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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 178.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, 5TH JUNE, 1902.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
 2. STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE.—Sir William Lyne moved, by leave, That Mr. Deakin be a Member of the Standing Orders Committee, during the absence on leave of Mr. Barton.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 3. SUPPLY.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
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, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
 4. POSTPONEMENT OF ORDERS OF THE DAY.—Ordered, That the consideration of Orders of the Day, Government Business, Nos. 2 to 7 inclusive, be postponed until after the consideration of Order of the Day No. 8.
 5. ELECTORAL BILL.—The Order of the Day for the second reading of this Bill having been read—
Sir William Lyne moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Glynn moved, That the debate be now adjourned.
Question—That the debate be now adjourned—put and resolved in the affirmative.
Ordered—That the resumption of the debate be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.
 6. SUPPLY.—The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
Mr. Chanter, as Deputy Speaker, took the Chair; Mr. Kirwan 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.
 7. SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Deakin moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Tuesday next.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
 8. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Deakin moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the House, at twenty-six minutes past six o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next, at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present except—The Prime Minister (the Right Honorable Edmund Barton, P.C.), the Minister of Defence (the Right Honorable Sir John Forrest, P.C., G.C.M.G.), Mr. Batchelor, the Right Honorable Sir Edward Braddon, P.C., K.C.M.G., Messrs. Chapman, Conroy, Joseph Cook, Winter Cooke, Cruickshank, Fisher, Harper, Kennedy, Knox, Sir Malcolm McEacharn, Mr. F. E. McLean, Sir William McMillan, K.C.M.G., Mr. Phillips, the Right Honorable G. H. Reid, P.C., Messrs. Sawers, Bruce Smith, E. Solomon, and Willis.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,

Clerk of the House of Representatives.