AUSTRALIA'S LAST TARIFF CHANGES.

How Canadian Export Trade Will be Affected

Increase of Duty on Farm Implements Will Injure the Manufacturing industry Here.

OTTAWA. Sept. 11—Canada's agent at Melbourne, Mr. D. H. Ross, reports that owing to the disclosure of the Australian Government's intention to increase duties on agricultural implements anticipating orders here sent out as a consequence the Australian Government hastily decided to increase the duties from 7½ to 12½ per cent. There duties were at once enforced but may be modified as they have to go before the Australian Parliament for confirmation. The work of the tariff commission has been completed but beyond improvements the only customs increases are upon wines and spirits.

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by the situation, said:

From what has appeared in the despatches I should say that it is an enormous increase. I figure out that on our clipper harvesters, which is one of our most perfect and favorite machines, handling as it does, the crop in one operation from the standing grain to the bags ready for the mill, the increase will be from fifteen per cent. (the present duty) to thirty-five per cent. on other implements.

The other brothers took over the newspaper and printing business and gave it their exclusive attention. One of them died a few years ago, leaving an estate, which, as an investment, yields two or three times the salary of the Halifax post office. The other retains the newspaper and printing business. He is besides a large real estate owner, a bank director and has numerous investments. It is known that he head of King street, on the import value and it will mean an increase of at least ten per cent. on other implements.

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He also says quite a number of orders have come under his observation for the usual lines of Canadian manufacturers. Hardware supplies and heavy goods received the greater portion of this business. Manufacturers agents report that the uncertainty regarding the revision of the Australian customs tariff and also the impending general elections has prevented the closing of some interests of considerable value. Orders in some instances are subject to cabled confirmation of the statement that the duty on harvesters has been placed at £12 by the Australian Common wealth, comes in a Canadian Associated Press despatch from London which says: "The Times has a Melbourne cable stating that the Federal House of Representatives placed a duty of £12 on harvesters and on attriances."

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Thirty years ago the position of post-master of Halifax became vacant. The Mackenzie Government had a large choice among citizens desiring the office. Finally the appointment was given to a man well qualified for the position, and entitled to it by party service so far as that establishes a claim. He was one of three brothers, who were proprietors of a newspaper and a printing office. They were all young men, and were then probably taking in profits and earnings less than the salary of the postmaster. At the time the appointment was made the probably and the fortunate applicant in the business. Manufacturers again preserved; and a printing office. They were all young men, and were then probably the appointment was made the probably at the appointment was made the probably at

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cent, on other implements.

"Of course the duty is put on to encourage the local manufacturers but whether they will be able to supply the trade or not remains to be seen."

"Will it likely lead to your firm establishing a branch factory in Australia?"

"Oh, I don't think so," said the Senator, "but really we do not know yet. "Oh, I don't think so," said the Senator, "but really we do not know yet just where we are at and until we hear from our Australian manager we cannot of course, say definitely just how it will affect us."

To traver when and where he pleases, to traver when and where he pleases, to live according to his inclinations and to give generous assistance to public and private charities. Yet a quarter of a century ago this man would have been congratulated if he had received a \$2,000 appointment and had aban-

doned all his other activities and pros-In the civil service at Ottawa scores of officials may be found who are try-There will also be a musical program ing to maintain a respectable establishment, as things go in that city, on an income barely adequate; while their brothers, who did not seek or could not Business is nourished by constant and judicious advertising, as the earth is enriched by fertilizers, and both cause bountiful crops.—J. Walter Thompson, X. Y. age, but is still receiving less than \$1,500 a year, remarked the other day that his two younger brothers, who were deemed less fortunate than he at the time of his appointment, had started business afterwards without capital, and, though still young men, were now worth \$40,000 or \$50,000.

Two officers were for political or other reasons retired from the railway department after the last change of government. One of them, thrown upon his own resources, is said to have made some \$50,000 in real estate transactions during the last two or three lesson were still more plain. Though

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