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.

Sworn before methis 3rd day of August, 1878, T. C. Wheelock, J. P. L. Aug. 28. 11. SUSAN E. WEST.

#### 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 respectful-

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 believe that a revenue tariff affords reasonable encouragement to manufacturers, and that the policy of a high protective tariff, propounded by Sir John Macdonald, would if adopted, be injurious to the interests of the whole country, and especially of the Maritime Provinces. Our people are already taxed heavily enough, but under the system heavily enough, but under the system proposed by the Conservative leaders their taxes would I believe, be very large ly increased, and they would receive no adequate benefit in return for the burdens

Believing that the Government of Hon-orable Alexander Mackenzie has honestly, energetically and, on the whole, wisely conducted the public affairs of the country, and that the Conservative leaders are, both from their past record and their present policy, unworthy of the confidence of the people, I shall if elected consider it my duty to give an independent support to the Mackenzie administration.

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

I will endeavour before the election to personally discuss the issues of the contest with as many of you as is possible. Meanwhile, I venture to hope that the views I have here expressed are such as will commend themselves to your judgement, and justify me in expecting your confidence and support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant, Aug. 21. A, C, PAGE.

HEARING RESTORED .- Great invenwho was deaf for 20 years. Send stamp for particulars. JNO. GARMORE, Lockpox 905, Covington, Ky. 2i. Aug. 21.

#### JOYFUL NEWS For the Afflicted

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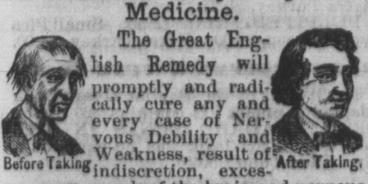
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Respectfully, CALEB WHEATON

WAVEREY GOLD MINES, Halifax Co., } Aug. 22, 1877. C. GATES & Co., -Gentlemen, -This is to certify that after suffering for four years of Dispepsia and Liver Complaint, coughing and spitting of blood, daily anticipating death, that one bottle of Dr. Gates' Life of Man Bitters cured me effectually.

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TENDERS, addressed to the POST-MASTER GENERAL, will be re-ceived 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 Gayis River, Middle Musquodoboit, and Upper Musquodoboit.

under a proposed contract for four years from 1st I cember 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 Offices of Middle, Musquodoboit and Shubenacadie, the sub-Post Office of Dean, or at the office of the sub-contract.

the office of the subscriber. F. M. PASSOW, Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office, \ Halifax, 23rd August, 1878. Aug. 28.



Saint Anne, Ottawa River.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

CEALED 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

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 Sunday School Songs. Will you help us the printed forms, and—in case of firms in this effort? We will forward sample 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 \$2000 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.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respected parties whose tenders are

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For the due fulfilment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by pupil will furnish the School with good, FIVE PER CENT on the bulk sum of the contract; of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

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tion of the work. 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

By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, \ OTTOWA, 19th August, 1878. Aug. 28.



To Capitalists and Contractors.

The Government of Canada will receive proposals for constructing and working a ine of Railway extending from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean, the distance being about under the above name. 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 No Press, Brush or Water used, copies instantly. Agents outfit \$2.50. Agents make from \$10 to \$15 per day. Only necessary to show sample to make sale and money. All business men. profesant make from 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 tion, 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

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Ottawa, May 20, 1878.
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