

Evacuation, Relocation  
& Resettlement

INTRODUCTION

PLEASE JOIN IN THE DISCUSSION, AND EXPRESS YOUR OPINIONS FREELY.

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS PREPARING A STATEMENT ANNOUNCING IT'S POLICY IN REGARD TO THE POST-WAR RESETTLEMENT OF THE PEOPLE OF THE JAPANESE RACE IN CANADA.

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DO YOU THINK WE CAN SHOULD DO ANYTHING TO PRESENT OUR VIEWS ON THE QUESTION TO THE AUTHORITIES ~~IN~~ IN CHARGE?

IF A STATEMENT OR BRIEF IS SENT, WILL YOU BACK IT UP (SUPPORT IT) WITH YOUR SIGNATURE? ARE YOU READY TO CONTRIBUTE FINANCIAL SUPPORT?

WHAT VIEWS OR STATEMENTS ~~IF~~ WOULD YOU SUGGEST WE CAN MAKE? SHOULD A TRUE CROSS-SECTIONAL VIEW BE PRESENTED OR OPINIONS UNFAVOURABLE TO OUR POSITION BE EXCLUDED?

FURTHER, WILL YOU BE WILLING TO GIVE THE DRAFTERS THE FREEDOM OF COMPOSING THE BRIEF ACCORDING TO THE VIEWS JUST EXPRESSED?

IS THERE ANY NEED FOR A COMMITTEE TO REPRESENT THE JAPANESE ~~THE~~ IN MONTREAL?

- IF SO, (A) WHOM SHOULD IT INCLUDE, SHOULD IT BE RESTRICTED TO NISEIS, AND NATURALIZED OR BE OPEN TO ALL.?
- (B) WHAT SHOULD BE IT'S NATURE, WOULD A STANDING COMMITTEE BE SATISFACTORY?
- (C) WHAT SHOULD BE IT'S PURPOSE, WHAT SHOULD BE THE DUTIES AND ACTIVITIES OF THIS GROUP.?

WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO SUPPORT AND STAND BY THE DECISIONS AND ACTIONS OF A COMMITTEE IF SUCH BE FORMED.?

(INFORMATION. NOMINATION OF 10 WITH POWER TO CO-OPT ADDITIONAL MEMBERS)

HOW SHALL FUNDS BE RAISED.?

RESETTLEMENT IN EASTERN CANADA.

(GET VIEWS OF RELOCEES ACCORDING TO LENGH OF RESETTLEMENT.

- 2 YEARS AND OVER
- 1 TO TWO YEARS
- 6 MOS. TO ONE YEAR
- 3 MONTHS AND UNDER)

1. WOULD YOU LIKE TO STAY IN QUEBEC AFTER THE WAR? IF SO, WHY? IF NOT, WHY?
2. DO YOU THINK WE WILL HAVE MUCH CHANCE FOR EMPLOYMENT HERE AFTER THE WAR?
3. JUST HOW CAN THE JAPANESE IMPROVE THEIR CHANCES HERE?
4. WOULD A PROMISE FROM THE GOVERNMENT THAT YOU WILL BE ALLOWED TO ~~STAY~~ STAY IN QUEBEC, HELP YOU IN YOUR FUTURE PLANS?
5. HOW HAVE YOU ACTUALLY MADE OUT SO FAR? WORK----EMPLOYER, CO-WORKERS, TRADE UNION WAGES, WORKING CONDITIONS ????