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QUARTERLY REPORT

OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE QUARTER
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1925:

Claim No.	Name and Item.	Amount.
575	A. M. Anderson—Roads and Bridges	\$ 55.00
576	E. F. Woodward—Roads and Bridges	72.00
577	J. B. Armstrong—Court Expense	154.10
578	J. C. Hogg—Chain Gang	21.00
579	Henry Hartzog—Chain Gang	75.00
580	Williston Hardware Co.—Chain Gang	7.30
581	J. S. Still—Chain Gang	2.50
582	W. P. Franklin	4.10
583	W. P. Franklin—Chain Gang	324.00
584	Q. A. Kennedy—Chain Gang	575.00
585	B. H. Dyches—Chain Gang	25.00
586	J. W. Cook—Chain Gang	271.70
587	W. P. Franklin—Chain Gang	71.00
588	B. Mazursky—Chain Gang	3.25
589	J. M. Weathersbee—Chain Gang	40.00
590	I. W. Rountree and Son—Chain Gang	12.42
591	G. O. Cadden—Chain Gang	14.70
592	C. F. Molair—Chain Gang	39.88
593	L. Weiner—Chain Gang	62.10
594	J. S. Still—Chain Gang	263.26
595	E. F. Woodward—Roads and Bridges	83.94
596	Bennie Owens—Roads and Bridges	65.00
597	Vickery Bros.—Roads and Bridges	8.10
598	W. E. Anderson—Roads and Bridges	10.78
599	Mrs. R. C. Holman—Roads and Bridges	183.00
600	Highway Iron Products Co.—Roads and Bridges	2,300.00
601	H. C. McMillan—Roads and Bridges	2.85
602	J. W. Folk—Roads and Bridges	288.97
603	N. F. Sanders—Roads and Bridges	55.00
604	W. P. Sanders—Magistrate	29.15
605	R. B. Harden—Magistrate	12.50
606	G. L. Hill—Magistrate	14.58
607	C. S. Anderson—Magistrate	14.58
608	R. L. Wooley—Magistrate	25.00
609	C. S. Buiet—Magistrate	25.00
610	B. W. Peeples—Magistrate	25.00
611	J. A. Morris—Magistrate	12.50
612	Trotti Harden—Constable	12.50
613	B. F. Fields—Constable	14.58
614	R. M. Kearse—Constable	29.15
615	J. F. Rountree—Constable	15.83
616	B. A. Gunnels—Constable	12.50
617	J. S. Blume—Constable and Chain Gang	31.92
618	J. M. Scott—Constable and Chain Gang	36.11
619	G. R. Peeples—Constable and Chain Gang	27.20
620	J. B. Morris—Com. Tax and Chain Gang	81.85
621	J. C. Folk—Blackville and Georges Creek	69.63
622	J. M. Hill—Red Oak and Rich Land	6.75
623	Dave Jeffcoat—Red Oak and Rich Land	111.00
624	W. E. Duncan—Four Mile and Bennett Springs	30.00
625	Ashley and Co.—Four Mile and Bennett Springs	30.57
626	D. W. Brown—Four Mile and Bennett Springs	28.25
627	Wise Motor Co.—Four Mile and Bennett Springs	6.60
628	J. F. Swett—Four Mile and Bennett Springs	45.00
629	Standard Oil Co.—Roads and Bridges, Georges Creek, Red Oak and Rich Land	273.11
630	Williston Publishing Co.—Stationery	10.00
631	R. L. Bronson—Stationery	5.94
632	G. M. Main—Jail	5.40
633	Home Furniture Co.—Jail	10.00
634	Lemon Bros.—Jail	3.75
635	L. J. Henry—Public Buildings	8.50
636	A. F. Dawson—Public Buildings	90.60
637	V. S. Owens—Roads and Bridges	100.00
638	E. D. Peacock—County Board of Equalization	6.00
639	O. D. Hammond—Lunacy	5.00
640	Willie Mae Vann—Home Demonstration Agent	109.08
641	H. G. Boylston—Farm Demonstration Agent	91.68
642	J. B. Armstrong—Interest on Money Borrowed	3.00
643	B. H. Dyches—Digging Prisoners	68.50
644	Jean Riley—Sheriff's Clerk	33.33
645	J. B. Armstrong, County Treasurer.—Court Expense and Stationery	83.79
636	B. H. Dyches—Salary and Public Buildings	134.00
647	J. S. Still—Salary and Public Buildings	150.00
648	Mrs. S. C. Armstrong—Treas. Clerk	33.33
649	W. H. Manning—Salary and Clerk	138.88
650	John K. Snelling—Salary, Lunacy and Stationery	40.91
651	Brown and Bush—Attorneys	50.00
652	M. J. Black—Clerk, Probate Judge	41.00
653	D. P. Lancaster—Salary	50.00
654	V. S. Owens—Attorney	16.67
655	A. B. Patterson—Physician and Lunacy	60.00
656	H. J. Crouch—Salary and Stationery	129.00
657	E. M. Kirkland—Salary	100.00
658	Jennie P. Greene—Special Appropriation	50.00
659	J. B. Morris—Chain Gang, Salary and Expense	29.71
660	E. C. Matthews—Salary and Expense	24.16
661	C. M. Turner—Salary, Four Mile and Bennett Springs	43.66
662	Ed Weaver—Roads and Bridges	42.00
663	Newton Heckle—State Highway	14.00
664	K. Ellis—State Highway	40.65
665	C. H. Muckenfuss—State Highway	289.23
666	Wyatt Thomas—State Highway	478.14
667	R. M. Killingsworth—State Highway	6.74
668	W. R. Carson—State Highway	4,192.14
669	Irene H. Lemon—Salary	50.00
670	A. J. Owens—Poor House	54.81
671	L. Cohen—Poor House	30.90
672	Mace and Deason—Chain Gang and Poor House	4.70
673	Jas. M. Caldwell—Water and Lights	27.55
674	A. D. Furtick—Poor House	72.55
675	Mace and Deason—Poor House and Chain Gang	13.30
676	Carolina Drug Co.—Poor House and Chain Gang	14.70
677	City Ice and Coal Co.—Poor House and Public Buildings	20.30
678	B. Mazursky—Poor House	32.45
679	Lemon Bros.—Poor House	76.10
680	Farmers Union Mercantile Co.—Poor House	26.42
681	C. F. Molair—Poor House	11.00
682	G. C. Burk—Poor House	5.00
Total for Month of July		\$13,751.51

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WATER SPORTS SAFER FOR RED CROSS WORK

Expert Life-Savers and Many Thousand Swimmers Reduce Annual Water Toll.

Water sports in the United States have never been so safe as they are today, a survey of the work done by Life-Saving experts of the American Red Cross in the past year indicates. Thousands of adults and young people were taught to swim proficiently by these experts during this period. In addition, 5,681 men, 4,187 women, and 13,024 juniors successfully passed the right tests of the Life Saving Service of the Red Cross. The total thus trained during the year—22,892—is 5,041 more than last year's results. The total membership of the Life Saving Corps of the Red Cross on June 30 was 72,310 persons.

Meeting the demand for qualified instructors and councillors in these camps, are the college men and women of the country, many devoting whole or part of their annual vacation periods to this field. Meeting the need of standardized instruction in Life-Saving, First-Aid, and kindred subjects, the American Red Cross conducted nine First-Aid and Life-Saving Camp Institutes this year with a total attendance of more than 600, in Maine, Massachusetts, New York, North Carolina, Indiana, Wisconsin, Oregon, and California. Representatives of Red Cross Chapters, summer camps, life guards at municipal pools and beaches, directors of physical education in schools, and others of this calibre made up the student body.

A number of city or regional institutes were conducted also during the winter at indoor pools to develop local experts. The aquatic school conducted by the New York Chapter was especially successful. It is stated, inspired by this system, many camps, pools, bathing beaches, etc., have adopted in whole or in part, the Red Cross Life Saving and water-safety program. In the New England states alone, more than 180 camps employ councillors trained in these methods. A partial survey indicates more than 80 cities using the Red Cross senior test as a minimum requirement for their municipal life guards. Educational institutions have turned to it with enthusiasm.

This widespread instruction besides creating unprecedented numbers of expert life-savers, is developing a vast body of Americans who are at home in the water. All contribute to safety the year-round, for swimming is a recognized all-year sport today, records show.

The danger from water accidents is ever-present however where proper safeguards are not taken and to broaden this valuable Red Cross Service is one of the reasons why increased membership in the Red Cross is urged. The Annual Roll Call, during which the opportunity to assist all Red Cross work in many lines of endeavor is extended, will be held from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving, November 11-26.

Large Volunteer Work of Red Cross Volunteers under the Red Cross all over the United States are doing constantly for others, among their products being more than 90 per cent of the Braille reading matter for the blind, and a vast production of clothing and surgical dressings.

JUNIOR RED CROSS AIDS PEACE BY BIG GROWTH

Gains 142,000 Members in Year in Schools Throughout United States.

A new high level in peace time membership of the American Junior Red Cross is recorded for 1925—its ranks numbering 5,735,648 school girls and boys—a gain of 142,000.

This unique and powerful children's organization started as a war measure, but today is one of the greatest influences for peace ever known. An increasing participation in local programs of service has featured their year's growth. It is indicated that to a greater degree than ever pupils in the schools are performing individual and collective acts of service in a true Red Cross spirit.

The success of the Junior swimming program, launched last year through co-operation of the Life-Saving Service of the Red Cross, has led to a determination to make it a regular feature of both these branches.

An outstanding feature of the Juniors' work this year was the participation for the first time of a Junior Red Cross worker in the disaster relief operations following the tornado in Missouri, Illinois, and Indiana. Schools in many more fortunate localities displayed a keen interest in sending toys and books for the use of the children in the disaster area.

The Junior Red Cross program has flourished not alone in settled communities, but has been extended to Indian schools, and to native Alaskan schools where many Eskimo children undertook Junior work. In addition, the international correspondence between schools is proving more and more popular. American schools are now corresponding with those in thirty-four countries.

Strong Membership Appeal In Red Cross Disaster Relief

Asking themselves "What if disaster should visit our city?" the leading citizens of many communities of the United States have adopted the Scout motto to "Be Prepared."

Impressed by the frequency and the wide range of peace time calamities in their country, they have organized their communities with the thoroughness which normal conditions permit, against the possibility of a time when there will be no chance for thought or plan. Red Cross Chapters in many localities are similarly prepared.



ECHOES FROM SAVANNAH "GET-ACQUAINTED TOUR"

By Roy Swindelle, News Representative of the Savannah Press.

Welcome! We are with you heart and soul!

The above paragraph carries the entire message of the Savannah Get-Acquainted Tour, numbering fifty or more Savannahians who made the western leg of the tour, leaving Savannah Tuesday morning and arriving at Columbia Wednesday afternoon. All along the route from Hardeeville to Columbia the glad hand was extended and a willing effort expressed to bring Savannah and this section of South Carolina closer together.

It was a gala occasion; a holiday for all. Every countryside, hamlet and town turned out to welcome the visitors and give them that warm greeting and handclasp made famous in the State of Calhoun and Hampton. The laborers in the fields paused as the cavalcade passed and waved their hands in greeting. The pedestrian along the roadside smiled his broadest and wished the visitors Godspeed in their mission. At the meetings in the towns, the blessings of the Almighty were beseeched by the pastors for the success of the trip.

The trip in the estimation of every man on it was one of the most important that Savannah has ever made into the interior. It is freighted with the most wonderful possibilities to both Georgia and South Carolina. It is the beginning of a new era in the history of advancement for the two sections that have been divided for time immemorial by that great barrier, the Savannah River.

None but those who made the trip can ever know the welcome extended and the hearty co-operation promised, and they cannot express it in words. At each stop it appeared as if the greeting extended could not be exceeded, yet the very next town would add something that was new; something that brought a little closer together the friendship of the visitors and the hosts.

South Carolina, that has always been known for its wonderful hospitality, actually outdid itself, and the Savannahians will remember it as long as they live as one of the most pleasant and enjoyable in their lives. The arrival of Chief Munroe's "fire wagon" in a town a half-hour before the cavalcade was the signal for the citizenry to gather and from then on there was nothing too good for the visitors.

The section of South Carolina traversed by the party is considered to be the very best section of the State in both hospitality and agriculture. Barnwell County has been noted for years for its watermelons, and shipped many cars this season into Georgia, a State that is also noted for its watermelons. The towns are old, most of them, and exceedingly substantial. Towns of

two thousand inhabitants and less have paved streets, splendid systems of waterworks and lighting arrangements. The business parts of them are of brick mostly, the buildings modern and substantial. The citizenry is prosperous and as anxious to get an outlet to Savannah as Savannah is to have an inlet for them. Already hundreds of farmers are trucking their cotton and other products into Savannah where there is a ready market for it. Every man spoken to on the trip expressed himself as being glad indeed of the opportunity to bring Savannah and this section of the State into a closer friendship and business relationship.

Farming is the principal occupation of the people in the section traversed. Corn, cotton, and truck are the principal crops.

Barnwell County alone this season has shipped 140 cars of asparagus, 400 cars of cucumbers, 1,380 cars of watermelons, at an approximate income of \$1,000,000. Before the season is over it will have shipped 25,000 to 30,000 bales of cotton, valued at two to three millions of dollars. Hampton County, Allendale County, and other counties are likewise producing great quantities of produce which are bringing in millions of dollars to those sections.

Some of the finest farmers in the State were seen on the tour. The homes of the citizens in the towns are substantial and would do credit to cities of many times their population. The soil for the most part is highly productive and with the intensive methods of cultivation that are being used, this section of South Carolina is rapidly becoming one of the leading agricultural centers of the entire State.

Too much cannot be said of the advantage to Savannah of having this wonderful territory open to it. The Savannah River bridge brings to its doors a territory as large as served by it in Georgia, and in a number of respects superior. But this section welcomes Savannah as much as Savannah welcomes it, for the people over here realize that while Savannah will secure a large part of their trade, the Georgia port city at the same time offers it a market that is readily accessible, something which it has not had in the past. The roads enable the farmers to load their product on their trucks and take it to market, dispose of it and be home again the same day, something which they have not been able to do in the past.

It is a mutual benefit. Both sections equally are served, and realizing this the Get-Acquainted tour has started a friendship that the years will cement into a bond that will be as enduring as the magnificent monument of steel, stone and concrete that now links the Empire and Palmetto States together.

UPPER SOUTH CAROLINA IS VISITED BY TORNADO

Greenville, Oct. 25.—The heavy rain and wind storm that swept upper South Carolina this morning claimed one death in an indirect way when Ernest Shaw, young white man of Abbeville, was instantly killed when he touched a high voltage electric wire that had been blown down into one of the streets at Abbeville. Shaw according to witnesses, touched the wire apparently with the intention of removing it from the street. The wire carried 2,400 volts.

Star Bears Brunt. Anderson, Oct. 25.—A severe wind and electrical storm swept across the lower section of Anderson County early this morning but the damage to property was only slight. Many trees were uprooted along the Savannah River. At Starr, which suffered the heaviest from the storm, two houses were partially unroofed and several outbuildings were demolished but no one was seriously injured.

Series Swept Piedmont. Spartanburg, Oct. 25.—A series of tornadoes swept the upper Piedmont early this morning. Houses were blown away in the upper part of Spartanburg County and several persons were injured but no deaths have been reported.

The Charleston and Western Carolina station at Kilgore in the southeastern part of the county was blown away and trees fell across the railroad tracks.

Rabon Creek Suffers. Gray Court, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Emma Cathcart was painfully bruised when her home was partially demolished by a heavy wind and rain storm which struck that section early this morning. Several houses were unroofed and outbuildings damaged by the force of the storm. The Rabon Creek section of Laurens County suffered heavily, many houses being considerably damaged and barns completely demolished. At one place bales of cotton were carried 100 to 200 yards by the force of the wind.

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