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OF REPRESENTATIVES. HOUSE

WEDNESDAY, 4TH SEPTEMBER, 1912.

- 1. The House met, at half-past two o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. NORTHERN TERRITORY—CROWN LANDS ORDINANCE 1912—MOTION TO DISALLOW.—The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the following motion of Mr. Fuller:-That the Ordinance No. 3 of 1912 (an Ordinance relating to Crown Lands, entitled Crown Lands Ordinance 1912), made in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Northern Territory Acceptance

Act 1910 and the Northern Territory (Administration) Act 1910, be disallowed—

And on the following Amendment moved thereto by Mr. Poynton.—That the following words be added to the motion:—"until it be amended in such a way as will prevent any pastoral lands being let under perpetual lease conditions "-

Debate resumed.

Mr. Sampson addressing the House, and not having concluded his speech, the House ordered that he have leave to continue his speech when the debate is resumed.

Ordered-That the debate be now adjourned, and that the resumption of the debate be made an Order of the Day for to-morrow.

3. ALTERATION OF HOUR OF NEXT MEETING. - Mr. Fisher moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until half-past four o'clock to-morrow.

Debate ensued.

Question-put and passed.

4. ADJOURNMENT.-Mr. Fisher moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Question—put and passed.

- And then the House, at twenty-seven minutes past ten o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at halfpast four o'clock p.m.
- MEMBERS PRESENT. -- All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Sir Robert Best,
 Mr. Brown, Mr. Charlton, Mr. Greene, Mr. Howe, Mr. Hans Irvine*, Mr. Livingston, Sir William Lyne*, Mr. Mahon, and Mr. West.

* On leave.

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

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