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Turiff, J. G. (Assiniboia)—*Con.*

the west to dodge this question—5523. Farmers fear the manufacturers would be able to get the ear of the government 5624. Thinks this is done largely to catch votes at the next general election—5625. It was introduced with that intention—5626.

Verville, A. (Hochelaga)—2360.

Working men at the Magog factory were told the managers could not give them a rise in wages—2360. It was only in bleached goods that the textile workers of Canada claimed they could not compete—2361.

Walsh, R. N. (Huntingdon)1258.

No horse should be entered at less than \$50. Cheap horses should be entirely prohibited—1258. There is a demand in the east along the same line—5575. Voicing the general sense of the county in asking a reduction of duty—5576.

White, Gerald V. (North Renfrew)—1205.

Manufacturers considerably handicapped by the fact that cream separators have been coming in free of duty—1205. Hopes Fielding will see his way to allowing this machinery to come in free—1206.

Wilson, U. (Lennox)—4268.

In all fairness to those who have invested their money the government should hold the item over—4268. They are very likely imported—4580-1. You gave us the assurance there would be no change—4587. It is most unfair to raise the duty to 5 per cent on boots and shoes—4588. We cannot have shoes made in Canada like those made in the United States—4589.

Wright, A. A. (South Renfrew)—1275.

Farmers in his constituency will vote for more free trade—1275. The Fruit Growers' Association of Ontario passed a resolution in favour of free trade in fruit—1278. There was not one single individual who voted against it—1280. Why should we be obliged to pay enormous prices for strawberries, etc., to satisfy a few growers in the west?—1896. We will get free trade in fruits yet—1897. We are not afraid of cheese, we can beat the world on that—1898. The Fruit Growers' meeting at Toronto was a representative one—1902-3. Henderson says we do not bring finer kinds of prints from the old country—2357. If we want to get fast colours we have to get them in the old country—2358.

Wright, William (Muskoka)—1332.

Asks the objection to making the duty on beeswax as high as the American duty—1332. The argument that a high duty would enhance prices to the consumers does not apply to the products of the farm—1334. Not likely to be contended that farmers are likely to combine to

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put up prices on consumers—1335. Reads a resolution passed by farmers in his riding. Farmers are universally in favour of a low tariff—2387. Wasting a good deal of valuable time tinkering with the tariff—2388. Has been instructed to ask that the duty on sulphuric acid be lowered—4185-6. Other factories than the Oshawa very much interested in the duty on maleable sprockets—4269. The agricultural implement makers' contracts affected—4270. Nothing to prevent any ordinary institution turning out the links—4271. The lumbermen will pay an increased duty—4391. Sprocket chains used by lumbermen are not malleable—4392. The question of the place of importation—4407. Quotes the budget speech on threshing machines—4113-4. The contract is equivalent to the wholesale price of binders—4428. Manufacturers have not reduced the price of binders—4428. Asks if there is reason to suppose butter have been unduly advanced in price—5606. Defines adequate protection—5607.

Zimmerman, A. (Hamilton)—1889.

Heinz Pickle Co. buy tons of Canadian vegetables, pay duty both ways and undersell the Canadian manufacturer—1889. On tweeds used for ready-made clothing, 25 per cent and 5 cents a pound would amount to 60 per cent—1349. They were buying tweed at a dollar a yard—1369. A slate quarry in Quebec turns out a considerable quantity of low class slate—4192. There is absolutely no German silver or nickle manufactured in this country—4206.

WAYS AND MEANS—TUBERCULOSIS IN CATTLE.

House in Committee on the Supply Bill resolution—Hon. Mr. Fielding—7990.

Borden, R. L. (Carleton, Ont.)—7990.

Understands that the Minister of Agriculture acts on the idea that though there is a statute—7990. He is enabled by regulations to set the provisions of the statute entirely at naught—7991. The matter should be looked into at the earliest moment—7992.

Fisher, Hon. S. (Minister of Agriculture)—1990.

The regulations are in exact accordance with the Act—7991. Cannot undertake to send experts to examine every deceased animal reported—7992. We do not undertake to examine every case—7993.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—7992.

Understood any one had a right to call on the government to examine cattle—7992. The statute law is to be obeyed—7993.