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its to be derived from their present policy till such time, if it ever should arrive, as the British people were ready to revolutionize their trade system. The Liberal party knew that it would be of very great benefit to the Dominion as well as to the Empire, to have seen in motion the principle of a preferential tariff between the Mother and Daughter, and so a preference of 25 per cent was enacted. It worked so advantageously that at the last session of the Canadian Parliament the preference in favor of the motherland was increased to 35½ per cent. And no popular has it become in Canada—a so strongly is the policy of the Government indorsed in the country—that the Opposition leaders dared not vote against its enactment, though they ill-naturedly talked of it as a surrender of advantages to Great Britain that ought not to be conceded till Britain changed her trade policy. The reply of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his supporters was that the policy was in the interests of the Dominion, while beneficial to the center of the Empire, and that being the case, it would be detrimental to all parties to wait until a change that Lord Salisbury, the present British Premier,

So that we have it stated by leading statesmen on both sides of politics—and, let us say, as strongly by the British press—that it is a will-o'-the-wisp that those Canadians are chasing who are endeavoring to make-believe that at a measurably early period the British people can be induced to change their trade policy, and give Canada a preference over other countries in their markets. It is true that Mr. Chamberlain, as he points out above, has expressed the view that if the colonies were ready to consent to absolute free trade between them and the Mother Country, and duties of some kind as against other countries that would be a proposal that might be considered. But no other basis would, he says, be accepted by the people of Great Britain. As no political party in Canada has proposed such an arrangement, and as the people would not be likely to agree to it if they did, is it not rank foolishness to continue to make-believe, as the Canadian Opposition continue to do, that any other project is, in the near future, practicable? It is not Canadians that require conversion. It is the British people, who look with disfavor upon the proposed

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