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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA,
CANBERRA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 60.

WEDNESDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER, 1935.

1. The House met, at three o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable G. J. Bell) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—
Defence Act—Regulations Amended—Statutory Rules 1935, No. 106.
Railways Act—Report on Commonwealth Railways Operations for year 1934-35.
3. MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.—ASSENT TO BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor-General was received, and was read by Mr. Speaker:—
ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Governor-General. *Message No. 57.*
A Proposed Law intituled "*Primary Producers Relief Act 1935*" as finally passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth, having been presented to the Governor-General for the Royal Assent, His Excellency has, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, assented to the said Law.
Melbourne,
4th November, 1935.
4. SANCTIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Bill be now read a second time—
Debate resumed.
Mr. E. J. HARRISON addressing the House and not having concluded his speech—the House ordered that the honorable Member have leave to continue his speech when the debate is resumed.
Ordered—That the debate be now adjourned, and that the resumption of the debate be made an Order of the Day for a later hour this day.
5. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—LEAVE TO MAKE NOT GRANTED.—Mr. Lyons (Prime Minister) asked leave to make a Ministerial Statement.
Objection being raised, leave not granted.
6. SANCTIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the question, That the Bill be now read a second time—
Debate resumed.
Mr. Lyons (Prime Minister) moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—put.
The House divided (The Speaker, Mr. Bell, in the Chair)—

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Aubrey Abbott	Mr. McBride
Mr. A. G. Cameron	Mr. McCall
Sir Donald Cameron	Mr. Nairn
Mr. Thomas Collins	Mr. Nock
Mr. Bernard Corser	Mr. Earle Page
Mr. Fiske	Mr. Parkhill
Mr. Josiah Francis	Mr. Thomas Paterson
Mr. Roland Green	Mr. Price
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Prowse
Sir Littleton Groom	Mr. Scholfield
Mr. E. J. Harrison	Mr. Stacey
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Thorby
Mr. Hunter	
Mr. Jennings	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Lane	
Mr. Lyons	Mr. Gardner
Sir Charles Marr	Mr. Thompson

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Mr. Baker	Mr. Lazzarini
Mr. Barnard	Mr. G. W. Mahoney
Mr. Beasley	Mr. Martens
Mr. Blackburn	Mr. Mulcahy
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Clark	Mr. Rosevear
Mr. Curtin	Mr. Scullin
Mr. Drakeford	Mr. Ward
Mr. Forde	Mr. D. O. Watkins
Mr. Garden	
Mr. Albert Green	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Holloway	Mr. Gander
Mr. James	Mr. George Lawson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That the resumption of the debate be made an Order of the Day for a later hour this day.

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7. RESIGNATION OF MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND REPATRIATION (The Right Honorable W. M. Hughes)—
CORRESPONDENCE—MOTION FOR PRINTING PAPER.—Mr. Lyons (Prime Minister) laid upon the Table,
by command of His Excellency the Governor-General, the following Paper :—

Resignation of Minister for Health and Repatriation (The Right Honorable W. M. Hughes)—
Correspondence—

and moved, That the Paper be printed.

Debate ensued.

Mr. Earle Page (Minister for Commerce) moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—put.

The House divided (The Speaker, Mr. Bell, in the Chair)—

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Aubrey Abbott	Mr. McBride
Mr. A. G. Cameron	Mr. McCall
Sir Donald Cameron	Mr. Nairn
Mr. Thomas Collins	Mr. Nock
Mr. Bernard Corser	Mr. Earle Page
Mr. Fiske	Mr. Parkhill
Mr. Josiah Francis	Mr. Thomas Paterson
Mr. Roland Green	Mr. Price
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Prowse
Sir Littleton Groom	Mr. Scholfield
Mr. E. J. Harrison	Mr. Stacey
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Thorby

Tellers:

Mr. Lane	Mr. Gardner
Mr. Lyons	Mr. Thompson
Sir Charles Marr	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

8. SANCTIONS BILL.—The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the
question, That the Bill be now read a second time—

Debate resumed.

Sir Charles Marr moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—put.

The House divided (The Speaker, Mr. Bell, in the Chair)—

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Aubrey Abbott	Mr. Nairn
Mr. A. G. Cameron	Mr. Nock
Sir Donald Cameron	Mr. Earle Page
Mr. Thomas Collins	Mr. Parkhill
Mr. Bernard Corser	Mr. Thomas Paterson
Mr. J. V. Fairbairn	Mr. Prowse
Mr. Fiske	Mr. Scholfield
Mr. Josiah Francis	Mr. Stacey
Sir Littleton Groom	Mr. Street
Mr. E. J. Harrison	Mr. Thorby
Mr. Hunter	Mr. White

Tellers:

Mr. Lane	Mr. Gardner
Sir Charles Marr	Mr. Thompson
Mr. McBride	
Mr. McCall	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

9. PAPER.—The following Paper was presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General—
Wheat Industry—Report of Proceedings of Conference convened by the Minister for Commerce,
held at Canberra, 4th to 7th October, 1935.

Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be printed.

10. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Parkhill (Minister for Defence) moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at six 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 (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Blain,
Mr. Casey, Mr. Frost*, Sir Henry Gullett*, Mr. E. F. Harrison, Mr. Hawker, Mr. Holt,
Mr. Hutchinson*, Mr. John Lawson*, Mr. Makin*, Mr. W. Maloney, Mr. McClelland, Mr. McEwen,
Mr. Menzies, Mr. Perkins*, and Sir Frederick Stewart*.

* On leave.

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