

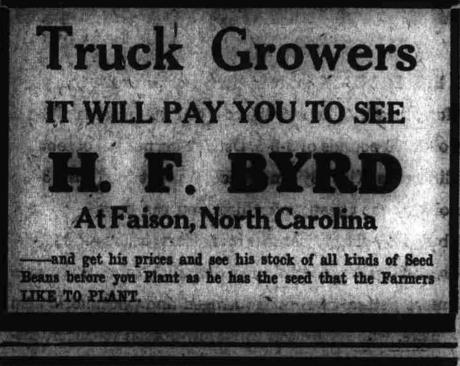
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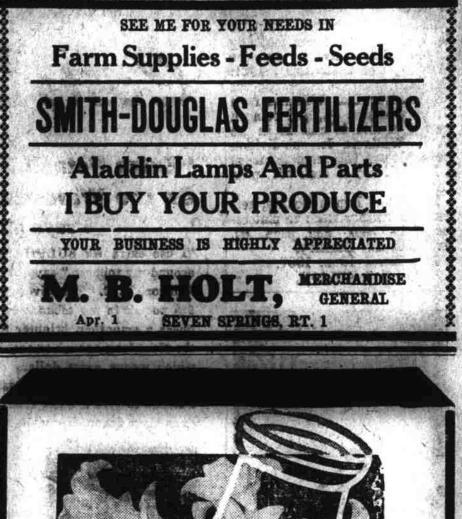
BEULAVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Cross history, a systematic effort to meet the problems presented by refugee children. Experienced Junior Red Cross workers were sent to the largest concentration centers and camps in the ten sta-tes affected by the flood. Before they could reach their destina-tions, the members of the Junior Red Cross, spurred by the emerg-ency, had contributed a vast num-ber of toys, games, books and mag-azines. The speed with which Chapters collected and shipped these gifts are truly amazing. The Junior Red Cross was in act-ion. ion.

ion. As soon as the Junior Bed Cross workers reached the camps, they assembled from among the refugees teachers, playground sup-orvisors and others experienced in handling children. Other group leaders were supplied by the Fed-eral Government through the Works Progress Administration and the Mational Youth Admin-istration. The children were divid-ed into age groups, and activities to occupy the entire day were planned. Order was established and parents were relieved of much of their anxiety. Money contributed by the Jun-

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for Red Gross paid the cost of keeping the trained workers in the field and made possible the purchase of pencils crayons, paper sissors, paste, cloth for making toys that make children happy. The story hours, hikes and health intructions accomplished wonders and the reference children work de and the refugee children were de-lighted when told that all of this came to them because of the unselfish interest of the girls and boys of the Junior Red Cross.

selfish interest of the girls and boys of the Junior Red Cross. The camps were rapidly disap-earing by the middle of March, as the Red Cross is returning the re-ridges to their homes and is pro-viding furniture and restoring the wrecked houses. The children took their toys, games, and books home with them; reminders not of the dark days of the fload but of the happy hours they spent because of the thoughtfulness of the children who escaped the disaster and who-sitie Paducah and Jeffersonville, where the damage was the great-est and hundreds of children will be living in tents for many more weeks, the Junior Red Cross will gontinue to serve them until they go back to their homes. Most Appreciative and in our front yard. With my family I went to the Jefferson School and stayed two weeks un-til the water was raging around us. Then the Red Cross took us to Wingo where I stayed two weeks. I next went to Mayfield where I now am. I am trying to show my thanks for the things they have done by writing this so other children will know. The Junior Red Cross has sent us all kinds of material, to work and play with such as books, toys drawing books

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