

Co-ordinating Committee also has arranged for the distribution between the two countries of chrome and manganese ore, cobalt metal and numerous "critical" metals. It has effected collaboration in the purchase of "critical" items, such as tin, and has dealt with matters concerning the movement of asbestos from this country. It has arranged for collaboration on the export from Canada of electric energy, and considered ways of increasing power supply between the two countries. The committee's work has been integrated with that of the Combined Raw Materials Board for the United Nations in Washington.

**JOINT WAR  
PRODUCTION  
COMMITTEE**

In the fields of military strategy, primary materials and general economic relations, the two countries had now established joint agencies. To round out a four-way channel of co-operation, the Joint War Production Committee was set up to co-ordinate effectively defence production capacity. It was established November 5, 1941, on the recommendation of the Joint Economic Committees.

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The following statement of policy for the war production of the two countries was issued by the Joint War Production Committee on December 15, 1941:

1. Victory will require the maximum war production in both countries in the shortest possible time; speed and volume of war output, rather than monetary cost, are the primary considerations.
2. An all-out war production effort in both countries requires the maximum use of the labour, raw materials and facilities in each country.
3. Achievement of maximum volume and speed of war output requires that the production and resources of both countries should be effectively integrated and directed towards a common program of requirements for the total war effort.