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Influence and patronage to the men whom you know will give you the best value for

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ROUNDING COMMUNITY that we are still in the field. We thank you one and all for past favors and solicit a continuance of the same, which we trust, by good goods, right prices and fair dealing, to merit. We want you to come in and inspect our stock and prices. Our stock is so large that it would be impossible to give prices here. The best way is to see the price and article both at the same time. Then you can better judge of value. Our stock is very large and finely assorted, including books, all kinds of stationery, toys, dolls games, fancy chinh, plush and fancy goods, and hundreds of other lines too numerous to mention. Come in and see us, anyhow. Do not have the idea that you are putting us to any trouble, for we consider it a pleasure to show you through.

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Are you troubled with an inferior job oplumbing from which offensive odors arisels og give us a call. We have purchased one the most thorough testing machines ever it vented, with which a test can be made without removing woodwork around the fixtures. We are prepared to make a thorough test of an plumbing work and point out its defects,

Sanitary Pumbers and Heating Engineers, 172 King Street, London.

New York Stock Market. New York Stock Market.

New York Feb. 11-1 p.m.—Stock market dull; American Express, 118; Canadian Pacific, 74; Canada Southern. 62; Delaware and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 138; Lake Shore, 113; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 22; preferred, 73; New York Central, —; St. Paul, 56; preferred, 113; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 45; Western Union, 81;

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COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & *on.
LONDON. Wednesday, Feb. II.
WEEKLY REVIEW.
Since our last weekly review the volume of
business done on this market has not been up
to expectations as unsettled weather has
affected the deliveries to a considerable extent.
Prices in nearly all lines are about the same
and the demand steady, yet not urgent. Leadng lines closed as follows:
Wheat, per bushel, 33c to 9tc, mostly the
later price; \$150 to \$156 and \$158 for real Oats, \$1 25 to \$1 27, but \$1 25 to \$1 26 being

range. 9, \$1 65, one small lot was taken at \$1 10, on't think any quantity could be worked orice.

grades of barley sold from \$1 to
was the general price.

old at \$1 10 for ordinary; a good lot as at \$1 il.

ana had a good trade, receipts being conaerably hetter; demand firm at \$1 30 for
de-picked and down to \$1 for colored.
Receipts of clover seed were light; sales
aged from \$1 to \$4 35 principally, with one
taken at \$1 40.

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Breakfast Cereals Buckwheat Flour and Ryc Flour a Specialty.

TELEPHONE 662. A. M. HAMILTON & SON.

Montreal Market. Montreal Market.

FI.OUR—Receipta, 700 bbls: sales reported Znone. Market quiet prices nominally unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, \$5 00 to \$5 25; spring, \$5 25 to \$5 50; straight roller, \$4 30 to \$4 60; extra, \$4 10 to \$4 20; superfine, \$3 00 to \$4 00; strong bakers, \$4 50 to \$4 75; Ontario bags, \$1 50 to \$7 00; city bags \$4 90 to \$5.

GRAIN—Wheat. No. 2 hard Manitoba. nominal at 990 to \$1; corp., 72c to 73c; peas, 75c to 75c; cats, 46c to 47c; barley, 60c to 65c; rye, 60c to 61c.

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MEAI.—Oatmeal, \$4 50 to \$5 00; cornmeal,
\$2 25 to \$2 25.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 15 to 16c per lb.;
lard, 8c to 8 to bacon, 9c to 10c; hams, 10c to
lic; cheese, 9c to 10c; butter, townships, 16c to
lic; Morrishurg 16c to 21c; Western, 14c to 16c;
creamerv, 20c to 25c; eggs easier, fresh, 23c to
24c; held stock 20c to 22c. Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.
WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, 98c to \$1;
MHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, 98c to \$1;
2c to \$3c; red winter, No. 2, 98c to \$9c; fall, No. 2,
59c to \$9c.
BARLEY—No. 1, 63c to 63c; No. 2, 58c to 58c;
\$0.3 extra, 53c to 534c; No. 3, 50c to 50c.
PEAS—No. 2, 566c to 50c. No. 3 extra, 53c to 534c; No. 3, 50c to 50c, PEAS—No. 2, 66c to 68c, OATS—No. 2, 45c to 46c, FLOUR—Extra, 83 90 to 83 90; straight roller.

FLOUR-Extra, \$3 30 to \$3 90; straight roller, \$4 10 to \$4 20; superfine, \$3 25 to \$3 35; fine, \$3 00 to \$3 30.

Market dull. Sales-No. 2 fall wheat outside at 33c; No. 2 spring, outside at 88c; No. 2 Manitoba hard at equal to \$10 th to \$1 02 here; No. 3 do. at equal to 52 here; oats on track and to arrive at 45 to and outside at 41 to 10 42c; peas outside at 63 to 65c.

English Markets.

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Beerbohm's Report by Cable.
LONDON. Feb. 11.
Floating cargoes. Wheat quiet; corn steady.
Cargoes on passagge. Wheat few bids in the
market; corn more disposition to buy.
Mark Lane-English wheat few buyers in
the market; corn firmer, English flour fewer
buyers, probably easier.
Liverpool.-Spot wheat firmer, held higher;
corn steady.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

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American Markets.													

WHEAT-Firm; sales of white State at CORN—Firm; No. 2 yellow at 63c. BARLEY—No. 2 Canada, nominal at 91c.

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OHIGAGG, Feb. 11.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT-Feb., 96; May, 974; July, 93c.

COKN-Feb., 596; May, 456; July, 52kc.

DATS-Feb., 44c; May, 456; July, 52kc.

MESS PORK-Feb., 39 37½; March, \$9 37½

May 50 671.

day, \$9 674. LARD-Feb., \$5;555; March, \$5 60; May, \$5§824. SHORT RIBS—Feb., \$4 52½; March, \$4 60; May, \$4 85.

No. 2 spring wheat, 94c; No. 2 red, 95tc to 97½c; No. 2 corn, 50½c to 50½c; No. 2 oats, 44c; mess pork, \$9 25 to \$9 30; lard, \$5 52½; short ribs sides, \$4 40 to \$4 60; dry salted shoulders,
\$3 80 to \$3 90; short clear sides, \$4 85 to \$4 90.
Receipts— Flour.bbls 25,000 Wheat bu 40,000 Corn. bu171.000 Oats, bu167.000
Rye 14,000 Barley 33,000

FLOUR-less active; unchanged; closing easy.

WHEAT-Receipts, 24,900 bu; exports, 46,554 bu; sales, 3,704,000 bu futures; 46,000 bu spot; spot irregular, closing weaker; dull; No. 2 red, \$1 10\frac{1}{2}\$, elevator; \$1 12\frac{1}{2}\$ afloat; No. 1 northern, \$1 17; No. 1 hard, \$1 19\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1 20; options opened \(\frac{1}{2}\$\$ to \(\frac{1}{2}\$\$ conder yesterday; No. 2 red, Fob., \$1 10\frac{1}{2}\$; direct, \$1 10\frac{1}{2}\$; May. \$1 6\text{

to 64c; options irregular, closing casy, at slight concessions; F.b., 62g: March, 61g; May, 59gc; July, 59gc.

OATS-Receipts, 86,000 bu; sales, 200,000 bu futures; 107,000 bu spot; spot quiet; options firm; quiet; Feb., 52gc; May, 51gc; spot No. 2, 52gc to 53gc; mixed western, 51e to 5tc; white do., 54c to 52c.

SUGAR-Active; some grades 1-16c higher; standard "A., 67-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 63c; powdered, 6 9-16c; granulated, 64c.

WHEAT—\$1 cash, \$1 old; May, 52gc July, 99gc asked Aug.

asked Aug.
OORN—53jc cash, 53jc bid May.
OATS—47c cash and May.
MILWAUKEE Feb. 11.
WHEAT—Quiet; 91c cash, 93c May, 90jc aominal July.

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WHEAT—No. 1 white, 99c cash; No. 2 red \$1 00\tilde{c} cash, \$1 01\tilde{d} May, \$20\tilde{c} j lie Aug.

Live Stock Markets.

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EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. II.—Cattle—Two cars on sale taken quickly at strong Monday's prices for butchers'.
Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 23 cars; top grades wanted at strong yesterday's prices; best sheep, \$5 40 to \$5.50; good to extra, \$5 to \$5.35; top grade lambs worth a shade above \$6.60, but range of prices quotable at \$6.25 to \$6.00 for chole to extra.

Hogs—Offerings, 39 crast; slow; good top grade hogs sold at \$3.80; but generally the mixed, heavy mediums and Yorkers sold at \$3.75; pigs, \$3.60 to \$3.70; roughs, \$2.90 to \$3.

CHICAGO, CHICAGO, CHICAGO, CHICAGO, CHICAGO, \$2.50 to 10e lower. Sales ranged: \$2.50 to \$3.50 for inght, \$3.35 to \$3.45 for rough packing, \$3.40 to \$3.55 for mixed and \$3.50 to \$3.65 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receints, 12.000; quality fair: market.

mixed and \$3 50 to \$3 65 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle-Heceipis, 12,000; onality fair: market active on local and shipping account, feeling firm: price notations ranged: \$5 10 to \$5 60 to \$6 00 t

Stand Your Ground.

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When you make up your mind to take Hood's Earsaparilla, do not be induced to buy some other preparation instead. Clerks may claim that "ours is as good as Hood's and all that, but the peculiar merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla annot be equaled. Therefore have nothing to its with substitutes and insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and milding-up medicine. The way of every man is prophetic of the

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Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, is ear-ache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are specially subject.

An obstinate man does not hold eninions.

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Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves'

Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

-Zera Semon again to-night. -County Crown Attorney Ht continues to improve.

-The spring Chancery Sittings will oper in this city on March 19.

-Miss Sara Broadbent, of Brantford, has

city.

—The regular Ash Wednesday services were held in the Anglican and Catholic

were held in the Anglican and Catholic churches yesterday.

—Bernard Dunn, who was remanded on a charge of insanity, was discharged by Judge Elliot yesterday morning.

—Miss Ella Peckham, of Niagara Falls, is visiting Miss Maggie McHarg, daughter of Station Master McHarg.

—The singing class which Mr. R. F. Lacey conducts in connection with the King Street Methodist Church resumeed practice last night.

—A second child of Mr. James Perkins

—A second child of Mr. James Perkins has died of diphtheria. There are several other children in the family, three of whom are down with the disease.

—The Princess rink Tuesday evening held one of the largest crowds of the season. Fully 500 skaters enjoyed an excellent sheet of ice, which had been prepared during the cold snap. —Since January the second-hand shops of the city have been doing business without licenses. A misunderstanding on the part of the city and police officials is the reason for the omission.

—The officials of the Chicago and Grand Trunk and Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railways passed through the city Tuesday afternoon on the 4:30 ex-press en route to Montreal.

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—Lieut. Griffiths, formerly of Stratford Salvation Army has come to London. Capt. Maltby, of Stratford, has been removed to Woodstock, and his successor is lady Capt. Mahon, whose lakt charge was Dresden.

—Mr. Archie Bremner, formerly connected with the ADVERTISER, is the editor of seasy acrosing journal published in Monof a new evening journal published in Mon-treal. The new venture is a bright and newsy paper, and will doubtless be a suc-

cess.

—The medical health officer has canceled the milk license of Mr. T. J. Hartnell, of London South. The premises were reported to Dr. Hutchinson as being in a very unclean state and a visit to them confirmed the statement.

—A hint to whom it may concern is con-

—A hint to whom it may concern is contained in the fact that the Hamilton Spectator has recovered in the Toronto Division Court the sum of \$22 50 from James Lennox, of Toronto. The suit was for unpaid subscriptions to that journal for several years past. years past.

years past.

—A union meeting of the Women's Mission circles connected with the Baptist churches of the city was held at Talbot Street Baptist Church Tuesday. It proved very interesting and the open meeting was largely attended by the members and their friends.

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—The other day an old man named Gordon, who claimed to belong to London, stole a bundle of socks from the front of Robertson's store. He was shortly afterwards captured by Chief Wheatley, and the mayor committed him for trial.

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—Joseph Wilson, alias Poullucci, was arrested last evening by Detectives Phair and Rider at the Infantry Barracks for the larceny of two razors from Wm. Stanley, hostler at Hueston's livery stable. Wilson had just enlisted at the barracks before being arrested. The magistrate sentenced him to one month in jail yesterday morning.

—Rev. G. Trotter Carr, and his wife had

him to one month in jail yesterday morning.

—Rev. G. Trotter Carr and his wife had a jolly little gathering at their house on Monday night. It was the 20th anniversary of their wedding, and Mrs. Carr invited her Bible class to visit her in honor of the occasion. The young people spent the evening pleasantly, and presented Mrs. Carr with a 4 o'clock tea set as a token of their affection.

of seats sold for the concert in Dundas
Street Center Church to-night it is
especially requested that ticket-holders
holding the inner seats, viz., Numbers 4, 5
and 6, do not fail to be at the church not
later than 7:45 and thus avoid crowding later than 7:45 and thus avoid crowding past those who hold a chair in the aisle and Numbers 1, 2 and 3.

— The young people of St. James' Church, Scarth Lorder, James and others. A large attend-

—The young people of St. James' Church, South London, held a concert at the school com last night. Besides a good programme being given a presentation to Rev. Canon Davis, the rector, took place. Mr. George
A. Cave made the presentation and Mr.
Wm. Skelly read an appropriate adaddress. The gift was a handsome goldheaded cane. The reverend gentleman is
very popular with his Bible class, from
whom the gift came.

—About 200 people witnessed the hockey match at the Westminster Rink Tuesday night between the Uptown and Downtown ankers. The Downtown men secured bankers. The Downtown men secured three goals to the opponents none. The teams were made up as follows: Uptown—Moore, Robin, Watson, Sherreff, Counsel Elliott and Widdown. Downtown—Roy, Complin, Stevenson, Gordon, Parsons and Buckland. "D" Company I. S. C. Band was in attendance. Skating was indulged in at the close of the game.

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—A Norwood correspondent writes: "On the occasion of the departure of Miss Ryckman for London, Ont., an hour was spent in the high school in song and speech last Thursday afternoon. During the performance Miss Ryckman was made the recipient of a copy of Shakespeare's works, accompanied by an address. Although Miss Ryckman's stay with us was short, she has won many friends and will be gladly welcomed should she ever find it convenient to pay us a visit again."

—The engagement of "The Gondoliers" for Monday with a special matince is being looked forward to with much interest. "The Mikado," "Erminie," "Patience," "Pinafore" and "The Pirates of Penzance" have all drawn large audiences in London, and this, their latest, and acknowledged to be one of the best, is sure to have equal patronage. The Toronto papers say: "Hundreds turned away nightly."—[Empire. "The hit of the season."—[Mail."The greatest of Gilbert & Sullivan's operas."—[World. "The Gondoliers' was attended by crowds."—[Globe.

—The production of Shakespeare's great tragedy, "Hamlet," at the Grand Opera House on Tuesday evening, with the talented young actor, Robert Mantell, as the Prince of Denmark, will prove an interesting theatrical event. Mr. Mantell is an actor of unquestioned ability, and his first appearance here as a tragedian will afford much pleasure to his many friends and admirers. The company Mr. Mantell brings with him to produce this play contains many well-known artists, and a number of them have gained considerable success by the work they have done in "Hamlet."

—The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of Dundas Street Center Church held a very

"Hamlet."

—The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of Lundas Street Center Church held a very bright and attractive meeting last evening in the church parlor. The chief feature of the evening was an essay contest on the subject "A Plea for Missions." The circle is to be congratulated on possessing mem-bers who could produce such admirable articles on the subject as were given. Where

all were best, it was impossible to make a selection. The essayists were the Misses Ryan. Demsey, Tyler and Pitcher. In grateful recognition of her energy and enterprise in connection with their mission work, the circle paid Miss Dicksom the honor of making her a life member of the Women's Missionary Society.

—Zera Semon in an interview with a St. Catharines Star reporter the other day said: "I find my houses increase each night of my stay, and many who come expecting to be humbugged the first night are so well pleased they become my best advertising mediums. The show business is governed by the same laws which regulate commerce and business in general, and the legitimate way is to give the public their money's worth, for it pays in the end. I believe wholesome amusement to be a public necessity, and I take great pains to make my entertainments both amusing and instructive, whils it is clean and unobjectionable in character, as the large part of my patronage comes from ladies and children."

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endasory converted with Adeluide Street.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor connected with Adelaide Stree Baptist Church gave an "At Home" Tuesday evening, their guests being the sister society connected with the Memorial Church. The connected with the Memorial Church. The lecture room, which was tastefully decorated with foliage plants, flowers and mottoes, was filled with an evidently well-pleased audience. The proceedings opened with devotional exercises and the hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesu's Name." Mr. A. J. Clark occupied the chair, but the meeting was of a social character and quite informal. The excellent addresses of the chairman and of Mr. Hanna, of the Memorial society, were, however, listened to with marked interest. During the evening refreshments were served and social conversation was pleasantly interspersed with selections by the London Harmony Club, a solo by Mr. Charles Maynard, and a duet by Miss Edith Hartson and Mr. Drew. Altogether the gathering was thoroughly enjoyable.

—The February meeting of the Queen's

—The February meeting of the Queen's Avenue Auxiliary Woman's Missionary Society, held Monday afternoon in Wesley Hall, was the most largely-attended one yet held. There was no special object further than the fact that the members had set themselves a task in the way of investor yet held. There was no special object further than the fact that the members had set themselves a task in the way of increasing the members. At the January meeting of the auxiliary they had pledged themselves to each bring to the next meeting, if possible, at least one new member, and the largely-increased attendance this month showed how faithfully they had performed their work. The reports of the various working committees indicated a healthy activity throughout every department of the auxiliary's work. Mrs. W. E. Saunders gave a reading on "How to Increase the Interest in Missionary Work," and Miss Hiscott sang an appropriate selection, accompanied by Mrs. Sanderson on the piano. Various methods were discussed by which the auxiliary might, through a special effort, raise such funds as the members felt they ought to do, but the responsibility of deciding upon one was relegated to the Executive Committee. At the present time, the work of this society has the sympathy and active assistance of a larger proportion of the ladies within its circle than ever before. At the close of its last year it had 83 members. At the present time, with half the year to come, it has, including those whose names were handed in yesterday, 107. The funds raised last year exceeded \$600. This year the ladies are hoping for still larger things. THE GENERAL CAMPAIGN.

CITY CAMPAIGN NOTES.

The flaring sign "Hyman's Central Committee Rooms" in letters two yards in height is now ornamenting the front of Albert Block.

"The wearing of the green"
Is a song that's often seen,
But the colors worn in London are but two,
The men by Hyman led
Have ties of flaming red
While the sad-eyed Carling followers wear
blue.

A Liberal mass meeting is called for Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Hamilton road school house. Mr. Charles S. Hyman.

ance of voters is looked for.

Says the St. Thomas Journal: "The Liberals of London, with Hyman once more at their head, should be able to redeem the constituency. They were in a minority of only 39 in 1887, and should be certain of victory now if they can only perfect their organization. It was the finest in the land four years ago, and was the admiration of the Province. Mr. Hyman is a thoroughly representative business man, a broad-minded, liberal citizen, in every way worthy to represent the city of London." ance of voters is looked for.

Canads, and particularly this portion of it, is in a glorious state of prosperity under the National Policy, according to the Conservatives. At last night's meeting of the Board of Education there were no less than 69 applications for a position as janitor at very low wages. Perhaps the Tories will declare that these men are so tired making big wages and following the ordinary pursuits of life that they are anxious to dust desks, clean furnaces and carry coal in order to have a change. The untarnished truth is that London has its large quota of unemployed change. The untarnished trace is believed London has its large quota of unemployed

artisans and mechanics who are seeking to turn their hand to anything that will give even partial support to themselves and even partial support to themselves their families. Facts speak louder Tory shouts about prosperity. An Old Habit Gone, and a More Danger-

ons One Introduced.

The old days of blood-letting have gone by, as the habit was considered dangerous by advanced minds. Though now acknowledged by our modern physicians to be danded the control of th gerous and even unnecessary, yet blood-letting is less to be dreaded than the modern practice of morphine injecting for the relief of pain. It is difficult to make people understand that pair is often a sanitary measure. Nature cries out when cold or over-feeding clogs the liver, and rhoumatism or neuralgia is the result. cold or over-feeding clogs the liver, and rheumatism or neuralgia is the result. These deadening drugs always weaken the debilitated system, and are fraught with great danger. The use of opiates and narcotics for the relief of pain, and as a mean of inducing sleep, is fearfully prevalunt in our midst, and in come duraters being use is creating disaster.

fearfully prevalent in our midst, and in some quarters heir use is creating disaster and opnstern ion. Pains are really the meniters of disease, and seldom should be checked by the aid of opiates. During the past year hat great remedy Paine's Colery Compound was the means of rescuing from death no less than three victims of narcotics in Montreal. They had become extremely nervous, weak, emaciated and pale; they were sleepless, unless when under the influence of drugs, and were morose and listless in disposition. Their friends induced them to faithfully use Paine's Celery Compound, and the result is that they are now changed mortals. They have lost their craving for the former poisons, and now thoroughly enjoy life and society.

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Last Minute Jottings from All Over the Field.

Will somebody please ask Sir John Mac-donald to visit Brantford? pleads the Brantford Expositor. The chieftain spoke in this city in the election of 1887, and gave Mr. Paterson a majority of 574. If he will come again, he will probably be able to make it 1,000.

T. G. Shaughnessy, vice-president of the C. P. R., says with reference to the Montreal dispatch insinuating that Mr. Van Horne was making a bargain with Mr. Haggart for the supplying of money for elections, that there is no truth whatever in any statement connecting the C. P. R. with a support of the Government in the elections.

Mr. E. J. Chamberlain, general manager of the Canada Atlantic Railway, expresses the opinion that unrestricted reciprocity between Canada and the United States would make business became in Ottawa and through tween cunaca and the United States would make business boom in Ottawa and throughout his district. Speaking of this question on Saturday evening, he said: "I am not a politician and de not wish to mix myself in political discussions here; but I cannot help seeing that unrestricted reciprocity with the United States would be a grand thing for Ottawa and the St. Lawrence Valley. It would help our railways, because the traffic between the two countries would be enormously increased. All talk of nartial reciprocity is our railways, because the traffic between the two countries would be enormously increased. All talk of partial reciprocity is useless. The Americans will not listen to it. Look at the immense water powers on the St. Lawrence River, which practically separates the two countries, and the power on the Ottawa and its tributaries! If the restrictions upon trade between Canada and the United States were wiped out millions of capital would be invested in utilizing these water powers to run mills and factories. Capital would also be available for the development of the iron and other mineral deposits around here. Unrestricted reciprocity would greatly increase the value of

procity would greatly increase the value of every lumber mill and every sort of prop-erty in and around Ottawa. Any business man can see that." man can see that."

The Beronto Mail, editorially, talks out on the "old flag" yarns of the high tax apologists in this strain: It was expected that the old flag would be appealed to on behalf of the Administration at some period during the present dramatic campaign; bu no one who regards Sir John Macdonald during the present dramatic campaign; but no one who regards Sir John Macdonald as an astute statesman would have cared to predict that he himself would rush forward, as he does in his manifesto, covering himself in the ample folds of the Union Jack and shouting treason at all who differ from him. The treason cry is a feature of the contest which really should have been left to the screaming sisterhood of partisan organs. Coming from the leader of the party it is apt, urless, indeed, there is very substantial ground for it, to convey the impression to the cooler heads that there is some bad feature of the situation which it has been deemed advisable to cover in a storm of patriotic passion. That there is ground for the charge of veiled treason has yet to be proven. Were the Opposition plotting the overthrow of the monarchy, and were the plot discovered, then good reasons for the accusation would present itself. But so far as can be seen the Opposition is simply asking for a broad measure of reciprocal trade with another country. Now, reciprocal trade, broad or narrow, is not necesserily treasonable. If it were, the gentlemen at Ottawa, who have already proposed to return to the treaty of 1854 with "modifications" and "extensions," would be a nest of traitors. In fact there must be treason all round, only Sir John and his colleagues are treasonable in but a few articles, whereas Mr. Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright are treasonable in all. But the lesson of the campaign of 1878 teaches very forcibly that the treason cry when raised for a party purpose, and when based upon insufficient evidence, has very few terrors for Canada. The people here are loyal to the Queen and loyal to the institutions of the land but

when it comes to a question of commercial policy they fail altogether to detect the avenue through which treason can lift its horrid head.

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the most fruit.

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