

**THE ACADIAN.**

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MARCH 20, 1885.

**Local and Provincial.**

**R. Prat's new adv. next week.**

The worst snow-storm of the season occurred yesterday.

Subscribe for the ACADIAN. Only 50 cents per year.

Mr. Lorenzo Walley is visiting in Wolfville this week.

Capt. Clarence Eagles is home on a visit. His vessel is in Boston.

Caldwell & Murray will take on account or in exchange for goods two Carloads Turnips.

Hats & Caps, Boots & Shoes and Gents' Furnishings, at cost for one month at C. H. Borden's.

Auction at the Acadia Hotel will be continued Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Look out for bargains!

The Western Book & News Co. removed this week to their new store in the Eagles' building. An extended account is added out of this issue.

The dwelling of Capt. J. E. Eagles narrowly escaped destruction by fire, on Sunday evening last, by the accidental overturning of a stove in a room unoccupied at the time. It was fortunately discovered before the fire had got well under way.

Look at Caldwell & Murray's Goat Boots for \$1.80.

An esteemed exchange publishes a directory of Provincial business men, and cuts Wolfville down to two—a capitalist and exchange broker, and a speculator and exporter—while Hantsport has thirteen and all of them with high sounding business designations. We would feel worse about this if Kentville wasn't left out altogether.

Caldwell & Murray are selling beautiful Patch Cottons for 20 cents per lb.

**BEAR SHOT.**—Mr. Jacob Foster, of Coldbrook, who has shot a large number of Foxes this winter (three last week), started out on the hunt Wednesday and when near Mr. E. Kinsman's place encountered a Bear and quickly made him bite the dust. Mr. Bruin was in good health and weighed 250 lbs. The carcass was taken to Kentville yesterday by Mr. Foster, who if he keeps on will make this kind of game scarce.

**NOTICE.**—C. H. Borden, Wolfville, will offer his entire stock for 30 days at figures that defy competition.

It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the death of R. L. Stewart Esq., of Grand Pre, which occurred at his residence on the morning of the 17th inst. at the age of 70 years. Mr. Stewart was a representative of one of the oldest and most respected families in Horton, and although never taking an active part in public business, was perhaps as widely known as any man in the county. His genial kindly manner was but the index of an equally kindly heart, and to the poor or needy he was in truth a friend. None were ever turned away hungry from his hospitable door, and like Goldsmith's village clergyman, "His house was known to all the wandering train." Mr. Stewart leaves a widow and seven children to whom our heartfelt sympathy is extended in their great bereavement.

Mens White and Colored Shirts at cost for one month only, at C. H. Borden's, Wolfville.

**SAD AND FATAL ACCIDENT IN THE WOODS AT BLACK RIVER.**—On Friday last Mr. John Payzant and two of his sons were engaged in chopping and hauling poles. Mr. Payzant had directed his sons, both of whom are deaf mutes and very near sighted, to fell a tree, showing them how to cut it so that it might fall in a certain direction, and whilst they were thus engaged, he was preparing a road so as to bring his team near to them. In cutting the tree it broke and fell in a different direction. On account of the near-sightedness of the boys, they did not observe where their father was, and began to trim up the tree and cut it in lengths for poles. They had cut off three lengths and were trimming for another when they discovered their father within six feet of them—quite dead. It is supposed that he was instantly killed as his skull was fractured and one shoulder broken. The size of the tree when it struck him was but three inches in diameter. Mr. Payzant was one of the pioneer settlers in that part of the Mountain, going there from Falmouth, Hants Co., something over fifty years ago. At that time he was 27 years of age. There were then no roads and the only way to get there was by a bridle path through the woods. He effected a small clearing and built

a log house on the farm known as the Theodore Reid Farm. He subsequently built a frame house near by and has continued to live there ever since up to the time of his death. By hard labor and steady perseverance, he has been able to accumulate considerable property and to leave his family in comfortable circumstances notwithstanding his great misfortune in having four of his children deaf mutes. They were all living with him at the time of his death, two sons and two daughters. He leaves a widow and nine children to whom we tender our sincere sympathy.

Come and see our Grey Sheetings in five yard lengths. Something new. CALDWELL & MURRAY.

**LONG ISLAND.**

Long Island, in this County, is a farming district, lying north of the Grand Pre Dyke, so called, in Horton, and bounded on the north by the Minas Basin, east and south by the Grand Pre, and on the west by the Cornwallis River. From its eastern to its western extremity is about three miles with an average width of about one-half a mile. It contains nearly one thousand acres, one-half of which is under cultivation. Twelve families reside there, with a population of sixty-eight, all told, whose united ages amount to 2083 years, being an average of nearly 31 years for each adult and child in the district; the oldest person is upwards of 95 years old, and there are four children of one year old or under. Probably there is not a district in this province that will give as high an average of age as this, notwithstanding its reputation of being an unhealthy locality. Within the last ten years the total number of deaths occurring there was fifteen, seven of whom were well advanced in years, having lived beyond the allotted age of man. Of the remaining eight, three were children and died from diphtheria, two died from lung troubles, one from heart disease, and one from injuries sustained in consequence of a fall. Those living on this Island at present are all enjoying comparatively good health, and there seems to be no just reason to warrant the opinion that the locality is in any way an unhealthy one.—COM.

C. H. BORDEN, Wolfville, has reduced prices of Wool Underclothing to cost.

**SKATING RACES.**

The skating races came off at the Rink on Tuesday night as advertised in this paper. A comparatively small number had gathered by the time the races were called, but those who were present seemed to be intensely interested as to the results of the various races. The first contest started was the **ONE MILE FORWARD** in which J. A. Prescott, of Acadia College, and J. Beckwith, W. & A. R. Yard Master at Kentville, were entered. Prescott won the choice of positions and took the inside. At the word go Prescott sprang at once to the front, while Beckwith made a bad start, losing three or four yards. He soon got down to work however, and in four or five laps had got close to his opponent. This position he held for several laps when in an attempt to pass he made a false step and fell back, losing nearly half a lap, this he partially closed but did not get near Prescott again. On the nineteenth lap the applause at the finishing made him think it was the last and he stopped skating giving Prescott the race by a clear lap. In the **SECOND RACE**, same distance, the following competed: Anderson and Eaton, from the Colleges, and L. Davidson and A. Davidson, of Kentville. At the start Anderson and Eaton got underway first with Anderson ahead. After two or three laps Eaton drew up and tried to pass, but did not succeed, and in the spurt he fell. In trying to regain his feet one of the Davidson's ran into him and both went down, and throwing them out of the race. After this Anderson had it all his own way and slid along munching a lemon amid great applause from the spectators. In the third and last race, a **HALF MILE BACKWARD**, the contestants in the first race were entered. As before, Prescott got started first and took the lead, and although Beckwith kept so close to him that they could have touched one another easily, he did not get by and finally stopped at the ninth lap, leaving the race to Prescott. The time made in all the races was slow. We congratulate Mr. Prescott on his success as this virtually makes him the champion skater of the place. The prizes were, first, silver cup; second, pair plated skates; third, gold brass pin. After the races all were allowed on the ice.

Johnson's Anodyne Liniment is richly worth \$10 a bottle in certain cases. For instance, in cases of diphtheria, croup and asthma when the sufferer is almost dead for want of breath and something is required to act instantly. It costs only 35 cents.

Veterinary surgeons all over the country are fiercely denouncing parties who put up extra large packs of worthless trash and sell it for condition powders. They say that Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders are the only kind now known that are worth carrying home. Small packs 25 cents, 2 1/2 lb cans \$1.00.

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London Free Press	1.00	1.25
Hearthstone, Farm & Nation	1.00	1.00
Youth's Companion	1.75	1.75
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**CROCKERY!** **F. L. Brown & Co** OFFERS FOR SALE **The LARGEST, CHEAPEST, and BEST SELECTED STOCK OF Crockery and Glassware** IN THE COUNTY. **LAMP GOODS A SPECIALITY.** **GLASSWARE!** Wolfville Sept. 20, 1884.

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**J. R. McDonald & Co.,** **WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELLERS,** Arnold's Block, Webster St Kentville, N. S. and 145 Granville St., Halifax, N. S. Sept 18th, 1884. **ATTENTION!** **S. R. SLEEP,** Desires to call the attention of the people of King's to the fact that he is selling off a large stock of **STOVES,** the remnant of stock manufactured by **THE ACADIA IRON FOUNDRY,** at exceeding low prices. Parties wishing to purchase will do well to call and inspect as the stock must be sold even at a sacrifice. **S. R. SLEEP,** Wolfville Oct. 1st, 1884. **TO LET!** 1 Dwelling House and 1 Dwelling House and Store combined, situated in Wolfville. All information can be obtained by applying at this office or to March 3d. S. R. SLEEP, owner. **Sweeping Reductions** In **SUITS** made by me For 1 Month. Having a large stock on hand I wish to clear out to make room for New Stock. **A. McPHERSON,** KENTVILLE. Sept. 25, 1884. **JOB PRINTING** of all kinds executed at shortest notice.

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