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FI SHERIES.

That Mr. Alexander be asked to comment on the sundry suggestions submitted in connection with Fisheries and especially to report on,-

Equipment used by the fishing industry, where it is manufactured, where located, its condition generally, the need for improvement and renewal; also the extent to which local industries can be called upon to provide new or replacement equipment.

What governmental action is deemed necessary and expedient to assure the safeguarding of this industry and in particular adequate propagation of fish. (Include approximate cost covering each recommendation.)

If Japanese were forbidden re-establishment in British Columbia

How many persons would be required to take their place?

In what capacity?

What training would be necessary?

What commercial enterprises, allied to the fishing industries, could be established or expanded? Include estimate of capital and labour requirements.

Would Post-War Re-establishment, in Mr. Alexander's opinion, involve government expenditures, control and guidance? If so, to what extent?

What measures are deemed necessary to insure,

Protection and expansion of sport-fishing, particularly with respect to tourist traffic?

THE POST-WAR REHABILITATION COUNCIL Government of British Columbia

Honourable H.G.T. Perry, M.L.A.
Minister of Education, and Chairman of The
Post-war Rohabilitation Council.

FUNCTIONS OF THE INTER-DEPARTMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Victoria, B.C. August, 1942 Sub-heading

Nature of Proposal

From

(20) Fishing Industry-

Opportunity of white fishermen at Tofino where a Japanese Cooperative Trolling association formerly operated.

W. Armitage, Sec'ty, Tofino Board of Trade. May 16th, 1942. File 3-8-2

(40)-ditto-

Contends that Hell's Gate should be cleared to permit salmon to proceed to spawning grounds; advocates restocking measures also. Canadian Legion,

C.J. Bell, Sec'ty., Mgr. Special Rehabilitation Comm., Branch No. 2, New Westminster, B. C. July 2, 1942. File 3-4-1

(75)-ditto-

Urges furtherance of suggestions of J. Gray Turgeon, M. P., for establishing returned soldiers in fishing industry on coast.

Brief submitted by McBride District Board of Trade, after joint discussion of McBride Village Commissioners, McBride & Dist. Board of Trade, Canadian Legion #75, & Farmer's Institute, McBride. June 15, 1942. File 3-8-2

(81) -ditto-

Recommends removal by either Dominion or Province or both of sufficient of Hell's Gate rock barrier on Fraser to give salmon a clear run; and the clearing of all streams used for spawning.

Brief submitted by Mr. E.E. Winch, M.L.A. Burnaby, B. C. June 2nd, 1942. File 3-9-1

(93)-ditto-

Urges loans be granted to ex-sold- Brief presented by Ben iers for the purchase of boats and Hughes, Chairman of equipment to establish them in the Committee of Courtenay fishing industry on a similar basis Branch of Canadian to the Government's Land Settlement Legion, Courtenay, B.C. policy.

July 31, 1942. File 3-4-1

(109)

Recommends building of Reduction plants and smoke curing plants.

Brief presented by Nanaimo Central Liberal Association, Nanaimo, B. C. July 30, 1942. File 3-8-1

(131)-ditto-

Recommends encouragement and assi- Brief presented by New stance to returned men to establish Westminster Board of themselves in fishing industry in Trade, New Westminster, place of Japanese, including dock- B. C. August 4, 1942. ing facilities along Fraser River.

File 3-8-2