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A Word or two in Season.

Thanks to a kind Providence, the labors of farmers have this season been blessed with reward. The crops in general have unusually abundant, and in no section of the Province that we have heard of, but more than an average amount of produce has been secured. This, coupled with a price that would fail to be remunerating, will tend to sustain and confirm a return to prosperity, which of late has been slowly dawning upon us: it is devoutly to be wished that nothing will be allowed to transpire from the folly of man, or even a momentary gloom over the bright prospects that are now happily beaming upon our country. Farmers are now busy in reaping their grain for market; and there is no doubt that remunerative prices will be realized. The latest accounts from the United States still complain of the continuance of unfavorable weather, which was also being experienced by a large section of northern Europe. The crops must have suffered seriously, especially in some instances it has been found necessary to kiln-dry wheat, before it can be used at all. A good demand therefore will be met for our dry and superior kinds of wheat, especially when compared with those of inferior value of British origin. To ensure a sample of flour of even ordinary quality.

The crop in some sections of the Province, on account of the dryness of the spring, was below an average, while in other districts it

was more abundant, and secured in prime condition. What, however, with the large growth of straw of all kinds, and a liberal yield of turnips, mangels, &c., farmers will be able by the exercise of an enlightened economy, to sustain their stock through the approaching winter without difficulty, and bring their animals out in spring in good condition. We are glad to find that root-culture is constantly extending, in most parts of the country. The turnip matches which have been in operation for the last few years in different places have unquestionably been the means of extending the culture of that important root; and we are glad to find that similar attention is now being directed to the Belgian Carrot; the results of two or three competitions, for the present year, we hope to publish in our next issue.

We beg just to remind our readers of the importance of paying the closest attention to the manner of storing their roots, either in places constructed for the purpose, or in pits or clumps in the field. The best way, perhaps, is to put them into small lumps as they are pulled, covering them slightly with earth, straw, or leaves; and after the expiration of two or three weeks collect them into larger and permanent heaps. By such means the roots will not be so likely to ferment, if judiciously covered. We shall probably go more into details relative to these matters in our next.

Fall ploughing should now be prosecuted with all possible dispatch. The breaking up and exposing as large a portion of the surface as