

# EVERYBODY IS NOW FIGURING INCOME TAX

In Order to Be Helpful to Public, Internal Revenue Bureau Has Every Available Officer in Field.

## SEVERE PENALTIES IF YOU DELAY BEYOND MARCH 15

With the due date for Income Taxes only a few weeks away, the collection of this far-reaching tax on 1918 incomes has started off with a bang. Everybody is figuring income tax. Payments and even statements of income must reach Internal Revenue offices on or before March 15, and there are severe penalties for delinquency. Residents of North Carolina should make their returns and pay their taxes to Josiah W. Bailey, Collector of Internal Revenue, Raleigh, or to Anna D. Watts, Stateville, or to any of the deputy collectors who are now doing free advisory work in Income Tax. "Pay your Income Tax by March 15" is the slogan of the Internal Revenue Bureau, which has sent every available officer into the field to help the public to understand the requirements and to prepare the returns.

**Who Must Make Returns.** It is estimated that many thousands of single and married persons in this section of the United States who have never before made annual returns are required to do so this year. Income tax returns must be made between now and March 15 by persons who come under the following classifications:

Any unmarried person whose 1918 net income was \$2,000 or over. Widows and widowers, divorcees and married persons who are living apart from their husbands or wives, are for the purpose of the Income Tax deemed as unmarried.

Any married person living with wife or husband whose 1918 net income was \$2,000 or over. The income of both husband and wife must be considered, together with the earnings of minor children, if any.

**Exemptions Allowed.** A single person is allowed a personal exemption of \$2,000. If he is supporting in his household relatives who are dependent upon him he may claim the status of the head of a family who has the same exemption as if married.

A married person who lives with wife or husband is allowed a personal exemption of \$2,000. The head of a family is entitled to claim a smaller personal exemption.

An additional exemption of \$500 is allowed for each person under eighteen or incapable of self support who was dependent upon and received his chief support from the taxpayer.

A husband and wife living together are entitled, in but one personal exemption of \$2,000. If they make separate returns the exemption may be claimed by either or divided.

**Amounts Required.** Absolute accuracy is necessary in making up Income Returns. Any person who is making his return should find out exactly how much he received during the whole year 1918. From bank interest, bond interest, dividends, rents received and all other items must be reported correctly. More payments are not accepted, for they are subject alike to the taxpayer and the Government and defeat the proper administration of the law.

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INCOME TAX IS  
TRULY POPULAR.  
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"The payment of Income taxes is a matter of a new significance which should be understood by every citizen. The taxation system of this country is truly popular, and for the people. Every citizen is liable to tax, and exemption of the tax is graduated according to the income and family size. It is a system which is created and administered by our own institutions. The method and degree of the tax is determined by an informed class, not by the representatives of the people. The proceeds of the tax should be regarded as a national investment."—Daniel C. Hooper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

labor great or a great time was, depending upon the skill of the operator. An unskilled man may spend more time and energy in trying to start an engine to pump water or do some other task than would be required to do the work by hand. Often crews of workmen have to help thrust, hold, and steady the engine, and the fireman has to have special training in handling the engine. Such delays are preventable, for engine trouble is usually due to the operator's ignorance of some of the details connected to the engine. Knowledge of the engine, then, is a good way to conserve time and avoid trouble.

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To supply such knowledge the United States Department of Agriculture has recently published Farmers' Bulletin 1013, "Practical Hints on Running a Gas Engine." The aim of the bulletin is to call attention to some of the common causes of engine trouble, to suggest a method of finding quickly the cause of the trouble when an engine fails to run as it should, and to offer a sort of manual in the form of a condensed trouble chart, which may frequently be of assistance even to experienced engine operators.

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Worcester, Feb. 25.—Forty pounds of wheat flour, intended to be used for feed, had been found to be infested with a pest, with both eggs and larvae, which had been discovered by the State Department of Agriculture. The flour was found to be infested with a pest, with both eggs and larvae, which had been discovered by the State Department of Agriculture. The flour was found to be infested with a pest, with both eggs and larvae, which had been discovered by the State Department of Agriculture.

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## WATCH OUT FOR LIBERTY BOND SWINDLERS.

"Hold on to your Liberty Bond and watch out for the swindlers." In the wake of an interview given out today by Mr. C. E. Hooper, Vice-President of the United States Treasury, the Secretary of the Treasury, who is warning a committee of the House of Representatives of the danger of Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps.

## STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pain and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headaches. I had used pills and balm, but after a course of these, I would be completely cured. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headaches or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the liver and helps it to do its important work of showing out waste materials and poison from the system. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

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## COUNTRY LIFE

Let me live the years on my stay upon earth, "way out in the country, close to nature and to nature's God. I want to feel the touch of the seasons as they come and go, making up the year. I want to feel the chill of Winter in my frame, not too severe, but enough to make the blood tingle. I want to feel the gentle warmth of Spring, as with her touch of magic, she wakens new life in things dead. I want to feel the heat of Summer, as the golden sunshine ripens the harvest and matures the fruit and flowers. Lastly, I want to catch the cool breath of Autumn coming to fan away the heat and lethargy of summer. I want to hear the cry of the whippoorwill as the twilight settles over the hill and hollow. I want to be near where Bob White is calling to his mate, when the fields of ripening wheat wave gently to the breeze. I want to hear the thrills of bells on the distant hillside, as the sun is going down and the ladybirds commence their nighting chatter. Then when old Jack Frost comes by, with his touch of white, I want to wonder down the old rail fence and on to where the grass grows in rich profusion and there for a time feast and forget.

BULLETIN TELLS WHAT TO DO WHEN THE GAS ENGINE FAILS

A gas engine in the farm is a great