

## Minister's Decisions under Customs Act.

Customs Department, Wellington, 31st March, 1925.

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

NOTE.—“Not elsewhere included” appears as n.e.i.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication or repair of goods within New Zealand” as a. and m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
	A. and m.s., viz. :— Artificial limbs, accessories for the manufacture of, viz.—				
12/50/2	Brass rollers and lacing-hooks; steel ankle-joints, side joints, knee-bolts and side straps, and suspender-hooks	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
12/50/2	Willow-wood blocks if shaped so as to be peculiar to the manufacture of artificial limbs	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
4/38/17	“Hyraldite Z Soluble Conc.,” for treating fabrics before dyeing	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
3/597	Rings, welded mild steel, not exceeding 4 in. in internal diameter, for the manufacture of oyster-nets	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
	Stoves, ranges, &c., fittings for, viz.— Gas cookers, materials for the manufacture of, viz.—				
3/189/3	Brass long griller jets, cooker griller cocks, griller cocks with crutch keys, and oven-regulators, on declaration by a manufacturer that they will be used in the completion of articles made by him in New Zealand	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
	Chemicals, druggists' sundries, &c., viz. :—				
10/6/13	Flour, Lister's low calory .. ..	As druggists' sundries n.e.i. (157)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
10/6/11	“Glax-ovo” .. ..				
18/46	Shower-bath sprinklers of rubber (so-called brushes)				
†6/94/5	Educational apparatus, &c., viz. :— Drawing-books, having outlines or other designs on each page or on each alternate page with corresponding blank spaces for copying, specially suited for use in teaching drawing in schools (Revises decision in M.O. 31.)	As educational apparatus (624)	Free ..	10 per cent.	15 per cent.
	Essences, flavouring, containing over 33 per cent. proof spirit, viz. :—				
4/253	Concentrated compound tincture of lavender, “Wellcome” brand	As essences, flavouring, containing over 33 per cent. proof spirit (147)	36s. per liquid gallon	36s. per liquid gallon	36s. per liquid gallon
	Infants' and invalids' foods, viz. :—				
10/26/8	Hooker's malted milk .. ..	As infants' and invalids' foods (63)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
10/6/12	Lister's diabetic flour .. ..				
	Machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz. :—				
	Bakers' machines, viz.—				
2/237	Cake-depositing machine, the “Baker-Copland”	As machines, &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/237	Cake mixing and whisking machine, “Baker's Patent,” capacity 450 lb.				
2/237	Cake mixing and whisking machines, “Express,” capacity 15 qt. or upwards				
2/237/11	Oven—namely, double-deck portable steam-pipe oven (Thomas Collins and Co., manufacturers)				
2/112/49	Wafer-machine, “Bates' Patent Automatic,” for making wafer-cups and cornets for ice-cream, &c.				