

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 :— Dairying, viz.,— Butter-packers, butter-pounders, and butter-workers, viz.— Box turning apparatus for use with the "Benhill" butter-moulding machine	As butter-packers (334 (1)) ..	Free ..	Free.*
2/26/2	Manufacturing, &c., viz.,— Bakers, viz.— Bread cooler, the "Pointon" conveyor type			
2/237	Bootmaking and leather-working, viz.— Toggles, "Bulldog," appliances for attaching hides and skins to stretching frames			
2/267/8	Cushion-filling machines			
2/380/4	Linings of "Staybrite" (stainless) steel for use in manufacture of cheese vats			
3/316/4	Neon electric signs, appliances for use in manufacture of, viz.— Pyrex layout including brass stands therefor			
3/722	Degassing furnace Coronoless outfit			
2/482	Oil separator for removing oil, grease, &c., from steam (NOTE.—Vacuum pump, suction oil pump, and valves imported therewith should be separately classified under their appropriate Tariff items.)			
2/234	Printers' and stationers', viz.— Leather covers for rollers of lithographic printing machines, or for hand rollers used in lithographic work	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial, and similar processes (352)	Free ..	20 per cent.
†2/321/6	Sack cleaning and shaking machines .. (NOTE.—Revises decision on sack-shaking machine on page 443 of Tariff-book.)			
3/222/14	Valves, cocks, and taps, viz.— Mercoid Arco solenoid valve No. 682, an electrically operated valve for controlling the flow of liquids and gases			
16/41/2	Woollen-mill and hosiery-mill machinery, viz.— Conditioning oven and balance, the Avery No. A551, for ascertaining moisture content of wool (NOTE.—The electric-fan imported therewith should be separately classified under Tariff item 351 (4))			
2/61/4	Hot-air backwashing-machine consisting of washing-machine, drying-machine, and gill-box, for washing, drying, and straightening slivers or tops (NOTE.—Fan imported therewith should be separately classified under Tariff item 351 (4))			
2/481	Metal-working, &c., viz.,— Oven, electric-annealing (NOTE.—Automatic switches therefor should be separately classified under Tariff item 338 (2))	As machinery, &c., peculiar to metal-working (351 (11))	Free ..	20 per cent.
3/606/3	Metal, manufactured articles of, n.e.i., &c., viz. :— Hose clips or clamps, even if galvanized .. (NOTE.—Bolts and nuts therefor if packed separately should be separately classified under Tariff item 310.)			
3/366/17	Ice-cream carrier, known as an iceless jacket, consisting of two metal holders with an air space between and canvas covered insulation outside	As manufactured articles of metal, or hardware, &c., n.e.i. (356)	20 per cent.	40 per cent.
3/668/3	Percolators for use in the manufacture of coffee essence			
2/267/8	Toggle frames for stretching hides and skins ..			
3/153/16	Towing-bars for hauling disabled motor-vehicles			
14/9/3	Scientific and philosophical instruments and apparatus, viz. :— Specimen jars, rectangular glass, having one side ground and polished to a plane surface to avoid distortion when viewing the contents	As scientific apparatus (135)	Free ..	20 per cent.
†3/237	Tools, artificers', n.e.i., &c., viz. :— Aerograph outfit for use by artists in applying liquid colours (NOTE.—Foot pump and air-receiver should be separately classified under Tariff item 356, gauge under Tariff item 342, tap under Tariff item 353 (1), and hose under Tariff item 199.) (NOTE.—Revises decision on page 657 of Tariff-book.)	As artificers' tools n.e.i., &c., (354)	Free ..	20 per cent.

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