

THE GOUZENKO AFFAIR

REPRODUCIBLE WORKSHEET 12-2

Locate information about the Gouzenko Affair on pages 280-281 of the text. Role play that you are a reporter for the *Ottawa Citizen* covering this very important international event. Write a column for the newspaper that includes answers to the following questions. Use the formats of the “5 Ws and How” and “Opinions” which follow.

THE BASIC FACTS OF THIS INCIDENT

1. Who? Who is Igor Gouzenko?
2. When? When is this event taking place?
3. Where? Where is it taking place?
4. What? What exactly has happened?
What information has Gouzenko told officials?
5. Why? Why is Gouzenko revealing this information?
6. How? How are people reacting to what Gouzenko is saying?

OPINIONS ABOUT THIS INCIDENT

1. Why are Canadians shocked by Gouzenko's news?
2. What effect will this news have on future relations between the countries?
3. What does this incident tell about Canada's role in the post-war era?
4. What should happen to Gouzenko?

**THE FORMATION AND WORK
OF THE UNITED NATIONS****REPRODUCIBLE WORKSHEET 12-3**

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Read about the formation of the United Nations on pages 282-285 and answer these questions.

1. Name three reasons why the United Nations was formed. _____

2. How many nations signed the original charter? _____
3. What are the four aims stated in the United Nations Charter? _____

4. Why did Canada strongly support the idea of the United Nations? _____

5. How did the old League of Nations try to stop countries from fighting? _____

6. How did the United Nations plan to stop countries from fighting? _____

7. Name another reason why the League of Nations had been weak? _____

8. How did President Roosevelt intend to correct this problem? _____

9. Describe how the Security Council is organized and how it operates. _____

10. What is a possible weakness of the Security Council? _____

11. Describe how the General Assembly is organized and how it operates. _____

12. What is a possible weakness of the General Assembly? _____

