

THE CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY

QUEBEC PROVINCIAL DIVISION

45 BELMONT PARK

MONTREAL.

22nd February, 1926.

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE MANAGER.

General Sir Arthur Currie, LL.D., G.C.M.G., K.C.B., Principal and Vice-Chancellor, McGill University, MONTREAL.

Dear Sir Arthur .-

You have no doubt heard that Mr. W.R. Miller, who has been President of the Canadian Red Cross Society for the past twelve years, has relinquished active office, and I have wondered whether you think it would be a fitting occasion for those of us who were privileged to serve Overseas to express in some way our appreciation of the service rendered by the Red Cross during the War, and since the Armistice.

As you are no doubt aware, the Province of Quebec contributed largely in the supplying of comforts sent to us in France, and has been outstanding in the Dominion of Canada in their active work for returned soldiers since the Armistice. In fact the Province of Quebec is the only Province where all funds collected for the soldiers have been and are still being used for that purpose only.

To our late President, Mr. Miller, much of the credit is due for, not only did he give his whole time to Red Cross work during the years of the War, but he has since then, in spite of ill health, continued in active office.

It has occurred to me that some recognition of these services would be appropriate at the present moment, and I would suggest for your consideration that this take the form of an Album with a letter from yourself duly inscribed at the beginning, and with the signatures afterwards of as many ex-Officers in the Province of Quebec as can possibly be obtained.