

1964.

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 46.

THURSDAY, 24TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

1. The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable Sir John McLeay) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. MOTION OF CENSURE OF GOVERNMENT.—Mr. Calwell (Leader of the Opposition) moved, pursuant to notice, That the Government deserves the censure of the House for the succession of naval disasters and misfortunes for which it is primarily responsible.

Debate ensued.

Mr. Benson rising to address the House—

Closure.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry) moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (The Speaker, Sir John McLeay, in the Chair)—

AYES, 63.

Mr. Adermann	Mr. Cockle	Mr. Gibson	Sir W. Kent Hughes	Mr. Shaw
Mr. Allan	Mr. Davis	Mr. Giles	Mr. Killen	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Anthony	Mr. Dean	Mr. Hallett	Mr. Mackay	Mr. Snedden
Mr. Barnes	Mr. Drury	Mr. Hasluck	Mr. Mackinnon	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Bate	Mr. England	Mr. Haworth	Mr. Maisey	Mr. Swartz
Mr. Bosman	Mr. G. D. Erwin	Mr. Holten	Mr. McEwen	Mr. Turner
Mr. Bowen	Mr. Failes	Mr. Howson	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Wentworth
Mr. Brimblecombe	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Hughes	Sir R. Menzies	Mr. Whittorn
Mr. Buchanan	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Hulme	Mr. Nixon	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Bury	Mr. Forbes	Mr. L. H. Irwin	Mr. Opperman	
Mr. K. M. K. Cairns	Mr. J. M. Fraser	Mr. Jack	Mr. Pettitt	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Chaney	Mr. Freeth	Mr. Jess	Mr. Robertson	Mr. Aston
Mr. Chipp	Mr. Gibbs	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Robinson	Mr. Turnbull

NOES, 39.

Mr. Barnard	Mr. Connor	Mr. Fulton	Mr. Luchetti	Mr. Reynolds
Mr. Beaton	Mr. Cope	Mr. Galvin	Mr. McIvor	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Costa	Mr. Gray	Mr. Minogue	Mr. Sexton
Mr. Benson	Mr. Crean	Mr. Harding	Mr. Mortimer	Mr. Uren
Mr. J. F. Cairns	Mr. Cross	Mr. Harrison	Mr. Nicholls	Mr. Whitlam
Mr. Calwell	Mr. Curtin	Mr. Hayden	Mr. O'Connor	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Clark	Mr. Davies	Mr. James	Mr. Peters	Mr. Duthie
Mr. Collard	Mr. Devine	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Pollard	Mr. Jones

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the motion be agreed to—being accordingly put—

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And so it was negatived.

3. DISCHARGE OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry) moved, by leave, That the following orders of the day, government business, be discharged:—
9. Loss of H.M.A.S. *Voyager*—Ministerial Statement—Motion to take note of paper—Resumption of debate upon the motion, That the House take note of the paper.
10. Loss of H.M.A.S. *Voyager*—Report of Royal Commissioner—Motion to take note of paper—Resumption of debate upon the motion, That the House take note of the paper.
- Question—put and passed.
4. PAPERS.—The following papers were presented, pursuant to statute—
- Commonwealth Police Act—Commonwealth Police Force—Fourth Annual Report, for year 1963–64.
- Tariff Board Act—Tariff Board—Report for year 1963–64, together with Summary of Recommendations.
5. APPROPRIATION BILL 1964–65.—The House, according to order, resolved itself into a committee of the whole for the further consideration of the Bill.

(In the committee.)

Second Schedule—

Proposed expenditures—

Department of Civil Aviation, £20,071,000—

Department of Shipping and Transport, £24,596,000—
together further debated.

Mr. Benson rising to address the committee—

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

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The committee divided (The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Mackinnon, in the Chair)—

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And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the proposed expenditures be agreed to—was put accordingly, and passed.

Proposed expenditures—

Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization, £14,135,000—

Department of National Development, £25,699,000—
together debated and agreed to.

Proposed expenditures—

Department of Customs and Excise, £6,771,000—

Department of Trade and Industry, £5,531,000—

Department of Primary Industry, £17,616,000—
together debated.

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

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The House resumed; Mr. Failes reported accordingly.

Ordered—That the House will, at the next sitting, again resolve itself into the said committee.

6. MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.—A message from the Senate was reported returning the following Bill without amendment:—

24th September, 1964—Message No. 75—Commonwealth Bureau of Roads 1964.

7. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry) moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at twenty-one minutes to twelve o'clock midnight, adjourned until Tuesday next at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr. Birrell, Mr. Bryant*, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Cleaver*, Mr. Courtney*, Mr. Coutts*, Sir John Cramer, Mr. Fairhall, Mr. A. D. Fraser*, Mr. Griffiths, Mr. Hansen, Mr. Holt, Mr. King*, Mr. Lindsay, Mr. Lucock* Mr. Stewart and Mr. Webb*.

* On leave.

A. G. TURNER,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.