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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 52.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, 19TH 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. PAPERS.—Mr. Fisher presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General—
Government House, Sydney—Copy of letter to be included in the correspondence between the Government of the Commonwealth and the Government of New South Wales respecting occupancy by the Governor-General.
Ordered to lie on the Table, and to be printed.
Mr. O'Malley presented, pursuant to Statute—
Census and Statistics Act—Regulation—Statutory Rules 1912, No. 184.
Northern Territory Lands Acquisition Ordinance—Land acquired under, at Goyder (Hundred of), County of Palmerston, Northern Territory—For Experimental Farms.
Public Service Act—Department of Home Affairs—Appointment of L. Haslam, as Draughtsman—Recommendations.
Mr. Roberts presented, pursuant to Statute—
Defence Act—Regulations Amended (Provisional)—
Universal Training—
Statutory Rules 1912, Nos. 176–178.
Military Forces—
Statutory Rules 1912, No. 175.
3. SUPPLY [“GRIEVANCE DAY”].—Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 241, the Order of the Day having been read for going into the Committee of Supply—
Question proposed—That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.
Debate ensued.
Mr. Palmer moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and passed.
Resolved—That the House will, to-morrow, 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 seven minutes to eleven 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. Cann, Mr. Carr, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Fairbairn, Mr. Frank J. Foster, Mr. Fowler, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Groom, Mr. Hans Irvine*, Mr. Livingston, Sir William Lyne, Mr. Mahon, Mr. McDougall, Mr. Riley, Mr. Sampson, Mr. Thomson, and Mr. Wise.

* On leave.

WALTER A. GALE,

*Clerk Assistant,**for Clerk of the House of Representatives.*