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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 90.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FRIDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER, 1912.

1. The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. PAPER.—Mr. Roberts presented, pursuant to Statute—
Defence Act—Regulations Amended (Provisional)—Military Forces—Financial and Allowance—
Statutory Rules 1912, No. 224.
3. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (TRADE AND COMMERCE) 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. W. Elliot Johnson 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 the next day of meeting.
4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered—That the remaining Orders of the Day, Government Business, be postponed until after Notice of Motion No. 1.
5. IMMIGRATION BILL (1912.)—Mr. Thomas moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the *Immigration Restriction Act 1901-1910*.
Question—put and passed.
Mr. Thomas 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 the next day of meeting.
6. SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Hughes moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Monday next at three o'clock p.m.
Question—put and passed.
7. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Hughes moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at nine minutes past four o'clock p.m., adjourned until Monday next at three o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Carr, Mr. Catts, Mr. R. Edwards*, Mr. Glynn, Mr. Harper, Mr. Hans Irvine*, Mr. Livingston, Sir William Lyne, Mr. McDougall, Mr. Bruce Smith, and Mr. Webster.

* On leave.

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