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Our ladies in the congregation, but I have not heard whether their price of fifty cents includes refreshments or if these are to be extra. All at events there is not likely to be anything else doing, and it is to be hoped Mr. Norman-Lee's idea will prove a lucrative one.

The calico ball, announced for the twenty-fifth has had its borders very wisely enlarged by the committee, so that people owning fancy dresses which are not calico may not be obliged to stay away.

The marriage of Mr. Hughes, band master of the Leicestershire regiment, is to take place at St. Mark's church in the last week of January.

The "small and early" dance which took place at Government House, on Wednesday evening, was to the elite of the event of the week. It was not really very large and was particularly cheery. It is odd by the way how during this month there will be some sort of festival every Wednesday, a dance, a rink party, and a fancy ball in succession.

The skating carnival is fixed for the last week in January, and it is to be hoped that people will go in for it with some zest and make it less of a dismal failure than last year's fiasco. It would be better for every one to go in costumes of red and blue calico, than to teelily go and look on at the few people who have energy to get up costumes for skating.

Among the engagements which have lately been announced is that of Mr. Arthur Troop, of Dartmouth, and Miss Agnes Burns, second daughter of the Rev. Dr. Burns, for so long in charge of Fort Massey church. Miss Burns' wedding is not to take place for some months.

Miss Binyay of Yarmouth is spending the winter with Mr. Alexander Doull, and is an acquisition to the rink, where her pretty skating is much admired. Very few Halifax girls, by the way, seem to go in for skating just now. The young married women are very much in the ascendant at the private afternoon parties.

YARMOUTH. JAN. 11.—The many friends of Mr. Harold Robertson will regret his departure for Guatemala on Wednesday last. He held a responsible position in the Bank of U. S., for several years, and has now accepted a position with M. J. T. Anderson, formerly of Yarmouth.

NEW GLASGOW. [Progress is for sale in New Glasgow by W. H. Torry, A. O. Pritchard and H. H. Henderson.] Jan. 10.—Mr. F. R. F. Brown, mechanical superintendent of the Intercolonial railway was in town on Thursday last week.

PARRSBORO. [Progress is for sale at Parrsboro Bookstore.] Jan. 11.—The sudden death of Mr. Fred Loasby was a shock to the community. Mr. Loasby had a host of friends and every sympathy is felt for his sorrowing family.

DIGBY, N. S. [Progress is for sale in Yarmouth at the stores of E. J. Vickery, Harris & Guest and Dr. Lovitt's Drug Store.] Jan. 10.—Monday evening the young people of Trinity church gave an entertainment in Academy hall. "Above the Clouds," a very pretty drama was well put on.

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