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## THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 39.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, 27TH AUGUST, 1912.

1. The House met, at three o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. PAPERS.—Mr. O'Malley presented, pursuant to Statute—  
Electoral Act—Further Report, with Map, by the three Commissioners appointed for the purpose of redistributing the State of Queensland into Electoral Divisions.  
Seat of Government (Administration) Act—Ordinance of 1912—No. 4—Public Health.  
Mr. Thomas, for Mr. Frazer, presented, pursuant to Statute—  
Wireless Telegraphy Act—Regulation Amended (Provisional)—Statutory Rules 1912, No. 146.
3. SUPPLY [BUDGET DEBATE].—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

*(In the Committee.)*

Consideration resumed of the motion of Mr. Fisher (*see p. 76 ante*), That the first item in the Estimates, under Division I.—The Parliament—namely—

The President	...	...	...	£1,100
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be agreed to.

General debate continued.

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

The House resumed; Mr. Poynton reported accordingly.

Resolved—That the House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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

And then the House, at nineteen minutes to eleven o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Carr, Mr. Charlton, Mr. R. Edwards, Mr. Fairbairn, Mr. Frazer, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Greene, Mr. Hans Irvine\*, Sir William Lyne\*, Mr. McWilliams, Mr. Ryrie, Mr. Watkins, and Mr. Webster.

\* On leave.

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