

SPECIAL NOTICE.

A SUCCESSFUL HOME INDUSTRY.—The inhabitants of the towns and villages of Waterloo county, in Ontario, have long been noted for their manufacturing enterprise. The names of Berlin, Waterloo, New Hamburg, etc., indicate the origin of the people, whose enterprise is felt in every portion of the Dominion, whether in manufactures, in life or fire insurance or other industries, and whose record, whether as debtors or creditors, will bear favorable comparison with any towns in Canada in their relations to those with whom they have dealings. Much of this progress is due to the character of the men at the head of the local manufacturing industries. Among them the firm of Louis Breithaupt & Co., tanners and dealers in leather, is in the foremost rank. This industry was founded over a quarter of a century ago by the late Louis Breithaupt who, in the face of great discouragement, succeeded in establishing the business which he left to his widow and sons at his death, some four years ago. Mr. Breithaupt, who was mayor of the town, was paid the tribute of a civic funeral. The main

portion of the present tannery in Berlin, which is almost fire-proof, was built after the disastrous fire of 1869, the second loss of the kind. A commodious leather warehouse, with sales-room, offices and an addition to the tannery were afterwards added. Messrs. Louis J. and John C. Breithaupt, like their father, are both practical tanners; a third brother, William, is a civil engineer. The scarcity of hemlock bark led the firm to erect a large tannery at Penetanguishene, on Georgian Bay, for the exclusive manufacture of Spanish sole, of which they turn out 100 sides or more per day. This branch which is equipped with all the best modern appliances, is owned by the two brothers first named, with Mr. Z. A. Hall, the foreman of the works; but the product, like that of the head establishment, is sold by Louis Breithaupt & Co. The firm own considerable business and residence property in Penetanguishene. Besides the manufacture on an enormous scale of Spanish and Slaughter sole, harness leather and kip and calfskins, the firm do a large business in foreign leathers, findings and shoemakers' supplies generally, and the business is increasing from year to year. We are indebted to a recent number of the *Waterloo Chronicle* for much of the information here condensed.

NOTICE.

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C. O. GODREAU & CIE., FRASERVILLE,
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