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### THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

#### No. 21.

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

#### TUESDAY, 10TH OCTOBER, 1911.

- 1. The House met, at three o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- 2. Death of Member (the Honorable E. L. Batchelor).—Mr. Fisher having announced, with deep regret, the death, on the 8th instant, of the honorable Member for Boothby (the Honorable Egerton Lee Batchelor), moved, by leave—

That this House places upon record its high appreciation of the great public services of the late Member for Boothby, the Honorable E. L. Batchelor, and tenders its sincere sympathy to the bereaved wife and family of an eminent citizen whose untimely decease is a great loss to the Commonwealth.

And Mr. Deakin having seconded the motion, and Mr. Livingston and Sir William Lyne having addressed the House in support of the motion, and all Members present having risen in silence—Question—put and passed.

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Resolved—That Mr. Speaker be requested to transmit the foregoing Resolution, and a copy of the addresses delivered thereon, to Mrs. Batchelor.

- 3. Adjournment.—Mr. Fisher, as a mark of respect to the memory of the late honorable Member, then moved, That the House do now adjourn.

  Question—put and passed.
- And then the House, at eighteen minutes past three 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. Anstey, Mr. Archibald, Mr. Brown, Mr. Cann, Mr. Carr, Mr. Catts, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Cook, Mr. Fairbairn, Mr. Finlayson, Mr. Frank J. Foster, Mr. R. W. Foster, Mr. Frazer, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Glynn, Mr. Howe, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Hans Irvine, Mr. W. Elliot Johnson, Mr. Mahon, Mr. McWilliams, Mr. Page, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Poynton, Sir John Quick, Mr. Ryrie, Mr. Sampson, Mr. Laird Smith, Mr. Thomson, and Mr. Webster.

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