

academic body will be named as trustee to administer the funds and it is desirable to suggest an appropriate body.

(c) If projects originate in the Conference itself they are referred to the Research Committee which, if it approves them, will refer them to one or more National Councils, with or without financial aid.

For instance each National Council is being asked to undertake research into the discriminatory treatment of resident immigrants of alien race, before and after naturalization, and of their descendants. It becomes the task of the Canadian National Council to see that this task is promptly entrusted to suitable hands and that any requisite funds are provided.

(2) I think that there will have to be better organization for research work in Canada. Some activities are so closely allied to research work that the National Council may find it convenient to deal with them through the same machinery. For instance we are asked to contribute to the periodical, "Pacific Affairs", reviews of events in Canada relating to Pacific Questions, and occasional articles on topics of interest in the Pacific Area. There is also the question of preparing data papers, or papers by competent writers on questions on which our delegation or even the whole conference should be informed. These are important but are not research. In considering a research programme we might do well to follow the drift of the Conference and of work elsewhere. The whole question of whether any of our land is sub-marginal for the white races, and if so what should be its ultimate destination requires study.

It may be necessary to reorganize the research committee in Canada to secure the convenient distribution of work, the definite placing of responsibility, and facility for consultation and co-operation. In order to avoid the chance of this task being dodged