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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FRIDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER, 1908.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. ELECTORAL BILL (1908).—Mr. Mahon moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to amend the law relating to Parliamentary Elections.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS—PRECEDENCE TO—[MINISTERIAL STATEMENT].—The Order of the Day having been read for the resumption of the debate on the following motion of Mr. Fisher:—That, on each sitting day, until otherwise ordered, Government Business shall take precedence of General Business—
Debate resumed.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.
4. PAPERS.—Mr. Batchelor presented, pursuant to Statute—
Papua—Ordinances of 1908—
No. VIII.—Supplementary Appropriation 1906-7, No. 2.
No. IX.—Supplementary Appropriation 1908-9.
No. X.—Supplementary Appropriation 1908-9, No. 2.
5. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Fisher moved, That the House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question—put and resolved in the affirmative.

And then the House, at twenty-eight 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. Tilley Brown, Mr. Chapman*, Sir Thomas Ewing, Mr. W. H. Irvine, Mr. Reid, Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. Watson, Mr. Wilson, and Mr. Wynne.

* On leave.

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