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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 121.

FRIDAY, 29TH OCTOBER, 1965.

1. The House met, at half-past nine o'clock a.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—
Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Act—Defence Forces Retirement Benefits Board—Sixteenth Annual Report, for year 1963-64.
Meat Industry Act—Australian Meat Board—Thirtieth Annual Report and financial statements, together with the Auditor-General's Report, for year 1964-65.
Superannuation Act—Superannuation Board—Forty-second Annual Report, for year 1963-64.
4. SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Hulme (Postmaster-General) moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday, the 9th November, at half-past two o'clock p.m.
Question—put and passed.
5. MEAT RESEARCH BILL 1965.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Cattle and Beef Research Act 1960-1964*.
Bill read a first time.
Mr. Adermann moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Debate adjourned (Mr. Pollard), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
6. LIVE-STOCK SLAUGHTER LEVY BILL 1965.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry) presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Live-stock Slaughter Levy Act 1964*.
Bill read a first time.
Mr. Adermann moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Debate adjourned (Mr. Pollard), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
7. MEAT INDUSTRY BILL 1965.—Mr. Adermann (Minister for Primary Industry), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend section 31 of the *Meat Industry Act 1964*, and for purposes connected therewith.
Bill read a first time.
Mr. Adermann moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Debate adjourned (Mr. Pollard), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
8. MATRIMONIAL CAUSES BILL 1965.—Mr. Snedden (Attorney-General), pursuant to notice, presented a Bill for an Act to amend the *Matrimonial Causes Act 1959*.
Bill read a first time.
Mr. Snedden moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Debate adjourned (Mr. Whitlam), and the resumption of the debate made an order of the day for the next sitting.
9. APPROPRIATION BILL (No. 1) 1965-66.—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—

Postmaster-General's Department, £135,730,000—

Broadcasting and Television Services, £20,104,000—

together debated and agreed to.

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Proposed expenditures—

Department of Social Services, £9,935,000—

Repatriation Department, £132,818,000—

together debated.

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

The House resumed; Mr. Stewart reported accordingly.

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

10. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Sinclair (Minister for Social Services) moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at twenty-three minutes to five o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, the 9th November, at half-past two o'clock p.m.

PAPERS.—The following papers were deemed to have been presented on the 29th October, 1965, pursuant to statute—

Air Force Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1965, No. 153.

Lands Acquisition Act—Easement acquired for postal purposes—West Perth, Western Australia.

National Health Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1965, Nos. 151, 152.

Public Service Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1965, Nos. 149, 150.

Repatriation (Special Overseas Service) Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1965, No. 154.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr. Bridges-Maxwell, Mr. Clark, Mr. Cockle, Mr. Connor, Mr. Drury, Mr. Duthie, Mr. Falkinder*, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Hayden, Mr. King, Mr. Lindsay, Mr. Mackinnon, Mr. McEwen*, Mr. Minogue, Mr. Nixon, Mr. Opperman, Mr. Sexton*, Mr. Stokes, Mr. Swartz and Mr. Uren*.

* On leave.

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