

CARTER COUNTY CHAPTER RED CROSS ELECTS OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

Mark Kirkpatrick was elected chairman of Carter County Red Cross Chapter, at a recent meeting of the executive board, called by Mrs. William Evelyn, division representative of the Southern Division, St. Louis, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and to outline the Peace-time program of the national organization of the American Red Cross.

Other officers elected were:

Mrs. F. A. Simpson, vice-chairman; Mrs. C. G. Squires, secretary, Perry Maxwell, treasurer.

Chairmen of Departments are:

Mrs. H. H. Sayre, Home Service; Mrs. W. C. Baker, nursing and public health; Mrs. J. W. Newcomb, Junior Red Cross; Mrs. P. H. Welverton, First Aid; Mrs. Emma T. Hoag, publicity.

Members of the board:

Mrs. C. L. Anderson, Mrs. Minnie B. Church, P. C. Dings, Harold Felt, commander of the George H. Anderson Post, American Legion; Sam Duibe, George Coffman.

Representatives from such branches in the county are to be appointed later.

Mrs. Squires will also be secretary of home service work, which deals primarily with soldiers, sailors and their families. She has had charge of this work sometime. She will attend the Home Service Institute, early in the year, conducted at the state university, at Norman.

The former Red Cross headquarters at Convention Hall, will again be opened and once more Red Cross work in Ardmore and Carter county will resume actively, carrying out the big program of public health and social service, which is being carried out so successfully by county organizations throughout the United States.

Of special interest is the announcement that an instructor from St. Louis headquarters will be assigned to Carter county and classes in home hygiene and care of the sick, will begin sometime during January, under her personal direction.

Classes will be organized in Ardmore by Mrs. Baker, while Mrs. Church will organize classes in the county. Each course will comprise 10 lessons.

The value of these systems and the advantages to be gained cannot be overestimated, and there is no doubt but that the opportunities thus afford-

ed will be taken advantage of with the heartiest cooperation.

Classes in First Aid, will be organized by Mrs. Welverton and instruction will be given by a competent physician to be appointed later.

The Junior Red Cross program, under the direction of Mrs. Newcomb and Mr. Coffman will also resume its activities of patriotic training.

Official Canning Report

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