

RECRUITS FOR THE FOYAL NAVY.

McCrea, F. N. (Sherbrooke)—3022.
 Pugsley, Hon. Wm. (St. John City)—2988-9, 2996, 3002.
 Stevens, H. H. (Vancouver)—3002-06.
 Turriff, J. G. (Assiniboia)—3015-18.

RECRUITING IN TORONTO.

Statement in Senate referred to.—Mr. Kemp, 2878-80.

REGIMENTAL BANDS.

Inquiry.—Mr. Lemieux, 1044.

RELEASE OF WALTER T. ROSS.

Motion:

For a copy of all letters, papers and correspondence in connection with the release of Walter T. Ross from the Prince Albert Penitentiary in the spring of 1914.—Mr. Turriff, 2302.

RELIEF OF GRAIN CONGESTION.

House in Committee on Bill No. 58.—Sir George Foster, 1706-1714.

House in Committee on Bill No. 58.—Sir George Foster, 1971.

REORGANIZATION OF CANADIAN FORCES.

Reference to.—Mr. Hughes, 2015.

REPORT OF CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF DOMINION POLICE.

Memorandum read.—Sir Robert Borden, 669-70.

RESIGNATION OF MR. LAVALLEE.

Inquiry.—Mr. Lemieux, 3883.

ROYAL COMMISSION ON SHELL CONTRACTS.

Inquiry about appointment of counsel by Opposition Leader.—Sir Robert Borden, 2691.

ROYAL COMMISSION ON SHELL CONTRACTS.

Order in Council passed on 15th April laid

SALE OF SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION.
 on Table.—Sir Robert Borden, 2920.

Motion:

For a copy of all letters, telegrams, offers, tenders, reports, contracts and documents relating to the sale or other disposal of small arms ammunition since August 4, 1914.—Mr. Macdonald, 2546-7.

SALE OF SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION.

Inquiry.—Mr. Macdonald, 3297.

SALE OF SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION.

Motion: Mr. McKenzie, 3884.

Carvell, F. B. (Carleton, N.B.)—3908.

Reference made to the statement of the Minister of Militia and the Auditor General, 3908-9. Don't let the Minister of Militia deceive himself on that point. Don't let him feel that he can help his cause or protect a man who has practically pilfered a quarter of a million dollars from the people of Canada, by throwing out any nasty insinuations about what I or any other member of Parliament may have done in New York or elsewhere, 3911. Reference to question before the House, 3913-14.

Borden, Sir Robert (Prime Minister)—3890.

I did not know that this matter was coming up to-day, nor have I had from my hon. friend the courtesy of receiving a copy of the resolution he has moved, the terms of which I did not know at all until he read the motion to the House, 3890. Therefore, the Minister of Justice brought a report to council on Monday last which was approved by His Royal Highness on Tuesday, and as soon as the Order in Council had been communicated to Sir Charles Davidson, he made arrangements to subpoena the witnesses and to proceed with the inquiry, with the result that the investigation commenced before my hon. friend made his motion, 3891. It could hardly be expected that Sir William Meredith and Mr. Justice Duff would interrupt the proceedings they are now carrying on, for the purpose of taking up this inquiry. On the other hand, Sir Charles Davidson was in a position to take it up at once, and secure the evidence of witnesses who are now available in the city of Ottawa, 3892. Reference made to Quartermaster General with regard to matter and quotations from his report given 3893-7. Under the circumstances, hon. gentlemen on the other side, on the strength of newspaper rumours, have seen fit to make charges or insinuations in this matter, and we have thought it desirable that all the documents should be brought down, even though, in the ordinary course, they would not be brought down as they give certain information with which we would prefer that the enemy should not be made acquainted, 3898.

Doherty, Hon. C. J. (Minister of Justice)—3914.

After replies had been made by the right hon. leader of the House, and by the Minister of Militia, they had it more manifestly borne in upon them than ever that there was no case; and so my hon. friend the member for Carleton rose with the brief duly endorsed: "No case; blackguard the plaintiff's attorney." But there did not happen to be any plaintiff's attorney; somebody had to be blackguarded, so the hon. gentleman blackguards the distinguished gentleman to whom in his capacity of commissioner this matter has been referred, 3914. Is it to be wondered at that, having regard to the immense field of different charges