

Chapter III  
Trade Marches in Seven League Boots -

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External trade of Canada has marched ahead in Seven <sup>League</sup> ~~Boots~~ Boots during the short term of only three and a half years of the King administration. Expansion not approached in any previous period of the country's history has been due in large measure to the continuous, consistent, practical application of the Liberal policy of extending markets for Canadian products.

<sup>(New Southern Island Markets)</sup>  
Developments of the 1925 session of Parliament of the aggressive campaign to better trade relations were the Inter-  
Imperial agreement negotiated with our sister Dominion, Australia, to which approval was given by the Senate, and the legislation enacted for the purpose of establishing "most favored nation" trade relations with the thrifty countries of Finland and the Netherlands.

In 1924 a grant was made by Parliament for the purpose of investigating trade possibilities with the West Indies. Mr. Hance J. Logan, M.P., Cumberland, N.S., who had brought the possibilities of West Indies trade forcibly to the attention of Parliament, was appointed as head of the Mission which toured the British West Indies in the early winter, obtaining data and inviting representatives of the governments to attend a conference in Ottawa in June.

<sup>Product West Indies (Special Interest)</sup>  
The large delegation which visited the capital in June indicated the extent to which interest had been awakened. The result of the conference which immediately followed the close of Parliament was a trade treaty with the British West Indies which takes into consideration the provision of adequate shipping facilities, <sup>the lack of which has been</sup> one of the

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