

MINISTER'S DECISIONS UNDER CUSTOMS ACTS—*continued.*

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			British Preferential Tariff.	General Tariff.
	Machinery, &c., and appliances— <i>continued.</i>			
11/1	Compressors, air and gas, viz.,— Tire pumps, gear driven, specially suited for use on motor-vehicles, when imported separately	As air-compressors (353 (3))	10 per cent.	20 per cent.
11/1	Tire pump, "Ikarus," an appliance for inflating tires by means of compressed air obtained from a motor-vehicle engine-cylinder (NOTE.—Separate classification allowed of Gauge—Tariff item 342, Hose Tariff item 199, and Air chuck Tariff item 389)			
3/170/6	Dairying, viz.,— Weighing machines, viz.,— Butter moisture test balance, the "Avery"	As dairying machinery, n.e.i. (334 (2))	Free ..	Free.
2/78/5	Grinding mills, &c., viz.,— Malt mill, the "Boby two high" .. ..	As grinding mill (351 (8)) ..	Free ..	20 per cent.
†2/29/4	Manufacturing, &c., viz.,— Air compressing appliances, viz.,— Air compressors, other than those peculiar to use on motor-vehicles (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 369 of Tariff-book)	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial and similar processes (352)	Free ..	20 per cent.
†2/453	Binding-making machine for folding, winding, spooling, and measuring bias and other bindings, also spare electric elements therefor (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 373 of Tariff-book)			
2/104/9	Brushmaking machines, viz.,— Mixing machines, automatic, for sorting, combing, and cleaning bristles (including the fan therefor)	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial, and similar processes (352)	Free ..	Free.*
2/112/65	Confectioners' machines, viz.,— Mogul machine, a combination of machines performing all processes of moulding confectionery in starch, cleaning confectionery from the starch, resifting the starch and re-forming the starch moulds			
2/301/19	Cranes, viz.,— Hydraulic gantry cranes having a rated lifting capacity of 2½ tons and over	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial, and similar processes (352)	Free ..	20 per cent.
2/102/26	Filling, packing, and wrapping, viz.,— Filler for storage batteries, consisting of a combination of filler, relay, and electric bell (NOTE.—Tank and hose, if imported, should be separately classified under their appropriate Tariff items)			
3/307/10	Filters, viz.,— "Osborne" motor crank case oil cleaner (NOTE.—Hand-pump for use therewith should be separately classified under Tariff item 346)	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial, and similar processes (352)	Free ..	20 per cent.
2/480	Meatworks appliances, viz.,— Boiler and press, combined, for cooking and shaping hams			
2/315/2	Stump puller, the "Dorsey," a portable winch mounted on two wheels, driven by a tractor engine through special gearing, but not forming part of the tractor, whether or not imported therewith	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial, and similar processes (352)	Free ..	20 per cent.
†3/253	Tanks of metal lined with vitreous or similar enamel, with or without agitators, and also coil pipes, cocks, and other similar fittings therefor when imported therewith (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 447 of Tariff-book)			
13/86/3	Measuring, testing, &c., viz.,— Clockwork mechanism, peculiar to use with electrical recording instruments other than time-recorders, even if imported as spares or separately	As measuring, testing, &c., machines, &c., n.e.i. (342)	Free ..	20 per cent.
2/136	Metalworking, viz.,— Etching machines, used in etching zinc or copper plates for the production of blocks for printing illustrations	As machinery, &c., peculiar to metal working (351 (11))	Free ..	20 per cent.

\* Under section 11 of the Customs Amendment Act, 1927.