

Minister's Decisions under Customs Duties Act.

Customs Department, Wellington, 12th March, 1918.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Duties Act in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—“Not otherwise enumerated” appears as n.o.e.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the Dominion” as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			General Tariff.	Preferential Surtax on Foreign Goods.
†8/1	A. & m.s., viz.:— Horse-cover lining of approved patterns, 44 in. in width and upwards, the invoice price of which does not exceed 4s. per yard	As a. & m.s. (482)	Free.	
9/16/2	Heels for boots, wooden, covered with canvas or celluloid and without leather top-piece	As grindery (wood heels) (310) ..	Free.	
2/112/2	Machinery n.o.e., viz.:— “Enrober” machine for coating confectionery with chocolate, paper plaques for	As machinery n.o.e. (182) ..	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/196	Meat-saw, power, for splitting beef carcasses			
11/32/22	Motor vehicles, accessories for, viz.:— Tire-bags or covers, peculiarly suited for the equipment of motor-cars	As parts of motor vehicles (194A) ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
14/27	Pots containing live plants and being ordinary earthen flower-pots	As plain trade packages (324) ..	Free.	
3/225	Vulcanizer outfits (“Marvel”) the parts to be separately classified as under,— Clamps, metal	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
	Rubber patches	As n.o.e. (483)	Free.	
	Cardboard discs, impregnated (for generating heat)	As n.o.e. (483)	Free.	
3/11/8	Strainers, brass, for spray-pumps ..	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.

Minister's Order D. 31.]

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 12th March, 1918.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge receipt of three one-pound notes, forwarded to the Minister of Lands by some person unknown, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Sale of Unclaimed Property.

Police Department,
Wellington, 28th February, 1918.

IT is hereby notified that unclaimed property in the hands of the police at the various police-stations will, if not claimed before Saturday, the 30th March, 1918, be sold thereafter by public auction.

Particulars as to the time and place of sale may be obtained from the Superintendent or Inspector of Police in charge of the district.

J. O'DONOVAN,
Commissioner of Police.

Officiating Ministers for 1918.—Notice No. 8.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1918.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
Mr. JAMES HALL BOYD.W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.Examination for Elementary Kindergarten Certificates,
January, 1918.Education Department,
Wellington, 7th March, 1918.

THE following is a list of candidates who, at the examination for elementary kindergarten certificates held in January, 1918,—

- (1.) Obtained a complete pass;
- (2.) Obtained a partial pass.

W. J. ANDERSON,
Director of Education.

PASSED THE EXAMINATION.

Wilkie, Isobel Selina	Auckland.
Scott, Marion Bealey	Dunedin.

OBTAINED A PARTIAL PASS.

Rapson, Violet Caroline	Auckland.
Wilson, Evelyn Alice

Notice to Mariners.—No. 17 of 1918.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 12th March, 1918.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne, and the Harbours Board Offices, Adelaide, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

VICTORIA.

ALTERATION TO LIGHT, LOW LIGHTHOUSE, QUEENSCLIFF.
REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners, dated 1st August, 1907, page 63, and to Notices to Mariners Nos. 2