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RAILWAY FUSION.

Believing, as we do, that the contemplated amalgamation of the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railway Companies may be effected without any disadvantage to the public at large, and with very great benefit to the shareholders of both com-

panies, we cannot but regret the persistent efforts that are being made to create an impression that the result is likely to be a considerable increase in the rates of freight. It has been shown that without any such increase, an immense saving can be effected in the charges for management, quite sufficient to justify the amalgamation. But even if in some instances there should be an increase in the charges, it seems probable that it will be in cases where, owing to competition, rates have been reduced far below the average, and that the effect will be to place the various towns more on a footing of equality.