

# Local and Personal

Mrs. C. W. Bailey was hostess Saturday afternoon at children's party honoring her little daughter, Helen, who celebrated her birthday. Mrs. Bailey was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. T. A. Carroll Jr. Those present were Moore, Mary Gattrell, June Moore, Jeanne Dickey, Sue Roberts, C. Crisp, Lillie Frances Ricks, Ellis and Nancy Keener, Adams, Wanda Bowles, Mary Porter Fain, Mary Louise McDonough, Dorothy Birchfield, Dorothy George, Mary Helen and Thelma Evelyn Bailey.

Miss Mammie Stephens, Miss Sara Campbell and Mr. Melvin Hubbard, Atlanta, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bailey.

The many friends of Miss Bessie Hampton, of Asheville, who was injured recently in an automobile accident, were glad to see her at home visiting her mother, Mrs. Matie Hampton.

Mr. Charles Dickey, who has been attending Lincoln Memorial College at Harrison, Tenn., has returned to home here to spend the summer.

Messrs. Frank Ellis and John Dabson returned to Asheville last Saturday after spending the week with their parents.

Mrs. R. J. DeLong, of Andrews, was a visitor in town last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Storey spent Thursday in Asheville.

Mayer and Mrs. D. S. Russell, of Andrews, were visitors in town on Monday.

Mrs. Dixie Dillard spent the week-end with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce King, at Topton.

Mr. Frank Taylor of Topton was a visitor in town the first of the week.

Messrs. Charles Candler and Dick Wilson, of Sylva, were visitors in Murphy Sunday.

Mrs. Edw. E. Adams returned home last Friday from Atlanta.

Miss Ann Candler returned home last Friday from a visit to Hayesville.

Miss Eloise Fain returned home last Friday from Columbia, S. C., where she had been attending the Bible school.

Mr. Ed. Harshaw left last Thursday for a visit in Richmond, Va.

The many friends of Mrs. Paul Sneed, who had her tonsils removed last Saturday at Candler hospital, Sylva, will be glad to learn that she is getting along nicely.

Mr. A. E. Vestal, service manager of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company at Murphy, was called to Sandford, N. C., Tuesday on account of the sudden death of his mother.

Mrs. Callie Hall spent several days last week in Atlanta, Ga.  
Mrs. Ola J. Barnes and sons left Wednesday for a visit to friends and relatives near Raleigh.

Miss Nettie Houston Dickey returned home last Saturday from Brevard where she had been going to school.

Mr. W. G. Crawford spent last Thursday in Asheville.

Mr. T. S. Ensley and little son were visitors in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Solomon, of Long Beach, Calif., are spending several days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy of Miami, Fla., arrived Sunday to visit friends and relatives. Mrs. Kennedy will be pleasantly remembered here as Miss Margaret Sneed, daughter of Mrs. R. H. Sneed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Murray, of Chaska, Tenn., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Murray.

Mrs. J. P. Francis spent the week-end with relatives at Waynesville.

Mr. Jimmie Cruise of Atlanta, is visiting friends here this week.

**SPECIAL SALE THIS WEEK ON** Hats, New Panamas, and Dresses. Call and look them over. Mrs. Callie Hall. (11-pd)

**FOR SALE—BEE COMB** for foundation and super at 75c lb. Mary Ledford, Postell, N. C.

**KEYS—**Make keys for all kinds of locks and open safes. If you have trouble, write me or come to see me. C. M. Newborn, 110 Toccoa St., Box 644, Copperhill, Tenn.

Rev. Howard P. Powell left Monday for Rebulon, N. C., to help conduct a revival meeting.

Mrs. Howard P. Powell is visiting friends and relatives at Wilmore, Ky.

Mrs. Lettie Riche is visiting her sons at Graham, N. C.

Mr. A. L. Martin left Wednesday for a business trip to Raleigh.

Mr. Tom Axley spent several days in Raleigh last week on business before the Local Government Commission.

## THOUSAND DISASTERS RECEIVED RED CROSS AID IN 50 YEARS

American Society to Celebrate Its Birth Year With Nationwide Observance

Tornadoes, floods, forest fires and other calamities and upheavals of nature have visited the United States more than one thousand times in the last half century.

All of these were of severe intensity, causing loss of life and great property damage. Minor catastrophes were not counted in this list of disasters, which has been made public by the American Red Cross, in connection with the celebration this year of its fiftieth birthday.

It was on the evening of May 21, 1881, in the modest home of Miss Clara Barton in Washington, D. C., that the American Association of the Red Cross was first formed. Before the year was out, and before, indeed, the United States Government had officially moved to approve the Treaty of Geneva, adding this nation to the company of thirty-two others adhering to the treaty to protect wounded in warfare, Miss Barton had plunged the small society into a disaster relief task.

### First Red Cross Unit

This was in the north woods of Michigan, where forest fires swept the homestead farms of pioneering families. Miss Barton, as president of the Red Cross, had organized a branch in Dansville, New York, where she was sojourning. This little group immediately raised money, food, clothing and other supplies and sent them to the forest fire victims. In Rochester and Syracuse, New York, nearby, word spread of this charitable enterprise, and Red Cross auxiliaries were organized there to help. So began the disaster relief work of the Red Cross fifty years ago. In the intervening years, millions of men, women and children have been aided. Thousands of homes have been restored. Thousands of persons, overwhelmed by floods, tornadoes, and fires until all they possessed had been wiped away, have been rehabilitated and prosperity and

happiness again smiled upon them. This year has been dedicated by the Red Cross and its chapters in 3,500 communities to commemoration of the events which led to the birth of the society in the United States.

### President Hoover Speaks

The celebration of the anniversary was inaugurated in Washington at a dinner, attended by many distinguished men and women, at which Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes

presided, and President Hoover, who is the president of the American Red Cross, was the chief speaker. Judge Max Huber of Geneva, Switzerland, the president of the International Committee of the Red Cross, in which fifty-seven nations are joined in a Red Cross brotherhood, also was a speaker, as were Chairman John Barton Payne of the American Red Cross, and Miss Mabel T. Beardman, secretary, and veteran leader of the society.

The Red Cross standard, which flies all around the world where mercy is needed, was first introduced as an ideal in our modern civilization in Geneva in 1864, when the international Red Cross convention, afterward to be known as the Treaty of Geneva, was signed by twelve countries agreeing that on the battlefield the wounded should be given aid by doctors, nurses and others, who should wear the sign of the Red Cross, and be treated as neutrals in the warfare.

Two Americans attended this first convention, the American Minister George C. Fogg, and Charles S. P. Bowles, representative in Europe of the United States Sanitary Commission, a volunteer organization of sympathizers with the North in our Civil War. Facts they gave resulted in adoption of some of the American ideas.

Returning to the United States, Fogg and Bowles sought recognition of the Geneva Treaty, but the Grant administration took no interest. Under Hayes, the same lethargy was encountered.

### Clara Barton Founder

But there had emerged from the Civil War period a middle-aged woman who had seen much service on the battle fields around Washington. This was Clara Barton. Ill health caused her to make a trip to Europe in 1869. There she became interested in the Red Cross idea, and joined a unit which saw service in the Franco-Prussian war. Upon her return home, she launched an active campaign for the treaty, but met the same opposition

as her predecessors. However, President Garfield, when he came into office, recognized the merits of the movement, and when death by assassination removed him, his successor President Arthur, sought approval by the U. S. Senate of the treaty. This was consummated a seventeen-year fight in this nation for a humanitarian ideal. Clara Barton was recognized as the society's founder and was its president for twenty-three years. She died in 1912 at the age of 90 years.

It is not generally thought of, but the flag so familiar in every civilization as the emblem of the Red Cross had a simple derivation. Because the originator of the movement, Henry Dunant, was a Swiss, and the first treaty to protect wounded in battle was drafted and signed in Switzerland, the flag of that Republic—a white cross upon a red background—was reversed and the Red Cross came into being.

## NOTICE AND FINAL WARNING

First, your taxes must be paid and will be collected, as this is my duty and I am making bond to do so.

Second, Speeding and reckless driving, running auto without complete lights and parking car incorrectly will be enforced to the fullest extent of the law.

Third, Loitering on the streets after 11 o'clock at night must be prohibited, and also all profane language and public nuisance, as it is a violation of the town ordinances.

I also wish to state that I will appreciate any citizen's aid in calling me at any time that they might see fit for my presence, as I can't be everywhere at one time, and if I am neglecting any part of town I will be more than glad if you will make it known to me.

If any time any citizen will give me the name or number of any person violating the speed limit inside of the city limits I will be glad to indict and prosecute.

As I can see it all, help me and it will help to protect your children as well as yourself from being run over and being killed or injured by reckless driving.

I also wish to thank the Board of Aldermen for my re-election and I will assure them I will do the best I know how.

I realize I can't please everybody, for my experience as an officer trying to do my duty will cause a lot of criticism. But criticism or no criticism, you may expect lots of it.

If any time you may need an officer at late hours of the night, you may call the Regal Hotel and ask the porter to find him for you, as the porter will be posted how to get in touch with him at once.  
F. A. FAIN,  
Chief of Police.

There are 19,830 more females in North Carolina.  
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**SANDWICH SPREAD** Rajah 8 1/2 Ounce **15c**

**VINEGAR** Pure Cider Size **12 oz. 9c** 24 oz. Size **17c**

<b>FANNING'S Bread and Butter Pickles</b> 2 Jars <b>35c</b>	<b>SULTANA Red Beans</b> can <b>5c</b>	<b>IVORY SOAP, 2 Large Cakes 25c</b> <b>IVORY SOAP, 2 6 Ounce Cakes 15c</b> <b>SOAP Guest Ivory Cake 4c</b> <b>IVORY FLAKES, 3 pkgs. 25c</b>
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### SATURDAY SPECIALS

**California Cantaloupes, ea. 10c** **BANANAS lb 5c**  
**Stringless Beans, 5 lbs 25c** **TOMATOES, 2 lbs 15c**

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