

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

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No. 11

An Act to repeal 'The Tariff Act, 1888,' and to make other Provisions in lieu thereof.

[Assented to 4th October, 1893.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal 'The Tariff Act, 1888,' and to make other Provisions in lieu thereof: Be it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Preamble

1. 'The Tariff Act, 1888,' is hereby repealed.
2. From and after the coming into operation of this Act there shall be charged, raised, collected, levied, and paid to Her Majesty upon all goods, wares, merchandise, and things not enumerated or

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No. 23
Duties on goods

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included in the Sixth Schedule to this Act, imported into Western Australia whether by sea or land, such duties as are respectively specified in the First, Second, Third, Fourth, and Fifth Schedules to this Act, at the rates, and for the quantities therein mentioned, and at proportional rates for any smaller quantities, and such duties shall be payable also upon any of the said goods which are now in any bonded warehouse.

Mode of levying
duties

3. The said duties shall be collected and levied in the manner provided by, and subject and according to the provisions of any Act or Law for the time being in force for the general regulation of the Customs of the Colony.

Commencement
and short title
of Act

4. This Act shall be deemed and taken to have been in force and to have come into operation on and from the seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and may be cited as 'The Tariff Act, 1893.'

W. C. F. ROBINSON,
GOVERNOR.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Table of Specific Duties

ARTICLE	PER	RATE OF DUTY		
		£	s.	d.
Ale, Beer, and Stout, in wood	Gallon	0	1	3
" " bottles	Gallon	0	1	6
Arrowroot, Sago, Tapioca, Cornflour, and other Farina- ceous Foods, N.O.E. ¹	lb.	0	0	1
Bacon	lb.	0	0	3
Barley (other than malting)	Bushel	0	0	4
" (malting)	Bushel	0	0	6
Beef, salt	lb.	0	0	1½
Beans	Bushel	0	0	6
Beeswax	lb.	0	0	2
Biscuits	lb.	0	0	2
Boots, Men's Leather, invoiced at or under 10s. per pair	doz. pairs	0	18	0
" Women's, invoiced at or under 6s. per pair	doz. pairs	0	10	0
Bran	Ton	1	0	0
Brandy, colouring	Gallon	0	16	0
Butter	lb.	0	0	2
Camels	Each	2	0	0
Candles	lb.	0	0	2
Cement	Barrel	0	2	0
Cheese	lb.	0	0	3
Chaff	Ton	1	10	0
Chicory	lb.	0	0	3
Cigars	lb.	0	6	0
Cigarettes	lb.	0	6	0
Cider and Perry	Gallon	0	1	0
Cocoa and Chocolate, N.O.E.	lb.	0	0	3
Cocoa, in slabs	lb.	0	0	1
Coffee (roasted or ground)	lb.	0	0	3
" Raw	lb.	0	0	1

¹ N.O.E.—"Not otherwise enumerated."

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ARTICLE	PER	RATE OF DUTY		
		£	s.	d.
Coffee, Date	lb.	0	0	6
„ Mixed with Chicory	lb.	0	0	6
Confectionery	lb.	0	0	4
Currants	lb.	0	0	2
Dates	lb.	0	0	1
Dogs	each	1	0	0
Eggs	dozen	0	0	2
Essences, being spirituous compounds	Gallon	0	16	0
Fish (preserved, tinned, salted, and dried)	lb.	0	0	1
Flour	Ton	1	10	0
„ Self-raising	lb.	0	0	1
Fruit (dried) n.o.e.	lb.	0	0	3
„ Pulp	lb.	0	0	2
Ginger (whole)	lb.	0	0	2
„ (ground)	lb.	0	0	4
Glue	lb.	0	0	1
Glucose	cwt.	0	2	0
Gram	Bushel	0	0	6
Hams	lb.	0	0	3
Hay	Ton	1	10	0
Hides (green)	Hide	0	1	6
Honey	lb.	0	0	2
Hops	lb.	0	0	4
Iron (galvanised, corrugated)	Ton	1	0	0
Iron (galvanised, plain)	Ton	0	10	0
Lard	lb.	0	0	2
Lead (sheet, pig, and piping)	cwt.	0	2	6
Linseed (whole)	Bushel	0	0	6
Maize	Bushel	0	0	6
Malt	Bushel	0	3	0
Meat (preserved)	lb.	0	0	0 $\frac{3}{4}$
„ (fresh)	lb.	0	0	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Molasses and Golden Syrup	cwt.	0	2	0
Nuts (edible)	lb.	0	0	2
Oats	Bushel	0	0	4
Oatmeal	Ton	1	0	0
Oil Cake	Ton	0	10	0
Oil—Fish, Vegetable, and Turpentine, n.o.e.	Gallon	0	0	6
„ Mineral	Gallon	0	0	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Onions	Ton	1	0	0
Opium	lb.	1	10	0
Peas	Bushel	0	0	6
„ (split)	cwt.	0	2	0
Peel (candied)	lb.	0	0	3
Pepper (ground)	lb.	0	0	3
„ (whole)	lb.	0	0	1
Plaster Paris	cwt.	0	2	0
Pollard	Ton	1	0	0
Pork (salt)	lb.	0	0	2
Potatoes	Ton	1	0	0
Powder (gun and sporting)	lb.	0	0	4
Powder (blasting)	lb.	0	0	1
Powders (baking, egg, yeast, and custard)	lb.	0	0	3
Raisins	lb.	0	0	3
Rice	cwt.	0	2	0
„ Paddy	cwt.	0	2	0
„ Ground	cwt.	0	4	0

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ARTICLE	PER	RATE OF DUTY		
		£	s.	d.
Rice, Meal	ewt.	0	4	0
Rye	Bushel	0	0	4
Salt, n.o.e.	Ton	1	0	0
Shot	ewt.	0	5	0
Snuff	lb.	0	6	0
Soap, all other kinds, n.o.e.	ewt.	0	5	0
Soda Crystals	ewt.	0	2	0
Spices (ground)	lb.	0	0	4
Spices (whole)	lb.	0	0	2
Spirits, spirits of wine, cordials, or strong waters of all kinds, n.o.e., for each and every Imperial gallon of such spirits of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof by Sykes' hydrometer, and so in proportion for any greater strength than the strength of proof, or any quantity greater or less than a gallon.	Gallon	0	16	0
" of Wine, proof as above, destroyed in Bond, under Regulations to be framed	Gallon	0	5	0
" Methylated	Gallon	0	2	0
Sugar	ewt.	0	4	0
Tea	lb.	0	0	4
Tongues	lb.	0	0	3
Tobacco (manufactured)	lb.	0	3	0
" (unmanufactured)	lb.	0	2	0
" (Sheepwash) destroyed in bond	lb.	0	0	3
Vinegar	Gallon	0	0	6
Wheat	Bushel	0	0	6
Whiting	ewt.	0	1	0
Wine (sparkling)	Gallon	0	10	0
" (still)	Gallon	0	6	6
Woolbales	each	0	0	4

SECOND SCHEDULE

On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, a Duty of 5 per cent., according to the value of the same :—

Abdominal Belts and Trusses.	Belting for Machinery.
Agricultural, Horticultural (not Garden Rollers), and Viticultural Implements, and Machinery, and parts of same.	Blocks and Sheaves.
Alkalies, of all kinds, n.o.e.	Bluestone (sulph. copper).
Anchors.	Boilers (steam, and parts of), n.o.e.
Asbestos.	Bookbinders' Machinery and Materials, n.o.e.
Atlases, Maps, Charts, Globes, and Picture Cards for School use.	Bottles (empty).
Bags and Sacks, n.o.e.	Bottling Plant, Wire, and Capsules.
Bagging in the piece.	Brewery and Distilling Plant.
Bark for tanning.	Bristles and Bass.
Bedsteads.	Buttons.
	Bunting in piece.
	Bungs.

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Cables and Chains.	Oil (cod, in bulk).
Cane, n.o.e.	Paper (unprinted) in the flat, in original wrappers, n.o.e.
Canvas.	Paraffine Wax.
Cardboard for boxmaking.	Pine and other Softwoods (in balks, rough or hewn).
Carriage and Cart Makers' Materials, n.o.e.	Pitch.
Casks (empty).	Printing Machinery, Presses, Type, and Material, n.o.e.
Cod Liver Oil (refined).	Presses (copying and embossing).
Copper Wire.	Pumps and Apparatus for raising Water, n.o.e.
Cordage and Rope.	Quicksilver.
Corks.	Resin.
Dyers' Materials.	Saddlers' Materials, Furniture and Ironmongery.
Engine Packing.	Salt, Rock.
Flock, Kapock, and Horsehair.	Sewing Cottons, Silks, and Threads.
Forges and Anvils.	Sheep Dip.
Furniture Makers' Materials, n.o.e.	Shellac.
Forfars, Dowls, and Flax Sheeting in the piece.	Silk for Flour dressing.
Grindstones.	Slips and Docks (patent).
Grindery (Shoemakers').	Smelting Material, n.o.e.
Harness Oil, Leather Dressing, and Composition.	Soda-ash and Nitrate of Potash.
Hat and Bonnet Shapes.	Spun Yarn.
Hoop Iron.	Spars.
Hose of all kinds, n.o.e.	Staves and Hoops.
Inks of all kinds, n.o.e.	Strawboard.
Iron, Gas, Water, and Drain Pipes.	Sulphur.
„ Gates and Hurdles.	Tanning Materials—Sumach, Myrabollams, Valonia.
„ Wire Netting.	Tar.
„ and Steel Fencing Wire, Standards, and Staples.	Telegraph and Telephone Material, including Instruments.
„ Sulphate.	Timber (in balks, rough or hewn), n.o.e.
Jute Piece Goods.	Timber in short lengths for case-making.
Leather, all other kinds, n.o.e.	Tin (block, plate, and foil).
Lithographic Machinery, Presses, and Materials, including Stones.	Tools, and parts thereof.
Machinery and parts of, n.o.e.	Typewriters.
Marble, Stone, and Slate (in the rough).	Weighing Machines and Scales.
Metals, n.o.e.	Wire Cloth for Quartz Crushing.
Millboard.	Zinc (sheet and plain).
Millstones.	
Music.	
Nails, Screws, Tacks, and Bolts.	
Oakum.	

THIRD SCHEDULE

On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, a Duty of 10 per cent., according to the value of the same :—

Air Beds and Cushions.	Brooms and Brushes.
Apparel and Slops.	Calicoes in the piece, n.o.e.
Asphalt.	Cardboard (unprinted) in the flat.
Barometers.	Carpeting, Mats, Matting, Floor Cloths, and Verandah Chicks.
Blankets, Rugs, and Shawls.	Clocks and Watches.
Boots, Shoes and Slippers—Children's.	Clothing, Piece Goods for, n.o.e.
Boot and Shoe Vamps, Uppers, and Laces.	Cotton Piece Goods, n.o.e.

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Counterpanes and Quilts.	Meters (Gas and Water).
Cricket and other Outdoor Games, Materials for.	Muslins of all kinds, in the piece.
Dentists' Materials.	Oars.
Enamelled Ware of all kinds, n.o.e.	Oil Baize, in the piece.
Explosives of all kinds, n.o.e.	Opera, Field, Marine Glasses, and Telescopes.
Filters.	Paints, Colours, and Varnish, n.o.e.
Firearms, and parts of and accessories, n.o.e.	Perambulators.
Fruit, fresh.	Photographic Apparatus and Material.
Garden Rollers.	Poultry and other birds.
Glass in sheets.	Shirts, Collars, and Cuffs.
Hats and Caps (for men).	Spectacles and Eyeglasses.
Ice Cream Machines and Coolers.	Tallow.
Instruments, Surgical, Optical, and Scientific, n.o.e.	Textile Piece Goods not containing Silk, and n.o.e.
Iron Tanks, Grates, Stoves, and Ovens.	Thermometers.
Lamps and Lampware.	Timber of all kinds (unworked).
Lead (red and white).	Vegetables (preserved).
Mouldings, Gilt.	Waterproof Material, in the piece.
	Wheels for Carriages.

FOURTH SCHEDULE

On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, and on all others so imported and not included in the First, Second, Third, Fifth, or Sixth Schedules, a Duty of 15 per cent., according to the value of the same :—

Acids of all kinds, n.o.e.	Furs.
Apothecaries' Wares, n.o.e.	Galvanised Ironware of all kinds, n.o.e.
Artists' Materials.	Glassware, n.o.e.
Bags (paper).	Gloves.
Baskets.	Gum of all kinds, n.o.e.
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof.	Haberdashery, n.o.e.
Boots, all other, including Shoes, Slippers, and Goloshes, n.o.e.	Handbills (printed and engraved).
Books, Account, and Diaries.	Harness and Saddlery, n.o.e.
Books of printed forms, including reports or methods of business.	Hardware, n.o.e.
Boxes (Paper and Cardboard) whether made up or not.	Holloware, n.o.e.
Brassware, n.o.e.	Hosiery.
Castor Oil (refined).	Ironmongery, n.o.e.
Castings of all kinds, not being parts of Machinery.	Iron Safes.
Cigarette Papers.	Lace Goods, n.o.e.
Copperware of all kinds, n.o.e.	Leather, Kip, whole and split, bridle, stirrup, bag and basil, rim skirt and seat.
Cutlery, n.o.e.	Leather, Sole and Harness.
Drapery, n.o.e.	„ Manufactured Goods, n.o.e.
Dresses and Skirts, made up.	Mantles.
Drugs and Druggists' Sundries, n.o.e.	Matches and Vestas.
Earthen, Stone, and Chinaware, n.o.e.	Meat, Extract of.
Feathers.	Medicines (Patent) of all kinds, n.o.e.
Fashion Plates, printed and engraved.	Millinery.
Flags.	Musical Instruments of all kinds, n.o.e.
Fruit, preserved and in syrup.	Oilmen's Stores, n.o.e.
	Paper (wall).
	Platedware, n.o.e.

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Posters (printed and engraved).	Spice, Horse and Cattle.
Potted Hams, Chicken, Tongues, or other Meats, and Fish in Paste.	Starch.
Printed, lithographed, or otherwise mechanically produced Forms, Circulars, and Prospectuses.	Stationery, n.o.e.
Seltzogenes.	Tobacco Pipes.
Silks, Satins, Velvets, Plush, in piece.	Tobacconists' Ware.
	Umbrellas and Parasols.
	Wickerware.
	Woodenware.

FIFTH SCHEDULE

On the undermentioned Goods, Wares, Articles, Merchandise, or things imported into the Colony, a Duty of 20 per cent., according to the value of the same :—

Aerated and Mineral Waters.	Limejuice.
Architraves, Mouldings, Skirting Boards, Laths, and Palings.	Mantelpieces.
Bay Rum.	Marble, Stone, and Slate (worked).
Billiard Tables and Accessories.	Oleographs.
Bird Cages.	Paintings, Engravings, Prints, and Statuary.
Boards (planed, tongued, and grooved).	Papier Maché Ware.
Boats.	Perfumes and Pomades.
Bricks.	Photographs.
Carriages, Carts, and Waggon.	Picture Frames and Backs
Cordials (not spirituous).	Playing Cards of all kinds.
Cornices and Ceiling Roses.	Plate (Silver and Gold).
Dashboards (leather covered).	Precious Stones.
Dog Collars.	Saccharine.
Doors, Sashes, and Frames.	Saddles (riding).
Eucalyptus Oil.	Saddle Flaps.
Fancy Goods and Toys, n.o.e.	Sails.
Fireworks.	Sandalwood Oil.
Fishing Materials (fancy).	Silver Goods, n.o.e.
Furniture—Household and Cabinet-ware, n.o.e.	Soap (Fancy, Perfumed, and Toilet).
Ginger, Hop, and Spruce Beer.	Soap, Powder and Extract.
Gold and Silver Leaf.	Stereoscopes.
Graphoscopes.	Tarpaulins.
Hair (Fancy and Wigs).	Timber (worked).
Hammocks.	Tinware of all kinds, n.o.e.
Handtrucks and parts.	Transfers.
Indiarubber Stamps.	Turnery.
Ivory Goods, n.o.e.	Veneer.
Japanned Ware of all kinds, n.o.e.	Vinegar (raspberry).
Jewellery of all kinds, n.o.e.	Wheels for Carts and Waggon.
	Wheelbarrows.

SIXTH SCHEDULE

Goods Free of Duty

Bells for Places of Worship.	Disinfectants.
Books (printed of all kinds), n.o.e.	Fire Engines.
Bulbs.	Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Scions and Grafts.
Coal and Coke and Patent Fuel.	Garden Seeds.
Copybooks and Slates for Schools.	

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SIXTH SCHEDULE—*continued*

Glass (coloured) for Church Windows.	Outside Packages in which goods are ordinarily imported, and which are of no commercial value, except as covering for goods.
Immigrants' Baggage and Effects (including only wearing apparel and other personal effects that have been worn or are in use by persons arriving in the Colony); also implements, instruments, and tools of trade, occupation, or employments of such persons, and household effects not exceeding £50 in value, used abroad for more than a year by persons or families bringing them to the Colony, and not intended for any other person or persons, or for sale.	Plants.
Iron and Steel (bar, rod, pig, plate, hoop, and sheet).	Printing Paper for Newspapers and Posters.
Manures of all kinds.	Rails, Fastenings, and Rolling Stock for Railways and Tramways.
Musical Instruments for Churches and for Bands of Defence Forces.	Sheathing (copper, metal, and felt)
	Specie, Bullion, and Coin.
	Stearine.
	Stones and Slates imported by Municipalities for flagging and paving.
	Uniforms and Appointments for Defence Forces.
	Vine Cuttings.