

## HOSPITALIZATION OF SERVICE MEN OVERSEAS

Mr. CHURCH:

1. What agency is in charge of the hospitalization of service men overseas in Britain?
2. What private organization or auxiliary services are in charge of amusements and sports for soldiers overseas in the various camps?

Mr. RALSTON:

1. The Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps is in charge of the hospitalization of all personnel of the army overseas in Britain.

There is a director of medical services on the staff of the senior officer commanding overseas. This director of medical services administers the hospitalization and Medical Corps in England.

2. Amusements and sports furnished to the soldiers in camps overseas are provided under the direction of the auxiliary services officers by the four national voluntary organizations, namely: the Canadian Legion War Services, Inc.; the Knights of Columbus; the Salvation Army; the National Council Y.M.C.A.

## RECOGNITION OF FRENCH NATIONAL COMMITTEE

Mr. CHURCH:

Will the government now recognize officially the provisional government of General de Gaulle of France?

Mr. MACKENZIE KING: The Free French National Committee, to which this question refers, is not a provisional government, and the question of its recognition has not arisen.

EXPORTS OF METALS AND MINERALS TO  
AXIS POWERS

Mr. CHURCH:

1. What was the tonnage of copper, aluminum, nickel, scrap iron, pig iron and coal exported from Canada to Japan, Germany and Italy for the five years before the war?

2. What amount has been exported to Japan and Italy since the war began?

Mr. MacKINNON (Edmonton West):

## 1. Exports to Japan, Germany and Italy, calendar years 1935 to 1939.

Year	Item	Unit	Japan	Germany	Italy
1935	Copper	Cwt.	3,526	188,325	66,870
	Aluminum	Cwt.	126,483	79	4,411
	Nickel	Cwt.	17,456	384	31,532
	Scrap iron	Ton	39,186	....	....
	Pig iron	Ton	....	....	....
	Coal	Ton	982	....	2,800
1936	Copper	Cwt.	8,348	261,842	38,903
	Aluminum	Cwt.	88,872	3,374	....
	Nickel	Cwt.	28,821	10,136	24,654
	Scrap iron	Ton	68,011	1,935	....
	Pig iron	Ton	....	....	....
	Coal	Ton	1,038	....	1,504
1937	Copper	Cwt.	69,175	223,408	11,899
	Aluminum	Cwt.	178,405	7,870	9,921
	Nickel	Cwt.	101,342	23,151	17,921
	Scrap iron	Ton	46,948	....	....
	Pig iron	Ton	....	34	....
	Coal	Ton	....	....	....
1938	Copper	Cwt.	311,875	554,897	37,486
	Aluminum	Cwt.	312,250	123,937	....
	Nickel	Cwt.	153,992	20,233	....
	Scrap iron	Ton	41,033	....	....
	Pig iron	Ton	....	....	....
	Coal	Ton	....	....	....
1939	Copper	Cwt.	378,396	58,289	99,644
	Aluminum	Cwt.	421,173	57,964	....
	Nickel	Cwt.	233,107	....	....
	Scrap iron	Ton	46,866	821	....
	Pig iron	Ton	....	....	....
	Coal	Ton	....	....	....

## 2. Information by countries not available during war period.

[Mr. Thorson.]