

MINISTER'S DECISIONS UNDER CUSTOMS ACTS—continued.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No	Rate of Duty.				
			British Preferential Tariff.	General Tariff.			
2/371	Machinery, &c., and appliances, viz. :— Food-chopping, &c., viz.,— Crackling grinders for use in meat-works . . (NOTE.—Elevators and bagging hoppers for use therewith are to be separately classified under Tariff item 353 (5).)	As food - chopping machines (351 (8))	Free ..	25 per cent.			
2/144/16	Knitting, viz.,— Knu-Knit "sewing" machines for repairing "runs" in silk hosiery	As knitting machines (351 (10))	Free ..	25 per cent.			
2/144/14	Sinker reverse plating appliances, attachments for hosiery-knitting machines to enable a larger variety of patterns to be made	As parts of knitting-machines (351 (10))	Free ..	Free.*			
3/694/2	Manufacturing, &c., viz.,— Boilers, and boiler-cleaners, viz.— Dejector, the "Kennicott," an appliance for preventing the incrustation of boilers by the introduction of sodium carbonate into the feed-water system	As machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing, industrial, and similar processes (352)	Free ..	25 per cent.			
†2/396/6	Mixing or stirring machines, having power operated agitators or stirring devices, but not including concrete-mixers, manure-mixers, tar and asphalt mixers, and food-mixers suited for household use (NOTE.—Revises decision in M.O. 15.)						
13/139/4	Photographers' and similar, viz.— Sound-film patcher for repairing damaged cinema film						
2/68/11	Soapmaking, viz.— Slabbing- and cutting-machines for cutting bulk soap into bars						
2/370/5	Tobacco-manufacturing, viz.— Drying-machine, steam-jacketed, for drying tobacco during the process of manufacture						
2/40/6	Transmission gear, viz.— Short belt drive, a belt-tightening device consisting of a loose pulley supported by two parallel bars fixed to the bearing of the main pulley						
3/28/38	Measuring, testing, &c., viz.,— Interference locator, an instrument specially designed for indicating the sources of external electrical interference in connection with radio broadcasting				As testing appliances n.e.i. (342)	Free ..	20 per cent.
2/62/7	Metal-working, &c., viz.,— Trussing-machine, hydraulically operated for fitting together and hooping wooden casks (NOTE.—The pump therefor is to be separately classified under Tariff item 346.)				As machinery, &c., peculiar to wood-working (351(11))	Free ..	25 per cent.
2/371	N.e.i., other kinds, viz.,— Meat-works appliances, viz.— Curb presses, hydraulic presses for separating fat from offal by means of pressure (NOTE.—Pumps therefor are to be separately classified under Tariff item 346.)				As machinery, &c., n.e.i., other kinds (353 (5))	20 per cent.	45 per cent.
†2/371	Hashing and washing machine for cutting and washing offal preparatory to the rendering-down process (NOTE.—The hashing portion is to be separately classified under Tariff item 351 (8)) (NOTE.—Revises decision on "Peck and entrail washer and cutter" on page 471 of the Tariff-book.)						
2/371	"Stampeo" cookers for fat-rendering, including the patent sumps for use therewith (NOTE.—Barometric condensers are to be separately classified under Tariff item 356, and pipes and pipe-fittings for connecting the cookers and condensers under their appropriate Tariff items.)						

* Under Section 11, Customs Amendment Act, 1927.