

Canada-United Kingdom Trade Agreement

Mr. DUNNING: There is not sufficient production for statistical purposes.

Mr. MacNICOL: It is all under one group, anyway.

Mr. DUNNING: That is to say, there are not three concerns manufacturing, and hence we have not a duty. We imported last year \$735,000 worth of ball and roller bearings, of which \$474,000 came from the United States, \$169,000 from Sweden, and only \$80,000 from Great Britain. This will give Great Britain a better opportunity.

Mr. ROSS (Moose Jaw): Here is another respect in which the customs department has been operating in the way an hon. member referred to. I do not think that on this account we should hold up the Minister of Finance on his budget items, but we should all get ready for action when the revenue department's estimates come up.

Mr. DUNNING: Order. The hon. member is encouraging insubordination!

Mr. BENNETT: Highly irregular.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—427c. Machinery for dairying purposes, viz:—power churns, power milk coolers, power fillers and cappers, power ice cream mixers, power butter printers, power cream savers, power bottle sterilizers, power brine tanks, power milk bottle washers, power milk can washers; ice-breaking machines, valveless or centrifugal milk pumps, sanitary milk and cream vats; none of the foregoing machinery to include motive power: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: No change

Mr. MacNICOL: What was the particular reason for the last phrase in the item, "to include motive power." In some of the items, I notice motive power is excluded.

Mr. DUNNING: There is no change in either the wording of the item or the rate. It was precisely the same under the 1932 agreement, and as far as I know is not working any hardship.

Mr. MacNICOL: Would not Canadian motive power operate all these machines?

Mr. DUNNING: I could not say as to that.

Mr. ROSS (Moose Jaw): Do the parts for these machines come in free?

Mr. DUNNING: The parts do not enter under this item. They will come in under various items, dependent upon their composition. With reference to the question of the hon. member for Davenport (Mr. MacNicol) I should call his attention to the fact that he has misread the item.

[Mr. MacNicol.]

Mr. BENNETT: It does not include the motive power.

Mr. DUNNING: No; it does not include the motive power.

Mr. MacNICOL: Pardon me, the minister is right. I should have read, "none of the foregoing machinery to include motive power."

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—427d. Machines designed for making rigid composite box-ends of wood—consisting of a centre with separate nailing edges attached—from scrap or waste mill stock, and complete parts thereof, not to include motive power: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: There is no change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—427e. Automatic machines for making and packaging cigarettes, not to include tobacco preparing machines: rate of duty, free.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—428d. Magnetos and complete parts thereof when imported by manufacturers of internal combustion engines, for use exclusively in the manufacture of such internal combustion engines, in their own factories: rate of duty, free.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—428e. Diesel and semi-diesel engines, and complete parts thereof, n.o.p.: rate of duty, free.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—428f. Air-cooled internal combustion engines of not greater than 1½ h.p. rating, and complete parts thereof: rate of duty, free.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—ex 429. Cutlery of iron or steel, plated or not:

(b) Table knives and table forks: rate of duty, 15 per cent.

(c) Penknives, jack-knives and pocket knives of all kinds: rate of duty, free.

(d) Knives, n.o.p.: rate of duty, free.

(e) Spoons: rate of duty, 15 per cent.

(f) Scissors and shears, n.o.p.: rate of duty, free.

(g) Razor blades; razors and complete parts thereof: rate of duty, free.

Mr. DUNNING: There is no change.

Item agreed to.

Customs tariff—430. Nuts and bolts with or without threads, washers, rivets, of iron or steel, coated or not, n.o.p., nut and bolt blanks, of iron or steel: rate of duty per one hundred pounds, 25 cents and 7½ per cent.

Mr. DUNNING: There is a reduction in rates here—