

LOCAL NEWS.

If you want the latest American Hat go to Treble's, corner of King & James Sts., Hamilton.

The Star says that Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Boon, of Oakville, left last week for a visit of a few months to Devonshire, England.

Mrs. TREBLE, who removed from Hamilton to Glen Williams with her husband a short time ago, has despatched with another man.—Erin Advocate.

If you want good all-wool Underwear cheap, Treble's is the place. Largest stock of Underwear in the city. Corner of King & James Sts., Hamilton.

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R. W. BEO. WM. KERNS, M. P. P., was presented at Burlington last week by the Masons of the Eighth Masonic District with a handsome P. D. D. G. M. regalia.

The Star says that Jas. James, aged 16 years, and employed by Mr. E. H. Gullege, of Oakville, as apprentice, has been arrested on a charge of theft from his employer. He was remanded for a week.

OUR GREAT CLUBBING OFFER.—The CHAMPION and the Toronto Daily World from now until 1st January, 1889, for \$2.50, paid in advance. This is \$1.50 less than the regular subscription price of the two papers.

SHOOTING MATCH.—A shooting match will be held at Milton, for turkeys, on Dec. 20th, at which rifles and shotguns will compete. Distances: 100 and 200 yards, kneeling or standing. Any make of rifle allowed.

WARDEN'S DINNER.—N. Lindsay, Esq., Warden, entertained the members of the county council and several county officials at the Wallace House on Tuesday. The spread did the proprietor of the hotel great credit.

SENT TO KINGSTON.—Robert Pitcher was arraigned before Judge Miller this morning, pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing Miss Dempsey's horse, on which he was arrested last Saturday, and was sentenced to three years in the Provincial Penitentiary. Constable Chapman starts with him for Kingston to-night.

THE EMBEZZLEMENT CASE.—Amos Brothers, charged with having embezzled moneys belonging to the firm of Brothers, Brown & Downs, of which he was a member, appeared last Thursday for trial before Mayor Hannant. After hearing the evidence His Worship announced that he would reserve his decision until yesterday, and would accept bail for the appearance of the defendant. Mr. Elliott, counsel for prosecution, objected to the bail of the defendant's father, which had previously been accepted, and Mr. Amos Dorland took his place as bondsman. Yesterday the case came up again, when the mayor again reserved his decision, this time for a week, so that he could take legal advice on the evidence.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON THE G. T. R.—On Tuesday evening, about 5 p. m., an old lady named Mrs. Short, who lived near Limehouse, was on her way home from Georgetown, and walking on the Grand Trunk Railway, at or about the junction with the H. & N. W. A train on the latter was passing over-head, and whistling, to which her attention was drawn. A train was at the same time following her along the G. T. R. The engine driver saw her and her imminent peril, and did all in his power to draw her attention by whistling, and at the same time took off steam and put on brakes, but no use, before it could be done the fatal work was accomplished and the poor old lady was killed. The only mark on her was an abrasion a little to the one side of her temple. The deceased was a resident of Esqueving for over fifty years, and left a large grown up family, who are nearly all married.

NEW XMAS GOODS AT I. CARTMER'S.—A choice lot of new Xmas goods—New Fruits, Essences and Extracts Raisins, Valencias, Sultanas, Black Baskets and Finest Delness Layers; Crosse & Blackwell's Goods; Lemon, Orange and Citron Peels; Preserved Ginger in one pound pots, Pickles and Sauces, New Currants, New Figs, a large stock of very fine Teas—Young Hysons, Japans, Congous, Souchongs and Orange Pekoes. These are extra fine and extra value; a very good Tea for 25c. per lb. Our Boot & Shoe stock is very full in all lines, and to reduce the stock we will offer special inducements up to the first of January, 1889. We will give TEN PER CENT. discount off all Boot & Shoe purchases up to that date for cash only. We must make room for spring goods. The finest and best selected stock we ever had. Now is your time for bargains. See them. No trouble to show goods. 25-3t

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

FOUND.—On Brown Street on Saturday afternoon, a pint bottle half full of pure "stingo," shebeen brand. The owner, if he is alive after drinking the half of it, can have same in proving property and paying expenses.

Mr. Wm. Strout, of Trafalgar, met with a serious accident the other day. He fell from the swing beam of his barn and in his descent a large iron spike came in contact with the lower part of his abdomen, inflicting injuries the result of which is still doubtful.

WANTS A JURY.—Joseph Quinn, the alleged dynamitar, was arraigned yesterday before Judge Miller on the charge of assaulting Chief Constable Bradley. He pleaded not guilty and elected to be tried by a jury. His case will come on at the Sessions next week.

Yes, by a large majority over former years, Henry Watson is now opening out at the Apothecaries, Hall, Toys, China Ware, Furses, Albums, Knives, Christmas and New Year Cards, with Books in great variety, including the annual vols. for the season, which are all for sale at or below city prices. 25-3t

ISAAC BINKLEY, a farmer living three miles from Oakville, reported to the police here that he was attacked by three footpads on Thursday night and robbed of \$25. One of the men caught him by the throat, while the others went through his pockets.—Spectator.

The date for the trial of the petition against the return of Mr. Waldie as M. P. for Halton has been fixed at last. It will come off on 4th January before Mr. Justice Rose, who will also try the following cases; East Hastings, 11th January; East Simcoe, 17th January; Centre Wellington, 24th January, and Glengarry, 31st January. The cross petition filed by Mr. Waldie against Mr. Henderson will be withdrawn, as shown by advertisement in another column.

THE CENTURY for December opens with a frontispiece portrait of Lincoln from a photograph made about the time of his inauguration, which event is the subject of the present part of the "Lincoln History." Prof. Charles W. Shields, of Princeton College, contributes an important and interesting paper, entitled "The United Churches of the United States," being a review of the Century letters on Christian Unity, which were written as comments on his former article of the same title. Mr. Kennan's second paper deals with the "Prison Life of the Russian Revolutionists" and answers the question, "What is the specific nature of the wrongs which call forth, especially among the youth of Russia, such manifestations of fierce, passionate hatred for the Tsar, and which inspire such persistent and desperate attempts to take his life?" An illustrated paper on the Sea of Galilee is contributed by Edward L. Wilson. Mr. Brander Matthews contributes an interesting study of journalism entitled "Notes on Parisian Newspapers," in which are characterized various leading journals such as the "Figaro," the "Temps," the "Gaulois," the "Evènement," the "Journal des Debats," the "Rappel," the "Justice," the "L'Intransigeant," the "Epaterne," the "Republique Francaise," "Petit Journal," the "Charivari," and a number of others. Among the portraits are those of Albert Wolff, Rochefort, Clemenceau, Claretie, and Sarcay. Mrs. M. G. van Benschel writes this month, in her series on the English cathedrals, about Durham, of which she says: "Among all the cathedrals of England Durham is perhaps the most imposing, and its situation is magnificent, past rivalry. The fiction of the number embraces the second part of 'The Graymans,' a novel of western life by Edward Eggleston; the second fourth of George W. Cable's novelette of the Tchec county, 'An Larger;' and the first part of 'The Dunsates,' Frank R. Stockton's sequel to 'Mrs. Lecks and Mrs. Aleshine.' There is also a short story by J. G. Perkins, entitled 'After the War.' Mr. Irving's Faust is the subject of two papers, one by Mr. and Mrs. Pennell in praise of its 'pictorial successes,' which are hardly less piquant in description than attractive in reality. The Tonic Sot-Fa System of writing and teaching music is similarly the subject of two short papers. The Topics of the Time are editorial articles on 'Municipal Patriotism,' the proposed 'Constitution Day,' and 'The Seventieth Year of Our National Disgrace' (i.e., the official license of literary piracy). Mr. Brander Matthews contributes an 'Open Letter' on 'Cheap Books,' presenting in the most interesting way the probable effect upon American literature of the passage of the American Copyright League's bill establishing international copyright. The short papers on 'The Education of the Blind' come to a conclusion with a consideration of the occupations which are practicable to their class. The number contains no battle paper, but, as announced a few pages of 'Memoranda on the civil War.' The poetry of the number is contributed by Mrs. Annie Fields, Rose Hawthorne Lathrop, Edith M. Thomas, 'Stuart-Sterne,' Maurice F. Egan, Henry Ames Blood, and Walt Whitman (a stanza 'Twilight'), and in Brice-a-Brao by John Vance Cheney, Charles H. Crandall, Jennie W. Netter, and others.

Subscribe for The Champion.

This has been a bad year for the Prohibitionists all around. First came the overwhelming defeat of the Constitutional Amendment in Texas. Then came the similar reverse in Tennessee. Then the cause had a serious setback in Oregon. And now Atlanta, after trying the system for two years, repudiates it as ineffective.

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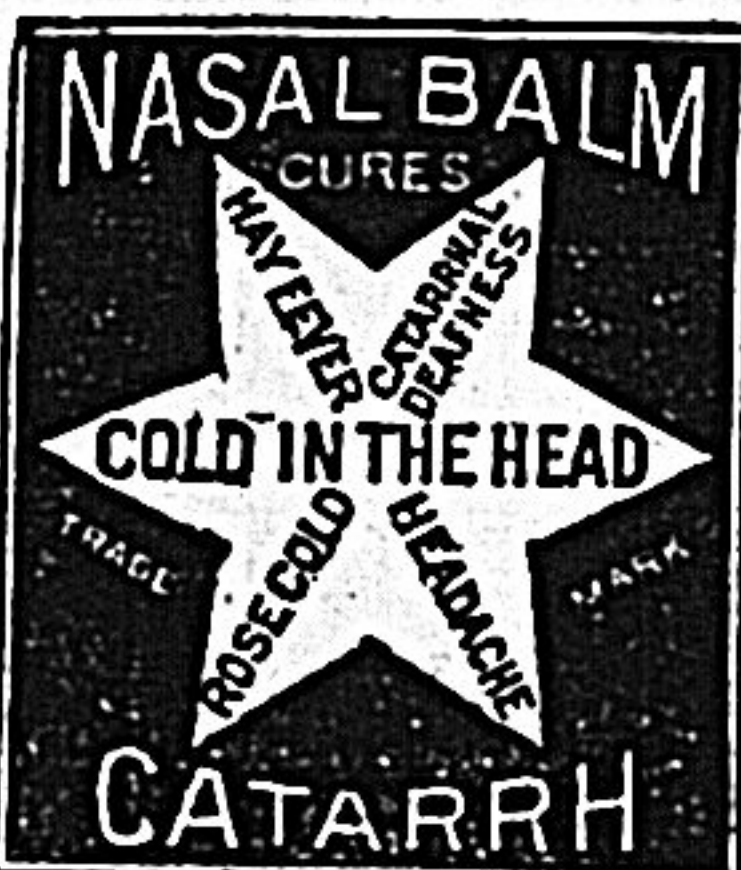
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WM. WILSON.
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