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Your 1953 Income Tax Should Married Persons File Joint

or Separate Returns!

For You-You, as the taxpay er, are always entitled to at least one exemption for yourself. If, at the end of your taxable year, you were blind or were 65 or older, you get two exemptions for yourself. If you were both blind and 65 or over, you get three ex-

emptions.

For Your Wife—You get exemptions for your wife (or husband) if you and she are filing a sen. band) if you and she are filing a joint return. If you file a separate return, you may claim her exemptions only if she had no income and was not claimed as a dependent on another taxapyers return for 1953. Otherwise, your wife's exemptions are like your own—one, if she was neither blind nor 65; two, if she was either blind or 65; two, if she was either blind or 65; three, if she was both blind and 65.

In Case of Death—If wife or husband died during 1953, the exemption for age or blindness is determined as of the date of death.

Proof of Blindness-If totally blind, attach a statement of such fact to the return. If partially blind, attach a statement from a qualified physician or a regis-tered optometrist that (1) central visual acuity did not exceed 20/200 in the better eye with cor-recting lenses, or (2) that the widest diameter of the visual field subtends an angle no greater than 20 degrees.

Exemptions for Your Children
—You get only one exemption
for each dependent child or stepchild (the additional exemption
for age or blindness applies only

Garl T. Rowan, 28 Minnespellie to you and your wife but not to dependents). The term "child" includes a legally adopted child and a child whose adopted child and a child whose adoption was denied by a court because of mental incapacity of a surviving natural parent. The law puts very exact limitations on who is a dependent. Each child must meet all four of the following tests for th taxable year. th taxable year.

1. Did not have \$600 or more

gross income, and
Received more than onehalf of his or her support
from you (or from husband
or wife if this is a joint return), and 3. Is not claimed as an exemp

 Is not claimed as an exemption on the return of her husband (or his wife), and
 Was either a citizen of the United States or a resident of the United States, Canada, or Mexico. Exemptions for Your Relatives

-You get one exemption for each dependent relative. The law puts very exact limitations on who very exact limitations on who may be claimed as a dependent close relative Each must meet all five of the following tests for the taxable year:

your District Director of Internal Revenue. His address is 201 Post Office building, Salem, Oregon, His telephone number is 3-8262. taxable year:
1. Did not have \$600 or more

gross income, and

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turn), and Is not claimed as an exemp-tion on the return of her husband (or his wife), and 4. Was either a citizen of the

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"Give God a Chance!"

KSLM Brooks H. Moore Minister Three newspaper reporters who have broken into N.B.C.'s "The Big Story" Fet together in the Capital Journal newsroom and were photographed Saturday. They are, left to right, Mike Forbes, valley editor of the Capital Journal; Mrs. Marguerite Brown, wife of a medical student in the University of Washington, and Jim Miller, Oregon Statesman reporter here. Forbes helped to solve the murder of a sheep herder in a dry gulch near Blackfoot, Idaho. Mrs. Brown, then a reporter on the Idaho Free Press of Nampa, figured in the solution of a poison murder mystery that occurred near there. She was on nation-wide radio in December, 1951, and on nationwide TV in June, 1953. Miller will be featured Sunday night at eight. The program will be heard locally over KGW. He figured in a Roseburg murder case in 1952. "The Big Story" features each week a reporter who has played a part in untangling a major crime mystery.

U. S. Junior Chamber to Honor Outstanding Men

SEATTLE & — The United Dr. Lloyd T. Koritz, 26, Rochelle, States Junior Chamber of Commerce Saturday will honor here the 10 men it has chosen as the outstanding young men of 1953.

Theodore C. Streibert, director of the United States Information Service, will be main speaker at the banquet here and the delegates will be greeted by Washington's Gov. Arthur B. Langlic.

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tional Agricultural College, and co-discoverer of the wonder drug streptomycin

U.S. Rep. Douglas R. Stringfel-low, 31, Ogden, Utah. Gov. Frank Goad Clement, 33,

Carl T. Rowan, 28, Minneapolis,

Billie Sol Estes, 28, Pecos, Tex. farmer and real estate owner credited with doing much to revolutionize agricultural methods in the Pecos Valley of Texas.

United States or a resident of the United States, Can-ada, or Mexico, and is related to you (or to hus-band or wife if this is a joint return) in one of the following ways: Mother, father, grandmoth-er, grandfather, brother, sis-ter, grandson, granddaugh-

er, grandfather, brother, sis-ter, grandson, granddaugh-ter, stepbrother, stepsister, stepmother, stepister, stepmother-in-law, father-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, the following if related by blood: uncle, aunt, nephew, niece. niece.

For further information, see

An ox is an old steer, usually one which has been kept after maturity as a work animal.

PROMOTED



Albert D. Brennan, serving aboard the Navy auxiliary mo-tor minesweeper USS Chatterer for minesweeper USS Chatterer in the Far East, was recently promoted to a yeoman, first class, USN. Brennan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Brennan of 1823 Broadway. Salem, Oregon, has been in the Navy since 1944 and aboard the Chatterer. terer since last April (U.S. Navy Photo)

New Approach to Soil Fertility to Be Stressed

A new approach to soil fertility for Marion county farmers
will be stressed in the free
school to be conducted by the
county agents office. Meetings
will be held at Middle Grove
school at 8 p.m. on three successive Mondays, starting January 25.

uary 25.

Basic principles of the whole plant nutrition cycle with parti-cular reference to fertilizer field cular reference to fertilizer field trials conducted on six Marion County farms during 1953 by Oregon State College research specialists will be featured according to Hollis Ottaway, county field crop specialist, who originated the school idea.

Aqueous, anhydrous and bulk method of fertilizer application will be interpreted since all three methods of use will be available to Willamette valley farmers this year, Ottaway said.

Liming and its correlation with fertilizers, drainage and cultural

fertilizers, drainage and cultural methods with particular attention to individual farm problems will be discussed from different angles at each meeting so that each of the three sessions will be valu able for persons who attend the

whole series.
A total of 25 Willamette valley A total of 25 Willamette valley fertilizer trails will be analyzed. They include forage pasture on the farm of Howard Eggiman, Central Howell; spring oats, Roy Hagg farm, Victor Point; Alta fescue, Robert Harper, Gervais; corn, Norman Reiling, Donald; Chewing fescue, T. R. Riches, Waldo Hills; and barley, Albert Schmidt & Sons, Parkersville.

Commercial fertilizer use has

Commercial fertilizer use has increased roughly parallel with rising yields per acre on farms of U. S. During 1953 Oregon farm-ers applied 130,000 tons of fertilizer exclusive of lime, rock phosphate and gypsum. In 1910 they used but 2,500 tons.

This is still puny compared to North Carolina farmers who last year applied 1,800,000 tons, double the amount used in the entire 11 Western states. Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina each used more than a million tons last year.

For the 13th consecutive year U. S. farm use of fertilizer increased during 1953, as 1823 million tons of material was poured on soil to produce more on fewer acres.

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At the same time the available plant food in fertilizers has been steadily improving, it now equals the amount of total fertilizers applied in 1932. Average analysis last year was 24 per cent plant food five years explicit

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Nitrogen, phosphorus and potash are the principal plant nutrients in commercial fertilizers, the most common mixture throughout the U.S. being in the proportions of 3-12-12.

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The West has great potentials in all three nutrients. Electric power and natural gas offer

TWO INDIAN GUARDS KILLED BOMBAY, India (2) — Two members of the Indian defens ministry security corps were shot dead Saturday while guarding a naval installation near the proposed atomic research laboratory at Trombay 15 miles from here.

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The Indian Navy opened a court of inquiry into the shootings, and of inquiry colleague was ara security corps colleague was ar rested shortly afterward.

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Albany Thespians to Try New Technique

ALBANY — Something new here in theatrical features is planned by the Albany Little Theater group, it was annoued Friday by James Johnston, president of the local amateur play producing organizatio n.

dent of the local amateur play producing organizatio n.

The group is planning, Johnston said, to inaugurate the arena style of play, which is enacted in the center of the audience integral of the standard program to develop new markets for fishery products.

The bill would authorize the Interior Department to spend for this purpose 30 per cent of the in the center of the audience in-stead of on conventional stage.

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WASHINGTON UP - Rep. Knox (R-Mich) has introduced a bill in-tended to raise more than 2 ½ mil-

The 94,000 accidental deaths in the United States in 1953 MANILA & — The Philippine army announced Saturday it has those of 1952.

Bill Designed to Aid Communist Huk hideout in Pampanga Province, North of Manila. mountain without opposition. Maj Gen. Jesus Vargas, army chief of staff, said the military will wage an "all-out war" against the reb-

els until they are captured. First Presbyterian Church

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