

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

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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.

At the meeting of the rate-payers Mr. J. L. Franklin was elected a trustee of schools vice Johnson H. Bishop disqualified.

Rev. C. Goodspeed lectured before Acadia Athenæum last Friday evening. Subject "Criteria of Sceptics and their Scepticism."

BASKET SOCIABLE—The Basket Sociable under the auspices of "Wolfville" Division was a grand success. 48 Baskets were sold and the amount realized was \$25.00. The proceeds are to be devoted to the purchase of an organ.

CHANGES IN REAL ESTATE.—At Gaspereaux Jas. A. Coldwell has sold his farm to William Benjamin of Truro who intends starting a Tannery at that place. At Wolfville Reuben F. Reid has sold his farm to Jas. A. Coldwell of Gaspereaux. J. W. Burgess of Wolfville has exchanged farms with Major Cusack of Brooklyn St. Cornwallis.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—We regret to hear that Mr John Eldridge of Gaspereaux met with a most serious accident on Thursday last. He was loading stone on a team that had previously been quarried and placed in position for loading. The recent thaw had undermined them so that they were somewhat inclined and whilst in the act of loading one of these huge stones, weighing some half ton or more, another one tipped over and fell upon him catching him just below the knee, and breaking both bones of the leg. We tender Mr. Eldridge our sympathy and hope to see him speedily recover.

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.

REMEMBER that the small sum of 50 cents pays for the ACADIAN for a whole year.

AUCTION.—Mr. Reuben F. Reid having sold his farm is now offering his Farm Stock and utensils at Public Auction. Don't fail to attend the sale, as bargains may be expected. See bills.

The *Western Chronicle* has this week its usual batch of Wolfville items which fairly bristle with errors.

ENTERPRISE.—Mr. L. W. Kimball intends shipping 10,000 Nova Scotia Gravenstein scions to Rochester, New York, soon.

In response to an invitation from the committee of the "Ladies at Home," a number of gentlemen, chiefly college students, gathered in the Wolfville skating rink, on Tuesday evening, the 22nd ult., to enjoy the merry pastime afforded by this popular and pleasant resort.—*Acadia Athenæum*.

CARD OF THANKS.—At the regular meeting of Wolfville Division held on Tuesday evening last it was resolved the thanks of the Division be tendered to the ladies for their generous response to the invitation of the committee on the occasion of the Basket Sociable.

JOURNALISTIC.—We have on our table a copy of a Medical Journal called *The Sanitarian* published in New York by A. N. Bell M. D. It is in its 12 vol. and appears to be a splendid work.

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.

CARNIVALS.—The Carnival season has been decidedly brisk during the last two weeks. First came the one at Windsor with a fair attendance. Then came the Wolfville Carnival. This was a success but not as large as on former occasions. About 150 were on the ice and perhaps 400 spectators. The costumes were rich and very varied. But few new features were presented. The band of the 68th Infantry furnished the music. Their playing was very good and was commented upon favorably by all present. They are making marked progress in improvement. They also have a lot of new music which is far ahead of what they had before. This band deserves much credit.

On Friday night last there were two carnivals. The Children's at Hantsport was a success. About 280 were in attendance. The carnival at Kentville was also a success, about 350 being present. We are unable to furnish any lists of skaters. In the Wolfville list so few registered that the manager decided not to publish any at all.

Stinginess in affection.

How many live a stingy and niggardly life in regard to the richest inward treasures! They live with those they love dearly, whom a few more words and deeds expressive of his love would make so much happier, richer and better; and they cannot, will not, turn the key and give it out. People who in their very souls really do love, esteem, reverence each other, live a barren, chilly life, side, busy, anxious, preoccupied letting their love go by as a matter of course, a last year's growth, with no present buds and blossoms. Are there not sons and daughters who have parents living with them as angels, unawares—husbands and wives brothers and sisters, in whom the material for a beautiful life lies locked away in unfruitful silence—who give time to everything but the cultivation and expression of mutual love? The time is coming, they think, in some far future, when they shall find leisure to enjoy each other, to step and rest side by side, to discover to each other these hidden treasures which lie idle and unused. Alas! time flies and death steals on, and we reiterate the complaint of one in Scripture, "It came to pass, while thy servant was busy hither and thither, the man was gone."

"Astor and I," said a New York boot-black, "are worth millions."

"I feel very much out of place," is what the Yonkers man said when he lost a good position.

What is the difference between a man who rows in good form in a boat and one who does the wind-mill strike?—One is a nice oar, the other an eye sore.

A western paper alludes to an opera star as a diamond-throated songstress. It probably alludes to the precious tones in her throat.—*Philadelphia Chronicle*

A wag, observing on the door of a house the names of two physicians, remarked that it put him in mind of a double-barreled gun; if one missed the other would be sure to kill.

"Yes, I'm glad it's over," said Mr. Byrnesmonkey. "I'm sick of lugging round those bricks tied up in a paper to make folks think I've been buying presents. It's one of the most frightful bores of civilization."

The Editor desired to comment on the allegation that "Mr. Sayward was vigorously hissed by the women suffragists as he entered the green-room, Friday;" and when the proof came in with the intimation that "Mr. Sayward was vigorously kissed by the women suffragists," that editor wished he was big and strong enough to adequately express his opinion of that compositor.

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.

Wolfville, Oct 10th, 1883.