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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 86.

WEDNESDAY, 1ST JUNE, 1949.

1. The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—The Deputy Speaker (Mr. Clark) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. PAPER.—The following Paper was presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General—
Australian Youth—Correspondence between the Minister for Immigration and organizations alleged to represent the Youth of Australia regarding a request to the Minister for him to receive a deputation from such organizations.
Ordered to lie on the Table.
3. PRECEDENCE TO GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.—Mr. Chifley (Prime Minister) moved, pursuant to notice, That Government Business shall take precedence over General Business to-morrow.
Debate ensued.
Question—put.
The House divided (The Deputy Speaker, Mr. Clark, in the Chair)—

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Johnson
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Langtry
Mr. Burke	Mr. Lemmon
Mr. Calwell	Mr. McLeod
Mr. Chambers	Mr. O'Connor
Mr. Chifley	Mr. Pollard
Mr. Conelan	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Daly	Mr. Russell
Mr. Dedman	Mr. Scully
Mr. Drakeford	Mr. Sheehy
Mr. Duthie	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Edmonds	Mr. Ward
Mr. Falstein	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Fraser	
Mr. Hadley	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Haylen	Mr. Fuller
Mr. Holloway	Mr. Sheehan

Noes, 26.

Mr. Abbott	Mr. Howse
Mr. Adermann	Mr. Lang
Mr. Anthony	Mr. McBride
Mr. Beale	Mr. Menzies
Mrs. Blackburn	Sir Earle Page
Mr. Bowden	Mr. Rankin
Mr. Cameron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Spender
Mr. Fadden	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Falkinder	Mr. White
Mr. Francis	
Mr. Hamilton	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Harrison	Mr. Corser
Mr. Holt	Mr. McDonald

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

4. WAR-TIME REFUGEES REMOVAL BILL 1949.—Mr. Calwell (Minister for Immigration) moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to provide for the Removal from Australia of certain Persons who entered Australia during the Period of Hostilities.
Question—put and passed.
5. IMMIGRATION BILL 1949.—Mr. Calwell (Minister for Immigration) moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the *Immigration Act* 1901-1948, and for other purposes.
Question—put and passed.
6. APPROPRIATION BILL (No. 2) 1948-49.—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.
Member named and suspended.—Mr. Deputy Speaker named the Right Honorable Member for Kooyong (Mr. Menzies) for persistently interjecting.
Mr. Calwell (Minister for Information) moved, That the Right Honorable Member for Kooyong be suspended from the service of the House.
Question—put.

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

Ayes, 31.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Barnard	Mr. Lang	Mr. Abbott	Mr. Howse
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Langtry	Mr. Adermann	Mr. Hughes
Mrs. Blackburn	Mr. Lemmon	Mr. Anthony	Dame Enid Lyons
Mr. Burke	Mr. McLeod	Mr. Beale	Mr. McBride
Mr. Calwell	Mr. O'Connor	Mr. Bowden	Mr. Menzies
Mr. Chambers	Mr. Pollard	Mr. Cameron	Mr. Rankin
Mr. Chifley	Mr. Riordan	Mr. Davidson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Daly	Mr. Russell	Mr. Fadden	Mr. Spender
Mr. Dedman	Mr. Scully	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Drakeford	Mr. Sheehy	Mr. Francis	Mr. White
Mr. Duthie	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Gullett	
Mr. Edmonds	Mr. Ward	Mr. Hamilton	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Falstein	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Harrison	Mr. Corser
Mr. Fraser	Mr. Williams	Mr. Holt	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Hadley			
Mr. Haylen	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Holloway	Mr. Fuller		
Mr. Johnson	Mr. Sheehan		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

The Right Honorable Member was, therefore, under Standing Order No. 59, suspended for the remainder of the day's sitting, and he accordingly withdrew from the Chamber.

Mr. Calwell addressing the House—

Closure of Member moved.—Mr. Turnbull moved, That the honorable Member be not further heard.

Question—put.

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

Ayes, 25.		Noes, 34.	
Mr. Abbott	Mr. Howse	Mr. Barnard	Mr. Lang
Mr. Adermann	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Beazley	Mr. Langtry
Mr. Anthony	Dame Enid Lyons	Mrs. Blackburn	Mr. Lemmon
Mr. Beale	Mr. McBride	Mr. Burke	Mr. McLeod
Mr. Bowden	Mr. Rankin	Mr. Calwell	Mr. O'Connor
Mr. Cameron	Mr. Ryan	Mr. Chambers	Mr. Pollard
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Spender	Mr. Chifley	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Fadden	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Daly	Mr. Russell
Mr. Falkinder	Mr. White	Mr. Dedman	Mr. Scully
Mr. Francis		Mr. Drakeford	Mr. Sheehy
Mr. Gullett	<i>Tellers:</i>	Mr. Duthie	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Hamilton	Mr. Corser	Mr. Edmonds	Mr. Ward
Mr. Holt	Mr. McDonald	Mr. Falstein	Mr. Watkins
		Mr. Fraser	Mr. Williams
		Mr. Hadley	
		Mr. Haylen	<i>Tellers:</i>
		Mr. Holloway	Mr. Fuller
		Mr. Johnson	Mr. Sheehan

And so it was negatived.

Mr. Calwell continuing to address the House and not having concluded his speech at the termination of the time allowed by Standing Order No. 257B—

Mr. Scully (Vice-President of the Executive Council) moved, That the honorable Member be granted an extension of time.

Question—put.

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

Ayes, 33.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Barnard	Mr. Langtry	Mr. Abbott	Mr. Howse
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Lemmon	Mr. Adermann	Mr. Hughes
Mrs. Blackburn	Mr. McLeod	Mr. Anthony	Mr. Hutchinson
Mr. Burke	Mr. O'Connor	Mr. Beale	Dame Enid Lyons
Mr. Calwell	Mr. Pollard	Mr. Bowden	Mr. McBride
Mr. Chambers	Mr. Riordan	Mr. Cameron	Mr. Rankin
Mr. Daly	Mr. Russell	Mr. Davidson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Dedman	Mr. Scully	Mr. Fadden	Mr. Spender
Mr. Drakeford	Mr. Sheehy	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Duthie	Mr. Thompson	Mr. Francis	Mr. White
Mr. Edmonds	Mr. Ward	Mr. Gullett	
Mr. Falstein	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Hamilton	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Fraser	Mr. Williams	Mr. Harrison	Mr. Corser
Mr. Hadley		Mr. Holt	Mr. McDonald
Mr. Haylen	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Holloway	Mr. Fuller		
Mr. Johnson	Mr. Sheehan		
Mr. Lang			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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Debate continued.

Mr. Holt moved, That Mr. Harrison be granted an extension of time.

Question—put.

The House divided (The Acting Deputy Speaker, Mr. Sheehy, in the Chair)—

Ayes, 27.		Noes, 31.	
Mr. Abbott	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Barnard	Mr. Langtry
Mr. Adermann	Mr. Hutchinson	Mr. Beazley	Mr. Lemmon
Mr. Anthony	Mr. Lang	Mr. Burke	Mr. McLeod
Mr. Beale	Dame Enid Lyons	Mr. Calwell	Mr. O'Connor
Mr. Bowden	Mr. McBride	Mr. Chambers	Mr. Pollard
Mr. Cameron	Mr. Rankin	Mr. Clark	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Ryan	Mr. Daly	Mr. Russell
Mr. Fadden	Mr. Spender	Mr. Dedman	Mr. Scully
Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Turnbull	Mr. Drakeford	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Francis	Mr. White	Mr. Duthie	Mr. Ward
Mr. Gullett		Mr. Edmonds	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Hamilton	<i>Tellers:</i>	Mr. Falstein	Mr. Williams
Mr. Harrison	Mr. Corser	Mr. Fraser	
Mr. Holt	Mr. McDonald	Mr. Hadley	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Howse		Mr. Haylen	Mr. Fuller
		Mr. Holloway	Mr. Sheehan
		Mr. Johnson	

And so it was negatived.

Debate continued.

Mr. Edmonds 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.

7. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Scully (Vice-President of the Executive Council) moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at four 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 (at some time during the sitting) except Mr. Blain, Mr. Brennan, Mr. Evatt, Mr. Gaha, Mr. James, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Lazzarini, Mr. Mulcahy, Mr. Rosevear and Mr. Scullin.

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