The Canadian Officers Training Corps.—The C.O.T.C. is the fourth element of the Canadian Army and responsible for training officer candidates during peace and war, the personnel are subject to the same obligations in respect of military service as apply to other parts of the Army.

The Cadet Services of Canada.—The Cadet Service consists of commissioned officers of the Canadian Army, serving on a basis comparable to officers of the Reserve Force, who are provided for the purpose of administering and training the authorized Cadet Corps of the Royal Canadian Army Cadets across Canada.

The Reserve Militia. — The Reserve Militia provides for units for home security duties, which could not be performed by the Reserve Force.

Additional to but not an integral part of the Canadian Army as educational and training establishments are: (a) officially authorized Cadet Corps; (b) officially authorized rifle associations and clubs; (c) such training centres as may be authorized from time to time by the Minister; (d) Royal Military College.

Statistics of the Canadian Army.—The Canadian Army appointments, enlistments and enrolments by provinces from 1939-45 are given in Table 1. The number of discharges from the wartime Active Service Force from May 1, 1945 to Dec. 31, 1946, were 407,212 General Service, 54,467 under the National Resources Mobilization Act, 14,532 Canadian Women's Army Corps making a total of 476,211 of which 284,800 were discharged in 1946.

1.—Canadian Army Appointments, Enlistments and Enrolments, by Provinces, 1939-45

Province	General Service ¹	N.R.M.A.	C.W.A.C.	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Prince Edward Island Nova Scotia New Brunswick. Quebec. Ontario. Manitoba. Saskatchewan. Alberta. British Columbia. Outside Canada Totals .	5,968 42,461 32,025 94,642 243,457 42,488 44,200 44,640 52,641 5,912 608,434	373 2,641 3,603 44,015 23,822 5,962 8,135 6,180 5,745 7 100,573	220 1,295 982 2,171 7,508 1,750 2,140 1,896 2,539 1,117 21,618	6,561 46,397 36,700 140,828 274,787 50,200 54,475 52,716 60,925 7,036 730,625

¹ Includes 57,483 transfers from N.R.M.A. to General Service.

Repatriation and Demobilization.—Canadian Army repatriation of troops and wives of servicemen from September, 1939, to December, 1946, numbered 323,520 from the United Kingdom, 333 from Australia and 923 from the Caribbean. Total dependents of Army troops brought to Canada from the United Kingdom and North Western Europe during this period were 32,902 women and 16,760 children.

Prisoners of War returned to Canada numbered 5,934, of these 4,516 were liberated from Europe, the remainder from the Far East.