issuing price, minus any amount of premium already returned as income (or of the face value plus any amount of premium not yet returned as income), over the purchase price is gain or income for the taxable year.

(3)- (a) If bonds are issued by a corporation at a discount, the net amount of such discount is deductible and should be prorated or amortized over the life of the bonds. (b) If the corporation purchases any of such bonds at a price in excess of the issuing price plus any amount of discount already deducted, the excess of the purchase price over the issuing price plus any amount of discount already deducted (or over the face value minus any amount of discount not yet deducted) is a deductible expense for the taxable year. (c) If, however, the corporation purchases any of such bonds at a price less than the issuing price plus any amount of discount already deducted, the excess of the issuing price, plus any amount of discount already deducted (or of the face value minus any amount of discount not yet deducted), over the purchase price is gain or income for the taxable year.

(4) (a) If bonds were issued by a corporation prior to March 1, 1913, at a premium, the net amount of such premium was gain or income for the year in which the bonds were issued and should not be prorated or amortized over the life of the bonds. (b) If the corporation purchases any of such bonds at a price in excess of the face value of the bonds, the excess of the purchase price over the face value is a deductible expense for the taxable year. (c) If, however, the corporation purchases any of such bonds at a price less than the face value, the excess of the face value over the purchase price is gain or income for the taxable year.

ARE 22 (a)-19. Sale of capital assets by corporation.—If property is acquired and later sold for an amount in excess of the cost or other basis, the gain on the sale is income. If, then, a corporation sells its capital assets in whole or in part, it shall include in its gross income for the year in which the sale was made the gain from such sale, computed as provided in sections 111-113. If the purchaser takes over all the assets and assumes the liabilities, the amount so assumed is part of the selling price.

ART. 22 (a)-20. Income to lessor corporation from leased property.—If a corporation has leased its property in consideration that the lessee shall pay in lieu of other rental an amount equivalent to a certain rate of dividend on the lessor's capital stock or the interest on the lessor's outstanding indebtedness, together with taxes, insurance, or other fixed charges, such payments shall be considered rental payments and shall be returned by the lessor corporation as income, notwithstanding the fact that the dividends and interest are paid by the lessee directly to the shareholders and bondholders of the lessor. The fact that a corporation has conveyed or let its property and has parted with its management and control, or has ceased to engage in the business for which it was originally organized, will not relieve it from liability to the tax. While the payments made by the lessee directly to the bondholders or shareholders of the lessor are rentals as to both the lessee and lessor (rentals paid in one case and rentals received in the other), to the bondholders and the shareholders such amounts are interest and dividend payments received as from the lessor and as such shall be accounted for in their returns.

ART. 22 (a)—21. Gross income of corporation in liquidation.—When a corporation is dissolved, its affairs are usually wound up by a receiver or trustees in dissolution. The corporate existence is continued for the purpose of liquidating the assets and paying the debts, and such receiver or trustees stand in the stead of the corporation for such purposes (See sections 274 and 298.) Any sales of property by them are to be treated as if made by the corporation for the purpose of ascertaining the gain or loss. No gain or loss is realized by a corporation from the mere distribution of its assets in kind in partial or complete liquidation, however they may have appreciated or depreciated in value since their acquisition. But see section 44 (d) and article 44-5. (See further article 52-2.)

(SEC. 22. Gross Income.)
(b) Exclusions from gross income.—The following items shall not be included in gross income and shall be exempt from taxation under this title:

Arr. 22 (b)-1. Exemptions-Exclusions from gross income.—Certain items of income specified in section 22 (b) are exempt from tax and may be excluded from gross income. These items, however, are exempt only to the extent and in the amount specified. No other items are exempt from gross income except (1) those items of income which are, under the Constitution, not taxable by the Federal Government; (2) those items of income which are exempt from tax on income under the provisions of any Act of Congress not inconsistent with or repealed by the Act; (3) the income exempted under the provisions of section 116. Since the tax is imposed on net income, the exemption referred to above is not to be confused with the deductions allowed by section 23 and other provisions of the Act to be made from gross income in computing net income. As to other items not to be included in gross income, see sections 112 and 119 and Supplements G, H, I, and J.

[Sec. 22. Gross Income.]
[(b) Exclusions from gross income.—The following items shall not be included in gross income and shall be exempt from taxation under this title:]

(1) Life insurance.—Amounts received under a life insurance contract paid by reason of the death of the insured, whether in a single cum or otherwise (but if such amounts are held by the insurer under an agreement to pay interest thereon, the interest payments shall be included in gross income);

Anr. 22 (b) (1)-1. Life insurance—Amounts paid by reason of the death of the insured.—The proceeds of life insurance policies, paid by reason of the death of an insured to his estate or to any beneficiary (individual, partnership, or corporation, but not a transferee for valuable consideration). directly or in trust, are excluded from the gross income of the beneficiary. While it is immaterial whether the proceeds of a life insurance policy payable upon the death of the insured are paid to the beneficiary in a single sum or in installments, only the amount paid solely by reason of the death of the insured is exempted. The amount exempted is the amount payable had the insured or the beneficiary not elected to exercise an option to receive the proceeds of the policy or any part thereof at a later date or dates. If the policy provides no option for payment upon the death of the insured, or provides only for payments in installments, there is exempted only the amount which the insurance company would have paid immediately after the death of the insured had the policy not provided for payment at a later date or dates. Any increment thereto is taxable. In any mode of settlement the portion of each distribution which is to be so included in gross income shall be determined as follows:

(a) Proceeds held by the insurer.—If the proceeds are held by the insurer under an agreement (whether with the insured or with a beneficiary) to distribute either the increment to such proceeds currently, or the proceeds and increment in equal installments until both are exhausted, there shall be included in gross income, the increment so paid to the beneficiary, or so credited to the fund in each year by the insurer.

(b) Proceeds payable in installments for a fixed number of years.—If the proceeds are payable in installments for a fixed number of years, the amount that would have been payable by the insurance company immediately upon the death of the insured (if payment at a later date had not been provided for) is to be divided by the total number of installments payable over the fixed number of years for which payment is to be made, and the quotient represents the portion of each installment to be excluded from gross income. The amount of each installment in excess of such excluded portion is to be included in gross income. For example, if, at the insured's death, \$1,000 would have been payable in a single installment, but 10 equal annual payments are made In lieu thereof, the portion of the installment received during any taxable year to be excluded from gross income is \$100 (\$1,000 divided by 10). Any amount received as an installment in excess of \$100 is to be included in gross income.

profits. In determining the source of a distribution, consideration should be given first; to the earnings or profits of the taxable year; second, to the earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, only in the case where, and to the extent that, the distributions made during the taxable year are not regarded as out of the earnings or profits of that year; third, to the earnings or profits accumulated prior to March 1, 1913, only after all the earnings or profits of the taxable year and all the earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, have been distributed; and, fourth, to sources other than earnings or profits only after the earnings or profits have been distributed.

If the earnings or profits of the taxable year (computed as of the close of the year without diminution by reason of any distributions made during the year and without regard to the amount of earnings or profits at the time of the distribution) are sufficient in amount to cover all the distributions made during that year, then each distribution is a taxable dividend. (See article 115-1.) If the distributions made during the taxable year exceed the earnings or profits of such year, then that proportion of each distribution which the total of the earnings or profits of the year bears to the total distributions made during the year shall be regarded as out of the earnings or profits of that year. The portion of each such distribution which is not regarded as out of earnings or profits of the taxable year shall be considered a taxable dividend to the extent of the earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, and available on the date of the distribution. In any case in which it is necessary to determine the amount of earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, and the actual earnings or profits to the date of a distribution within any taxable year (whether beginning before January 1, 1936, or, in the case of an operating deficit, on or after that date) cannot be shown, the earnings and profits for the year (or accounting period, if less than a year) in which the distribution was made shall be prorated to the date of the distribution not counting the date on which the distribution was made. The provisions of this article may be illustrated by the following example:

Example.—At the beginning of the calendar year 1936, the M Corporation had \$12,000 in earnings and profits accumulated since February 28, 1913. Its earnings and profits for 1936 amounted to \$30,000. During the year it made quarterly distributions of \$15,000 each. Of each of the four distributions made, \$7,500 (that portion of \$15,000 which the amount of \$30,000 the total earnings and profits of the taxable year. bears to \$60,000, the total distributions made during the year), was paid out of the earnings and profits of the taxable year; and of the first and second distributions, \$7,500 and \$4,500; respectively, were paid out of the earnings and profits accumulated after February 28, 1913, and prior to the taxable year, as follows: A stage for a stage for the contract and the design

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Distributions during 1936	Portion out	Portion out of earnings ac-	j, ji ilin
Date. On A	of earnings or profits of the taxable year	cumulated	Taxable amount of each distribution
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Total amount taxable as dividends		3.02 	1,000 (142,000)

Any distribution by a corporation out of earnings or profits accumulated prior to March 1, 1913, or out of increase in value of property accrued prior to March 1, 1913 (whether or not realized by sale or other disposition, and, if realized, whether prior to or on or after March 1, 1913), is not a dividend within the meaning of Title I.

ART. 115-3. Earnings or profits.—In determining the amount of earnings or profits (whether of the taxable year. or accumulated since February 28, 1913, or accumulated prior to March 1, 1913) due consideration must be given to the

facts, and mere bookkeeping entries increasing or decreasing surplus will not be conclusive. Among the items entering into the computation of corporate earnings or profits for a particular period are all income exempted by statute, income not taxable by the Federal Government under the Constitution, as well as all items includible in gross income under section 22 (a) of the Act or corresponding provisions of prior Acts. Gains and Iosses within the purview of section 112 or corresponding provisions of prior Acts are brought into the earnings and profits at the time and to the extent such gains and losses are recognized under that section. Interest on State bonds and certain other obligations, although not taxable when received by a corporation, is taxable to the same extent as other dividends when distributed to shareholders in the form of dividends.

In the case of a corporation in which depletion is a factor in the determination of income, the only depletion deductions to be considered in the computation of earnings or profits are those based on (1) cost or other basis, if the depletable asset was acquired subsequent to February 28, 1913, or (2) adjusted cost or March 1, 1913, value, whichever is higher, if acquired prior to March 1, 1913. Thus, discovery and percentage depletion under all Revenue Acts for mines and oil and gas wells should not be taken into consideration in computing the earnings or profits of a corporation.

A loss sustained for a year prior to the taxable year does not affect the earnings or profits of the taxable year. However, in determining the earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, the excess of a loss sustained for a year subsequent to February 28, 1913, over the undistributed earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, and prior to the year for which the loss was sustained, reduces surplus as of March 1, 1913, to the extent of such excess. And, if the surplus as of March 1, 1913, was sufficient to absorb such excess, distributions to shareholders after the year of the loss are out of earnings or profits accumulated since the year of the loss to the extent of such earnings.

With respect to the effect on the earnings or profits accumulated since February 28, 1913, of distributions made on or after January 1, 1916, and prior to August 6, 1917, out of earnings or profits accumulated prior to March 1, 1913, which distributions were specifically declared to be out of earnings or profits accumulated prior to March 1, 1913, see section 31 (b) of the Revenue Act of 1916, as amended by section 1211 of the Revenue Act of 1917.

ART. 11514. Distributions other than a dividend.—Under section 115 (d), any distribution (including a distribution out of earnings or profits accumulated before March 1, 1913) other than to set on an or a

(1) a dividend (see articles 115-1 and 115-2).

(2) a distribution out of increase in value of property accrued prior to March 1, 1913 (see article 111-1), or

3 (3) a distribution in partial or complete liquidation (see article 115-5) *

shall be applied against and reduce the adjusted basis of the stock provided in section 113 and shall be taxable to the recipient if, and to the extent that, such distribution exceeds such basis. The provisions of this article are applicable to such distributions received by one corporation from another

Example.—In 1936 the M Corporation purchased certain shares of stock in the O Corporation for \$10,000. During that year the M Corporation received a distribution from the O Corporation of \$2,000 paid out of earnings or profits of the O Corporation accumulated prior to March 1, 1913. This distribution must be applied by the M Corporation against the basis of its stock in the O Corporation reducing such basis to \$8,000. The \$2,000 does not constitute a part of the earnings or profits of the M Corporation. If the M Corporation subsequently sells the stock of the O Corporation for \$9,000, it realizes a gain of \$1,000, which constitutes a part of its earnings or profits for the year in which the stock is sold. If the distribution had amounted to \$14,000, the gain of \$4,000 would be taxable to the M Corporation and would have constituted a part of the earnings or profits

ernment is not exempt from income tax. (But see section 1)

16 (a).) Arr. 116-2. Compensation of State officers and employees.-The operations of a State or political subdivision thereof essential to the exercise of its governmental functions, and which only the State or the political subdivision can do itself, are exempt from Federal taxation. Compensation received for services rendered to a State or a political subdivision thereof is to be included in gross income unless (a) the person receives such compensation from the State or political subdivision as an officer or employee thereof, and (b) the services are rendered in connection with the exercise of an essential governmental function. The commissions of receivers appointed by State courts and the fees received by notaries public are taxable.

One is not an officer or employee of a State or of a political subdivision thereof merely by reason of rendering services to the State or subdivision and receiving compensation therefor. Persons employed by a State or political subdivision thereof, under a contract for the rendering of services of a special nature, such as those performed by a consulting engineer who is employed to advise a State or political subdivision thereof with respect to water supply or sewage disposal systems, whose duties are prescribed by the contract and whose work is not of a permanent or continuous character, are not officers or employees of the State.

If all or part of the compensation of an officer or employee of a State or political subdivision thereof is paid directly or indirectly by the United States, such compensation (or part) is taxable, as, for example, any compensation paid by the United States to officers of the National Guard of a State, or compensation paid by a State to officers or employees of an agricultural school or college wholly or partly out of grants from the United States.

ART. 116-3. Bridges to be acquired by State or political subdivisions.—(1) Any State or political subdivision thereof claiming a refund under the provisions of section 116 (e) of an amount equal to all or a portion of any income tax levied, assessed, collected, and paid in the manner and at the rates prescribed in Title I, shall file a claim therefor on Form 843 (to which there shall be attached as exhibits the matter hereinafter prescribed) with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the tax was paid, which claim shall be executed on behalf of such State or political subdivision thereof by the treasurer of other fiscal officer thereof and shall contain to the contain the

(a) A statement of the name of the taxpayer, of the amount of tax levied, assessed, collected, and paid for the taxable year or period in respect of which the claim is made, and the amount of refund thereby sought;

(b) A full statement of the facts considered by the claimant sufficient to entitle it to receive the refund, including copies of all contracts and other documents bearing on the case, and a statement that the claim is submitted under the provisions of section 116 (e);

(c) A showing which will establish to the satisfaction of the Commissioner that the fiscal officer presenting the claim has authority to receive the amount of the refund on behalf of the State or political subdivision which he assumes to represent and to apply without delay the entire amount of such refund in part payment for the acquisition of such bridge, including copies of the laws, ordinances, or similar enactments considered by the claimant sufficient to establish its authority to receive the refund and so to apply it, together with a statement that such fiscal officer will receive and immediately so apply the entire amount of the refund; antil. 100 July 18040

(d) An affidavit made by or on behalf of the taxpayer, which affidavit shall state that the taxpayer thereby joins with and concurs in the request of the State or political subdivision thereof that a refund of an amount equal to all or a portion of the tax previously paid by such taxpayer be made to such State or political subdivision, that the taxpayer agrees to receive the amount refunded from the State or political subdivision to which it is paid and immediately to apply the entire amount of such refund in part payment for the acquisition of such bridge, and that if for any reason the contract which is the basis of the claim for refund is not fully executed and performed, the taxpayer will repay to the United States upon its demand the entire amount of the refund with interest at 6 percent per annum from the date the refund is made without seeking or claiming the benefit of any statute of limitations which prior thereto may have run against the United States.

(2) No refund shall be made of any amount in excess of the amount of the tax levied, assessed, collected, and paid by the taxpayer for any taxable year or period. A separate claim shall be made in respect of each separate taxable year or period. If by the terms of the contract on which the claim is based two or more States or political subdivisions of a State or States are entitled to acquire the bridge, the claim for refund in respect of each separate taxable year or period must be made jointly by the States or political subdivisions thereof so entitled. The amount refunded under section 116 (e) and this article is not considered an overpayment within the meaning of section 614 of the Revenue Act of 1928 (paragraph 37 of the Appendix to these regulations), relating to interest on overpayments, and no interest shall be allowed or paid upon the amount of the refund.

(3) A check or voucher in payment of a claim for refund allowed under section 116 (e) will be drawn in the name of the fiscal officer or officers having authority, as established under paragraph (1) (c) hereof, to receive the same, and will contain an express provision that it is issued for the sole purpose and subject to the conditions prescribed in that section and this article.

CHAPTER XVII

Capital Gains and Losses

Sec. 117. Capital Gains and Losses

(a) General rule.—In the case of a taxpayer, other than a corporation, only the following percentages of the gain or loss recognized upon the sale or exchange of a capital asset shall be taken into account in computing net income:

100 per centum if the capital asset has been held for not more than i year;

80 per centum if the capital asset has been held for more than year but not for more than 2 years; ...

60 per centum if the capital asset has been held for more than

2 years but not for more than 5 years; 40 per centum if the capital asset has been held for more than 5 years but not for more than 10 years; 30 per centum if the capital asset has been held for more than 10 years,

(b) Definition of capital assets.—For the purposes of this title, "capital assets" means property held by the taxpayer (whether or not connected with his trade or business), but does not include stock in trade of the taxpayer or other property of a kind which would properly be included in the inventory of the taxpayer if on hand at the close of the taxable year, or property held by the taxpayer primarily for sale to customers in the ordinary course of his trade or hystress.

trade or business.

(c) Determination of period for which held.—For the purpose of subsection (a)-

(1) In determining the period for which the taxpayer has held property received on an exchange there shall be included the period for which he held the property exchanged, if under the provisions of section 113, the property received has, for the purpose of determining gain or loss from a sale or exchange, the same

basis in whole or in part in his hands as the property exchanged.

(2) In determining the period for which the taxpayer has held property however acquired there shall be included the period for which such property was held by any other person, if under the provisions of section 113, such property has, for the purpose of determining gain or loss from a sale or exchange, the same basis in whole or in part in his hands as it would have in the hands of such other person.

(3) In determining the period for which the taxpayer has hold stock or securities received upon a distribution where no gain was recognized to the distributee under the provisions of section 112 (g) of the Revenue Act of 1928 or the Revenue Act of 1933, there shall be included the period for which he held the stock or

there shall be included the period for which he held the stock or securities in the distributing corporation prior to the receipt of the stock or securities upon such distribution.

(4) In determining the period for which the taxpayer has held stock or securities the acquisition of which (or the contract or option to acquire which) resulted in the nondeductibility (under section 118 of this Act or section 118 of the Revenue Act of 1932 or the Revenue Act of 1934, relating to wash sales) of the loss from the sale or other disposition of substantially identical stock or securities, there shall be included the period for which he held the stock or securities have not loss from the sale or other disposition of which was not loss from the sale or other disposition of which was not deductible.

become a nonresident alien subsequent to its receipt and I much of the income of a citizen of the United States nonresiprior to the close of the taxable year. Conversely, income received by a nonresident alien from sources without the United States is not taxable though such person may become a resident alien subsequent to its receipt and prior to the close of the taxable year.

: (a) No United States business or office.—A nonresident alien individual not engaged in trade or business within the United States and not having an office or place of business therein at any time within the taxable year is taxable only on gross income from sources within the United States consisting of fixed or determinable annual or periodical income. His taxable income does not include profits derived from the effecting of transactions in the United States in stocks, securities, or commodities (including hedging transactions) through a resident broker, commission agent, or custodian, or profits derived from the sale within the United States of personal property or real property located therein.

(b) United States business or office.—The gross income of a nonresident alien individual who at any time within the taxable year was engaged in trade or business within the United States or had an office or place of business therein is not limited to the items of gross income specified in section 211 (a), but includes any item of gross income which is treated as income from sources within the United States, except those items which are exempt from taxation by statute or treaty or which are not taxable by the Federal Government under the Constitution. (See sections 22 (b), 112, 116, 119, and 212 (b).)

In general, any nonresident alien individual who performs personal services within the United States is considered as being engaged in trade or business within the United States and therefore his net income from sources within the United States, including his compensation, is subject to the normal tax of 4 percent and the surtax. However, the phrase "engaged in trade or business within the United States" does not apply to the personal services performed within the United States for a nonresident alien individual, foreign partnership, or foreign corporation, not engaged in trade or business within the United States, by a nonresident alien individual temporarily present in the United States for a period or periods not exceeding a total of 90 days during the taxable year and whose compensation for such services does not exceed in the aggregate \$3,000. Such compensation is not income from sources within the United States. (See section 119 (a) (3).) As to the exclusion from gross income of the official compensation received by employees of foreign governments see section 116 (h).

The effecting of transactions in the United States in stocks, securities, or commodities (including hedging transactions) through a resident broker, commission agent, or custodian does not bring a nonresident alien individual within the class of nonresident alien individuals engaged in trade or business within the United States, but if a nonresident alien individual by reason of rendering personal services in the United States, or for other reasons, is classed as a nonresident alien individual engaged in trade or business within the United States or having an office or place of business therein, he is taxable upon all income from sources within the United States, including profits derived from the effecting of such transactions. Such a nonresident alien individual is required to include in gross income capital gains, gains from hedging transactions, and profits derived from the sale within the United States of personal property, or of real property located therein.

ART. 212-2. Exclusion of earnings of foreign ships from gross income.—So much of the income from sources within the United States of a nonresident alien individual who at any time within the taxable year was engaged in trade or business within the United States, or had an office or place of business therein as consists of earnings derived from the operation of a ship or ships documented under the laws of a foreign country which grants an equivalent exemption to citizens of the United States nonresident in such foreign country and to corporations organized in the United States, shall not be included in gross income. Foreign countries which either impose no in-

dent in such foreign country and of a corporation organized in the United States as consists of earnings derived from the operation of a ship or ships documented under the laws of the United States are considered as granting an equivalent exemption within the meaning of this article.

A nonresident alien individual not engaged in trade or business within the United States and not having an office or place of business therein at any time within the taxable year is not required to include in gross income such income from sources within the United States as is derived from the operation of a ship or ships, whether or not the foreign country under the laws of which such ships are documented meets the equivalent exemption requirement of the statute.

Sec. 213. Deductions.-

(a) General rule.—In the case of a nonresident alien individual the deductions shall be allowed only if and to the extent that they are connected with income from cources within the United States; and the proper apportlemment and allocation of the deductions with respect to cources of income within and without the United States shall be determined as provided in section 119, under rules and regulations prescribed by the Commissioner with the approval of the Secretary.

(b) Losses.

(1) The deduction, for losses not connected with the trade or business if incurred in transactions entered into for profit, allowed by section 23 (c) (2) shall be allowed whether or not connected with income from courses within the United States, but only if the profit, if such transaction had resulted in a profit, would be

taxable under this title.
(2) The deduction for locaes of property not connected with the trade or business if arising from certain essualties or theft, allowed by section 23 (e) (3), shall be allowed whether or not connected with income from sources within the United States, but only if the less is of property within the United States.

(c) Charitable, etc., contributions.—The so-called "charitable contribution" deduction allowed by section 23 (o) shall be allowed whether or not connected with income from sources within the United States but only as to contributions or gifts made to domestic corporations or to community chests, funds, or foundations, created in the United States, or to the vocational rehabilitation fund.

Arr. 213-1. Deductions allowed nonresident alien individuals.—(a) No United States business or office.—A nonresident allen individual not engaged in trade or business within the United States and not having an office or place of business therein at any time within the taxable year is not allowed any deductions, the tax being imposed upon the amount of gross income received. (See article 211-7.)

(b) United States business or office.—In the case of a nonresident alien individual who at any time within the taxable year was engaged in trade or business within the United States or had an office or place of business therein the deductions allowed by section 23 for business expenses, interest, taxes, losses in trade, bad debts, depreciation, and depletion are allowed only if and to the extent that they are connected with income from sources within the United States. (See also section 215.) In the case of such taxpayers, however, (1) losses sustained during the taxable year and not compensated for by insurance or otherwise, if incurred in any transaction entered into for profit, although not connected with the trade or business, are (if otherwise allowable) deductible only if and to the extent that the profit, if such transaction had resulted in a profit, would have been taxable as income from sources within the United States: (2) losses sustained during the taxable year of property not connected with the trade or business if arising from fires, storms, shipwreck, or other casualty, or from theft. and if not compensated for by insurance or otherwise, are deductible only if the property was located within the United States; and (3) contributions or gifts made within the taxable year are deductible, only if made to domestic corporations or to community chests, funds, or foundations, ereated in the United States of the type specified in section 23 (o), or to the vocational rehabilitation fund, subject to the limitation provided in section 23 (a).

Losces embraced under clause (2) of the preceding paragraph are deductible in full from items of gross income specified as being derived in full from sources within the United States, and, if greater than the sum of such items, the unabsorbed loss may be deducted from the income apportioned come tax, or, in imposing such tax, exempt from taxation so I to sources within the United States under the provisions of