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## THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 52.

FRIDAY, 22ND JUNE, 1945.

1. The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable J. S. Rosevear) took the Chair, and read Prayers.

2. MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Messages from the Senate :—

*[Invalid and Old-age Pensions Appropriation Bill 1945]*—

MR. SPEAKER,

*Message No. 9.*

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for “ *An Act to grant and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund a sum for Invalid and Old-age Pensions* ”, and acquaints the House that the Senate has agreed to the Bill without amendment.

GORDON BROWN,  
President.

The Senate,  
Canberra, 22nd June, 1945.

*[Invalid and Old-age Pensions Bill 1945]*—

MR. SPEAKER,

*Message No. 10.*

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act 1908-1944’* ”, and acquaints the House that the Senate has agreed to the Bill without amendment.

GORDON BROWN,  
President.

The Senate,  
Canberra, 22nd June, 1945.

3. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—

National Security Act—

National Security (Army Inventions) Regulations—Order—Inventions and designs.

National Security (Rationing) Regulations—Order—No. 92.

4. BANKING BILL 1945.—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. Martens moved, That the debate be now adjourned.

Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and passed.

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

5. MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Messages from the Senate :—

*[Appropriation Bill (No. 2) 1944-45]*—

MR. SPEAKER,

*Message No. 11.*

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for “ *An Act to grant and apply an additional sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty-five, and to appropriate such sum* ”, and acquaints the House that the Senate has agreed to the Bill without requests.

GORDON BROWN,  
President.

The Senate,  
Canberra, 22nd June, 1945.

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[Supply Bill (No. 1) 1945-46]—

MR. SPEAKER,

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for “ *An Act to grant and apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty-six* ”, and acquaints the House that the Senate has agreed to the Bill without requests.

The Senate,  
Canberra, 22nd June, 1945.

GORDON BROWN,  
President.

Message No. 12.

[Child Endowment Bill 1945]—

MR. SPEAKER,

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for “ *An Act to amend the ‘ Child Endowment Act 1941-1942 ’* ”, and acquaints the House that the Senate has agreed to the Bill without amendment.

The Senate,  
Canberra, 22nd June, 1945.

GORDON BROWN,  
President.

Message No. 13.

6. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Chifley (Acting Prime Minister) moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

*Closure.*—Mr. Morgan moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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

Ayes, 24.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Morgan	Mr. Bowden	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Burke	Mr. Mountjoy	Mr. Cameron	Mr. White
Mr. Chambers	Mr. Riordan	Mr. Harrison	
Mr. Chifley	Mr. Russell	Mr. Holt	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Daly	Mr. Scullin	Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Fraser	Mr. Sheehy	Mr. Hutchinson	Mr. Guy
Mr. Frost	Mr. Smith	Mr. Rankin	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Gaha	Mr. Ward		
Mr. Hadley	Mr. Williams		
Mr. Haylen			
Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Lemmon	Mr. Bryson		
Mr. Makin	Mr. Sheehan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the House do now adjourn—being accordingly put—

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

Ayes, 24.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Morgan	Mr. Bowden	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Burke	Mr. Mountjoy	Mr. Cameron	Mr. White
Mr. Chambers	Mr. Riordan	Mr. Harrison	
Mr. Chifley	Mr. Russell	Mr. Holt	<i>Tellers:</i>
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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House, at six minutes past four o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next at three o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr. Adcrmann, Mr. Anthony, Mr. Blain\*, Mr. Brennan, Mr. Clark, Mr. Coles, Mr. Conclan, Mr. Curtin\*, Mr. Drakeford, Mr. Evatt\*, Mr. Falstein, Mr. Forde\*, Mr. Francis, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Langtry, Dame Enid Lyons, Mr. McEwen\*, Mr. McLeod, Mr. Menzies, Mr. Mulcahy, Mr. Pollard\*, Sir Frederick Stewart, Mr. Watkins, and Mr. Wilson.

\* On leave.

F. C. GREEN,  
*Clerk of the House of Representatives.*