THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 105.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WEDNESDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 1904.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Sugar Mills aided by Queensland Government.—Mr. McWilliams moved, pursuant to notice, That a Return be laid upon the Table of the House showing—
 - (1) The number of sugar mills erected in Queensland for the cost of construction of which the Government of that State is directly or indirectly responsible.
 - (2) The conditions imposed by the Government on those on whose behalf the said mills were erected
 - (3) The number of such mills which have not fulfilled their monetary obligations to the State.
 - (4) The amount of arrears in interest and other liabilities (if any) owing in connexion with the mills, and total responsibilities therein of the State of Queensland.

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. Salmon 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, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

4. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Reid moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

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

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present except—Mr. Brown, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Conroy, Mr. Glynn, Mr. Harper, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Kingston, Mr. Bruce Smith, Sir George Turner, and Mr. Willis.

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