### THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

#### No. 62.

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

#### WEDNESDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 1910.

- 1. The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Constitution Alteration (Legislative Powers) 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. Cook 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 to-morrow.

3. Message from the Senate.—Sugar Bounty Bill (1910) (No. 2).—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Message from the Senate:—

MR. SPEAKER,

Message No. 27.

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for "An Act to amend the Sugar Bounty Act 1905", to which it has agreed without amendment.

H. Turley, President.

The Senate, Melbourne, 19th October, 1910.

4. Message from the Senate.—Excise (Sugar) Bill (1910) (No. 2).—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Message from the Senate:—

MR. SPEAKER,

Message No. 28.

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for "An Act to amend the 'Excise Tariff 1905", to which it has agreed without requests.

The Senate,
Melbourne, 19th October, 1910.

H. Turley, President.

5. Papers.—Mr. Hughes presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General—Federation—Expenditure caused by Federation, 1910-11.
Postal Services—Royal Commission—Minutes of Evidence.
Severally ordered to lie on the Table.

6. Adjournment.—Mr. Hughes moved, That the House do now adjourn. Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at seven minutes to ten o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at half-past ten o'clock a.m.

Members Present.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Anstey, Mr. Atkinson, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Fairbairn, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Livingston, Sir William Lyne, Mr. Salmon, and Mr. Thomas.

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