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No. 13.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

ENDED WEEK 9TH DECEMBER, 1904.

TUESDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 1904.

No. 33.—Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Bill.—Consideration, of the Senate's Amendments (continued).

Amendment No. 3.

No. 3, page 12, clause 40, lines 6-9, leave out "And provided further that no such preference shall be directed to be given unless the application for such preference is in the opinion of the Court approved by a majority of those affected by the award who have interests in common with the

-(The Senate.)

Motion made—That the Senate's Amendment be disagreed to .

-(Prime Minister.)

Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion: -"but that the words proposed to be left out be amended by the omission of the word 'unless' and the insertion of the word 'if' in place thereof, and the omission of the word 'approved' and the insertion of the word 'opposed' in place thereof."

 $-(Mr.) \overline{W} atson.)$

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put. The Committee divided-

Ayes,	28.
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Mr.	Mauger,	ì
	McDonald,	
Mr.	O'Malley,	
Mr.	Ronald,	
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Mr. Spence, Mr. David Thomson Mr. Tudor,

Mr. Fowler, Mr. Watkins, Mr. Frazer, Mr. Watson, Mr. Hughes, Mr. Webster, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Wilkinson. Mr. Isaacs,

Sir William Lyne, Mr. Mahon, Mr. Maloney,

Mr. Bamford,

Mr. Batchelor, Mr. Brown,

Mr. Carpenter,

Mr. Chanter,

Mr. Crouch,

Mr. Fisher,

Tellers. Mr. Hume Cook, Mr. Groom.

Noes, 31.

Mr. Joseph Cook, Mr. McLean, Mr. Deakin, Mr. McWilliams, Mr. R. Edwards, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Ewing, Sir John Forrest, Sir John Quick, Mr. Reid, Sir Philip Fysh, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Gibb, Mr. Skene, Mr. Harper, Mr. Bruce Smith,

Mr. Johnson, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Dugald Thomson, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Knox, Mr. Willis, Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Lee,

Mr. Liddell, Mr. Lonsdale, Tellers. Mr. McCay, Mr. Conroy, Mr. McColl, Mr. Fuller.

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH DECEMBER, 1904.

No. 34.—Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Bill.—Consideration of the Senate's Amendments (continued).

Amendment No. 3 (continued).

No. 3, page 12, clause 40, lines 6-9, leave out "And provided further that no such preference shall be directed to be given unless the application for such preference is in the opinion of the Court approved by a majority of those affected by the award who have interests in common with the applicants."

-(The Senate.)

Motion made—That the Senate's Amendment be disagreed to ...

—(Prime Minister.)

Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion:—"but that the words proposed to be left out be amended by the omission of all words after 'unless' and the insertion of the words 'the Court is satisfied that the organization applying for such preference substantially represents the industry affected in point of the numbers and competence of its members' in place thereof"

-(Mr. Watson.)

Question—That the words proposed to be added be so added—put. The Committee divided—

Aves 29.		Noes 32	
Mr. Bamford,	Mr. McDonald,	Sir Langdon	Mr. McColl,
Mr. Batchelor,	Mr. O'Malley,	Bonython,	Mr. McLean,
Mr. Brown,	Mr. Poynton.	Mr. Joseph Cook.	Mr. McWilliams,
Mr. Carpenter,	Mr. Ronald,	Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Spence,	Mr R. Edwards,	Sir John Quick,
Mr. Crouch,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Fisher,	Mr. David Thomson,	Sir John Forrest,	Mr. Robinson,
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Watkins,	Mr. Gibb,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. Groom,	Mr. Watson,	Mr. Glynn,	Mr. Bruce Smith,
Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Webster,	Mr. Harper,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Hughes,	Mr. Wilkinson.	Mr. Johnson,	Mr. Dugald Thomson,
Mr. Hutchison,		Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Willis,
Sir William Lyne,	Tellers.	Mr. Kennedy,	Mr. Wilson.
Mr. Mahon,	1 40013.	Mr. Knox,	
Mr. Maloney,	Mr. Frazer,	Mr. Lee,	Tellers
Mr. Mauger,	Mr. Tudor.	Mr. Liddell,	to the Control
3 ,		Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Conroy,
	·	Mr. McCay,	Mr. Fuller.

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 35.—Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Bill.—Consideration of the Senate's Amendments (continued).

Amendment No. 3 (continued).

No. 3, page 12, clause 40, lines 6-9, leave out "And provided further that no such preference shall be directed to be given unless the application for such preference is in the opinion of the Court approved by a majority of those affected by the award who have interests in common with the applicants."

-(The Senate.)

Motion made—That the Senate's Amendment be disagreed to.

-(Prime Minister.)

Question—That the Senate's Amendment be disagreed to—put. The Committée divided—

Ayes 32.		Noes 29.		
Sir Langdon	Mr. McCay,	Mr. Bamford,	Mr. O'Malley,	
${\bf Bonython},$	Mr. McColl,	Mr. Batchelor,	Mr. Poynton,	
Mr. Conroy,	Mr. McLean,	Mr. Brown,	Mr. Ronald,	
Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. McWilliams,	Mr. Carpenter,	Mr. Spence,	
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Thomas,	
Mr. R. Edwards,	Sir John Quick,	Mr. Crouch,	Mr. David Thomson,	
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Reid,	Mr. Fisher,	Mr. Tudor,	
Sir John Forrest,	Mr. Skene,	Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Watkins,	
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Watson,	
Mr. Gibb,	Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hughes,	Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Glynn,	Mr. Dugald Thomson,	Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Wilkinson.	
Mr. Harper,	Mr. Willis,	Sir William Lyne,		
Mr. Johnson,	Mr Wilson.	Mr. Mahon,		
Mr. Kelly,	•	Mr. Maloney,	Tellers.	
Mr. Knox,		Mr. Mauger,	Mr. Frazer,	
Mr. Lee,	Tellers.	Mr. McDonald,	Mr. Groom.	
Mr. Liddell,	Mr. Kennedy,			
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Robinson.			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.