

Dec.2/42	<u>Officers' mess, Ottawa</u> - approved in principle.	NAVY	Negotiations to be held by Navy and Finance re terms of loan for purpose. See further CWC Feb.18/43
----------	---	------	--

Dec.2/42	<u>Enemy aliens</u> - changes in Defence of Canada Regulations approved.	JUST.	The changes have been made. (Jan. 4, 1943) P.C.11561 of Dec.22,1942
----------	--	-------	---



Mar. 11/43	<p>Provincial Highway - Edmonton to Dawson Creek - Federal assistance. Referred to Minister for examination and report. (See Secretary's letter, March 13/43)</p>	TRANS	See under date Apr. 7/43 ✓
Mar. 11/43	<p>Employment of Japanese in B.C. - Recommendation of Chiefs of Staff noted with approval and to be communicated to Minister for information of Director, National Selective Service and B.C. Security Commission. (See Secretary's letter, March 13/43)</p>	LAB.	<p>Japanese being moved into lumbering and logging industries in B.C. as rapidly as arrangements can be made. The question of "adequate safeguards" is being reviewed by officials in B.C. (Rcvd. Mar. 27/43) (See further correspondence, Sec. to Dir. of N.S.S. and R.C.M.P.)</p>
Mar. 11/43	<p>Alaska Highway - postwar military use; connecting roads - Referred to Chiefs of Staff for examination with Canadian Section P.J.B.D. and subsequent report. (See Secretary's letter to Board March 13/43)</p>	E.A.	<p>Letter of Mar. 26/43 from Ex. Aff. to US Charge d' Affaires setting forth Can. views, incorporating paragraphs recommended by War Committee on Mar. 25. (See also entry under Mar. 25/43) (Rcvd. Apr. 2/43 ✓)</p>



for establishment air traffic control organization approved in principle.

of U.S. Services Sept. 23/26th and draft regulations for the control of aircraft movements in Canada drawn up, and arrangements made for the necessary communication facilities. (Rcvd. 7/10/43)

Sept.22/43 B.C. Security Commission;  
travel of Japanese in Canada -  
Recommendations Defence Council  
approved subject concurrence  
Department Justice (R.C.M.P.)  
and Labour.

JUSTICE See under Oct. 6/43,  
Labour.

Sept.29/43 Provision of assistance in public health work in Europe -  
agreed U.K. be informed no  
possibility of meeting request  
at present-situation to be  
further explored by Can. Medical  
Procurement and Assignment Bd.

E.A.

-----  
Telegram No.1720 of Sept 30/43 to H.C. London, stating that War Committee had again considered question and had decided there was no possibility of meeting U.K. request and that it was improbable we could furnish any units owing to serious shortage of medical personnel in Canadian Services and in Canada. Medical Procurement & Assignment Board was instructed to review position and report but it was unlikely this

survey would result in decision to provide personnel for this duty. (Rcvd.6/10/43)



			mission to the Minister. (Rcvd. 19/10/43)
Sept.30/43	<u>Fisheries conference - Canadian participation</u> - Participation approved on understanding Can. delegation subject to approval of Minister. (See letter Sec. to Minister, Oct. 1/43)	FISH.	Approved. (Rcvd. 9/10/43)
Oct. 6/43	<u>Travel of Japanese in Canada</u> - Agreed that appropriate officials of the Department confer with R.C.M. Police and Chiefs of Staff, with view to recommending agreed measures to provide required security without involving difficulties mentioned by Minister. (See letter Sec. to Minister Oct. 8/43)	LAB	Oct.15: Conference of R.C.M.P. and Labour Department Officials with Secretary of Chiefs of Staff Committee agreed on revision in Japanese Travel Order. Amended order drawn up, approved by B.C. Security Commission and Policy officials, and submitted to Secretary of Chiefs of Staff Committee November 6 for concurrence of that body who will submit decision to Cabinet War Committee shortly.



(Rev'd. 25/1/44)

Jan.12/44 Canadian Red Cross; increase of prisoners of war food parcels

E.A.

Jan.19/44  
Food Requirements Committee is preparing a report as requested by C.W.C., with the assistance of Finance (W.P.T.B.) and Agriculture. This report will be ready for next week's C.W.C. meeting and will be coordinated with report of Service Departments.  
(Rev'd.25/1/44)

Jan.12/44 Travel of Japanese in Canada - Draft order referred to Department for re-consideration with Departments concerned with view revision.

E.A.

..... Meeting was held on January 18, 1944, between officials of Labour, R.C.M.P. Chiefs of Staff Committee and External Affairs. Travel order is going back for further consideration by Labour, R.C.M.P. and Chiefs of Staff Committee, who will report back to External Affairs.  
(Rev'd.25/1/44)

Jan.12/44 Canadian Red Cross; increase of

N.D.

Vice Chief of General



Staff Mission London approved.

Apr.19/44 Repatriation of Japanese in Canada E.A.  
- recommendations approved in principle on understanding submission to Council prepared providing for appointment of Commissioner.

Draft recommendation to Council has been drawn up and sent to all interested Departments for comment.  
(Rcvd.26/4/44)

Apr.19/44 Purchase of additional transport aircraft - Minister to examine problem further with departments concerned and report fully as to  
(a) substitution of Lancasters for Liberators;  
(b) present situation re Trans-Atlantic mail; and  
(c) Financial aspects of proposals.

AIR

New submissions together with a complete explanator brief submitted to the Minister, April 26/44.  
(Rcvd. 8/5/44)



Air Transport; coordination for  
war purposes -  
Cont'd.

Memorandum dated July 8th,  
advised the President, TCA, that  
RCAF Lodestars Nos. 553 and 554  
are being loaned to TCA to assist  
in training Service personnel in  
airlines procedure, etc.  
(Rcvd. 14/7/44)

July 6, 1944.

Enlistment of Canadian Born  
Japanese - Pending consideration  
by full Cabinet, Minister to  
report at to objection, if any,  
to enlistment on military grounds.

N.D.

Minister of National Defence  
wrote Mr. Heeney on July 17th  
enclosing copy of memorandum  
of July 10th to the Chief of  
Staff from Brigadier Earnshaw.  
(Rcvd. 19/7/44)



**SECRET**

**CABINET WAR COMMITTEE**  
**SCHEDULE OF DECISIONS (CONSOLIDATED)**

MEETING	SUBJECT AND DECISION	REF'D	ACTION TAKEN
Oct.11/44	<u>Enlistment of Canadian born Japanese</u> - recommendation for enlistment in Canadian army not approved; personnel available for enlistment in Armed Forces of other United Nations.	N.D.	
Oct.11/44	<u>Despatch of Army Signals personnel to Australia</u> - recommendation re-routing to Australia approved.	ND.	Deputy Minister and Chief of General Staff advised by memo dated Oct.13th. (Rcvd. 20/10/44)
Oct.11/44	<u>Control of medical profession in Canada - provision of military doctors to civilian localities</u> - Agreed personnel to be allocated by three Services on basis of	N.D.	Deputy Minister, Chief of General Staff and Adjutant General advised by memo dated Oct.13, 1944. (Rcvd. 20/10/44)



Jan.17th

Employment of Japanese Canadians for special duty in Australia - agreed suitable Canadians of Japanese race to maximum, for present, of 100 might be accepted for enlistment Canadian army and subsequent loan Australian government for special duty. No publicity to be given this decision.

E.A.

No further action to be taken by Ex.Affs until Japanese Canadians have been taken into the Army. (Rcvd. 26/1/45)

Jan. 17th

Employment of Japanese Canadians for special duty in Australia - agreed suitable Canadians of Japanese race to maximum, for present, of 100 might be accepted for enlistment Canadian army and subsequent loan Australian government for special duty. No publicity to be given this decision. Minister to consult Minister of Veterans Affairs for action taken.

N.D.

Min. to discuss with Min. V.A. at first opportunity and advise. (letter Min. N.D. to Sec. Jan.19, 1945)

1. Concurrence of Minister of V.A. obtained 11 Feb.45 (see copy of telegram PCO 7375).

2. Instructions issued by CGS 13 Feb.45 with a view to selection and training of required personnel. (Rcvd.14/2/45)

Jan.17th

Termination of European hostilities - revised assumption for planning purposes - budgetary procedure - Agreed that for planning and preparation estimates it would be assumed war in Europe would continue to end of fiscal year 1945-46; matter of budgetary procedure in respect of war and Mutual Aid Appropriations, to be subject to further consideration

FIN.

(See C.W.C. Feb.7th, 1945)



Apr. 11th	<u>Service hospital accommodation in Canada</u> - report of Minister noted with approval.	N.D.	Reports expected of further surveys. When received it is proposed to have another meeting of Ministers and W.C. on Hospitalization. (Rcvd. 13/4/45)
Apr. 11th	<u>Aircraft carriers; Pacific service</u> NAVY - understood acceptance carriers determined by numbers Navy personnel available for Service in Pacific under voluntary system; position to be examined from this viewpoint.		
Apr. 11th	<u>Army; enlistment of persons of Japanese race; censorship directive</u> - Agreed censorship be authorized to issue amended directive.	N.W.S.	Press Directive 2D and radio Directive 13 issued April 12th, 1945. (Rcvd. 16/4/45)