

LAID OFF 800 SHOP HANDS.

MONTREAL, April 1.-The Canadian Quebec-avenue, for the past twelve belonging to that company totaling Pacific Railway have laid off 800 hands years organist of Victoria Presbyterian church, was waited on by a com-mittee of the church session and preat their Angus shops, in this city. The men take in all classes of labor-mesented with a purse of gold. Mrs. chanics, carpenters, painters, etc. Teasdale has lately resigned from her position as organist and the presenta-Not the Children's Aid Society. tion was made as a mark of apprec-Editor World: It has been stated iation for her faithful services. that the citizens of Avenue-road were Yesterday while in the act of rais-C. Majury discovered the body of prematurely born infant under a body of ashes in the vard in room of the body of the body of appealing against the Children's Aid house on which he was doing some plastering, David Millan of Alexanappealing against the Children's Aid ing a trowel of mortar to the side of a pile of ashes in the yard in rear of the house of William Golden, 124 Russetttrict. A false impression has gone der-street received a slight stroke of abroad that it is the Children's Aid So-abroad that it is the Children's Aid So-clety of Toronto that is making the pital, and his condition to-night is application. This is not the case. Our society is erecting a large addition to the permanent home at 229 Simcoe-st. 26, marriages 7, deaths 14. The record Vital statistics for March are: Births 26, marriages 7, deaths 14. The record for the corresponding month of last for the corresponding month of last and Col.-Sgt. J. Kennedy in the same capacity with F Company, second battalion, and Col.-Sgt. J. Kennedy in the same capacity with F Company, second bat-the same back of Commerce to clear up any misapprehensions, as he would regret William Duncan, Secretary. Fire at Trinity College. Sparks from a chimney caused a small blaze on the roof at Trinity Col-lege yesterday afternoon. Customs Duties Increase. Duties collected at the port of To-ronto Junction during March amount to \$31,447.35, as compared with \$23,918.25 in March of last year, an increase of \$7529.10. The total collections for the iscal year, which closed to-day, amount to \$290,012.13. They consisted of only nine months ended March 21, 1907; the collections were \$240,249.40. This year's increase is, therefore, \$49,762.73. increase is, therefore, \$49,762.73. St. James' Hall now sports a splen-did new stairway, built in connection did new stairway, built in connection well, vice Hodgkinson, discharged; G. with the new bowling alleys about to be opened on the first floor of the build-The promoters of the enterprise held a meeting last night and made arrangements to open the alleys in about a week. The funeral of Mrs. E. J. Walker, 25 rears old, who died suddenly on Monday evening, will take place from her late residence, 80 Lakeview-avenue, on Friday, at 2.30 p.m. to Prospect Cemetery. "Reconciliation" was the theme of

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-B. E. Walker's Letter.

e York Loan Co., sold building lots average price was about \$22 per foot, lands were on Roncesvalles, Lucas, Parkway, Fern and Indian Grove-avenues.

Found Babe's Body in Ash Pile. Acting upon information supplied by sighbors, Detective McMillan and avenue, yesterday. The mother of the child died in Grace Hospital Tuesday of blood poi-soning. The father is out of work. No action will be taken by the police.

Basketball on Stage.

The Champagne Girls at the Star next week will play basketball with local teams. A team picked from theatre ushers have arranged a match for next Tuesday night.

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Rev. Richard Seaborn at the Lenten service in St. John's Church to-night. NORTH TORONTO.

On Leaving Town Miss Neilly is

Kindly Remembered. presided. A literary and musical pro-gram was rendered and a profitable time spent. Those who took part in the program were. Mesdames Murphy, Vardor Hundbard Guideners Murphy,

Nellly with a farewell address and Rose, transferred. Bible and Hymn Book, on her depar-ture from Davisville to her home at will act as sergeants: E Company, ictoria Harbor. The concrete sidewalk on Sherwoodavenue, south side, wintered evry bady. Half of it is cracked and in some

places the top dressing is chipping off. The five per cent. held back, from the contractors will not begin to cover the cost should the property owners de- Spragge. mand a proper repair. The concrete culvert on Sherwood-avenue is also cracked right across. This culvert was constructed late last fall. The drama in oration and oratorio, given in the Eglinton Methodist Church

and Mr. Rechab Tandy, tenor, was nuch appreciated. Rev. Mr. Gay of Norway preached a Lenten sermon in Christ Church, Deer Park, to-might.

cussed on "Bible Characters" at the A. Y. P. A. meeting of Christ Church, Deer Park, last night. Rev. A. K. Griffin, assistant rector of

396 giment, having gualified, is confirmed in his rank. The resignation of Capt. fr. D. Benjamin is gazetted, taking F. D. Benjamin is gazetted, taking effect Feb. 3. Lieut. John Hutcheson False Impression With Public from the 11th regiment, Argenteull Rangers, has been made provisional

lieutenant, vice H. G. P. Nicholls, pro-moted. Lieut. W. W. Berry, Victoria Rifles, Australia, is attached to the re-OTTAWA, April 1.-(Special.)-In the house this afternoon Mr. Pringle giment during his residence in Canada. The following officers have been post-ed: Lieut. W. J. Rooney, C Company, and Lieut. W. W. Berry, D Company, rose to clear up some misunderstanding regarding his recent speech on the banking system. He said Mr. Kemp of the first battalion: Lieut E. M. had received a letter from B. E. sistant quarter-marter. ' Col.-Sergt W. D. P. Barker will act as lieutenant Pringle's statements, and the member

The officer commanding made the doing any injury to any Canadian following promotions: Staff, to be orderly room sergeant, second battalion, Corp. L. B. Lewis, first battalion. A With reference to statement that the Bank of Commerce was a gambling bank, he merely referred to a refer-ence by the insurance commission to Company, to be corporals, Pts. A. V. Greaves, vice McCollum, promoted; L. certain transactions. On this W. Archer, vice Hughes, discharged. C Co., to be sergeants, Corps. H. J. Mr. Walker in his letter to Mr. Komp says: "On the basis of three actual transactions in purchasing shares, reasons for such purchases being un-Blackmore, vice Whiteley, discharged; G. A. Sampson, to complete establishment. E Company, to be sergeant, Pte. A. R. Church, vice Jarman, discharg-

known to him, Mr. Pringle calls the bank a gambling institution. He even suggests that important events 1: banking history, such as the absorp-H. Gilchrist, vice Hill, discharged. I. Glichrist, vice Hill, discharged. Second battalion-F Company, to be color-sergeant. Corp. U. E. Evason, about as part of a policy of speculacolor-sergeant, Corp. U. E. Evason, vice Kennedy, promoted; to be ser-geant, Pte. J. H. Rooke, vice Sheather, tion in stocks. These statements are all utterly unfounded. The Canadian discharged. G Company, to be ser-geant, Corp. E. D. Cunningham, vice Ellis, reverted; to be corporals, Ptes. Bank of Commerce does not now, and never has at any time, made a prac-tice of buying and selling stocks in public markets or otherwise. It does W. S. Bushell, vice Whitby, dischargnot now nor has it ever speculated in stocks, and its history and reputation ed; J. O. Slaight, vice Cunningham,

ed; J. O. Shaight, vice Countinghand, stocks, and its history and reputation sergeant, Sgt. F. J. Tyner, vice Greer, discharged; to be sergeant, Corp. G. eign countries are such as to entitle it L. Ingles, vice Tyner, promoted; to be corporal, Pte. G. M. West, vice Ingles, ture of that in question."

promoted. I Company, to be corporals, press J. F. McLaren, vice Irving, pro-moted; R. N. C. Davis, vice Greet, promoted; C. V. Samuel, on establish-promoted; C. V. Samuel, on establish-Then the letter deals with charging of high rates of interest in the west. The case in point occurred in the Yukon where prices were enormously

ment. K Company, to be corporals, higher than in any other part of Cor. NORTH TORONTO, April 1.—A meet-ing of the Epworth. League of the Davisville Methodist Church was un-der the auspices of the Ladies' Mis-sionary Auxiliary. Mrs. J. J. Davis Dresided A literary and musical price A. A. Strathbee, vice Dunlop, re-vertical therefore, were unavoidable. Refer-ing to the comparison between the commerce and the newest to banks to show the Commerce had less percentshow the Commerce had less percent-

the program were. Mesdames Murphy, Verdon, Husband, Goulding, Miss Flor-ence Brownlow and Miss Whaley. Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, the pastor, on behalf of the Epworth League and the Sunday Verdon, Husband, Goulding, Miss Flor-nece Brownlow and Miss Whaley. Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, the pastor, on behalf of the Epworth League and the Sunday school presented Miss High Addition Addition and the Sunday School Presented Miss High Addition Addition and the School Presented Miss High Addition Addition and the School Presented Miss High Addition Addition and the School Presented Miss High Addition and the High comparison. Any new bank on this basis was making its position worse with each addition to its customers. The figures properly used were the strongest evidence of esteem in which sunday school, presented Miss Addie from L Company, first battalion, vice the Commerce is held, because they

Old Gateman Dead.

indicated extent to which people do business with this bank. The propor-tion of assets to their public liabilifirst battalion, Corp. L. Blackford Corp. W. J. Bothwell, F. Company, ties of several banks at the end of January was Commerce 117 per cent. second battalion, Corp. G. F. Boyce. Montreal 119 per cent.; Doin nior 124 K. Company, second battalion, Pte. G. per cent.; Merchants 126 per cent.; Andrews. As corporals: F Company, second battalion, Pte. F. Barnes. I Nova Scotia 127 per cent.

The next point dealt with was loss Company, second battalion, Pte. J. W of deposits. It was stated by Mr. Walker that all banks found that depositors had drawn upon their bal-ST. JOHN, N.B., April 1.—The death took place this morning of Isaac Ste-vens, aged 78 years, and until recently ances in much closer manner when money was easier. All banks

had experienced the same result from greater scarcity of money. Mr. Pringle concluded by saying that he did not take back anything he had urged in support of his amendments to the act, but if he had conveyed the impression that the Bank of Com-merce was a gambling bank, he would withdraw the statement. Mr. Kemp read Mr. Walker's letter

in full. An Absolute Lie.

W. H. Bennett, rising to a question of privilege, read an article from Le



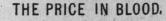
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had received a letter from B. E. Walker, President of the Bank of Com-merce, objecting to some of Mr. Pringle's statements, and the member for Cornwall thought it due to the Rank of Communication of the minister of marine and fisheries said his accusers were taint-ed by persons who boodled with money of the I.O.F., like Foster. Fowler and Bennett. Mr. Bennett said

acterizing the reference to himself as an "absolute lie."

Dr. Sproule asked if the government intended taking steps to prevent the importation of cattle and horses from the United States which are being brought in and sold in such large numbers as thorobreds for breeding purposes, but which are not in reality eligible for registration in Canadian herd books,

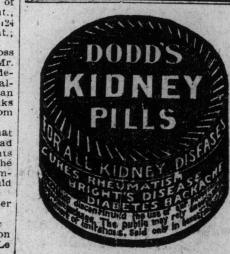
The minister of customs said regulations for the entry of cattle and horses for improvement of stock have continued the same as when established by order in council in 1887. regulations do not require animals for nprovement of stock to be eligible for registration in Canadian herd books and the question of amending them is and has been under consideration. E. H. Lewis introduced a bill mend the criminal code respecting injuries to persons due to motor ve hicles. It provides a penalty of two years' imprisonment on drivers and wners of automobiles.



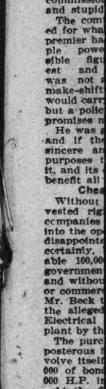
Fifty Lives on One Section of Grand Trunk Pacific.

WINNIPEG, April 1.-A staff repre sentative of The Winnipeg Telegram has just returned from a trip of over 100 miles of line of the Grand Trunk age of assets in proportion to liabili-ties to the public, the letter pointed out that it was fallacious to make a blown to pieces during the past 12 bound car from which she had just alighted and was knocked down. months and as many more marred for Her side was strained and she was life removed to the Western Hospital.

The report is replete with figures. names and dates on which the tragedies have occurred. A statement is made that the fatalities are chiefly due to the inferior quality of explosives used



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States Government, for neglecting to report to the proper Suthorfness at Syracuse while allowed his liberty on parole, after serving a sentence for burglary. Mr. Kidd's Ambitions. OTTAWA, April 1.-Edward Kidd, who resigned from the house of com-mons to make a seat for R. L. Borden, after the opposition leader's defeat in 1904, is anxious to re-enter public life. It is looked upon as quite certain that Kidd and McIlroy will be the Conserva-tive nominees in the safest Tory seat the Dominion, the County Carleton.

Canoe Club at Shea's.

Two hundred and fifty members of the Toronto Canoe Club, with their friends, occupied the pit and lower

ocxes of Shea's Theatre last night. The

Failed to Report Parole. BROCKVILLE, April 1.—William Tomlinson, a native of Brockville, of respectable parentage, is now in the

county jail, awaiting extradition pro-ceedings commenced by the United

boxes and galleries were draped

club flowers.



Several papers were read and dis-