Tiniest Baby, Today



Often some highly constructive piece of legislation is thrown into matic appeal. In other words, its great significance is not quickcolleague, Senator King of Utah. asks the President to call for objective of bringing order out of chaos in the taxing field.

There is no single issue of greater importance to our people today than the need for settling once and for all the proper sources of tax revenue for the Federal Government, the states and their paying. Only a comparative few political subdivisions. The pres-ent method of double taxation, whereby the Federal Government and the states, and often counties and cities, tap the same tax reservoirs is having a disastrous ef-fect. The situation is steadily growing worse.

One example is gasoline. Federal Government collects a gas tax, every state levies such a tax, and in many sections county and cities have superimposed gas year 1937, every man, woman and taxes. The result is that in many areas the combined taxes exceed in Federal taxes. In 1931, they other example is cigarette taxes.

Health-Wrecking Function

Severe functional pains of men-struction, cramping spells and jan-gled nerves soon rob a woman of her natural, youthful freshness. FAIN lines in a woman's face too often grow into AGE lines! Thousands of women have found

grow into AGE lines! Thousands of women have found it helpful to take Cardui. They say it seemed to ease their pains, and they noticed an increase in their appetites and finally a strengthened resistance to the discomfort of monthly particle nonthly periods. Try Cardui. Of course if it doesn i monthly

ties.

help you, see your doctor.

In one state the users of cigar- mal conditions. The one state the users of cigar-ettes pay a Federal tax of six cents and state tax of five cents or a total of eleven cents on each package. At this rate the use of one package of cigarettes each one package of cigarettes each of that one unit of government will not invade the tax field of anday means an annual tax bill of other, are sorely needed. \$40.15. Here are two flagrant instances of double taxation, others is already at hand. Four years ago, a subcommittee of the House

Ways and Means Committe The existing duplicate taxation, headed by the able Representa-tive Fred M. Vinson of Kentucky, made possible through hidden taxes—levies included in the purchase price of a commodity with made an exhaustive inquiry into the result that buyers lose sight the subject of double taxation. Its of the heavy taxes they are paying-has been an important fac- a startling indictment of existing tor in waste in all forms of gov- conditions. ernment. Citizens fail to realize In its review of the situation

just how much taxes they are the Vinson subcommittee offered paying. Finding it easy to grab the following questions which, in these tax "Pennies from Heaven," its opinion, should be discussed legislators, national and state, of- and solved: the Congressional hopper and lost in the grind because it lacks dra-ity to pay, and bow to expediency. This is particularly true in times of emergency such as we ly grasped. Such a measure has have recently gone through. And the state governments? been offered by my distinguished repeal of emergency taxes when emergencies pass is the exception rather than the rule. War taxes Federal and state conferences on levied by Congress were not elimthe subject of taxation with the inated until 1928, and many have been reenacted.

The primary reason for these conditions is, of course, the fact that our citizens are not tax conscious. I have said that they fail to realize how much they are ation?" people would be able to sit down and figure their total tax bill on the basis of direct and hidden taxes paid for all forms of government. If a great number did this, the wave of public resentment would bring quickly a new era of lower taxes, economy in The government and the end of need-

less expenditures. On the basis of estimates Federal tax revenue for the fiscal child will pay an average of \$45.00 to the narrow, margins of profit and intense business competition? the price of the commodity. An- paid an average of only about Is the Federal government entwenty dollars. Per capita figures deavoring to aid farmers, business

on state, county and local taxes men, workers and unemployed on are incomplete, but it is indithe one hand and retarding the cated that with Federal taxes, the effort on the other by high taxtotal is in the vicinity of \$100. For a family of five, this means. es? These questions and others certainly deserve at least serious a total tax bill of \$500.00. Obviously, this tax burden is too authorities and economists. Now great and it is carried because is the proper time for such conour people do not realize its sideration, so that when economic weight on the family budget. recovery is complete, and condi-Of course, there are times when

taxes cannot be immediately reduced without the curtailment of tion. widespread governmental activi-We are passing through such times at present. However, it is not too early to plan for nor-



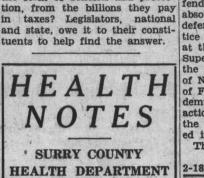
CHICAGO . HICAGO . . . Little Jean Benson as just celebrated her first birthday. She now weighs 16 pounds, 12 ounces. Little Jean was the world's timest baby, 12 ounces, at "First, which taxes are most adaptable for the use of the Federal government and which taxes birth. And that's Jean's mot Mrs. Lester Benson, with her. mother, are most adaptable for the use of

> rent annual bill is well in excess of \$12,000,000,000.

Certainly it is proper to raise the question as to whether our commenced in the Superior Court

"Third, what means should be adopted to set forth a model tax the form of benefits and protecsystem for the whole country. "Fourth, what means can be in taxes? Legislators, national adopted to bring into practical and state, owe it to their constioperation a model system of tax- tuents to help find the answer.

There is reason to believe that farmers and workers in many sections are bearing the brunt of the existing multiplicity of tax. levies. Certainly important questions are presented. Have high taxes on certain commodities tobacco is a case in point --- had the effect of reducing the price the farmers receive for their products? Have these taxes been a factor in the widespread replacement of workers by machines due RALPH J. SYKES, M. D., **Health** Officer



SYPHILIS-PART TWO

As to how syphilis is contract ed, Dr. Parran says that "Prob-ably over half of the victims of syphilis acquired the disease in-nocently." As to the mode of question on the part of our tax transmission of syphilis innocently the ways are very numerous. Of course marital syphilis is rather common if either party has the the undersigned Commissioner of disease. Kissing is the most im- Banks, having succeeded to the tions are normal, there can be a portant single method of spread readjustment of the tax situa- by accident. In an eastern state Trustee, will offer for sale, at pub-

In 1931 our people paid a total to a kissing game. The spiral or- the Surry County court house tax bill in all forms, Federal, ganism that causes syphilis lives door on Tuesday, February 23rd, state and local, that amounted to but a short time on dry articles. 1937 at twelve o'clock noon, cermore than \$9,500,000,000. The cur-faces. The list of articles that ing in Elkin Township, Surry have been known to transmit County, State of North Carolina, syphilis is impressive and include and described and defined as foltowels, clothing, razors, handker- lows: chiefs, surgical and dental instru-

ments, pipes and the like, especdried. From the above statement one can very easily see the danspread the disease.

diseases we have to diagnose in North 44 degs. West 2.90 chains the majority of cases. All that is to a rock at the branch; thence essary is to obtain a small amount of blood from the person to be tested and send it to the State Laboratory. They will do what is called the Wasserman test on it which will tell whether the person has the disease or not. Syphilis is one of the most destructive diseases we have at the present time. It causes about five with a Cold mobile accidents. It causes 10% of the insanity. It causes 18% of all diseases of the heart and blood vessels. It causes a large percent of the still births and the death of babies in the first week of life. This disease can and does affect any part of the body. It has been said by Dr. Osler "A person that knows syphilis knows medicine." A disease that causes as much human suffering as this; why should we discuss it in a whisper? As to the control of syphilis Dr. Parran has said, "The causative agent is known; a diagnosis can be made as soon as the case is infectious; we have serological tests which will discover otherwise latent cases; we have remewise latent cases; we have reme-dies which will speedily sterilize the infectious case. Unlike such diseases as typhoid fever, syphilis is spread singly from person to person by intimate contact. The source of infection, and those exposed are usually known to the patient. "Compare these facts with tuberculosis, disease which has de-clined by two-thirds, during the past 30 years. For tuberculosis, there is no specific method of cure or of rendering the patient of noninfectious. Diagnosis of the early case is costly and difficult. The infectious agent is widely dis-The infectious agent is widely dis-seminated in the population. In spite of these greater difficulties, the practical control and even eradication of tuberculosis in this country is a goal clearly in sight. The great difference between these diseases, however, is that, 2 FULL DOZEN FOR 250 Virtually 1c a Tablet in the case of tubercuosis,

have promoted public knowledge West 7 chains to a small pine corof the disease; mobilized the pro-fession; created public facilities; and organized community pro-grams of control." Now that we know all this in-Now that we know all this in-Now that we know all this in-formation about syphilis we can control it if we will abolish the National "Hush" policy concern-ing this disease. This "Hush" pol-to the creek; thence down said creek South 12 3-4 degs. East 9

icy not only has kept the fact of chains to the beginning, containsyphilis from the public but it ing 129.9 acres, more or less, and has also concealed the fact that being the same lands allotted to syphilis ranks with cancer, pneu- James Greenwood by Commissyphilis ranks with cancer, pieu- sames circenwood by commis-monia and tuberculosis as one of sloners in the Division of the the four great killing diseases. In lands of J. H. Greenwood, dec'd., some foreign countries the hush policy has been abolished for years said Division (See report of Comand with national organized effort missioner as filed in Special Pro-

1937.

NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA,

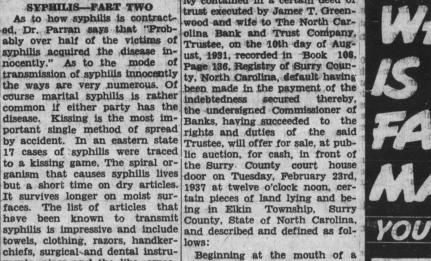
SURRY COUNTY. In The Superior Court FOREBELLE ANTHONY

syphilis is becoming rare.

MASKET ANTHONY. The defendant, Masket An-thony, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been people are getting a full return in of Surry County, State of North Carolina, to secure from the defendant and to the plaintiff an absolute divorce; and the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the Courthouse in Dobson, State of North Carolina, on the 23 day of February, 1937, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This the 25th day of Jan., 1937. F. T. LLEWELLYN,

Clerk Superior Court NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Under and by virtue of author-



creek, corner of lot No. 5, on the ally when moist or improperly North side of the Yadkin River, and runs down said River No. 65 degs. East 36 chains to a sycamore ger of having a nursemaid, cook at the mouth of a branch; thence ger of having a hurseman, cook at the mouth of a branch, atence or butler around the house caring for children or cooking that has syphilis. Many of these cases are not infectious but if they are not infectious but if they should have an open sore in their West 2.26 chains to a rock; thence mouth or on their body they can North 26 degs. East 5.25 chains to

the branch; thence up the branch Syphilis is one of the easiest South 81 degs. West 2.50 chains;





Thursday, February 4, 1937

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THE ELKIN TRIBUNE, ELKIN, NORTH CARCLINA

Conferences of

The basis for such conference

"Second, what taxes may be

properly imposed by both State

and Federal governments without

serious objection from the stand-

point of equity?

Town and State