

FINDING AID: 26-6

RECORD GROUP: RG 26 - Citizenship and Immigration

SERIES: B-2 - Report on Reorganization of the Nationalities Branch (Robert England)

VOLUME: 13A

DESCRIPTION: The finding aid is a memorandum listing the contents of this copy of the England report and comparing it to the draft copy found in the Robert England papers (National Archives, Manuscript Division, MG 30 C 181).

INSTRUCTION: The following information is required to order a volume:

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Notes on RG 26, Volume 13A

Contents Robert England, "Report on Reorganization of Nationalities Branch, Department of National War Services", 12 June 1944 (and a small amount of related material).

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1. Two versions of this package exist, one in RG 26, vol. 13A, and the other in the Robert England papers (PAC, MS Division, MG 30, C 181, volume 3).
 2. Both copies are clean typescripts made at different times, each with a few minor MSS annotations. My guess is that the MG 30 is a good penultimate draft; a quick inspection showed no major changes to the text.
 3. Both copies consist of:
 - (a) A covering letter from Robert England (Special Assistant, Nationalities Branch) to C.H. Payne (Deputy Minister), 12 June 1944.
 - (b) The report (23 pp.)
 - (c) The Appendices to the report (I to XVIII) prefaced by a list of appendices. (Note: Appendix XIV is missing in both copies; appendices III, IV, VIII, IX and X consist only of coversheets - attached clippings are not present).
 4. The copies differ as follows:
 - (a) The RG 26 version also includes (i) a one-page "Supplementary list of Temporary Positions Authorized by Treasury Board, June 9, 1944" (attached to List of Appendices); (ii) a 4 pp. typescript "Report of Visit of Robert England, Special Assistant, Department of National War Services to Western Canada - June 1944...." (at end); and (iii) a French text of Appendix XVIII.
 - (b) The MG 30 version is missing Appendix XIII in its entirety.