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# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

#### WEDNESDAY, 12TH FEBRUARY, 1902.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.

- 2. PAPER.—The following Paper was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :— Imports of Beet Sugar.—Return to an Order of the House dated 6th February, 1902.
- 3. WAYS AND MEANS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; Mr. Chanter reported that the Committee had made progress, and that he was directed to ask, That the Committee may have leave to sit again. Resolved—That the House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

4. ADJOURNMENT.—Sir George Turner moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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And then the House, at nine minutes to eleven o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow, at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present except—The Minister of Home Affairs (the Honorable Sir William Lyne, K.C.M.G.), the Right Honorable Sir Edward Braddon, P.C., Messrs. Cameron, Conroy, Winter Cooke, Hughes, F. E. McLean, Page, Piesse, the Right Honorable G. H. Reid, P.C., Messrs. Sydney Smith, Spence, and Watson.

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

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