THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 28.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, 27TH AUGUST, 1907.

- 1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
- WAYS AND MEANS.—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
 - Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; Mr. McDonald 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.
- PAPERS.—Sir William Lyne presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General—
 Colonial Sugar Refining Co.—Copy of Memorandum of Agreement by the Company under the Masters and Servants Act 1861 of the State of Queensland for labour in the sugar industry.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

The following Paper was laid upon the Table by the Clerk:-

Women's Work Exhibition—Papers relating to Grant of £1,000.—Return to an Order of the House, dated 15th August, 1907.

- 4. Adjournment.—Sir William Lyne moved, That the House do now adjourn. Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
- And then the House, at ten minutes past ten 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. Thomas Brown, Mr. Carr, Mr. Deakin*, Mr. Foster, Colonel Foxton, Mr. Hall, Mr. Harper*, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Kingston*, Mr. Mathews, Mr. Reid, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Dugald Thomson, Mr. John Thomson, Mr. Webster, and Mr. Wilson.

• On leave.

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