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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA,  
CANBERRA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 59.

FRIDAY, 4TH NOVEMBER, 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. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—  
Dried Fruits Export Control Act—Regulations Amended—Statutory Rules 1932, No. 118.  
Navigation Act—Regulations Amended—Statutory Rules 1932, No. 124.  
Wine Overseas Marketing Act—Regulations Amended—Statutory Rules 1932, No. 119.
3. SUGAR AGREEMENT BILL.—The Order of the Day having been read for the second reading—Mr. Guy (Assistant Minister) moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Mr. Forde 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.
4. DEFENCE BILL (1932).—The Order of the Day having been read for the second reading.—Mr. Josiah Francis (Assistant Minister for Defence) moved, That the Bill be now read a second time.  
Debate ensued.  
Mr. E. F. Harrison 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.
5. UNITED KINGDOM AND AUSTRALIA TRADE AGREEMENT 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—  
*And on the Amendment moved thereto by Mr. Scullin, viz. :—That all the words after "That" be omitted and the following words be inserted in lieu thereof:—"the Bill be withdrawn and negotiations opened for a new agreement embodying concessions to Australian producers and preferences to Great Britain on specified items without endangering our protective policy or depriving Parliament of its power to give effect to the will of the people on general tariff policy"*—  
Debate resumed.  
Mr. Forde addressing the House and not having concluded his speech at the termination of the time allowed by Standing Order No. 257B—  
Ordered—That the honorable Member have leave to continue his speech.  
Debate continued.  
Mr. White addressing the House and not having concluded his speech—the House ordered that the honorable Member have leave to continue his speech when the debate is resumed.  
Ordered—That the debate be now adjourned, and that the resumption of the debate be made an Order of the Day for the next sitting.
6. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Latham (Attorney-General) moved, That the House do now adjourn.  
Debate ensued.  
Question—put and passed.

And then the House, at fifteen minutes past four o'clock p.m., adjourned until Tuesday next at three o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Mr. Aubrey Abbott, Mr. Anstey, Mr. Bell, Mr. Blakeley, Mr. Bruce\*, Mr. Thomas Collins, Mr. Dennis, Mr. Gibson, Mr. Roland Green, Mr. Gullett, Mr. Hawker, Mr. Holman, Mr. Hughes\*, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Lyons, Mr. Makin, Mr. Martens, Mr. McBride, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Earle Page, Mr. Thomas Paterson, Mr. Scholfield, and Mr. Watkins.

\* On leave.

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

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