

\$1,441,483 A YEAR'S DISASTER RELIEF COST

Red Cross Aided 145,000 Victims in United States—Losses Total \$30,000,000.

Seventy-two disasters, with hundreds reported killed and injured, and more than 145,000 either homeless or requiring assistance, called for emergency relief measures and the expenditure of \$1,441,486.36 by the American Red Cross during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, according to a statement based on the forthcoming annual report of the Red Cross. The greatest toll of life was taken by hurricane and tornado, while the overflowing of rivers, the breaking of dams and torrential rains drove the greatest number of people from their homes. The property loss was estimated at more than \$30,000,000.

The year's disasters reported included twenty-six floods, nineteen tornadoes, fifteen fires, four epidemics, two theatre collapses, two shipwrecks (one an strabip), and a bridge collapse, mine explosion, railway collision, and a drought. Of the floods in the United States that at San Antonio, Texas, caused the greatest property loss, \$6,000,000 and the high mark of fatalities, 100, while the flood in the vicinity of Vicksburg and Natchez, Miss., forced 31,000 persons from their homes.

A National Calamity
In the Red Cross disaster relief records there will probably remain for many years one calamity which touched nearly every state with a sense of horror and of loss. This was the distressing collapse of the roof of the Knickerbocker Theatre in Washington, D. C., resulting in ninety-six deaths and 126 persons injured. Situated in the center of the beautiful Northwest residential section, this motion picture theatre was patronized by many persons of prominence both in the official and civil life of the National Capital, whose family and personal connections radiated out over the entire country. The horror was intensified by a terrific snowstorm which, though it retarded, did not block Red Cross relief.

Airship Crash Finds Aid at Hand
The crash and destruction of the U. S. Army's large airship Roma in Virginia last February with the loss of 34 officers and men and 11 injured was the first disaster of its kind to call for Red Cross relief in this country. The suddenness of the accident tested the preparedness of the organization and of the Chapter at Hampton, Va., but the response was immediate and relief furnished the survivors, also funds for the expenses of relatives of the dead, who came from long distances to claim their own.

In the year's overseas record for aid rendered by the Red Cross are two fires in the Philippines, one in Manila, which destroyed 1,000 homes, with a loss of \$1,500,000 and 5,000 persons made homeless, the other at Tono, which drove 3,000 from their dwellings. In medical relief that was quick and effective the smallpox epidemic in San Domingo, which had a total of 22,000 cases with 225 deaths in a single day, tested the readiness of the Red Cross for action, and the same can be said of the San Domingo hurricane, which killed 12 persons and reduced the homes of 182 persons to wreckage. A flood in San Salvador, with a death toll of 50 and 2,000 refugees, was also effectively handled by the local Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Relief Machinery Perfected
The year has seen the further perfection of disaster relief administrative measures in every field of American Red Cross activity, and that the work may be carried on to still greater accomplishments the American Red Cross is appealing for widespread renewal of membership during the annual Roll Call, to be conducted this year from Armistice Day (November 11) to, and including, Thanksgiving Day (November 30).

Red Cross Roll Call Heard World Around

The Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross for registration of the membership for 1923 will begin on Armistice Day, November 11, and close on Thanksgiving Day, November 30. The ground work for this stupendous task of re-enrolling the membership throughout the world has been laid in a plan for the first complete and comprehensive system of registration of the Red Cross membership in all its 8,800 active Chapters at home and abroad.

An important feature of the round-the-world Roll Call campaign will be a universal effort to re-enlist the service of war-time Red Cross workers in the peace program by their participation in the Roll Call. In this way the vast army of volunteers will once more affiliate with the work of the Red Cross in its manifold phases. Cooperation also has been assured by Government and private maritime interests in a deep-sea Roll Call that is designed to reach every member or potential member in every part of the world who may be en voyage or temporarily in any port.

Thousands of Chapters will adopt the home canvass plan of enrollment which originated in Pittsburgh, where last year it resulted in a membership increase of 50 per cent. All records in this year's campaign will be kept on standard size cards to be filed by each Chapter for future use.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR TOWN OF AHOSKIE FROM OCTOBER 1, 1922 TO JANUARY 1, 1923

Cash deposited in Farmers-Atlantic Bank to credit of town	
Oct. 4. Loan from Farmers-Atlantic Bank \$800.00 less \$1.92 interest	\$ 598.38
Oct. 7. Deposit	206.06
Oct. 9. Deposit	45.25
Oct. 10. Deposit	242.31
Oct. 11. Deposit	541.45
Nov. 29. Deposit	22.74
Dec. 2. Deposit	200.00
Dec. 13. Deposit	56.21
Nov. 14. Deposit	3,575.00
Dec. 14. Loan from Farmers-Atlantic Bank	1,350.00
Dec. 19. Deposit	200.00
Dec. 27. Deposit	400.00
Dec. 30. Deposit	600.00
TOTAL deposited in Farmers-Atlantic Bank	\$ 8,087.40

Cash deposited in Bank of Ahoskie	
Oct. 4. Deposit	\$ 183.33
Oct. 4. Deposit	185.17
Oct. 5. Loan from Bank of Ahoskie	600.00
Oct. 6. Deposit	76.51
Oct. 6. Deposit	74.93
Oct. 7. Deposit	124.14
Oct. 14. Deposit	6.20
Oct. 20. Deposit	44.09
Nov. 2. Deposit	183.33
Nov. 2. Deposit	98.81
Nov. 8. Deposit	115.37
Nov. 23. Deposit	116.97
Dec. (Not reported on account of absence of H. A. Yert.)	
TOTAL deposited in Bank of Ahoskie	\$ 1,808.85

Paid from Bank of Ahoskie deposits	
Oct. 1. H. A. Yert, Superintendent, salary	\$ 183.33
Oct. 5. Bank of Ahoskie, interest on note	1.62
Oct. 5. New York exchange through Bank of Ahoskie, interest on bonds	600.00
Oct. 6. N. E. White, Agent A. C. L. Ry. Co., freight on car coal	187.98
Oct. 6. Check deposited and charged back	15.00
Oct. 7. H. A. Yert, pay roll, plant	38.00
Oct. 7. N. E. White, Agent A. C. L. Ry. Co., freight car coal	191.92
Oct. 12. Check deposited and charged back	6.20
Oct. 28. H. A. Yert, pay roll, plant	44.00
Nov. 1. H. A. Yert, October salary	183.33
Nov. 15. H. A. Yert, part November salary	50.00
Nov. 15. A. T. Willoughby, Postmaster, stamped envelopes for town	10.96
Nov. 18. Bank of Ahoskie, interest on two renewal notes	13.57
Nov. 18. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll for two weeks	88.00
Dec. 2. L. C. Williams, November salary	50.00
Dec. 2. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll	29.00
Dec. 16. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll, two weeks	64.00
Dec. 19. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, interest on renewal note	1.60
Dec. 23. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll	35.00
Dec. 30. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll	36.75
Dec. 30. H. A. Yert, part December salary	100.00
TOTAL paid from Bank of Ahoskie	\$ 1,930.26

Paid from Farmers-Atlantic Bank	
Oct. 1. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll	\$ 44.00
Oct. 4. Farmers-Atlantic Bank for draft, interest on bonds	600.00
Oct. 7. L. C. Williams, September salary	50.00
Oct. 9. Bank of Ahoskie, draft for material for wiring colored Fair grounds	95.85
Oct. 10. J. N. Vann & Bro., account in full to date	87.81
Oct. 14. H. A. Yert, plant pay roll	47.00
Oct. 20. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, interest on renewal note \$96 plus \$350.00 curtailment of note	350.69
Oct. 20. Bank of Ahoskie, interest on renewal note	.69
Oct. 20. Bank of Ahoskie, payment on \$600.00 note	350.00
Oct. 30. W. L. Curtis, Mayor back salary to June 1, 1922	114.00
Nov. 4. L. C. Williams, October salary	50.00
Nov. 18. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, interest on renewal note	1.31
Nov. 29. N. E. White, Agent, freight on piping	.58
Dec. 2. H. A. Yert, on salary	200.00
Dec. 5. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, interest on renewal note	1.31
Dec. 14. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, interest on note	3.70
Dec. 14. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, draft to pay and interest due on bonds	5,000.00
Dec. 19. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, cashier's check to Hanover National Bank, fee for handling bonds	9.50
Dec. 23. Horton & Vinson, repairs cart and wheels	4.65
Dec. 27. George R. Dobis, audit town books, July 1, 1922	210.14
Dec. 30. Pittsburgh Meter Co., payment on February, 1922 account	200.00
Dec. 30. John D. Westbrook, Inc., Apr. acct., 1922	60.06
Dec. 30. Piedmont Electric Co., June account, 1922	35.86
Dec. 30. Standard Oil Co., June account, 1922	74.35
Dec. 30. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, payment on \$1,350 note	350.00
Dec. 30. Farmers-Atlantic Bank, interest on renewal note	2.60
TOTAL paid through Farmers-Atlantic Bank	\$ 7,944.10

Paid Out by H. A. Yert in October, 1922	
Telegram	\$ 1.08
Unloading car coal	6.50
Stamps	6.50
Telephone rent	1.50
Engine oil	2.50
Truck repairs	121.31
Engine oil	3.35
Truck overboarding	3.90
Express on Fair grounds material	32.08
Freight on Fair grounds material	1.60
Freight on two barrels of oil	3.63
Fittings for well	1.88
Plant pay roll	14.75
Telegram for coal	.35
TOTAL paid out by H. A. Yert	\$ 201.58

Paid out by O. H. Britton in month of November, 1922	
N. E. White, Agent, freight on car coal	\$ 163.32
N. E. White, Agent, freight on car coal	176.78
N. E. White, Agent, freight on car coal	178.46
Farmers-Atlantic Bank, draft for car coal	228.81
Bank of Ahoskie, draft for car coal	231.20
J. T. Barnes, for lumber for street	48.86
Bud Cornelius, seven week's pay for street work	77.00
TOTAL paid out by O. H. Britton	\$ 1,109.23
TOTAL cash received	\$11,157.06
TOTAL amount paid out	\$11,185.17
This 3rd day of January, 1923.	
L. C. WILLIAMS, Clerk.	

NOTICE

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain deed of trust executed on the 1st day of July, 1915, by W. A. Chavis and wife Mary H. Chavis, to Jno. E. Vann, Trustee, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the Register of deeds office for Hertford County, in Book 51, on page 174. The conditions contained in said deed of trust have not been complied with, the undersigned, Trustee, will therefore, on the 5th day of February, 1923 offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door of Hertford County, the following described real estate, to-wit:

1st. Tract known as the Home tract. Bounded on the East by the lands of J. H. Knight, on the North and West by the lands of the late J. P. Freeman and on the South by the Union and St. Johns road, containing 34 acres more or less.

2. Tract known as the Hayes tract, bounded on the East by the old Beverly farm, on the North by the Union and St. John road, on the West by the lands of J. W. Stion, and on the South by the old Wynns land and C. C. Hoggard, containing 200 acres more or less.

3. Tract known as the Knight tract. Bounded on the North by the lands of C. C. Hoggard, on the East by the lands of Mrs. J. H. Darden, on the South by the lands of Paul E. Jenkins, and on the West by the old Wynns land, containing 65 acres more or less. All of the above lands are situate in St. Johns Township, Hertford County, N. C. This the 20th day of December, 1922.

Large quantity of nice pine timber standing on these lands.
JNO. E. VANN, Trustee.
1-5-23-4t.

NOTICE

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain deed of trust, executed on the 1st day of January, 1914, by E. D. Hoggard and wife Dessie M. Hoggard, to Jno. E. Vann, Trustee, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the Register of deeds office for Hertford County, in Book 51 on page 28. The conditions contained in said deed of trust have not been complied with, the undersigned, Trustee will therefore, on the 5th day of February, 1923 offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court house door of Hertford County, the following described tract of land, situate in Winston Township, Hertford County, N. C., to-wit: That tract, beginning at a maple corner for the Etta Crocker land, and running the Crocker line straight to the public road leading from the Murfreesboro and Winston road to California; thence said road a Northerly course to a large marked white oak; thence to a marked white oak, a marked line near the corner of fence in Jack Vann's heirs line; thence along a line of marked trees to a Maple at a branch; thence a marked line of trees to large white oak, corner for the Weaver or Kiff land; thence to the first station, containing 130 acres more or less. Known as a part of the land formerly owned by Dr. J. P. Jordan. This the 30th day of December, 1922.
JNO. E. VANN, Trustee.
1-5-22-4t.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Pursuant to the provisions of a deed of trust executed by Mustpha F. Watson and his wife Nancy to Henry C. Sharp, on the 7th day of January, 1920, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Hertford County, N. C., in Book 68, page 31, default having been made in the payment of the bond therein secured and at the request of the holder thereof, the undersigned trustee will sell at public auction for cash in front of the post office in the town of Harrellsville, N. C., on the 5th day of February, 1923, the entire Home tract of the said grantor, bounded on the north by the lands of R. H. Holloman (Ward) and P. H. Robertson, on the east by the lands of P. H. Robertson, on the south by the lands of Jos. Watson and Davis Harrell, and on the west by the lands of W. C. Overton and R. H. Holloman and containing fifty (50) acres more or less.

This 1st day of January, 1923.
Terms—CASH.
HENRY C. SHARP, Trustee.
1-5-22-4t.

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NOTICE

By virtue of the powers contained in a certain deed of trust, executed on the 8th day of January, 1919 by W. A. Chavis and wife Mary H. Chavis, to Jno. R. Jordan, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the Register of deeds office for Hertford County, in Book 64 on page 434. The conditions set forth in said deed of trust have not been complied with, the undersigned Trustee, will therefore, on the 5th day of February, 1923, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door of Hertford County, the following described real estate, situate in St. John Township, Hertford County, N. C., to-wit:

First tract, known as the said W. A. Chavis' home place. Bounded on the East by the lands of J. H. Knight, on the North and West by the lands of the late J. P. Freeman and on the South by the Union and St. John road, containing 34 acres more or less.

Second Tract known as the Hayes tract. Bounded on the East by the old Beverly farm, on the North by the Union and St. John road, on the West by the lands of J. W. Stion and on the South by the old Wynns land and C. C. Hoggard, containing 200 acres more or less.

Third Tract, known as the Knight Pocosin tract. Bounded on the North by the lands of C. C. Hoggard, on the East by the lands of Mrs. J. H. Darden, on the South by the lands of Mrs. J. H. Darden, on the South by the lands of Paul E. Jenkins, and on the West by the Old Wynns land, containing 65 acres more or less. This the 20th day of December, 1922.

Large quantity of nice pine timber standing on these lands.
JNO. R. JORDAN, Trustee.
1-5-23-4t.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

By virtue of the power and authority conferred on me in a deed of trust executed by Hunter Watson and L. W. Valentine on the 23rd day of January, 1913 and duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Hertford County, N. C., in Book 52, page 47, default having been made in the payment of the bond therein secured, and at the request of the holder thereof, the undersigned trustee will sell for cash at public auction in front of the post-office in the town of Harrellsville, N. C., on Monday, the 5th day of February, 1923, the entire one-half interest of the said N. H. Watson in the undivided Hare tract, bounded on the north by the lands of Mrs. A. C. Williams and H. S. Basnight, on the east by the lands of the W. D. Pruden estate and others (Smith tract), on the south by the lands of W. D. Pruden estate and others, and on the west by the lands of W. A. Cobb and Mark Harrell, and containing 50 acres more or less.

Terms—CASH.
This 1st day of January, 1923.
HENRY C. SHARP, Trustee.
1-5-4t.

Jenkins, and on the West by the Old Wynns land, containing 65 acres more or less. This the 20th day of December, 1922.

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JNO. R. JORDAN, Trustee.
1-5-23-4t.

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