

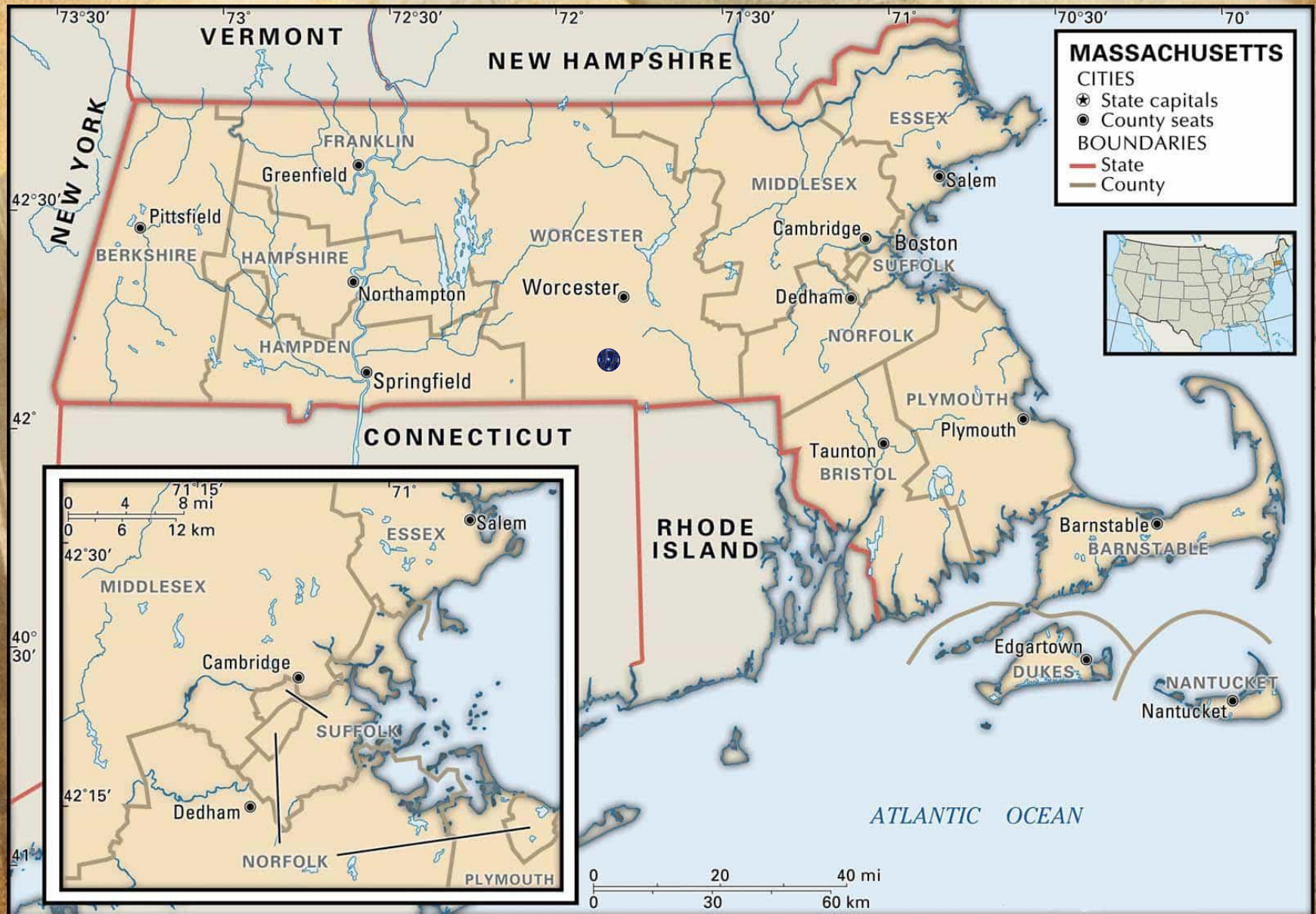
Such a Cloud of Witnesses

"Stories of American Christians"

Temple Baptist Church
November 15, 2020



December 25, 1821



Clara Barton 1821-1910



1851

Psalms 145:8

The Lord is gracious, and full of
compassion; slow to anger, and of great
mercy.

Clara Barton's Family



Doretha "Dolly"

Steven

David

Sally



1854-1857



Baltimore Riot - First Blood



Luke 6:30-36

Give to every man that asketh of thee; and of him that taketh away thy goods ask them not again. **And as ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise.** For if ye love them which love you, what thank have ye? for sinners also love those that love them. And if ye do good to them which do good to you, what thank have ye? for sinners also do even the same. And if ye lend to them of whom ye hope to receive, what thank have ye? for sinners also lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love ye your enemies, and do good, and lend, hoping for nothing again; and your reward shall be great, **and ye shall be the children of the Highest: for he is kind unto the unthankful and to the evil. Be ye therefore merciful, as your Father also is merciful.**

12,400

Battle of Antietam



Battle of Antietam

10,320



Casualties



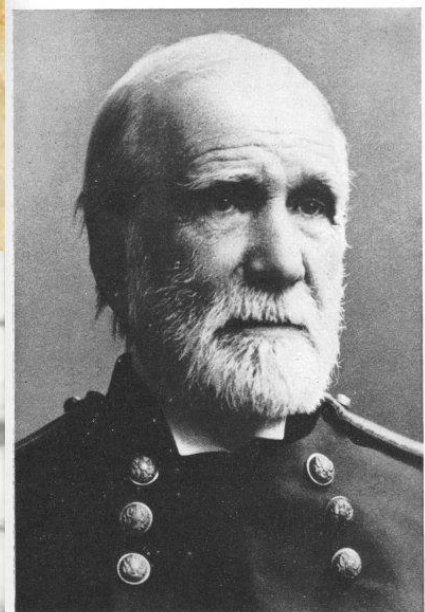
51,000	Gettysburg, July 1-3, 1863
34,624	Chickamauga, Sep 18-20, 1863
29,800	Wilderness, May 5-7, 1864
24,000	Chancellorsville, May 1-4, 1863
23,746	Shiloh, April 6-7, 1862
23,515	Stones River, Dec 31 62-Jan 1, 63
22,717	Antietam, Sep 17, 1862
22,180	2nd Manassas, Aug 28-Sep 1, 62

Source: The American Battlefield Protection Program

Luke 10:33 & 34

But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was: and when he saw him, **he had compassion** on him,

And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, **and took care of him.**



GEN. DANIEL H. RUCKER

Clara Barton 1821-1910



1865

YMCA and the United States Christian Commission

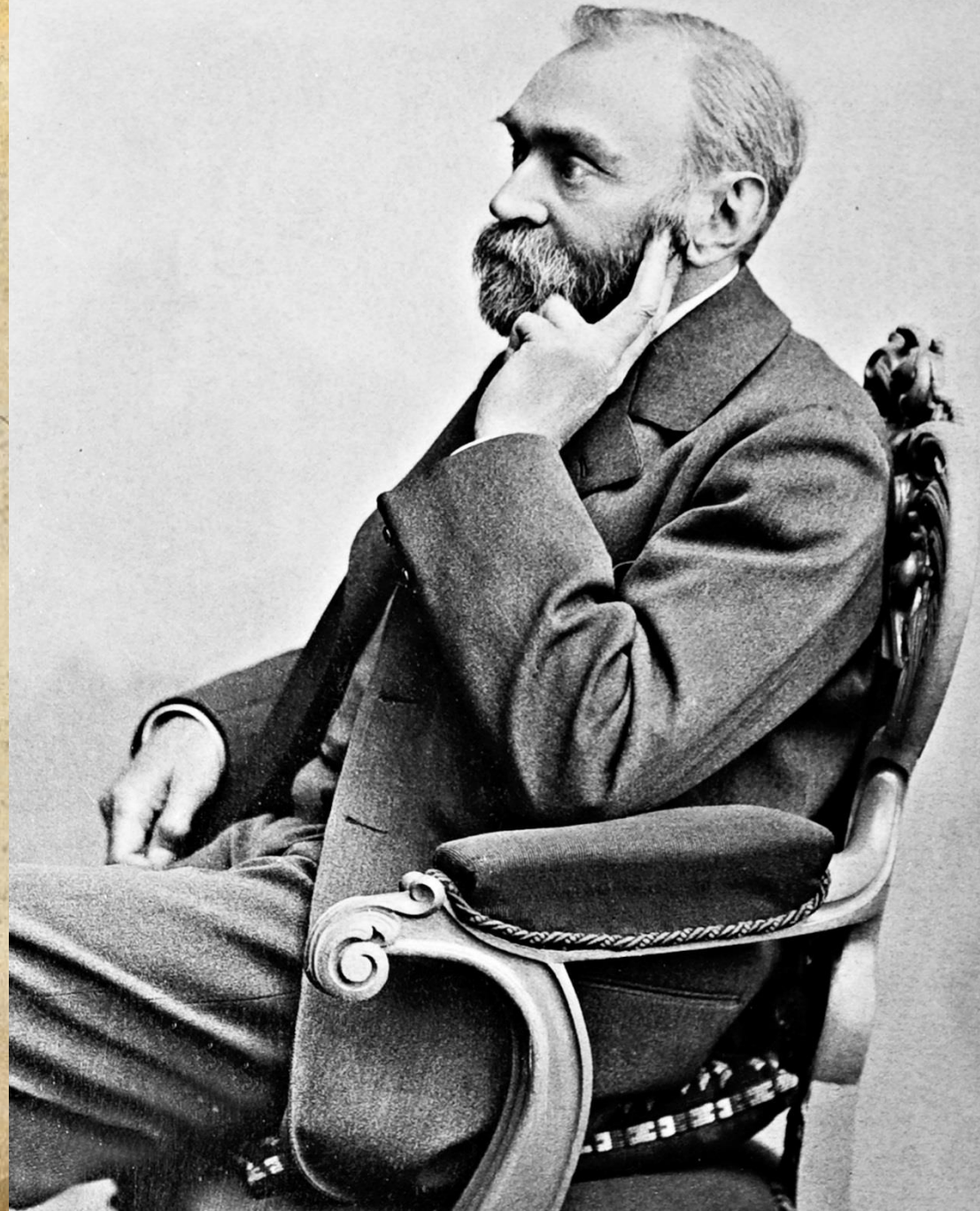


Missing Soldiers Office



Henry
Dunant

1828-1910





Henry Dunant's Home

1828-1910



Henry age 27



Micah 6:8

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?

His Heart



His Business



His Appointment



Battle of Solferino - June 24, 1859



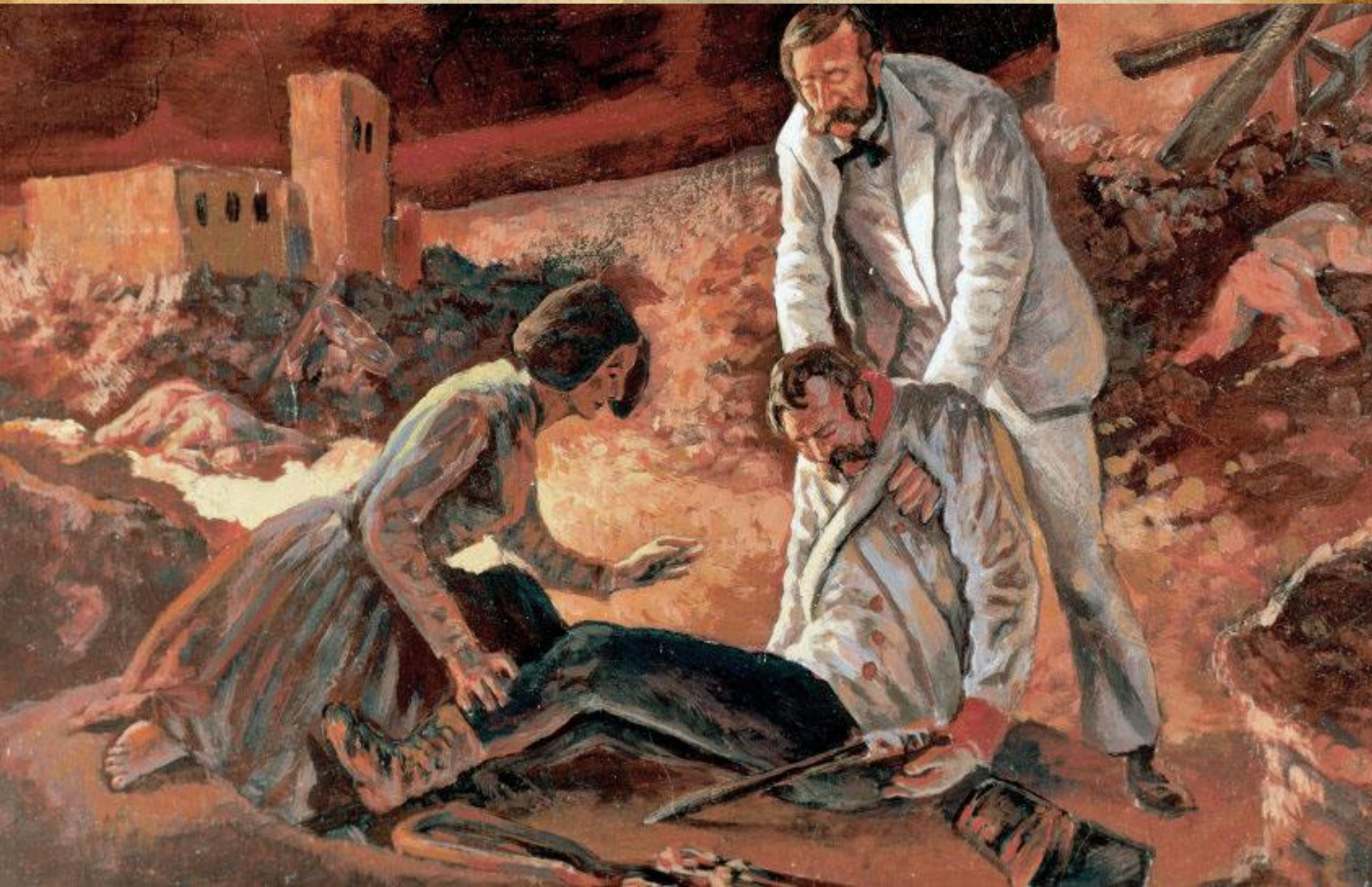
Battle of Solferino June 24. 1959



45,000 Wounded on Battlefield



His Call



His Problem



His Solution



Henry Dunant

A MEMORY OF SOLFERINO

We Can
Not Forget!



1863-ICRC

Henry DUNANT
secrétaire



Gustave MOYNIER
président



Général DUFOUR



Dr Théodore MAUNOIR



Dr Louis APPIA

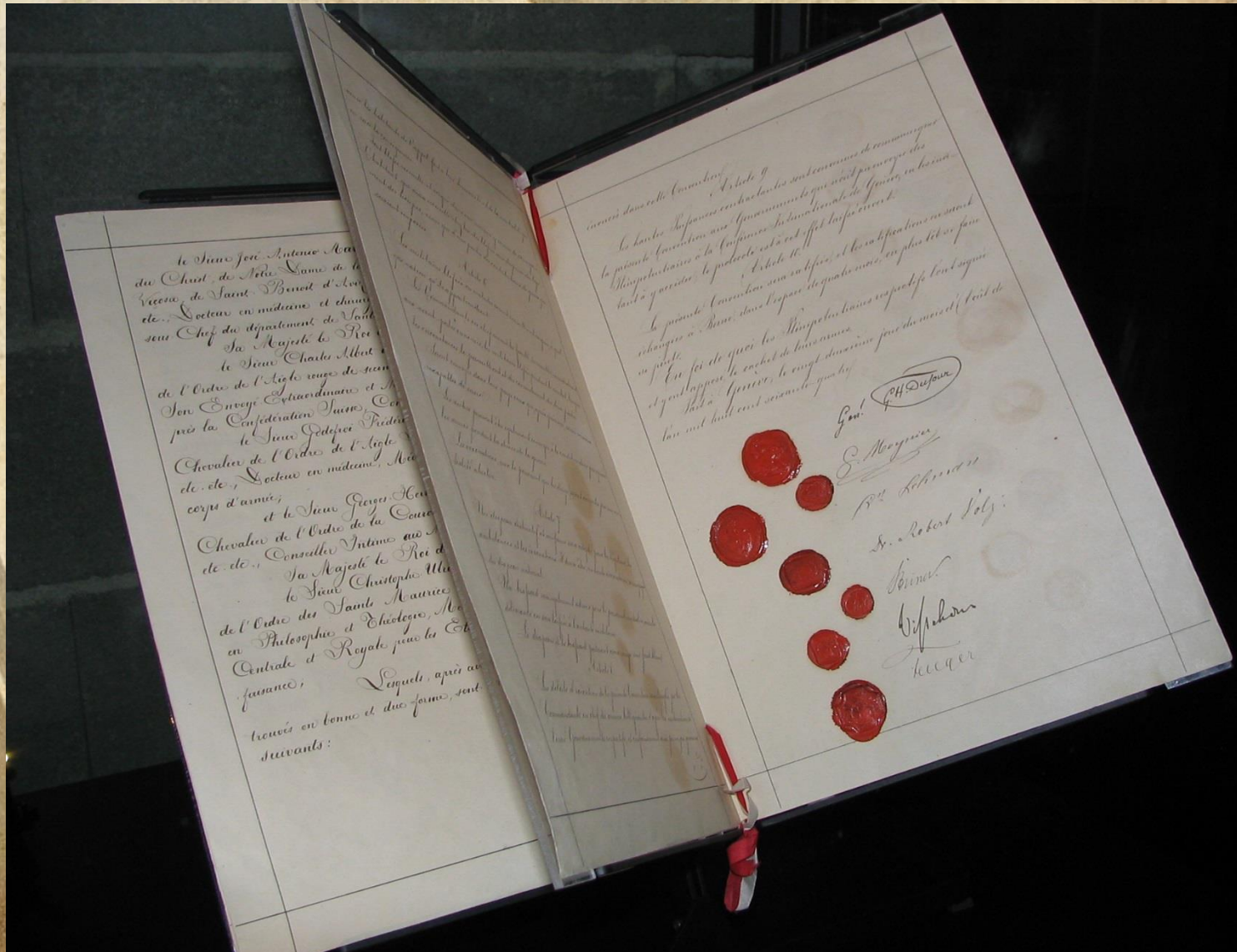
**COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE SECOURS AUX BLESSES DE GUERRE -
17th february 1863**

(future International Committee of the Red-Cross - ICRC since 1875 - see 10)

1863-ICRC






1864 - Geneva Convention



le Sieur Jean Antoine Aca
die Christ, de Notre Dame de la
Victoire, de Saint. Benoit d'Av
etc., Docteur en médecine et chirurgien
seul Chef du département de Santé
Sa Majesté le Roi
le Sieur Charles Albert
de l'Ordre de l'Aigle rouge de Prusse
Son Envoyé Extraordinaire et
près la Confédération Suisse,
le Sieur Frédéric Pictet
Chevalier de l'Ordre de l'Aigle
etc., etc., Docteur en médecine, Mé
corps d'armée,
et le Sieur Georges Klein
Chevalier de l'Ordre de la Cour
etc., etc., Conseiller Intime au
Sa Majesté le Roi
le Sieur Christophe Ull
de l'Ordre des Saints Maurice
en Philosophie et Théologie, Mé
Centrale et Royale pour les Et
fassance,
Viquet, après en
trouvés en bonne et due forme, sont
suivants:

La présente Convention sera ratifiée, et les ratifications en seront
échangées à Berne, dans l'espace de quatre mois, en plus tôt si faire
peut, et y aura appose le cachet de leurs armées
Fait à Genève, le vingt deuxième jour du mois d'août de
l'année mil huit cent soixante quatre

Genl. 
E. Moynier
R^e 
S. 
Robert Volz
Klein
Viquet
Kueper

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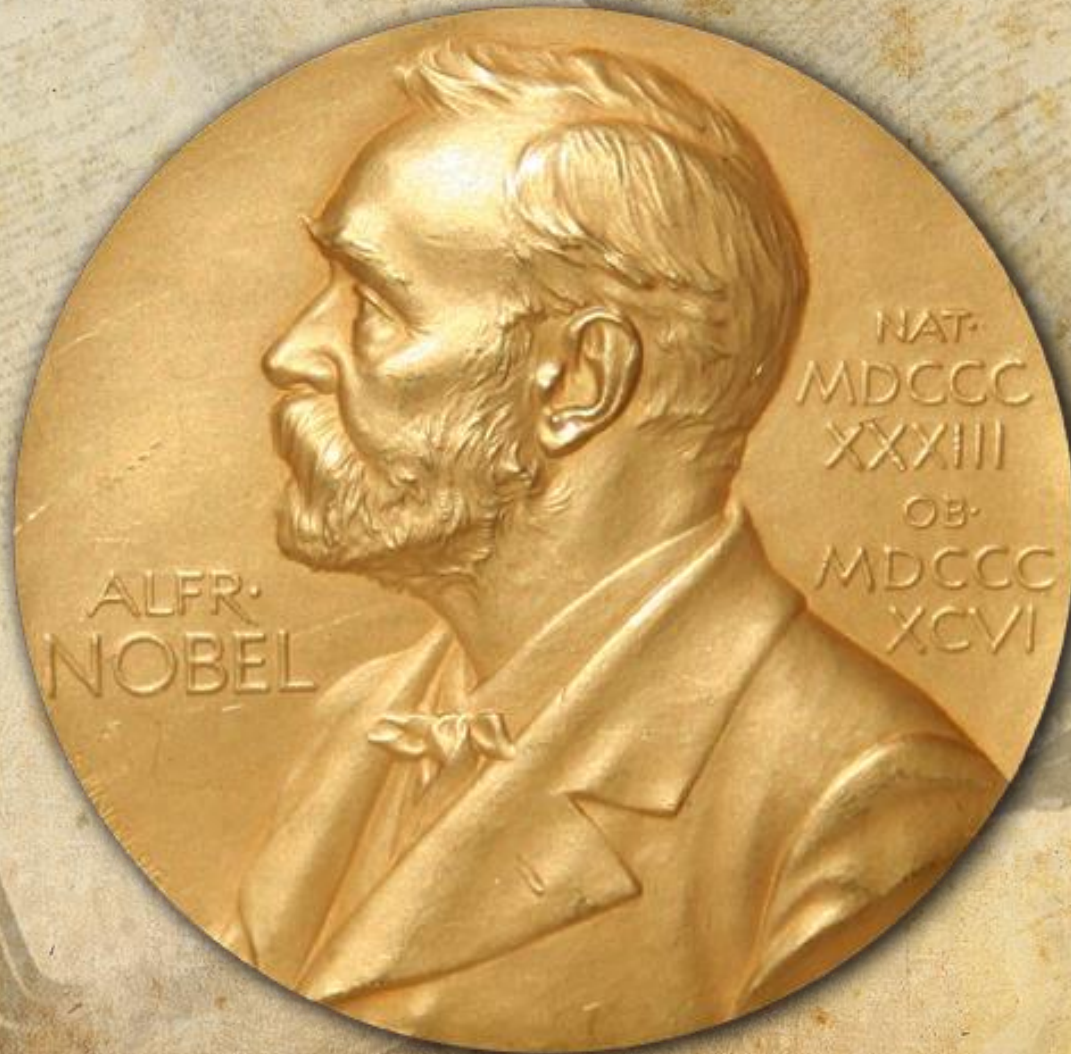
1882

Clara Barton 1821-1910



1898

1901 – The First Ever Nobel Prize



Clara Barton 1821-1910



1904



Susan
B. Anthony

1815-1906

Clara Barton 1821-1910



CLARA BARTON, RED CROSS FOUNDER, DIES AT AGE OF 90

Famous War Nurse Succumbs to
Pneumonia at Her Home in
Glen Echo, Md.

Washington, April 13.—Miss Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross Society, died at her home in Glen Echo, Md.

The cause of her death was chronic pneumonia, with which she was stricken about a year ago. Her brother, Stephen Barton, of Boston, was with her when she died.

Few names in all the history of American philanthropy are better known than that of Clara Barton. Her life of ninety years, beginning with happy significance on Christmas Day, in 1821, was given almost entirely to the cause of alleviating human suffering. Even in her old age she experienced no decline of faculties or activity, and almost to the very end declared that it was work which kept her young.

Psalms 116:15

Precious in the sight of the Lord is
the death of his saints.