The Russian Capital Inundated.

Late European papers contain particulars of the inundation of St. Petersburg, sussed by the overflow of the river Neva, on October 14th. Almost without premonition a violent hurricane set in and the water in the river began to rise with great rapidity. In a few hours the water was about ten feet above its ordinary level, and flowing with great volume into many streets which had not been flooded since the great inundation of 1824. The whole of the lower part of the city appears to have been completely submerged. The trees in the public gardens were broken or uprooted; ships in the river were torn from their anchors and thrown against the floating bridges, all of which were more or less damaged; telegraph communication was suspended, the wires torn away, and several coasting ships were floated into the streets. The wooden pavement way destroyed, fences were carried away, chimney-pots thrown down, and roofs torn off. The poor people were panic-stricken, and many were obliged to abandon the littile property they possessed, being only too glad to save their lives. Some were taken off in boats. The Zoological Gardens were completely underwater, and the proprietors had the great-est difficulty in saving the animals. The elephant, in particular, gave a great deal of trouble, but was at last led in safety to the nearest police-station, where he remained for the night.

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The London Advertiser says : The John The London Advertiser says: The John A. following seems to be melting away like that of the late Sandfield Macdonald after his defeat in the Ontario Legislature. One of the signatories of the requisition to Mr. Blake to enter the new Reform Government at Ottawa was Mr. O'Reilly, Q. C.. of Kingston. A well-known western M. P. has signified his willingness to act in a similar spirit.—Late reliable information gives the new Government an average majority of forty votes. We wish here to enter a protest in time. We can't receive Mr. John Carling into the Reform ranks. It is absolutely necessary to draw the line somewhere. We draw it above Mr. Carling.

On Wednesday next a marriage in high

On Wednesday next a marriage in high life is to be celebrated at St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto. On that Day Bea-trice, the eldest daughter of Lieutenant-Governor Crawford, will be married to Mr. Watson, of the Royal Canadian

MANUFACTURE OF COCOA. — "We will now give an account of the process adop-ted by Messrs. James Epps & Co., manu-factures of dietetic articles, at their works in the Euston Road, London."—See ar-ticle in Cassell's Household Guide.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARDISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Bosworth—Saturday before Guelph.
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BLORATON—The Saturday before Guelph.
BLORA—The day before Guelph.
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GUELPH—Frirst Wednesday in each month.
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair.
TEVIOTOALE—Friday before Elora fair.
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HANOVER-Monday before Durham.

DUBHAM-Tuesday before Mount Forest.

FERGUS-Thursday following Mount Forest.

ORANGEVILLE-Second Thursday in January,

March, May, July, September and November.

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Mono Mills—Third Wednesday in January,
April, July and October.

Erin—First Monday in January, April, Jul
and October.

Magonville—First Tuesday in February,
May, August and November.

BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.
Listowal.—First Friday in each month.
Hillsburg—Second Tuesday in January
March, May, July, Sept. and November.

Mooraffeld—May, July, Sept. and November.

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Hamilton—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day
after Gueluh.

COMMERCIAL

MERCURY OFFICE	Nove	ember	14,	1873.
Flour per 100lbs		\$8 00	10	83 50
Fal! Wheat, per bushel,	new.	1 12	to	1 20
Treadwell'		1 12	to	1 18
Spring Wheat "		1 05	to	1 10
Oats "		0 35	to	0 31
Peas "	*	0 50	to	0 59
Bailey, new,		0 95	to	1 09
Hay, per ton		12 00	to	15 00
Straw,		3 00	to	4 00
Wood, per cord		4 50	10	5 00
Eggs. per dozen		0 16	to	0.18
Butter, dairy packed.	44	0 21	to	0 23
" rolls		0 22	to	0 24
Potatoes, per bag, new Apples,		0 45	.to	0 5
Apules. "		0 60	to	1 00
		0 00	to	0 00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.		5 50	to	7 00
Beef per cwt		5 00	to	7 00
Clover Seed per bushel		6 00	to	6 50
Timothy Seed		4 00	to	5 00
		6 50	to	7 00
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Peas.				5	7 to	0	6
Oats.	"		-	4	1 to	0	4
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H	AMIL	TON	MA	RI	ET	8	

Spring Wheat, per bushel	\$ 1 05	60	1 08
Freadwell Wheat "	1 12	tu	1 14
Red Winter Wheat "	1 05	to	1 10
Barley per pushel	1 05	to	1 07
Pens, "	55	to	0 56
Oats, "	0 38	to.	0.39
Butter per lb roll	0 28	to	0 30
" tub,	0 16	to	0 18
Potatoes, per bag, new	0 90	10	0 95
Apples. "	0 90	to	1 20
Dressed Hogs, per cwt	6 5)	to	7 00
Wool, pe 1b	0 00	0	0 00

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Trainsleave Guelph as follows: WEST
2:17 a.m.; 9.45a.m.; 1:50p.m.; 6:00p,m.;*
8:33 p m;
*To London, Goderich, and Detroit. †To Berlin.
EAST 8:05 a.m; 8:10 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m. ar. 8:33 p.m.

Great Western ... Guelph Branch. Going South · 6.40 a.m., 7.30 a.m., 1.00 p.m. and 4.30 p.m. Going North—11:55 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1.30 p.m. for Falmerston; 6.00 p.m for Fergus; 9.30 p.m. for Fergus.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Opening Galt and Berlin Branch

On Monday, the 13th Oct.,

The Gait and Berlin Branch of the Grand
Trunk Railway will be open for traffic.
Trains will be run as follows on and after
that date till further notice:
Leave Gait, 7.00 am.; Doom 7.15; Berlin
7.30; arrive in Toronto 10.45.
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Doom 9.45; arrive in Gait 10.0;
Managing Director;
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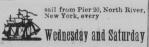
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