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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, STH AUGUST, 1905.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.-Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.

2. PETITION.—A Petition, praying that stringent prohibitory legislation against the importation and use of opium for other than medicinal purposes may be enacted, was presented as under :—

By Mr. R. Edwards-

From certain citizens of Brisbane and elsewhere, Queensland.

Petition received.

3. MESSAGE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.—MANUFACTURES ENCOURAGEMENT BILL.—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor-General was presented by Sir William Lyne, and the same was read by Mr. Speaker :—

NORTHCOTE,

Governor-General.

Message No. 6.

In accordance with the requirements of section 56 of The Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia, the Governor-General recommends to the House of Representatives that an appropriation of revenue and moneys be made for the purposes of a Bill for an Act for the Encouragement of Manufactures in the Commonwealth.

Government House,

Melbourne, 7th August, 1905.

Ordered—That the consideration of the foregoing Message in Committee of the whole House be made an Order of the Day for to-morrow.

4. PAPER.-Mr. Groom presented by command of His Excellency the Governor-General-

Federal Capital Site—Correspondence between the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth and the Premier of New South Wales, and various documents relating thereto.

- Ordered to lie on the Table.
- 5. CUSTOMS LOCKERS-OVERTIME WORKED BY.-Mr. Tudor moved, pursuant to notice, That a Return be laid upon the Table of the House showing-
 - The amount of overtime worked by the Customs Lockers in the three bonds at Port Melbourne, and the bond at Yarraville, and the amount of extra pay drawn by each of these Lockers during the twelve months ended 30th June, 1905.
 - (2) The amount of overtime worked by the other Customs Lockers in Melbourne, and the amount of extra pay drawn by each of these Lockers during the twelve months ended 30th June, 1905.

Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

- 6. PAPER.—The following Paper was laid upon the Table by the Clerk :— Customs Lockers—Overtime worked by.—Return to the foregoing Order.
- 7. MANUFACTURES ENCOURAGEMENT BILL—POINT OF ORDER.—The Order of the Day having been read for the second reading of this Bill—and Sir William Lyne proceeding to move, That the Bill be now read a second time—
 - A point of order having been raised that the provisions of Standing Order No. 243 had not been complied with in regard to this Bill, and Mr. Speaker having ruled in support of the objection taken—the motion for the second reading of the Bill was not further proceeded with.

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- 8. TRADE MARKS BILL.—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. McCay 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 to-morrow.

- 9. SERVICE AND EXECUTION OF PROCESS BILL (1905) .- Mr. Isaacs moved, by leave, That leave be given to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the Service and Execution of Process Act 1901. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered—That Mr. Isaacs do prepare and bring in the Bill. Mr. Isaacs then brought up a Bill intituled "A Bill for an Act to amend the 'Service and Execution of Process Act 1901,' " and moved, That it be now read a first time.

Question-put and resolved in the affirmative.-Bill read a first time.

Ordered-That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for to-morrow.

- 10. ADJOURNMENT.-Mr. Deakin moved, That the House do now adjourn. Debate ensued. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the House, at twelve 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 except—Sir Langdon Bonython, Mr. Brown, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Conroy, Mr. Fowler, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Glynn, Mr. Kingston, Mr. Mahon, Mr. McColl, Mr. McLean, Mr. McWilliams, Mr. Page, Mr. Phillips, Sir John Quick, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. David Thomson, Mr. Webster, and Mr. Wilks.

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