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An Act to amend the Customs Tariff,  
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## An Act to amend the Customs Tariff, 1897.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

- 5 **1.** *The Customs Tariff, 1897*, is amended by inserting after item 555 in schedule B thereto the following item:—  
 “555a. Machinery of a class not made in Canada, when imported exclusively for use in factories for the manufacture of best root sugar.” 1897, c. 16 amended.
- 10 **2.** This section shall be deemed to have come into force on the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred. Commencement of section.
- 2.** On and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred, the shedule D substituted by section 7 of chapter 37 of the statutes of 1898 for schedule D of *The Customs* New schedule D.  
1898, c. 37.
- 15 **Tariff, 1897**, shall be repealed, and the following shall be substituted therefor:—

## “SCHEDULE D.

## “BRITISH PREFERENTIAL TARIFF.

“On articles entitled to the benefits of this preferential tariff under section seventeen, the duties mentioned in schedule A shall be reduced as follows: The reduction shall be one-third of the duty mentioned in schedule A, and the duty to be levied, collected and paid shall be two-thirds of the duty mentioned in schedule A.

“Provided, however, that this reduction shall not apply to any of the following articles and that such articles shall in all cases be subject to the duties mentioned in schedule A, viz., wines, malt liquors, spirits, spirituous liquors, liquid medicines and articles containing alcohol; tobacco, cigars and cigarettes.

“Provided further, that the reduction shall only apply to refined sugar when evidence satisfactory to the Minister of Customs is furnished that such refined sugar has been manufactured wholly from raw sugar produced in the British Colonies or possessions.”