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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, 1907.

- . The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Petition.—Mr. Tilley Brown presented a Petition from the Wilberforce Gold-Dredging Company No Liability, Victoria, under its common seal, praying that the House will grant an exemption or rebate of the proposed duty, amounting to over £250, on a portable engine ordered from England by the said company, such engine being required of a type and size never made in Australia. Petition received and read.
- 3. Ways and Means.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

And the Committee continuing to sit till after midnight -

WEDNESDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, 1907.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; Mr. McDonald reported that the Committee had made progress, and that he was directed to ask, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved—That the House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

- 4. ALTERATION OF TIME OF NEXT MEETING.—Sir William Lyne moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until two o'clock this day.

 Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- 5. Adjournment.—Sir William Lyne moved, That the House do now adjourn. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House, at a quarter to three o'clock in the morning, adjourned until this day at two-o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Bowden, Mr. Crouch, Colonel Foxton, Mr. Glynn, Mr. Kelly*, Mr. Kingston*, Mr. Reid, and Mr. Sampson.

* On leave

C. GAVAN DUFFY,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.