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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.
CANBERRA.

No. 184.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, 7TH JUNE, 1928.

1. The House met, at eleven o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable Sir Littleton Groom) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION BILL (No. 2) (1927).—The Order of the Day having been read for the further consideration of this Bill in Committee of the whole House—Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

(In the Committee.)

Clause 8—

Debate resumed on the following proposed amendment of Mr. Latham (Attorney-General):—That after " Court " (page 3, line 10) the words " dealing with the matter " be inserted.

Amendment, by leave, temporarily withdrawn.

Mr. Rodgers moved, as an amendment, That paragraph (b) of proposed sub-section (2.) (page 3, lines 1-3) be omitted.

Debate continued.

Question—That the paragraph proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Aubrey Abbott	Mr. Killen
Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Latham
Mr. Bruce	Mr. Ley
Mr. Donald Cameron	Mr. Lister
Mr. Malcolm Cameron	Mr. Mackay
Mr. Robert Cook	Mr. Mann
Mr. Corser	Mr. Marks
Mr. Duncan-Hughes	Mr. Maxwell
Mr. R. W. Foster	Mr. Nott
Mr. Grosvenor Francis	Mr. Earle Page
Mr. Josiah Francis	Mr. Parkhill
Sir John Gellibrand	Mr. Parsons
Mr. Gibson	Mr. Prowse
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Seabrook
Mr. Gullett	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hill	
Mr. Hurry	
Mr. Jackson	
Sir Elliot Johnson	

Tellers:

Mr. Hunter
Mr. Manning

Noes, 24.

Mr. Anstey	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Blakeley	Mr. Edward Riley
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Scullin
Mr. Coleman	Mr. Theodore
Mr. Albert Green	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Hughes	Mr. William Watson
Mr. Lacey	Mr. West
Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Yates
Mr. Makin	
Mr. W. Maloney	
Mr. Mathews	
Mr. McGrath	

Tellers:

Mr. Fenton
Mr. E. C. Riley

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Latham again moved, as an amendment, That after " Court " (page 3, line 10) the words " dealing with the matter " be inserted.

Debate ensued.

Amendment agreed to.

On the motion of Mr. Latham, the following further amendment was made :—Page 3, line 18, after " Court " insert " dealing with the matter ".

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Debate on clause continued.

Question—That the clause, as amended, be agreed to—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 36.		Noes, 20.	
Mr. Aubrey Abbott	Sir Elliot Johnson	Mr. Anstey	Mr. Edward Riley
Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Killen	Mr. Blakeley	Mr. E. C. Riley
Mr. Bruce	Mr. Latham	Mr. Brennan	Mr. Scullin
Mr. Donald Cameron	Mr. Ley	Mr. Charlton	Mr. Theodore
Mr. Malcolm Cameron	Mr. Lister	Mr. Coleman	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Corser	Mr. Mackay	Mr. Albert Green	Mr. West
Mr. Duncan-Hughes	Mr. Marks	Mr. Lacey	Mr. Yates
Mr. R. W. Foster	Mr. Marr	Mr. Makin	
Mr. Grosvenor Francis	Mr. Maxwell	Mr. W. Maloney	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Josiah Francis	Mr. Nott	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Fenton
Sir John Gellibrand	Mr. Earle Page	Mr. Parker Moloney	Mr. Lazzarini
Mr. Gibson	Mr. Parkhill		
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Parsons		
Mr. Gullett	Mr. Seabrook		
Mr. Hill	Mr. Thompson		
Sir Neville Howse			
Mr. Hughes	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Hurry	Mr. Hunter		
Mr. Jackson	Mr. Manning		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Clause 9 agreed to.

Clause 10 debated—

Mr. Latham moved, as an amendment, That after " Court " (page 3, line 43) the words " dealing with the matter " be inserted.

Debate continued.

Amendment agreed to.

Question—That the clause, as amended, be agreed to—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 31.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Aubrey Abbott	Mr. Ley	Mr. Anstey	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Lister	Mr. Blakeley	Mr. Edward Riley
Mr. Bruce	Mr. Mackay	Mr. Brennan	Mr. E. C. Riley
Mr. Donald Cameron	Mr. Marks	Mr. Charlton	Mr. Scullin
Mr. Malcolm Cameron	Mr. Marr	Mr. Albert Green	Mr. Watkins
Mr. R. W. Foster	Mr. Maxwell	Mr. Lacey	Mr. West
Mr. Grosvenor Francis	Mr. Nott	Mr. Lazzarini	
Mr. Josiah Francis	Mr. Earle Page	Mr. Makin	<i>Tellers:</i>
Sir John Gellibrand	Mr. Parkhill	Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Fenton
Mr. Gibson	Mr. Parsons	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Yates
Mr. Gullett	Mr. Rodgers		
Mr. Hill	Mr. Seabrook		
Sir Neville Howse			
Mr. Hurry	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Jackson	Mr. Hunter		
Mr. Killen	Mr. Manning		
Mr. Latham			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Clauses 11 to 13 agreed to.

Clause 14—

Progress to be reported, and leave asked to sit again.

The House resumed; Mr. Duncan-Hughes reported accordingly.

Resolved—That the House will, at the next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

3. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Bruce (Prime Minister) moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at eleven o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—
Mr. Bell, Mr. Bowden*, Mr. Forde, Mr. Gardner, Mr. Roland Green, Mr. Lambert, Mr. Thomas Paterson, Mr. Perkins, Mr. Stewart, and Mr. Watt.

* On leave.

E. W. PARKES,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.