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## THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 75.

WEDNESDAY, 17TH APRIL, 1963.

1. The House met, at half-past two o'clock p.m., pursuant to adjournment.—Mr. Speaker (the Honorable Sir John McLeay) took the Chair, and read Prayers.
2. QUESTIONS.—Questions without notice were answered.
3. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—  
Commonwealth Banks Act—Appointment Certificate—J. B. Nash.  
Defence Act—Regulations—Statutory Rules 1963, No. 28.  
Lands Acquisition Act—Land acquired for postal purposes—Ridgley, Tasmania.  
Public Service Act—Appointments—Department—  
Attorney-General—R. A. Davey.  
Supply—T. J. Moylan.  
Seat of Government (Administration) Act—Regulations—1963—No. 1 (Canberra Community Hospital Ordinance).
4. ALTERATION OF HOUR OF NEXT MEETING.—Mr. Davidson (Postmaster-General) moved, That the House, at its rising, adjourn until half-past two o'clock p.m. to-morrow.  
Question—put and passed.
5. MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE.—Messages from the Senate were reported returning the following Bills without amendment:—  
10th April, 1963—*Message No. 112*—States Grants (Additional Assistance) 1963.  
11th April, 1963, a.m.—*Message*—  
*No. 113*—Wool Tax Assessment 1963.  
*No. 114*—Wool Tax (No. 1) 1963 (*without requests*).  
*No. 115*—Wool Tax (No. 2) 1963 (*without requests*).
6. WAYS AND MEANS—CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENTS (NOS. 54 TO 69), CUSTOMS TARIFF (CANADA PREFERENCE) AMENDMENTS (NOS. 5 TO 8) AND CUSTOMS TARIFF (NEW ZEALAND PREFERENCE) AMENDMENTS (NOS. 9 TO 13).—The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

*(In the Committee.)*

CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 61).

CUSTOMS TARIFF (CANADA PREFERENCE) AMENDMENT (No. 8).

*(See proposed Resolutions of the 28th March, 1963 (pages 395-6 and 408).)*

Motions, by leave, taken together, and agreed to, after debate.

CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 62).

*(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (pages 396-7).)*

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 63).

*(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (page 397).)*

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

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## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 64).

(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (page 398).)

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 65).

(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (page 399).)

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 66).

(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (pages 400-2).)

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 67).

(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (page 403).)

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 68).

(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (page 404).)

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to, after debate.

## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 69).

(See proposed Resolution of the 28th March, 1963 (pages 405-6).)

Motion, by leave, taken as a whole, and agreed to.

Resolutions (including Resolutions of the 10th April, 1963, relating to Customs Tariff Amendments (Nos. 54 to 60), Customs Tariff (Canada Preference) Amendments (Nos. 5 to 7) and Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) Amendments (Nos. 9 to 13) ) to be reported, and leave asked to sit again.

The House resumed; Mr. Lucock reported accordingly.

Ordered—That the House will, at a later hour this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Fairhall (Minister representing the Minister for Customs and Excise) moved, pursuant to contingent notice, That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as would prevent the remaining stages being passed without delay.

Question—put and passed.

On the motion of Mr. Fairhall, the Resolutions reported from the Committee were adopted by the House.

Ordered—That Mr. Fairhall and Mr. Freeth do prepare and bring in Bills to carry out the foregoing Resolutions.

7. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS—CUSTOMS TARIFF BILLS.—Mr. Fairhall (Minister representing the Minister for Customs and Excise) moved, by leave, That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as would prevent the Customs Tariff Bills being brought in together and a motion being moved that the Bills be passed.

Question—put and passed.

8. CUSTOMS TARIFF BILL 1963, CUSTOMS TARIFF (CANADA PREFERENCE) BILL 1963 AND CUSTOMS TARIFF (NEW ZEALAND PREFERENCE) BILL (NO. 1) 1963.—Mr. Fairhall (Minister representing the Minister for Customs and Excise) then brought up the following Bills:—

*A Bill for an Act relating to Duties of Customs;**A Bill for an Act to amend the " Customs Tariff (Canada Preference) 1960-1962 ";**A Bill for an Act to amend the " Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) 1933-1962 " ,*

and moved, That the Bills be now passed.

Debate ensued.

Mr. Armitage rising to address the House—

*Closure.*—Mr. Fairhall moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

The House divided (The Speaker, Sir John McLeay, in the Chair)

AYES, 56.

Mr. Adermann	Mr. Davis	Mr. Fox	Mr. Killen	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Anthony	Mr. Dean	Mr. J. M. Fraser	Mr. King	Mr. Swartz
Mr. Barnes	Mr. Downer	Mr. Freeth	Mr. Leslie	Mr. Turner
Mr. Bate	Mr. Drummond	Mr. Hasluck	Mr. Lindsay	Mr. Wentworth
Mr. Brimblecombe	Mr. Drury	Mr. Haworth	Mr. Lucock	Mr. Whittorn
Mr. Buchanan	Mr. England	Mr. Holt	Mr. Mackinnon	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Bury	Mr. Erwin	Mr. Holten	Mr. McMahon	
Mr. Chipp	Mr. Failles	Mr. Howson	Mr. McNeill	
Mr. Cleaver	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Jack	Mr. Nixon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Cockle	Mr. Fairhall	Mr. Jess	Mr. Opperman	
Mr. Cramer	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Robertson	Mr. Chaney
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Forbes	Sir W. Kent Hughes	Mr. Snedden	Mr. Turnbull

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Mr. Armitage	Mr. Comber	Noes, 54.	Mr. Jones	Mr. Pollard
Mr. Barnard	Mr. Cope	Mr. Fuller	Mr. Kearney	Mr. Reynolds
Mr. Beaton	Mr. Costa	Mr. Galvin	Mr. Luchetti	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Courtney	Mr. Gray	Mr. Makin	Mr. Stewart
Mr. Benson	Mr. Crean	Mr. Griffiths	Mr. McGuren	Mr. Uren
Mr. Bryant	Mr. Cross	Mr. Hansen	Mr. McIvor	Mr. Ward
Mr. Cairns	Mr. Curtin	Mr. Harding	Mr. Minogue	Mr. Webb
Mr. C. R. Cameron	Mr. Daly	Mr. Harrison	Mr. Monaghan	Mr. Whitlam
Mr. D. J. Cameron	Mr. Davies	Mr. Hayden	Mr. O'Brien	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Clay	Mr. Einfeld	Mr. Haylen	Mr. O'Connor	Mr. Coumts
Mr. Collard	Mr. A. D. Fraser	Mr. James	Mr. Peters	Mr. Duthie
		Mr. Johnson		

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the Bills be now passed—was put accordingly, and passed.

9. WAYS AND MEANS—CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENTS (NOS. 73 AND 74), CUSTOMS TARIFF (CANADA PREFERENCE) AMENDMENT (NO. 9) AND CUSTOMS TARIFF (NEW ZEALAND PREFERENCE) AMENDMENT (NO. 14).—The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee.)

Mr. Fairhall (Minister representing the Minister for Customs and Excise) moved—

CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (NO. 73).

1. That the Schedule to the *Customs Tariff* 1933-1962, as proposed to be amended by Customs Tariff Proposals, be further amended as set out in the Schedule to these Proposals and that, on and after the nineteenth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-three, Duties of Customs be collected accordingly.

2. That in these Proposals, "Customs Tariff Proposals" mean the Customs Tariff Proposals introduced into the House of Representatives on the following dates:—

- 15th November, 1962;
- 29th November, 1962;
- 6th December, 1962;
- 28th March, 1963; and
- 10th April, 1963.

THE SCHEDULE.  
IMPORT DUTIES.

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
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DIVISION VI.—METALS AND MACHINERY.

178. By omitting paragraph (2) of sub-item (b) and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:— “(2) Air cooled, not exceeding 10 brake horse-power, but not including— compression ignition engines motor cycle engines fractional horse-power engines of the types used in models and toys— (a) Four-cycle engines with horizontal driving shafts - - ad val. 25 per cent. 42½ per cent. 52½ per cent. £6 10s. £6 10s. £6 10s. or { less ad val. 17½ per cent. .. .. whichever rate returns the higher duty. (b) Four-cycle engines not covered by sub-paragraph (a) - - ad val. 25 per cent. 42½ per cent. 52½ per cent. £6 10s. £6 10s. £6 10s. or { less ad val. 17½ per cent. .. .. whichever rate returns the higher duty. (c) Other - - - ad val. 25 per cent. 42½ per cent. 52½ per cent. £6 10s. £6 10s. £6 10s. or { less ad val. 17½ per cent. .. .. whichever rate returns the higher duty.”			
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## CUSTOMS TARIFF AMENDMENT (No. 74).

1. That the Schedule to the *Customs Tariff* 1933-1962, as proposed to be amended by Customs Tariff Proposals, be further amended as set out in the Schedule to these Proposals and that, on and after the nineteenth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-three, Duties of Customs be collected accordingly.

2. That in these Proposals, "Customs Tariff Proposals" mean the Customs Tariff Proposals introduced into the House of Representatives on the following dates:—

15th November, 1962;

29th November, 1962;

6th December, 1962;

28th March, 1963; and

10th April, 1963.

THE SCHEDULE.  
IMPORT DUTIES.

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>DIVISION XI.—JEWELLERY AND FANCY GOODS.</b>			
310. By inserting after paragraph (3) of sub-item (A) a new paragraph as follows:—			
" (4) (a) Playing cards, in packs - per dozen packs	15s.	18s.	18s.
(b) Playing cards, not covered by sub-paragraph (a) per gross cards	3s. 4d.	4s.	4s."
<b>DIVISION XII.—HIDES, LEATHER, AND RUBBER.</b>			
324. By inserting after sub-item (c) a new sub-item as follows:—			
" (d) Parchment—			
(1) Cut or uncut - - - - ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(2) Printed - - - - ad val.	20 per cent.	45 per cent.	45 per cent."
<b>DIVISION XIII.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.</b>			
334. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—			
" 334. Paper-making material, viz.:—			
(A) Pulp derived by mechanical or chemical means from any fibrous vegetable material, not including goods covered by item 335 (H), articles of paper pulp and cotton linters - - - -	Free	Free	Free
(B) Waste paper and paperboard; scrap articles of paper or of paperboard, fit only for use in paper-making - - - -	Free	Free	Free."
335. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—			
" 335. Paper and paperboard in rolls or in sheets—			
(A) Machine-made (including cellulose wadding not medicated nor put up in retail packs for medical or surgical purposes), not covered by a succeeding sub-item or by item 336—			
(1) As prescribed by Departmental By-laws—			
(a) For use in wrapping fruit	Free	Free	Free
(b) For use as a filter medium ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(c) For use in the manufacture of cigarette papers ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(d) Having a substance not exceeding 22 grams per square metre - per ton	Free	£2	£2
(e) Other - - - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(2) (a) Having a F.O.B. price per ton not less than as determined by the Minister - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(b) Dyeline base paper and paperboard; ferro prussiate paper and paperboard - ad val.	22½ per cent.	37½ per cent.	47½ per cent.
(c) Newsprint, that is to say, paper having a water absorbency when tested by the one-minute Cobb method of not less than 45 grams per square metre, containing not less than 70 per cent. of mechanical wood pulp and of a weight not less than 48 nor more than 62 grams per square metre - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(d) Carpet felt paper - ad val. less per ton	40 per cent. £2	40 per cent. ..	45 per cent. ..

THE SCHEDULE—*continued.*  
IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XIII.—Paper and Stationery—<i>continued.</i></b>			
335.— <i>continued.</i> " 335.— <i>continued.</i> (A)— <i>continued.</i>			
(3) Having a substance not exceeding 22 grams per square metre, not covered by paragraph (2) per ton	£26	£28	£30
(4) Having a substance exceeding 22 grams per square metre and not exceeding 205 grams per square metre, not covered by paragraph (2)—			
(a) Having a value for duty not exceeding £81 13s. 4d. per ton			
ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
less per ton	£2	..	..
(b) Other - - - per ton	£28 3s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
(5) Other - - - per ton	£27 13s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
or { less per ton	£5	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(B) Hand-made, not covered by a succeeding sub-item or by item 336, provided that hand-made paper and paperboard with all four edges uncut or untrimmed shall not be excluded from this sub-item by reason of the size of the paper - - - per ton	Free	£4 10s.	£6
(C) Parchment or greaseproof paper and paperboard and imitations thereof, and glazed transparent paper, not covered by a succeeding sub-item or by item 336—			
(1) For wrapping fruit, as prescribed by Departmental By-laws - - -	Free	Free	Free
(2) Vegetable parchment - per ton	£14	£14	£16
(3) Other—			
(a) Having a substance not exceeding 205 grams per square metre			
ad val.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.	20 per cent.
less per ton	£2	..	..
(b) Other - - - ad val.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.	20 per cent.
less per ton	£5	..	..
(D) Composite paper or paperboard (made by sticking flat layers together with an adhesive), not surface-coated or impregnated, whether or not internally reinforced, not covered by a succeeding sub-item, by item 118(b) or by item 336—			
(1) As prescribed by Departmental By-laws—			
(a) For wrapping fruit - - -	Free	Free	Free
(b) Other - - - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(2) Having a F.O.B. price per ton not less than as determined by the Minister - - - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(3) Having a substance not exceeding 205 grams per square metre, not covered by paragraph (2)—			
(a) Having a value for duty not exceeding £81 13s. 4d. per ton - ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
less per ton	£2	..	..
(b) Other - - - per ton	£28 3s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
(4) Other - - - per ton	£27 13s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
or { less per ton	£5	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(E) Corrugated (with or without flat surface sheets), creped, crinkled, embossed or perforated, not covered by a succeeding sub-item or by item 336—			
(1) As prescribed by Departmental By-laws—			
(a) For wrapping fruit - - -	Free	Free	Free
(b) Having a substance not exceeding 22 grams per square metre - per ton	Free	£2	£2
(c) Other - - - per ton	Free	£4	£4

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## THE SCHEDULE—continued.

## IMPORT DUTIES—continued.

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XIII.—Paper and Stationery—continued.</b>			
335.—continued.			
“ 335.—continued.			
(e)—continued.			
(2) (a) Having a F.O.B. price per ton not less than as determined by the Minister - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(b) Leatherette having a substance not exceeding 205 grams per square metre - ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(3) Composed of paper or paperboard described in sub-item (c)—			
(a) Vegetable parchment per ton	£14	£14	£16
(b) Other—			
(1) Having a substance not exceeding 205 grams per square metre ad val.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.	20 per cent.
less per ton £2	..	..	..
(2) Other - ad val.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.	20 per cent.
less per ton £5	..	..	..
(4) Having a substance not exceeding 22 grams per square metre, not covered by paragraph (2) or (3) per ton	£26	£28	£30
(5) Having a substance exceeding 22 grams per square metre and not exceeding 205 grams per square metre, not covered by paragraph (2) or (3)—			
(a) Having a value for duty not exceeding £81 13s. 4d. per ton ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
less per ton £2	..	..	..
(b) Other - per ton	£28 3s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
(6) Other - per ton	£27 13s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
or { ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
less per ton £5	..	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(f) Ruled lined or squared, but not otherwise printed, not covered by a succeeding sub-item or by item 336—			
(1) Having a substance not exceeding 205 grams per square metre ad val.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
per ton £32 13s. 4d.	..	..	..
or { less ad val.	10 per cent.	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(2) Other - per ton	£27 13s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
ad val.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
or { less per ton £5	..	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(g) Impregnated, coated, surface-coloured, surface-decorated or printed (not being merely ruled lined or squared (sub-item (f))), not covered by a succeeding sub-item, by item 118 (b), 336, 337, 338 or 339—			
(1) As prescribed by Departmental By-laws—			
(a) For use in wrapping fruit	Free	Free	Free
(b) Having a substance not exceeding 22 grams per square metre - per ton	Free	£2	£2
(c) Other - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(2) (a) Having a F.O.B. price per ton not less than as determined by the Minister - per ton	Free	£4	£4
(b) Flock coated; marbled; leatherette; decalcomania ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(c) Carbon and other copying papers including duplicating stencil papers and similar transfer papers - ad val.	17½ per cent.	27½ per cent.	35 per cent.
(d) Indicator paper and paper-board, such as litmus ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(e) Enamelled blotting - per ton	£29 13s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35

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THE SCHEDULE—*continued.*  
IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XIII.—Paper and Stationery—<i>continued.</i></b>			
335.— <i>continued.</i>			
“ 335.— <i>continued.</i>			
(G)— <i>continued.</i>			
(3) (a) Printed or embossed with words letters or figures and by reason of such printing or embossing recognizable as suitable for use as a wrapping medium - per ton or ad val.	£84 22½ per cent.	£154 57½ per cent.	£160 65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(b) Billheads memorandum and other printed ruled or engraved forms (i.e. loose-leaf and in sizes not covered by item 336 (E)) - per cwt. or ad val.	£4 4s. 22½ per cent.	£7 14s. 57½ per cent.	£8 65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(c) Printed or prepared so as to be recognizable as intended for making up into tickets - per ton or ad val.	£84 22½ per cent.	£154 57½ per cent.	£160 65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(d) Bearing designs so as to be suitable for cutting up into playing cards - per gross of individual designs - - -	3s. 4d.	4s.	4s.
(4) Having a substance not exceeding 205 grams per square metre, not covered by paragraph (2) or (3)—			
(a) Gummed - ad val.	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.
(b) Waxed, not gummed - ad val.	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.
(c) Wrapping, having a substance exceeding 22 grams per square metre, not coated or laminated with polyethylene and not covered by sub-paragraph (a) or (b) - per ton or ad val.	£30 13s. 4d. 40 per cent.	£32 13s. 4d. 40 per cent.	£35 45 per cent.
less per ton	£2	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(d) Coated printing - ad val.	30 per cent.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.
less per ton	£4 10s.	..	..
(e) Coated, n.e.i. - ad val.	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.
(5) Other—			
(a) Having a substance not exceeding 22 grams per square metre - per ton	£26	£28	£30
(b) Having a substance exceeding 22 grams per square metre and not exceeding 205 grams per square metre - ad val.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
or { less per ton	£32 13s. 4d.	£32 13s. 4d.	£35
10 per cent.	..	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(c) Other - - - per ton or ad val.	£27 13s. 4d. 40 per cent.	£32 13s. 4d. 40 per cent.	£35 45 per cent.
or { less per ton	£5	..	..
whichever rate returns the lower duty.			
(H) (1) Filter blocks of paper pulp, including such blocks irrespective of size or shape—			
(a) Containing asbestos - ad val.	15 per cent.	27½ per cent.	35 per cent.
(b) Other - - - ad val.	30 per cent.	47½ per cent.	55 per cent.
(2) Building board of wood pulp or of vegetable fibre, whether or not bonded with natural or artificial resins or with similar binders, not covered by item 240 (B)—			
(a) Hardboards - - - ad val.	20 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
(b) Other - - - ad val.	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	45 per cent.”

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THE SCHEDULE—*continued*  
IMPORT DUTIES—*continued*.

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XIII.—Paper and Stationery—<i>continued</i>.</b>			
336. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—			
“ 336. Paper and paperboard cut to size or shape and including, where specifically indicated, in rolls or sheets, articles of paper or paperboard—			
(A) Cigarette paper, cut to size whether or not in the form of booklets or tubes—			
(1) Cigarette tubes - per 60 tubes	2d.	2d.	2d.
(2) Other per 60 papers or the equivalent thereof	2d.	2d.	2d.
(B) Wallpapers and lincrusta; window transparencies of paper—			
(1) In rolls less than 6 inches in width; in sheets of area not exceeding 144 square inches - ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.	50 per cent.
(2) Window transparencies, not covered by paragraph (1) - ad val.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
or { per ton less ad val. whichever rate returns the lower duty.	£32 13s. 4d. 10 per cent.	£32 13s. 4d. ..	£35 ..
(3) Other - - - - - ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(C) Carbon and other copying papers including duplicator stencils and transfer papers, whether or not put up in boxes, provided that when not made up as articles the goods shall be cut to size not larger than in rolls less than 6 inches in width or in sheets with no side greater than 14 inches ad val.	17½ per cent.	27½ per cent.	35 per cent.
(D) Writing blocks, envelopes, letter cards, plain postcards, correspondence cards; boxes pouches wallets and writing compendiums of paper or paperboard, containing only an assortment of paper stationery—			
(1) Postcards, plain - - - - - ad val.	17½ per cent.	40 per cent.	40 per cent.
(2) Other - - - - - ad val.	22½ per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent.
(E) Paper and paperboard, cut to size or shape i.e. in strips or rolls less than 6 inches in width or in sizes not exceeding 144 square inches in area, not covered by a preceding sub-item, by item 334 (B), 335 (H) or 337—			
(1) For use in wrapping fruit as prescribed by Departmental By-laws	Free	Free	Free
(2) (a) Monotype paper - ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(b) Indicator papers (e.g. litmus) ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(c) Filter paper or paperboard, not containing asbestos ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(d) Bearing designs so as to be suitable for cutting up into playing cards per gross of individual designs - - - - -	3s. 4d.	4s.	4s.
(e) Printed or embossed with words letters or figures and by reason of such printing or embossing recognizable as suitable for use as a wrapping medium - - - - - per ton or ad val.	£84 22½ per cent.	£154 57½ per cent.	£160 65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(f) Billheads memorandum and other printed ruled or engraved forms (loose-leaf and not made up in pads (item 337 (c) (1) (b))) - per cwt. or ad val.	£4 4s. 22½ per cent.	£7 14s. 57½ per cent.	£8 65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(3) Gummed paper not covered by paragraph (2)—			
(a) In sheets not exceeding 144 square inches in area - - - - - ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.	60 per cent.
(b) Other - - - - - ad val.	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	40 per cent.
(4) Pressure sensitive self adhesive paper and paperboard, not covered by paragraph (2) ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.	60 per cent.
(5) Other - - - - - ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.	60 per cent.”



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THE SCHEDULE—*continued.*  
IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XIII.—Paper and Stationery—<i>continued.</i></b>			
337. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—			
“ 337. Articles of paper or paperboard—			
(A) Boxes, bags and other packing containers—			
(1) Printed or embossed - per ton	£84	£154	£160
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(2) Bags, not covered by paragraph (1)			
per ton	£22	£25	£28
or ad val.	20 per cent.	32½ per cent.	35 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(3) N.E.I. - - - - - ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.	60 per cent.
(B) Box files letter trays storage boxes and similar articles of paper or paperboard of a kind commonly used in offices shops and the like - - - - - ad val.	22½ per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent.
(C) Registers, exercise books, note books, memorandum blocks, order books, receipt books, diaries, blotting pads, binders (loose-leaf or other) file covers and other stationery of paper or paperboard; sample and other albums and book covers of paper or paperboard—			
(1) (a) Diaries - - - - - per lb.	9d.	1s. 4½d.	1s. 5d.
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(b) Billheads memorandum and other printed ruled or engraved forms, in pads			
per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(2) Registers; account books, betting books, copy books, copying books, drawing books, exercise books, guard books, letter books, pocket books, receipt books, sketch books, note books, order books and the like			
ad val.	22½ per cent.	52½ per cent.	57½ per cent.
(3) Other - - - - - ad val.	22½ per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent.
(D) Paper or paperboard labels, whether or not printed or gummed - - - - - per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(E) Bobbins spools cops and similar supports of paper pulp, paper or paperboard, whether or not perforated or hardened—			
(1) Cones - - - - - per lb.	5d.	7d.	7d.
(2) Parallel spinning tubes as used in the production or further processing of nylon or acetate yarns			
per lb.	5d.	7d.	7d.
(3) Other - - - - - per lb.	Free	2d.	2d.
(F) (1) Paper patterns - - - - - per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(2) Paper patty pans and like paper containers of all sizes and paper chocolate cups, including the weight of the immediate containing cartons per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(3) (a) Charts for manuscript use - ad val.	20 per cent.	35 per cent.	40 per cent.
(b) Recording dials or sheets or rolls for self recording instruments, printed			
ad val.	22½ per cent.	50 per cent.	55 per cent.
(4) N.E.I. - - - - - ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.	60 per cent.”
338. By omitting the word “ Paper ” (first time occurring) and inserting in its stead the words “ Articles of paper or paperboard ”.			
By omitting paragraph (1) of sub-item (A) and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—			
“ (1) (a) Advertising matter wholly or partly of paper; catalogues circulars pictures and printed photographed or lithographed matter used or intended to be used for advertising - - - - - per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			

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THE SCHEDULE—*continued.*IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XIII.—Paper and Stationery—<i>continued.</i></b>			
338.— <i>continued.</i>			
(1)— <i>continued.</i>			
(b) Price lists; prospectuses; show cards; calendars; almanacs; Australian directories guides and timetables - - - - - per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(c) Pictures used or intended to be used in the manufacture of boxtops pad covers calendars almanacs and the like - - - - - per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(d) Printed tickets - - - - - per cwt.	£4 4s.	£7 14s.	£8
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty."			
339. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—			
" 339. Fashion plates; fashion books; books n.e.i.; printed matter n.e.i. - - - - -	Free	Free	Free "
340. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—			
" 340. (A) Christmas New Year Easter and Birthday cards; post cards and other greeting cards having pictorial designs thereon - - - - - ad val.	17½ per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
(B) Cheque books - - - - - ad val.	22½ per cent.	52½ per cent.	60 per cent.
(C) Manufactured stationery n.e.i. (i.e. other than of paper or paperboard); fittings for loose-leaf binders, for files or for stationery books; letter clips; paper clips; indexing tabs (other than of paper or paperboard) - - - - - ad val.	17½ per cent.	40 per cent.	45 per cent.
(D) Matrices for stereotyping purposes—			
(1) In sizes 6 square inches or smaller per design per matrix	9d.	2s.	2s. 6d.
(2) Other - - - - - per design per matrix	9d.	2s.	2s. 6d.
and, per each square inch by which each and every design exceeds 6 square inches, an additional duty of -	1½d.	4d.	4d.
(E) Transfers—			
(1) Ceramic, for pottery - - - - - ad val.	Free	7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(2) N.E.I. - - - - - ad val.	20 per cent.	45 per cent.	50 per cent."
344. By omitting sub-item (c).			
By omitting sub-item (d).			

## DIVISION XVI.—MISCELLANEOUS.

365. By inserting a new item 365 immediately preceding item 366 as follows:—			
" 365. Regenerated cellulose—			
(A) In the form of non-cellular film roll film sheets or strips, not covered by item 460 (A) (2)—			
(1) For use in wrapping fruit, as prescribed by Departmental By-laws - - - - -	Free	Free	Free
(2) (a) Sausage casings - - - - -	Free	Free	Free
(b) Printed or embossed with words lettering or figures and by reason of such printing or embossing recognizable as suitable for use as a wrapping medium, not covered by sub-paragraph (a) - per ton	£84	£154	£160
or ad val.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
whichever rate returns the higher duty.			
(c) Polyethylene coated, not covered by sub-paragraph (a) or (b) or by item 368 (D) ad val.	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
(d) Printed or embossed, not covered by sub-paragraph (a), (b) or (c) - per ton	£28	£56	£60
and ad val.	..	12½ per cent.	12½ per cent.

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THE SCHEDULE—*continued.*  
IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*

Tariff Items.	British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
<b>Division XVI.—Miscellaneous—<i>continued.</i></b>			
365.— <i>continued.</i> " 365.— <i>continued.</i> (A)— <i>continued.</i> (3) In rolls or reels less than 6 inches in width or in sheets not exceeding 144 square inches in area, not covered by paragraph (2)	ad val.	27½ per cent.	50 per cent.
		Free	60 per cent.
(4) N.E.I. - - - ad val.		7½ per cent.	7½ per cent.
(B) Bags— (1) Printed or embossed - per ton or ad val.	£84	£154	£160
whichever rate returns the higher duty.	22½ per cent.	57½ per cent.	65 per cent.
(2) N.E.I. - - - per ton or ad val.	£22	£25	£28
whichever rate returns the higher duty.	20 per cent.	32½ per cent.	35 per cent.
(c) Manufactures n.e.i. of non-cellular regenerated cellulose - - - ad val.		27½ per cent.	50 per cent.
			60 per cent."
486. By inserting after item 485 a new item as follows:— " 486. Textile goods, viz.:— Gummed stay cloth - - - ad val.	10 per cent.	30 per cent.	40 per cent."

CUSTOMS TARIFF (CANADA PREFERENCE) AMENDMENT (No. 9).

1. That the Second Schedule to the *Customs Tariff (Canada Preference) 1960–1962*, as proposed to be amended by Customs Tariff (Canada Preference) Proposals, be further amended as set out in the Schedule to these Proposals and that, on and after the nineteenth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-three, Duties of Customs be collected accordingly.

2. That in these Proposals, " Customs Tariff (Canada Preference) Proposals " mean the Customs Tariff (Canada Preference) Proposals introduced into the House of Representatives on the following dates, namely:—

6th December, 1962; and  
28th March, 1963.

THE SCHEDULE.

1. Omit consecutive numbers 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 47A, 47B and 48 in column 1, the particulars in columns 2 and 3 opposite to those consecutive numbers and the particulars in column 4 opposite to consecutive number 44 and insert the following consecutive numbers and particulars:—

" 43	335 (A) (2) (d) -	Omit— ' 40 per cent. £2', insert— ' 40 per cent.'	
" 44	335 (A) (4) (a) -	Omit— ' 40 per cent. £2', insert— ' 40 per cent.'	Paper and paperboard, other than wrapping.
" 45	335 (c) (3) (a) -	Omit— ' 15 per cent. £2', insert— ' 15 per cent.'	
" 46	335 (D) (3) (a) -	Omit— ' 40 per cent. £2', insert— ' 40 per cent.'	Paper and paperboard, other than wrapping.
" 47	335 (B) (3) (b) (1)	Omit— ' 15 per cent. £2', insert— ' 15 per cent.'	
" 47A	335 (B) (5) (a) -	Omit— ' 40 per cent. £2', insert— ' 40 per cent.'	Paper and paperboard, other than wrapping.
" 48	335 (a) (4) (c) -	Omit— ' £30. 13. 4 40 per cent. £2', insert— ' £32 13s. 4d. 40 per cent.'	

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## THE SCHEDULE—continued.

2. Omit consecutive numbers 61A, 61B and 62 in column 1 and the particulars in columns 2 and 3 opposite to those consecutive numbers and insert the following consecutive numbers and particulars:—

" 62	365 (A) (2) (c)	-	Omit— ' 20 per cent.', insert— ' 30 per cent.'	
" 63	365 (A) (2) (d)	-	Omit— ' £28', insert— ' £56 12½ per cent.'	
" 64	365 (A) (4)	-	Omit— ' Free', insert— ' 7½ per cent.'	
" 65	368 (A) (4) (c)	-	Omit— ' 27½ per cent.', insert— ' 30 per cent.'	
" 66	368 (D) (3) (c)	-	Omit— ' 27½ per cent.', insert— ' 30 per cent.'	
" 67	380 (A) (2)	-	Omit— ' 17½ per cent.', insert— ' 40 per cent.'"	

## CUSTOMS TARIFF (NEW ZEALAND PREFERENCE) AMENDMENT (NO. 14).

1. That the Schedule to the *Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) 1933-1962*, as proposed to be amended by Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) Proposals, be further amended as set out in the Schedule to these Proposals and that, on and after the nineteenth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-three, Duties of Customs be collected accordingly.

2. That in these Proposals, "Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) Proposals" mean the Customs Tariff (New Zealand Preference) Proposals introduced into the House of Representatives on the following dates, namely:—

15th November, 1962;  
29th November, 1962;  
6th December, 1962; and  
28th March, 1963.

## THE SCHEDULE.

Consecutive No.	Tariff Item.	Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of New Zealand.											
76. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—													
" 76	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>199</td> <td rowspan="2">} Stereotypes, Electrotypes, Matrices, Halftone and Line Blocks—</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>340 (D)</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>In sizes 6 square inches or smaller</td> <td>9d. per design per matrix or block.</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Other</td> <td>9d. per design per matrix or block and, per square inch by which each and every design exceeds 6 square inches an additional duty of 1½d."</td> </tr> </table>	199	} Stereotypes, Electrotypes, Matrices, Halftone and Line Blocks—		340 (D)			In sizes 6 square inches or smaller	9d. per design per matrix or block.		Other	9d. per design per matrix or block and, per square inch by which each and every design exceeds 6 square inches an additional duty of 1½d."	
199	} Stereotypes, Electrotypes, Matrices, Halftone and Line Blocks—												
340 (D)													
	In sizes 6 square inches or smaller	9d. per design per matrix or block.											
	Other	9d. per design per matrix or block and, per square inch by which each and every design exceeds 6 square inches an additional duty of 1½d."											
106. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—													
" 106	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>337</td> <td>Articles of paper or paperboard—</td> <td rowspan="3">} £22 per ton or 20 per cent. ad val. whichever rate returns the higher duty."</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(A) (2)</td> <td>Bags, not printed or embossed—</td> </tr> <tr> <td>365</td> <td>Regenerated cellulose—</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(B) (2)</td> <td>Bags n.e.i.</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	337	Articles of paper or paperboard—	} £22 per ton or 20 per cent. ad val. whichever rate returns the higher duty."	(A) (2)	Bags, not printed or embossed—	365	Regenerated cellulose—	(B) (2)	Bags n.e.i.			
337	Articles of paper or paperboard—	} £22 per ton or 20 per cent. ad val. whichever rate returns the higher duty."											
(A) (2)	Bags, not printed or embossed—												
365	Regenerated cellulose—												
(B) (2)	Bags n.e.i.												

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THE SCHEDULE—continued.

Consecutive No.	Tariff Item.	Tariff Rates on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of New Zealand.
108. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—		
" 108	336 Paper and paperboard cut to size or shape and including, where specifically indicated, in rolls or sheets, articles of paper or paperboard— (D) Writing blocks, envelopes, letter cards, plain postcards, correspondence cards; boxes pouches wallets and writing compendiums of paper or paperboard, containing only an assortment of paper stationery— (1) Postcards, plain - - - - - (2) Other - - - - -	17½ per cent. ad val. 22½ per cent. ad val.
	337 Articles of paper or paperboard— (B) Box files letter trays storage boxes and similar articles of paper or paperboard of a kind commonly used in offices shops and the like (C) Registers, exercise books, note books, memorandum blocks, order books, receipt books, blotting pads, binders (loose-leaf or other) file covers and other stationery of paper or paperboard; sample and other albums and book covers of paper or paperboard— (3) Other - - - - -	22½ per cent. ad val. 22½ per cent. ad val.
	340 (A) Christmas New Year Easter and Birthday cards; post cards and other greeting cards having pictorial designs thereon - - - (C) Manufactured stationery n.e.i. (i.e. other than of paper or paperboard); fittings for loose-leaf binders, for files or for stationery books; letter clips; paper clips; indexing tabs (other than of paper or paperboard) - - - - -	17½ per cent. ad val. 17½ per cent. ad val.
	452 Date, sealing and similar stamps, not incorporating clock (time) movements, designed for operating in the hand - - - - -	17½ per cent. ad val."
109. By omitting the item and inserting in its stead the following item:—		
" 109	337 Articles of paper or paperboard— (C) (2) Registers; account books, betting books, copy books, copying books, drawing books, exercise books, guard books, letter books, pocket books, receipt books, sketch books, note books, order books and the like - - - - -	22½ per cent. ad val.
	340 (B) Cheque books - - - - -	22½ per cent. ad val."
119. By omitting the item.		

Progress to be reported, and leave asked to sit again.

The House resumed; Mr. Lucock reported accordingly.

Ordered—That the House will, at a later hour this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

10. PAPERS.—The following Papers were presented, by command of His Excellency the Governor-General—  
Tariff Board—Reports—

Air cooled internal combustion piston engines not exceeding 10 brake horse-power.

Paper and paperboards.

Severally ordered to be printed.

The following Papers were presented, pursuant to Statute—

Customs Tariff—Orders—

Customs (British Preferential Tariff) No. 17.

Customs (Intermediate Tariff) Nos. 110, 111.

Customs Tariff (Primage Duties)—Orders—Customs Tariff (Primage Duties) Nos. 137, 138, 139.

11. DISCHARGE OF ORDER OF THE DAY.—Mr. Davidson (Postmaster-General) moved, by leave, That the following Order of the Day, Government Business, be discharged:—

20. Television—Commercial Licences—Ministerial Statement and Report—Motion for Printing Papers—Resumption of debate upon the motion, That the Papers be printed.

Question—put and passed.

12. ADJOURNMENT.—Mr. Fairhall (Minister for Supply) moved, That the House do now adjourn.

Debate ensued.

Mr. Duthie rising to address the House—

Closure.—Mr. Swartz (Minister for Repatriation) moved, That the question be now put.

Question—That the question be now put—put.

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The House divided (The Speaker, Sir John McLeay, in the Chair)—

## AYES, 56.

Mr. Adermann	Mr. Davis	Mr. Fox	Mr. Killen	Mr. Stokes
Mr. Anthony	Mr. Dean	Mr. J. M. Fraser	Mr. King	Mr. Swartz
Mr. Barnes	Mr. Downer	Mr. Freeth	Mr. Leslie	Mr. Turner
Mr. Bate	Mr. Drummond	Mr. Hasluck	Mr. Lindsay	Mr. Wentworth
Mr. Brimblecombe	Mr. Drury	Mr. Haworth	Mr. Lucock	Mr. Whittorn
Mr. Buchanan	Mr. England	Mr. Holt	Mr. Mackinnon	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Bury	Mr. Erwin	Mr. Holten	Mr. McMahon	
Mr. Chipp	Mr. Failes	Mr. Howson	Mr. McNeill	
Mr. Cleaver	Mr. Fairbairn	Mr. Jack	Mr. Nixon	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Cockle	Mr. Fairhall	Mr. Jess	Mr. Opperman	Mr. Chaney
Mr. Cramer	Mr. Falkinder	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Robertson	Mr. Turnbull
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Forbes	Sir W. Kent Hughes	Mr. Snedden	

## NOES, 54.

Mr. Armitage	Mr. Comber	Mr. Fuller	Mr. Jones	Mr. Pollard
Mr. Barnard	Mr. Cope	Mr. Galvin	Mr. Kearney	Mr. Reynolds
Mr. Beaton	Mr. Costa	Mr. Gray	Mr. Luchetti	Mr. Riordan
Mr. Beazley	Mr. Courtney	Mr. Griffiths	Mr. Makin	Mr. Stewart
Mr. Benson	Mr. Crean	Mr. Hansen	Mr. McGuren	Mr. Uren
Mr. Bryant	Mr. Cross	Mr. Harding	Mr. McIvor	Mr. Ward
Mr. Cairns	Mr. Curtin	Mr. Harrison	Mr. Minogue	Mr. Webb
Mr. C. R. Cameron	Mr. Daly	Mr. Hayden	Mr. Monaghan	Mr. Whitlam
Mr. D. J. Cameron	Mr. Davies	Mr. Haylen	Mr. O'Brien	<i>Tellers:</i>
Mr. Clay	Mr. Einfeld	Mr. James	Mr. O'Connor	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Collard	Mr. A. D. Fraser	Mr. Johnson	Mr. Peters	Mr. Duthie

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

And the question—That the House do now adjourn—was put accordingly, and passed.

And then the House, at seventeen minutes to eleven o'clock p.m., adjourned until to-morrow at half-past two o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—All Members were present (at some time during the sitting) except Mr. Allan, Sir Garfield Barwick, Mr. Clark, Mr. J. R. Fraser, Mr. Fulton, Mr. McEwen, Mr. Sexton, Mr. Thompson and Mr. Townley.

A. G. TURNER,  
*Clerk of the House of Representatives.*