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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 37.

TUESDAY, 21ST AUGUST, 1962.

1. The House met, at half-past two o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable Sir John McLeay) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. QUESTIONS.—Questions without notice were answered.
3. WEST NEW GUINEA—INDONESIAN-NETHERLANDS AGREEMENT—MINISTERIAL STATEMENT, PRINTING OF PAPER.—Sir Garfield Barwick (Minister for External Affairs), by leave, made a Ministerial Statement with reference to the negotiations leading up to, and the signing of, an agreement by the Indonesian and Netherlands Governments on the 15th August, 1962, respecting the transfer of the territory of West New Guinea to Indonesia. Sir Garfield Barwick also reported to the House on his recent visit to Indonesia and, by command of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Commonwealth, laid upon the Table the following Paper:—
West New Guinea—Indonesian-Netherlands Agreement—Ministerial Statement, 21st August, 1962—
and moved, That the Paper be printed.
Debate ensued.
Ordered—That Mr. Whitlam be granted an extension of time.
Question—put and passed.
4. PAPERS.—The following Paper was presented, by command of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Commonwealth—
South-East and East Asia—Report by the Minister for External Affairs on his recent tour (May–July, 1962).
The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—
Australian Wool Testing Authority Act—Australian Wool Testing Authority—Fifth Annual Report, for year 1961–62.
Northern Territory (Administration) Act—Crown Lands Ordinance—Statement of reasons for resumption of part of Commonage Reserve, Timber Creek, Northern Territory.
Seat of Government (Administration) Act—Ordinance—1962—No. 8—Liquor.
5. MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.—A Message from the Senate was reported returning the following Bill without amendment:—
16th August, 1962—Message No. 60—States Grants (Additional Assistance) (No. 2) 1962.
6. LOAN (QANTAS EMPIRE AIRWAYS LIMITED) BILL 1962.—Mr. Holt (Treasurer) moved, by leave, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to approve the raising by way of Loan of Moneys in the Currency of the United States of America to be lent to Qantas Empire Airways Limited, and for purposes connected therewith.
Question—put and passed.
Bill brought up, and read a first time.
Mr. Holt moved, by leave, That the Bill be now read a second time.
Debate adjourned (Mr. Crean), and the resumption of the debate made an Order of the Day for the next sitting.
7. SUPPLY—BUDGET DEBATE.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.
(In the Committee.)
General debate resumed on the question, That the first item in the Estimates, under Division No. 101.—
Senate—namely—
Salaries and allowances £34,400
be agreed to, and on the Amendment moved thereto by Mr. Whitlam, viz.:—That the first item be reduced by £1.
Progress to be reported, and leave asked to sit again.
The House resumed; Mr. Lucock reported accordingly.
Ordered—That the House will, at the next sitting, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

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8. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Fairhall (Minister for Supply) moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Closure.—Mr. Fairhall moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (The Speaker, Sir John McLeay, in the Chair)—

AYES, 54.

Mr. Adermann	Mr. Davidson	Mr. Fox	Mr. King	Mr. Turner
Mr. Allan	Mr. Davis	Mr. J. M. Fraser	Mr. Lindsay	Mr. Wentworth
Mr. Anthony	Mr. Dean	Mr. Freeth	Mr. Lucock	Mr. Whittorn
Mr. Barnes	Mr. Downer	Mr. Hasluck	Mr. Mackinnon	Mr. Wilson
Sir G. Barwick	Mr. Drummond	Mr. Haworth	Mr. McEwen	
Mr. Brimblecombe	Mr. Drury	Mr. Holt	Mr. McMahon	
Mr. Buchanan	Mr. England	Mr. Holten	Mr. McNeill	
Mr. Bury	Mr. Failes	Mr. Howson	Mr. Nixon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Chipp	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Jack	Mr. Opperman	
Mr. Cleaver	Mr. Fairhall	Mr. Jess	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Cockle	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Stokes	Mr. Chaney
Mr. Cramer	Mr. Forbes	Sir W. Kent Hughes	Mr. Swartz	Mr. Turnbull

NOES, 55.

Mr. Armitage	Mr. Costa	Mr. Gray	Mr. Makin	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Barnard	Mr. Courtney	Mr. Griffiths	Mr. McGuren	Mr. Uren
Mr. Beaton	Mr. Crean	Mr. Hansen	Mr. Minogue	Mr. Ward
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Cross	Mr. Harding	Mr. Monaghan	Mr. Webb
Mr. Bryant	Mr. Curtin	Mr. Harrison	Mr. O'Brien	Mr. Whitlam
Mr. Cairns	Mr. Daly	Mr. Hayden	Mr. O'Connor	
Mr. C. R. Cameron	Mr. Davies	Mr. Haylen	Mr. Peters	
Mr. D. J. Cameron	Mr. Einfeld	Mr. James	Mr. Reynolds	
Mr. Clark	Mr. A. D. Fraser	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Riordan	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Clay	Mr. Fuller	Mr. Jones	Mr. Russell	
Mr. Comber	Mr. Fulton	Mr. Kearney	Mr. Sexton	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Cope	Mr. Galvin	Mr. Luchetti	Mr. Stewart	Mr. Duthie

And so it was negatived.

Debate ensued.

Mr. Cope moved, That Mr. Ward be granted an extension of time.

Question—put.

The House divided (The Speaker, Sir John McLeay, in the Chair)—

AYES, 55.

Mr. Armitage	Mr. Costa	Mr. Gray	Mr. Makin	Mr. Thompson
Mr. Barnard	Mr. Courtney	Mr. Griffiths	Mr. McGuren	Mr. Uren
Mr. Beaton	Mr. Crean	Mr. Hansen	Mr. Minogue	Mr. Ward
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Cross	Mr. Harding	Mr. Monaghan	Mr. Webb
Mr. Bryant	Mr. Curtin	Mr. Harrison	Mr. O'Brien	Mr. Whitlam
Mr. Cairns	Mr. Daly	Mr. Hayden	Mr. O'Connor	
Mr. C. R. Cameron	Mr. Davies	Mr. Haylen	Mr. Peters	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. D. J. Cameron	Mr. Einfeld	Mr. James	Mr. Reynolds	
Mr. Clark	Mr. A. D. Fraser	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Riordan	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Clay	Mr. Fuller	Mr. Jones	Mr. Russell	Mr. Duthie
Mr. Comber	Mr. Fulton	Mr. Kearney	Mr. Sexton	
Mr. Cope	Mr. Galvin	Mr. Luchetti	Mr. Stewart	

NOES, 56.

Mr. Adermann	Mr. Cramer	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Allan	Mr. Davidson	Mr. Forbes	Sir W. Kent Hughes	Mr. Swartz
Mr. Anthony	Mr. Davis	Mr. Fox	Mr. King	Mr. Turner
Mr. Barnes	Mr. Dean	Mr. J. M. Fraser	Mr. Lindsay	Mr. Wentworth
Sir G. Barwick	Mr. Downer	Mr. Freeth	Mr. Lucock	Mr. Whittorn
Mr. Bate	Mr. Drummond	Mr. Hasluck	Mr. Mackinnon	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Brimblecombe	Mr. Drury	Mr. Haworth	Mr. McEwen	
Mr. Buchanan	Mr. England	Mr. Holt	Mr. McMahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Bury	Mr. Erwin	Mr. Holten	Mr. McNeill	
Mr. Chipp	Mr. Failes	Mr. Howson	Mr. Nixon	Mr. Chaney
Mr. Cleaver	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Jack	Mr. Opperman	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Cockle	Mr. Fairhall	Mr. Jess	Mr. Robertson	

And so it was negatived.

Closure.—Mr. Fairhall moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put and passed.

And the question—That the House do now adjourn—was put accordingly, and passed.

And then the House, at three minutes past 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. Calwell, Mr. Collard, Mr. Killen, Mr. Pollard, Mr. Snedden and Mr. Townley.

A. G. TURNER,

[Clerk of the House of Representatives.]