

"Food Burned In My Stomach"

This S. C. Merchant Says He Often Vomited Up His Meals. Dreco Has Relieved All His Troubles.

"I have frequently vomited up my meals that I had just eaten, on account of having such a weak stomach," declares that well known merchant, Mr. W. D. Blackwell of Inman, S. C.

"Everything I ate burned like fire in my stomach, and soured, forming foul gas which bloated me up. I got very nervous and bilious; often had spells of heartburn and my bowels were bound up all the time.

One of my customers one day advised me to try Dreco, as it had helped her so much, and she sure did me a good turn by giving me this advice, for I am in better shape now than I have been for years. My appetite is big, yet my stomach digests everything I eat and it gives me strength and does not lie heavy or burn as it used to. I have not vomited once since I finished the first bottle of Dreco. My bowels are regular, nerves steady, liver acts fine—in fact, I've got my old time "snap" and vigor and Dreco is due all the credit for this great change in my condition."

Dreco is a combination of Nature's own herbal juices which act on the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, and the blood. Its action is prompt and efficient.

All good druggists now sell Dreco and it is especially recommended in Abbeville by P. B. Speed.—Adv.

DUE WEST. (A. R. Presbyterian.)

Prof. Long last week attended a meeting at Greenwood of the college athletics of the State.

Mr. W. W. Edwards returned last week from the Northern markets. He bought his spring stock of goods.

Mr. Frank Wilson went to Clinton last week to hear his brother, Parks Wilson, participate in a society contest in speaking.

Mr. James Bonner received a telegram last week from Prof. J. G. Baird of Charlotte offering him a position in the Board school. Mr. Bonner left on Saturday for Charlotte.

Mrs. Fannie Brownlee, Mr. R. C. Brownlee, Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Brownlee went up to Anderson on Saturday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Brownlee until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Steele of Blackstocks, S. C., celebrated with appropriate ceremony their 25 anniversary on January 10. May they as happily celebrate their 50th anniversary.

Mr. Jno. Todd came home from Greenville threatened with appendicitis. Mrs. Todd who had gone to Greenville, missed him on the way. He was taken Sabbath afternoon to the hospital at Anderson, and operated on.

GIRLS! LEMON JUICE IS A SKIN WHITENER

How to Make a Creamy Beauty Lotion For a Few Cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.—Adv.

When the "doughboys" were ordered to go over the top and drive the enemy from his positions their speed and bravery and fighting ability changed world history. Let us show equal speed when the Victory Liberty Loan is offered.

THIS TELLS HOW TO FIGURE INCOME TAX

Squarely Up to Every Individual
to Get Busy by March 15
or Suffer Penalty.

"Don't wait until the final due date, March 15th, for paying your Income Tax and making your return. Avoid the last minute rush. Any person can figure out his liability today as well as he can next week, and if there is any point on which he needs advice he can now get in touch with a Revenue man."

"This word of advice is from Duncan C. Heyward, Collector of Internal Revenue, Columbia, who is collecting the Income Tax in South Carolina. Collector Heyward is giving without charge every aid of his office and his enlarged field force to help the people get their payments and their returns in by March 15th.

But the Income Tax men will not pull your door-bell or your coat-tails, according to the Collector's announcement. It is squarely up to every individual to figure out his own case and to get busy if he comes within the scope of the new Revenue law.

Did You Earn This Much?

Every unmarried person who received income averaging \$19.25 a week during 1918 and every married couple who jointly received income averaging \$38.50 a week should secure at once from the nearest Deputy Collector or the nearest bank a blank Form 1040 A. That form contains the information he will need to enable him to figure his correct net income and any tax that he owes the Government.

The law requires that every unmarried person who had a net income of \$1,000 or over and every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or over (including the income of husband or wife and the earnings of minor children, if any) must make a return on or before March 15th. And this requirement does not hinge on whether the person owes a tax.

Taxable Income.

An individual must include under gross income all gains, profits and income derived from salaries, wages or compensation for personal service of whatever kind and in whatever form paid or from professions, vocations, business, sales or dealings in property of all kinds, interest, rent, dividends or profits derived from any source whatever. Very few items of income are exempt.

Deductions include ordinary and necessary business expenses, interest paid or accrued on indebtedness, taxes of all kinds except Federal income and excess profits taxes and assessments for local benefits, losses actually sustained, debts ascertained to be worthless and depreciation on buildings, machinery, fixtures, etc., used in business. A further deduction is allowed for contributions to corporations operated for religious, charitable, scientific or educational purposes or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals to an amount not exceeding 15 per cent of the taxpayer's net income as computed without the benefit of the contribution deduction.

The taxpayer is not allowed to deduct any personal, living or family expense, any amount spent for improving property or making good its exhaustion for which an allowance is claimed under depreciation.

Figuring the Tax.

Before figuring the normal tax the dividends are deducted as credits from net income, together with the personal exemption. As in previous years, dividends of domestic corporations are exempt from normal tax when received by the stockholder.

The normal tax rates for citizens and residents are as follows: On the first \$4,000 of net income in excess of the credits the rate is 6 per cent; on any further taxable income the rate is 12 per cent.

The surtax rates apply to net income of each individual in excess of \$5,000. The personal exemption and the dividends are not deductible before computing surtax. In the case of returns by husband and wife, the net income of each is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Form 1040 should be used for making returns of net income exceeding \$5,000, and the instructions on that form will show how to figure the surtax.

Business House Returns.

Employers and others who paid wages, salaries, rents, interest or similar determinable gains in an amount of \$1,000 or over during 1918 to any person must file an information return with the Government. Blanks may be secured from the Collector.

Every partnership must file a return showing its income and deductions and the name and address of each partner, with his share of the profits or losses during the past year. Personal service corporations will file similar information for 1918.

* INCOME TAX PAYS *
* FOR PUBLIC BENEFITS. *
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* "Viewed in its largest and *
* truest sense, the payment of *
* taxes is payment for benefits *
* received or expected. Only from *
* a narrow and essentially selfish *
* and shortsighted viewpoint can *
* the individual propose to him- *
* self the evasion of tax liability *
* as a desirable course of action." *
* —Daniel C. Roper, Commission- *
* er of Internal Revenue. *

SHARP DEFERENCES OF LEAGUE OPINION VOICED IN SENATE

Hitchcock, Foreign Relations Chairman, Calls Lodge's Statement Preposterous.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Sharp differences of opinion over the League of Nations constitution were voiced in the Senate today by Chairman Hitchcock, of the Foreign Relations Committee, and Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, who will be chairman of the committee in the next Congress when the Republicans take control.

After Senator Lodge had delivered a prepared speech before crowded floor and galleries, warning the American people to weigh the constitution and insist upon revision, Mr. Hitchcock took the floor and denounced as preposterous the Massachusetts Senator's suggestion that the league would deprive the United States of its right for self-defense.

Before Senator Lodge began his

address, Vice President Marshall warned the spectators against applause, which has broken out frequently during discussions of the league. When a wave of laughter swept over the chamber following a brief colloquy between Senator Lodge and Senator Reed, of Missouri, Mr. Marshall ordered that the galleries be cleared, but agreed to rescind the order after Mr. Reed, Senator Poindexter, of Washington, of Washington, Republican, and others had protested.

The incident occurred when Senator Lodge, in a digression, declared that with the league in operation the United States could not punish a Mexican border depredation until after three months deliberation by the league's council and its decision, required "within a reasonable time."

Senator Reed remarked that the decision might be deferred 30 years after the border depredation and Senator and spectators broke into laughter.

Referring to the statement of Senator Hitchcock yesterday that the

charter represented the work of the foremost men of the world, Senator Lodge said:

"I do not regard them with the veneration, perhaps, of the Senator from Nebraska. I know some of them. Their intellect is not so overpowering that we can not suggest a amendment of this draft. I doubt if any one can name the 14 men of the conference off-hand."

Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination but will be rated upon their sworn statements in their applications as to education, experience, etc., and upon corroborative evidence adduced by the Civil Service Commission.

Work and save. Invest in war savings. Hold your securities. Do not surrender your War Savings Stamps or Liberty Bonds conditionally or unconditionally.

Victory has been won but it must be paid for. Every person is asked to do his share. No one is asked to

give—only to lend. Buy War Savings Stamps.

One more big Loan—one more big drive—to pay for what our boys did in France. The spirit that characterized the American troops is evident at home. Everyone worth the victory won in Europe will do his full part in the coming Victory Liberty Loan campaign.

What our boys had to do they did. They asked for no guarantee against loss. They were prepared to give their lives, and many made the supreme sacrifice. We are not asked to give our lives. No one is asked to give money. The government, offers to borrow and it offers the safest security ever devised and an investment that is highly profitable as well.

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On Dry Goods, Winter Suits and Overcoats we are still giving 20 Per Cent. Discount for Cash. ☞ This offers you a real opportunity to save, and it's too good to miss.

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