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Free Trade.

GREAT Britain at this time is the country which permits greatest freedom of foreign trade. But England is not the most shining example of the effects of free trade. That distinction belongs to the country in which the largest number of people enjoy the most complete freedom of exchange, and that country is not England but the United States of America.

There are not and there never were in the world so many people inhabiting a territory so great and so various in climate, soil and products, who deal with each other absolutely without restriction, as the fifty odd millions who now inhabit this country.

There are more people in the United States now than there were in Spain, France and Great Britain together when the Constitution of the United States was adopted, which most wisely secured absolute freedom of trade between the States.

Under this freedom of trade all have prospered. And if prosperity has been secured to the States by this freedom of trade, why would not this prosperity be increased if the freedom were extended to trade with our neighbors?

If protection is a good thing for a community and a community can create wealth by simply forbidding its members to buy cheap things abroad and compelling them to buy dear things at home, it is obvious that the framers of the constitution made a mistake in leaving interstate commerce free.

If we can all get rich by taxing each other, Rhode Island was right in refusing to come into the Union unless she got a tariff of her own, and wrong in withdrawing her refusal. Suppose Pennsylvania were, by common consent, to enact a tariff of her own. She could enact a tariff which would suit her without the necessity of log-rolling with greedy and selfish persons who want cheap iron and of compromising her interests to meet theirs.

And what Pennsylvania could do for the foundries Massachusetts could do for the woolen mills until they had fostered the infant industries of cloth-making in Pennsylvania and iron-forging in Massachusetts and each of these commonwealths produced everything it consumed. There would be a real creation of "home markets" and a development of "home industries." There would be a real triumph of protection.

Official Brutality.

TESTIMONY before the New York State Prison committee regarding outrages practiced on convicts, reveals a terrible record of cruelty. In an investigation A. Hessler, an ex-convict who was confined at Sing Sing, Auburn and Clinton, said he was crippled by an explosion on the Staten Island ferry-boat Westfield. He was drafted to Clinton Prison on January 21, 1881. On his arrival he was deprived of his stick and brace. He was not able to work and was punished by padding and being put in a dungeon with a heavy yoke placed upon him. After being paddled again he was stripped and thrust into a dark cell, flooded with water. He was then placed in the screened cell, chained to the floor and half starved. He was repeatedly kicked and beaten by Keeper Haggerty when he asked for food. Haggerty would tantalize him by showing him food and then eating it. One day Haggerty threw him a live rat, which he ravenously devoured. The next day he brought him some live mice to eat, and called a number of the other keepers to witness the exhibition. On one occasion he was taken out and ordered to fall in line for the dining room. Unable to stand without his brace he fell on the floor severely gashing his head. He continued: "Haggerty came and dragged me out of my cell

and made two convicts drag me to the guard room, a distance of 400 yards, first having my wrists and ankles firmly tied with cord. Haggerty then dragged me out in the hall and threw four cans of water on me, after which he deprived me of my clothes and cast me into a dark cell the floor of which he saturated with water, so I might have no place to lie down. He then brought several men to laugh and jeer at me, and offered me a razor to cut my throat or a rope to hang myself with, after which he left me in total darkness, naked, upon the wet stone floor, and without food."

ENGLISH capitalists seem to have a mutual understanding regarding American mining investments, and have nothing more to do with them. American land and cattle companies constitute a favorite form of investment at present.

BORN.

At Chidwell, Feb. 4th, to the wife of D. J. Ingalls, a son, weight 11 pounds.

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PROPOSALS.

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W. H. WOOD, Sec'y. Astoria, Or., Feb. 10th, 1883.

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