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*freedom of whole people
of Canada*

Espionage - note extent of.

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Protect Human Rights -

See course suggested - other countries, provinces & Dominion -
Duplessis?

Extent to which fundamental rights infringed.

Related to one incident.

Revelation re establishment of fifth column.

(See Gousenkp's confession)

Network - what if this had gone on?

Threat to Canadian freedom.

What to do with information in possession.

Note relations with foreign country - ally

" " to our own civil servants.

Necessity of establishing a conspiracy -

not to lose information,

not to subject innocent to undue exposure.

Steps taken retention of counsel -

appointment Supreme Court Judges.

First instance of anything of the kind -

as much circumspection as possible.

What brought out in trials shows wisdom of course pursued:

10 convictions out of 16,
17 officials relieved

(read speech)

Be zealous to safeguard freedoms -

but be careful not to create false impression of
Canada in minds of others.

The Order in Council has been repealed -
no power exists today.