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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 46.

FRIDAY, 2ND MAY, 1947.

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. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—
Defence (Transitional Provisions) Act—National Security (Industrial Property) Regulations—
Orders—Inventions and designs (109).
3. FINANCIAL STATEMENT—MOTION FOR PRINTING PAPER.—The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the following motion of Mr. Chifley (Treasurer), That the Paper [*presented on the 25th March, 1947*], viz. :—
Financial Statement by the Right Honorable J. B. Chifley, M.P., Treasurer—
be printed—
Debate resumed.
Mr. Beazley 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.
4. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Evatt (Attorney-General) moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at twenty-six minutes to 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. Abbott, Mr. Adermann, Mr. Beale, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Conelan, Mr. Daly, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Drakeford, Mr. Duthie, Mr. Edmonds, Mr. Fadden, Mr. Gullett, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Holloway, Mr. Holt, Mr. Howse, Mr. Lang, Mr. Langtry, Mr. McEwen, Sir Earle Page, Mr. Riordan, Mr. Russell, Mr. Scully and Mr. Spender.

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