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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 47.

TUESDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

1. The House met, at half-past two o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable Sir John McLeay) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. QUESTIONS.—Questions without notice were asked.
3. PAPERS.—The following papers were presented, pursuant to statute—
 Australian Coastal Shipping Commission Act—Australian Coastal Shipping Commission—Eighth Annual Report and financial statements, together with the Auditor-General's Report, for year 1963–64.
 Bankruptcy Act—Thirty-sixth Annual Report by the Attorney-General, for year 1963–64.
 Cattle and Beef Research Act—Australian Cattle and Beef Research Committee—Fourth Annual Report, for year 1963–64.
 Currency Act—Decimal Currency Board—First Annual Report, for year 1963–64, together with the Treasurer's Report on the operation of Part V of the Act.
4. ALTERATION OF HOUR OF NEXT MEETING.—Mr. Hasluck (Minister for External Affairs) moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until half-past three o'clock p.m. to-morrow.
 Question—put and passed.
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 Customs and Excise, £6,771,000—

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

Department of Primary Industry, £17,616,000—

together further debated.

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

The House resumed; Mr. Haworth reported accordingly.

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

6. MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.—Messages from the Senate were reported returning the following Bills without amendment:—
 29th September, 1964—Message—
 No. 76—Post and Telegraph Rates 1964.
 No. 77—Broadcasting and Television 1964.
 7. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry) moved, That the House do now adjourn.
 Question—put and passed.
- And then the House, at twenty-six minutes to six o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at half past three o'clock p.m.
- PAPERS.—The following papers were deemed to have been presented on the 29th September, 1964, pursuant to statute—
 Lands Acquisition Act—Easement acquired for lighthouse purposes—Marino Rocks, South Australia.
 Papua and New Guinea Act—Ordinances—1964—
 No. 38—Liquor (Licensing).
 No. 39—Customs Tariff.
 No. 40—Excise Tariff.
 Phosphate Fertilizers Bounty Act—Return for period 14th August, 1963 to 30th June, 1964.
 Public Service Act—Appointment—Department of Defence—A. L. Greenhill.
 Public Service Arbitration Act—Public Service Arbitrator—Determinations—1964—
 No. 92—Commonwealth Police Officers' Association.
 Nos. 93 and 94—Amalgamated Engineering Union and others.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr. Beazley, Mr. Bryant*, Mr. J. F. Cairns, Mr. Cleaver*, Mr. Courtney*, Mr. Coutts*, Sir John Cramer, Mr. Davies, Mr. Fairhall, Mr. A. D. Fraser*, Mr. Griffiths, Mr. Harrison, Mr. King*, Mr. Lucock*, Mr. Riordan and Mr. Webb*.

* On leave.

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

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