

- (3) **Personnel Members Committee.**—Composed of the Chief of Naval Personnel, the Adjutant-General, the Air Member for Personnel, the Assistant Deputy Minister (Administration and Personnel), the Assistant Deputy Minister (Finance) and a representative of the Chairman of the Defence Research Board. The purpose of the Committee is to examine personnel problems of the three Services with the general aim of achieving uniform personnel policies; sub-committees consider various aspects of personnel problems and report to the parent committee.
- (4) **Principal Supply Officers Committee.**—Composed of the Chief of Naval Technical Services, the Quartermaster-General, the Air Member for Technical Services, the Assistant Deputy Minister (Requirements) and a representative of the Chairman of the Defence Research Board. The purpose of the Committee is to consider logistical problems; sub-committees consider various aspects of these problems and report to the parent committee.

Defence Supply Committee.—An interdepartmental committee composed of the Deputy Ministers of National Defence and of Defence Production and the senior military and civilian supply officers of the two Departments has been established to review interdepartmental procurement and production problems and consider various policy aspects of the procurement of ammunition, armament, aircraft, etc. Eleven panels consider various aspects of these problems and report to the parent committee.

Canada-United States Committee on Joint Defence.—Composed of: for Canada, the Secretary of State for External Affairs, the Minister of National Defence and the Minister of Finance; for the United States, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of the Treasury; together with such appropriate Cabinet Members as either Government may designate from time to time as the need arises.

The function of this Committee is to consult periodically on any matters affecting the joint defence of Canada and the United States; to exchange information and views at the Ministerial level on problems that may arise, with a view to strengthening further the close and intimate co-operation between the two Governments on joint defence matters; and to report to the representative Governments on such discussions in order that consideration may be given to measures deemed appropriate and necessary to improve defence co-operation. The Committee meets, alternately in Ottawa and Washington, at least once a year as may be considered necessary by the two Governments. The Chairman is a Canadian member when the meetings are held in Canada and a United States member when the meetings are held in the United States.

Liaison Abroad.—The Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff, who is the Canadian military representative in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, is responsible for co-ordinating all NATO military matters and acts as a military adviser to Canadian NATO delegations. For purposes of liaison and the furtherance of international co-operation in defence, Canada also maintains: (1) the Canadian Joint Staff (London) representing the three Services and the Defence Research Board in the United Kingdom, the Chairman of which is the principal military adviser to the Canadian High Commissioner in London, the principal military adviser to the Permanent Canadian Delegate to the NATO Council and the Canadian National Military Representative to SHAPE; (2) the Canadian Joint Staff (Washington) representing the three Services and the Defence Research Board in the United States, the Chairman of which is the principal military adviser to the Canadian Ambassador in Washington, the Canadian National Liaison Representative to SACLANT Headquarters and the Canadian member of the NATO Military Committee in Permanent Session; and (3) Service Attachés in various countries throughout the world. In addition, a number of defence matters of concern to both Canada and the United States are considered by the Permanent Joint Board on Defence.

Mutual Aid.—Canada's contributions to NATO are outlined on pp. 137-138.

Rates of Pay and Allowances.—The entire pay structure for comparable ranks in the different Services is on a uniform basis. Monthly rates for pay and allowances are given in Table 1.