

Cost of Work Completed

36. In addition to the above mentioned staff, the following personnel were employed in the various Districts as follows:

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| (1) Newfoundland | 2 Architects, 5 Engineers,
3 Checkers, 10 others. |
| (2) Atlantic | 7 Architects, 27 Engineers,
27 others. |
| (3) Central | 17 Engineers, 1 other. |
| (4) Pacific | 4 Architects, 12 Engineers,
7 others. |
| (5) Gaspe | 1 Engineer, 11 others. |

37. The expansion programmes for Prince Rupert and Esquimalt have been completed and approved. In addition certain alterations and additions to the seaward defences of Prince Rupert and Esquimalt have been approved.

38. Further consideration was given to the expansion of ship repair and refit facilities on the East Coast, with particular reference to Sydney and Shelburne.

39. The situation at Gaspe has been reviewed in the light of proposed operational requirements for 1944-45, and the building programme has been substantially reduced.

40. In Newfoundland developments previously planned are under construction. The Admiralty have now approved the complete development of facilities for the floating drydock and the Boom Defence Depot on the South Side.

41. No major changes of works and buildings organization have taken place during the quarter under review.

42. Detailed drawings and specifications for all structures are prepared by the Headquarters staff of this Directorate and the staff employed to carry out this work for the quarter under review was 26 Architects, 45 Engineers and 47 other personnel. Blue prints and specifications for all work on which tenders have been called were furnished to the Department of Munitions & Supply as well as to the District Engineers and contractors. The average number of blue prints made daily is 198.