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## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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OF THE

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

## FRIDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER, 1901.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Petition.—Mr. Joseph Cook presented a Petition from certain residents of Lithgow and district, in the State of New South Wales, praying that the duty on galvanized iron be retained at the rate proposed by the Government.

  Petition received and read.
- Ways and Means.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
   Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; Mr. Chanter reported that the Committee had made progress, and that he was directed to ask, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.
   Resolved—That the House will, on Tuesday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
- ADJOURNMENT.—Sir George Turner moved, That the House do now adjourn.
   Debate ensued.
   Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House, at eight minutes to four o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next, at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present except—Messrs. Cruickshank, G. B. Edwards, Ewing, A. C. Groom, Harper, Higgins, Isaacs, McCay, F. E. McLean, the Right Honorable G. H. Reid, P.C., Messrs. Bruce Smith, Spence, and Wilks.

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