# PROROGATION SET FOR THURSDAY

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Announces Termination of the Present Session.

## ESTIMATES ALL PASSED

Senators Completely Change the Character of Lord's Day Observance Bill.

will not be prosecuted for working on Sunday. Senator Macdonald, British Columbia, said Jews were not persecuted and slaughtered in Canada. They were treated well end what was good enough for Christians should be good enough for Jews.

Speaker Dandurand said the considered. Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked the policy of the government on the matter. Senator Scott said in the commons the government was divided. He proposed to vote for the amendment. It was defeated. The committee returned to the subsection relating to "Loading and unloading any ocean and grain laden" were dropped by a vote of 19 to 18 and permission granted to any vessel delayed by storm.

The amendments which concurred in and the third reading fixed for tomorrow.

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These amendments which are accepted by the government completely change the character of the bill. In some provinces the consent to a prosecution will have to be granted by the attorney general. Representatives of the Lords Day Alliance are almost distracted tonight at the Senate's action.

Trade With Australia
Commissioner Jarke in his report

to be One of Actual Revolution.

PREHISTORIC REMAINS.

Syracuse, N.Y., July 10.-A special the Post-Standard from Watertown, N. Y., says: "In the vicinity of Redman, in this city, they are digging up the remains of a prehistoric people. Within a few days eighteen skeletons have been unearthed on the farm of Homer J. Heath. H. R. Arrington, Field, archaeologist for the Peabody museum of Harvard University, has been directing the examination, work been directing the examination work in a hillside pasture. The bones will be placed in a museum."

REDUCED STEERAGE RATES.

Bremen, July 10—The North German Lloyds Steamship Company today re-duced the steerage rate to New York

Hamburg, July 10.—The reduction of French Authority Deems Situation

to be One of Actual ation begins to look like a rate war

MUTINY STILL SPREADS.

Eighteen Out of Thirty McGill Matriculations Captured By Province.

VICTORIA

Astonishing Performance of Mounted Police Sergeant in Tracking Convict.

Observance Bill.

Or 1997. And the displacement of the second control of the cont MONTREAL, July 10.—Eighteen scholars from British Columbia schools figure in the first thirty names of successful matriculations they discovered Kerr's tracks at a place called Two Lakes, where the prisoner had stopped to put on his shoes

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returns for the first week since organization total \$615,715.82.

N. W. M. P. Sleuth

J. K. Cornwall, who returned from the north on Saturday evening, tells of an adventure which Sergeant Rockwell of the N. W. M. P. experienced while bringing in a prisoner from the an adventure which Sergeant Rock-well of the N. W. M. P. experienced while bringing in a prisoner from the landing to stand trial at Edmonton. Sergeant Rockwell is a big, strapping fellow—one of the biggest on the force. The prisoner was given into his charge at the landing last week, charged with theft, and was committed for trial at Edmonton. Sergeant Rockwell started for Edmonton with the prisoner, Kerr, last Tuesday, and reached Egge's stopping place without mishap, where they were to spend the night. The sergeant mounted guard over his prisoner during the night, but, not feeling well, sat down with his back to the door and facing the bed on which the prisoner slept. He dozed off for a few minutes, and when he awoke Kerr had disappeared. The prisoner had effected his escape by crawling over the bed and

Out Through the Window making off into the bush with his shoes in his hands. Sergeant Rockwell was on the chase in a short time, but it was dark, and he hunted for a trease of Kerr's tracks in vain. He

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BIG ESTATE FOR PRINCE OLAF.

the Christiania correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, Miss Ada Musgrave, an Englishwoman, has presented Crown Prince Olaf with the beautiful estate of Solstralle, on the island of Godoe.

TOKIO TO BORROW MILLIONS

London, July 10.—In a dispatch from Tokio the correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says the municipality of Tokio will contract a loan of \$7,500.000 at 5 per cent, issue price 96, with a foreign syndicate. The purpose of the loan is the redemption of the water works loan bonds and the bonds of other municipal undertakings. The issueing houses are the Yokohama Specie bank, London, and two London banks.

GANADA'S GRO

Facts and Figures Been Covered By Whitewash.

PARLIAMENT INVE

Where the Taxpave Goes and Who Ge of It

Ottawa, Jun The Arctic enquiry has cexpected, with a majority washing the whole affair, the minority condemning gance and the impruden with the purchases and rewith the purchases and rethe investigation could no fective Messrs. Northrough the month of the messrs or the messrs or the messrs of clothing for 34 average of \$700 each, which the believes to be an usne the messrs of the mes tity and cost.

Though purchases amou 000 were made, the amo \$19,780 from one firm, no

asked for and there was limitation in the price. That the original requis plies made by Capt. Berni on the supposed needs of, polar expedition and was for that, whereas it was that the Arctic should do a trol the coast of Huds neighboring waters, and it that supplies would be se another ship every year. That notwithstanding th it other persons than Cap dered or procured furth quantities of goods, espet tobacco and other luxurie there was no requisition sity. Among the questiona there was no requisition sity. Among the questions were immense quantities of ing, medical supplies cost bacco and cigers to the cand about \$2,000 worth of ifficates of the receipt of have been sent on board withree and sometimes four cluding the captain, pursteward, and yet it was sevidence of the same official had not examined the concases, had no personal with the matter, and only significantly writtee desired to have an investigation into the quantermaining on the ship on he majority refused, and the compelled to accept the control of the concept of the control of the concept of the control of t

Excessive Pri That the department pound for 8,000 pounds called permission, which, as ed, is ordinary meat, dri pounded and mixed with rants. At the last day of the manager of the largest ade engaged in packing in ling meat preparations wa testify that his firm would supply the same article board the Arctic in the sand quantity for 35 cents \$2,800, for what cost the 000.

That for 5,900 pounds department paid \$1.65 a the like goods could have \$1.10 a pound. The sup would at the rate in which on the ship have been thirteen years.

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That some of the goods paid for are not shown placed on board the ves large quantities of medical cigars and cigarettes seem disposed of in a way that ascertained. A considerab supplies appeared to have refreshments at the dances Esquimaux men and wom That the witness called mony concerning the prop mony concerning the prop paid for penmican, as ab not allowed to testify, claiming that the case ha On Thursday the major submitted to the House by of Lunenburg, chairman oubmitted to the House by of Lunenburg, chairman of tee, and the minority reported in amendment, by how with Mr. Bergeron, Mr. Stockton, Dr. Ried, at the leader of the opposities adoption. It should the majority found with the majority found with

its adoption. It should the majority found with tone matter. They agreed bacco supplied by Mr. As ite contractor, was over the rest they swallowed e Brodeur, the Minister of brodeur, the Minister of the debate on his side be that the whole charge a partment in the matter was a cowardly attack upon of the late Mr. Preform. Borden retorted by with all his faults Mr. Pr with all his faults Mr. Pre not have been such a co-to shield himself and his a hind the memory of a d and to throw the blame whole Cabinet was respo man who was no long speak for himself. In th jority report was adopted jority report was adopted by a straight party vote. Merwin's Rake The Department of Me further investigated in the