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CONCLUSIONS of a Meeting of the War Cabinet held at 10, Downing Street, S.W. 1, on Wednesday, July 8, 1942, at 12.30 P.M.

## Present :

The Right Hon. WINSTON S. CHURCHILL, M.P., Prime Minister ( <i>in the Chair</i> ).	
The Right Hon. C. R. ATTLEE, M.P., Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs.	The Right Hon. Sir STAFFORD CRIPPS, K.C., M.P., Lord Privy Seal.
The Right Hon. Sir JOHN ANDERSON, M.P., Lord President of the Council.	The Right Hon. ANTHONY EDEN, M.P., Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.
The Right Hon. OLIVER LYTTTELTON, M.P., Minister of Production.	The Right Hon. ERNEST BEVIN, M.P., Minister of Labour and National Service.

The Right Hon. VISCOUNT HALIFAX,  
His Majesty's Ambassador to the  
United States of America.

## The following were also present :

The Right Hon. A. V. ALEXANDER, M.P., First Lord of the Admiralty.	The Right Hon. Sir JAMES GRIGG, M.P., Secretary of State for War.
The Right Hon. Sir ARCHIBALD SINCLAIR, Bt., M.P., Secretary of State for Air.	Admiral of the Fleet Sir DUDLEY POUND, First Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Staff.
Air Chief Marshal Sir CHARLES F. A. PORTAL, Chief of the Air Staff.	General Sir ALAN BROOKE, Chief of the Imperial General Staff.

Vice-Admiral LORD LOUIS MOUNT-BATTEN, Chief of Combined Operations.

## Secretariat :

Sir EDWARD BRIDGES.  
Major-General Sir HASTINGS ISMAY.  
Brigadier HOLLIS.

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