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## FOREWORD

This Directory has been compiled in the hope that it will provide an easy guide to all who may wish to consult or utilize the services of organizations in Edmonton meeting health and welfare needs in the Community.

The material published regarding each organization has been officially authorized in practically all cases. The Council of Social Agencies will appreciate being informed of omissions or changes which may occur from time to time in the listings.

The Council Office will also be pleased, upon request, to seek information concerning other organizations which are not listed in the Directory but which are related to health and welfare effort. For a description of the purposes, functions and additional services of the Council of social Agencies, please refer to pages 34 and 36 of this Directory.

709 Tegler Building,  
Edmonton, Alberta.

August, 1945.

**BOARDING HOMES, RESIDENCES,  
REFUGES AND SHELTERS**

**Emergency Housing Bureau**  
Capt. S. Campbell,

9940 102 Ave.

Tel. 28585

Endeavours to find accommodation for those seeking homes, suites or rooms. Open 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily; Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. No charge.

**Public Welfare Department—Provincial**

Deputy Minister of Public Welfare: A. A. Mackenzie  
Administration Building, 109 Street.

**Single Men's Division**

Director: W. A. R. Rees,  
Administration Building, 109th Street. Tel. 916478  
Maintains hostels at Ogdén, Calgary, and Old Immigration Hall, Edmonton; welfare camps at Gunn and Evansburg, to provide for old men that are Provincial responsibilities and transients; also municipal cases by arrangement. (See also—Departmental listing under Family Welfare and Relief Services; Child Care Agencies; Veterans and Service Personnel).

**Rosary Hall†**

Superior: Sister Mary Florentina,  
9947 104th Street.

Tel. 26859

A residence primarily for working girls and school girls over 14 years of age. Some transients and older women. Non-sectarian.

**St. Catherine's Residence for Girls (Church of England)**

Person in Charge—Mrs. H. B. Collins,  
9707 107th Street.

Tel. 24382

To provide a comfortable home for business girls and students at a reasonable rate and under the sympathetic care of a Christian woman.

**Salvation Army†**

**Social Service Headquarters**

Supt.: Major Harold Martin,  
10268 97th Street.

Tel. 26875

Provides a working men's hostel. (See also Family Welfare and Relief; Employment).

**Bonnie Doon Eventide Home**

Supt.: Major G. Luxton,  
9306 82nd Avenue.

Tel. 32516

A home for aged men.

**Women's Home† (Salvation Army)**

Supt.: Major A. King,  
10528 98th Street.  
Tel. 24603

A shelter for homeless women and girls. Probation work for women. (See also Employment).

**Sisters of Service Residential Club†**

Superior: Sister Edna Deland,  
9919 105th Street.  
Tel. 26487

A residence for young women in need and for girls from outside the City. Working girls return for social activities. (See also Employment).

**Sunset Cottages (Lions Club of Edmonton)**

Private cottage homes for aged couples provided in co-operation with the Civic Relief Department. Applications through the Relief Department.—408 Civic Block—Supt.: F H Drayton.  
Tel. 21275

**Young Men's Christian Association†**

General Secretary: Clark Ready,  
102A Avenue and 100A Street.  
Tel. 22647

Maintains a residence providing temporary or permanent accommodation for young men; also overnight residence and dormitory accommodation. (See also Camps; Recreation).

**Young Women's Christian Association†**

General Secretary: Mrs. Cora T. Casselman,  
10032 103rd Street.  
Tel. 25643

Rooms Registry Dept.: Miss C. Cormack,  
Miss M. Kay,  
Tel. 22316

Offers rooms and Cafeteria for transients and permanent. (See also Veterans and Service Personnel; Recreation, Education and Neighbourhood Activities).

**CAMPS****Air Cadets Camps**

Provincial Chairman—J. H. Wildman,  
10220 101 Street.  
Tel. 912

Camps for Air Cadets held at various points throughout the Province.

**All People's Mission Camp† (United Church of Canada)**

Moonlight Bay, Lake Wabamun.

A fresh air camp operating in separate one-week camps for boys, girls, children under 10 years, and women. No restrictions regarding race or creed and no standard fee. However, those who can contribute something towards the cost are encouraged to do so. Applications—The Supt.: Rev. J. T. Stephens,  
10708 93 Street,  
Tel. 21283

**Anglican Young People's Camp**

Kapasiwin—Lake Wabamun.  
For boys and girls and young people. For information apply: Synod Office,  
11717 93 Street,  
Tel. 71743

**Army Cadet Camps**

Camps for Army Cadets conducted each summer. For information apply—District Cadet Officer, M.D. 13,  
c/o Prince of Wales Armouries.

**Gull Lake Baptist Camp**

McLaurin Beach—Gull Lake  
Camps for boys, girls, 9 years and up, young people, and family groups. Recreational and Christian education programme. Open to all denominations. For information: Rev. L. Keith Daniel,  
207 Empire Building,  
Tel. 21350

**Camp Elizabeth† (I.O.D.E.—Edmonton Munic. Chap.)**

Edmonton Beach  
Convener—Mrs. R. B. Clifton,  
9704 105 Street,  
Tel. 27888

A free camp for girls between the ages of 8 and 14 years in need of a camping experience and otherwise unable to obtain it. Standard camp period, 2 weeks. Undenominational.

**Camp Fallis† (C.G.I.T. Board of Edmonton)**

Lake Wabamun  
For information: Miss M. Sutcliffe,  
c/o Whyte & Co., Ltd., 10117 100 Street.

For girls from 12 to 18 years who are members of C.G.I.T. Groups. Interdenominational. Standard camp period, approximately 10 days. Fees approximately \$7.50 for 9 days.

**Camp Tuxis† (Religious Education Council of Alberta)**

Sylvan Lake  
For information—Religious Education Council,  
301—2, I.O.O.F. Building, Calgary.

A camp for boys of Tuxis groups between 15 and 18 years of age.

**Camp Woods† (Prov. Council of Boy Scouts)**

Sylvan Lake  
For information: Boy Scouts Association,  
31 Dominion Bank Bldg., Edmonton, Tel. 24634

Operated for registered Boy Scouts to obtain Scout training; 4 to 7 one-week camps held each year; fees \$7.00 a week.

#### **Catholic Boys' Camp**

Lac Ste. Anne  
A camp for boys of Roman Catholic faith, between the ages of 8 and 17 years. Fees \$9.00 for 2 weeks, including transportation. Applications should be made through the boy's own parish.

#### **Girl Guide Camps† (Alberta Council)**

For information: Prov. Sec.—Miss Betty Martin,  
~~1420-97 Street, 170-38 - 8 / AVE.~~ Tel. ~~72764~~ 31451  
Girl Guide Camps are held at various points throughout the Province each year, for members of the organization.

#### **Lake Edith Camp† (Y.M.C.A.)**

Lake Edith, Jasper, Alberta.  
For information, apply Y.M.C.A. Tel. 22647  
A vacation camp operated during July and August for young people, adults and families. Tents, cabins, chalet.

#### **Presbyterian Camps (Synod of Alberta)**

Sylvan Lake  
For information: Apply Rev. I. P. MacSween,  
Sylvan, Alberta.  
For Presbyterian boys and girls of Alberta, 11 to 16 years, young people 16 and over, and women. Emphasis upon Bible Study and Christian fellowship in a holiday camp setting. Fees average about \$1.00 a day.

#### **Royal Canadian Sea Cadets Camp† (Navy League of Can.)**

Lake Wabamun  
For information: R.C.S.C. Corps "Warrior"  
c/o H.M.C.S. "Nonsuch" 9722 102 St., Tel. 28644  
A camp for members of Royal Canadian Sea Cadets Corps in Northern Alberta, between ages of 13 and 18 years. Two camps of 2 weeks each—no fee.

#### **Salvation Army Fresh Air Camp†**

Seba Beach—Lake Wabamun  
Applications: Brig. R. Raymer, Tel. 21538  
10030 102 Street,  
A free, interdenominational camp for underprivileged children between the age of 7 and 15 years, who otherwise would not get a holiday. Camp period—one week each party.

#### **Tuxis Moonlight Bay Camp† (Edmo. Boys' Work Board)**

Lake Wabamun, Moonlight Bay  
For information: Harold Sprague, Tel. 21314  
An interdenominational camp for Tuxis boys 10 to 15 years of age. Regular camp period, 10 days. Fees \$1.00 per day.

#### **Y's Men's Camp—Keewaydihin† (Operated by Y.M.C.A.)**

Lake Wabamun  
For information—Y.M.C.A. Boys' Dept., Tel. 28824  
For Northern Alberta boys between 10 and 18 years of age, of good character, and in good health. Non-denominational. Standard camp period—2 weeks. Fees \$18.00 for the 2 weeks, plus transportation. Non-Y.M.C.A. members pay an additional \$1.00 charge.

## CHILD CARE AGENCIES

### Alberta Protestant Home for Children†

10621 92 Street, Tel. 26706  
Cares for Protestant boys and girls between the ages of 4 and 12 years, in good health.

### Beulah Home†

Supt.: Mrs. Mary A. Finlay, Tel. 71086  
101 st & 134 Avenue  
P.O. Box 505, Edmonton,  
A home for the unmarried mother and her child. Prenatal, post-natal and infant care. Emphasis upon Christian reclamation. No restrictions as to race, creed or residence.

### Children's Aid (and Relief Dept.)—Civic

Supt.: F. H. Drayton, Tel. 21275 & 23666  
408 Civic Block,  
Responsible for the protection of children in cases of neglect; probation services for juvenile delinquents. Administration of Mothers' Allowances, etc. Maintains a Children's Shelter and Detention Homes for boys. (See also Relief & Services to Families).

### Edmonton Creche Society†

Matron: Miss Elizabeth Standing, Tel. 27673  
10230 99 Street,  
To provide for children of working mothers, under school age, requiring daily care.

### Good Shepherd Home† (Sisters of Our Lady of Charity)

Superior: Rev. Mother Annunciation, Tel. 72446  
11409 92 Street,  
Shelters girls between 12 and 21 years of age. Open to non-Catholics as well as Catholics, and without restriction as to residence. Also operates as a detention home for girls for the City of Edmonton.

### Kiwanis Children's Home (Kiwanis Children's Aid Soc.)

Applications to Matron—Mrs. Cox, Tel. 81578  
103 Avenue and 120 Street,  
Cares for boys and girls between the ages of 4 and 14 years in normally good physical and mental health. No restrictions as to residence, race or creed.

### Misericordia Creche†

111 Street and 98 Avenue, Tel. 28106  
A home for unmarried mothers before and following confinement. No restrictions as to race, religion or residence.

### O'Connell Institute† (Sisters of Our Lady of Charity)

Superior—Rev. Mother Annunciation, Tel. 28419  
Primrose Place,  
For girls between the ages of 2 and 20 years who are in need of a home. No religious or residential requirements for admission.

### Our Lady of Atonement Home†

Superior: Sister Claire Marie, Tel. 27263  
11035 92 Street,  
Accepts for care boys between the ages of 2 and 12 years, and girls between 2 and 15 years. Operates a kindergarten. No restrictions as to residence, race or religion.

### Public Welfare Department—Provincial

Deputy Minister of Welfare: A. A. Mackenzie,  
Administration Building, 109 Street,

### Child Welfare Commission

Chairman: C. B. Hill, Tel. 916258  
Administration Bldg., 109 Street,  
Administers the Alberta Child Welfare Act. Responsible for the care of neglected and delinquent children, adoptions, supervision of immigrant children. General supervisory function with respect to all child care organizations in the Province.

### Mothers' Allowances

Superintendent: T. R. Blaine, Tel. 916260  
Administration Bldg., 109 Street  
Provides allowances to mothers applying and eligible under the Mothers' Allowance Act of Alberta.

(See also Departmental listings under Family Welfare and Relief; Boarding Homes, Refuges, Hostels, etc.; Veterans and Service Personnel.)

### St. John's House† (Church of England)

Sister-in-charge: Sister Isabel, Tel. 72991  
11714 92 Street,  
To provide a home and shelter for unmarried mothers.

**St. Mary's Home† (Sisters of Providence)**

Superior: Sister Mary Dorothy,  
6780 128 Avenue,  
Cares for boys between the ages of 3 and 15 years.  
No religious or residential requirements for admission.

Tel. 78691

**EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT**

**Canadian Corps of Commissioners**

Tel. 22294

220 Kresge Building,  
Endeavours to place in gainful occupation, men who have seen active service and been honourably discharged from any branch of His Majesty's Service, the Merchant Navy, and Allied Forces. (See also Veterans and Service Personnel).

**Canadian Vocational Training (Federal Dept. of Labour, and Provincial Dept. of Education)**

Regional Director: J. H. Ross,  
217 8 Ave., W., Calgary.  
Field Office: T. G. Thompson,  
Redwood Bldg., Edmonton,

Tel. 29281

Responsible for training unemployed persons referred by the Employment offices of the Unemployment Insurance Commission and Selective Service. Activities also include—in addition to vocational training for Ex-Service personnel, provision of grants which are available to nurses, teachers, and others taking university courses. (See also—Services to Veterans and Service Personnel.)

**Employment & Selective Service Offices (Dept. of Labour)**

Tel. 27191

10013 101A ave., (Weber Bldg.)  
A national employment service equipped to assist men and women to obtain suitable jobs, and employers to secure workers. Special Placements Section to meet the needs of handicapped workers. (See Handicapped). See also—Unemployment Insurance Commission.

**Goodwill Industries† (All People's Mission)**

Bissell Memorial Institute, 96 St., & 103A Ave.  
Clothing, furniture, etc., collected by the organization may be obtained by those in need of such articles in return for sewing or other service in the workroom, given in payment. No restrictions as to religion or race. For information, call Mrs. J. T. Stephens. (Also operates an Employment Bureau) Tel. 21283

**Salvation Army†**

**Social Service Headquarters**  
Supt.: Major Harold Martin,  
10268 97 Street,

Tel. 26875

Maintains an Employment Service for men.

**Women's Home (Salvation Army)**

Supt.: Major A. King,  
10528 98 Street,  
Tel. 24603  
Maintains an Employment Service for women.  
(See also Boarding Homes and Residences, etc.)

**Sisters of Service Residential Club†**

Superior: Sister Edna Deland,  
9919 105 Street,  
Tel. 26487  
Conducts an employment bureau for girls.  
(See also Boarding Homes, Residences, etc.)

**Unemployment Insurance Commission (Dept. of Labour)**

10013 101A Ave., (Weber Bldg.) Tel. 27191  
Registers insured persons and receives claims for  
benefits under the Unemployment Insurance Act. (See  
also Employment and Selective Service Offices).

**FAMILY WELFARE AND RELIEF SERVICES**

**Chinese Association**

For Information—Mr. Bing Mah,  
10310 97 Street,  
Tel. 25850  
A fraternal and benevolent organization for Chinese  
people.

**Council of Jewish Women† (Community Welfare Com.)**

Chairman: Mrs. M. Gofsky,  
10240 122 Street,  
Tel. 25260  
Gives financial aid to needy individuals and families  
of Jewish faith. The council also sends clothing to  
needy refugees at Upper Creek. (See also—Services  
to Service Personnel, and Unclassified).

**Debtors' Assistance Board (Prov. of Alberta)**

Chairman: N. G. Meldrum,  
Prov. Bldg., 101A Ave. & 100A St.,  
Tel. 25126  
To advise and assist debtors in adjusting their debts  
and in working out satisfactory arrangements with  
their creditors for the settlement of debts, in accord-  
ance with the Provincial Act for the Assistance of  
Debtors. (See also Veterans and Service Personnel  
section).

**Diocesan Council for Social Service† (Church of England)**

Secretary: Rev. L. M. Watts, 7711 F. S. Rowse LL  
11784-92 Street, 10335-123 St. Tel. 74132  
To centralize the social work of the churches in the  
Edmonton Diocese of the Church of England through  
the co-operation of the clergy. Clothing emergency  
food, books and toys provided.

**Elks Lodge**

Exalted Ruler: C. L. Olsen,  
8910 Jasper Ave.,  
Tel. 21595

A benevolent organization looking first to the wel-  
fare of its own members and their families. Also  
interested in camping for boys, Christmas work, and  
Save the Children's Fund of Canada and Great  
Britain.

**Family Allowances Branch (Dept. of National Health  
and Welfare)**

Regional Director: H. C. L. Gillman,  
New Market Building,  
Tel. 21357  
Administers Family Allowances in the Province of  
Alberta, through which regular cash grants are made  
to eligible families towards the maintenance, care,  
training, education and advancement of children.  
Applications for registration under the Act should  
be made at the above address.



**Family Welfare Bureau†**

Executive Director: Miss Margaret Dick, Tel. 26671  
10126 100 St., (Canada Permanent Bldg.)  
A casework service available to Service and civilian families, where homes are threatened or broken due to disharmony, desertion, poor housekeeping, delinquency, insufficient income, or any other cause so serious that the family needs outside counsel.

**Hope Mission**

Supt.: ~~Rev. H. Edvardson~~, Tel. 22018  
10519 101 Street,  
Gives emergency food and shelter to needy families and transients, also clothing and household necessities. No restrictions as to creed or residence.

**I.O.D.E.† (Edmonton Municipal Chapter)**

Child and Family Convener—Mrs. R. B. Clifton, Tel. 27888  
9704 105 Street,  
Gives emergency and supplementary relief to needy families recommended by established social agencies and Civic Relief Department. Special interest in blind cases. (See Canadian National Institute for the Blind—Handicapped). Also assists needy maternity cases referred by the Public Health Nursing Branch, Provincial Dept. of Public Health. (See also Camps, Recreation, Veterans Services).

**Public Welfare Department—Provincial**

Dep. Minister of Public Welfare: A. A. Mackenzie,  
Administration Bldg., 109 Street.

**Family Welfare and Relief Services**

Director: A. H. Miller, Tel. 916446  
Administration Bldg.,  
Provides relief for needy families having residence in Improvement Districts, and Provincial transients.

**Single Men's Division**

Director: W. A. R. Rees, Tel. 916478  
Administration Bldg.,  
Maintains hostels at Ogdén, Calgary and the Old Immigration Hall, Edmonton; welfare camps at Gunn and Evansburg, to provide for old men that are provincial responsibilities and transients, also municipal cases by arrangement.

**Public Welfare Department—Provincial  
Metis Rehabilitation**

Supervisor: A. C. McCully, Tel. 916274  
Administration Bldg.,  
In charge of the administration of the five Metis colonies in the Province.

**Old Age Pension Board**

Chairman: R. Wilding, Tel. 916390  
Superintendent: A. Blackie, Tel. 916479  
Administration Building.

Administers the Provincial Old Age Pensions Act. (See also—Department listings under Child Care; Veterans and Service Personnel; Boarding Homes).

**Red Cross Society—Canadian****Welfare Department and Junior Red Cross**

Supt: Mrs. Etta Marshall, Tel. 25478  
New Market Bldg., 102 Ave.,  
Maintains a visiting housekeeper service. Provides layettes and clothing in special circumstances, and gives emergency assistance in case of disaster until Government agencies can act.

**Relief (and Children's Aid Department)—Civic**

Superintendent—F. H. Drayton, Tel. 21275 & 23666  
408 Civic Block,  
Provides maintenance for indigent citizens and their families. Assists in rehabilitation; administers Dependents' Allowances and Mothers' Allowances, where necessary. Provides medical care and hospitalization when needed.

**Salvation Army†**

Divisional Commander: Brig. R. Raymer, Tel. 21538  
10030 102 Street,  
Edmonton Citadel Corps: Adj. Ivan Halsey, Tel. 26862  
9536 106A Ave.,  
South Edmonton Corps: Capt. J. Bahmann, Tel. 32427  
8111 105 Street,  
Alberta Avenue Corps: Maj. James Martin, Tel. 71693  
12226 95 Street,  
Public Relations Dept: Maj. Geo. Jones.

**Social Service Headquarters**

Supt: Major Harold Martin, Tel. 26875  
10268 97 Street,  
Relief for families and transients, prisoners' welfare, probation work, assistance to the aged. Industrial store and salvage. (See also Boarding Homes, Refuges, etc; Employment; Camps; Veterans.)

#### Workmen's Compensation Board

Secretary: F. D. Noble,  
Provincial Building, 101A Avenue, Tel. 27151  
To receive and adjudicate claims for compensation and medical treatment for personal injury suffered by employees in the course of or arising out of, employment in industries and businesses to which the Alberta Workmen's Compensation Act applies. The Board has exclusive jurisdiction in the administration of the Act.

#### HANDICAPPED

##### Canadian National Institute for the Blind†—Northern Alberta Branch

Executive: Heward E. Willson,  
Court House, Tel. 26363

To ameliorate the conditions of the blind and to prevent blindness. Recreation, education through home teaching. Some assistance supplementary to pensions or relief. Social service in adjusting the individual to home or community. Library and publishing department. Employment of blind persons, and sale of their products. Concession stands. (See also Veterans' Services.)

##### I.O.D.E.† (Edmonton Municipal Chapter)

Convener for the Blind—Mrs. E. J. Adin,  
7307 106 Street, Tel. 31189

Provides supplementary assistance and service to cases recommended by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, Northern Alberta Branch.

##### Employment and Selective Service Offices— (Special Placements Section)

Officer in Charge of Section: Wm. J. Cubitt,

10019 101A Avenue, 27191  
To provide physically and vocationally handicapped persons with vocational guidance and placement in suitable employment.

##### Mental Hospital—Ponoka (Prov. Dept. of Health)

See Health Services Section.

##### Mental Institute—Oliver (Prov. Dept. of Health)

See Health Services Section.

##### Training School—Red Deer (Prov. Dept. of Health)

See Health Services Section.

#### HEALTH, NURSING SERVICES AND HOSPITALS

##### Board of Health—Civic

Medical Officer: Dr. G. M. Little, Tel. 27121  
Civic Block,  
Sanitary supervision of all water, milk and other food supplies. General sanitation of community. Control of communicable disease. Immunization. Child welfare. Pre-natal and post-natal care.

##### Cancer Diagnostic Clinic (Prov. Dept. of Health)

Director: Dr. Egerton Pope, Tel. 25261  
Prov. Bldg., 101A Ave. and 100A St.,  
Provides free diagnostic examinations for patients referred by physicians; free hospitalization for diagnostic period (not exceeding 14 days); X-rays, radium treatments and surgical operations free if authorized in writing by Cancer Diagnostic Clinic.

##### Child Welfare Clinic

Nurse-in-Charge: Miss Blanche Emerson, Tel. 21555  
New Market Bldg., 9938 102 Ave.,  
A well-baby clinic operated by the Provincial Department of Health and the Civic Board of Health for infants and pre-school children.

##### Department of Public Health of Alberta

Minister, Health and Welfare: Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross,  
Deputy Minister of Health: Dr. M. R. Bow,  
Administration Building, 109 Street, Tel. 916208  
Promotes health education and provides, through various divisions, public health services throughout the Province where not covered by the municipalities. In addition to mental hospitals, social hygiene, tuberculosis, cancer, child welfare, and guidance clinics—listed separately in this Directory—the Department maintains divisions responsible for control of communicable diseases, inspection of hospitals, sanitation, public health nursing services, tuberculosis sanatoria, vital statistics and other health services.

##### General Hospital (Grey Nuns)

Superior: Sister Mary O'Grady,  
111 Street and Jasper Avenue, Tel. 24131  
A general hospital and tuberculosis sanatorium. School of nursing.

#### **Guidance Clinic (Prov. Dept. of Health)**

Psychiatrist-in-Charge: Dr. A. Ralph Schrag,  
Prov. Bldg., 101A Ave., and 100A St., Tel. 22632  
To promote mental health and to increase mental efficiency by early diagnosis and treatment of mental, educational and conduct problems. Guidance regarding the management of children of superior, normal or inferior intelligence. Also serves adults. Services may include social history, psychological, physical and psychiatric examinations. Available to anyone.

#### **Junior Hospital League**

President: Mrs. Alan Lobsinger,  
2 Wellington Crescent, Tel. 81320  
Provides a teacher for the children's ward at University Hospital, also clothing as needed by older children in the Ward: special equipment for the Hospital from time to time; layettes.

#### **Misericordia Hospital**

Superior: Sister St. Christine,  
111 Street and 98 Avenue, Tel. 28106  
A general hospital and school of nursing. No children except in private rooms.

#### **Nurses Registry (Edmonton Dist. No. 7, Alta. Assoc.)**

Registrar: Mrs. W. A. MacKay, R.N.  
11113 87 Avenue, Tel. 32681  
Supplies special nurses for acutely ill patients; nurses for general duty in hospitals, doctors' offices and other fields of nursing. Also registry for approved practical nurses and for nurses trained in mental hospitals.

#### **Nutrition Council—Edmonton**

Chairman: Miss Ada A. Lent,  
5 Chatham Apts., 10033 107 St., Tel. 22522  
To give leadership in, direct, and assist where possible, in any activities which aim to promote better nutrition in the community. Dissemination of nutrition information, providing leaders for study groups, sponsoring guest speakers, etc.

#### **Out-Patients Dept. of University Hospital**

Director: Mrs. E. O. Porritt,  
Prov. Bldg., 10048 101A Ave., Tel. 22781  
To provide medical and surgical care for patients whose financial circumstances do not permit them to engage a private physician. Patients make own arrangements for payment of hospital bills.

#### **Provincial Mental Hospital (Prov. Dept. of Health)**

Physician in Charge: Dr. Randall R. MacLean,  
Ponoka, Alberta.  
For Information: Deputy Minister of Health,  
Administration Bldg., Edmonton, Tel. 916208  
A hospital for the care and treatment of mentally disordered persons who are residents of Alberta. Non-residents admitted only in emergencies and on a temporary basis. Does not serve children.

#### **Provincial Mental Institute (Prov. Dept. of Health)**

Medical Supt: Dr. W. J. McAlister,  
Oliver, Alberta, Tel. 91721  
A continued treatment hospital, principally for chronic psychotic patients, but also accepts mental defectives. Pre-adolescents not accepted, and early adolescents only in an emergency and for a limited time.

#### **Provincial Training School (Prov. Dept. of Health)**

Medical Supt: Dr. D. L. McCullough,  
Red Deer, Alberta.  
Admits mentally defective persons of both sexes and all degrees of deficiency, between the ages of 5 and 18 years. (Age restrictions waived in cases of extreme emergency). Patients are segregated according to degree of deficiency and physical capacity as follows: those needing great physical care; those of low grade, incapable of training other than eliminative control; younger high grade cases capable of sense training; older, high grade cases capable of regular Grade School training; and higher grade older cases, capable of domestic and farm training to enable them to return to civilian life.

#### **Red Cross Society (Canadian)**

##### **Welfare Dept. and Junior Red Cross**

Supt: Mrs. Etta Marshall, Tel. 25478  
New Market Bldg., 102 Ave.  
Conducts health education programmes through the Junior Red Cross. Provides emergency assistance in case of disaster, until Governmental relief agencies can act; sick room supplies, layettes and clothing; invalids' wheel chairs on loan. (See also Family Welfare and Relief Services.)

##### **Royal Alexandra Hospital**

Supt: Dr. A. F. Anderson,  
102 St., and 111 Ave., Tel. 21171  
A general hospital and school of nursing, owned by City of Edmonton and operated by Edmonton Hospital Board. Isolation Hospital on same grounds and under same management. Operates a Social Service Department.

**St. John Ambulance Association†**

Prov. Secretary: Mrs. E. C. Pardee,  
316 Tegler Building,

Tel. 25777

Instruction in rendering first aid in cases of accident or sudden illness, and in the transportation of the sick or injured. Classes of instruction in First Aid or Home Nursing are open to anyone. Special Classes are arranged for schools, industrial or other groups, when requested.

**St. Joseph's Hospital**

Superior: Sister Mary Martin,  
8210 107 Street,

Tel. 33186

Cares for convalescents and incurables, chronics, aged and infirm, and a few crippled children. Mental cases not accepted. No restrictions as to age, denomination or nationality.

**School Medical Service (Public Schools)**

Medical Inspector: Dr. G. E. Swallow,  
Head Nurse: Miss R. Anderson,  
5th Floor Civic Block,

Tel. 21127

Provides complete physical examination of children upon entry to school, and in Grades IV and VII. Annual survey conducted in Grades II, III, IV and VI. Dental work is provided for those children of school age who are unable to pay a private dentist.

**School Medical Services (Separate Schools)**

Medical Inspector: Dr. J. Herbert Conroy,  
Nurse: Miss G. MacCormack,

St. Mary's School, 103 Street,  
Tel. 26261

Provides complete physical examination grades one and six. Inspection of Public, High and Commercial pupils. Attention to correction of dental and eye-sight defects.

**Social Hygiene Division (Prov. of Alberta)**

Director: Dr. Harold Orr,  
Prov. Building, 10048 101A Ave.,

Tel. 22714

Clinic for the diagnosis and treatment of venereal diseases and for public health education. All treatment free. Separate entrances and waiting rooms for men and women. Hours 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**Tuberculosis Clinic (Prov. Dept. of Health)**

Medical Supt: Dr. G. R. Davison,  
General Hospital, 111 St., & 100 Ave.,

Tel. 23342

A free Clinic operated by the Provincial Tuberculosis Division, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2 p.m., for patients referred by a physician. Services of a registered nurse for prevention and follow-up work and related activities provided by the Kinsmen Club.

**University of Alberta Hospital**

Supt: Dr. A. C. McGugan,  
112 St., & 85 Ave.,

Tel. 28171

A general hospital and School of Nursing. Col. Mewburn Pavilion for War Veterans under supervision of Dr. McGugan and the Department of Veterans' Affairs. Orthopaedic treatment a specialty.

A Women's Auxiliary renders assistance to the hospital. President, Mrs. W. A. R. Kerr, 10249 133 Street, Telephone 83807.

**Victorian Order of Nurses†**

Supervisor: Mrs. W. J. Sellhorn,  
309 Civic Block,

Tel. 23522

For the provision of bed-side nursing care of the sick; prevention of disease; promotion of health. Gives pre-natal and post-natal care and assists pre-natal classes; assistance at confinements and operations; surgical dressings. Everyone eligible for care.

## RECREATION, EDUCATION AND NEIGHBOURHOOD ACTIVITIES

### All People's Mission† (United Church of Canada)

Supt: Rev. J. T. Stephens,  
10708 93 Street,

Tel. 21283

Conducts church and neighbourhood activities through mission centres of the Home Mission Board at:  
Bissell Institute—103A Ave., and 96 Street.  
Buchanan—88 St., and 122 Ave.  
Beverly and Forest Heights.  
(See also Camps and Employment).

### Allied Arts Council

Corr. Sec.: Mrs. Milwyn Adams-Davies,  
11005 89 Avenue,

Tel. 34262

Organized primarily to mobilize the artistic talent of Edmonton to assist in War Services, the services of the Council are also available to community organizations to help with their programmes and to assist in promoting community projects. The Council is composed of committees on theatre and drama, music, graphic arts, and radio, with conveners who organize the workers in those fields for the different projects undertaken. (See also Veterans and Services Personnel.)

### Boy Scouts Association† (Edmonton District Council)

Dist. Commissioner: Vernon Pearson  
31 Dominion Bank Bldg., Edmonton,

Tel. 916485  
Tel. 24634

To develop good citizenship among boys by training in observation, obedience, self-reliance, loyalty, and thoughtfulness for others; teaching services useful to the public and handicrafts useful to themselves; and promoting physical, mental and spiritual development. Cub Packs—8 to 12 years; Scout Troops, 12 to 18 years; Rover Crews, 18 to 25 years. (See also Camps).

### Canadian Girls In Training† (Edm. Girls' Work Board)

Pres: Mrs. K. L. Ford,  
11115 65 Street,

Tel. 73054

A programme of varied activities and religious education representing a fellowship of the 'teen-age girls of the churches of Canada. Its objective is to train girls in democratic, Christian living. It stands for a spirit of comradeship, crystallizes the purpose of the girl and gives it social reinforcement.

### Canadian Handicraft Guild (Edmonton Branch)

Pres: Mrs. Herbert Paterson,  
10240 133 Street,

Tel. 81447

To encourage, retain, revive and develop Canadian handicrafts and art industries; to encourage and preserve any such crafts and industries possessed by new settlers; to provide instruction in and proper direction for such arts, industries and crafts, and to aid people skilled in them by providing markets for their products. Arranges exhibits of work. Membership \$1.00 a year.

### Catholic Youth Organizations

Diocesan Director: Rev. C. J. Foran,  
8317 105 Street,

Tel. 32407

To provide activities of a spiritual, educational, recreational and social nature for Catholic Youth Organizations within practically all City parishes.

### Children's Work Board—Edmonton (R.E.C.A.)

Chairman: Mrs. A. E. Davies,  
11928 85 Street,

Tel. 71869

To encourage activities in churches for children of kindergarten and junior ages, also to assist in the organization and operation of Vacation Schools in Northern Alberta, and to promote and oversee Explorer Groups. Inter-denominational, co-operating with all local churches. (See also Vacation Schools page 25.)

### Council for Adult Education—Edmonton

For Information: Leonard Bercuson,  
Terrace Building,

Tel. 25090

To encourage the organization of educational opportunities for adults in any field where there appears to be a need. Sponsors classes in a wide variety of subjects, film forums, and special speakers.

### Federation of Community Leagues

President: D. K. Lewis,  
7866 Jasper Ave.,

Tel. 27509

A central council of 23 district or community leagues of the City, organized by the residents of these communities on a non-sectarian, non-political, and entirely voluntary basis. Primary interests—promotion of educational and recreational facilities and activities, and the general improvement of civic welfare.

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Federation of Community Leagues (Cont. from page 21.)

The affiliated community leagues are:

Alberta Avenue	Sec. A. C. Hopwood, 11734 93 St.
Bellevue	Sec. R. Faulkner, 11308 71 St.
Bonnie Doon	Sec. Mrs. A. Hartley, 8709 92A St.
Calder	Sec. Mrs. J. Troughton, 12715 121 St.
Central	Sec. A. P. Aitken, 10723 108 St.
Cloverdale	Sec. Mrs. Campbell, 9731 92 St.
Cromdale	Sec. E. MacDonald, 7915 112 Ave.
Eastwood	Sec. Mrs. W. T. Rice, 11642 86 St.
Forest Heights	Sec. S. A. Moore, Sub. P.O. No. 9
Garneau	Sec. C. M. McLeod, 11054 84 Ave.
Highlands	Sec. S. Graham, 11134 64 St.
Jasper Place	Sec. Ralph Treasure, 14208 101 Ave.
King Edward Pk.	Sec. E. Burkholder, 8115 84 Ave.
McCauley	Sec. Mrs. J. Cummings, 11244 93 St.
McKernan Lake	Sec. Mrs. J. Patterson, 11322 79 Ave.
North Edmonton	Sec. Mrs. H. Dinney, 12949 61 St.
Oliver	Sec. E. Shelmerdine, 11803 102 av.
Parkallen	Sec. W. H. Burpee, 10908 71 Ave.
Ritchie	Sec. Mrs. H. J. Stewart, 9348 69 Ave.
Riverdale	Sec. L. F. Trahan, 9321 Cameron St.
Rossdale	Sec. Miss Gwen Fadden, 9445 100A St.
Scona Centre	Sec. C. Wampler, 10525 83 Ave.
Westmount	Sec. W. H. Hobbins, 10997 129 St.

Girl Guide Association† (Canadian)

Prov. Commissioner: Mrs. E. C. Pardee, Tel. 25777  
12704 102 Ave.,  
Prov. Sec.: Miss Betty F. Martin,  
11120 97 St., Tel. 72354

To develop good citizenship among girls by character building activities. Training in habits of observation, obedience and self-reliance, in useful services and handicrafts. Promotes physical development. Open to girls of every class and creed. Movement is international and world-wide. Brownies, 7 to 11 years; Guides 10 to 16 years; Rangers, 15 to 20 years. Guiders (i.e. Officers) 18 years and over. (See also Camps).

Gyro Playgrounds (Operated by Gyro Club of Edm.)

Chairman Playgrounds Committee—W. H. McKinnon,  
10844 122 Street, Tel. 82129 & 25685  
Summer playgrounds operated under supervision. Located at 114 Street & 103 Avenue; 109 Street and 81 Avenue; 95 Street and 108A Avenue.

Home and School Council—Edmonton

President: Dr. A. G. McCalla,  
11455 University Avenue, Tel. 32482

To promote co-operation and interchange of ideas among affiliated Home and School Associations, and to aid in improving the educational facilities in the City of Edmonton.

The Affiliated Home and School Associations are:

Allendale	Pres. H. A. Engberg,
Forest Heights	Pres. S. G. Douglas,
Garneau	Pres. W. E. Bowser,
King Edward Park	Pres. N. Vaughan,
Mountglen	Pres. E. E. Shaul,
Queen Alexandra	Pres. A. G. McCalla,
Rutherford	Pres. W. H. Hatfield,
University High	Pres. G. B. Sanford,

I.O.D.E. (Edmonton Municipal Chapter)

Education Convener—Mrs. Roy Schroter,  
Bremner, Alberta.

Scholarship awarded annually to the Grade 9 student of highest standing, resident of Edmonton, and most in need of assistance. Also assists in various ways rural schools recommended by the Provincial Inspector of Schools; and sponsors other educational projects from time to time.

#### Little Theatre—Edmonton

For Information: Mrs. R. B. Clifton,  
9704 105 Street, Tel. 27888  
For the development of drama in the community.  
Anyone interested in amateur theatre is eligible for  
membership. Fee \$1.00 per year.

#### Museum of Arts—Edmonton

Director—R. W. Hedley,  
9988 102 Avenue, Tel. 28666  
Collects and displays outstanding pictures and other  
works of art; also carries on educational work—  
chiefly drawing and painting—with young people  
and adults. Admission to Museum free. Membership  
fee \$2.00 individual; \$5.00 family.

#### Public Library (Edmonton)

Librarian: Hugh C. Gourlay, Tel. 21295  
Main Library: Macdonald Drive, Tel. 32947  
Strathcona Library: 104 St. & 84 Ave.,  
Circulation, Reference and Public Information Ser-  
vices provided; also special corner of books for teen-  
agers; Children's Room for boys and girls between  
6 and 14 years, and for parents of pre-school children.  
Book talks and story hours given to children's groups  
on request. Musical programmes in Main Library  
three nights weekly, and in Borden Park twice weekly.

#### Street Car Library—3 to 9 p.m.

Tuesdays—124 St. & 112 Ave.  
Wednesdays—Opposite Swift's Packing Plant.  
Fridays—Calder and Sherbrooke (end of car line).

#### Recreation Commission (City of Edmonton)

Supervisor: J. B. McGuire,  
c/o City Engineer's Office,  
Civic Block,

Tel. 27037  
To advise the City Council regarding the development  
of City parks, playgrounds and sports centres, to  
co-operate with existing organizations promoting re-  
creation to the end that the most effective use may  
be made of all recreational facilities.

#### Royal Canadian Sea Cadets† (Navy League of Canada)

R.C.S.C. Corps "Warrior",  
c/o H.M.C.S. "Nonsuch",  
9722 102 Street, Tel. 28644  
A movement to provide educational activities, dis-  
cipline and youth training for boys 13 to 18 years.

#### Swimming Pools—Civic

Outdoor swimming pools open to the general public  
are maintained by the City as follows:  
West End: 119 St., & 103 Ave., Supt. C. B. Mathison,  
Tel. 83222.  
South Side: Queen Elizabeth Park, Supt. D. Sissons,  
Tel. 32592.  
East End: Borden Park, Supt. G. Dixon, Tel. 73122.  
Hours: 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fees ranging from 5c to 25c  
per swim.

#### Tuxis Boys' Work Board† (Edmonton & District)

Chairman: Harold Sprague, Tel. 21314  
10135 100A Street,  
To encourage group activities in churches for boys  
9 to 17 years. Inter-denominational co-operating with  
all local churches. (See also Camps).

#### Ukrainian Canadian Association

Prov. Sec.: William Halina,  
10628 96 Street, Tel. 21492  
To develop Ukrainian culture as an integral part of  
the culture of Canada and to educate Ukrainian  
Canadians in the spirit of goodwill and unity with all  
Canadian people. Activities supporting civil liberties  
and economic advancement of all Canadians.

#### Vacation Schools (Edmonton Children's Work Board)

Chairman of Edmonton Board: Mrs. A. E. Davies,  
11928 85 Street, Tel. 71869  
Provide a recreational and informal educational pro-  
gramme for children between 3 and 14 years of age.  
Usually held in the mornings only, for a period of  
ten days during the summer. Organized through the  
churches, with the assistance of the Children's Work  
Board. Undenominational and non-sectarian.

#### Young Men's Christian Association†

General Secretary: Clark Ready, Tel. 22647  
Central "Y" — 102A Ave., & 100A St., Tel. 21627  
Mountglen Community "Y"—Westglen High School.  
To promote the physical, educational, moral and  
religious welfare of young men and boys. "Mount-  
glen" also serves women and girls. Physical education,  
crafts, hobbies, educational character building pro-  
gramme. (See also—Camps; Boarding Homes and Resi-  
dences; Services to Veterans).

#### Young Women's Christian Association†

General Secretary: Mrs. Cora T. Casselman,  
10032 103 Street, Tel. 25643

Serves young women and girls. Provides classes and clubs, religious education and social activities; health education including gymnastics, swimming, dancing and archery; and promotes service and educational projects. Maintains a cafeteria, residence, rooms registry and Travellers' Aid. (See also Veterans; Boarding Homes, etc.)

#### Youth Hostel Association—Canadian

Pres. Edmonton Committee: Tom Davidson,  
c/o St. Stephen's College, Tel. 31631 or 31129

To help people to travel by providing inexpensive overnight accommodation under supervision, bicycle trails, footpaths, and other aids to those wishing to travel "under their own steam". Special activities sponsored include cycle trips, hikes, canoeing, horse-back riding, skating, sleigh rides, toboggan parties and outdoor activities of all kinds. Membership fees \$1.00 year for those under 21 years of age; \$2.00 for those 21 and over. No racial, creed or class distinction.

#### VETERANS AND SERVICE PERSONNEL SERVICES

##### Air Force Benevolent Fund

Chairman: James Walker,  
Canadian Bank of Commerce, Tel. 23401  
To assist personnel and ex-personnel of the R.C.A.F. or their dependents who are in financial need through sickness or other misfortune, supplementing assistance available through Government agencies. Where repayment can be made assistance given is generally by way of a loan but in cases of destitution grants are given. Loans are also made up to \$300 to ex-personnel of the Air Force who are taking University Courses, provided repayment can be arranged before the following University term.

##### Allied Arts Council

Corr. Sec.: Mrs. Milwyn Adams-Davies,  
11005 89 Avenue, Tel. 34262  
Organized to mobilize the artistic talent of Edmonton to assist in War Services, the Council engages in numerous activities in this field including entertainment of service personnel. The Council is composed of committees on theatre and drama, music, graphic arts, and radio. (See also—Recreation).

##### Army and Navy Veterans (Edmonton Unit)

President: H. D. Lynn,  
11913 95A Street, Tel. 72758  
Interested in the welfare of veterans. Maintains a club room.

##### Bulletin Not-Forgotten Fund

Business Manager: Robt. J. Robb,  
c/o Edmonton Bulletin, 9845 Jasper Ave., Tel. 26121  
A fund raised each year through the Bulletin to provide Christmas gifts for men in military wards of hospitals.

##### Canadian Corps of Commissioners

220 Kresge Building, Tel. 22294  
Endeavours to place in gainful occupation, men who have seen active service and have been honourably discharged from any branch of his Majesty's Service, the Merchant Navy, and Allied Forces. (See also Employment).



**Canadian Legion—B.E.S.L.**

Secretary-Manager: W. J. Williams,  
Welfare Officer: H. C. Tickner,  
Memorial Hall,

Tel. 25231

**South Side Branch**

Secretary: W. S. Rose,  
104 St., and Whyte Ave.,

Tel. 31908

Serves members of the Armed Forces, Veterans and their families. Assists with problems relating to the establishment of rights and benefits—adjustment of pensions, allowances, treatment, re-establishment, employment, etc.

**Family Welfare Bureau†**

*MARGARET DISK*

Executive Director: Miss ~~Kathleen Johnson~~,  
10126 100 Street, (Can. Perm. Bldg.), Tel. 26671  
Provides a casework service for families where homes are threatened and outside counsel is needed. See page 12 for greater detail.

**Canadian National Institute for the Blind† (Northern**

**Alberta Branch)**

Executive—~~Howard Wilton~~, **W.E. MILTON**

Court House, Edmonton,

Tel. 26363

Provides continued care for veterans in making the mental and emotional adjustments to loss of sight; advanced academic training and handicrafts, as well as room and board during hospitalization and training. Placement in occupation. Reimbursed for services by Federal Government. (See also Handicapped).

**Canadian Vocational Training (Federal Dept. of Labour and Prov. Dept. of Education)**

Regional Director: J. H. Ross,  
217 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta.

Edmonton School: J. H. Higgins,  
101 Street, Edmonton,

Tel. 22875

Field Office: T. G. Thompson,  
Redwood Bldg., 113 Street,

Tel. 29281

Provides, for Ex-service personnel referred by Rehabilitation Boards, vocational training in a wide variety of occupations, by means of pre-employment classes, training "on the job", apprenticeships, and correspondence courses. Also conducts pre-matriculation classes, and provides grants available to those taking training as nurses, teachers and other approved instruction at university. (See also—Employment).

**Central Committee of War Auxiliaries**

President: Mrs. G. E. Goodall,  
11524 93 Street,

Tel. 71822

To centralize and co-ordinate the activities of 17 local Women's War Auxiliaries. Provision of comforts and general promotion of activities designed to further the well being of Service Personnel.

**Citizens' Rehabilitation Council of Edmonton**

Secretary: A. Storm,  
Redwood Building,  
113 Street & Jasper Ave.,

Tel. 28739

To assist Government authorities in the successful carrying out of its Rehabilitation Plan and to co-ordinate the activities of community organizations providing services designed to assist war veterans to re-establish themselves satisfactorily in the Community.

**Council of Jewish Women (Edmonton Section)**

President: Mrs. L. A. Miller,

Tel. 82032

13108 103 Ave.,  
Collection of magazines for distribution to service personnel; also provides comforts and other articles for the troops. (See also; Family Welfare and Relief.)

**Department of Veterans' Affairs ("R" District,)**

(Dominion Government)

Acting District Administrator—F. T. Pinnell.

Chief Medical Officer—Dr. D. R. Easton.

District Supt. of Rehabilitation—D. E. Mould.

Redwood Building,  
113 Street & Jasper Avenue,

Tel. 29281

The Department administers all measures relating to the care, treatment, training and re-establishment in civil life of veterans and of any persons who have otherwise engaged in pursuits relating to the War, who have entitlement under Dominion Legislation. It also administers the pensions of veterans and their dependents, and will administer the Veterans' Insurance Act. Maintains close liaison with Employment and Selective Service Offices, Canadian Vocational Training and the University of Alberta Committee on Student Rehabilitation. Also acts as investigational agent for the Dependents' Allowance Board upon request.

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**Department of Veterans' Affairs (Continued)**

Medical Care & Treatment—Dr. D. R. Easton.  
Pensions—Medical Examiner—Dr. C. E. Anderson.  
Advocate—A. E. Dean.  
Re-establishment Credit—H. R. Herbert.  
District Solicitor—D. G. Masson.  
Special Services Officer—Walter McLaren.  
Employment—W. C. Hobbins.  
District Treasury Officer—J. Kerwick.

**Soldier Settlement of Canada & Veterans' Land Act Brch.**

District Supt.: H. Allam, Tel. 22251  
9901 Jasper Avenue,  
Edmonton Reg. Supt.: J. W. C. Burns,  
Williamson Block, Tel. 26214

Administers the Veterans' Land Act through which financial assistance may be arranged in accordance with the Act, for veterans planning to engage in full-time farming, small holding settlement with part-time farming, or commercial fishing. Veteran's first point of contact—The Regional office nearest to the place where he seeks to become established. Regional Officers in Alberta are located at Edmonton, Calgary, Red Deer, Lethbridge, St. Paul, Grande Prairie and Peace River.

**Dependents' Regional Advisory Committee**

(Dependents' Board of Trustees)

Secretary: Miss Kathleen Lind, Tel. 28881  
301 Agency Building,  
A Committee of the Dependents' Board Trustees, Department of National Defence set up (1) to receive, investigate and review for recommendation to the Board, applications for supplementary grants available to dependents of men in the Navy, Army and Airforce, under the rank of Warrant Officer Class 1, if there is emergent or special need which cannot be met without hardship out of the statutory dependents' allowance. (2) to give advice and assistance (non-financial) to dependents on other problems, in co-operation with existing government and social welfare organizations.

**Debtor's Assistance Board (Prov. of Alberta)**

Chairman: N. G. Meldrum, Tel. 25126  
Prov. Bldg., 101A Ave. & 100A St.,  
Advises enlisted persons regarding the handling of financial difficulties and debts, and their rights and protections under the "Soldiers' Relief Act," and other related legislation. (See also Family Welfare & Relief).

**I.O.D.E. (Edmonton Municipal Chapter)**

Convener Ex-Service Men's Ctte—Mrs. W. A. Millar,  
8009 112 Street, Tel. 31543

Maintains a general interest and concern in all matters relating to the welfare of service and ex-service personnel. Visiting of hospitalized service men, and providing patients with comforts and treats.

**Poppy Day Fund (Administered by Canadian Legion)**

Memorial Hall, Tel. 25231  
Collects and distributes funds for the relief of ex-servicemen and women of the Allied forces who served in World Wars I and II.  
Trustees: R. C. Arthurs, M.C.; A. Riddell and M. Downey.

**Red Cross Society (American)**

Field Director: George Schroeder,  
102 Street & Portage Ave., Tel. 74220 and 74147  
To meet all needs of American soldiers and their families. Clearing centre for six major Field Directors' offices in Canada and Alaska. Handles enquiries pertaining to the health and welfare of American soldiers and their families; verification of need for emergency furlough; loans or grants to American soldiers or their families residing here; aid to veterans of U.S. Armed Forces.

**Red Cross (Canadian)**

Secretary-Manager: Robert Muir, Tel. 22946  
606 Tegler Building,  
Provides advice and assistance in emergencies to ex-servicemen and their families; also field comforts, military hospital aid, prisoners-of-war service, assistance to War Brides, Blood Donor Clinic.

**Salvation Army War Services**

Supervisor: Major David Rea, Tel. 28782  
10128 98 Street,  
War Service Hostel for servicemen, beds supplied servicemen returning from overseas. Meeting all trains of returning servicemen. Canteen service, etc. Also assists with arrangement for the care of wives and children of servicemen.

**Student Rehabilitation (University of Alta. Committee)**

Secretary: D. E. Cameron, Tel. 33411  
University of Alberta,  
To advise on eligibility and other matters pertaining to University education for returned members of the forces.

#### **Veterans' Welfare & Advisory Commission (Prov.)**

Chairman: Lieut.-Col. E. Brown, Tel. 916495  
Room 431 Administration Bldg.,  
To advise the Minister of Health and Public Welfare  
on matters pertaining to the welfare of veterans and  
service personnel and of their dependents; to act in  
an advisory capacity to veterans, those still on active  
service, and dependents; also to assist in the co-  
ordination of rehabilitation efforts of civilian organi-  
zations throughout the Province.

#### **War Amputations of Canada (Edmonton Branch)**

President: G. P. Head, Tel. 26540  
9706 85 Avenue,  
An association of men who lost limbs during the War  
of 1914-1918, which assists Ex-Service men of this  
War, suffering similar disabilities, while endeavouri-  
ng to re-establish themselves.

#### **War Services Council (Northern Alberta)**

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. F. M. Andrews, Tel. 28016  
To co-ordinate all voluntary post-war work for service  
and ex-service personnel in Northern Alberta, to  
create new enterprises in this field when these are  
deemed necessary, and to distribute such work among  
voluntary organizations. Provides recreation, enter-  
tainment and comforts for convalescent servicemen  
and ex-servicemen. Registration and issuance of per-  
mits under the War Charities Act is also a function.

#### **Young Men's Christian Association† (Edmonton)**

General Secretary: Clark Ready, Tel. 22647  
10030 102A Avenue,  
Privileges extended to Service men include: over-  
night accommodation in dormitory; use of showers  
and pool; check room service; special periods in gym  
and tank for groups by arrangement; reduced member-  
ship fee for full Physical Department privileges;  
dances twice a week.  
Ex-servicemen may obtain free of charge a six months  
membership entitling them to full "Y" membership  
privileges. (See also—Recreation).

#### **Young Women's Christian Association†**

General Secretary: Mrs. Cora T. Casselman, Tel. 25643  
10032 103 Street,  
Provides a room for Service personnel and friends,  
through the Y.W.C.A. War Services Club; also has  
a Tuesday Club for Servicemen's wives. The Rooms  
Registry helps to find suitable rooms and suites.  
(See also Recreation).

#### **Emergency Shelter Offices (Dominion Government)**

Officer-in-Charge: W. R. Watson, Tel. 22164  
Monarch Building,  
Registers veterans and veterans' families in need of  
housing, and endeavours to alleviate the situation  
respecting lack of shelter for this group.

#### **UNCLASSIFIED**

##### **Alberta Pensioners Society**

President: Edward C. Fisher, Tel. 23687  
101 Strand Theatre Bldg.,  
To promote a national universal system of pensions  
for everybody by blending all pension schemes, priv-  
ate and public, into one system. Particularly interested  
in old age pensions.

##### **American Women's Service Club**

President: Helen L. Forrest, Tel. 22032  
c/o American Red Cross,  
103 Ave., & 100 Street,  
Organized by wives of U.S. Army Personnel to pro-  
mote welfare and comfort of servicemen; assist Ameri-  
can Red Cross; provide comforts and amusement to  
patients in U.S. Hospital in Edmonton.

##### **Business & Professional Women's Club (Edmonton)**

President: Mrs. Margaret Devlin, Tel. 21521  
9358 107A Avenue,  
To improve the status of women in the business and  
professional world; develop leadership qualities,  
further social contacts, provide opportunities for  
hobbies and recreation among women, and provide a  
non-partisan, non-sectarian basis for co-operation.  
Collects and forwards clothing to British women, also  
does handiwork for the Red Cross.

##### **Chamber of Commerce (Senior)**

Executive Secretary: Reg. T. Rose, Tel. 22757  
1 McLeod Building,  
For the promotion and improvement of trade and  
commerce, and the economic, civil and social welfare  
of the people of Edmonton, and vicinity.

##### **Chamber of Commerce (Junior)**

President: J. McIntyre, Tel. 22757  
10019 101A Avenue,  
A non-partisan organization promoting and encourag-  
ing good fellowship among young business and pro-  
fessional men, and the improvement and promotion of  
trade, commerce and civil and social welfare for the  
people of Edmonton and its vicinity.

##### **Citizens' Volunteer Bureau (Women's Voluntary S'vices)**

709 Tegler Building, Tel. 28876  
A centralized registration and placement service for  
persons willing to give voluntary assistance where  
required in social welfare or other service activities.

**Community Chest (Edmonton)**

Executive Secretary: Reg. T. Rose,  
McLeod Building,

Tel. 27646

A co-operative organization of citizens and voluntary social agencies for the collection and administration of funds obtained through an annual joint appeal for the support of the work of the affiliated agencies.

**Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire† (Edmonton Municipal Chapter)**

Municipal Regent: Mrs. W. Stanley Ross,  
10045 148 Street,

Tel. 84044

Sponsors activities of patriotic, educational and social welfare nature. For details see—Camps; Family Welfare and Relief; Handicapped; Recreation, Education etc.; Veterans Services.

**Council of Jewish Women (Edmonton Section)**

President: Mrs. L. A. Miller,  
13108 103 Ave.,

Tel. 82032

To promote joint study and action on community welfare matters among the Jewish women of Edmonton; family welfare; assistance to refugees; war work. (See also Family Welfare & Relief; Services to Veterans and Service Personnel.)

**Council of Social Agencies† (Edmonton)**

Executive Director: Miss Hazelaine S. Bishop,  
Room 709, Tegler Building,

Tel. 27378

To facilitate co-operation between agencies and organizations in the City interested in social welfare problems and in seeking joint action for social betterment. Council activities are primarily directed towards understanding the nature and extent of unmet needs, and planning to meet them, preventing duplication, and improving the quality and distribution of welfare services. 63 member organizations. (See also Social Service Exchange).

**Cosmopolitan Club of Edmonton**

President: J. Thorogood,  
10124 104 Street,

Tel. 24111

A men's service club with special interest in the work of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. Also assists various relief and charitable funds and projects from time to time.

**Gyro Club of Edmonton**

President: Alfred Noak,  
10328 133 Street,

Tel. 81050

Secretary—Roy W. Miller,  
Box 92—

Tel. 26101 and 23398  
A men's service club. Maintains children's playgrounds in Edmonton.

**Kinsmen Club of Edmonton**

President: J. C. Jaeger,  
10237 109 Street,

Tel. 25364

A men's service club, Milk for Britain national welfare project. Major emphasis in local community service—preventive and rehabilitative tuberculosis work. Assists the work of the Alberta Tuberculosis Association and employs a nurse attached to the Tuberculosis Clinic of the Provincial Department of Public Health, from funds raised by the sale of Christmas seals.

**Kiwanis Club**

President: Thornton A. Graham,  
10839 84 Avenue,

Tel. 31464

A men's service club. Principal welfare project—maintenance of the Kiwanis Children's Home, directed by the Kiwanis Children's Aid Society. (See Child Care Agencies.)

**Lions Club of Edmonton**

President: Arthur Young,  
9514 110 Avenue,

Tel. 21777

A men's service club. Principal service project—care of the aged. See Sunset Cottages, Boarding Homes, Residences, etc.

**Local Council of Women**

President: Mrs. Joseph A. Clarke,  
7852 Jasper Avenue,

Tel. 25366

A central council of local women's organizations, for the purpose of joint study and action on community welfare, and other problems of interest to women.

**Optimist Club**

President: S. Wrigglesworth,  
12003 95 Street,

Tel. 72960

A men's service club. Main welfare activities centre around work in behalf of underprivileged boys.

#### Protestant Ministerial Association

President: Rev. J. McBeath Miller,  
1st Presbyterian Church, 105 Street,  
A. voluntary and non-legislative organization of  
ministers of the Protestant denominations in the City.

#### Rotary Club—Edmonton

Executive Secretary: Miss E. Wharton,  
Rotary Office, Macdonald Hotel, Tel. 22095  
A men's service club. Primary interest—work for  
boys. Also assists numerous patriotic, and community  
welfare activities.

#### Social Service Exchange† (Operated by Council of Social Agencies)

709 Tegler Building, Tel. 27378  
A confidential central index of all persons assisted  
by registering Edmonton organizations. Designed to  
prevent duplication of services and promote co-  
operation between the various organizations interested  
in the clients' welfare. A special clearing service is  
provided by the Exchange each year to avoid dupli-  
cation in the distribution of Christmas dinners.

#### University Women's Club of Edmonton

Corr. Sec.: Miss Maimie Simpson, Tel. 31631  
St. Stephen's College,  
To further education in Canada with special regard  
to the needs of women, and to take an interest in  
movements to benefit the community. Contributes to  
graduate scholarships offered by the Canadian Federa-  
tion of University Women, also supports a bursary to  
assist an Alberta girl to commence her University  
course.

#### Catholic Women's League

President: Mrs. P. R. Gaboury, Tel. 82976  
10926 122 Street.  
Sponsors work for local Catholic welfare agencies,  
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