

1903.

## THE PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No. 14.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

WEEK ENDED 22ND OCTOBER, 1903.

TUESDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1903.

No. 29. *Patents Bill*—Senate's Message No. 35—

Amendments made by the House of Representatives to which the Senate has disagreed.

No. 56.—Page 16, before clause 83, insert the following new clauses :—

"82A. Every patent shall be granted subject to the following conditions :— Working of patents.

"(a) That if the patented article is reasonably capable of being commercially constructed or manufactured or the invention patented is reasonably capable of being commercially worked in Australia the patentee or some person authorized by him shall within five years after the date thereof commence and after such commencement continuously carry on in Australia the construction or manufacture of the patented article or the working of the invention patented in such a manner that any person may obtain the patented article or the use of the invention at a reasonable price ; and

"(b) That if the patented article is reasonably capable of being commercially constructed or manufactured in Australia the patentee shall not after four years from the date of the patent import it or cause it to be imported into Australia.

"82B. No proceedings shall be instituted for the revocation of a patent for any breach of the provisions of the preceding section except in the High Court and by the Attorney-General, and then only in case the Attorney-General is satisfied that the breach is injurious to the trade or manufactures of the Commonwealth."

Motion made—That amendment No. 56 disagreed to by the Senate be not insisted on.

—(*The Prime Minister.*)

Question—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 37.

Sir Langdon Bonython,	Mr. Macdonald-Paterson,
Mr. Brown,	Mr. Mahon,
Mr. Chapman,	Sir Malcolm McEacharn,
Mr. Clarke,	Mr. A. McLean,
Mr. Conroy,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. Poynton,
Mr. Winter Cooke,	Sir John Quick,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Sawers,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Mr. E. Solomon,
Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. Spence,
Sir John Forrest,	Mr. Thomson,
Sir Philip Fysh,	Mr. Watson,
Mr. Glynn,	Mr. Wilks,
Mr. L. E. Groom,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Harper,	
Mr. Kennedy,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Kirwan,	
Mr. Knox,	Mr. Fuller,
Sir William Lyne,	Mr. Sydney Smith.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Crouch,	Mr. Salmon,
Mr. Fisher,	Mr. Tudor,
Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Wilkinson.
Mr. Kingston,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Mauger,	Mr. Hume Cook,
Mr. McColl,	Mr. McDonald.
Mr. O'Malley,	
Mr. Ronald,	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 30.—*Seat of Government Bill*—Senate's Message No. 32—  
Senate Amendment No. 1 :—

No. 1.—Page 1, clause 2, line 9, leave out "Tumut," insert "Bombala."  
Motion made—That the Senate's Amendment No. 1 be disagreed to.

—(Minister for Trade and Customs.)

Question—put.  
The Committee divided—

Ayes, 30.

Noes, 16.

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| Mr. Brown,         | Mr. McCay,        |
| Mr. Conroy,        | Mr. McColl,       |
| Mr. Joseph Cook,   | Sir John Quick,   |
| Mr. Winter Cooke,  | Mr. Ronald,       |
| Mr. Cruickshank,   | Mr. Sawers,       |
| Mr. G. B. Edwards, | Mr. Skene,        |
| Mr. R. Edwards,    | Mr. Sydney Smith, |
| Mr. L. E. Groom,   | Mr. Spence,       |
| Mr. Isaacs,        | Mr. Thomson,      |
| Mr. Kennedy,       | Mr. Tudor,        |
| Mr. Knox,          | Mr. Wilkinson,    |
| Sir William Lyne,  | Mr. Wilks,        |
| Mr. Macdonald-     | Mr. Willis.       |
| Paterson,          | Tellers.          |
| Mr. Mahon,         | Mr. Fuller,       |
| Mr. Mauger,        | Mr. Watson.       |

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| Sir Langdon   | Mr. McDonald, |
| Bonython,     | Sir Malcolm   |
| Mr. Chapman,  | McEacharn,    |
| Mr. Crouch,   | Mr. A. McLean |
| Mr. Deakin,   | Mr. Phillips, |
| Mr. Fisher,   | Mr. Poynton.  |
| Mr. Glynn,    | Tellers.      |
| Mr. Harper,   |               |
| Mr. Kingston, | Mr. Clarke,   |
| Mr. Kirwan,   | Mr. Salmon.   |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 31.—*Seat of Government Bill*—Senate's Message No. 32 (*continued*)—  
Senate Amendment No. 2 :—

No. 2.—Page 1, clause 2, after "miles," line 12, leave out remainder of clause.  
Motion made—That the Senate's Amendment No. 2 be disagreed to.

—(Minister for Trade and Customs.)

Amendment proposed—That the following words be added to the motion :—"except as to the omission of the words 'and shall extend to the River Murray and the River Murrumbidgee,' the omission of which is agreed to."

—(Mr. Sydney Smith.)

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

Ayes, 20.

Noes, 27.

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| Mr. Brown,         | Mr. Mahon,        |
| Mr. Clarke,        | Mr. Sawers,       |
| Mr. Conroy,        | Mr. E. Solomon,   |
| Mr. Joseph Cook,   | Mr. Thomson,      |
| Mr. Cruickshank,   | Mr. Wilkinson,    |
| Mr. G. B. Edwards, | Mr. Wilks,        |
| Mr. R. Edwards,    | Mr. Willis.       |
| Mr. Fisher,        | Tellers.          |
| Mr. Fowler,        |                   |
| Mr. L. E. Groom,   | Mr. Fuller,       |
| Mr. Kirwan,        | Mr. Sydney Smith. |

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| Mr. Chapman,      | Mr. McColl,     |
| Mr. Winter Cooke, | Mr. McDonald,   |
| Mr. Crouch,       | Sir Malcolm     |
| Mr. Deakin,       | McEacharn,      |
| Sir John Forrest, | Mr. A. McLean,  |
| Sir Philip Fysh,  | Mr. O'Malley,   |
| Mr. Higgins,      | Mr. Phillips,   |
| Mr. Isaacs,       | Sir John Quick, |
| Mr. Kennedy,      | Mr. Ronald,     |
| Mr. Kingston,     | Mr. Skene,      |
| Mr. Knox,         | Mr. Tudor,      |
| Sir William Lyne, | Mr. Watson.     |
| Mr. Macdonald-    | Tellers.        |
| Paterson,         |                 |
| Mr. Mauger,       | Mr. Hume Cook,  |
|                   | Mr. Salmon.     |

And so it passed in the negative.

WEDNESDAY, 21ST OCTOBER, 1903.

No. 32.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure 1903-4*—Reconsidered—  
I.—THE PARLIAMENT.

DIVISION No. 1.

THE SENATE.

Subdivision No. 1.—Salaries.

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							Clerk of the Papers and Accountant	...	...	£420	
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—(The Treasurer.)

Amendment proposed—That the amount be reduced by £40.

—(Mr. Watson.)

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

Ayes, 16.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Brown,	Sir John Quick,	Sir Langdon	Mr. Mauger,
Mr. Fisher,	Mr. Ronald,	Bonython,	Mr. Poynton,
Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Spence,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. Isaacs,	Mr. Tudor,	Mr. Clarke,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Kennedy,	Mr. Willis.	Mr. Conroy,	Mr. E. Solomon,
Mr. Kingston,		Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. V. L. Solomon,
Mr. Kirwan,		Mr. Winter Cooke,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. McDonald,	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Deakin,	Sir George Turner,
Sir Malcolm	Mr. Fuller,	Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Mr. Wilkinson,
McEacharn,	Mr. Watson.	Sir John Forrest,	Mr. Wilks.
		Mr. Glynn,	
		Mr. L. E. Groom,	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Mr. Knox,	Mr. Hume Cook,
		Sir William Lyne,	Mr. McCay.
		Mr. Mahon,	

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 33.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure 1903-4*—Reconsidered—(continued)—

I.—THE PARLIAMENT.

DIVISION No. 1.

THE SENATE.

Subdivision No. 1.—Salaries.

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										£235	*
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Housekeeper and Doorkeeper ... .. £235

—(The Treasurer.)

Amendment proposed—That the amount be reduced by £30.

—(Mr. Tudor.)

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

Ayes, 16.		Noes, 27.	
Mr. Brown,	Mr. O'Malley,	Sir Langdon	Mr. Mauger,
Mr. Fisher,	Sir John Quick,	Bonython,	Mr. Poynton,
Mr. Higgins,	Mr. Ronald,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Skene,
Mr. Isaacs,	Mr. Spence,	Mr. Clarke,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Kennedy,	Mr. Tudor.	Mr. Hume Cook,	Mr. E. Solomon,
Mr. Kingston,		Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. V. L. Solomon,
Mr. Kirwan,	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Winter Cooke,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. McDonald,	Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Deakin,	Sir George Turner,
Sir Malcolm	Mr. Watson.	Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Mr. Wilkinson,
McEacharn,		Sir John Forrest,	Mr. Wilks,
		Mr. Glynn,	Mr. Willis.
		Mr. L. E. Groom,	
		Mr. Knox,	<i>Tellers.</i>
		Sir William Lyne,	Mr. Conroy,
		Mr. Macdonald-	Mr. McCay.
		Paterson,	

And so it passed in the negative.

No. 34.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure 1903-4*—Reconsidered—(continued)—

I.—THE PARLIAMENT.

DIVISION No. 2.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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										£8,267

Total Division No. 2 ... .. £8,267

—(The Treasurer.)

Question—That Division No. 2 be agreed to—put.  
The Committee divided—

Ayes, 23.		Noes, 13.	
Sir Langdon	Mr. Macdonald-	Mr. G. B. Edwards,	Sir John Quick,
Bonython,	Paterson,	Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. Spence,
Mr. Brown,	Mr. Mauger,	Mr. Fisher,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. O'Malley,	Mr. Kennedy,	Mr. Tudor.
Mr. Clarke,	Mr. Paterson,	Mr. Mahon,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Winter Cooke,	Mr. Poynton,	Mr. McDonald,	Mr. Joseph Cook,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Skene,	Sir Malcolm	Mr. Higgins.
Sir John Forrest,	Mr. E. Solomon,	McEacharn,	
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. V. L. Solomon.		
Mr. Glynn,			
Mr. Isaacs,	<i>Tellers.</i>		
Mr. Kingston,	Mr. McCay,		
Mr. Knox,	Mr. Watson.		
Sir William Lyne,			

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 35.—Committee of Supply—*Estimates of Expenditure 1903-4*—Reconsidered—  
Recommitted.

I.—THE PARLIAMENT.

DIVISION No. 1.

THE SENATE.

Subdivision No. 1.—Salaries.

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				...	...	...	...	£204	
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President's Messenger

£204

—(The Treasurer.)

Amendment proposed—That the amount be reduced by £16.

—(Mr. Watson.)

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

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 19.

Noes, 24.

Sir Langdon

Sir Malcolm

Mr. Chapman,

Mr. Mauger,

Bonython,

McEacharn,

Mr. Clarke,

Mr. Paterson,

Mr. Brown,

Mr. O'Malley,

Mr. Conroy,

Mr. Poynton,

Mr. Fisher,

Sir John Quick,

Mr. Joseph Cook,

Mr. Skene,

Mr. Fuller,

Mr. Spence,

Mr. Winter Cooke,

Mr. Sydney Smith,

Mr. Glynn,

Mr. Thomson,

Mr. Deakin,

Mr. E. Solomon,

Mr. Higgins,

Mr. Tudor.

Mr. G. B. Edwards,

Mr. V. L. Solomon

Mr. Isaacs,

Mr. Kennedy,

Mr. R. Edwards,

Mr. Wilks,

Mr. Kingston,

*Tellers.*

Sir John Forrest,

Mr. Willis.

Mr. Kirwan,

Mr. McDonald,

Mr. Fowler,

*Tellers.*

Mr. Macdonald-

Mr. Watson.

Mr. Knox,

Mr. L. E. Groom,

Paterson,

Sir William Lyne,

Mr. McCay.

Mr. Mahon,

And so it passed in the negative.