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The good sleighing has triumphed over the very cold weather, and there were drives and dinners every night last week, most of these to Bedford. There is some talk of reviving the old afternoon drives, with no hosts, but everyone meeting at some central place and driving to a convenient stopping place for tea. They were very cheerful and sensible affairs and a boon beyond words to young men and maidens, who are usually not allowed (the latter, be it understood), to join the evening drives. The upsets of the week were many, but fortunate-

ly there has been no harm done, Colonel and Mrs. Anstruther-Duncan were among the victims, with others too numerous to mention.

A very pleasant snow-shoeing party took place on Toursday alternoop, with a long tramp in the park and tea at a well known and hospitable house in the south end.

Some of the people new to snow-shoeing came to grief very thoroughly, and one man was displeased with his shoes early in the afternoon and went on with the party without them. Luckily, the snow was hard.

Mrs. Montgomery-Moore leaves at an early date

to be small, and not by any means a general entertainment, so that most people will arrange small slipper parties for themselves. Cone of the general's 1 ste A. D. C's, Major Apeley ch flon trimmings. Smith, will shortly visit Halifax with his wifenee Miss Kinnear, of Halifax. It is stated that they

will be guests of the general. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Elllott are to pay Halifax a visit They are well known in society circles here. Mrs. Elliott was Miss Ethel Watson, a rela tive of the 1ste Admiral Watson.

There was a large number of society people at the north end Exhibition rink last evening to see the hockey game, inclu ling Deputy Surgeoon General Oliver, Miss Daisy Oliver, Captain and Mrs. Colbourne, Geofrey and Mrs. Morrow, and a party of thirty from the Leinster regiment, including officers and their wives

A musicale was given at the Industrial school, Wednesday evening by the Misses Wood, Captain J. Taylor Wood and others, which was very much enjoyed.

During last week there was a tea at the residenco of Mrs. Dr. Tobin. A dinner was also given at the residence of Senator Power, at which were General Montgomery-Moore, Archbishop O'Brien and

Rev. Father Daly. Archbishop O'Brien was entertained at dinner at Mount St. Vincent on Tuesday.

Another enjoyable dinner was given Thursday evening at Thorndale. The guests included Colonel and Mrs. Anstruther-Duncan, Miss Daly and Captain and Miss Colbourne.

There was a card party Monday evening at the residence of Colonel Clerk which proved to be one of the pleasantest events of the week. There were no ladies present.

A pleasant dinner was given at the residence of Senator McKeen during the week, and cards are out for a similar function this evenin z.

Mrs. Harris, Spring Garden road has issued invitations for a tea for this (Thursday) evening, a legislative dinner is to be given at Government House this evening.

TRURO.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fu on, & Messrs. D. H. Smith & Co.]

Feb. 1 .- Miss Bessie Smith who has been visiting friends here, returned home to Dartmouth last Sat-

urday. The Qaa trille club had another very pleasant evening last Thursday: Mrs. H. A. Lovett and Mrs. Fred Prince were the chaperones. Among those present were Mrs. A, D. Wetmore in a very becoming gowa of yellow silk with flounces of very handsome white lace. Another very becoming and effective toilette was worn by Mrs. Fred Fuller composed of black velvet with short bouffant sleeves of maize colored silk. Mrs. Will Blenkinsop wore a charming gown of lovely pink moire silk, with soft baby waist and chiffon trimmings. Mrs. D. B. Cummings was in a lovely gown of yellow silk with much jet trimmings. Mrs. Cummings' young visitor, Miss Chipman from Boston, wore a pretty gown of pink silk. Miss Eva Murray wore a lovely and most becoming toilet of white silk, arranged about the bodics with pearl psssementerie and chiffon.

Our newest bride Mrs. John Connor is receiving her friends this week assisted by Mrs. C. E. Cutten. The bride is wearing a very pretty and becoming thilette of maize colored silk crepon, with FEG.

### PARRSBORO.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Paresboro Book Store.]

FEB. 1.-The first caraival of the season or for two seasons came off very successfully in the new Aberdeen rink last Wednesday evening. Parrsboro band being at present in a rather disorganized state the Springhill ban 1 had to be engaged. A special train conveyed the band and nearly one hundred and filty people besides from Springhill returning after the carnizal. There were many b: autiful costumes. Miss Hattie Pettis represent. ing "England's Queen" was awarded the ladies prize and Master Tom Day "A young Prince" the gentlemen's prize. The promenade was crowded and as many skaters as could get about comfortably were on the ice.

Tennyson was discussed by the Literary club at Mrs. Rand's on Monday evening.

The whist club spent a pleasant evening at Mrs. Upham's on Tuesday.

Rev. R. Johnstone returned on Friday from the deanery meeting at Westville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Copp have been visiting friends at Amherst and Aulac.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Reid are receiving congratu. lations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Cecil Parsons attended the ball at Springhill. Mr. J. M. Townshend. Q. C. spent Sunday before last with Dr. and Mrs. Townshend.

Mrs. Woodworth gave a progressive euchre party on Thu:sday evening. The prizes a dainty cup and saucer and a beaut ful ash tray fell to Miss Upham and Dr. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Timmerman returned yesday from their bridal trip.

Mr. J. A. Johnson of Halifax was in town last week also Mr. Fred A. Upham of Truro.

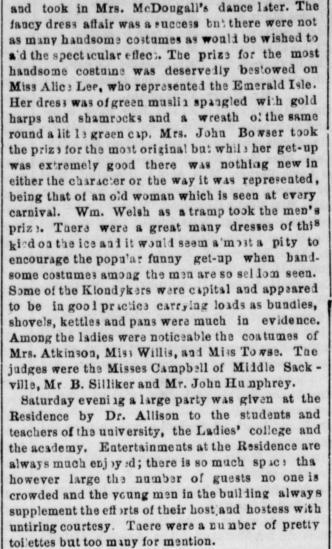
The whist club meets this evening at Mrs. D. Gillespie's.

Two entertainments of a public character are in preparation a cantata by the baptists, and a play "Among the Breakere" by some of the members of St. Bridget's church. The latter will not be given before Easter week.

#### SACKVILLE.

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FEB. 2 -Curling matches occupy a good deal of attention at present. Wednesday last witnessed a fierce conflict between Amherst and Sackville.



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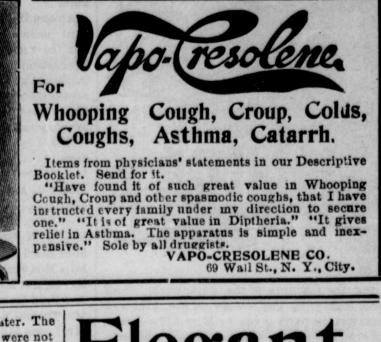
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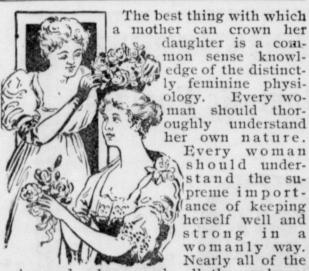
The rehearsals for the tableaux are going on with energy, and the costumes are to be things of beauty. Everyone providing his or her own, great pains are being taken. It is a new departure to enlist children in so late an entertainment, and it is to be hoped for their sakes, that the pictures in which they appear may be shown early in the programme. It is rather a strain by the way to have to construct two fancy costumes, one for the carnival and one for the tableaux, but several people are accomplishing

Colonel Glancey and the officers of the Leinster regiment gave a skating party and at home Saturday afternoon at Wellington barracks, which was to have taken place list Saturday but was postponed.

The artificial rink near the tennis courts behind the barracks was in excellent order for skating after which there was tea served indoors and dancing in the messroom.

It was quite a new departure in entertaining at least on a large scale though last year there were some very small skating teas given at the R.A. Park rink.

Every one, likely and unlikely, good skaters and otherwise, seems to be getting ready for the carnival on Feb., seventh. There will be some eld costumes worn, but very few, and some of the new ones are most elaborate. I hear that one of the prettiest of all is being mape of crinkled paper, of course over a solid foundation; the bodice and skirt will be nearly covered with roses, and a charming hat, also of paper will be worn. Two ladies are going in domino', exactly alike; their indeatity will be confused (which is prob.b'y what they desire) as they are precisely the same height and both very good skaters. The cotillion already goes with smoothness and the figures are very elaborate and graceful. Captuin Kent has been ndefatigable in directing the practises, in spite of this sprained ank'e, which has obliged him to ap pear at the rink on crutches. There are whispers



pains and aches, nearly all the weakness and sickness and suffering of women is due to disorders or disease of the organs distinctly feminine.

A woman who suffers in this way is unfitted for wifehood and motherhood. Maternity is a menace of death. Thousands of women suffer in this way because their innate modesty will not permit them to submit to the disgusting examinations and local treatment insisted upon by the average physician. These ordeals are unnecessary. Dr. R. V. Pierce, an eminent and skillful specialist, for thirty years chief consulting sician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgi cal Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., has discovered a wonderful remedy with which women may treat and speedily cure themselves in the privacy of their own homes. This medicine is known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs concerned. It makes them well and strong. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and rests the tortured nerves. Taken during the critical period, it banishes the usual discomforts and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. Thousands of women who were once weak, sickly, nervous fretful invalids, are now happy, healthy wives, because of this medicine. It is sold by all good medicine dealers and no honest dealer will advise a substitute. "When I commenced using Dr. Pierce's medicines some three years ago," writes Mrs. Ella J. Fox, care of W. C. Fox, of Eldorado, Saline Co., Ills. "I was the picture of death. I had no heart to take anything. Weight was 125. My husband had been to see five different doctors about my trouble (female weakness). I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's medicines, also wrote to him for advice. I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and one vial of his 'Pleasant Pellets,' and am now a well woman.'

Among others p:esent were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Patterson, Mrs. Robt. Dickie, Canard; Mrs. H. W. Crowe, Mrs. J. J. Taylor, Mrs. H. B. McLaughlin, Miss Jean Thompson. Miss Maie Smith, Miss Bessie Smith, Misses Bigelow, Miss Snook, Miss Hens ley, Misses Thomas, Miss MacLean, Miss Mc.

Donald, Miss Frances Somerville, Miss Shand, Mrs. B. H. Blanchard, Miss Barnstead, Mr. and Mrs. McMulin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gourley, Mrs. A. McCullough, Miss Hockin, Miss Nelson, Miss Crowe, Miss Yorston, Messrs C. A. Armstrong, G. H. Williams, W. Crowe, L. Crowe, G. Crowe, W. Laurence, F. Snook, E. Vernon, P. Webster, Stan-

field, J. Ross, R. Hanson, W. Blenkinsop, A. V. Smith, V. Jamieson, Dickenson, F. Cotton, W. Yorston, N. P. McKay. Senator McKay leaves the latter part of the week

for Ottawa. About the same time, Mrs. McKay and Miss Mc-

Kay leave for a visit of some weeks' duration, with friends in Boston.

Mrs. H. C. Blair gave a very pleasant evening last Friday to a number of the Misses Ina and Georgie's friends; a short snow shoe tramp to Mc Clare's mi'ls, and round home by the "Island" was thoroughly enjoyed, despite the extreme cold on the return of the party to the house, a very appetiz ing lunch was partaken of, and then dancing was enjoyed for a couple of hours. Among the young people who onjo; ed Mrs. Blair's hospitality were : Miss Eva Murray, Misses Snook, Misses M. Mc-Kenzie, G. Donkin, Lulu Archibald Rae Smith, Jennie Flemming, Leta Craig, Gertie McIntosh, Tudie Cammings, Mabel Murray, Annie McCurdy Messre. D. McCurdy, G. Snook, J. Hay, H. Mur-

ray. A. Crowe' H. Donkin, W. Butchardt, F. Dickie, K. McKenzie. MMrs. David Blur's "at home," last Wednesday afternoon was one of the largest and most successful functions of the kind given here for some time. Mrs. Blair's rooms are so roomy, and admirably disposed, for entertaining a crowd that no discomfort was experienced by the very large number present. The hostess was assisted in dispensing her hospitalities by her mother, Mrs. Armand, Mrs. Henry Blair, Mrs. A.

C. Patterson, and Miss Eva Murray. MES Rankine, Woodstock, is the guest of Mrs. Moorman, "Arlington Place".

Mrs. N. S. Casson, who has been visiting her relatives at the "Leament" returned home to Moncton today.

Mrs. H. P. Wetmore has returned from a visit with home friends in Woodstock and St. John, N.

Miss Sterns, Yarmouth, is visiting her friend Miss Robbins.

There were a great number of snow-shoe tramps, during the past week; the park and its charming environments affording ample and interesting ground for all.

The Misses McNaughton entertained a small party after a tramplast Wednesday night. Among the festive scene, -somewhere about two in the those present were, Dr. and Mrs. Black, Miss morning. Shand, Miss McKay, Miss Thompson, Messrs. W. The same evening Mrs. Wells on Weldon stre P. McKay, G. H. Williams, J. D. Ross. Mrs. D. B. Cummings gave a large dance on Monday evening in henor of her guest Miss Chipman, and for a number of Miss Gertrade's friends. Those present were : Misses E. Robbins, K. Butchardt, Rae Smith, E. Murray, L. Moorman, Mabel Murray, K. Gladwin, Jean Crowe, J. Blanchard, G. Donkin, B. Turner, Jessie Snook, M. McKenzie, L. Craig, A. Gladwin, J. Flemming, G. McIntosh, Spencer, Nel'le Stanfield, Lulu Archibald, Maud Shafiner, Misses Ira and Georgie Blair, Misses Mamie and Minnie Snook, Misses Fowler, Misses Bavidge. Messrs. A. V. Smith, W. Crowe, L. Crowe, W. Butchardt, A. Crowe, F. L. Cotton, G. McCallum, H. Murray, D. A. McCurdy, C. Harris, H. Donkin, Sutherland. J. Hay, W. Rennie, Lewis Harding, G. Harding, T. Fletcher, B. D. Smith, J. McRoberts, D. Cummings, W. Lawrence, C. Dickie, is the neatest package on the F. Dickie, Bert Smith, F. Turner, C. Thomas. Mrs. Cummings' hospitalities are too well known to require much complimentary remark, and Monday evening's entertainment was but a successful repeat

of many charming predecessors.

Sackville beat by one. A large number watched (Dr.) Stewart. the match through to the freez ng end with unflagging interest. A few of the ladies were invited to the supper which always winds up these contests, week. and a pleasant half hour was spent, but as time, trains and elec ric lights wait for no man, this part of the programme had to be cut cut rather short left for Octawa. after a speech or two and a cup of coffee to "our

next merry meeting." A similar excitement prevailed Saturday when the Halifax curlers played before an equally large audience. The result of this match being a tie, the Sackville club is feeling at peace with all the world and at the same time hungering for another fight with the waring stones.

Taking advantage of the deep snow last week Mrs. Borden gave a snow shoe party, the first of the season. The tramp over the hills and fields by the light of a young moon was most enjoyable, the

evening being just cold enough to be pleasant. On account of the curler's match the whist players did not get in their regular meet last week, this agreeable event being postponed for a few days when they will be entertained by Mrs. Charles Pickard.

Friday evening a delightful dance was given by Mrs. Fulton McDougall. The rooms which open into each other were brightly lighted and potted plants and prettily arranged bouquets added much to the festive appearance. The guests present were : Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs, R. P. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Murray, Dr. and Mrs. Calkin Mr. and Mrs. C. Pickard, Mrs. Rainnie, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs Lane, Mrs. McCully, Miss Black Miss Ethel Ogden, Miss Black, Miss Estabrooks, Miss Emmerson, Miss Willis, Miss S. Copp, Miss Wood, Miss Keith. Miss Cogswell, Messrs F. Black, W. Black, Snowball, Tait, H. Wood, Fraser, Mowbray, Henderson, L. Harrison, Teed, A. Copp, Chandler, A. Smith.

The men were in full evening dress and the ladies looked charming.

Mrs. Fawcett wore pink silk. Mrs Ryan, green figured silk with white lace. Mrs. Murray. black satin, yellow silk bodice. Mrs. Calkin, very pretty evening dress o golden brown silk with white lace on the bodice. Mrs. Foster, black silk, decorations of yellow silk.

Mrs. Allison, black, with pink silk bodice. Mrs. Lane, dress of crushed strawberry color

with white silk sast. Mrs. McCully. a very quaint and striking costume of jetted black net with red silk bodice.

Mrs. Pickard, black satin with heliotrophe decorations.

Miss Wood, an extremely dainty gown of pearl gray silk with grey chiffon and natural pink flowers.

Miss Black, pale pink silk with old rose velvet trimmings.

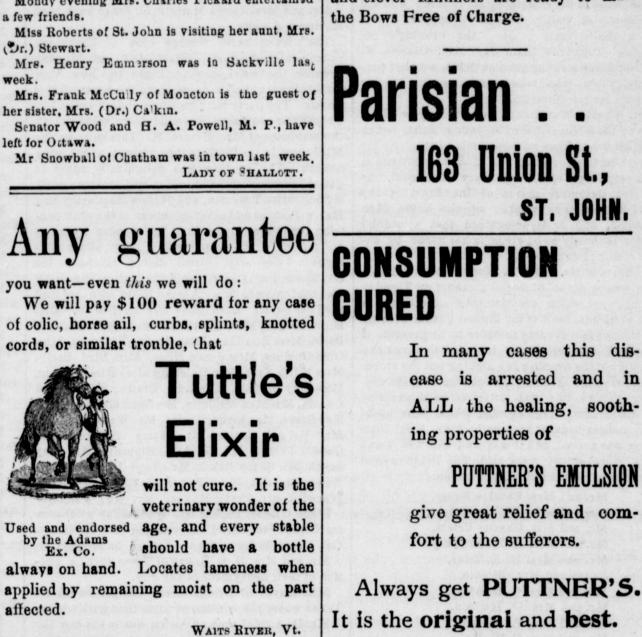
Miss Black, a very becoming costume of pale b'ue crepon with shoes, gloves and fan of the same shade.

Miss Ogden, muslin of old rose and white with ribbon sash.

Mr. Estabrooks, white and yellow. Miss Copp, black velvet with yellow decorations. There were other pretty dresses but the crowd prevented me seeing all to advantage. Dancing was kept up with great spirit both before and after supper which was served early. It was also early before the gaests could tear themselves away from

should secure the agency here at once," says every gave a small tea party. A further festivity which was much enjoyed by many was the carnival. A number went to the rink BUY olemanis THE BEST Every package guaranteed. LANDING The 5 lb Carton of Table Salt

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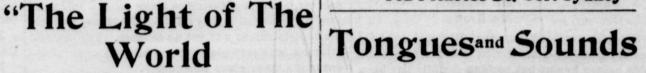




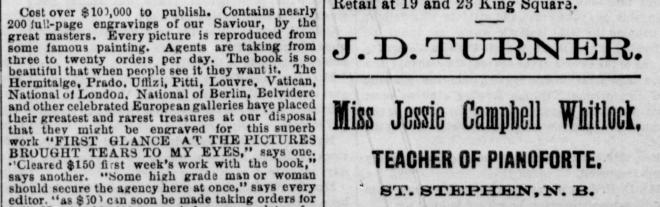
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