Montclair renews her Ob-

The Observer -
The Observer appreciates the news locals sent in very much. can. If youhave week end guests phone, send in, or report them on Monday while it is fresh on your mind, and many thanks.
A. W. Littlefields had as their visitor over the week end Mr. Thomas of Weatherford.
V. V. Wojtek is in Veterans hospital at Amarillo, taking the X-ray treatment
It will only be a few days before we can boast of our paved
streets. It looks like we ought streets. It looks like we ought
to celebrate the occasion with some kind of an eating party-
but what are we going to eat? Points are scarce, old roosters gone, rabbits hard to catch. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wojtek visited relatives at Santa Anna, Thursday and Friday of last week.
FRIDAY, AUG. 27, 1943 NUMHEE 2

## BONDS OVER AMERICA



Eeepin Step
Day War Sonds

## Gane Protection

Murrell L. Buckner, Chairman of the Texas Game, Fish \& Oyster Commiss.on, and Gene Howe, a member of the Commission. arranged for the distribution areas and supervised the plant-
ing. "We are in hopes," Mr. Warner says, "that three year from now there will be a short pen season on Hungarians in points out that the Huns He great migrants, and believes that the Texas stock will in time overflow into neighboring areas of ust as the birds migrated from similar climate and conditions, their original planting all the way from Western Alberta thru Quebec and Ontario, until now hese birds in Canada and our Thi wn Northwest.
A real honest to God effort to in the Panhangarian Partridge high Promhandle of Texas gives points the way for success-and ar efforts in other parts of the counThe dry hot weather has made necessary for our city to
make some added arrangements for water. Fortunately the pipe line crossed an underground supply of water and this is be-
ing tapped at a nominal ex-


CUMBIE \& ROACH WANTED
Ironing, reasonible Prices
See Mrs Pettit

## Lccal Items

Mrs. Jack Conger of Uvalde, rexas spent several days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B A. AusConger had been to Lawton, Oklahoma, to visit her son who sta-亚
Mr. and Mrs. Lem Cowley and daughter, Mrs. Otis Smith, are back at home, atter spending
days in San Antonio. Mr. Cowley's operation gives him hopes hat his time and money were sepent.
Coke County's quota for the hird War Bond Drive is $\$ 157$.

Mrs. B, M. Gramling has display at Cumbie \& Roach $\mathbf{a}$ Japanese flag, sent her by Memry.
Miss Alta Bell Bilbo is at home for a visit before she goes to Ballinger-where she has Ballinger school.

Pryan Joliey returned to work after spencing a week at home

Capt. Fred DeLashaw, former pastor is now a chaplain in the U. S. Army, and has sailed for overseas duty. Mrs. DeLashaw and children who have been with him, have returned to Fort Worth to make their home with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Roy Camp.



Acid Indigestion





## Iwo Million More Women Needed for War Plants; Twice That Number Ready, Says Census Survey



Must Replace Men
At Lathes and Forge To Supply Armies By ELLIOTT PINE Released by Western Newspaper Union.
Nearly two million more wom
en must be recruited for wa en must be recruited for war
jobs before the end of the year,
says the war manpower commission. This is as many a entered industry in all of the
twelve months between March, 1942, and March, 1943. In that
period $1,900,000$ women took

and other provisions against fatigue
are now in general practice. Steel
jigs too heavy for women to lift were
replaced with masonite jigs weigh-
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 and nurses in constant attendance.
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$\qquad$ liam B. Wilson from 19131 to 1921 ,
James J. Davis from 1921 to 1930, William N. Doak from 1930 to 1933
and Frances Perkins since 1933.

BEATHEAT $\qquad$
CAMPHOPHETOUES


CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT FEATHERS WANTED


 PHOTOGRAPHY
$\qquad$ FOR SALE

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Labor Secretaries ing the 30 years of its existence,
has had only four secretaries: Wil-
liam B. Wilson from 1913 to 1921,
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## AROUN

These hot nights place your fan In an open window, facing the
coom. The air should not strike sleepers.

People with normal digestion will have no trouble digesting ho new breads if they are eaten to
nether with roughage foods and ot in excess.

After filling jars in canning sea on test them for leaks by tapping The sound will tell whether or no the jar is sealed.

## Uncle Phil Says:

A GOOD principle, not rightly hurtful as a bad
One would rather tip than have
others think one had "views") tipping.
Half a loaf may not be better than no
bread at all. It depends a great deal
Heaven is where no unkind word s spoke
One may well wonder if mosqu be encores.

## Q ME IRRITATIONS OF

 Goes to work at once. Direct action aids ected. $10 c, 25 c, 50$ s. sizes. 25 years successConey brick guarantee. avi vital



Oil, grease and tar stains re pond to kerosene. Some women when washing work clothes. fingusehold ammonia will remove finger prints from
and glass tabletops
A large piece of cellophane placed behind your table-top stove
keeps grease spots off the wall paper and is much more attrac-
five than a piece of oilcloth as alive than a piece of oilcloth, as
allows the wallpaper design to
show show through.

Here, at Least, We Have
A Man of His Word!
Jones looked coldly at his friend
Smith
"A short
 anything you said. Lately I have
changed my mind., "Oh" replied Sm "Oh," replied Smith, somewhat
surprised, "and what caused you to change your opinion of me, may I ask?" remember borrowing five
"You feme dollars from me?
"Yes.
You said that if I lent it to you you would be indebted to me for ever."
"Yes.
"Well, you're keeping your word
like a man."

## ASK ME ANOTHER:

A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

## 1. What was the most important

## 2. What was the population of

 this country when Washington was President?3. What is the approximate cost of training a U. S. pilot? 4. If it is $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in New York, what time is it in San Francisco?
4. What is the average length of 5. What is the average length of
time spent by an American soldier at his meals?
5. What is the scuttle butt on a
ship? ship? What is the largest army hospita in the United States?
Named 'Old Glory'

| "Old Glory" was first used as a |
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| designation for the Stars and |
| Stripes on March 17, 1824, by Wile |
| liam Driver, a sea captain of |
| Salem, Mass. The particular flag |
| to which he addressed the name |
| was one presented to him by a |
| committee of ladies as a birthday |
| present. |

## The Answers

1. Jutland. 3. For a trained pilot, $\$ 27,000$ 4. It is $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. pent by average length of time his meals is 18 minutes at break last, 19 at dinner, 17 at supper.
2. The Holleran General hospial on Staten Island occupying 383 acres, with 43 brick buildings, in-
eluding auditorium, recreation hall, mess buildings and garages.
 Sensitive Dog The German shepherd dogs that accompany coastguardsmen on
night patrol duty can detect the presence of a stranger within a
surrounding area of 350,000 square surrounding area of 350,000 square
yards.

## Much More

 THANA BREAKFAST

Yes...for lunches, suppers, midnight snacks . . Kellogg's Corn Flakes are a welcome standby for wartime meal planners. Popular with everyone, they save time, work, fuel, other foods.




Good Living
Once upon a time a successful man decided to take a recess from
business, and travel. Before leavbusiness, and trave.
ing, he set up a budget to continue operations, appropriating substan-
tial funds to three subordinates; $621 / 2 \%$ to $A, 25 \%$ to $B$ and $12 \frac{112 \%}{\%}$ to $C$.
When, after a long time, the head Wh the firm came back and asked
for an accounting he learned that $\boldsymbol{A}$ and $\boldsymbol{B}$ both had doubled their
money but the incompeten had barely saved his principle. What happened after that? Well, the management dismissed $C$ and
assigned his appropriation to the especially capable Mr. A. The story Is told perfectly in Matthew $25: 14-$ B0. In this text is the origin of the person of exceptional ability in matters of business. It shows why business prospers in the hands of capable, energetic people. It is
the many parables of Jesus.
A Singular Gift Some people naturally have more
money-making ability than money-making ability than others,
fust as some have more musich just as some have more musical
talent or more eloquence in public address. There is no end to a list
of skins at which men have firy of skints at which men have vetry-
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by itself, at lea
of most people.
of most people. It is a skill
by many but admired by fe
It is not unusual to hear peo speak with contempt of the moneymaking skill and, on sions, curiosity ha
them why they hem why they did it. Some an-
swave been long and some short but they all have and somed on
one point. Every answer implied that accumulating
One woman said, and sing for all to hear, artis
make pictures for all to see, but the
man who piles up money is helpin man who piles up money is
only himself,"
How Earnings Come Hers was a tell-tale answer.
disclosed considerable prejudic. disclosed considerable prejudice a
not much thought. The truth that a man with mone ity is almost invaria
to his community. Of ser's money is no goo
anybody else, but anybody else, but people who know
how to assemble capital, put it work and manage it well, are publi
benefactors. Such men improve in benefactors. Such men improve in
comes for people around them mor than for themselves. The best wages. are paid only
where big investments have bect where big investments have bec
placed and where good profits a placed and where goo
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they produce, (2) with good equi
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earn more, (3) but it takes an vestment to provide the equi
The American Plan

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country is rich but the big course our
tions have everything gobbled up.
National income and averages nothing but
spend them
spend them. If I walk down the
owns the plant where I work, his wealth and mine may average above
8500,000 but that doesn't make $\$ 500,000$ but that doesn't make
any richer. What about me?", Protect Investments
The answer to such a question plain and reasonable: : Every work of the investment in America are twice as high as in continental Europe and six ( as in times 20) times as high as in the Orient. It is because only in America are workmen backed up with 4.5
horsepower of installed equipment apiece, an investment of $\$ 8,000$ for the average workman's job. Do American workmen earn more
because they work harder? No inbecause They don't work as hard or as long. Their pay is in proportion to their production: twice that of an
Englishman, three times that of an European, six time that of a Jap. The necessary investment has been made by men whe have prospered


FIGURE IT OUT YOURSELF

S. E. Allall:

ABSTHACHS REAI ESIAI!


DRINK:


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A poor map may mean the dila ference between victory and defeat.
So help your Boys towards victory So help your Boys towardar victory
with your purchase of War Bonds. with your purchase of War Bonas.
Join the Payroll Savings Plan at
your office or factory. Let's "Top your office or factory. Let's "Top
that ten percent. $\boldsymbol{Y}$

Answ: Your Telephone Promptly Even seconds are important these days. When your telephone rings, if you do not answer it promp tly, the person calling may decide no one is there and hang up. If you answer at once, you may save important calls. Howevr, when you make a call, give the other fellow enough time to reach his telephnne before you hang up.

## san Angelo leiephone Co.

People, Spcis ... Whe News


TAKE-OFF:- Ground crewman (right) gets pilots of . Intruder

## IT'S YOUR MOVE-- Here Are Money Savers

Laundry service is vital to our every day healh, and mixed with lots worry
Take your washing to the Self Service Laundry they are prepared to make it lighter for you and convenient.

## Sels Cervice Laundry <br> Phone <br> *

## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Italy's Industrial Belt Feels Weight Of Continued Allied Bombing Attacks; Grain Crop Production Shows Decline; U. S. Airmen Hit Both Ends of Pacific

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Entering Palermo with American
troops, Private Joseph Mole of
Jamestown, N. Y., found a 14 .
month-old abandoned waif named Jamestown, N. Y., found a 14 .
month-old, abandoned waif named
Josephine, seen in his arms. Relief
authorities took over her care. authorities took over her care.
Allied advances fiercely, as the bulk
of their forces were evacuated.



DRAFT:
Induction Order
Now that Selective Service of-
ficials have authorized the drafting been drawn for induction according
to the importance of a man's occupation.
Under the new plan, a new classi-
fication known as "super elibility" fication known as "super-eligibility"
would be created, under which cer
tain skilled jobs in direct war pro tain skilled jobs in direct war pro-
duction would place the employee
last in the draft list.
The plan also would extend the
The plan also would extend the
list of non-essential jobs, holders of
which would be eligibie for immediate call, regardless of number o
children. In this case, such men children. In this case, such me
would be given the opportunity t
switch to more essential industries Thus, those in non-essential oc-
cupations would be called first, be
fore essential and " supereli, fore essential and "super-eligible"
employees. About 300,000 fathers RUSSIA:
Fighting Unsurpassed Russia's resurging manpower
rolled like a tidal wave over the
endless Russian plains, and Germa endless Russian plains, and Germa-
ny's stubborn armies gave under the weight.
To the north, the Reds drove on
Smolensk from two sides, leaving the Nazis a 140 -mile gap in which
to retreat along the corridor Napolen Boraparte used over a hun
dred years ago to pull his ragged and beaten army out of the country.
To the south, the Reds bore down on Kharkov, like they bore down on
Orel, from three fronts, the north, east and south. Possessed with no
natural fortifications, battered Khar natural fortifications, battered Khar-
kov, once the mighty "Pittsburgh" kov, once the mighty "Pittsburgh"
of Russia, lay exposed on the barren plains to the Reds' massed fire power and troops.


Latest addition to the U. S. fleet
is this new aircraft carrier, Bataan. less U. S. Doughboys slogged through the mire to complete en-
circlement of the remnants of the
Japanese force on the northwest Japanese force on the northwest
coast of the island.
ALLIED MEETING
Politics and War
With Allied forces at the gates o
the Europan fortress, with Marshal Pietro Badoglio's military govern peace terms, and with Russia hav ng indicated willingness to nego-
tiate with a "democratic" Germany
purged of Natism purged of Naziism, Prime Minister
Winston Churchill and Presiden Winston Churchill a and Presiden
Franklin D. Roosevelt came togeth Franklin D. Rooseveit came togeth-
er for their sixth personal meeting
of the war. Flying to the North American con
tinent with Churchill military and naval chieftains, and
joining them for discussion were ranking U. S. army and navy of-
ficers. The combination of these
staffs indicated further operations of joint character, such as those in
North Africa and Sicily North Africa and Sicily, where the for effective action.
As Churchill and Roosevelt met,
Russia threw a bombshell into the iplomatic picture by declaring that Invited to the conference, and theresoviet representative would attend Russia's diplomatic jockeying to
share in the dominion of Europe
after the war wili be one of the after the war wili be one of the
Allied leaders' chief considerations.

UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL $\mathbf{S}_{\text {crioô Lesson }}^{\text {win }}$ "\#2.

Lesson for August 29
 $\underset{\text { RESTORATION }}{\text { ISRAEL'SS SIN AND }}$
 GOLDEN TEXT-The Lord is long.suffering
and of rrat merey, forgivig ing inquity and
transgression. - Numbers 14:18. and of reat merey, forgiving ingquity and
transgression. - Numbers 14:18. God is righteous, and cannot look
with approval or in forgiveness upon
sin until His mercy has been stirred sin until His mercy has been stirred
and set free to act by repentance. Then He whose wrath is hotly kin-
dled against man's transgression
sho shows Himself as the tender and
gracious God, "keeping loving-kind gracious God, "keeping loving-kind-
ness for thousands, forgiving iniquiness and transgression and sin."
ty and
This grace of God is fully re-
vealed in Christ and the redemption This grace of God is fully re-
vealed in Christ and the redemption
which He brought to man, but is
prefigured in the experiences of prefigured in the experiences of
Israel under the law.
I. God's Wrath Kindled (Exod. There are those who would have us think of God as a benevolent old
gentleman who is easily hoodwinked
by clever sinners who can talk fast to cover their iniquity. Even if He
does see it, He is supposed to be so
tenderhearted that He overlooks their sin. words, "That my wrath may wax
hot." The wrath of God is a real ture and it is revealed against man who sins against His holy law.
The special sin of Israel on this
occasion was idolatry, which is the setting up of some material symbol
to represent the invisible God. Moses had been with God in the
mount for 40 days. He had been mount for 40 days. He had been
the Lord's representative in their
midst. His presence had evidently midst. His presence had evidently
been the chief stabilizing influence.
Having their eyes set on a man, Having their eyes set on a man,
or a material object to take His
place, they had lost sight of the inplace, they had lost sight of the in-
visible God.
Whatever a man puts between Whatever a man puts between
himself and God, even though he
may at first intend it to be but a
reminder, will lead him away from reminder, will lead him away from
II. God's Mercy Invited (Exod. 34:4-9).
Aaron had only a weak "alibi" to
offer. The golden calf had prac-
tically made itself (see Exod. 32: tically made itself (see Exod. 32.
24). How quick man is to justify
himself instead of admitting his

WNU Service, Union Trust Building As far back as biblical days, the
tax collector was an unpopular per-

Today you don't see the tax col
lector but you know who writes tax laws and the folks who do (con-
gress) lead a most unhappy life especially in an election year suc
as we are approaching. The complicated problem they
face can be simply stated-think over and figure out what you would
do if you had to write a tax law. The problem is this: how to collect
the most dollars and lose the least Soak the rich? Well, they have
the money and it hurts them the east, but unfortunately there are
not enough of them to soak. It is
to bad because they are so few in number that their votes don t mat-
ter so much. (Only 46,949 people or
approximately one eight-hundredth
of those with incomes earn over $\$ 10$, 000 a year.)
Tax the rest? That will bring in ones with the votes.
The President says we need 10 billion dollars to run the war this
year. The treasury says that out of year. The treasury says that out ol
every dollar collectede, 90 cents goes So there have been a number of
schemes concocted which are aimed at getting the nervous dollars, the Presumably they are the dollars tha belong to the people who are now getting a lot more money than they
did before the war. It would be just did before the war. It would be just
to take the "excess profits" to pay people who are getting a because the than they are used to are the ones
who spend mest
So compulsory savings has been suggested. That is, making Uncle
Sam collect a part of everybody's Sam collect a part of everybody's
income, which would be returned after the war. Then there is a
scheme to tax spending. In other
words, tax the dollars. which are words, tax the dollars which are spent on extras, dollars that get
back into circulation and push up back into cireal. Not the dollars that
inflation spiral. go into homes or life insurance or paying old debts, but the dollars
that romp off for more clothes than you need to wear, more food and
more gadgets than you ought to get along with in wartime.
Then there is another $t$
personal excess income tax.
That is a tax on the amount of that you weren't receiving before

## Lacking Popularity

None of these methods is popular corpulsory savimental It smacks, according to its opponents, too much
of totalitarianism, of an of totalitarianism, of an interfer-
ence with the individual's personal
habits. The President is opposed to
it-and his wife agrees with himthe treasury is opposed to it. The spending tax is said to be too
complicated and likewise appears to be unpopular with the treasury. Tnen there is this personal excess
income tax of which you will soon be hearing of whice. The chief objec
tion to that tax tion to that tax seems to be that
is too hard to work out; that it is too hard to make it just and fair. Even the Nazis who tried it gave it
up after about a year's trial When the personal excess tax comes up, you will hear many arguments against it. Like many of
these other "unorthodo"" these other unorthodox" methods, ish called a "base period" to estab lish a comparison. That is, some
period of time during which the amount earned by the individual is
taken as a base. Then what he is making now is compared with that
"base" and the difference taxed But that is a pretty hard thing to
work out because so many adjustments would have to be made for special cases that the government would never be able to examine each Take the young doctor. The year graduated from medical school Probably he had little or no income and in wartime, doctors are in de mand. He may have made a fair income this year., Would it be fair
to tax the "excess"" it it were the dir o tax the excess" if it were the dir
ference between this year's earning erence between this year's earning
and the "base period" when he was earning nothing at all?
Too Many Inequities
Then there are many men who
are getting more money now be cause they work longer hours o have received just and deserved pro-
motions-all these things immediately come into the picture when you begin to straighten out the inequi-
ties, when you really try to tax a And so the predictions which are being made in Washington now are "orthodox" affair, it will a simply tions, a little higher percentage tax, and will be rushed through at the of congress have objected to the
olauses which they clauses which they think will be ungovernment needs the money and needs it quickly. The people don can be helped and the congressmen please the people.
Meanwhile, the treasury tells us ing earned due to the great increase in production caused by the comes are less than $\$ 5,000$ a year-seven-eighths of it. So at least seven-
eighths of the taxes ought to cighths of the taxes ought to core
from that grour


By BAUKHAGE



THE STORY so FAR: Judy Jason,
Who is telling the story, receives an
anonymous tetier enclosing ssoo and ask.






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"She confessed to save-him!"
Even I could see it, now that Vice
tor bad pointed it out. During the
"eading, I'd noticed a few discrep-
ancies in Bessiec confession, but ne-
where near the number he had. Take
the wind itself, for instance. It
couldn't have blown the blue scarf
back into the Pirate's Mouth be-
cause there was a land breeze be-
fore the tide turned, and the place
lice." "And incriminate the brother she
"ried to save?"
"May not incriminate him," Vic-
tor said. "It's the cleverest thing I ever read. What Bessie say a ath
her light not showing from the path
to the bluff; little things like that. And her timing's pretty good, too,
only she's forgotten Mr. Quincy was
sitting on the piazza all the evening, until she wheeled him down to
the church. He saw her go up to
her room, before dark, and sh didn't come down again. But Hugh
did, he admits. I think it may have
been Hugh you spo been Hugh you spoke to, later."
We were walking back rapidly to
where the men were working on the boat. Thaddeus Quincy had man taiole cloth tied to his cane. He
passed us, giving me a reproachful glance, I thought.
"Don't forget what I told you
Judy" And he shot a warning nod Judy." And he shot a warning nod
at Victor. Then he stationed him-
self in the middle of the road and began waving his signal.
Hugh Norcross was coming dow the stairs. He came directly towar me. "Bessie says she gave you a
letter for me. I don't know what's gotten into her. She won't speak to
me. Locked herself in." Was she afraid of him? I was
glad I could see the men across th
road and hear my aunt's movements in the kitchen. Then Eesseme's de
spair made me forget my own fear You didn't give her any more
that sleeping medicine?". too much of the stuff. Why, an over-
dose-".
"Exactly. Don't let her have it. You'll understand when you-" I
nearly said when hed read the let-
ter, which would have been an ad-
mission that I'd done so myself. "You tell Bessie I'll be back soon,
will you?",
"Sure," I said, glad to escape the
devouring gaze of his haggard eyes. devouring gaze of his haggard eyes.
I knocked on Bessie's door. She
was crying.
"Hughie? I can't sleep! I can't slit's Judy., Want me to get you a
cup of tea?,
'"No, thank you. Did you give my



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| "Gs and were listening for dear life. |  |
| pared with Lieut. James Stewart |  |

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## CLABBER GIRL


DEATHS FROM CANCER in texas are on
Austin, Texas, August 26.A steady increase of deaths in disclosed by the fact that over 45,000 persons have died of this dreaded disease within the last W. Cox. State Health Officer "The public should be warned gainst cancer 'quacks' and soalled cancer cures," Dr Cox aid. "Advertising of medicines and so-called cancer doctors puts angerous misinformation before the public. Undoubtedy, Dr. Cox declared, there are ma persons who being thus de dvice sunecessarily lose their advice, unnecessarise,",
lives to this disease.,
According to the State Health Officer there are two recognized scientific ways of treating cancer, namely, surgery and the use of radium and X-ray. Treatment must be started early and be carried out by a competent surgeon. In alntost two-thirds of the cases, surgery is relied growtrs, while X-ray or radium is used to good advantage in approximately one-third of the cases successfully treated. Frequently the two methods are combined
"The greatest defense against death by cancer is early diagno sis, Dr. Cox said. Every case is an acute emergency demand ing instunte that so many persons suffering from cancer do not seek medical advice until beyond possibility of cure
Dr. Cox pointed out that any unusual bleeding from any body cavity, any lump in the breast, or any surface sores, especially on the face and mouth, changed appearance of any wart or mole, and even chronic indigestion may be symptoms denoting the pres-
ence of cancer. 'Where cance
not delay but consult your physician at once," Dr. Cox advised. "Self-medication, serums, color lights, pastes salves, and diets are absolutey worthless in the treatment of cancer.

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