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THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 21.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

WEEK ENDED 24TH APRIL, 1908.

WEDNESDAY, 22ND APRIL, 1908.

No. 234.—*Customs Tariff Bill* (1907).—Senate's Requests.

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 5, p. 6— Item 36. Blue, Laundry ... per lb. | 2d. | . | . | 1½d. |

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, 27.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watson |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Groom | |
| Mr. Hall | |
| Mr. Hughes | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Hutchison | Mr. Crouch |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Tudor |

Noes, 21.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Poynton |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Bruce Smith |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Thomas |
| Sir Philip Fysh | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | |
| Mr. Knox | |
| Mr. Livingston | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Mahon | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. Palmer | Mr. Kelly |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 235.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 7, p. 7— Item 42. Stearine, Paraffine Wax, Beeswax, Carnauba, Ceresine, and Japanese or Vegetable Wax ... per lb. <i>Amend the Item by making the duty on—</i> Stearine, and Paraffine Wax per lb. | 1d. | | $\frac{1}{2}$ d. | |

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, 31.

Mr. Batchelor Sir William Lyne
Mr. Chanter Mr. Mahon
Mr. Chapman Mr. Mathews
Mr. Hume Cook Mr. Mauger
Mr. Coon Mr. McDougall
Mr. Deakin Mr. Palmer
Mr. Ewing Mr. Salmon
Mr. Fairbairn Mr. Sampson
Mr. Fisher Mr. Tudor
Sir John Forrest Mr. Watkins
Mr. Foster Mr. Watson
Mr. Groom Mr. Wilson
Mr. Hall
Mr. Hedges
Mr. Hutchison *Tellers.*
Mr. W. H. Irvine Mr. Bamford
Mr. Knox Mr. Wise

Noes, 13.

Mr. Archer Mr. Dugald Thomson
Mr. Joseph Cook Mr. Wilks
Mr. Crouch Mr. John Thomson
Sir Philip Fysh
Mr. McWilliams
Mr. Poynton
Mr. Bruce Smith *Tellers.*
Mr. Storrer Mr. Kelly
Mr. Sinclair

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 236.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 11, p. 7— Item 46. Liquorice, viz.:— * * * * (D) When the invoice value, including the inside packages, exceeds 1s. per lb. ad val. | | | 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, 26.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watson |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Groom | |
| Mr. Hughes | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Hall |
| Mr. Maloney | Mr. Hutchison |

Noes 21.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Poynton |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Bruce Smith |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Storrer |
| Sir Philip Fysh | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | |
| Mr. Knox | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Livingston | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. McWilliams | Mr. Kelly |
| Mr. Palmer | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 237.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).—Senate's Requests—(continued).*

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 14, p. 9— Item 61. (A) Vegetables, dried, drysalted, concentrated, compressed, or powdered, herbs dried not medicinal ad val. | | 20 per cent. | | |
| (B) Herbs dried not medicinal per lb. | | 4d. | | |

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

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made so far as sub-item (A) is concerned.

—(The Treasurer)]

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 26.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watson |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Groom | |
| Mr. Hall | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Hutchison |
| Mr. Maloney | Mr. Storrer |

Noes, 17.

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| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Palmer |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Poynton |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Bruce Smith |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | |
| Mr. Kelly | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Knox | Mr. Archer |
| Mr. Livingston | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. McWilliams | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

[Remaining portion of requested amendment made.]

THURSDAY, 23RD APRIL, 1908.

No. 238.—Customs Tariff Bill (1907).—Senate's Requests—*continued*.

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 15, p. 9— Item 67. Hay and Chaff per cwt. | 1s. ; and on and after 3 rd October, 1907, free | 1s. * on and after 1 st November, 1908 | | |

*Modification made by Committee of the House of Representatives.

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

Motion made—That the requested amendment, as modified, be made.

—(*The Treasurer*).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Atkinson Mr. Maloney
 Mr. Batchelor Mr. McDougall
 Mr. Chanter Mr. Sampson
 Mr. Chapman Mr. Storrer
 Mr. Hume Cook Mr. John Thomson
 Mr. Crouch Mr. Watkins
 Mr. Deakin Mr. Watson
 Mr. Ewing Mr. Wise
 Sir John Forrest
 Mr. Foster
 Mr. Groom *Tellers.*
 Mr. Hedges Mr. Coon
 Sir William Lyne Mr. Wilson

Noes, 18.

Mr. Archer Mr. Kelly
 Mr. Bamford Mr. Knox
 Mr. Bowden Mr. Mahon
 Mr. Carr Mr. Palmer
 Mr. Joseph Cook Mr. Dugald Thomson
 Mr. Fairbairn
 Sir Philip Fysh
 Mr. Glynn *Tellers.*
 Mr. Hughes Mr. Hall
 Mr. W. H. Irvine Mr. Sinclair

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 239.—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. 17, p. 10— Item 79. Matches and Vestas of all kinds:— * * * * (E) When in boxes upon which the number of Matches contained therein is not printed or stamped, in addition to the duties set out in (A), (B), (C) above per gross of boxes | | | On and after 1 st Sept., 1908, 2s. | |

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

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(*The Treasurer*).

Amendment proposed—That the word “Sept.” be omitted from the requested amendment with a view to the insertion of the word “Oct.” in place thereof.

—(*Mr. Dugald Thomson*).

Question—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the requested amendment—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 24.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Harper |
| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Hutchison |
| Mr. Carr | Sir William Lyne |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. Watson |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Ewing | |
| Mr. Fisher | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Groom | Mr. Watkins |

Noes, 15.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | |
| Mr. Kelly | |
| Mr. Mahon | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Palmer | Mr. Atkinson |
| Mr. Poynton | Mr. Bowden |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 240.—*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. 18, p. 11— Item 85. Mustard, including French Mustard ... per lb. | 3d. | | | 2d. |

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, 30.

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| Mr. Carr | Mr. Maloney |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Palmer |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. John Thomson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Groom | Mr. Watson |
| Mr. Harper | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Hedges | |
| Mr. Hutchison | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | Mr. Fairbairn |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Knox |

Noes, 10.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. Bowden | |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Kelly |
| Mr. McWilliams | Mr. Wilks |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 241.—*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. 24, p. 12— Item 96. Salt— (A) Brown, Light Brown, Pink, or Dark Red Rock | Free | 20s. per ton. | | Free |

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, 30.

Noes, 10

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| Mr. Carr | Mr. Maloney | Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Mathews | Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Mauger | Mr. Crouch | |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. McDougall | Mr. Glynn | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. McWilliams | Mr. Kelly | Mr. Archer |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Palmer | Mr. Sinclair | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Salmon | | |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Sampson | | |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. John Thomson | | |
| Mr. Harper | Mr. Tudor | | |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Watkins | | |
| Mr. Hutchison | Mr. Wise | | |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | | | |
| Mr. Knox | <i>Tellers.</i> | | |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Chanter | | |
| Mr. Mahon | Mr. Storrer | | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 242.—*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. 27, p. 12— Item 105. Tea :— (A) In packets not exceeding 20 5lb. in weight ... per lb. | | 1d. | | |

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.

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| Mr. Carr | Mr. Maloney |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Storror |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Foster | |
| Mr. Harper | |
| Mr. Hutchison | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Mahon | Mr. McDougall |

Noes 17.

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| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Palmer |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Sinclair |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. Hedges | |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | |
| Mr. Kelly | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Knox | Mr. Archer |
| Mr. McWilliams | Mr. Bowden |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 243.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 30, p. 13— Item 107. Apparel and Attire, n.e.i., for the human body, partly or wholly made up made of any material not containing wool or silk including materials cut into shape therefor ... ad val. | 40 per cent.; and on and after 7th November, 1907, 35 per cent. | 40 per cent. | 35 per cent.; and on and after 7th November, 1907, 30 per cent. | 35 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, 23.

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| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Storror |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Fisher | |
| Mr. Groom | |
| Mr. Harper | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Bamford |
| Mr. Maloney | Mr. Tudor |

Noes, 18.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Mahon |
| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Palmer |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Sampson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Glynn | Mr. Thomas |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Hughes | |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Kelly | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. Knox | Mr. Poynton |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 244.—*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. 32, p. 13— Item 113. Bags Sacks Packs and Bales for Bran, Chaff, Compressed Fodder, Potato, Onion, Ore, Coal and Wool; also Sugar Mats, and Sugar Corn and Flour Sacks . . . | | Free | | |

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.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Knox |
| Mr. Bowden | Sir William Lyne |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Thomas |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. John Thomson |
| Sir Philip Fysh | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. Glynn | |
| Mr. Groom | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | Mr. Atkinson |
| Mr. Kelly | Mr. Palmer |

Noes, 15.

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| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Fisher | |
| Mr. Hedges | |
| Mr. Mahon | |
| Mr. Mathews | Mr. Poynton |
| Mr. Salmon | Mr. Sinclair |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

FRIDAY, 24TH APRIL, 1908.

No. 245.—*Customs Tariff Bill* (1907).—Senate's Requests—(continued).

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 33, p. 13— Item 114. Blankets (except of Rubber); Blanketing; Flannels, whether plain fancy or printed, including Domest containing wool; also Crimean and Ceylon Shirtings containing wool; Rugs, n.e.i., including Buggy Rugs or Aprons; and Rugging . . . ad val. | 30 per cent.; and on and after 8th November, 1907, 25 per cent. | 30 per cent. | 30 per cent.; and on and after 8th November, 1907, 20 per cent. | 25 per cent. |

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

[Requested amendment, so far as the additional words are concerned, not made.]

Motion made—That the requested amendment, so far as the rates of duty are concerned, be made.
—(The Treasurer).

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 23.

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| Mr. Bamford | Sir William Lyne |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Maloney |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Fisher | |
| Mr. Foster | |
| Mr. Groom | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Hall | Mr. Storror |
| Mr. Hutchison | Mr. Wise |

Noes, 18.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. McWilliams |
| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Poynton |
| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Carr | Mr. Thomas |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Glynn | |
| Mr. Hedges | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. Kelly | Mr. Sinclair |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 246.—*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. 34, p. 13— Item 115. Carpets, Carpeting, Floor Cloths, Floor and Carriage Mats of any material except Coir; Lap Dusters; and Floor Rugs and Coverings (including Felts and Pads) ... ad val. | 20 per cent. | 15 per cent. | 15 per cent. on and after 8th 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.

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| Mr. Carr | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Storror |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Groom | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Hall | |
| Mr. Hutchison | |
| Sir William Lyne | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Maloney | Mr. Chanter |
| Mr. Mathews | Mr. Foster |

Noes, 18.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Kelly |
| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. McWilliams |
| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Poynton |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Glynn | |
| Mr. Hedges | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Hughes | Mr. Bamford |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | Mr. Bowden |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 247.—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. 41, p. 14— Item 121. Hats, Caps and Bonnets— (a) Wool Felt Hats, in any stage of manufacture | ad val. | 35 per cent.; and on and after 14th November, 1907, per dozen, 16s. | 16s. per dozen or 35 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty | 30 per cent.; and on and after 14th November, 1907, per dozen, 12s. 12s. per dozen or 30 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty |

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

Motion made—That the requested amendment be made.

—(The Treasurer).

Amendment proposed—That the requested amendment be modified by the omission of the words and figures “16s. per dozen or” and the words “whichever rate returns the higher duty.”

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

The Committee divided—

—(Mr. W. H. Irvine.)

Ayes, 14.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Thomas |
| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Bowden | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Wilks |
| Sir Philip Fysh | |
| Mr. Mahon | Tellers. |
| Mr. Poynton | Mr. Kelly |
| Mr. Sinclair | Mr. McWilliams |

Noes, 28.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Hutchison |
| Mr. Carr | Sir William Lyne |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Foster | |
| Mr. Groom | Tellers. |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Batchelor |
| Mr. Hughes | Mr. Hall |

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 248.—Customs Tariff Bill (1907).—Senate's Requests—(continued).

No. 41 (continued)—

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 41, p. 14— Item 121. Hats, Caps and Bonnets— (a) Wool Felt Hats, in any stage of manufacture | ad val. | 35 per cent.; and on and after 14th November, 1907, per dozen, 16s. | 16s. per dozen or 35 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty | 30 per cent.; and on and after 14th November, 1907, per dozen, 12s. 12s. per dozen or 30 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty |

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.

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| Mr. Bamford | Mr. Hedges |
| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Hughes |
| Mr. Carr | Mr. Hutchison |
| Mr. Chanter | Sir William Lyne |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Sampson |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Fairbairn | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watson |
| Sir John Forrest | |
| Mr. Groom | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Hall | Mr. Foster |
| Mr. Harper | Mr. Watkins |

Noes, 13.

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| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. John Thomson |
| Sir Philip Fysh | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Kelly | |
| Mr. Mahon | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. McWilliams | Mr. Archer |
| Mr. Poynton | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. Sinclair | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 249.—*Customs Tariff Bill (1907).*—Senate's Requests—(continued).

| | General Tariff. | | Tariff on Goods the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom. | |
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| | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. | Duty passed by House of Representatives. | Duty requested by Senate. |
| No. 42, p. 14— Item 121. Hats, Caps, and Bonnets— * * * * (b) Fur Felt Hats, in any stage of manufacture ad val. | 35 per cent.; and on and after 14th November, 1907, per dozen, 25s. | 25s. per dozen or 35 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty | 30 per cent.; and on and after 14th November, 1907, per dozen, 20s. | 20s. per dozen or 30 per cent. ad val., whichever rate returns the higher duty |

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, 27.

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| Mr. Batchelor | Mr. Maloney |
| Mr. Chanter | Mr. Mathews |
| Mr. Chapman | Mr. Mauger |
| Mr. Hume Cook | Mr. McDougall |
| Mr. Coon | Mr. Salmon |
| Mr. Crouch | Mr. Storrer |
| Mr. Deakin | Mr. Tudor |
| Mr. Ewing | Mr. Watkins |
| Mr. Fisher | Mr. Watson |
| Sir John Forrest | Mr. Wise |
| Mr. Foster | |
| Mr. Groom | |
| Mr. Harper | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Hutchison | Mr. Hall |
| Sir William Lyne | Mr. Sampson |

Noes, 15.

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| Mr. Archer | Mr. Palmer |
| Mr. Atkinson | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Joseph Cook | Mr. Dugald Thomson |
| Sir Philip Fysh | Mr. Wilks |
| Mr. Glynn | |
| Mr. W. H. Irvine | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Kelly | Mr. Bowden |
| Mr. Mahon | Mr. John Thomson |
| Mr. McWilliams | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.