

Vimy Day Observed Here and at Vimy

New Directory Being Prepared for District

Might Directories Representatives Gathering Information for New Edition of Useful Book. Endorsed by Timmins Board of Trade. Citizens Asked to Help.

The Porcupine is to have a new directory by the end of September. It was learned to-day when the men from Might's Directories began their work of collecting information about Timmins.

G. A. Anderson, of Toronto, is in charge of the men but will leave to-day for other places in the North. A. H. Gates, H. A. Tilston, and William Mavor will finish the job.

The new directory will include all the services in the present one. Mr. Anderson told The Advance—names, residences, telephones and post office box numbers of everyone in Timmins and Tisdale.

The Timmins Board of Trade in recent years have highly endorsed the Might Directory for the town and district, and specially ask each person to give the fullest and most accurate information to the men in charge so that the directory may be as complete and accurate as it is possible to make it.

No Probable Change in Temperature Here

Light to moderate winds, probably light scattered showers and not much change in temperature, is the weatherman's forecast for the Porcupine.

Rainfall recently has been: Thursday, .19 inches; Friday, .07 inches, and Saturday, .02 inches.

Temperatures have been: Thursday max. 70, min. 62; Friday max. 66, min. 45; Saturday max. 72, min. 48; Sunday max. 75, min. 46; eight o'clock this morning 57.

Legion and Auxiliary Join in Vimy Memorial

Veterans and Ladies' Auxiliary Take Part in Ceremonies Yesterday. Sixty Members of Legion and Forty of the Ladies' Auxiliary in Parade. Notable Address by Rev. Bruce Millar. Soldiers' Graves Decorated.

The Timmins branch of the Canadian Legion, along with the Ladies' Auxiliary, observed the ceremony of the unveiling of the Vimy memorial, by attending to a short address and ceremony yesterday.

Marching quietly to the cenotaph, about 60 Legionnaires, wearing their berets and decorations and 40 ladies in their white dresses and royal blue sashes made a very colourful sight. At the cenotaph, A. Pearce sounded "Last Post" and "Reveille." Mrs. Charlton was given the honour of placing the wreath. Wearing the decorations of her husband, Mrs. Charlton, carried the duty in fitting manner.

Upon returning to the hall Rev. Bruce Millar, delivered a most inspiring address. He touched upon the comradeship and esprit de corps of the veterans. Rev. Bruce Millar said at one point that although he was too young to be with the soldiers, he could remember them. He told of how they would gather at his home; then their departure, some never to return. He was glad he was not too young to remember. Touching on the Vimy broadcast, the speaker said he thought the address of Our King outshone all other—a sentiment in which everyone who heard King Edward VIII yesterday will agree.

Rev. Bruce Millar read two clippings touching on the Memorial and Pilgrimage and closed his address with a short poem, fitting to the occasion. At times many could be seen wiping a tear, so touching in tribute were the speakers' words. Austin Neame said it was only at very short notice that Rev. Bruce Millar had been asked to give this address and thanked him on behalf of the gathering for such an excellent address.

The members and ladies then journeyed by bus to the cemetery. 33 flags were placed on graves of ex-servicemen and wives of ex-servicemen buried there. "Last Post" and "Reveille" were again sounded, and two minutes silence observed. This brought to a close the annual ceremony of Decoration Day and Remembrance, with 36,000 on the Vimy Pilgrimage of Canada's 60,000 dead.

New Transatlantic Record Made by the Queen Mary

The Queen Mary was to-day holder of the transatlantic crossing record, when she passed Ambrose Light near New York shortly before midnight, standard time, last night.

The former record of 4 days, 11 hours, 42 minutes held by the French Line's Normandie, was beaten by more than two hours.

Mayor J. P. and Mrs. Bartleman are visiting in Toronto this week.

Algonquin Rifles to Camp Next Week

Local Company and Officers to be at Camp August 4th to 14th.

The Algonquin Rifles leave Timmins next week for Penetanguishene where they will join their regiment in the annual militia camp. Major W. F. Morgan, Captain Keith Stirling, and Lieutenants Dean Kester, Leo Charlebois, Harold McInnis and Dave Taylor are the officers, some of whom will accompany the 30 M.C.O.'s and men of the company.

The camp is from August 4th to 14th.

To Collect Radio Licenses in District

Homer Gauthier Appointed to Make House to House Canvass in the Porcupine

Homer Gauthier, formerly on the Timmins police force, has been appointed supervisor to conduct a house to house canvass for the sale of radio licenses for the whole of the Porcupine district. He will work under the direction of B. F. Empey, North Bay. Mr. Gauthier is now in North Bay to receive instructions and will announce his plans on his return. He received his appointment direct from the Dept. of Marine, Radio Branch, Ottawa.

Improve Townsite Houses

New Peaked Roofs and Two New Rooms to be Added to 199 Hollinger Townsite Houses.

One hundred and ninety-nine of the houses in the Hollinger townsite are to have a peaked roof added this summer. The improvement will give the places an extra two rooms and will make the appearance of the whole townsite a great deal better.

J. P. Roy and Alfred Caron are the contractors who will do the work. The Advance learned to-day.

AUTO KING'S SON



Edsel Ford, son of Henry Ford, Detroit auto magnate, is shown facing a barrage of questions from ship news reporters as he sailed from New York for a European vacation.

Report that Liquor Board Chairman Soon to Retire

Word from Toronto is to the effect that E. G. Odette, chairman of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, is soon to retire on account of ill-health, cannot be officially confirmed, though it is not officially denied. "Mr. Odette has been very ill but I hope is now on the way to complete recovery," seems to be the most that Premier Hepburn will say in the matter, the report continues that Mr. Odette will resign as chairman of the Liquor Board before very long.

Failed to Heed the Advice to Clean-up

Several in Court for Bad Alleyways. Other Court Cases for To-morrow.

Five Timmins boys will appear in juvenile court to-morrow, charged with stealing a carton of gum and candy from a National Grocers delivery truck on Friday. Constable DesRoches conducted the investigation which ended in the finding of the attractive bundle and the boys who admit stealing it.

In police court, several people will answer charges of cluttering up the alleyways of the town. More will be charged next week if residents of the town do not clean up their back yards and back alleys, police said this morning.

For having liquor in an automobile, two Timmins men will appear in court, along with the usual assortment of drunks and reckless drivers.

No Truth in Report About Mine Disaster

Rumour on Street About Men Killed and Injured at Lake Shore Proved False

Rumour on Friday morning last week brought to town by two Kirkland Lake men, had it that there had been a "disaster" at Lake Shore mine there. Those who gave the information were supposed to have left Kirkland Lake just a short while after the accident.

They said ten men had been killed and 32 injured after an air blast had occurred that had shaken the whole mine. Checking up instantly by telegraph, more than one person in Timmins was informed that no such thing had happened. Everything at Lake Shore was reported as normal.

Pensions Commissioners Hearing Cases at Timmins

Many cases from Timmins and other centres in the North have been heard during the past few days by the board of pension commissioners, sitting at the executive rooms of the Canadian Legion hall, Cedar street south. Mr. Neil, pensions advocate of the Canadian Legion, is helping ex-servicemen to present their claims to the members of the board.

All Sorts of Sport for Civic Holiday in Camp

Event at McIntyre Park to Include Big Football and Baseball Games, Mucking and Drilling Contests, Track and Field Events. Another Outstanding Day Arranged for the Whole Camp.

Tentative Approval of Some Work

Application for Paving the Streets Definitely Turned Down This Year.

Tentative approval of the Ontario Municipal Board has been given a schedule of sidewalk work, sewer extension, and waterworks extension for Timmins, it was learned last week. By-laws have still to be passed by the council and approved by government authorities. The exact places at which work will be done has not yet been decided. The Advance was told this morning at the town hall.

The application for paving of streets has been definitely turned down by the board. No work of that sort can be done this year.

Work for which tentative approval has been given includes \$15,000 for extension to waterworks; \$7500 for sewer extensions; and \$12,000 for new water mains.

LOYALISTS AND REBELS BOTH CLAIMING VICTORIES

The revolution in Spain still continues with both loyalists and rebels claiming victories in the Madrid area.

Fear is still felt for the safety of citizens of other nationalities.

A week from to-day—Civic Holiday—the Porcupine has the most varied programme of sports offered anywhere in the North. Not only the usual field day events, such as running, jumping, putting the shot, throwing the hammer, but events that only miners can enter, such as a mucking contest and a drilling race make the McIntyre's sports day a unique affair.

To top it all, there will be two major games—football and baseball—against out-of-town teams. Frood Tigers, of Sudbury, National League champions last year, will play football against the Macs, and a Kirkland baseball team will meet the McIntyre team.

A full day's programme has been arranged. With good weather, the McIntyre's big sporting event should this year attract more spectators than ever before.

Not an item has been neglected. Running and jumping stars of the mine have been training many weeks for their part and are looking forward to breaking a few records.

Some Excitement at the Vimy Memorial Service

Curly Christian, armless Toronto ex-serviceman, caused gendarmes at the Vimy unveiling yesterday some worry as he broke through the guard about King Edward. French police feared an attack and stood ready with revolvers drawn. Christian merely wanted to greet the King whom he had met twice as Prince of Wales in Toronto.

Thousands in Camp Hear Vimy Memorial Service

Address by His Majesty the King is Outstanding Feature. Hundred Thousand Gathered at Vimy. Including Six Thousand Canadian Veterans. Radio Brings the Event Here Very Clearly.

The unveiling of Canada's War memorial at Vimy Ridge was a topic of much interest yesterday. The fact that His Majesty King Edward VIII was to unveil the splendid monument in itself, was of much importance. But outstanding was the presence of close to 6,000 veterans from the Dominion, including many from Timmins and the North—men who have lived among the ruins of Vimy district, where now beautiful modern villages and towns have sprung up anew from war's desolation and destruction.

All radios were tuned-in to the broadcast on Sunday morning and it is said that those listening heard the addresses more plainly than those at the actual scene.

One could visualize the great gathering, estimated at 100,000 people, assembled on the slopes of Vimy. The planes flying overhead added a touch of realism to the picture.

Mr. Pelletier, announcer for the occasion gave truly brilliant survey of the scene and ceremony. Loud speakers shook to the tumultuous cheers as His Majesty arrived accompanied by his brother.

After inspecting the special guard of honour, His Majesty mingled with the Legionnaires (comrade of old), during which time the bands of the R.C.H.A. and Pipe Band played stirring martial music.

President Blum, of France was also greeted with great outbursts of cheering and after conversing with His Majesty King Edward, the ceremony got under way.

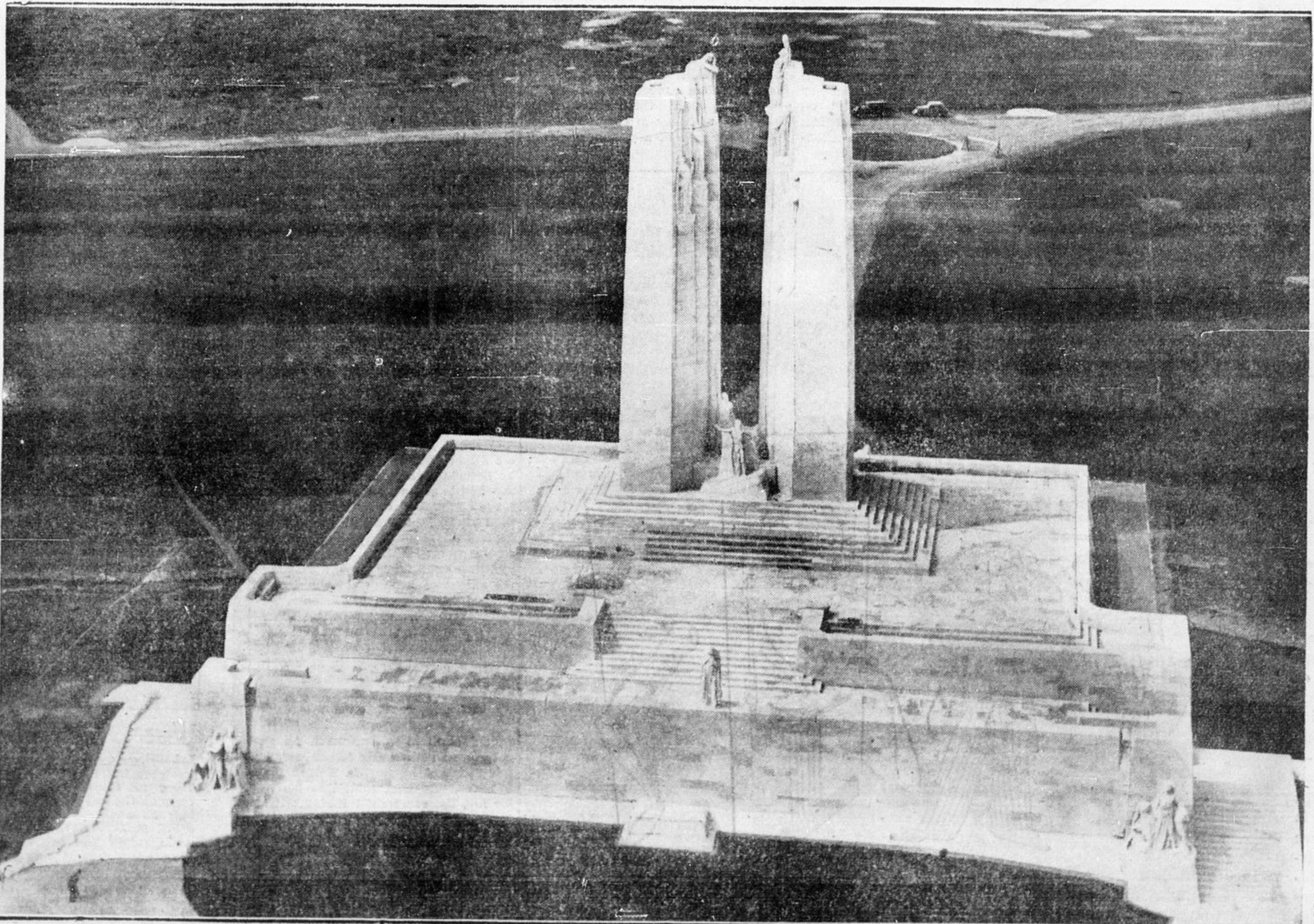
Each of the clergy delivered short addresses, the drone of the two squadrons of aeroplanes one French and one British, could be plainly heard during this time. All the addresses touched upon the beauty of the memorial.

His Majesty spoke first in French and his pronunciation was precise and perfect. Following immediately in English he said that nine years ago he unveiled the Peace Tower at Ottawa, and he spoke of the Book of Remembrance. He, like those assembled, remembered Vimy.

One touching remark His Majesty made was when he said: "These 11,258 men are not buried on foreign soil; they are buried in Canada, for this spot has been given to Canada and is for all time a part of the Dominion." Every word was clearly spoken and carried plainly the thousands of miles between here and Vimy.

Another feature of the broadcast of the ceremony occurred, just as the massed buglers were sounding the "Last Post." An aeroplane flew over the memorial very low, giving to ex-servicemen listeners a reminder that night raids are still possible, though all hope for peace.

Timmins People at Unveiling of Canada's Tribute to the Brave Dead who Gave Their Lives During 1914-18



Pointing majestically and reverently toward the heavens, this magnificent memorial to the heroism of Canadians in the Great War was unveiled yesterday by King Edward. More than 6,000 Canadian veterans, pilgrims to the shrine at Vimy, witnessed the impressive sight as the draped flag dropped from the gleaming white pillars. The memorial is situated at the crest of Vimy

Ridge, where the Canadian Army won undying fame, when, on Easter Monday morning, in 1917, after a barrage which for days had battered enemy trenches, they charged the heights, took them and held them. Among those attending the ceremony from Timmins and district are: Rev. Fr. O'Gorman, Mr. and Mrs.

Jack Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. W. Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Drew, F. A. Burt, W. Scarth, J. Cowan, F. Daoust, Sam Tilley, Fred Kerr, J. Donald. Others well remembered here included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rinn, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garner. Some of the local district school teachers were also present at the unveiling.