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VOTES **PROCEEDINGS** AND

OF THE

HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES OF

FRIDAY, 19TH AUGUST, 1910.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Customs (Inter-State Accounts) Bill.—Mr. Tudor moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to repeal certain sections of the Customs Act 1901. Question—put and passed.

Mr. Tudor then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.

Question—put and passed.—Bill read a first time.

Ordered—That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Tuesday next.

3. Australian Notes Bill.—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.

Mr. Sampson 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 Tuesday next.

4. Message from the Senate.—Conciliation and Arbitration Bill (1910).—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Message from the Senate:-

MR. SPEAKER,

Message No. 9.

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for "An Act to amend the 'Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1909'", to which it has agreed with the amendments indicated in the annexed Schedule, in which amendments the Senate requests the concurrence of the House of Representatives.

The Senate,

Melbourne, 19th August, 1910.

H. TURLEY, President.

Ordered, by leave, That the foregoing Message be taken into consideration forthwith in Committee of the whole House.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

(In the Committee.)

The Committee proceeded to consider the amendments made by the Senate, which are as follow:—

SCHEDULE OF THE AMENDMENTS MADE BY THE SENATE.

No. 1.—Page 3, clause 7, line 8, after "amended" insert "—(a)". No. 2.—Page 3, clause 7, at end of clause add "and

(b) by adding thereto the following proviso:— Provided that a bona fide member or officer of an organization, or a boná fide employee of a party not being an organization, appearing in that capacity to represent the organization or party, shall not be deemed to be a counsel or solicitor or paid agent within the meaning of this section.'"

Amendment No. 1 agreed to.

Amendment No. 2 read.

Mr. Cook moved an amendment, That the amendment be amended by adding thereto the words—

"provided that he receives no fee, honorarium, or reward for such service other than the usual payment to him as salary or wages,".

Debate ensued.

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

The House resumed; Mr. Poynton reported accordingly.

Resolved-That the House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Fisher moved, That the House do now adjourn.
 Debate ensued.
 Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at sixteen minutes to five o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next at three-o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Chapman, Mr. Deakin, Mr. R. Edwards, Mr. Glynn, Mr. W. J. Johnson, Mr. Livingston, Sir John Quick, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Salmon, and Mr. Wynne.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.