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A. C. Woods Dies Following Stabbing

Local Chapter Red Cross To Make Big Membership Drive Sat.

**CAMPAIGN ENDS
THANKSGIVING**

Thousands of Nurses on Active Rolls As Emergency Reserves

ENROLLS 4,130,966 IN '29

More Than 425,000 Persons Trained in First Aid By Society

The local Chapter of the American Red Cross, under the leadership of Mrs. S. L. Franks, will make its big drive for membership here Saturday. The campaign began Armistice Day, November 11, and will continue through Thanksgiving.

The organization has as its president the chief executive of the United States, and chartered by congress, it enjoys the close co-operation of army, navy, marine corps and numerous governmental departments.

There are thousands of nurses on the active rolls of this society as emergency reserves, ready for instant service wherever they are needed. Does your membership help maintain this protection against epidemic and disaster?

More than 425,000 persons have been trained in first aid by this worthy organization. More than 275,000 have been given Red Cross training in life-saving. Memberships in the Red Cross have made possible the great safety program of which these courses are a part.

The American Red Cross enrolled 4,130,966 members last year.

War service brightens the lives of veterans in hospitals and of soldiers and sailors wherever the flag flies.

Herbert Hoover says: "The Red Cross is today the expression of the national will, the national sympathy, for all those overtaken by the catastrophe of storm, of flood, of famine. Its call to charity to meet these emergencies is mandatory upon the heart of the nation."

Every Red Cross dollar is a useful dollar. It is on the job day and night throughout the year, alleviating suffering and making this world a healthier, happier place in which to live.

Join the Red Cross Saturday.

North Carolina Co-operates In Motorcade to Asheville

"North Carolina will join enthusiastically with Atlanta and Georgia in the winter motorcade which will celebrate the completion of the short route to Asheville and the east," Frank T. Reynolds said Monday. Mr. Reynolds is chairman of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce committee which is planning the motorcade.

Mr. Reynolds, B. S. Barker, executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Dudley Glass, publicity secretary of the chamber, returned Monday from a motor trip over the new route, which leads through Cornelia, Clayton and Franklin.

"We stopped at various points along the route," said Mr. Reynolds, "met groups of citizens and officials, and discussed plans for sending a hundred or more cars from Atlanta and points along the way."

"At Franklin, N. C., we were met by officials of the Chamber of Commerce, who assured us of complete co-operation. Arrangements were made there for providing luncheon for the party, which we expect to number several hundred."

"At Asheville, we had a conference with J. H. Enwright, manager of the George Vanderbilt hotel, who is in charge of arrangements at Asheville, where the party will spend the night. Mr. Enwright is arranging for a banquet to be followed by a dance, and said that at least 30 North Carolina cars would meet our party at the Georgia line and escort us to Asheville. The Asheville Chamber of Commerce is enlisting the interest of its members and will help to make the occasion a memorable one."

"The paving of the short stretch of road between Gainesville and Baldwin will be completed about December 1 if good weather continues, and this will provide unbroken pavement from Miami to Canada through Atlanta."

"The Franklin route promises to attract thousands of tourists. It is not only shorter than the Appalachian scenic highway through Murphy and Neel Gap, but it can be traveled much more rapidly, as it is wider and has fewer sharp grades and curves."

"We have not yet fixed an absolute date for the motorcade, but we are making plans for starting it early on Saturday morning, December 13. On Sunday the motorists will be free to see the sights in and around Asheville and return at their leisure."

"With the closed cars which most folk drive these days, and the weather which usually prevails in early December, the trip should be made in perfect comfort."—Atlanta Constitution.

MANY ATTEND P-T.A. MEETING

Mrs. McKee Gives Helpful Talk To Parents And Teachers

PICTURES DISPLAYED

Junior Audubon Society Organized With 30 Members Enrolled

The November meeting of the P-T. A. had the best attendance of the year. There were between seventy-five and one hundred members and visitors present. Miss Kelly introduced Mrs. E. L. McKee, of Sylva, who gave a most helpful and inspiring talk to the parents and teachers, pointing out the duties of each and stressing cooperation but making it very plain that the training of our children should begin in the home, and not left till the child enters school.

"What It Means To Be a P-T. A. Worker," is an extract copied from a membership card.

"The one thing in the world on which every one, regardless of race, creed, or language can agree, is the worth of a little child. America is committed to the ideal that every child shall have a fair start in life. The organized parenthood of America is a mighty force for worthier homes, better schools and finer communities. As a member of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, you have a part in helping to realize that ideal in your home, in your community, in your state, in the nation and in the world. Everything that you put into this movement, time, energy, money, and spirit helps to magnify the finer and richer values of our civilization. It is an inspiring movement, worthy of your best and you may well be proud of your part in it."

The Grade Mothers are enthusiastic workers, and are accomplishing worthwhile things under the direction of Miss Davis. The two beautiful pictures given for the best per cent of attendance were on exhibition. The 2nd grade won "Feeding Her Birds," and the 5th grade won "Shoeing the Mare." These pictures are to be kept for one month, and passed on to the grades having the best attendance each time.

The Junior Audubon society was organized Friday, November 7, under the leadership of Mrs. T. J. Johnston and Miss Wyatt. Thirty names were enrolled. A business meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 in Mr. Carpenter's room. All members are requested to be present.

Caesarean Section Is Performed In Local Hospital

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gay Fouts of Rainbow Springs, a two-pound boy on Saturday, November 8. The mother was brought to Angel's hospital in a serious condition and a Caesarean section immediately performed. Both mother and baby are doing very well.

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ASSAILANT IS STILL AT LARGE

Condition Necessitated Second Operation; Makes Gallant Fight

TRANSFUSION IS MADE

Formerly Engaged As Stage Worker, But Recently Waiter

The romantic life of A. C. Wood, fifty years old, whose home was formerly in Newark, N. J., was ended last night following a six days gallant fight after he is alleged to have been stabbed by Grady Reese on Highway No. 28 last Wednesday night.

He was born in Newark, N. J., of Irish parentage and one need only know him to realize that in his kind, congenial and ever jovial personality he lived true to his Irish extraction.

His early life was spent in Newark and New York City where he became associated with the show business engaged as a stage worker, later he joined a carnival and there began the trek that led him over the entire country and was destined to terminate in this city. During the last nine years he has spent the majority of his time in this state supplying amusement parks with merry-go-rounds, ferries and the like. He was then employed by the Carlstrom company of Baltimore, Md.

During the last few months he has been employed by C. W. Hames as waiter in the Franklin Restaurant where his work was always enthusiastic, honest and dependable.

The incidents relative to his fatal stabbing have been previously reviewed.

When first brought to the Angel Hospital it was not thought that he would survive the shock following the stabbing. However, after a blood transfusion was performed, in which Roy Carpenter was the donor, he rallied and his chances for recovery were increased. His condition grew worse and necessitated a second operation on Monday. From that time his condition became progressively worse until his death at 6:15 Tuesday night. Interment took place in the Franklin cemetery on Wednesday evening.

Nantahala Forest Boundary Increased

Mr. A. R. Kinney, United States examiner of surveys for the Forest Service, whose regular headquarters are at Bristol, Tenn., the headquarters of the Unaka National Forest, has established a camp a few miles from Clayton, Ga. Mr. Kinney is organizing three survey crews for the purpose of surveying the lands of the Morris brothers lumber company being acquired by the Federal government. The tract consists of several thousand acres.

Preparations are also being made to survey the lands of the Whiting manufacturing company, consisting of approximately 31,000 acres. This land is located in Graham, Swain and Cherokee counties. It will be added to the Nantahala National Forest.

Mr. R. L. Bradley is now head of a survey party surveying the Dewar tract of land in Cherokee county. When completed these tracts of land will increase the boundary of the Nantahala National Forest considerably.

RAINY WEATHER
Rainy weather prevailed in this vicinity from Monday thru Thursday.

Prisoner Escapes From Macon's Re-Built Jail

Macon county's jail, after its renovation, may be a pride and joy to the county commissioners but to Jerome Garrett of Carthage, N. C., it's the same old shack.

Jerome proved that steel bears do not a prison make by sawing his way to liberty Saturday night. He had previously made a similar escape from the old jail and from all indications his last effort caused him no more trouble than the first.

THANKSGIVING ISSUE

The Press will endeavor to print a special Thanksgiving issue on the regular publication date next week. All contributors and advertisers are kindly requested to have their copy ready as soon as possible.

U. D. C. To Bestow Crosses of Honor

The Macon County Chapter U. D. C. November meeting was held with Mrs. F. L. Siler.

The Daughters decided to bestow crosses of honor on any of our Macon county veterans who do not have them. The secretary, Miss Rankin, was instructed to secure these names at once.

A committee was appointed to purchase Christmas presents for our veterans and to report on this at the December meeting.

The Chapter decided to send some blooming plants to our sick member, Mrs. Lyman Higdon.

Mrs. Siler's mother, Mrs. Redding, who has just returned from Roanoke, was called on to tell of a visit she (Continued on page five)

Tabulated Form of Macon County Official Ballot

	Bailey, D.—Sen.	Pritchard, R.—Sen.	Weaver, D.—Con.	Jackson, R.—Con.	Rogers, D.—Rep.	Ferguson, R.—Rep.	Murray, D.—Clerk Ct.	Evans, R.—Clerk Ct.	Slagle, D.—Sheriff	Franks, R.—Sheriff	Bryson, D.—Reg. Deeds	Stockton, R.—Reg. Deeds	Ledford, D.—Surveyor	Sanders, R.—Surveyor	Moore, D.—Coroner	Bingham, R.—Coroner	Barnard, D.—Com.	Gibson, D.—Com.	Harrison, D.—Com.	McClure, R.—Com.	Harbison, R.—Com.	Angel, R.—Com.	Queen, D.—Solicitor	Hall, R.—Solicitor
Millsboro	171	160	170	151	186	130	178	139	178	142	161	161	162	146	162	143	176	160	183	162	136	142	169	147
Ellijay	162	209	168	194	188	180	166	191	158	204	216	163	140	184	131	184	180	115	199	241	194	160	151	195
Sugarfork	38	179	41	185	49	175	43	173	44	177	52	171	40	176	40	175	42	40	53	179	177	169	45	176
Highlands	208	188	209	185	197	169	205	166	200	171	209	164	192	171	104	168	189	177	215	168	217	158	201	166
Flats	8	50	7	51	7	205	8	49	8	51	5	55	6	48	6	47	25	6	23	52	38	35	7	49
Smith's Bridge	330	162	341	177	367	184	394	167	349	209	330	230	354	172	334	174	424	319	424	256	121	126	354	186
Cartoogchaye	280	130	298	103	316	88	314	93	326	90	269	138	279	104	281	103	306	279	285	149	93	115	280	107
Nantahala, 1	74	114	73	115	76	104	78	95	78	105	77	109	74	102	76	102	96	74	94	109	96	88	78	103
Nantahala, 2	47	238	51	236	58	232	86	202	73	217	58	232	52	238	52	237	78	63	73	225	213	213	52	236
Burningtown	98	204	89	201	95	205	106	186	100	201	90	214	96	202	96	196	159	80	166	223	142	146	98	202
Cowee	312	202	301	201	301	202	321	189	306	206	290	227	293	193	291	193	345	287	329	233	166	171	306	202
Franklin	1101	564	1117	541	1196	585	1186	539	1146	585	952	749	1115	517	1098	544	1181	996	1211	707	496	548	1098	580
TOTAL	2829	2400	2865	2239	3045	2304	3085	2189	2966	2358	2709	2613	2803	2253	2761	2266	3201	2596	3255	2704	2089	2071	2832	2349

All of above official except register of deeds. Certain votes challenged.