

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE SECURED BY RED CROSS

Members American Red Cross Meet at City Hall Tuesday and Vote To Secure Nurse

At a meeting of the Hendersonville chapter of the American Red Cross, held Tuesday afternoon in the Mayor's court room, it was decided to secure the services of an experienced public health nurse for Henderson county. Miss Katherine Myers, of the State Public Health Service addressed the gathering and presented the facts in so conclusive a manner that the necessity of a public health nurse for Henderson county was at once apparent. Miss Myers gave in exact figures the number of deaths during 1920 in Henderson county and their causes, explaining that practically all of them were preventable. She outlined in detail the work of the public health nurse, convincing her hearers more strongly than ever of the vital necessity of such a nurse.

At the conclusion of the address, the treasurer, Hestley Stepp, reported that sufficient funds were on hand to finance the undertaking for a year, and Miss Crenshaw, of the Atlanta office of the Red Cross, volunteered to remain here and raise by public subscription enough money to purchase a car for the nurse. A motion was made and carried to have the North Carolina director of public health nursing select a nurse for Henderson county.

For a number of years it has been the ambition of the Hendersonville Red Cross chapter to procure the services of a public health nurse. They have been working hard and consistently to attain their object and at last success has crowned their earnest efforts.

MR. MCKEAN WILL VISIT HERE

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 25, 1922
Mr. Surratt,
Hendersonville, N. C.
Dear Sir:—
I have just received a letter from Mr. A. W. McKeand, national field representative for the Associated Ad Clubs of the World that he will be in Hendersonville next Monday night, and hopes we might arrange for a dinner meeting of the principal business men. This, of course, as a suggestion.
Mr. McKeand is one of the best Chamber of Commerce men in the entire country and has a national reputation not only as a Chamber man but as a good advertiser as well.
With best wishes,
Cordially yours,
N. BUCKNER,
Secretary.

WHITE HOUSE DEMAND FOR FLOWERS HEAVY

It is difficult even for Mrs. Harding to realize the cost of flowers nowadays, testimony before a Congressional committee reveals. In asking for an appropriation of \$3,000 for the White House greenhouses, Colonel Sherrill of the Office of Public Buildings and Grounds and also aid to President Harding testified before the House Appropriations Committee that he found it hard to make the demands fit the allowance.

"In all these cases we simply give the White House everything that the money provided will afford," he said. "Mrs. Harding, of course, is doing a great deal more entertaining, and we are having a hard time making ends meet and get enough flowers, because a lady does not appreciate how much money is involved. They see the White House decorated, and so on, and they just call for flowers, and so on, and we must provide them."

"The position is such that I am criticised if I do not provide all of the flowers and decorations called for. It does not make any difference whether I have the money or not. I have got to get the flowers, that is all. So, sometimes we have had to send fifteen or twenty miles out in the country, and get decorations from places like Camp Humphreys to take the places of flowers—leaves and branches of trees and so on.

Colonel Sherrill also said that at a recent dinner for the arms conference delegates the flowers at the White House cost \$300 or \$400, but if they had been bought on the open market they would have cost \$1,500, according to the head gardener at the Executive Mansion.

PRESBYTERIANS DESIGNATE WEEK FOR OFFERINGS

The progressive program in the Southern Presbyterian church has fixed February 12-19 as a week of prayer, preaching and self-denial for the cause of foreign missions. Local members of that church have been notified that during this period special offerings will be made for this cause.

The universal day of prayer for schools and colleges and all attending these institutions has been fixed for February 26, and the executive committee of Christian education and ministerial relief of the church at Louisville, Ky., has prepared some interesting literature covering this day of devotion which will be on sale.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Interesting News From Raleigh Concerning Wilson Foundation Fund and Income Tax Returns.

(By M. L. Shipman)

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 23.—Mrs. Josephus Daniels, state chairman of The Woodrow Wilson Foundation, says good reports on the progress of the campaign to raise North Carolina's quota are coming in from various sections of the State. Bad weather during the greater part of last week prevented expected results, but the hope is expressed that the work will continue until the \$35,000 allotted to the State is in hand. The large number of contributors is pleasing the Chairman, although some donations are small, for it indicates that those of limited means appreciate the fine spirit which prompted this lasting memorial to America's greatest benefactor. The matter has not been pressed, it being the wish of those in charge of the movement that the amount proposed be raised by voluntary donations.

Drive after drive, for one cause after another, have been made in Raleigh and elsewhere recently and the end is not yet. This renders more difficult the effort to raise the amount asked for the Wilson Foundation. The Chamber of Commerce, The Y. M. C. A., the Near East Relief Committee, Associated Charities, The Salvation Army, The Red Cross, and other organizations have recently called upon the people here for assistance and the Jewish Relief drive is now in progress. It is not surprising, therefore, that contributions have not found their way in greater volume to The Wilson Foundation headquarters. However, the opportunity to enlist as a member of The Foundation will not be withdrawn until North Carolina has fully sustained her reputation for "going over the top."

Raleigh is pleased with the news that the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, of Winston-Salem, now operating branches in Asheville, Salisbury and High Point, proposes to include this city in its list and will begin business as soon as quarters in the Pullen Building have been completed. Mr. Gilbert T. Stephenson, a vice-president of the company is to be in charge of the Raleigh branch. The capital city is already supporting seven banking institutions, with deposits of \$15,000,000 on January first. But Col. F. H. Fries, president of the mother institution in Winston-Salem, feels that there is room for another, and his good judgment is universally acknowledged in business circles. If Raleigh is not already the financial center of the State, it is likely to become so in the near future.

Commissioner of Revenue Watts holds that all state officials from the Governor down must pay income tax this year. The Commissioner has issued the following statement:

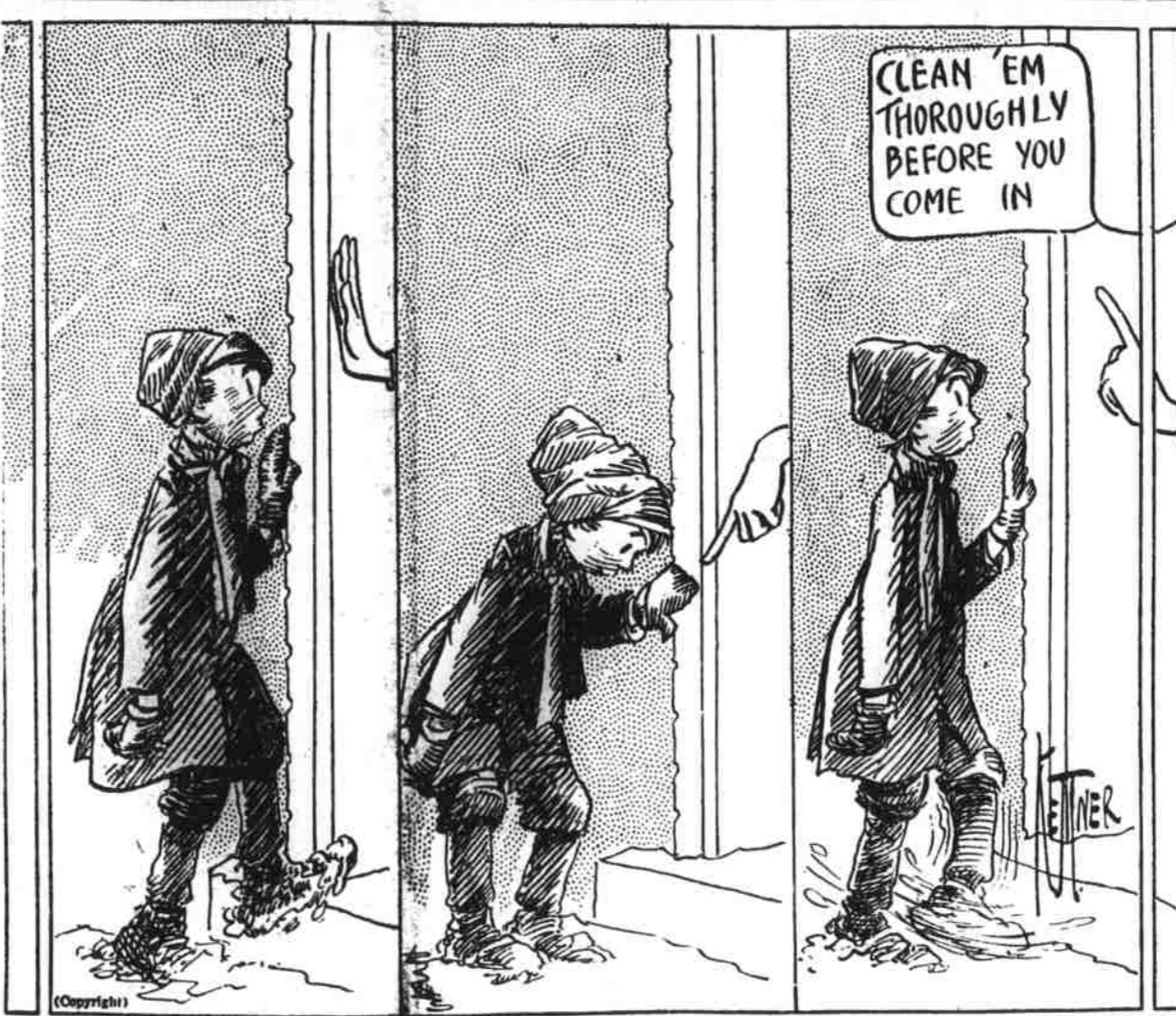
"The commissioner of revenue holds that under the income tax provision of the state constitution and the statute enacted in pursuance thereof, all officials of the state, including justices of the Supreme and judges of the Superior courts, are required to list and pay income tax on their salaries. The commissioner holds that this matter has never been decided by the Supreme court. The case of Purnell vs. Page, 133 N. C., 125, does not decide it. The only question presented in that case was the right of the state to tax the salary of a federal judge. The right of the state to tax its own judges and other officials was not before the courts, and was not argued. The state was not a party or represented by its attorney general. What is said in the opinion on the subject of taxing salaries of the state judges and officials was merely an obiter dictum—the views of the writer of the opinion."

The statement of Commissioner Watts brings no additional burden to the heads of departments created by the Legislature. They have been listing and paying income tax for some years and do not expect to be the beneficiaries of any special privilege. The "drag net" thrown out by Mr. Watts, whose opinion is clearly sustained by the constitution and laws of the State, will catch Supreme court justices, Superior court judges and, perhaps, some of the constitutional officers. But they ought to pay this tax the same as other folks.

BAIN-PITTILLO

Miss Louise Bain and Sidney Pittillo were married Wednesday noon at the home of Rev. R. N. Pratt who officiated. The wedding was a very quiet one with only a few present. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coston and son J. C. Jr.
The bride is the popular and attractive daughter of Mr. C. C. Bain of Flat Rock. The groom is the son of L. P. Pittillo of Fruitland.
The happy couple took dinner with

Stop—Look—Listen



THE INCOME TAX REQUIREMENTS

State Deputy Collector Will Be Here To Assist Those Filing Income Tax Returns.

U. S. Deputy Collector W. C. Robertson will be in Hendersonville, N. C., on February 1st, and 2nd, 1922, at the Revenue Office, Post-office building, for the purpose of assisting the taxpayers in filing their tax returns.

Persons Required to Make a Return of Income.

An income tax return must be filed by every citizen of the United States whether residing at home or abroad, and every person residing in the United States, though not a citizen thereof, whose gross income for the taxable period 1921 amounted to \$5,000, or whose net income amounted to—
(a) \$1,000 if single or if married and not living with husband or wife.
(b) \$2,000 if married and living with husband or wife.
If the combined net income of husband, wife, and dependent minor children equalled or exceeded \$2,000, or if the combined gross income of husband, wife, and dependent minor children equalled or exceeded \$5,000 all such income must be reported on a joint return, or on separate returns of husband and wife. If single and the net income, including that of dependent minors, if any, equalled or exceeded \$1,000, or if the gross income equalled or exceeded \$5,000, a return must be filed. A minor, however, having a net income of \$1,000 or \$2,000, according to the (Continued on Page 10)

MAYOR J. MACK RHODES ISSUES PROCLAMATION

Mayor Rhodes has issued a proclamation supporting the one sent out from Raleigh last week by Gov. Morrison and given to the press setting aside the week of Feb. 6-12 for the purpose of collecting funds for the relief of the suffering Jews of Europe. Hendersonville will no doubt respond liberally to the Mayor's call and do its share to relieve this suffering.

POSTMASTER STATION RECEIVES RECOGNITION FROM UNCLE SAM

Announcement has been received by Postmaster R. H. Stator of Hendersonville postoffice that his name has been placed on the Honor Roll and sent to the Postmaster General at Washington as a mark of special distinction.
The Postmaster was an entrant in the postmaster contest which closed December 31st for the sale of Government Savings Securities. He competed with all other postmasters of the same class offices in the Fifth Federal Reserve District and was one of the winners in this state.
A bronze Honor Pin of attractive design, bearing the inscription "Honor Postmaster", has been conferred upon the local postmaster by Howard T. Cree, Director of the Government Savings Organization, Richmond, Va., as a reward for patriotism and faithful service.
While the sale of War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps has been discontinued, the new Treasury Savings Certificates offered the public are so attractive that Postmaster Stator says, "I believe this office will report much larger sales this year than last year as soon as our people recognize what a splendid investment is open to them."

H'VILLE B. & L. ELECTS OFFICERS

Hendersonville B. & L. Association Reports Successful Year and Elect Officers.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hendersonville Building and Loan Association which was held in the old Citizens Bank building on last Tuesday night, the reports of the President and Secretary and Treasurer showed that notwithstanding the business depression of the year 1921, this institution had not only had a very satisfactory growth during the year, but the business done by this corporation in assisting its stockholders in building homes, business houses and otherwise improving real estate was very gratifying to the stockholders.

The Treasurer's report showed that during eleven months of 1921, seventeen stockholders had been granted loans, amounting to a little less than \$25,000.00, besides those members receiving loans on their stock.

A unanimous vote of thanks was accorded to the Secretary-Treasurer, D. H. Lee, for his untiring efforts put forth during the past year in the interests of the Association.

The stockholders considered it wise to somewhat enlarge their Board of Directors, hence in addition to re-electing all of the old members six additional directors were added to the staff, making in all, namely: C. E. Brooks, J. D. Duff, J. Foy Justice, E. W. Ewbank, J. W. Bailey, W. C. Rector, G. W. Justice, T. L. Durham, R. P. Freeze, J. D. Pullin, D. H. Lee, D. C. Hood, Bruce Drysdale, W. A. Bennett, J. W. McIntyre, Charles Rozzelle, J. C. Sales and James H. Patterson.

The meeting was well attended and several stockholders commented on the satisfactory conditions of the Association, and all were enthusiastic over the prospects for 1922.

After the stockholders meeting adjourned, the Board of Directors held a meeting and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C. E. Brooks, President; J. D. Duff, Vice-President; J. Foy Justice, Attorney; D. H. Lee, Secretary-Treasurer and G. W. Justice, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

SALUDA MAN IS ARRESTED IN S. C.

John Price, who is charged with shooting and dangerously wounding John Bradley, of Saluda, in a difficulty on Christmas eve last, was captured recently 12 miles south of Landrum, S. C., and has been returned to this place to stand trial without any "red tape."
The arrest of Price came after J. F. Trexler, R. L. Newman and H. G. Laughter, of Saluda, made a flying trip to Landrum. Accompanied by Constable J. M. Steadmond, of Landrum, the party, located the missing man, who thus far had evaded arrest. Price will be given a trial before Magistrate James Fisher Saturday. The officers secured a reward, when they arrested the defendant.

MR. FULLBRIGHT ATTENDS FUNERAL OF SISTER

Last Friday night C. S. Fullbright received a long distance telephone call announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. Allen, of Cornelia, Ga. Mr. Fullbright left here Saturday morning to attend the funeral and burial of his sister, returning to Hendersonville Wednesday.

WANTED—6 or 10 thrifty pigs, 8 to 10 lbs. old. Kentucky.

HOSIERY MILL CHANGES HANDS

R. M. Oates and G. T. Whitlock Buy Controlling Interest in Silk Hosiery Mill.

The controlling interest in the Harkins, Hammack, Whitlock Co., manufacturers of silk hosiery, has been recently purchased by R. M. Oates, now president of the company, and G. T. Whitlock, secretary-manager. The mill, which is located near the Southern tracks in East Hendersonville, was opened here several years ago, and has grown with incredible rapidity. It was not long after its start that the amount of business transacted warranted the removal to a building of larger dimensions, and even now plans are being formulated for enlarging the mill to a considerable extent.

The Harkins, Hammack, Whitlock silk hosiery mill it is realized by many, will be a great asset to this town in the course of time. Under the management of Senator Oates and Mr. Whitlock they will, as Mr. Whitlock aptly expresses it: "Make things hum-ding." Mr. Whitlock gave out the interesting statement that they had orders for as far as a year ahead and were doing an extraordinary amount of business at present. In their work-room the rows of intricate machinery are busily turning out pair after pair of fine silk stockings and as rapidly as possible these are shipped to their destination. The room itself is large and well lighted and ventilated by many large windows, a most agreeable place to work.

Enthusiasm prevails at all times, for the business is new and is taking seven-league strides towards the success the future holds forth. It will not be long until there are triple the number of machines that are used at present.

EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE

For the fourth time this year Miss Lucile Sales' section of the seventh grade has led the school in attendance, this time with an average of 99.05, and no tardies. Miss Lylyan Russell's 7th was close second with an average of 98.9 and no tardies. The boys of Mrs. Baughman's 6th led the boys of the school with an average of 99.6 and no tardies. This means only one boy absent during the entire month.

The following grades also show no tardies: Miss Lucile Morris, 2nd; Miss Hilda Judd, 5th; Miss Virginia Dare Phillips, 5th; Miss Lois Edwards, 1st; Miss Emmie Lame, 1st; Miss Bradham, 2nd; Miss Miriam Holland, 5th; Mrs. E. C. Turner, 7th.

The total enrollment to date is 704 at the Fourth Avenue building with the month's enrollment 663 and the per cent of attendance 96.8 or 578.7 average daily attendance. There were only 30 tardies during the month, these having been made by only 23 children.

"MICROBE OF LOVE" HERE FEBRUARY 13th AND 14th

"The Microbe of Love", a musical comedy with a very deft plot, will be produced here on February 13th and 14th under the auspices of the school and certain members of the local All-Star Dramatic Club. Miss Elsie Ficker and Mrs. Frank Ewbank are selecting the cast which will be coached by a professional director to be sent out by the producing company from Atlanta. Mrs. J. C. Morrow, Jr., will assist in developing a chorus of high school and community selected voices. Any money realized will be turned over to the School Improvement Fund.

JEWISH MASS MEETING TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

There will be a mass meeting held at the city hall next Tuesday night, Jan. 31, beginning at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a Jewish Relief Society. The public is invited to attend this meeting.

TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION SATURDAY MORNING

C. H. T. Bly, dealer in Cletrac tractors is giving a tractor demonstration next Saturday, January 28, which will be of unusual interest to the farmers of this county. The demonstration will be held on Main Street and the tractors will be thoroughly exhibited and put through their paces so that all may understand them.

CAMP AT SPARTANBURG WILL BE FLYING PORT

According to South Carolina newspaper reports, Camp Wadsworth, at Spartanburg, will be a regular flying port from New York to New Orleans. Each plane will carry eight passengers and a wireless outfit.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SOCIAL

The "Daughters of Wesley" Sunday school class of the Methodist church entertained the Methodist girls in school at Fassfern with a rook party last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Justus, on Main street. The home was quite attractive with growing plants and the sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate as served by Mrs. Justus and Mrs. Cannon, were very appetizing. About 25 guests were present.

MANY CONTRIBUTORS TO WOODROW WILSON FUND

The Times acting as Treasurer for the Wilson Foundation Fund takes pleasure in acknowledging thru these columns the following contributions received since the campaign was started. The time will be extended another week and we shall be glad to receive and report any further contributions to this fund. There are two or three names omitted from this list, these being names reported as cash. Should any persons name be left out of this report who wishes it to appear in The Times next week, please notify us and we will gladly attend to this promptly.

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| Jos. McDowell chapter. | |
| D. A. R. | \$ 5.00 |
| A. A. McCall | 2.00 |
| E. L. Ewbank | 1.00 |
| F. A. Ewbank | 2.50 |
| H. H. Ewbank | 2.50 |
| Frank Bright | 2.00 |
| Pete Gianakos | 1.00 |
| V. C. V. Shepherd | 1.00 |
| W. W. Walker | 5.00 |
| A. G. Thompson | 1.00 |
| Chas. Rozzelle | 2.50 |
| W. E. Tilley | 1.00 |
| M. C. Letson | 1.00 |
| R. L. Whitmire | 1.00 |
| Herman Potts | 1.00 |
| O. R. Ruth | 1.00 |
| J. E. Shipman | 1.00 |
| P. L. Wright | 1.00 |
| D. M. Russell | 1.00 |

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| J. D. Duff | 2.00 |
| Michael Schenck | 2.50 |
| A. Y. Arledge | 1.00 |
| W. A. Smith | 5.00 |
| Chester Glenn | 1.00 |
| Henry King | 2.00 |
| G. W. Justice | 2.00 |
| Miss Marie Lane | 1.00 |
| C. P. Rogers | 5.00 |
| Dr. J. L. Egerton | 5.00 |
| Chas. Hobbs | 25.00 |
| Otis Powers | 1.00 |
| W. P. Dowling | 1.00 |
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| C. E. Brooks | 5.00 |
| J. Allen Rhodes | 1.00 |
| Frank Smith | 1.00 |
| Rector Pub. Co. | 5.00 |
| W. G. McGraw | 1.00 |
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| Glover Orr | 1.00 |
| Thos Shepherd | 2.00 |
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| W. M. Guill | 1.00 |
| H. A. Stepp | 1.00 |
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| T. L. Durham | 2.50 |
| C. F. Bland | 5.00 |
| Ernest Thompson | 1.00 |
| A. H. Hawkins | 2.00 |
| E. W. Ewbank | 5.00 |
| Florence S. Ewbank | 2.00 |
| E. W. Ewbank, Jr. | 1.00 |
| Mary M. Ewbank | 1.00 |
| Virginia B. Ewbank | 1.00 |
| S. Y. Bryson | 1.00 |
| Cameron Shipp | 1.00 |
| A. Cannon | 5.00 |
| W. P. Whitmire | 1.00 |
| Cash | 11.00 |