

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS.

Thursday, 24th September, 1896.

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By the Honourable Mr. Boulton :—

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- 1 September 21—That, in the opinion of the Senate, it will result in a benefit to the trade and prosperity of the country if the taxation on sugar is removed, and the revenue accruing therefrom replaced by increasing the excise on spirits to \$2.25 per gallon, and the duty on imported spirits to \$2.50 per gallon. The result of the tax imposed in May, 1895, being a reduction of 131,000,000 pounds in the imports of sugar during the past year.

By the Honourable Mr. Kirchhoffer :—

- 2 September 22—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the impropriety of Premiers of the various Provinces receiving appointments, or employment with emoluments attached, or promises of such from the Government of Canada; and will inquire of the Leader of the Senate if it is the intention of the Government to continue that policy?