· TTE LONDON TRADES.

The leather japanning trade, that suffered, very curiously during the Franco Prussian war for want of eggs, has again revived, and hands in this branch are well off for work. Curriers are equally busy. The parchment and vellum trade is also in full activity, and the wool-staplers are alike busy. It may, perhaps, be not travelling out of my road to observe that, at a town in the West of England trading with France in fine leather, I found, last year, that the hands at a large leather-yard were receiving not one fourth the wages that the like men got at Bermondsey, and the skins dressed were equal, if not superior, to the Surrey dressers. The Metropolitan leather trades have cause to be satisfied. and, what is still more cheering, trade is still looking up.

The harness and saddlery trades have a fair amount of work, and the season for briskness is fast approaching for first-class work-the rougher and wholesale kind being left to Birmingham.

The boot and shoe trade was never known to be so busy and so well supplied with orders. and the West-end hands are about to take advantage of this flourishing state of their craft by shortly demanding a great rise of payment. Carriage-building is looking up, both for export and home orders.

Cabinet-makers have also plenty of work, both good and bad.

Pianoforte makers are not so busy as they could be, harmoniums slightly superseding this branch.

Carvers and gilders are getting very busy. The glass trade was never known to be so active, both for export and home consumption. The shipbuilding trade, from Limehouse to Woolwich, have more than an ordinary amount of work on hand and orders.

The telegraphic wire-work is not so active as some months back, and unless some new cables are ordered the works will still fall off.

The sugar-bakers are not so full of business as formerly, owing, it is believed, to the competition of the Prussian beet-root sugares; but measures are being taken to outstrip Prussia by "beet-root growing," a little way out of town, and erecting works to manufacture by the new process; so that here London is struggling for the supremacy of its old trade.

The boiler-makers and steam-engine builders are very busy. The Bessemer steel-works at Greenwich are

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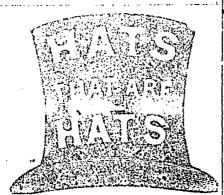
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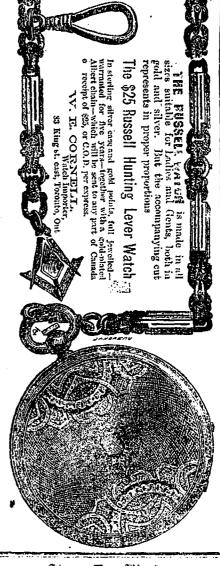
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