

DOES YOUR INCOME REQUIRE A TAX RETURN?

The following statement is issued by Collector of Internal Revenue David W. Phillips, the 12th District of Pennsylvania.

Now that the time for filing income tax returns has arrived, January 1st to March 15th, 1922, tax payers are advised to lose no time in the compilation of their accounts for the year 1921.

Net income is gross income, less certain deductions for business expenses, losses, taxes, etc. Gross income includes practically all income received by the tax payer during the year.

What were your profits from your business, trade, profession or vocation?

Did you receive any interest on bank deposits?

Have you any property from which you received rent?

Did you receive any income in the form of dividend or interest from stocks or bonds?

Did you receive any bonuses during the year?

Did you make any profit on the sale of stocks, bonds, or other property, real or personal?

Did you act as a broker in any transaction from which you received commissions?

Are you interested in any partnership or other firm from which you received any income?

Have you any income from royalties or patents?

Have you any minor children who are working?

Do you appropriate, or have the right to appropriate, the earnings of such children? If so, the amount must be included in the return of income.

Has your wife any income from any source whatsoever? If so it must be included in your return or reported in a separate return of income.

Did you receive any directors' fees or trustees' fees in the course of the year?

Do you hold any office in a benefit society from which you receive income?

Answers to all of these questions are necessary to determine whether a person has an income sufficiently large to require that a return be filed, and may be the means of avoiding the heavy penalties imposed for failure to do so within the time prescribed.

REMOVAL OF WAR TAX ON EXPRESS SHIPMENTS WILL BENEFIT THE PUBLIC.

The public will save approximately \$1,500,000 a month as a result of the elimination of the war tax on express shipments, according to George C. Taylor, president of the American Railway Express company.

The "Revenue Act of 1921" eliminates the war tax of one cent on every twenty cents and fraction thereof in transportation charges on all express shipments. This tax during the year of 1920 amounted to \$17,502,918.

The elimination of the tax, therefore, amounts to a decrease in rates of a little over five per cent. Mr. Taylor believes that this should have a tendency to stimulate business and thereby accelerate the rapidly improving conditions throughout the entire country.

"The American Railway Express company handles approximately one million shipments a day or nearly four hundred million shipments a year," Mr. Taylor goes on to say.

"The Treasury Department has requested express carriers to advise all claimants who have claims pending, for overcharges, or who file such claims after December 31, 1921, that claims for refund of tax should be filed separately on Treasury Department Form No. 46, with the Commission of Internal Revenue within your years from the time tax was paid, claim being barred by statute of limitations if received after such time."

Animals' Rights Centenary. One hundred years ago next June was passed the first Act of Parliament recognizing the legal rights of animals.

The passing of this Act, which is known as Martin's Act, will be celebrated in England by an important public demonstration on the occasion of its centenary.

A large number of humanitarian and animal protection societies are combining to carry out the work.—Our Dumb Animals.

"Getting acquainted" is the new spirit of this age—it affords many opportunities not given to the man who lives within a shell, by himself and for himself alone.

—Subscribe for the "Watchman."

KILLING AND CURING PORK ON FARMS FOR HOME USE.

Though the home-curing of pork is an old practice, it now seems to be an almost forgotten art on many farms. It nearly went out of style, but as many styles return to popularity so is this one coming back.

The kill of ringnecks is considered good, as 21 counties are closed to such hunting. The hunting licenses issued have risen from 262,355 in 1915 to 462,374 in 1921.

THE TRUSTY SHEEP DOGS.

The sheep dogs of Scotland are guides and defenders not only of the sheep flocks, but also the children of the crofters.

Were it not for these shaggy, intelligent fellows, born shepherds of the weak and defenseless, it would be unsafe for the children to go far from the lonely and isolated crofts in the outlying districts.

The sheep dog goes along with them and safely conducts them to and fro. Moreover, he must carry the books for them, for the little folk would be unequal to the task of carrying any extra weight in the long tramp.

Over the dog's back the books are slung and no one need worry for the safety of the children or their belongings. The sheep dog knows his duty and is proud and eager to do it.

The rural libraries established by the Carnegie Trust, are also using the dogs in distributing books among the homes of the crofters.

In fact, it would scarcely be possible for the inhabitants whose crofts are so far from the library centers to share in this great Carnegie beneficence, were there not the sheep dogs to act as librarians.

Good literature for the elders as well as the children is dispatched and returned on the sturdy backs of these reliable dogs.—Our Dumb Animals.

SHE IS "FULL OF PEP"

They say She is Good-Looking and Gay and is Always Ready for a Good Time.

Why is a girl popular? Look around and see what a good time the good-looking ones have all the time. Men seek them out and ask them to parties, dances and entertainments.

And notice that it is not the doll-face type real men like most, but the red-blooded girl with "pep" and happy good nature. Any girl who is tired and languid and has a poor complexion and dull eyes can improve her condition and be far happier if she will simply take Gude's Pepto-Mangan until she has put her blood into good condition.

Red blood means "full of life" and "full of life" usually means happiness. Try Gude's Pepto-Mangan and see how much better you feel. Doctors have used it nearly thirty years for weak, run-down people. It helps them get well. Sold in both liquid and tablet form.—Adv.

PAST SEASON GOOD FOR GAME.

According to estimates made by the State Game Commission at Harrisburg, over 3,000,000 rabbits were killed in Pennsylvania's recent hunting season, netting over 7,200,000 pounds of meat.

This is considered a banner rabbit kill. The game figures in addition to 4836 deer, already reported, included 510 bears, 500,000 squirrels of various kinds, 325,000 ruffed grouse, 4654 wild turkeys, 34,200 raccoons, 15,400 ringneck pheasants, 49,885 Virginia quail, 500 Hungarian quail, 35,250 woodcock and 46,780 wild water fowl.

TEACHING GEOGRAPHY IN NURSERY.

Children are always interested in games and puzzles that involve building operations. In them is sprouting the impulse for architecture which governs so many of the activities of grown-ups.

All of us have played with building blocks when we were little. Why not extend and elaborate the idea by the construction of miniature cities in the nursery?

MEDICAL

A Talk With a Bellefonte Man

Mr. James H. Rine, of 239 High St., Tells His Experience.

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore, give here an interview with a Bellefonte man:

"My back was in such a weak condition, I couldn't put my shoes on and could hardly drag myself around," says Mr. Rine. "I had very severe pains all through my back and limbs. I used Doan's Kidney Pills for these troubles and they cured me. Others to whom I recommended Doan's Kidney Pills were cured of backache by this remedy."

Over three years later, Mr. Rine added: "It was ten years ago I first used Doan's and I haven't been troubled since. I recommend Doan's whenever I hear any one complaining of backache or kidney weakness."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Rine had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. 67-3

VELVET JOE'S 1922 ALMANAC IS READY.

Over two hundred interesting and highly informative statements and tables are contained in the 1922 Almanac published by "Velvet Joe" the good-natured philosophical friend of the pipe smoker.

The reader finds all sorts of useful information. Helps and economies for the automobile owner, especially prepared by a leading authority, important government information about crops, valuable information on rare coins, some particularly valuable information about Liberty bonds and the dates on which coupons are due.

Mingle's Great Opportunity Sale

The Only Strictly One-Priced Store in Centre county, where goods are sold at one uniform low price, where goods are always marked in plain English at the lowest possible price; where the child buys as cheaply as the parent; where the goods and prices are our best advertisement.

350 Pairs Ladies' Queen Quality Boots All purchased during the year 1921, originally priced from \$8 to \$12. \$3.65 ALL GO AT, PER PAIR.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF NEW SPRING QUEEN QUALITY OXFORDS, ALL LEATHERS AND STYLES; MANY OF THEM NOW BEING UNPACKED, AT A 10 PER CENT. REDUCTION. AN OPPORTUNITY TO GET THE NEWEST AND BEST SEVERAL MONTHS BEFORE THEY WILL BE REGULARLY STOCKED AND AT A SAVING.

ALL REGAL, ALDEN, EDUCATOR AND ENDICOTT-JOHNSON MEN'S SHOES—TAKE 20 CENTS OFF EACH DOLLAR PURCHASE.

TAKE 20 CENTS OFF EVERY DOLLAR ON WOMEN'S SILK AND WOOL, ALL SILK AND LISLE, AND ALL CHILDREN'S HOSE.

TAKE 10 PER CENT. OFF ON ALL RUBBERS.

THESE QUOTATIONS CAN BE RELIED UPON.

GOODS EXCHANGED BUT NO MONEY REFUNDED.

Sale Opens Friday Morning, Jan. 20th, and Closes Saturday Evening, Jan. 28th, 1922

MINGLE'S SHOE STORE, - Bellefonte

