
Part of an Illustrated Letter on Free Trade by Richard Cobden.

The following is an excerpt from a letter written by Richard Cobden, a prominent figure in the Free Trade movement.

"The greatest advantage of Free Trade is not merely the saving of money but the saving of time. It is a saving of time in the sense that it enables the people to use their labor more efficiently. The more free they are to trade, the more they can concentrate on the production of goods."

Richard Cobden, 1815-1885, was a British politician and economist who advocated for free trade. He was a Member of Parliament for Manchester from 1835 until his death in 1885.