THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH AUGUST, 1902.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Customs Tariff Bill—Senate's Requests.—The Order of the Day for the further consideration in Committee of the whole House of the Requests made by the Senate in regard to this Bill having been read—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 considered the Requests made by the Senate, and had agreed to certain resolutions.
 - Ordered—That the consideration of the Report be made an Order of the Day for to-morrow.
- 3. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Deakin moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question-put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House, at forty-eight minutes past 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 Prime Minister* (the Right Honorable Sir Edmund Barton, P.C., G.C.M.G.), the Minister of Home Affairs (the Honorable Sir William Lyne, K.C.M.G.), the Minister of Defence* (the Right Honorable Sir John Forrest, P.C., G.C.M.G.), Mr. Bamford, the Right Honorable Sir Edward Braddon, P.C., K.C.M.G., Messrs. Cameron, Chapman,* Cruickshank,* Ewing, Fisher,* Fuller, Harper,* Knox,* Macdonald-Paterson, McColl, F. E. McLean, Page, the Right Honorable G. H. Reid, P.C., Messrs. Sawers, Bruce Smith, and Wilks.*

* On leave.

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