

MRS. TUFTS APPEALS FOR THE NEEDS OF RED CROSS

To Branch Chairman of the Moore County Chapter, American Red Cross and Health and Welfare Association.

Dear Chairman:

Within a few days I have received an appeal from Red Cross headquarters for clothing for the Mississippi refugees. They ask for suitable clothing, clean and in good order for men, women and children; but no furs, no shoes and no hats are required. As we are doing no volunteer work in sewing in committee for our Red Cross Chapter there will be no concerted effort made along that line. Therefore I am leaving to each branch chairman to do what seems best. Please send anything you receive in the line of clothing to my home at Pinehurst before November 15 and I will see that it is packed and sent according to instructions as sent from headquarters.

Please let me take this opportunity of appealing to you to help the Red Cross Roll Call, Nov. 11 to 24. Mrs. J. H. Sutfenfield is chapter chairman of this. She may have asked you to serve as Roll Call Branch Chairman. If not please find who has been appointed in your town and do all possible to co-operate. It is vital to our work in the county that we enlist all old, and many new, members. You may have noticed in the local papers, Miss Eifort's appeal for money to help two little babies keep alive. That appeal need never have been made had we not an almost empty treasury. I beg you to help put funds into that treasury so that we may never have to sit back and be unable to help such pathetic cases. We are, first, responsible for half the Red Cross nurse's salary (the county paying the other half) her car and its upkeep—after that obligation is discharged we need funds to give the nurse, Miss Hilda Merryman, and the social worker, Miss Lucille Eifort, in order that they may have something for the needy and unfortunate. It is hopeless work to find suffering and destitution and have no money to provide relief.

After the Roll Call, comes the Christmas Seal Sale from Nov. 24 to Dec. 25. As we get a good proportion of the receipts from the Roll Call for our local work, so, also from the Seal sale we receive a part of the returns to use for certain purposes. We need your help in all of these things. If we all faithfully do our share and urge others to help, we will be able, not only to put over the things already planned, but a larger and broader program of work.

Please let me count on your enthusiastic co-operation and assistance.

GERTRUDE W. TUFTS,
Chairman, Moore County Chapter,
American Red Cross and President
Health and Welfare Association.

MUCH BLOODED STOCK BROUGHT INTO STATE.

With final figures available on the results of the dairy development campaign conducted in North Carolina this past year, the supply of improved stock added to the dairy farms has been increased by 1,483 animals. Of this number 820 were of pure bred, registered stock, divided into 261 bulls and 559 females.

The campaign was begun last September by the office of dairy extension at State College. Farm agents in 30 counties took an active part in the movement and made reports of their work. The dairy extension office offered five prizes of expenses and part expenses to the National Dairy Show at Memphis and when the final check was made it was found that W. Kerr Scott, of Alamance county, had won first prize; E. P. Welch, of Beaufort, second prize; E. S. Millsaps, of Randolph, third; L. D. Thrash, of Buncombe, fourth; J. R. Powell, of Bladen, fifth; C. A. Sheffield, of Davidson, sixth; G. W. Falls, of Pasquotank, seventh, and R. W. Gray, of Cherokee, eighth.

According to A. C. Kimrey, dairy extension specialist, this was one of the most successful campaigns for the improvements of existing herds of cattle that has ever been put on in North Carolina. Some of the county agents who formerly won prizes in the pure bred sire campaign proved that their counties still did not have enough such cattle and proceeded to place more. Some agents did not make a report on their part in the contest and it is believed that at least

400 additional head were brought in by these men. The Guernsey and Jersey breeds led in the placings.

As a result of the contest, seven of the farm agents and one negro local agent will have part or all of their expenses paid to the great dairy show at Memphis this month.

USE TOBACCO BARNs FOR CURING SWEET POTATOES.

Recently in conversation with Dr. Poole, associate professor of Plant Pathology, State College, he told me that there is no reason at all why we can not use our tobacco barns for curing and keeping our sweet potatoes through the winter months. These barns he says are much better than those used in New Jersey which is a successful potato producing section of the world. Dr. Poole has promised that he will make us a visit soon and show us exactly how to operate the barn. If this can be done one of our problems is solved. As a general rule it is no trouble for us to make a good crop of potatoes but to save them is sometimes difficult. Each year we lose as many or more potatoes from rotting than we use. Consequently in the spring of the year potatoes are always high and plants scarce.

If you are interested in this piece of work and will let me know I shall be glad to notify you when Dr. Poole expects to be here.

E. H. GARRISON, JR.,
County Agent.

Tom Tarheel says he is going to get the folks in his community to have a rooster sale and exchange day so that he can get some new blood in his flock.

M. F. Barber, of Onslow county, cleared \$800 from a flock of 200 Barred Rocks during the past season in spite of losing about 300 baby chicks from moldy feed.

North and South Carolina have united again. This time it is to sell their sweet potatoes.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed dated February 17, 1925, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Moore County, in Book of Mortgages No. 43, at page 67, execute by Elijah Blue and wife, Sarah Blue, to Charlie Love and assigned by the said Charlie Love to C. P. Ashley, the undersigned offers for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Courthouse door of Moore County, in the town of Carthage, on Monday, the 14th day of November, 1927, at 12 o'clock noon, the following real estate lying and being in Moore County, State of North Carolina, in Sandhills Township, and described and defined as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a corner in Cato Utley's line in the settlement of Berkley, runs thence S. 79° 25' E. to the southeast corner of Lot No. 70 of Mrs. M. E. Blue's land; thence N. 28° 75' E. 3 chains and 73 links to a stake, the east corner of Lot No. 69; thence N. 61° 25' W. 4 chains to John Blue's line; thence S. 28° 75' W. 1 chain and 88 links to a stake; thence with Utley's line to the beginning, containing one and three-fourths acres. From this one-half acre has been sold to Bryan, leaving the amount conveyed by this deed one and one-fourth acres. This is the same lot of land as conveyed by deed from Irvin Estes and wife, to Elijah Blue. This sale is made by reason of the recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Moore County in Book 92, at page 170, to which record reference is hereby made. Excepted from this mortgage is one-fourth acre sold to Allemy Taylor in 1920.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of Elijah Blue and wife, Sarah Blue, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said Mortgage Deed to the undersigned assignee.

This the 11th day of October, 1927.
C. P. ASHLEY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
J. Vance Rowe, Attorney.
4-t—Nov. 11, 1927.

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Relating to the Issuance of \$35,000 Water Bonds.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Vass: Section 1. That negotiable coupon bonds of the town of Vass be issued in the maximum principal amount of \$35,000 to be known as Water Bonds, for the purpose of constructing a water system in and for said town. The estimated cost of said improvements is not less than \$35,000.

Section 2. AA tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the said bonds shall be annually levied and

collected.

Section 3. A statement of the debt of the town has been filed with the clerk and is open to public inspection.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its first publication, unless in the meantime a petition for its submission to the vot-

ers is filed under the municipal finance act, in which event it shall take effect when approved by the voters of the town at an election, as provided in said act.

The foregoing ordinance was passed on the 26th day of October, 1927, and was first published on the 28th

day of October, 1927. Any action or proceeding questioning the validity of said ordinance must be commenced within thirty days after its first publication.

D. A. McLAUCHLIN,
Town Clerk.

2t—Oct. 28.

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