

The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report, dated 12th April, 1915, from the Minister of Justice, representing that, Major General Otter has applied for an advance to meet the expenses of internment of prisoners of war for the fiscal year beginning April 1st, 1915, and has furnished the statement herewith submitted accounting for the expenditure of the advances previously made.

The Minister accordingly recommends that authority be granted for an advance of \$100,000.00 to Major General Otter to be charged against the War Appropriation 1915-16.

The Committee advise that the requisite authority be granted accordingly.

R. L. Baden

Approved
Arthur
April 24th 1915

To Justice 26 April
Finance 26 "
to duplicate A.G. 26 "
to W. P. Com 29 Jan 1916.

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Memorandum of Expenditure on account of
INTERNMENT OPERATIONS. February 1st to March 31st, 1915.

Receipts.

Feb. 1.	To Balance on hand	9,634.37	
25.	To Dominion Government	150,000.00	
Mar. 31.	To balance returned at end of Fiscal year, etc.	2,131.03	161,765.40
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Expenditure.

By Paid to Merchants for clothing and supplies	89,378.27	
By Paid Pay Rolls, Salaries and expenses of camp, etc.	25,764.09	
By Paid Relief to Families of Prisoners of War,	15,459.37	
By Paid for Subsistence of P. of War before internment and en route to camps,	7,049.29	
By Paid for Escort and Transfer of Prisoners of War,	6,049.48	143,700.50
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	Balance	\$ 18,064.90