

ADVERTISEMENT.

MARRIED.—By the Rev. Mr. Melvern, of Liverpool, in Eighteen hundred and sixty-six, William Bamford West, eldest son of Robert West, to Susan E. Merry, daughter of William and Elenor Merry, both of Bridgewater.

To the Electors of the County of Colchester.

GENTLEMEN,— Having been chosen by a full convention of the Reform Party, held in Truro on the 16th of April last as a candidate for the representation of Colchester in the House of Commons, I now respectfully solicit your support.

Should I be honored with your confidence I will give my best efforts to the promotion of the welfare of the people of this Dominion, and of the County of Colchester in particular.

The leading organs of the two political parties unite in saying that the great question of the day is that of Free Trade (or a revenue tariff) vs. Protection. On that question I deem it my duty to give no uncertain sound.

I will gladly assist any practical legislation having in view the prohibiting, restricting or controlling of the traffic in intoxicating liquors.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Your obedient servant, A. C. PAGE.

HEARING RESTORED.—Great invention by one who was deaf for 20 years. Send stamp for particulars. J. NO. GARMORE, Lock-box 905, Covington, Ky. 21. Aug. 21.

JOYFUL NEWS For the Afflicted!

WOODVILLE, CORNWALLIS, May 3rd, 1877.

Messrs. C. GATES & Co., Gentlemen,—This is to certify that three years ago I was troubled with a bad cough, accompanied with pain and soreness of the lungs for some time.

I sincerely recommend it to any one that is suffering from the same disease. JOHN MCKENZIE, (Aged 73 years.) July 3.

Dr. William Gray's Specific Medicine.

The Great English Remedy will promptly and radically cure any and every case of Nervous Debility and Weakness, result of indigestion, excesses or overwork of the brain and nervous system; is perfectly harmless, acts like magic, and has been extensively used for over thirty years with great success.

W.M. GRAY & CO., Windsor, Ontario, Canada. For sale by all Druggists. J. K. Bent, A. A. Taylor, J. Godfrey Smith and Forsyth & Co., Agents, Halifax, Aug. 1.

WANTED.

GOOD LIVE BUSINESS MEN to sell the Excelsior Improved Letter Copying Book. No Press, Brush or Water used, copies instantly. Agents outfit \$2.50. Agents make from \$10 to \$15 per day.

Land for Sale.

162 ACRES OF LAND for sale, situated three miles west of Kentville, north of the Old Post Road, on which is a large amount of Pine, Spruce and other timber, suitable for mill logs, railway sleepers and poles.

For terms apply to T. A. MARGESON, Margaretville, or JOHN W. MARGESON, Cornwallis, Aug. 28th, 1878.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS, addressed to the POST-MASTER GENERAL, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on FRIDAY, the 4th Oct., for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, three times per week each way, between

Shubenacadie and Dean, via Gays River, Middle Musquodoboit, and Upper Musquodoboit.

under a proposed contract for four years from 1st December next. Conveyances to be made in vehicles drawn by not fewer than two horses.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Middle, Musquodoboit and Shubenacadie, the sub-Post Office of Dean, or at the office of the subscriber.

F. M. PASSOW, Post Office Inspector, Post Office Inspector's Office, Halifax, 23rd August, 1878. Aug. 23.

Saint Anne, Ottawa River.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Secretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tender for Canal and Lock at St. Anne," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on TUESDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER next, for the construction of a Lock and the formation of approaches to it on the landward side of the present lock at St. Anne.

A map of the locality, together with plans and specifications of the works to be done, can be seen at this office and at the Resident Engineer's office, St. Anne, on and after TUESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, at either of which places printed forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered, unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in case of firms, except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of \$200 must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works, at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

For the due fulfillment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by the deposit of money to the amount of FIVE PER CENT on the bulk sum of the contract; of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

To each Tender must be attached the actual signature of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of those conditions, as well as the due performance of the work embraced in the Contract.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, OTTAWA, 19th August, 1878. Aug. 23.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

To Capitalists and Contractors.

The Government of Canada will receive proposals for constructing and working a line of Railway extending from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean, the distance being about 2000 miles.

Memorandum of information for parties proposing to Tender will be forwarded on application as underneath. Engineers' Reports, maps of the country to be traversed, profiles of the surveyed line, specifications of preliminary works, copies of the Act of the Parliament of Canada under which it is proposed the Railway is to be constructed, descriptions of the natural features of the country and its agricultural and mineral resources, and other information, may be seen on application at this Department, or to the Engineer-in-Chief at the Canadian Government Offices, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C. London.

Sealed Tenders, marked "Tenders for Pacific Railway," will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until the 1st day of December next.

RETURNED.

OUR BUYER has returned from the European Markets. We shall be opening by each succeeding Steamer one of the most desirable stocks which we have yet had the pleasure of placing before our Customers.

DAVIDSON & CRICHTON, 155 Hollis Street.



W. FRASER & SONS, 82 & 84 Barrington Street, Halifax, N. S., have just finished some very fine trichord GOTTAGE PIANOS, overstrung and oblique, with full metallic frames and supports, in handsome rose-wood and walnut cases, which, for material, workmanship and tone, cannot be surpassed by any in the market, and which they are willing to dispose of AT LOWER PRICES than are obtained elsewhere for instruments of an inferior class. Sept. 27.

SOMETHING NEW FOR SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

BRAINARD'S SUNDAY SCHOOL SINGER.

A Monthly Journal of Sunday School Music.

Each number will contain eight pages of choice new SUNDAY SCHOOL SONGS and appropriate reading matter. Its object is to bring good Sunday School Music within the reach of all at a very small cost. NEW MUSIC by some of the most experienced writers will be given each month; and it will also be the aim of the editors and publishers to interest children in the songs, and the truths and morals conveyed therein. Hence appropriate reading matter will be given, and the Journal made both pleasing and instructive.

TERMS, POST-PAID. One copy, 1 year, 30 cts. 5 copies, 1 " 1.25 25 " 1 " 4.75 50 " 1 " 7.00 100 " 1 " 12.00 200 " 1 " 20.00 Send stamps for sample and full particulars. A few pennies contributed by each pupil will furnish the School with good, new music every month, and an efficient aid and instructor. S. BRAINARD'S SONS, PUBLISHERS, Cleveland, O. March. 13.

FOR SALE.

ABOUT 100 acres of land in Lower Middleton, Annapolis Co., capable of making a good Farm, and about a mile from the junction of the Nictaux & Atlantic Railway (part cleared and plowed) with a brook interval to clear up, bounded on the south by the Annapolis River. Apply to JAMES P. DODGE, Middleton, Annapolis Co. 3m. April 24.

SEND 25c. to G. P. ROWELL & CO., New York, for Pamphlet of 100 pages, containing lists of 3000 newspapers, and estimates showing cost of advertising March 8. 1yr.

PARSONS & FIELDING.

THE undersigned have this day entered into Co-partnership as BARRISTERS, ATTORNEYS, SOLICITORS, &c., under the above name. OFFICE, 76 GRANVILLE STREET, CORNER OF PRINCE STREET—GROUND FLOOR. J. PARSONS, GEO. H. FIELDING. HALIFAX, May 1st, 1878. 3m.

SPICES, COFFEE, CREAM TARTAR. A full assortment. April 10. R. N. BECKWITH.

TEA, TEA. Chests Choice Congou. April 10. R. N. BECKWITH.

SOAP, SOAP. 300 bxs. "Queen City," 100 "Queen's Laundry, Stags Head 150 "Brown Family, Cases Toilet Soaps, assorted. R. N. BECKWITH, April 10. Head of Commercial Wharf.

SUGAR, SUGAR. Hides and bbls. E. Refined. April 10. R. N. BECKWITH.

MAY 16, 1878.

A. & W. MacKinlay HAVE JUST RECEIVED 34 CASES School Slates, 1 case School Globes, 9 casks Black Ink, 17 cases Carter's Ink, 1 case Ink Powders, 1 case Sealing Wax, 3 cases Copy Books, 1 case Rubber Bands, 5 cases of Note Papers. For sale at low rates, wholesale and retail. A. & W. MACKINLAY, GRANVILLE ST. June 19.

GOLD Any worker can make \$12 a day at home. Costly Outfit free. Adresse True & Co., Augusta, Maine. April 24, 78. 1yr.

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1878 SPRING 1878

Stock Complete.

WOOD Bros. & Co.

Beg to announce the completion of their SPRING IMPORTATIONS, embracing one of the largest and finest assortments of Staple and Fancy DRY GOODS, which we have ever had the pleasure of offering, all of which has been purchased under the most favourable circumstances and personally selected by one of the firm in the best European and American markets, and will be sold at PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES, as inspection will prove. WOOD BROS. & CO., May 8, 1878. 109 Granville St.

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WHOLESALE WAREHOUSE, 25 DUKE ST.

RETAIL WAREHOUSE, 150 Granville Street, HALIFAX, N. S.

EVERY WHOLESALE BUYER

Should examine our Stock, as it is very large, splendidly assorted and PRICES Low. In our Retail Department will be found all the Novelties of the Season.

MILLINERY.

In this department we have just engaged the services of Miss MURPHY, recently in the employ of Mr. J. B. LE-BLANC, as Chief Milliner. Our buyer having just returned from Europe via New York, wears showing all the leading American Shapes and Designs in addition to a splendid stock of FOREIGN GOODS. We beg to solicit a large share of public patronage in this department.

SMITH BROS.

Agents wanted for our Illustrated FARMERS' and MECHANICS' MANUAL BY GEO. E. WRING, JR., Author of "Draining for Profit & for Health" and late Agricultural Engineer of N. Y. Central Park. This is the King of Lightning Calculators and Ready Reckoners. It is not a Cook book, but 21,000 facts of universal application for WORKING-MEN of every trade, and is worth its weight in gold to Capitalists, Students and every Library. The "N. Y. Tribune" says: "It is a sound, honest, instructive publication, doing all it professes to do, and more." \$2.75, a marvel of cheapness, beauty, and rapidity of sales. 25th thousand. A single agent sold over 1,500 copies in one county in New Jersey. E. B. TREAT, Publisher, 805 Broadway, N. Y. May 15. 8 ins.

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Have made special arrangements to transact business in all Stocks, U. S. Bonds, Stock Privileges, etc., and will give particular and immediate attention to all orders from a distance, either by "mail" or "Telegraph." We give the greatest advantages and best opportunity ever before offered to investors, giving them the use of and profits on \$10,000 in "Stocks," on "margin" of from one to two hundred dollars, and less amounts of "Stocks" will pay in proportion. We invest in amounts most convenient to suit capital and wishes of investors, from ten shares up to any amount desired, on margin of from 1 to 2 per cent. Loans on all "Stocks," Bonds and other securities negotiated. Letters of Credit and Drafts payable in any part of Europe and America issued by us for the convenience of travelers. SEND FOR CIRCULAR.

The New York City Stock Exchange Association, BANKERS AND BROKERS, 24 Broad St. 67 Exchange Place. April 3. 3m.

Bible Baptisma:

By Pastor D. G. McDonald. Versus Rev. J. Lathern's "Baptisma." Will, after June 1st, be on sale by S. Selden, of Halifax; J. A. Payzant, of Wolfville; Crosby, Yarmouth; Armstrong and Hopper, St. John, and Rev. T. Todd, Moncton, N. B. The book contains over 200 pages and will be sent to any address on receipt of 32 cents, in cloth limp, and 28 cents in cloth cases. May 23. [CHRISTIAN VISITOR please copy.]