Social Studies 8 Chapter 8 Review The Second World War

1. The War Overseas

Terms to Know:	Theatres of War	Allied Powers	Axis Powers	Prisoners of War
	Enemy Aliens	Britain	Germany	
		Soviet Union	Japan	
		France	Italy	
		United States		

- a) Understand why Newfoundland decided not to have a Newfoundland Regiment overseas during this war and what people could do if they wanted to fight.
- b) What were the three women's branches of the Canadian armed services? Why do you suppose women wanted to fight?
- c) More people from Newfoundland enlisted during World War II than enlisted in World War I, yet fewer died (Figure 8.2, p. 192). Explain how this might be possible.

2. The War At Home

Terms to Know:	WPA	NPA	Great Circles	Air Raid
	Blackout	ARP	Internment Camps	Internees

- a) What were the duties of the WPA and NPA during World War II?
- b) What were the One Percent Scheme and the Fish-a-Man Fund?
- c) Explain how Newfoundland was of strategic importance to the allies.
- d) Be aware of the main military bases set up in Newfoundland and Labrador.
- e) Why were the Canadian and American governments able to operate military bases in Newfoundland and Labrador?
- f) Be familiar with German U-boat activity around Newfoundland and Labrador Sinking of S.S. Caribou in Cabot Strait, attack on Ore Ships at Bell Island, and German Weather Station at Martin Bay.

3. Impact of World War II

Terms to Know: Economic Dislocation

- a) How did the Commission of Government try to cope with economic dislocation?
- b) How did the nature of women's employment in Newfoundland change because of World War II?
- c) How did World War II turn Newfoundland's finances around?
- d) Explain how the influx of servicemen into Newfoundland during World War II was both positive and negative.