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REMARKS OF HON. R. E. FREER, CHAIRMAN,  
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,  
BEFORE  
THE RETAILERS' NATIONAL FORUM,  
AFTERNOON OF MAY 22, 1939

As you are doubtless aware, the Federal Trade Commission is empowered to, and does, proceed against use of unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive practices in interstate commerce, as well as certain forms of price discrimination. Many activities in the field of distribution which tend to destroy consumer confidence are made subject of Commission proceedings.

My subject is "The Federal Trade Commission and the Retailer." In the

... that such effort must make a fair profit in order to stay in business.