

1914-15.

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

No. 57.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FRIDAY, 18TH JUNE, 1915.

1. The House met, at half-past ten o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (TRADE AND COMMERCE) BILL.—Mr. Hughes moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter Paragraph (i.) of Section Fifty-one of the Constitution.

Mr. Joseph Cook addressing the House on the question—

Member Named.—Mr. R. W. Foster having used an expression to which objection was taken, and having withdrawn the expression, but not in a manner that Mr. Speaker considered satisfactory, he was named by Mr. Speaker for disregarding the authority of the Chair.

Mr. Fisher moved, That the honorable Member for Wakefield (Mr. R. W. Foster) be suspended from the service of the House.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. W. Maloney
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Burns	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Dankel	Mr. Laird Smith
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Finlayson	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Webster
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Yates
Mr. Jensen	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahon	Mr. Burchell
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Page

Noes, 24.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. W. Elliot Johnson
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Patten
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Bruce Smith
Mr. Fowler	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Watt
Mr. Greene	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Groom	Mr. Manifold
Sir William Irvine	Mr. Pigott

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

The honorable Member, who had already withdrawn from the Chamber, was, therefore, under Standing Order No. 59, suspended for the remainder of the day's sitting.

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Mr. Joseph Cook resumed his speech and moved an amendment, That the following words be added to the original motion:—"as soon as adequate provision has been made by the united energies of the Government and Parliament for the successful prosecution of the war."
Debate ensued.

Point of Order.—Mr. Joseph Cook complained that Mr. R. W. Foster, who had been suspended for the present sitting had also been improperly excluded from the Speaker's Gallery.

Mr. Speaker stated that in excluding the honorable Member he had followed the practice of the House of Commons, which according to Standing Order No. 1 was to be followed where our Standing Orders themselves did not make provision.

Debate continued.

Mr. Fisher moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Burchell	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Dankel	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. Webster
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Yates
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Charlton
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 20.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Patten
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Pigott
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Bruce Smith
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Gregory	
Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question being accordingly put—That the following words be added to the original motion:—"as soon as adequate provision has been made by the united energies of the Government and Parliament for the successful prosecution of the war"—

The House divided—

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Patten
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Pigott
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Salmon
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fowler	Mr. Bruce Smith
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Gregory	
Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson

Noes, 30.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Riley
Mr. Dankel	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. Webster
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Yates
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

And so it was negatived.

And the main question being then put—That he [Mr. Hughes] have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter Paragraph (i) of Section Fifty-one of the Constitution—

The House divided—

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. Webster
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Yates
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 19.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Patten
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Imon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Bruce Smith
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Manifold	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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Mr. Hughes then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Patten
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney	Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley	Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Bruce Smith
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence	Mr. Fowler	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas	Mr. Gregory	
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor	Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Higgs	Mr. Webster	Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Hughes			
Mr. Jensen			
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell		
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time.

Mr. Hughes moved, That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

Question—put

The House divided—

Ayes, 27		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Orchard
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney	Sir Robert Best	Mr. Patten
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley	Mr. Fleming	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence	Mr. Fowler	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas	Mr. Gregory	
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor	Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Higgs	Mr. Webster	Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Hughes			
Mr. Jensen			
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell		
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

3. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (CORPORATIONS) BILL.—Mr. Hughes moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter Paragraph (xx.) of Section Fifty-one of the Constitution.

Mr. Joseph Cook rising to address the House—

Mr. Fisher moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 26.		Noes, 17.	
Mr. Archibald	Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Orchard
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Mathews	Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Parker Moloney	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Ozanne	Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Riley	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Sharpe	Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Spence	Mr. Gregory	
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Thomas	Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Higgs	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Hughes			
Mr. Jensen			
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>		
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell		
	Mr. Page		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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And the question being accordingly put—That he [Mr. Hughes] have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter Paragraph (xx.) of Section Fifty-one of the Constitution—

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	
Mr. Mahony	
Mr. W. Maloney	

Tellers:
Mr. Burchell
Mr. Page

Noes, 17.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Orchard
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	
Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	
Mr. Kelly	
Mr. Manifold	

Tellers:
Mr. Greene
Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Hughes then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	
Mr. Mahony	
Mr. W. Maloney	

Tellers:
Mr. Burchell
Mr. Page

Noes, 17.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Orchard
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	
Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	
Mr. Kelly	
Mr. Manifold	

Tellers:
Mr. Greene
Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time.

Mr. Hughes moved, That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes 27

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	
Mr. Mahony	
Mr. W. Maloney	

Tellers:
Mr. Burchell
Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Sampson
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	
Mr. W. Elliot Johnson	
Mr. Kelly	

Tellers:
Mr. Greene
Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

18th June, 1915.

4. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (INDUSTRIAL MATTERS) BILL.—Mr. Hughes moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter Paragraph (xxxv.) of Section Fifty-one of the Constitution.

Mr. Joseph Cook rising to address the House—

Mr. Fisher moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 15.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Rodgers
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question being accordingly put—That he [Mr. Hughes] have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter Paragraph (xxxv.) of Section Fifty-one of the Constitution—

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 15.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Rodgers
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Hughes then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 15.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Rodgers
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Greene
Mr. Manifold	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time.

18th June, 1915.

Mr. Hughes moved, That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brënnan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

5. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (RAILWAY DISPUTES) BILL.—Mr. Hughes moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter the Constitution by empowering the Parliament to make Laws with respect to Industrial Disputes in relation to Employment in State Railway Services.

Mr. Joseph Cook rising to address the House—

Mr. Fisher moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question being accordingly put—That he [Mr. Hughes] have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter the Constitution by empowering the Parliament to make Laws with respect to Industrial Disputes in relation to Employment in State Railway Services—

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

18th June, 1915.

Mr. Hughes then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time.

Mr. Hughes moved, That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

6. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (TRUSTS) BILL.—Mr. Hughes moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter the Constitution by empowering the Parliament to make Laws with respect to Trusts, Combinations, and Monopolies.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Manifold
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Kelly	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

18th June, 1915.

Mr. Hughes then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.
The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Kelly
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Groom	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time.

Mr. Hughes moved, That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 17.

Mr. Atkinson	Sir William Irvine
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Stumm
Mr. Fleming	
Sir John Forrest	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Fowler	Mr. Greene
Mr. Gregory	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Groom	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

7. CONSTITUTION ALTERATION (NATIONALIZATION OF MONOPOLIES) BILL.—Mr. Hughes moved, pursuant to notice, That he have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter the Constitution by empowering the Parliament to make Laws with respect to Industries and Businesses declared to be the subject of a Monopoly.

Mr. Joseph Cook rising to address the House—

Mr. Fisher moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 17.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Kelly
Sir Robert Best	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Groom	Mr. John Thomson
Sir William Irvine	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

18th June, 1915.

And the question being accordingly put—That he [Mr. Hughes] have leave to bring in a Bill for an Act to alter the Constitution by empowering the Parliament to make Laws with respect to Industries and Businesses declared to be the subject of a Monopoly—
The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers :</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 17.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers :</i>
Mr. Groom	Mr. Greene
Sir William Irvine	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Hughes then brought up the Bill accordingly, and moved, That it be now read a first time.
Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers :</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers :</i>
Mr. Groom	Mr. Greene
	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.—Bill read a first time.

Mr. Hughes moved, That the second reading be made an Order of the Day for Wednesday next.

Question—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers :</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	
Mr. Gregory	<i>Tellers :</i>
Mr. Groom	Mr. Greene
	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

8. MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.—SUPPLY BILL (No. 8) 1914-15.—Mr. Speaker announced the receipt of the following Message from the Senate:—

MR. SPEAKER,

Message No. 55.

The Senate returns to the House of Representatives the Bill for "An Act to grant and apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and fifteen," to which it has agreed without requests.

The Senate,
Melbourne, 18th June, 1915.

THOS. GIVENS,
President.

18th June, 1915.

9. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Fisher moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Mr. Joseph Cook addressing the House—

Mr. Fisher moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided—

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Archibald	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Parker Moloney
Mr. Brennan	Mr. Ozanne
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Riley
Mr. Charlton	Mr. Sharpe
Mr. Fenton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hampson	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Hannan	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Higgs	Mr. West
Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Jensen	
Mr. Mahon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Mahony	Mr. Burchell
Mr. W. Maloney	Mr. Page

Noes, 16.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Boyd	Mr. Manifold
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Rodgers
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fleming	Mr. Stumm
Sir John Forrest	
Mr. Fowler	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Gregory	Mr. Greene
Mr. Groom	Mr. John Thomson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

And then the House, at seven minutes past six o'clock p.m., adjourned until Wednesday next at three o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except—Lieut.-Colonel Abbott*, Mr. Anstey, Mr. Carr, Mr. Catts, Mr. Livingston, Mr. Lynch, Mr. McGrath, Mr. McWilliams, Colonel Ryrie*, and Mr. Sinclair.

* On leave.

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