

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: Ah! But there is a great deal of material used.

Mr. ROBB: Yes, I admit that.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: And this large quantity of material is made up in different places and under different conditions.

Mr. ROBB: Yes.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: And the circumstances as to the production of one part may not have anything to do with the circumstances under which another part is produced. Surely the minister will agree with me that it is important that we should get this information and should know—that is if we are looking at the question from the point of view of business and not from the point of view of politics—just what articles are affected. At present we do not know what the articles are. I should have thought the minister would have had that information.

Mr. ROBB: I can give my hon. friend a list of some of the articles. For instance there will be canvass, rubber belting, castings, bolts, nuts, paint possibly—articles going into the manufacture of tools that go with the machine. My hon. friend will quite understand that.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: I do not know if the information I have here is correct, so I hesitate to give it. My hon. friend referred to malleable castings.

Mr. ROBB: Yes.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: They are certainly one of the things.

Mr. ROBB: Yes.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: Grey iron castings.

Mr. ROBB: Yes, I have just mentioned castings.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: But I am taking the different classes of castings, because they are under a different tariff. Grey iron castings are covered?

Mr. ROBB: Yes.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: Core compound. Is that covered?

Mr. ROBB: Yes, I should say that would be covered.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: Core oil?

Mr. ROBB: Yes, I should think so.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: Do chisels come under this item or not?

Mr. ROBB: Yes, if used as tools with the machine.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: That is how they would be used, would they not?

Mr. ROBB: They might be, yes.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: My hon. friend will see he has not got very much information.

Mr. ROBB: I am following my hon. friend.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: I suppose chisels might come under the low rate. Now cotter pins—that is steel cotter pins and wooden cotter pins—and steel crucibles.

Mr. ROBB: Yes.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: I see my hon. friend nods his head but Hansard cannot record a nod. Now, dowel-rods and dowels?

Mr. ROBB: I should think if they were part of the machine they would come under it.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: I should think they would but my hon. friend ought to know what he is doing, whether he is hitting the dowel people or not. This is the subject matter of his resolution, surely he is the one to know, not me. What is the answer?

Mr. ROBB: We will admit they are going in as farm machinery.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: I do not want to be unfair to my hon. friend. If he does not know, it is unfair for me to go on establishing facts, because he may be stating something which is not correct. I only want the truth, and I want to know what we are legislating about. I suggest to my hon. friend that he should bring down a list of all the articles entering into the manufacture of articles which will be covered by these reductions. He will have it right then.

Mr. ROBB: That would involve a long delay.

Sir HENRY DRAYTON: I have a statement here, but I do not know whether it is correct or not, and I do not want to use anything which is not right. This gives a long list. I will let my hon. friend have it, and I am not going to delay the House by going over this tremendous list. If he will say that he will have it checked up and let us know what the facts are, we can put it on Hansard and save time. If he will acquiesce in my suggestion I will desist.