Empire. These Colonial Schedules of the 1932 Agreement were not revised in the 1937 Agreement with the United Kingdom because it was recognized that they really were so closely linked with the Canada West Indies Agreement that their revision should be deferred until such time as new arrangements were to be negotiated between Canada and the West Indies. Arrangements were, therefore, made to have them terminable at an earlier date than the main Canada -United Kingdom Agreement. Article XV of the Canada -United Kingdom Agreement provides that "in the event of the denunciation and termination of the Canada -West Indies Trade Agreement, dated the 6th July, 1925, either Government (i.e., Canada or the United Kingdom) shall be at liberty, on giving at least six months' notice, to terminate the provisions of this Article not earlier than the termination of that Agreement". If we give notice of termination of the West Indies Agreement then the United Kingdom will be free to give notice of simultaneous termination of the Colonial Schedules of the Canada -United Kingdom Agreement. If no new Agreement between Canada and the Colonial Empire is concluded, the position resulting from the general Colonial clauses of the Canada - United Kingdom Agreement of 1937 would be that Canada would be entitled to whatever preferences the Colonies in fact gave any other part of the Empire and would give them the

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