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LEE COUNTY CIVILIAN ORGANIZATIONS

AMERICAN LEGION, LEE COUNTY POST #84 (National American Legion), c/o Jesse M. Tharpe, Beattyville. Founded 1918. Commander, Rev. Luther Newman, Beattyville. Adjutant, Jesse M. Tharpe. Terms expired July, 1942.

Membership: 33. Open to veterans of World War 1 having honorable discharge.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Create and perpetuate true Americanism, Rehabilitation of veterans.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperates in the providing of spinal meningitis toxin for underprivileged of Lee County. Sponsors Boy Scouts. Charity.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Hospital and Clinical Assistance, Family Social Service in Industrial Areas, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals. Interested in Auxiliary Police, Auxiliary Fire Protection, Radio Operation and Repair.

Local Publications: None.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY, LEE COUNTY UNIT #84 (National American Legion Auxiliary), c/o Mrs. Walter Smith, Leeco. Founded 1933. President, Mrs. Walter Smith. Secretary, Mrs. Christian A. Bradley, Beattyville. Terms expired July, 1942.

Membership: 15. Open to mother, sister, daughter or wife of American Legion member.

Committees: Civic, Mrs. Lily Jones, Beattyville; Americanism, Mrs. Walter Smith, Leeco; Liaison Officer, Miss A. E. Breed, Beattyville.

Purpose: Welfare of the families of Legionnaires.

Normal Civic Activities: Aids the Legion. Care of city cemetery and provides assistance to crippled children's clinic and indigent families.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance, First Aid, Child Care. Interested in Hospital and Clinical Assistance, Preparation and Serving of Food, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.

AMERICAN RED CROSS, LEE COUNTY CHAPTER (National American Red Cross), c/o E. B. Beatty, Beattyville. Founded 1917. Chairman, E. B. Beatty. Treasurer, Miss Lena Beatty, Beattyville. Secretary, Mrs. Lillie Jones, Beattyville. Terms indefinite.

Membership: 115. Contributors of one dollar or over annually.

American Red Cross, Lee County Chapter (Continued)

Committees: Disaster, Rev. Geo. E. Long, Beattyville.

Purpose: Emergency aid in the event of disaster.

Normal Civic Activities: Sewing and knitting garments for victims of disaster or war.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance, First Aid.

Local Publications: None.

BEATTYVILLE PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION (Kentucky Congress of P. T. A.), c/o Mrs. James West, Beattyville. Founded 1925. President, Mrs. James West, Secretary, Miss Viola Easting, Zoo. Terms expire May, 1943.

Membership: 100. Open to parents, teachers and individuals interested in the welfare of school children.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Closer cooperation between the home and school in the interest of school children.

Normal Civic Activities: Sponsor sale of Tuberculosis Seals. Assisted in school lunch project.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Preparation and Serving of Food, Child Care, Interested in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance, First Aid, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, BEATTYVILLE TROOP #133 (National Boy Scouts of America), c/o Rev. George E. Long, Beattyville. Founded 1939. Scoutmaster, Rev. George E. Long. Telephone 5-W. Scribe, Edward Long, Beattyville. Telephone 5-W. Terms indefinite.

Membership: 26. Open to boys 12 through 18, passes by vote of troop.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Training in citizenship. Character building.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperating with churches, schools and civic organizations.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Auxiliary Police, First Aid, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals. Interested in Red Cross Assistance, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.



DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA, RAINBOW COUNCIL #129 (State and National Council D. of A; Jr. O. U. A. M.); c/o G. P. Congleton, Beattyville. Founded 1933. Councilor, Mrs. Irene Wade, Beattyville. Secretary, G. P. Congleton. Terms expire December, 1942.

Membership: 92. Open to white female, native born American citizens, 16 years of age and over. Also to members of the Jr. O. U. A. M.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Promotion of patriotism, respect for the American Flag and reverence for the Bible in public schools.

Normal Civic Activities: Aids Jr. O. U. A. M. in presenting flags and Bibles to public schools.

Defense Activities: Interested in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance, Preparation and Serving of Food, Family Social Service in Industrial Areas, Child Care.

Local Publications: None.

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS, PROCTOR LODGE #213 (Grand Lodge of Kentucky F. & A. M.), Beattyville. Founded 1851. Master J. B. McMillion, Beattyville. Secretary, Robert S. Smallwood, Beattyville. Telephone 95-J. Terms expired December, 1942.

Membership: 75. Qualifications, must be a man of good moral character and not an Atheist.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Fraternal and social.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperating with local clinics for children. Assists in all worthy civic enterprises.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Red Cross Assistance, Child Care. Interested in Emergency Repair Service, Motor Corps Service, Radio Operation and Repair, Public Speaking, Consumer Protection Activities.

Local Publications: None.

GIRL SCOUTS, BEATTYVILLE PATROL #1 (National Girl Scouts, Inc), c/o Virginia Burgess, Beattyville. Founded 1941. Leader, Virginia Burgess. Assistant Leader, Virginia Blount, Beattyville. Terms indefinite.

Membership: 16. Open to girls 10-12 years inclusive.

Committees: Executive, Mrs. George E. Long, Mrs. Omega Culton.

Girl Scouts, Beattyville Patrol #1 (Continued)

Purpose: Character building and training for leadership.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperates with churches, schools and other civic groups interested in community service.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, Interested in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, First Aid, Preparation and Serving of Food, Child Care, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.

GUILD OF ST. THOMAS CHURCH (Lexington Diocese, St. Thomas Guild), c/o Mrs. K. B. Wilson, Beattyville. Founded 1900. President, Mrs. V. S. Beatty, Beattyville. Secretary, Mrs. K. B. Wilson; Telephone 22-W. Executive Secretary, Rev. George E. Long, Beattyville. Terms expire December, 1943.

Membership: 8. Open to interested women members of St. Thomas Church.

Committees: Red Cross Sewing, Mrs. F. A. Lyon, Beattyville.

Purpose: Auxiliary to the church. Furtherance of missionary work at home and abroad.

Normal Civic Activities: Mostly confined to church work. Contributes to school lunch program and aids the indigent with clothing.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Red Cross Assistance, Family Social Service in Industrial Areas. Interested in Library Service.

Local Publications: None.

JUNIOR ORDER UNITED AMERICAN MECHANICS (National Jr. O. U. A. M.), c/o Rev. Luther Newman, Beattyville. Founded 1904. Councilor, Truman Congleton, Beattyville. Recording Secretary, Rev. Luther Newman. Terms expire December, 1942.

Membership: 60. Qualifications, white males 16 years and over, able to earn a living and possessing good reputation.

Committees: No standing committees.

Purpose: Promotion of patriotism, benefits for members, uphold school system and maintain National Orphan's Home.

Normal Civic Activities: Presents Bibles and American flags to schools. Cooperates in aiding underprivileged school children.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, Interested in Auxiliary Fire Protection, Emergency Repair Service, Motor Corps Service, Red Cross Assistance, Family Social Service in Industrial Areas, Discussion Leaders.

Local Publications: None.

KIWANIS CLUB OF BEATTYVILLE (Kiwans International), c/o T. Hargis Jones, Beattyville, Founded 1920. President, G. P. Congleton, Beattyville. Secretary, T. Hargis Jones. Terms expired January, 1942.

Membership: 12. Open to business executives and professional men.

Committees: Appointed as needed.

Purpose: Fellowship and community service.

Normal Civic Activities: Organized crippled children's clinic, tonsil clinic, cooperates with nutrition program, placed American flags in schoolrooms.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Hospital and Clinical Assistance, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals. Interested in Emergency Repair Service, Motor Corps Service, Red Cross Assistance, First Aid.

Local Publications: None.

LADIES AID AUXILIARY AND MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION, CHRISTIAN CHURCH (United Christian Missionary Society), c/o Mrs. William Cornelius, Beattyville. Founded 1898. President, Mrs. George T. Smith, Beattyville. Telephone 17. Secretary, Mrs. William Cornelius. Terms expire January, 1943.

Membership: 26. Qualifications, church women interested in the extension of missionary work.

Committees: Appointed as needed.

Purpose: To direct activities that point toward a higher Christian living and community betterment.

Normal Civic Activities: Production of 250 garments for underprivileged children. Some family Social Service work by members.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Family Social Service in Industrial Areas. Interested in Ambulance Service, Hospital and Clinical Assistance, First Aid, Child Care.

Local Publications: None.

LEE COUNTY 4-H CLUBS (National Council 4-H Clubs), c/o County Agent's Office, Beattyville. Founded 1917. Executive Secretary, T. H. Jones, County Agricultural Agent, Beattyville. Term indefinite.

Membership: 400. (18 clubs). Open to rural boys and girls 10-18 years, able to carry out a planned project.

Committees: 4-H Council, Sam E. Taylor, Beattyville.

Lee County 4-H Clubs (Continued)

Purpose: To provide boys and girls practice in modern agricultural methods.

Normal Civic Activities: Each club aids with the annual Lee County Fair. Other activities include the improvement of school grounds and working on individual projects.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Preparation and Serving of Food, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, First Aid. Interested In Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings. First Aid

Local Publications: None.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR, BEATTYVILLE CHAPTER #231 (Grand Chapter of Kentucky; General Grand Chapter O. E. S.), c/o Mrs. Gentry Congleton, Beattyville. Founded 1915. Worthy Matron, Mrs. Gentry Congleton. Terms expire 1943.

Membership: 102. Qualifications, 18 years or over, white, relative of affiliated Mason, daughter, wife, sister, mother or widow. Also Masons!

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Fraternal and social fellowship.

Normal Civic Activities: None reported.

Defense Activities: None reported.

Local Publications: None.

WOMAN'S CLUB OF BEATTYVILLE (General Federation of Women's Clubs), c/o Mrs. Katie Wilson, Beattyville. Founded 1896. President, Mrs. Mabel Beatty, Beattyville. Secretary, Mrs. Katie Wilson. Terms expire April, 1943.

Membership: 20. Open to representative women by invitation and election.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Cultural and community welfare.

Normal Civic Activities: Financially and materially aided the Bundles for Britain program. Raised \$100.00 for school shrubbery and awarded medal to service honor student.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Red Cross Assistance, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals. Interested in First Aid.

Local Publications: None.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY, BAPTIST CHURCH (W. M. U. of Southern Baptist Convention), c/o Mrs. J. R. Bishop, Beattyville. Founded 1932. President, Mrs. J. R. Bishop. Telephone 23-J. Secretary, Mrs. William Beatty, Beattyville. Terms expire January, 1942.

Membership: 10. Open to women members of the Baptist Church who are willing to serve.

Committees: Personal Service, Mrs. Charles Brandenburg, Beattyville.

Purpose: Church work, missionary work and community service.

Normal Civic Activities: Aid to Baptist hospital, Red Cross and to indigent families.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance. Interested in First Aid, Preparation and Serving of Food, Child Care.

Local Publications: None.

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TYPES OF DEFENSE ACTIVITIES LISTED

Air Raid Warden Service  
Ambulance Service  
Auxiliary Fire Protection  
Auxiliary Police  
Child Care  
Civilian Aircraft Warning Service  
Collecting Books  
Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals  
Consumer Protection Activities  
Discussion Leaders  
Drafting  
Emergency Repair Service  
Entertainment  
Family Social Service in Industrial Areas  
First Aid  
Hospital and Clinical Assistance  
Interpreting  
Interviewing  
Library Service  
Motor Corps Service  
Operation of Canteens  
Preparation and Serving of Food  
Public Speaking  
Radio Operation and Repair  
Recreation  
Red Cross Assistance  
Research Assistance  
Salvage Demolition Service  
Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings  
Signal Services  
Teaching Americanization Classes for Aliens and Others  
Teaching Classes in Mechanical Skills Needed in Defense Industries  
Teaching Classes of Map Reading and Sketching  
Teaching Literacy Classes for Aliens and Others  
Teaching Spanish and Portuguese  
Typing and Other Clerical Assistance

THE HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES

The history of the United States is a story of growth and change. From the first European settlers to the present day, the nation has evolved through various stages of development. The early years were marked by exploration and the establishment of colonies. The American Revolution led to the birth of a new nation, and the subsequent years saw the expansion of territory and the growth of industry. The Civil War was a pivotal moment in the nation's history, leading to the abolition of slavery and the strengthening of the federal government. The late 19th and early 20th centuries were characterized by rapid industrialization and the rise of a new middle class. The Great Depression of the 1930s led to significant government intervention in the economy. The mid-20th century saw the United States emerge as a global superpower, leading the world in the Cold War. The latter part of the 20th century was marked by social and cultural changes, including the civil rights movement and the Vietnam War. The 21st century has brought new challenges, including the September 11 attacks and the global financial crisis. The history of the United States is a testament to the resilience and adaptability of the American people.



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#### FAMILY SOCIAL SERVICE IN INDUSTRIAL AREAS

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#### FIRST AID

American Legion Auxiliary, Lee County Unit #84, A-1; American Red Cross, Lee County Chapter, A-1; Beattyville Parent-Teacher Association, C-2; Boy Scouts of Beattyville, Troop #133, A-2; Girl Scouts, Beattyville Patrol #1, C-3; Kiwanis Club of Beattyville, C-5; Ladies Aid Auxiliary and Missionary Association, Christian Church, C-5; Lee County 4-H Clubs, C-5; Woman's Club of Beattyville, C-6; Woman's Missionary Society, Baptist Church, C-7.

#### HOSPITAL AND CLINICAL ASSISTANCE

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#### MOTOR CORPS SERVICE

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#### PREPARATION AND SERVING OF FOOD

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