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Friday, 1 September, 1865. Approaching Close of the Session.

APPROACHING CLOSE OF THE SESSION.

On the motion for the adjournment of the House,

The SPEAKER said: I have heard a great deal about honorable members leaving about the end of the week, and the chance of the Parliament being prorogued at that time. I see a great deal of business still to be done, and I do trust that the Government will carry on the business with deliberation. At the end of every session, we have had a great rush, and the consequence is, that what we have had to do has not been so well done as it ought to have been. There was something in the Appropriation Act last year—to pass which the standing orders were suspended;there was an error in it, which did not do much credit, I must say, to the House. I trust a repetition of that will be avoided by giving a little more deliberation to business. One or two days more cannot make much difference.