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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA,
CANBERRA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 30.

FRIDAY, 20TH MAY, 1932.

1. **The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable G. H. Mackay) took the Chair, and read Prayers.**
2. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered, after debate—That Order of the Day No. 1 be postponed until after Order of the Day No. 2.
3. **IMMIGRATION BILL (1932).**—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. White 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 a later hour this day.
4. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered, after debate—That Order of the Day No. 1 be further postponed until after Order of the Day No. 3.
5. **CRIMES BILL (1932).**—The Order of the Day having been read for the second reading—Mr. Bruce (Assistant Treasurer) moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Mr. Blakeley 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 a later hour this day.
6. **POSTPONEMENT OF ORDER OF THE DAY.**—Ordered, after debate—That Order of the Day No. 1 be further postponed until a later hour this day.
7. **IMMIGRATION BILL (1932).**—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. Casey 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 sitting.
8. **MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.—INSCRIBED STOCK BILL (1932).**—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Message from the Senate :—

MR. SPEAKER,

Message No. 28.

The Senate has passed a Bill for " *An Act to amend the ' Commonwealth Inscribed Stock Act 1911-1927' ,*" and transmits the same to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

The Senate,
Canberra, 20th May, 1932.

WALTER KINGSMILL,
President.

Mr. Lyons (Treasurer) moved, That the Bill transmitted by the foregoing Message 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 sitting.

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9. ALTERATION OF DAY OF NEXT MEETING.—Mr. Lyons (Prime Minister) moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until Monday next at half-past two o'clock p.m.
Question—put and passed.
10. DEATH OF SENATOR SIR JOHN NEWLANDS.—Mr. Lyons (Prime Minister) having announced the death, that day, of Senator Sir John Newlands, moved, by leave, That this House expresses its deep regret at the death of Senator the Honorable Sir John Newlands, K.C.M.G., C.B.E., a former President of the Senate, places on record its appreciation of his distinguished service to Australia and tenders its sincere sympathy to his widow and family in their bereavement.
And Mr. Scullin (Leader of the Opposition) having seconded the motion, and Mr. Earle Page and Sir Littleton Groom having addressed the House in support thereof, and all Members present having risen, in silence—
Question—passed.
Resolved—That Mr. Speaker be requested to transmit to Lady Newlands the foregoing Resolution, together with a copy of the speeches delivered thereon.
11. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Lyons (Prime Minister) then moved, as a mark of respect, That the House do now adjourn.
Question—put and passed.
- And then the House, at fifteen minutes past three o'clock p.m., adjourned until Monday next at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Anstey, Mr. Beasley, Mr. Bernard Corser, Mr. Gander, Mr. Hunter*, Mr. Latham*, Mr. Makin, Mr. McGrath, Mr. Riordan, Mr. Rosevear, and Mr. Ward.

* On leave.

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