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American Red Cross: Beckham County Collection

American Red Cross of Beckham County Collection. Records, 1916–1921. 2 feet.

Local Red Cross chapter. Correspondence (1916–1921); minutes (1917–1921); financial records (1917–1921); and a history of the Beckham County (Oklahoma) chapter formed during World War I.

Box 1

Folder

1. History of the Elk City, Oklahoma Chapter (1918).
2. Correspondence (1916).
3. Correspondence (1917).
4. Correspondence (1917).
5. Correspondence (1918).
6. Correspondence (1918).

Box 2

Folder

1. Correspondence (1918).
2. Correspondence (1919).
3. Correspondence (1920).
4. Correspondence (1921).
5. Miscellaneous Correspondence (1918-1919).

Box 3

Folder

1. Financial Papers (1917).
2. Financial Papers (1918).
3. Financial Papers (1920-1921).
4. Bank book from Farmers State Bank in Elk City, OK. Checks from various banks in Elk City (1918-1921).
5. Miscellaneous Financial Papers (1920).

Balance book (1917-1919)

List of receipts and disbursements (1917-1919).

American Red Cross, Southwestern Division - Certificates of Membership and receipts.

Invoices and bills, book 1 - St. Louis.

Invoices and bills, book 2 - St. Louis.

Financial Reports

Box 4

Folder

1. Articles about the Red Cross from the *Elk City News Democrat*; an Oklahoma Senate Bill, RE: pensions to widows of soldiers; and advertisement for a Frigidaire refrigerator.
2. Two copies of "An A-B-C Manual of Chapter Organization."
3. "Red Cross Exhibit Manual: Suggestions and Instructions for Exhibits - Especially at State and County Fairs;" one copy of "The Whistling Mother" (1917) by Grace S. Richmond.
4. Copies of *The Red Cross Bulletin* I, No. 5 -33 (incomplete); index to *the Red Cross Bulletin* (Oct. 1, 1917 - Oct. 1, 1918).
5. Copies of *The Red Cross Bulletin* 2, No. 5-52 (incomplete).
6. Copies of *The Red Cross Bulletin* 3, No. 8, 45, and 51.
7. A copy of *The Red Cross Bulletin* 4, No. 48; a copy of "American Red Cross Press Items."

Box 5

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1. Applications for Recognition of an Auxiliary (1917).
2. Commission for Relief in Belgium Certificate (1918).
3. Contribution Sheet (no date).
4. Insurance policy from the Insurance Company of the state of Pennsylvania for the Elk City Red Cross Chapter (1918-1919).
5. Muster Roll of Company K (L. M. Martin's Regiment, 5th Texas Partisan Rangers).
6. Shipping notices (1918).
7. Shipping notices (1919).
8. Register (1918).
9. Ledgers (1917-1918).

Box 6

One empty strongbox

Box 7

Folder

1. American Red Cross stencil (metal).
2. Membership cards, 1918-1922.
3. One strongbox containing office supplies.
4. Copies