

1901.

THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 18.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

WEEK ENDED 15TH NOVEMBER, 1901.

WEDNESDAY, 13TH NOVEMBER, 1901.

No. 1.—(Committee of Ways and Means)—*The Tariff*.

Motion made—That—

1. Duties of Customs,
  2. Duties of Excise,
- be imposed as follows :—

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DIVISION I.—STIMULANTS.

Dutiable Goods.

Duties.

1. ALE, PORTER, and OTHER BEER, CIDER, and PERRY, containing not less than 2 % of proof spirit, viz. :—

In bottle ... .. per gallon 1s. 6d.

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—(Mr. Kingston.)

Amendment proposed—That the duty be reduced by 3d.—(Mr. Conroy.)

Question—That the duty be reduced by 3d.—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 19.

Noes, 32.

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| Mr. Brown,       | Mr. Paterson,      |
| Mr. Cameron,     | Mr. Poynton,       |
| Mr. Conroy,      | Mr. Skene,         |
| Mr. Joseph Cook, | Mr. Sydney Smith,  |
| Mr. Fuller,      | Mr. V. L. Solomon, |
| Mr. Glynn,       | Mr. Thomson,       |
| Mr. Kirwan,      | Mr. Willis.        |
| Mr. Knox,        |                    |
| Sir William      | <i>Tellers.</i>    |
| McMillan,        | Mr. Hughes,        |
| Mr. Page,        | Mr. McDonald.      |

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| Mr. Bamford,      | Mr. Manifold,      |
| Mr. Barton,       | Mr. Mauger,        |
| Sir Langdon       | Mr. A. McLean,     |
| Bonython,         | Mr. O'Malley,      |
| Sir Edward        | Mr. Phillips,      |
| Braddon,          | Mr. Piesse,        |
| Mr. Chapman,      | Mr. Ronald,        |
| Mr. Clarke,       | Mr. Salmon,        |
| Mr. Deakin,       | Mr. Sawers,        |
| Mr. Fisher,       | Mr. Tudor,         |
| Sir John Forrest, | Sir George Turner, |
| Mr. L. E. Groom,  | Mr. Watkins,       |
| Mr. Harper,       | Mr. Watson,        |
| Mr. Higgins,      | Mr. Wilkinson.     |
| Mr. Isaacs,       |                    |
| Mr. Kennedy,      | <i>Tellers.</i>    |
| Mr. Kingston,     |                    |
| Mr. Macdonald-    | Mr. Batchelor,     |
| Paterson,         | Mr. Hume Cook.     |

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 2.—*The Tariff*—(continued)—

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2. SPIRITS, viz. :—

Spirits, and spirituous compounds, n.e.i., when not exceeding the strength of proof ... .. per gallon 14s. 6d.

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—(Mr. Kingston.)

Amendment proposed—That the words and figures “and on and after the 14th November, 1901, 13s.” be added after the figures “14s.”—(Mr. Page.)

