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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 47.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

WEEK ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER, 1902.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.—*Electoral Bill*—Consideration of the Senate's Message No. 55.

Amendment made by the House of Representatives—disagreed to by the Senate, viz.:—

No. 2.—Page 2, clause 2, line 8, omit "Court of Disputed Returns, ss. 197-211," and insert "Committee of Elections and Qualifications."

Motion made—That the amendment of the House of Representatives be not insisted on.

—(*Sir William Lyne.*)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Batchelor,	Sir William Lyne,
Sir Langdon	Mr. Manifold,
Bonython,	Mr. Mauger,
Mr. Cameron,	Sir Malcolm
Mr. Clarke,	McEacharn,
Mr. Conroy,	Mr. Poynton,
Mr. Hume Cook,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Crouch,	Mr. Ronald,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Sawers,
Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Sir George Turner,
Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. Watkins,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Watson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wilkinson.
Sir Philip Fysh,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. L. E. Groom,	Mr. McCay,
Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Wilks.
Mr. Kingston,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brown,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. E. Solomon,
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. V. L. Solomon;
Mr. Glynn,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Isaacs,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Kirwan,	Mr. Tudor,
Mr. Mahon,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. O'Malley,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Page,	Mr. McDonald,
Mr. Paterson,	Mr. Salmon.
Sir John Quick,	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 2.—*Electoral Bill*—Consideration of the Senate's Message No. 55—(*continued*).

Amendment made by the House of Representatives—disagreed to by the Senate, viz.:—

No. 58.—Page 13, after clause 98, insert the following new clause:—

"98A. No person who is at the date of nomination or who was at any time within fourteen days prior to the date of nomination a Member of the Parliament of a State shall be capable of being nominated as a Senator, or as a Member of the House of Representatives."

Motion made—That the amendment of the House of Representatives be insisted on.

—(*Sir William Lyne.*)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 24.		Noes, 11.	
Mr. Cameron,	Mr. Page,	Mr. Batchelor,	Mr. V. L. Solomon
Mr. Clarke,	Sir John Quick,	Mr. Brown,	Mr. Tudor.
Mr. Hume Cook,	Mr. Ronald,	Mr. G. B. Edwards,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Crouch,	Mr. E. Solomon,	Mr. Higgins,	Mr. McCay,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Manifold,	Mr. Watson.
Mr. Ewing,	Sir George Turner,	Mr. Poynton,	
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Wilkinson,	Mr. Sawers,	
Sir Philip Fysh,	Mr. Willis.		
Mr. L. E. Groom,	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Isaacs,			
Mr. Kingston,	Mr. Fuller,		
Sir William Lyne,	Mr. Sydney Smith.		
Mr. Mauger,			
Sir Malcolm			
McEacharn,			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 3.—*Electoral Bill*—Consideration of the Senate's Message No. 55—(continued).

Amendment made by the House of Representatives—disagreed to by the Senate, viz.:—

No. 114.—Page 21, clause 151, line 8, after "votes" omit the remainder of clause.

Motion made—That the amendment of the House of Representatives be insisted on.

—(Sir William Lyne.)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 20.	
Mr. Cameron,	Mr. Ronald,	Mr. Conroy,	Mr. Paterson,
Mr. Clarke,	Mr. Sawers,	Mr. Joseph Cook,	Sir John Quick,
Mr. Hume Cook,	Mr. E. Solomon,	Mr. Crouch,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. Salmon,
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Tudor,	Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. L. E. Groom,	Mr. Watkins,	Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Kingston,	Mr. Wilkinson.	Mr. Higgins,	
Sir William Lyne,		Mr. Isaacs,	
Mr. Mahon,	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Manifold,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McDonald,		Mr. Mauger,	
Mr. A. McLean,	Mr. Brown,	Mr. McCay,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Page,	Mr. Watson.	Sir Malcolm	Mr. Wilks.
		McEacharn,	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

FRIDAY, 26TH SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 4.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure, 1902-3*—

II. THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

DIVISION No. 12.

FEDERAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

Subdivision No. 1.

SALARIES.

Secretary to the Federal Executive Council	£600
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—(Mr. Deakin.)

Amendment proposed—That the amount be reduced by £200.

—(Mr. O'Malley.)

Question—That the amount proposed to be reduced be so reduced—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 12.		Noes, 27.	
Mr. Cameron,	Mr. Tudor,	Mr. Bamford,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Crouch,	Mr. Wilkinson.	Mr. Brown,	Mr. Ronald,
Mr. Kirwan,		Mr. Clarke,	Mr. Sawers,
Mr. Mahon,	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Conroy,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. A. McLean,		Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. O'Malley,	Mr. McCay,	Mr. Deakin,	Mr. E. Solomon,
Mr. Page,	Mr. McDonald.	Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Salmon,		Mr. Fowler,	Sir George Turner,
		Sir Philip Fysh,	Mr. Watson,
		Mr. L. E. Groom,	Mr. Wilks,
		Mr. Kingston,	Mr. Willis.
		Sir William Lyne,	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Mauger,	
		Sir Malcolm	Mr. Hume Cook,
		McEacharn,	Mr. Fuller.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 5.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure, 1902-3*—(continued).

II. THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

DIVISION No. 12.

FEDERAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

Subdivision No. 2.

CONTINGENCIES.

[No 7. Travelling Expenses of Honorary Ministers being for actual expenses incurred ... £100]
—(Mr. Deakin.)

Amendment proposed—That the item be omitted.

—(Mr. McDonald.)

Question—That the item stand as printed—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 26.

Noes, 14.

Mr. Bamford,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Conroy,	Mr. Ronald,
Mr. Crouch,	Mr. Sawers,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. L. E. Groom,	Sir George Turner,
Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Watkins,
Mr. Kingston,	Mr. Watson,
Mr. Kirwan,	Mr. Wilkinson,
Sir William Lyne,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Manifold,	
Mr. Mauger,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Sir Malcolm	
McEacharn,	Mr. Hume Cook,
Mr. O'Malley,	Mr. Fuller.

Mr. Brown,	Mr. Poynton,
Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. Salmon,
Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Mr. E. Solomon,
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Tudor.
Mr. Mahon,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McCay,	
Mr. Page,	Mr. McDonald,
Mr. Paterson,	Mr. Wilks.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 6.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure, 1902-3*—(continued).

III. THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

DIVISION No. 16.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Subdivision No. 1.

SALARIES.

Secretary and Parliamentary Draftsman	£800
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—(Mr. Deakin.)

Amendment proposed—That the amount be reduced by £50.

—(Mr. Watson.)

Question—That the amount proposed to be reduced be so reduced—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 15.

Noes, 16.

Mr. Bamford,	Mr. Tudor,
Mr. Brown,	Mr. Watkins,
Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Mr. Watson,
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Mahon,	
Mr. Page,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Paterson,	
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Joseph Cook,
Mr. E. Solomon,	Mr. Wilks.

Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Salmon,
Mr. Clarke,	Mr. Sawers,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. R. Edwards,	Sir George Turner,
Sir Philip Fysh,	Mr. Wilkinson.
Mr. L. E. Groom,	
Mr. Kingston,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mauger,	
Sir Malcolm	Mr. Hume Cook,
McEacharn,	Mr. Crouch.

And so it passed in the negative.