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PREFERENTIAL TRADE.

The readers of the party journals are in danger of being mystified if not misled by what is put before them in regard to the effect of the preference given to Great Britain in the Canadian market by the Fielding tariff. The Opposition journals dwell upon the fact that Canada is importing more largely than ever before from the United States, and affirm that our trade with the Republic has increased more rapidly than our trade with Great Britain. From this they argue that the preferential tariff is a delusion and a snare.

That this is a very partial view of the case will be apparent if a little candid consideration is given to the matter. From 1878 to 1897 there had been a steady falling off in our purchases of British goods from over fifty millions in the former year to less than thirty millions in 1897. In the first year of the tariff preference the importation of British goods rose to \$32,500,000 and in the second year to \$37,000,000. Here we see that a trade which had been steadily going down is now as steadily increasing. Mr. Ritchie, the President of the British Board of Trade, has taken notice of the favorable change, and has publicly expressed his gratification of the action of the Canadian Government by which it has been brought about.

It is true that our purchases from the United States have increased in still larger proportion, but that increase was going on also during the long term of years in which our purchases from Britain were declining. Much of the value of what we buy from the States is in raw material. Such as cotton and tobacco for our factories, or bituminous coal, which like cotton is free of duty. From Britain we get little or none of raw materials. And in manufactures the Republic has from year to year become a closer and closer competitor with the Mother Country in the markets of the world. Again, the United States is close beside us, in actual touch, while Britain is thousands of miles away. These conditions tend powerfully to increase our trade with the States.

It is fair to consider what would have been the result had no preference been given to Great Britain in our markets. Our purchases from the United States would not have then been less, but much greater than they now are and it is equally logical to conclude that our trade with the Mother Country would have gone on decreasing as it had before at the rate of say a million dollars a year, in stead of increasing as it has done. And it ought also to be remembered that to some extent our increased imports from England have helped our export trade thither. Selling and buying bear a close relation to each other, and there can be no doubt whatever that the entire volume of our trade with the Mother

Country is much greater than it would have been had no tariff preference been given.

There is one other matter that ought not to be forgotten, and that is the patriotic or sentimental one. The tariff preference has tended considerably to bring Canada into closer and more sympathetic relations with the British people at home. It has had its influence, too upon other colonies of the Empire, and has been a very real factor in promoting and strengthening that spirit of imperial unity the growth of which in recent years has been so gratifying.

Irishmen in America have recently subscribed \$50,000 to the Parnell memorial fund. Their interest was awakened by the visit of the Lord Mayor of Dublin and Mr. Redmond.

TRADE AND SHIPPING

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

Dec.—ar.—Bart. M. Pherson Picou; S. S. Fred M. Batt. Snow, do; Life Boat, Anderson, do.
Dec. 1. cl.—S. S. Greenland, Couillard, Sydney; New Dominion, Hare, do; Annie Laurie, Junno, do; Da's, Moran, do; Life Boat, Anderson, do; S. S. Fred M. Batt. Snow, do; Bart. McParson, do.

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B. C. PROWSE, E. H. BEER, President, Secretary.

Nov 28td

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