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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA,
CANBERRA.

No. 172.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH MAY, 1928.

1. The House met, at half-past two o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable Sir Littleton Groom) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—
 - Northern Australia Act—Ordinances of 1928—
 - Central Australia—
 - No. 5—Venereal Diseases.
 - No. 6—Endemic Diseases.
 - No. 7—Prison.
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 - Public Service Act—Appointments of E. V. Keogh, F. Trenerry, E. A. North, and W. R. Trembath, Department of Health.
 - Railways Act—By-law No. 47.
 - Seat of Government Acceptance Act and Seat of Government (Administration) Act—Ordinances of 1928—
 - No. 8—Animals and Birds Protection.
 - No. 9—Cotter River.
 - No. 10—Pounds.
 - No. 11—Housing.
3. CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION BILL (No. 2) (1927).—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. Scullin (Leader of the Opposition) addressing the House and not having concluded his speech at the termination of the time allowed by Standing Order No. 257A—the honorable Member was given leave to continue his speech.
 - Mr. Blakeley addressing the House and not having concluded his speech [at the termination of the time allowed by Standing Order No. 257A—the honorable Member was given leave to continue his speech.
 - Mr. Makin addressing the House and not having concluded his speech—the House ordered that the honorable Member 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 the next sitting.
4. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Latham (Attorney-General) moved, That the House do now adjourn.
 - Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at two minutes to eleven o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—
Mr. Bell, Mr. Bowden, Mr. Grosvenor Francis, Mr. Jackson, Sir Elliot Johnson, Mr. Lambert, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Nelson, and Mr. Thompson.

E. W. PARKES,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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