Net reduction of public debt in years 1922-1930, under

Liberal government - \$276,000,000;

Taxes reduced (1922-1930) -

Sales tax from 6% to 1%;

Income tax reduced and increase of exemptions

for moderate incomes;

Cheque tax reduced;

Receipt tax abolished (1926);

Railway tickets, telegram, insurance premium taxes reduced;

Tariffs - substantial reductions on:

implements and machinery of production;

articles of domestic consumption;

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Trade:

During Liberal years, 1922-1930, Canada's export trade attained new levels -

in 7 of 9 years Canada was fifth largest trading nation; Canada led world in export in per capita exports

of manufactured and semi-manufactured goods; In 8 of 9 years favourable trade balance -Total favourable balance 1922-1930 -

\$1,500,000,000;

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