



The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a Report. dated 8th August, 1917, from the Minister of Justice, stating that Major General Sir W. D. Otter has applied for a further advance on account of expenses of internment of Prisoners of War, and has furnished the statement herewith submitted to account for the expenditure of advances previously made.

The Minister accordingly recommends that authority be granted for an advance of \$60,000.00 to Major General Sir W. D. Otter to be charged against the "War Appropriation," 1917-18 and to be expended under and subject to the provisions of the Order in Council of the 8th May, 1915, establishing the War Purchasing Commission.

The Committee concur in the foregoing and submit the same for approval.

R. Borden

approved.

*Devoynave
23 Aug. 1917*

*4 copies to P. C. memo 24 Aug 17
to Sir George Foster 24 " " "
to Mr. A. G. 24 " " "
to Justice 24 " " "*

CASH STATEMENT 1917/18.

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June 30.	Balance on Hand,	\$7,009.94 ✓
July 26.	Received from Dom. Govt.	60,000.00 ✓
July 27.	" " " "	10,000.00 ✓
		\$77,009.94 ✓
July 1/31,	Paid for Escort, Wages, Canteen Relief, etc.	\$9,253.80 ✓
July 1/31,	Paid for Merchants accts. for Supplies,	59,536.41 ✓
July 1/31,	Paid from P. of War Funds,	4,328.48 ✓
		73,118.69 ✓
July 31,	<u>Balance on Hand</u>	\$ 3,891.25 ✓

Amount Requisitioned.

For Merchants accts. for Supplies,	\$50,000.00 ✓
For Escort, Wages, Canteen, Relief, etc.	10,000.00 ✓
	✓ \$60,000.00

*Ottawa
7/8/17.*

*Albany
Accts.*

MRS