

REPORT OF ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

The following is a general report of the case work done by Associated Charities during the month of August, 1946. The Associated Charities is one of the Red Feather year-round services of the Community Chest.

Number of cases applying	18
Number of cases accepted	14
Number of old cases	12
Number of new cases	2
Number of cases reopened	3
Number of cases transferred	2
Number of cases to be closed	4

DISPOSITION OF CASES ACCEPTED:

Sickness	10
Help with milk, clothes and shoes	1
Help with food, medicine and shoes	2
Help with food and medicine	1
Help with food only	4
Help with milk only	1
Help with medicine only	1
Insufficient income	2
Help with food for one week for family of five. Man physically and mentally unable to work and woman not eligible for vacation pay at mill.	
Death in family after long illness. Clothes for widow.	
Desertion	1
Woman with four small children. Help with food and milk.	
Halifax County Case	1
Colored family given food order one week because of emergency.	
Transferred:	2
To Halifax County	1
Case needing permanent care to Lions Club	1
Case in need of eye glasses	
General Report:	
Number of office interviews	23
Number of home visits	14
Number of telephone calls about cases	10

One of the families given assistance by Associated Charities during August was that of a widow with four children, ages, twenty-six, twenty three, thirteen and ten.

The mother came to the office of Associated Charities and requested help with food until her daughter, then ill, could return to work. The daughter, who has been employed for the past eight years at one of the local mills, has been sick since the middle of June and was a patient at the hospital for a while. Her doctor would not allow her to go back to work before September and told the case worker that she was in a very run-down condition. An unmarried son, from whom the mother received an allotment while he was in Service was discharged last January and came home. He secured work locally but was not satisfied, and decided to re-enlist in the Army. He was sent to Fort Bragg on June 18th and carried with him the necessary papers, all filled out, for his mother's allotment. He was shipped out several days later and the mother has never heard a word from him since, nor has she received the allotment. An August 20th she could not manage without assistance any longer and came to the Associated Charities.

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TUE 10: THE SEWING MACHINE'S 100TH BIRTHDAY

WED 11: O. HENRY (THE MAN) BORN, 1862 (REAL NAME: WILLIAM SYDNEY PORTER)

THUR 12: NATIONAL PROHIBITION PARTY ORGANIZED 77 YEARS AGO

FRI 13: ON THIS DAY IN 1814 FRANCIS SCOTT KEY COMPOSED THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER WHILE WATCHING THE BRITISH ATTACK ON BALTIMORE

SAT 14: GREAT BRITAIN AND HER COLONIES IN AMERICA ADOPTED THE GREGORIAN CALENDAR ON THIS DAY (1752)

SUN 15: NATIONAL DOG WEEK (TIL THE 21ST)

LEADING DOCTORS AND NURSES SAY THAT CHEERY "GET WELL" MESSAGES ON GREETING CARDS BRING QUICK RECOVERIES

WHO KNOWS? SOMETIME THERE MAY BE A NATIONAL MAN WEEK

"TRUE LOVE IS LIKE GHOSTS, WHICH EVERYBODY TALKS ABOUT AND FEW HAVE SEEN" LA ROCHEFOUCAULD

The case worker contacted the Red Cross office and requested their assistance in locating the boy. The woman wrote to the War Department and sent the boy's serial number but has never heard anything further.

The daughter went back to work on September 9th but will not receive a pay check until she has worked 2 weeks. Associated Charities is helping with a weekly food order until the daughter draws her first pay check. The Red Cross is making every effort to locate the boy since the mother is not able to work and needs his help.

Medlin - Walker

The marriage of Mrs. James Andrew Walker of Weldon, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Jones of Claremont, Va., to John Willis Medlin of Roanoke Rapids, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Medlin of Halifax, was solemnized Sunday afternoon, September 8th., at five o'clock in the First Christian Church in Roanoke Rapids. Rev. John J. Lancaster performed the ring ceremony. Ferns formed a background for baskets of white lilies, white gla-

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dioli and white pom pom chrysanthemums. The soft glow of cathedral tapers in tiered candelabra lighted the wedding scene.

Prior to the ceremony Billy Waters, organist, played Evening Star, Schubert's Serenade, I Love Thee, Indian Love Call, I Love You Truly and Romance. He also accompanied Miss Ann Collins who sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," and "Because". The traditional wedding marches were used.

The bride who was given in marriage by her son Herman Walker of Weldon, wore an early fall model two piece suit of Navy wool with pale pink blouse and Navy accessories. She carried a white prayer book with a marker of purple tipped white orchids.

Mrs. Lily May Dixon of Roanoke Rapids, sister of the bridegroom was matron of honor. She wore a gown of combined shades of green and fascia crepe. She wore flowers in her hair and carried fascia asters tied with green ribbons.

Mrs. Herman Walker of Weldon, was bridesmaid. Her dress was of rose crepe with which she wore black accessories. She too wore

flowers in her hair and she carried a bouquet of mixed flowers tied with rose ribbon.

Little Frances Babb, niece of the bridegroom, was ring - bearer and carried the ring in the heart of a lily.

Ushers were Junius Taylor, J. E. Mausteller and John D. Merrell of Roanoke Rapids, and A. L. Capps of Arcola. The bridegroom was attended by Reece Welch of Roanoke Rapids as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Medlin left for a wedding trip to the mountains of North Carolina after which they will make their home in Roanoke Rapids where Mr. Medlin is connected with the Halifax Paper Company.

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