THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 93.

VOTES AND **PROCEEDINGS**

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FRIDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER, 1901.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. PACIFIC ISLAND LABOURERS BILL.—The Order of the Day for the third reading of this Bill having been read-

Bill, on the motion of Mr. Barton, read a third time.

3. INTER-STATE COMMISSION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Bill be now read a second time, having been read— Debate resumed.

Mr. Isaacs moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the resumption of the debate be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next.

- 4. PROPERTY ACQUISITION BILL.—The Order of the Day for the consideration of the Reports from the
 - Committee of the whole House on this Bill having been read—
 Sir William Lyne moved, That the Bill be now recommitted to a Committee of the whole House for the reconsideration of clauses 7, 8, 14, and 51.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

- Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; Mr. Chanter reported that the Committee had reconsidered the portions of the Bill referred to it and had agreed to the same with further amendments.
- On the motion of Mr. Deakin, the House ordered that the Standing Orders be suspended so as to allow the Bill to be passed through its remaining stages this day.
- Sir William Lyne moved, That the Reports from the Committee of the whole House on the Bill be now adopted.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Bill, on the motion of Sir William Lyne, read a third time.

5. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Deakin moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- And then the House, at twenty-one minutes past two o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next, at half-past two o'clock p.m.
- Members Present.—All Members were present except—The Honorable Sir Philip Fysh, K.C.M.G., Messrs. Brown, Cameron, Conroy, Ewing, Harper, Higgins, McCay, McColl, F. E. McLean, the Right Honorable G. H. Reid, P.C., Messrs. Salmon, Sawers, and Bruce Smith.

C. GAVAN DUFFY, Clerk of the House of Representatives.