

CANADIAN WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS

21. Instructions have been issued to M.D. Nos. 11 and 13 to recruit C.W.A.C. personnel from approved local units of Women's Auxiliary Services.

Q.M.G. BRANCHENGINEERING SERVICES22. (a) Accommodation

Acceptance of specific tenders for the following projects has been recommended:

- (i) Gas service and valve house at the Experimental Station, Suffield, Alberta.
- (ii) The supply and installation of laboratory fittings, Field Experimental Station, Suffield, Alberta.

(b) Coast Defence

A contract has been awarded for the construction of a new East Pier at Partridge Island, Saint John Harbour, N.B.

(c) Engineering Equipment

- (i) The supply of Folding Boat Equipment Superstructure has been contracted for.
- (ii) The production of Barbed Wire Concertinas is being started during the week of 8th September.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT23. Mechanical Transport

A contract demand has been raised for the purchase of 43,444 gallons of Anti-Freeze to be used in I.T. in Canada during the coming winter.

M.G.O. BRANCHTECHNICAL STORES (Figures are for the week ending 6th September)

24. (a) Bren Guns - No guns were delivered by the manufacturer to Ordnance, Toronto, during the week.
- (b) Signal and Wireless - The following signal and wireless equipment was received from suppliers during the week:-

Wireless remote control units, A	56
Fullerphones, Mk. IV	58
Instruments testing, No. 1	100
Wireless sets, No. 11	25

GENERAL STORES (Figures refer to the week ending 6th September)

25. (a) Clothing and Necessaries - Provision position satisfactory. Steps are being taken to arrange for the supply of Overseas requirements for the next six months' period.
- (b) Web Equipment Pattern 1937 - The provision position is satisfactory and stocks adequate.
- (c) Helmets Steel - The supply situation is improving rapidly. Receipts now average 2,000 per day and distribution to Districts is being made without delay.
- (d) Anti-Gas Clothing - 10,670 assorted garments were received and 11,618 issued.
- (e) Respirators Anti-Gas - The provision position is satisfactory. 460 were received and 8,500 issued.