

RED TRIANGLE TWO DAY DRIVE

STARTS MONDAY. 2-DAYS-2 FORT WILLIAM OBJECTIVE \$6,000

SPECIAL FEATURES TO REMEMBER

Men's mass meeting
G. W. V. A. Club Rooms
SUNDAY afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Speaker: CAPTAIN NORSE.
Every man in city invited.

SUNDAY NIGHT BAND CONCERT
Royal Theatre by
Fort William City Band
9 o'clock with short talk from CAPTAIN NORSE.
Silver collection.

Remember Monday and Tuesday

Type of building being used for Y.M.C.A. work in Industrial Plants



These Fort William men are going to captain teams and work voluntarily to put Fort William over the top. WILL YOU HELP?

- G. B. EVANS
- H. E. GERVAN
- J. H. IRWIN
- J. BELL
- E. J. DURE
- C. S. LANGILLE
- F. H. BOLE
- J. A. CAMPBELL
- H. JAMES
- C. H. PHILPOT
- F. W. ATKINSON
- W. FERGUSON
- D. S. FEW
- S. CHADDERTON
- A. THOMSON
- E. G. SIMPSON
- W. R. COSLETT
- T. H. GILLESPIE
- FRED O'BRIEN
- J. A. SPEERS
- N. B. DARRELL
- H. J. OLIVER

From the Trenches in Flanders to the Industries in Canada

Y.M.C.A. good cheer helped the soldiers win the war. Y.M.C.A. good cheer will help the soldiers of industry win the battle of life. The Red Triangle went with the

soldiers in khaki right into the front line trenches in Flanders. The Red Triangle is going with the soldiers in overalls into the factories, the workshops the mines and the lumber shanties of Canada.

Read What Fort William 52nd Battalion Returned Soldier says of Red Triangle

129 Dease St., Fort William, Ont., April 30, 1919.

Red Triangle Campaign Headquarters, City.

Dear Sirs:—
I feel that I cannot speak too highly of the good work it has done not only on transport and troop trains but during my three and a half years' experience as a whole while overseas.
It was a great moral and physical help to the soldiers in their spare time. It afforded amusements which were a great boon to the war-weary troops and which they otherwise would have missed.
In expressing my opinion in this way I believe that I am echoing the sentiments of the majority of the boys that went overseas, especially those who were in France.

Yours truly,
A. J. PERRY,
52nd Battalion.

Our plan for Y.M.C.A. extension to the industries is to enlist the sympathy of the president of the company or the heads of the firm, and the management of the plant, to explain our scheme of improved industrial relationships based upon the happiness and the welfare of the workers, and to get the employers to undertake the erection of a Y.M.C.A. building, fully equipped, situated right in the plant.

In some cases, a number of smaller firms would co-operate, and the Y.M.C.A. building would be centrally located for the convenience of a whole group of factories.

Recreation for Workers

This work has already been inaugurated in Sault Ste. Marie, London, St. Catharines, Fort William, Fort Arthur, Vancouver, and Toronto. Y.M.C.A. buildings are built and equipped on lines similar to those in the soldiers' camps, or like regular Y.M.C.A. buildings in the cities, according to the amount appropriated for the purpose by the companies. They should be furnished with a gymnasium, shower bath, swimming pool, canteen, reading and writing room, billiard tables, and an assembly hall for sing songs, lectures, motion pictures, concerts, social gatherings, etc. To promote and superintend this project for our soldiers of industry part of the Red Triangle fund will be devoted.

The Y.M.C.A. went right into the front trenches in France and Flanders and elsewhere in the war zone to serve the Can-

adian troops. It is going now into those isolated districts where industrial workers like our miners and lumbermen are fighting the battle of life in the front trenches of civilization.

For Women and Girls

What the Y.M.C.A. aims to do for the men and boys of Canada's industries, the Young Women's Christian Association aims to do for women and girls. The Dominion Council of the Y.W.C.A. has prepared a budget calling for an appropriation of \$175,000, and it is proposed to set aside that amount from the Red Triangle Fund for their use. The Dominion Council expenditure covers the expense of National work as distinct from the expenses of local Y.W.C.A. work. One of the chief items this year to be provided out of the Dominion Council fund is that of caring for the soldiers' wives and dependents journeying to their homes in Canada from overseas, helping them with difficulties and worries of all kinds.

With the support of the operating companies, Red Triangle huts will be established and equipped with canteen, billiard and

pool tables, reading room, motion picture and concert hall; baths and, in some cases, swimming pool and gymnasium. This service tends to stimulate the restless transient, the man who is "fed up with his job," gives him something profitable to do in his leisure hours.

In some districts where lumbering operations are active, trained Y.M.C.A. men drive from camp to camp during the winter equipped with portable stereopticon lantern outfits. They give illustrated talks, and entertainments introducing the element of play among the hard-working shanty boys by such games as volleyball, boxing, etc.

A Lumberman's Endorsement

One lumber operator says, "You have put my man-cater out of business. Where before I had three gangs hired—on one the way in, one at work in the woods, and the other on the sawsaw, now I need only one."

At the local Y.M.C.A.'s special programmes for industrial operatives will be aided from the Red Triangle fund. They will be offered recreation, entertainment and opportunity for self-development. Classes in various subjects of special interest or value to industrial workers will be held.

In districts where a considerable non-English-speaking population prevails, a knowledge of the English language, of Canada and of the principles of Canadian citizenship and of social responsibility will be promoted by the Y.M.C.A.

Read the center panel of this advertisement and learn for yourself the great need of this money, every dollar of which will be spent in Canada for Canadians.

Help the "Y" complete its work for soldiers, help extend "Y" service to Canadian boys, help bring the Red Triangle to the Army of Industry and to Rural Canadian Life.

Local Campaign Committee Rooms

Imperial Bank, corner Syndicate and Victoria Avenues.

C. BIRKETT,
Chairman.

PHONE S. 6000

C. B. DEVLIN, Secy.
G. E. EWING, Treas.

Two Days Two May 5 and 6.