Honourable R. J. Manion

"TRADE IS WAR"

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MR. MANION: Does not the right hon. gentleman think we could have negotiated a treaty with a little more effect if we had kept our weapons until the negotiations were completed?

MR. MACHENZIE KING: What weapons? This is not a case of war.

MR. MANION: The right hon. gentleman talked of war the other day. But trade is war so far as that goes.

MR. MACKENZIE KING: That is the language of my hon. friend--trade is war.

MR. MANION: So it is.

MR. MACKENZIE KING: I always thought trade was exchange.

MR. MANION: Yes; but we have tariff wars.

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