

THE TARIFF AS SETTLED.



HOWEVER different persons may view the tariff, it is now beyond the possibility of a change, having passed the House of Commons, and, being a financial measure, cannot be changed by the Senate. The present revision promised, at first, some startling reductions; but the changes announced in the Budget Speech of the last week in March

have been considerably modified, and the old rates—or equivalent rates—obtain. Perhaps the greatest reductions have been in cotton goods and cheap woollens. Most other changes are changes, not reductions. A few are advances—e.g., hosiery and carpets.

The following schedule gives a detailed comparison of the old and the new tariff. In a few cases the rate is not given, the reason being that no interpretation has yet been promulgated showing under what clause the said articles shall be dutiable. This table should be preserved by importers:

	OLD TARIFF.	NEW TARIFF.
	Per cent.	Per cent.
Alhambra Cotton Quilts, woven white	20	25
" " " colored	25	30
Aprons, Cotton or Linen	35	32½
" Silk	30	32½
Artificial Flowers	25	25
Bags, cotton seamless	2c. lb. and 15	20
" " "	35	
" jute, flax, hemp, gunny	20	20
Baize, green	10c. lb. and 20	30
Bead Ornaments	35	35
Bed Comforters	35	32½
Bed Ticking, cotton	2c. sq. yd. and 15	30
" " linen	20	30
Belts, cotton, non-elastic	20	30
" " elastic	25	
" " silk	30	
Blankets	10c. lb. and 20	5c. lb. and 25
Bonnets, Hats and Caps, n.e.s.	30	30
Bonnet wire, covered	35	30
Braided cords, cotton	30	30
Buttons, vegetable ivory or horn		
" " "	10c. gross and 20	8c. gr. and 20
" hoof, rubber, vulcanite or composition	5c. gross and 20	4c. gr. and 20
" n.e.s.	25	20
Cambrie, muslins, white	25	25
" " printed or dyed	32½	30
Canton Flannel, printed	32½	30
Carpet Binding, cotton	25	25
Carpets, treble ingrain, three-ply or two-ply, wholly of wool	10c. sq. yd. and 20	5c. sq. yd. and 25
" ditto, part cotton, etc.	5c. sq. yd. and 20	3c. sq. yd. and 25
Carpeting, matting and mats, jute and hemp carpet linings and stair pads	25	25
Carpets, Brussels, Tapestry, Dutch Venetian and Damask. Carpet Mats and Rugs, Printed Felts and Druggets	25	30
Carpets, Smyrna Carpets, Mats and Rugs	35	30

	OLD TARIFF.	NEW TARIFF.
	Per cent.	Per cent.
Cashmere Mfrs, hemmed	10c. lb. and 25	32½
" " not hemmed	10c. lb. and 20	32½
" Dolmans, Jackets	10c. lb. and 25	5c. lb. and 30
Cheese Cloths	1c. sq. yd. and 15	22½
Checked Regattas	2c. sq. yd. and 15	30
Cloaks, Jackets, etc., of wool, worsted or alpaca	10c. lb. and 25	35
Cloaks, cotton or linen	35	32½
" silk	30	32
Cloths, doeskins, cassimeres, tweeds, coatings, overcoatings, cloakings, horse collar cloth, felt cloth of every description, n.e.s., composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, hair of alpaca goat and other like animals	10c. lb. and 20	5c. lb. and 25
Clothing, silk circulars lined with fur	30	30
" woolen circulars lined with fur	10c. lb. and 35	5c. lb. and 30
Clothing, ready made, composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, etc., made up or manufactured wholly or in part	10c. lb. and 25	5c. lb. and 30½
Clothing, India rubber surfaced		
" " "	10c. lb. and 25	27½
Clothing, India rubber clothing, n.e.s.	35	35
Clothing made of cotton, or other material, n.o.p., including corsets, etc., and tarpaulin	35	25
Clothing made of cotton, including ladies' and children's cotton underclothing, men's and boy's shirt fronts, cotton scarfs, pinafores, bibs, skirts, and dresses of cotton, pique, marseilles, muslin, etc., either colored or white	35	25 ½
Coat Hangers, as labels	15c. per lb. and 25	00
Cocoa Matting and Mats	30	25
Collar Buttons or Studs, metal, pearl, bone or celluloid	25	Classed as buttons.
Collar Buttons or studs, rubber, 5c. gr. and 20	20	
Collars, paper	35	35
" linen, cotton, celluloid, etc.	24c. doz. and 30	24. doz. and 25
Collars, embroidered	30	30
" lace	30	30
Colored fabrics, woven in whole or in part of dyed or colored cotton or jute yarn, or of part jute and part cotton or other material except silk, n.e.s.	25	30
Cordage, cotton and cotton braid'd c'rds	30	30
Cords and Tassels	30	30
Corduroy	2c. square yd. and 15	30
Corsets	35	32½
" Laces	30	30
" Clasps, steels, wires, etc., 5c. lb. and 30	30	5c. lb. and 20
Cotton, batts, batting and sheet wadding, dyed or not, 3 cts. lb. and 15	15	22½
Cotton Warps and Cotton Yarns, dyed or not, n.e.s.	3 cts. lb. and 15	25