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WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS IN COMMITTEE.

WEEK ENDED 15TH DECEMBER, 1904.

THURSDAY, 15TH DECEMBER, 1904.

No. 36.—*Papua (British New Guinea) Bill*—Senate's Amendments—

Amendment No. 1—

No. 1. Pages 6 and 7, clause 21, leave out clause 21, insert the following new clause in lieu thereof:—

“Intoxicants may be purchased imported into manufactured and sold in the Territory only by the Lieutenant-Governor or by officers duly appointed in that behalf and under regulations and conditions to be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor relating to the purchase importation manufacture and sale thereof.

“No person other than as provided in the immediately preceding paragraph shall import into manufacture or sell in the Territory any intoxicants.

“Penalty: One hundred pounds.

“Intoxicants for the purposes of this section shall mean any wine spirits ale beer porter cider perry or other spirituous or fermented liquor of an intoxicating nature.”

—(*The Senate.*)

Motion made, That the first portion of the Senate's amendment (*i.e.*, to and inclusive of words “leave out clause 21”) be agreed to.

—(*Prime Minister.*)

Question put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 20.	
Mr. Bamford,	Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Knox,
Mr. Brown,	Mr. Spence,	Mr. Hume Cook,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. David Thomson,	Mr. Joseph Cook,	Mr. Maloney,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Dugald Thomson,	Mr. Crouch,	Mr. O'Malley,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Watson,	Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. Poynton,
Mr. Mahon,	Mr. Wilks,	Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. McCay,	Mr. Wilson.	Mr. Fisher,	
Mr. McColl,		Mr. Gibb,	
Mr. McLean,	<i>Tellers.</i>	Mr. Glynn,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Reid,		Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Robinson,	Mr. Frazer,	Mr. Isaacs,	Mr. Fowler,
Mr. Skene,	Mr. Phillips.	Mr. Johnson,	Mr. McDonald.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

No. 37.—*Papua (British New Guinea) Bill*—Senate's Amendments (*continued*)—Amendment No. 1 (*continued*)—

No. 1. Pages 6 and 7, clause 21, leave out clause 21, insert the following new clause in lieu thereof :—

“Intoxicants may be purchased, imported into manufactured and sold in the Territory only by the Lieutenant-Governor or by officers duly appointed in that behalf and under regulations and conditions to be prescribed by the Lieutenant-Governor relating to the purchase importation manufacture and sale thereof.

“No person other than as provided in the immediately preceding paragraph shall import into manufacture or sell in the Territory any intoxicants.

“Penalty: One hundred pounds.

“Intoxicants for the purposes of this section shall mean any wine spirits ale beer porter cider perry or other spirituous or fermented liquor of an intoxicating nature.”

—(*The Senate.*)

Amendment proposed—That the words “for the purposes of trade” be inserted after the word “purchased” in line 1 of the proposed new clause.

—(*Mr. Frazer.*)

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted be inserted—put.

The Committee divided—

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Brown,	Mr. Bruce Smith,
Mr. Deakin,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Fowler,	Mr. Spence,
Mr. Glynn,	Mr. David Thomson,
Mr. Harper,	Mr. Dugald Thomson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Watson,
Mr. Mahon,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. McCay,	Mr. Wilson.
Mr. McColl,	
Mr. McLean,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Frazer,
Mr. Skene,	Mr. Robinson.

Noes, 14.

Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Maloney,
Mr. Crouch,	Mr. McDonald,
Mr. R. Edwards,	Mr. O'Malley,
Mr. Fisher,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Gibb,	
Mr. Hutchison,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Johnson,	Mr. Hume Cook,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Tudor.

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.