

# Charter Presented at Meeting of the Red Cross

### Large and Enthusiastic Gathering Here on Tuesday Night Hears Address from Rev. Fr. O'Gorman, Mr. Austin Neame, Mr. N. R. Vinton, and Others, on Red Cross Work, Past and Present.

The charter meeting of the Red Cross in this district was held on Tuesday evening in the Legion hall, a large number of people who are eager to take part in the work being present. Mr. Austin Neame, president of the newly formed club, was in the chair, and in his opening remarks mentioned his appreciation of the fact that so many local people had come to the meeting. He added that he remembered the Red Cross Society that had worked in Timmins several years ago, and he knew that the present society would be able to do much good in the district.

Rev. Fr. O'Gorman, parish priest at the Church of Nativity, was introduced by Mr. F. A. Burt, and gave a very interesting account of Red Cross work during the war, and in peace-time at Cobalt. He told how the Red Cross had first been formed in Switzerland, and how those few who had first begun this work, had chosen the emblem of Switzerland, with the colors reversed, as the emblem of the Red Cross. Red Cross work in Canada, he said, begun in 1892, and over \$50,000 worth of supplies were sent by Canadians to South Africa during the war. Before the end of the World War there were over 1,200 branches of the Red Cross with charters in Canada, and over double that amount of auxiliaries of the Red Cross which were unchartered

## PRETTY WEDDING YESTERDAY



The above picture of the Miller-McLean wedding party at the United Church, Timmins, yesterday, was taken as the group were leaving the church after the ceremony.

Reading from left to right:—Miss Myrtle Brown, bridesmaid; bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Miller; Leslie Brown, groomsmen. The bride was formerly Miss Winnifred McLean, of Timmins. A report of the wedding will be found elsewhere in this issue. (Advance Photo and Engraving)

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good reason for the Red Cross." At one time in Canada there were 60 Red Cross hospitals. Now there are 30 of them, these 30 having received over 6,000 patients last year. Timmins, said the speaker, is in ideal location for peace time Red Cross work, and he wished the Red Cross Society here every success.

The president, Mr. Austin Neame, thanked Father O'Gorman for this very interesting address, and called upon Mr. N. W. Vinton, field secretary of the Red Cross, to address the gathering.

"You are a pioneer city, and there is a spirit of up-and-coming," said Mr. Vinton, "that I find very seldom in other towns and cities." In a humorous manner, he mentioned the many draws, bazaars, etc., held in Timmins each year, and said, "I take my hat off to Timmins," for any city that can still hold up its head and be ready to receive the same treatment after an orgy of such money-making events, that all seem to be a success, deserves the best. Timmins, he added, was a spear-head for this entire district. The people of this town, as of other localities, had a great desire to do good, if they only knew how to go about it. The Red Cross provided the means, and, said Mr. Vinton, he knew that Timmins could make a success of this work. The town should be ready for any emergency at any time, and with the Red Cross, if the local society is not able to handle the work, other societies will help it along in case of disaster.

The Red Cross Society in Timmins, said the speaker, may organize home nursing classes, may help the Junior Red Cross at schools, enroll blood donors, provide free dental service and treatment for those who cannot afford it, supply free cod liver oil for unfortunate families, and begin nutrition classes to teach the preparation of simple foods.

"Nineteen thirty-eight is the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Red Cross, and it is with great pleasure that I present the charter to the president, Mr. Austin Neame, on behalf of the Red Cross," said Mr. Vinton, in placing the charter in the hands of the first president of the re-organized Red Cross in Timmins. In accepting the charter, Mr. Neame said that all should prize this charter, and added, "We, in Timmins, will do our duty."

Mrs. R. J. Smith and Mr. Jack Brady, briefly addressed the gathering with regard to the campaign work in the district, and the meeting was brought to a close with "God Save the King." Refreshments were served after the business portion of the evening.

## Pretty Wedding at the United Church

### Miss Winnifred McLean and Mr. Harris Miller married Here Yesterday.

The United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 p.m., when Winnifred, daughter of Mrs. E. McLean, and the late Mr. Charles McLean, became the bride of Mr. Harris Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Miller, of the Sladen-Malartic. Recently the bride and groom have both been resident at Bankfield. Many friends were at the church to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. M. Mustard, there being four generations of the McLean family at the wedding.

Mr. H. Trener, church organist, played the wedding music. Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Jack Stevens, the bride was lovely in a gown of sky blue silk chiffon, made on princess lines with a full flared skirt, short sleeves and square neckline. She wore a matching turban with a short veil, white accessories and a rope of pearls, and carried a large bouquet of Briarcliffe roses and lily-of-the-valley.

She was attended by Miss Myrtle Brown as bridesmaid, charmingly attired in a gown of flowered taffeta, made on fitted lines, with a flared skirt, and short sleeves. Her accessories were in white, and she wore a white picture hat, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and maidenhair fern.

Mr. Leslie Brown attended the groom. Following the ceremony, a buffet lunch was served at the home of the bride's mother, 201 Birch St. N., where

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Mrs. McLean received the guests, becomingly attired in a gown of black chiffon, with white picture hat and accessories, and a corsage of deep pink roses.

The bride was entertained at a shower on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Miller, 283 Maple St. N., where her many friends gathered to wish her "all happiness."

Mr. and Mrs. Miller will leave next week for Sladen-Malartic where they will visit the groom's parents, before journeying to Bankfield where they will make their home.

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