

CANADA'S GREAT HOLIDAY.

How the Day Was Spent by Thousands.

R. C. PICNIC AT DUNDAS.

Sons of England at Ainslie Park—Pleasant Doings at Cline's Park—Picnic of Toronto Oddfellows at the Mountain View—St. Andrew's Society at Buffalo, etc.

The anniversary of Canada's natal day was spent in a rational manner by the citizens of Hamilton. With the exception of those who remained to attend the trotting meeting, all the residents seemed to be out of town; while hundreds of country people drove into the city to find very little doing in the way of amusement.

HOUSE OF PROVIDENCE. The House of Providence picnic was held for the sixteenth time yesterday on the grounds of the institution in the Valley City. There was a large attendance of Hamiltonians, as well as people from the surrounding country. The grounds presented a beautiful appearance. Four refreshment booths were situated on the hill overlooking the grounds, and were presided over by some of Hamilton's and Dundas' fairest daughters.

At St. Patrick's table were Misses Lizzy Henry (Prefect), Annie Stewart (Secretary), Lizzie Lavelle (Treasurer), Mary Brice, Minnie Staunton, Anastasia Murphy, Josephine Quinn, Lizzie Quinn, Minnie Moore, Annie Hennessy, Essey McDonald, Mary Knight, Julia Cox, Anastasia Hackett and Mary McCarthy.

St. Lawrence table—Misses Annie Phillips (Prefect), Maggie Yorrell (Treasurer), Maggie Warner, Mary Warner, Ellie Warner, May Mulvane, Fanny York, Annie McCarthy, Annie Mahoney, Essey McDonald, Mary Knight, Julia Cox, Anastasia Hackett and Mary McCarthy.

The house was thrown open from 3 to 4 for inspection, and many availed themselves of this opportunity and found the home as neat as a new pin. The Reception Committee was composed of Misses E. Layden, L. McInerney, M. Dugan, S. LeMarche, M. McLoughlin, C. Coughlin, T. Reil, M. Reil, M. Gargahan, C. Carson, E. Christie, M. Sheehan, C. Lynch and A. Lehey.

St. Andrew's Society at Buffalo. The most important event in connection with the games was the contest between West Flamboro' and Dundas, which was won by the latter, who pulled their opponents twice over the line. The successful team was captained by Mr. W. F. Campbell, and Mr. James Arnold was in charge of the West Flamboro's.

Standing jump—First, N. Fleming; second, M. Simonds; third, N. Fleming; fourth, N. Fleming. Running hop, step and jump—First, E. McInerney; second, E. Simonds; third, N. Fleming; fourth, N. Fleming.

At 6 o'clock a short and varied musical programme was given on the platform erected in front of the House. Suffice it to say that it was under the direction of Rev. Father Madigan. The programme consisted of several choruses sung by the orphans, including sailor choruses entitled "The Pinacote," "Canada" and "Life on the Ocean Wave."

At half-past 6 o'clock the drawing for the many valuable prizes on which "chances" were sold during the day took place on the platform in front of the House. It was conducted by Messrs. Joseph O'Brien and W. F. Campbell, who gave thorough satisfaction. Little Miss Getta Fahey, of Dundas, drew the tickets from the bag. The following is the result:

China tea set—No. 228, held by Mr. J. F. Morrissey, leader of St. Patrick's Church choir. Doll—No. 450, Miss Mary Blake, of Hamilton. Handsome pipe, from St. Mary's table—No. 136, Mr. J. O'Brien, Hamilton. Barrel of flour, donated by Mr. C. Craven—No. 72, Mrs. Rouen, Hamilton, \$10 gold piece, donated by House—No. 443, Miss Lizzie Cain, of Dundas. Cake—No. 208, Mr. Jas. Enwright, of Dundas. Fancy Rocker—No. 225, Mrs. Easton, Dundas. Cake—Home—No. 23, Miss Maggie Reil, Dundas. Table—No. 97, Mr. Jos. LeMauin, of Waterdown. Wanner lamp and fittings—No. 127, Mr. James Graham, Dundas. Bride doll—No. 37, Mr. John Steel, Dundas. Lamp—No. 85, Miss Celia O'Connor, Ripley—No. 57, Mr. George Wright, \$5 gold piece, St. Lawrence, of Ham-

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Blasphard Township was out in the night when the lamp she was using exploded, instantly the woman was ablaze, and was so severely burned that she died this morning.

Another Love Tragedy. Blasphard township is all worked up over the tragic death of David Crawford, a respectable young farmer and son of William Crawford, of the 8th concession of that township, a well-to-do farmer. Crawford's body was found on the 21st tracks on the west of Granton on Friday afternoon. It is supposed that death took place Thursday night. The remains bore no marks except that the head was severed from the body. The deceased had evidently suicided by placing his neck on the rails as one of the night trains came along.

The Albany Express says: "Prof. William Goetze's band of 33 pieces heard here yesterday with Cook & Whiteley's English circus, was without exception the finest we have ever listened to. Their rendering of the classical overtures of William Tell and Semiramide" denoted the high standard of music which is only to say that this matchless organization is composed of 5 clarinets, 2 flutes, 2 piccolos, 1 obolette, 2 saxophones, 2 French horns, 2 bassoons, 2 trombones, 2 saxes, 2 baritones, 2 tubas, 1 double bass, snare and bass drum and bell player, and every man an artist."

JOHNNY'S GUESS. Johnny had been studying his spelling lesson and learning definitions, particularly of words with prefixes from the Greek. He had defined monologue as a soliloquy, or "one man talking to himself."

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of George Coumbe, late of the city of Hamilton in the county of Wentworth, bricklayer, deceased. Notice is hereby given, pursuant to R. S. O. 1887, Cap. 110, Sec. 36, and amendments thereto, by H. B. Whipple, George H. Mine and John J. O'Brien, the executors, that all parties having claims against the estate of the said George Coumbe, late of the city of Hamilton in the county of Wentworth, bricklayer, deceased, who died on or about the first day of June, 1894, are on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1894, to send by post prepaid to the undersigned at Hamilton, Ontario, their claims and addresses, and full particulars of their claims, a sworn statement of their accounts and the value of the security (if any) held by them. And notice is further given that after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors then shall have notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or claims notice shall not have been received by them as aforesaid at the time said distribution is made. SCOTT, LEES & HOBSON, Solicitors for Executors of said Estate. Dated the 13th day of June, A. D. 1894.

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