

RED CROSS NURSE FOR RUTHERFORD

Miss Aurelia George, of Akron, Ohio to Begin Work in County This Week.

Rutherfordton, April 9.—Miss Aurelia George, of Akron, Ohio, is the new Red Cross nurse who began her work in Rutherford county this week. It is hoped that she will work at least four months. The work was made possible by the liberal Red Cross roll call last November 11 to 25. It is being put on without one cent of cost to the taxpayers of Rutherford county. She will work in the sections that supported the Roll Call: Gilkey, Rutherfordton-Spindale-Ruth school districts, Cool Springs Township schools, and the Henrietta-Caroleen schools.

Her work will be mostly with the schools. She will follow up and try to correct physical defects found by the county physician. She will suggest the proper diet, sleep, exercise and will help in the "summer round-up" of getting children ready physically for school next fall. She will talk to the parent-teacher associations, civic clubs, etc., on "Better Health." She will help to put on the tonsil clinic this summer.

Miss George is a graduate nurse of Akron. She had a year in public health and social work at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. She is a post-graduate in pediatrics at the Nursery and Child's hospital of New York City. She worked with the Arkansas State Board of Health three years and has traveled much. She has 14 months' experience in health work in the Baltic states on the Gulf of Finland. Her work should mean much to Rutherford county for better health.

MRS. CICERO BEAM OF WESTMINSTER, DEAD

Mrs. B. Cicero Beam, of the Westminster section died Tuesday afternoon, April 3, after an illness of six weeks or more. Funeral services and burial were held at Britain Presbyterian church the following afternoon with her pastor, Rev. R. T. Baker in charge. A large crowd attended.

Mrs. Beam is survived by her husband, two daughters at home, Misses Bertha and Mollie Beam, and one son, Mr. C. C. Beam, financial secretary of the Presbyterian hospital, Charlotte. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Stewart of Bostic and Miss Kate McFarland of Forest City. She was a sister of the late J. E. McFarland, former member of the General Assembly from Rutherford. She was about 72 years of age and was a kind mother and a devoted Christian.

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