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No. 22.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

WEEK ENDED 1ST MAY, 1908.

TUESDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1908.

No. 250.—*Customs Tariff Bill* (1907).—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 43, p. 14— Item 121. Hats, Caps and Bonnets— * * * *				
(D) Hats, Caps , and Bonnets of all descriptions and materials, n.e.i., including Forms, Pull-over Hoods, Shapes, and Frames, n.e.i. ad val.	35 per cent.		30 per cent.	
(E) Caps and Sewn Hats, n.e.i.		7s. per dozen or 35 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty		6s. per dozen or 30 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

[Requested amendment in portion (D) made 24th April, 1908.]

Motion made—That portion (E) of the requested amendment be made.

—(The Minister for Trade and Customs).

Amendment proposed—That the figure and words “7s. per dozen or” be omitted from the requested amendment.

—(Mr. McWilliams).

Question—That the figure and words proposed to be omitted stand part of the requested amendment—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 24.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Hedges	Mr. Archer	Mr. Page
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Knox	Mr. Bowden	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Carr	Mr. Maloney	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Reid
Mr. Chapman	Mr. O'Malley	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Spence	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Wilks
Mr. Coon	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Frazer	Mr. Willis
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Webster	Mr. Glynn	
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Wise	Mr. Johnson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Wynne	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Atkinson
Mr. Fairbairn		Mr. McWilliams	Mr. Liddell
Mr. Foster	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Groom	Mr. Hutchison		
Mr. Hall	Mr. Mathews		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 251.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 44, p. 14— Item 122. Parasols, Sunshades, and Umbrellas ... ad val.	20 per cent.	25 per cent.		

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(The Minister for Trade and Customs).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 26.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Bamford	Mr. Knox	Mr. Archer	Mr. Page
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Maloney	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Reid
Mr. Carr	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Bowden	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Chapman	Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Salmon	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Wilks
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Spence	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Glynn	
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Webster	Mr. W. H. Irvine	
Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Wise	Mr. Johnson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Foster	Mr. Wynne	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Liddell
Mr. Frazer		Mr. McWilliams	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Groom	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Hall	Mr. Coon		
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Storrer		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 252.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 49, p. 15— Item 123. Piece Goods,*† viz.:— * * * * * (f) Piece Goods, n.e.i., other than of Wool or Silk, suit- able for Human Apparel, or to be worn in connexion with the human body, having on one or both sides a teased, treated, combed, fluffed, or raised nap or surface in imitation of or resembling Flannel in feel or appearance ... ad val.	25 per cent. ; and on and after 14th November, 1907, 10 per cent.	5 per cent.	20 per cent. ; and on and after 14th No- vember, 1907, 5 per cent.	Free

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(The Minister for Trade and Customs).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Maloney
Mr. Carr	Mr. Page
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Coon	Mr. Spence
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Storrer
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Webster
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Wise
Mr. Groom	
Mr. Hall	
Mr. Harper	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Bamford
Mr. Knox	Mr. McWilliams

Noes, 16.

Mr. Archer	Mr. Liddell
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Reid
Mr. Foster	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Colonel Foxton	Mr. Willis
Mr. Glynn	
Mr. Hutchison	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Johnson	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Thomas

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 253.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 51, p. 15— Item 124. Waddings and Cotton Wool, n.e.i. ... ad val.	20 per cent. ; and on and after 14th No- vember, 1907, free	20 per cent.	15 per cent. ; and on and after 14th November, 1907, free	15 per cent.

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(*The Minister for Trade and Customs*).

Amendment proposed—That the requested amendment be modified by the reduction of the rates of duty to 15 per cent. and 10 per cent. respectively.

(*Mr. Dugald Thomson*).

Question—That the requested amendment be so modified—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 14.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Bowden	Mr. Dugald Thomson	Mr. Carr	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Wilks	Mr. Chapman	Mr. O'Malley
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Willis	Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Page
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Wynne	Mr. Coon	Mr. Spence
Mr. Kelly		Mr. Deakin	Mr. Storrer
Mr. Liddell	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Ewing	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Palmer	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Webster
Mr. Reid	Mr. McWilliams	Mr. Foster	Mr. Wise
		Mr. Groom	
		Mr. Hutchison	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Knox	Mr. Hall
		Mr. Maloney	Mr. Tudor

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 29TH APRIL, 1908.

No. 254.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(*continued*).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 53, p. 16— Item 132. Socks and Stockings of all kinds for human attire viz.:— ad val.				
	On and after 14th November, 1907, 25 per cent.		On and after 14th November, 1907, 20 per cent.	
(A) Woollen or containing wool ad val.		25 per cent.		20 per cent.
(B) Cotton		Free		
(C) Silk or containing silk, but not containing wool, and n.e.i. ad val.		25 per cent.		20 per cent.

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(*The Treasurer*).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 17.		Noes, 29.	
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Sampson	Mr. Archer	Mr. Liddell
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Coon	Mr. John Thomson	Mr. Bamford	Mr. Mahon
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Maloney
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Wise	Mr. Bowden	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Groom		Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Page
Sir William Lyne		Mr. Carr	Mr. Reid
Mr. Mathews	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Thomas
Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Hutchison	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Salmon	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Foster	Mr. Wilks
		Colonel Foxton	Mr. Willis
		Mr. Glynn	
		Mr. Hall	
		Mr. Hughes	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. W. H. Irvine	Mr. Kelly
		Mr. Johnson	Mr. Webster

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 255.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 62, p. 18— Item 143. Sheet Lead and Lead Piping per ton	50s.; and on and after 15th November, 1907, free	20s.		

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 23.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Carr	Mr. Page
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Storrer
Mr. Coon	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Webster
Mr. Groom	Mr. Wise
Mr. Hutchison	
Sir William Lyne	
Mr. Maloney	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mathews	Mr. Foster
Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Spence

Mr. Archer	Mr. Liddell
Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Mahon
Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Poynton
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Reid
Colonel Foxton	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Frazer	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Hall	Mr. Wilks
Mr. Hughes	Mr. Willis
Mr. W. H. Irvine	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Knox	Mr. Johnson

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 256.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 64, p. 18— Item 145. Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viticultural Machinery and Implements, n.e.i.; including Cane Loaders on wheels Cane Unloaders and Cane Harvesters ; Channel-making Graders; Garden and Field Spraying Machines; Garden and Field Rollers; Garden Hose Reels; Garden Syringes; Horse Road Rollers and Machines; Lawn Mowers Sweepers and Sprinklers; Road-making Ploughs ; Road Scoops and Scrapers; Scoops; Stump Extractors ad val.	20 per cent.; and on and after 26th November, 1907, 15 per cent.		20 per cent.; and on and after 26th November, 1907, 12½ per cent.	

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Mathews
Mr. Carr	Mr. Page
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Spence
Mr. Coon	Mr. Storrer
Mr. Crouch	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Webster
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Wilks
Mr. Foster	Mr. Wise
Mr. Groom	Mr. Wynne
Mr. Hall	
Mr. Hutchison	<i>Tellers.</i>
Sir William Lyne	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Maloney	Mr. Tudor

Noes, 18.

Mr. Bowden	Mr. O'Malley
Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Poynton
Colonel Foxton	Mr. Reid
Mr. Frazer	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Johnson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Kelly	
Mr. Liddell	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Livingston	Mr. Archer
Mr. Mahon	Mr. McWilliams

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 257.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 68, p. 19— Item 152. Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viticultural Machinery and Implements, viz.:— (A) Testers and Pasteurizers; Cotton Gins; Fibre Scutching Machines; Hand-worked Rakes and Ploughs combined; Hay Tedders; Horse Rakes; Lucerne Bunchers; Maize Harvesters; Maize Binders; Milking Machines; Mould-board Plates in the rough and not cut into shape; Potato Raisers or Diggers; Potato Sorters; Root Cutters Pulpers and Graters; Straw Stackers; Sub-surface Packers; Threshing Machines; Winnower Forks (wood and steel); Hand-worked Cultivators ad val.	10 per cent.	Free	Free	
(B) Cream Separators; Sheep Shearing Machines not including the flexible shafting or any part above it ad val.	10 per cent.; and on and after 26th November, 1907, free			

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment, so far as portion (A) is concerned, be not made

—(The Treasurer)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 24.		Noes, 24.	
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Maloney	Mr. Archer	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Chapman	Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Page	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Coon	Mr. Salmon	Mr. Carr	Mr. Reid
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Deakin	Mr. John Thomson	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Spence
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Foster	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Groom	Mr. Watkins	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Willis
Mr. Hall	Mr. Wise	Mr. Frazer	Mr. Wynne
Mr. Harper		Mr. Glynn	
Mr. Hutchison	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Johnson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Sir William Lyne	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Mahon	Mr. Wilks	Mr. Knox	Mr. Liddell

The Chairman gave his casting vote with the Noes.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 258.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 69, p. 19— Item 153. Cutlery of all kinds, n.e.i.; including Plated Cutlery; Knife Sharpeners; Manicure Sets; but not cutlery in part or wholly made up of gold or silver ad val.	20 per cent.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.	10 per cent.

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(The Treasurer)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 25.		Noes, 16.	
Mr. Chapman	Sir William Lyne	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Maloney	Mr. Bowden	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Coon	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Carr	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Sampson	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Reid
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Spence	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Glynn	
Sir John Forrest	Mr. John Thomson	Mr. Johnson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Foster	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Archer
Mr. Frazer	Mr. Wise	Mr. Liddell	Mr. Willis
Mr. Groom			
Mr. Hall			
Mr. Harper	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Page		
Mr. Knox	Mr. Tudor		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 259.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 79, p. 21— Item 170. (A) Manufactures of Metal n.e.i. ... ad val.	30 per cent. ; and on and after 29th November, 1907, 25 per cent.	30 per cent.	25 per cent. ; and on and after 29th November, 1907, 20 per cent.	25 per cent.

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Carr	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Spence
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Storrer
Mr. Coon	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Foster	Mr. Watkins
Mr. Groom	Mr. Webster
Mr. Hall	Mr. Wilks
Sir William Lyne	
Mr. Maloney	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mathews	Mr. Hutchison
Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Wise

Noes, 18.

Mr. Archer	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Poynton
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Reid
Colonel Foxton	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Glynn	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Willis
Mr. W. H. Irvine	
Mr. Kelly	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Knox	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Liddell	Mr. Johnson

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

THURSDAY 30TH APRIL, 1908.

No. 260.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 87, p. 22— And on and after 29th November, 1907— Item 176— * * * * * (D) Rotary and Percussive Rock Drills ... ad val.	20 per cent.	5 per cent.	15 per cent.	Free

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment, so far as the rate of duty "5 per cent." is concerned, be not made.

—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided

Ayes, 27		Noes 27	
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Salmon	Mr. Archer	Mr. Mahon
Mr. Carr	Mr. Sampson	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Tilley Brown	Mr. Page
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. John Thomson	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Coon	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Watkins	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Reid
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Webster	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Spence
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Wilks	Mr. Frazer	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Foster	Mr. Wise	Mr. Fuller	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Groom	Mr. Wynne	Mr. Glynn	Mr. Willis
Mr. Harper		Mr. Hedges	
Mr. Knox		Mr. W. H. Irvine	
Sir William Lyne	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Johnson	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maloney	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Liddell	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Mathews	Mr. Hutchison	Mr. Livingston	Mr. Kelly

The Chairman gave his casting vote with the Noes.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 261.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 89, p. 22— And on and after 29th November, 1907— Item 176— * * * * * (F) Rock Boring Machines, n.e.i. ad val.	25 per cent.	Free	20 per cent.	Free

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 28.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Batchelor	Mr. Maloney	Mr. Archer	Mr. Kelly
Mr. Carr	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Bowden	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Chanter	Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Tilley Brown	Mr. Mahon
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Salmon	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Page
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Sampson	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Coon	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Fisher	Mr. Spence
Mr. Crouch	Mr. John Thomson	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Tudor	Mr. Frazer	Mr. Willis
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Watkins	Mr. Fuller	
Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Webster	Mr. Glynn	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Groom	Mr. Wise	Mr. Hedges	Mr. Johnson
Mr. Hall		Mr. W. H. Irvine	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Hutchison	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Knox	Mr. Foster		
Sir William Lyne	Mr. Wilks		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative

No. 262.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 93, p. 23— And on and after 29th November, 1907— Item 177. Electrical Machines, &c.:— * * * * * (D) Electric Apparatus and Fittings consisting wholly or partly of metal n.e.i., including Switches Fuses, and Lightning Arresters ad val.	15 per cent.	Free	10 per cent.	Free

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 32.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Batchelor	Sir William Lyne
Mr. Carr	Mr. Maloney
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Page
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Salmon
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Coon	Mr. Spence
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Storer
Mr. Deakin	Mr. John Thomson
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Tudor
Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Watkins
Sir John Forrest	Mr. Webster
Mr. Foster	Mr. Wilks
Mr. Frazer	Mr. Wise
Mr. Groom	
Mr. Hall	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Harper	Mr. Hutchison
Mr. Knox	Mr. McWilliams

Mr. Archer	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Mahon
Mr. Tilléy Brown	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Reid
Colonel Foxton	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Fuller	Mr. Willis
Mr. Glynn	
Mr. W. H. Irvine	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Johnson	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Kelly	Mr. Liddell

it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 263.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 98, p. 23— Item 180. Rails, Fish Plates, Fish Bolts, Tie Plates and Rods, Switches, Points, Crossings, and Intersections, also Steel Sleepers, for Railways and Tramways ad val.	12½ per cent.; and on and after 30th November, 1907, 15 per cent.		12½ per cent.; and on and after 30th November, 1907, 10 per cent.	

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(The Treasurer)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 23.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Carr	Mr. Page	Mr. Archer	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Salmon	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. Spence	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Tudor	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Reid
Mr. Foster	Mr. Watkins	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Sampson
Mr. Groom	Mr. Webster	Mr. Frazer	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Hall	Mr. Wise	Mr. Fuller	
Mr. Hutchison		Mr. Hedges	
Sir William Lyne		Mr. W. H. Irvine	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Maloney	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Bowden
Mr. Mathews	Mr. Coon	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Liddell
Mr. O'Malley	Mr. John Thomson		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

FRIDAY, 1ST MAY, 1908.

No 264.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907)*.—Senate's Requests—(continued).

	General Tariff.		Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom.	
	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.	Duty passed by House of Representatives.	Duty requested by Senate.
No. 101, p. 24— Item 186. Wire Netting ad val.	30 per cent.; and on and after 11th October, 1907, 10 per cent.	Free	25 per cent.; and on and after 11th October, 1907, 5 per cent.	Free

NOTE.—Erased type denotes requested omissions, black type requested insertions.

Motion made—That the requested amendment be not made.

—(The Treasurer).

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Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 25.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Carr	Mr. Mahon	Mr. Archer	Mr. Liddell
Mr. Chanter	Mr. Maloney	Mr. Atkinson	Mr. Livingston
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Mathews	Mr. Tilley Brown	Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Hume Cook	Mr. O'Malley	Mr. Thomas Brown	Mr. Page
Mr. Coon	Mr. Storrer	Mr. Joseph Cook	Mr. Palmer
Mr. Crouch	Mr. Tudor	Sir John Forrest	Mr. Poynton
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Watkins	Colonel Foxton	Mr. Reid
Mr. Ewing	Mr. Wilks	Mr. Fuller	Mr. Spence
Mr. Fisher	Mr. Wise	Mr. Glynn	Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Foster		Mr. Hedges	Mr. Willis
Mr. Groom		Mr. Hughes	
Mr. Harper	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. W. H. Irvine	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Knox	Mr. Hall	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Bowden
Sir William Lyne	Mr. Hutchison	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Webster

And so it passed in the negative.