

Customs tariff—446d. Bottles or cylinders of seamless steel used as high-pressure containers for gas: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—451. Buckles, clasps, eyelets, hooks and eyes, dome, snap or other fasteners of iron, steel, brass or other metal, coated or not, n.o.p. (not being jewellery): rate of duty, 15 per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: There is a reduction from 20 to 15 per cent, qualified by what the right hon. leader of the opposition said a moment ago, that the 10 per cent discount will not apply on the new rate whereas it did on the old. The effective reduction, therefore, is from 18 to 15 per cent. Our imports amounted to \$224,000, of which \$186,000 came from the United States and \$26,000 from the United Kingdom.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—451a. (i) Spring-beard needles and latch needles: rate of duty, 10 per cent.

(ii) Needles, of any material or kind, n.o.p.: rate of duty, 10 per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: This is a reduction from 15 to 10 per cent.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—451b. Pins manufactured from wire of any metal, n.o.p.: rate of duty, 17½ per cent.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—462. Philosophical, photographic, mathematical and optical instruments, n.o.p.; speedometers, cyclometers and pedometers, n.o.p.; complete parts of all the foregoing: rate of duty, 7½ per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: This is a reduction from 15 to 7½ per cent.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—465. Signs of any material other than paper, framed or not; letters and numerals of any material other than paper: rate of duty, 10 per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: There is a reduction from 15 to 10 per cent.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—469. Machine card clothing: rate of duty, 10 per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: This is the same reduction, from 15 to 10 per cent.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—471a. Pressed steel belt pulleys; for power transmission, and finished or unfinished parts thereof, including interchangeable bushings: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—475b. Matrices for stereotypes, electrotypes and celluloids described in item 475a: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—476. Surgical and dental instruments of any material; surgical needles; X-ray apparatus; microscopes valued at not less than \$50 each, by retail; and complete parts of all the foregoing: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—522. Rovings, yarns and warps, wholly of cotton, not more advanced than singles n.o.p.: rate of duty, 12½ per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: This is the first of the textile items. There is no change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—522c. Rovings, yarns and warps, wholly of cotton, including threads, cords and twines generally used for sewing, stitching, packaging and other purposes, n.o.p.; cotton yarns, wholly or partially covered with metallic strip, generally known as tinsel thread: rate of duty, 15 per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—522d. Yarns and warps, wholly of cotton, mercerized, number forty and finer, imported, under regulations prescribed by the minister, for sale to manufacturers, to be further manufactured in their own factories: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—522f. Yarns and warps, wholly of cotton, number forty and finer, when imported by manufacturers of mercerized cotton yarns, for use exclusively in the manufacture of mercerized cotton yarns, in their own factories: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—523. Woven fabrics, wholly of cotton, not bleached, mercerized, nor coloured, n.o.p., and seamless cotton bags: rate of duty, 15 per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: No change.

Item agreed to.