

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

Half Square one ins.	\$0.50
Square "	1.00
Half Column "	2.00
Column "	3.00

All advertisements not having the number of insertions specified in the manuscript will be continued and charged for accordingly.

In order to insure insertion, advertisements should be in the office no later than Monday morning.

Local and other Matters.

Don't forget the Carnival to-night.

OBITUARY.—Died suddenly at Gaspercaux of paralysis of the brain on 31st January, Nathaniel Benjamin, aged sixty-two.

The Opera of Patience was played by Judge De Wolfe's Company on Monday evening at Hantsport.

They are to have a Children's Carnival on Friday next, and a Masquerade Carnival the following week, at Hantsport.

Among the parties who lost by the absconding of Arthur C. Trenholm was Isaac Huntly of Avonport to the tune of \$60 being balance due on fat cattle purchased by said Trenholm.

Freeland Lovelace of Avonport met with a serious accident while chopping in the woods at Ellershouse for Robert Shaw, the axe glanced and cut his foot badly; he will probably be laid up for some time.

A new lot of rum arrived at Avonport station on Saturday for the Oaklyn Inn. The fine lately collected from the proprietor has not had the effect of stopping the sale. It is hoped the friends of temperance will not relax their efforts to put down the sale of the soul destroying drug.

COASTING.—A young son of Jos. Jones ran into a tree while coasting and got badly used up. Johnnie Bishop got on too much speed coming down the same hill and when the sled struck bare ground and stopped he kept right along on his head. He was not hurt very much however and is out again.

WOLFVILLE SKATING RINK,

Open every afternoon from 3 till 5.30 o'clock; and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7 till 10 o'clock.

The Rink will be lighted every Friday evening with ELECTRIC LIGHT.

ADMISSION

Ladies' Tickets,	\$2.00
Gents' "	3.00
Special Rates for Family Tickets—	
Single Skate,	15c.
Promenade,	5c.

D. A. MUNRO, Proprietor
Wolfville, Dec 17th, 1883.

Local and other Matters.

ON DIT.—That Mr. Geo. W. Johnson is to be Inspector of Customs vice J. J. Kerr deceased.

A Basket Sociable is to be held in their hall by Wolfville Division next Monday evening. Admission by invitation ticket.

CUSTOMS SEIZURE.—The Schr. Flora B. was seized at Port Greville on Wednesday last for infraction of the Customs laws, upon information received from the Collector of Customs at Cornwallis. Upon examination a quantity of American Oil and Flour was found.

Go to Roekwell & Co.'s for new style Valentines.

The Funeral of the late Dr. deBlois took place yesterday afternoon. A very large number attended the services in the church. Feeling remarks were made by Revs. Dr. Sawyer, Dr. Crawley and Dr. Pryor. Prayers by Rev. J. B. Logan and Dr. Crawley. The church was heavily draped around the galleries and about the organ. The following gentlemen acted as poll-bearers:—Revs. A. W. Sawyer, E. M. Kierstead, T. A. Higgins, H. Foshay, Armstrong and John Williams.

WOLFVILLE PLANING AND MOULDING MILL.—Mouldings of any shape or size to 9 inches wide, and stair rails on hand or made to order. Also pine boards planed and matched. Dry pine lumber always on hand.

D. A. Munro,
Wolfville, Oct. 12th, 1883.

A short time ago one of the boys on Long Island borrowed a gun from Mr. Leander Palmeter for the purpose of shooting a bear which they saw playing around over the Grand Pre. Obtaining the gun three of them started and soon getting within range they fired. A rush to the spot where their victim fell revealed to their wondering gaze the bear ribs of an umbrella. They say the skin was not worth preserving.

It appears that Dr. Chipman had been to the Island one stormy night a short time before and when returning across the Dyke lost his umbrella. His horse being restive he could not leave it to go after the lively rain shade.

The following programme will be performed by the Band of the 68th. Infantry at the carnival this evening:—

- QUICKSTEP—"Rival" Minker.
- WALTZ—"Midnight" "
- OVERTURE—"Favorite" "
- WALTZ—"My Queen" Coot.
- NOCTURNE—"In the Gloaming" Walston.
- WALTZ—"Mayflower" Boyer.
- SCHOTTISCHE—"Au Revoir" Rollinson.
- WALTZ—"Lakeside" Minker.
- MAZURKA—"Favorite" Hermann
- WALTZ—"Ida" Kellon.
- QUADRILLE—"The Picnic" Kellon.
- WALTZ—"Echoes from the North" "
- GALOP—"Little Giant" Minker.
- GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
- H. S. Greenough, Bandmaster.

Wolfville, Oct 10th, 1883.

The Straight of it.

An exchange says: We overheard a conversation between two little urchins, which for its intelligence we consider good. One of them, it appears, had been engaged in a mortal combat with a companion, and was relating what occurred. Said he: "I'll tell you how it was. You see, me and Bill went down to Turner's tobacco manufactory and fished off that old boat, but we didn't catch any; I got one bite and Bill told me to scratch, but I didn't. Well, I felt in my pockets and found my knife, and he said that I was another, and I said go there yourself, and he said it was no such thing, and I said he was a liar and would whip him if I was bigger'n him, and he said he'd rock me to sleep mother, and I said he was a bigger one, and he said I never had the measles, and I said for him to fork over that knife, and he couldn't see the fork, and I said I'd fix him for a tombstone at Volk's, and he said my grandmother was no gentleman, and I said he daren't take it up, but he did you bet, you never—well, you never did—then I got up again, and he tried to, but he didn't and I grabbed him and threw him down on top of me like several bricks, and I tell you it beat all—and so did he—and my little dog got behind Bill and bit him, and Bill kicked at the dog, and the dog ran and I ran after the dog to fetch him back, and didn't catch him

till I got home, and I'll whip him more yet. Is my eye very black?"

Fruits of Advertising.

A prominent business firm in one of our leading cities, who have grown rich by liberally patronizing the printer, gives to their fellow-merchants the following concerning advertising:

"We have for many years studied the art of advertising, and still it remains a marvel to us that there is not a hundred times more of it. We never yet knew a man to advertise his wares liberally and steadily that it did not pay. Yet there are thousands of manufacturers and tens of thousands of men, having articles which they declare ought to be in every household in the country, who advertise as gingerly and closely as though they had at heart no faith in it at all. How can they expect to get their goods anywhere unless some knowledge of the article first gets into the family newspaper? If we waited till people learned from their neighbors, we might wait for years before the most wonderful and useful invention became known."—Agent's H.r

An Irish lawyer having addressed the court as "gentlemen," instead of "your honours," after he had concluded a brother of the bar reminded him of his error. He immediately rose and apologized thus: "May it please the court, in the heat of the debate I called your honours gentlemen. I made a mistake, yer honours."

STOVES,

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S R SLEEP, Wolfville,

Has just received and put in Stock a large variety of Stoves,

COMPRISING

- Wood Cooks
- Coal Cooks
- Parlor Cooks
- Ship's Cooks
- Ranges
- Parlor Stoves
- Hall Stoves
- Shop Stoves
- Base Burners
- etc etc etc.

Others having advertised the largest stock in the county we invite the public to examine for themselves.

S. R. SLEEP,