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ALLEGED REMARKABLE ADVENTURES OF A CHILD.

A Good Story From the Tar-Heel State—Flying in the Air Like a Kite—The Baby Comes Down Alive.

MOREHEAD CITY, N. C., July 3.—The three-year-old daughter of Mrs. Robert Elliott was brought here a month ago to recover from an attack of fever. Yesterday morning a strolling Italian made his appearance with a large cluster of those red bladder-like toy balloons. Major Hawkins of Alabama, to amuse the child Birdie, tied the cord around her waist, and then, as is often done to amuse children, gave her a toss of five or six feet in the air, and held out his hands for her return. "Great God! she is gone," cried the major, as he saw her rapidly going up, up, up, until she had passed the house tops. Floating in the clouds with outstretched hand, the little angel could be heard distinctly calling "Mamma! Mamma! Mamma!" until her voice became drowned by the whistling of winds.

"All to your boats!" shouted old Capt. Dixon, "and never a son of man turn back until that child is brought to its mammy!"

Minutes appeared as hours and the babe was flying like a kite, and would be out over the Atlantic in less than no time. Away went twenty or more well-manned boats amid the shouts of men and screams of women and children. These boats were joined by a like number from Beaufort, all of which kept as near under the little angel in the cloud as possible. Mr. Charles J. Voorheer, of the Southern express company, with a party of gentlemen, were out taking a sail. Mr. Voorheer is one of the most expert riflemen in the country, and had on board his Smith & Wesson rifle.

"Bang!" went the rifle—but no change in position. Again, again, and again—at the fifth shot one balloon disappeared amid the shouts of the boatmen. At the eighth shot it became evident that the balloons could not longer carry the weight of the little floating angel, as she was gradually descending, not in a straight line, but in a southeast direction, towards Harker's island—but whether dead or alive none could tell. Down, down, down she comes, as gently as if handled by human hands, and to fall in a cradle of sand.

To land, to land, and all put to shore as fast as the oars would propel the boats. Then begin the race for the baby, and she had come down on a sand bank only a few hundred yards distant. With fear and trembling all ran up, Ben Piver in front. "Gentlemen," says he "she's alive and kicking." There sat little Birdie, playing with a lot of shells, and as she was picked up she clung to a handful, saying, "Dese sels for mamma."

At the wharf, after everything seemed safe, then little Birdie came the nearest of losing her life. Col. Whitford, a man of generous impulses, seized the little angel in his arms, and at a lightning speed started for its mother, who was then lying in an unconscious state, under the skilful care of Drs. Haywood, Arendall and Kelly of Louisiana. But before the kind-hearted colonel had gone far, amid the dense crowd and confusion, he ran off the wharf into water eight feet deep. Several jumped overboard and aided him in landing his prize. The child was none the worse for the ducking.

THOSE PAUPER EMIGRANTS.

Pertinent Questions in the Imperial Parliament.

LONDON, July 4.—Wm. O'Brien, member for Mallow, will, in the house of commons to-morrow, ask Mr. Trevelyan whether, in view of the recent action of the emigration commission in New York, the deportation of paupers from Ireland to the United States will be stopped. He will also ask from what particular fund the money will be taken to defray the expenses of bringing back emigrants and returning them to the respective workhouses from which they have been sent.

THE DAPHNE CATASTROPHE.

A Hundred and Fifty Lives now Reported Lost.

GLASGOW, July 4.—It is now estimated that a hundred and fifty persons were drowned by the sinking of the steamer Daphne. A diver reports that the bodies in the hold of the Daphne are so closely packed that he was unable to move them. Preparations are being made to raise the vessel. Fifty-two bodies have been recovered up to the present time.

CONDENSED CABLEGRAMS.

The Parnell fund has reached £17,065.

Parnell and Healy attended a banquet at the industrial exhibition at Cork last night.

Denmark has imposed a quarantine upon vessels arriving at Danish ports from Egypt.

It is reported the French commander has re-opened Tamatave to commerce, excluding war material.

The weather is very hot in Germany. There have been many sunstrokes. It is feared the harvest has been injured.

In an election for members of the Bohemian diet the Czechs were victorious, 167 being returned as against 75 Germans.

Eight thousand iron workers in South Staffordshire and East Worcestershire have struck work on account of a reduction of wages.

Sir William Gull in a communication to Lord Granville states that in his opinion the cholera in Egypt will subside without spreading to Europe.

Two Belgian aeronauts, who ascended from Courtrai, Belgium, on Tuesday were blown across the English channel and landed safely at Bromley in Kent.

Michael Davitt addressed a mass meeting at Innishowe yesterday in celebration of the anniversary of the declaration of American independence.

The French cabinet has decided to prosecute the anarchist speakers who threatened the judge and jury of the court in which Louise Michel was convicted.

The papal nuncio at Madrid has ordered that all bishops, priests, and members of this class of the clergy shall refrain from any interference in Spanish politics. This is owing to the spread of Carlist opinions, which it is strongly desired to prevent.

The London Times yesterday morning reviewed all the documents which Lord Randolph Churchill sent to Mr. Gladstone in support of his assertion that the khedive incited the massacres in Alexandria. The Times concludes that there is not sufficient reason for raising a question as to the khedive's conduct.

AT HER CHILDREN'S BEDSIDE.

A Woman Struck Dead by Lightning While Talking to Her Little Ones.

WATERTOWN, July 4.—A heavy thunder and lightning storm passed over here last night, although not so heavy in the village, which is very free from storms, four miles from here it was fearful. The lightning killed a woman named Mrs. James Gallagher sitting at the bedside of her children. Her husband had just left the room and was partly stunned by the shock. The children were uninjured. The lightning struck Mrs. Gallagher on the back of the neck, leaving only a small mark. Death was instantaneous.

SUCCESSFUL BURGLARIES.

Several Safes Blown Open and Rifled at Collingwood.

COLLINGWOOD, July 4.—Last night a daring burglary was committed here. The safe of Messrs. Best & Nettleton, liquor dealers, and two safes of B. Callary's, Glasgow house, were opened by drilling small holes close to the combination, then using powder to break the combination. Messrs. Best & Nettleton suffer to the extent of $100, together with the loss of a valuable paper, and Mr. Callary's loss was $200 in cash.

STOPPED AT THE WHARF.

The G. G. F. G. Band not Allowed to Play in Ogdensburg.

OTTAWA, July 4.—Considerable excitement was manifested in town to-day over the fact that the government stopped the G. G. F. G. band at Prescott on their way to Ogdensburg. The band got a telegram from the colonel of the regiment, Col. Ross, while on the wharf at Prescott to stop, which message they obeyed.

THE AMENDE HONORABLE.

Retraction of those Charges Relative to Canadian Excursionists in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 4.—Investigation concerning the accuracy of the item dated July 2 referring to the conduct of Canadian excursionists shows that the statements made therein were largely exaggerated, especially as refers to Hamilton and Toronto parties, the fact being that not more than the usual holiday celebrations occurred and the excursionists were as orderly and well conducted as any others who have visited the city in many years.

[We think it is due to ourselves to state that both the above and the former despatch were supplied by the G. N. W. Telegraph company through their agent at Buffalo.—ED.]

HE WAS NOT A FAKIR.

Unwarrantably Heavy Damages Against a Chicago Paper.

CHICAGO, July 4.—The jury in the case of E. J. Lehmann against the Chicago Herald publishing company this evening returned a verdict for the full amount of damages claimed, $25,000. The Herald had characterized Lehmann as a fakir and dealer in snide jewelry. In the face of the evidence the verdict is an astounding one. A motion was at once made for a new trial and will be argued when the court re-assembles in October next.

CANADIAN TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

At the London, Ont., police court yesterday one Munro, a blacksmith, was fined $20 and costs for annoying the congregation of St. Andrew's church.

The customs department has imposed a fine of $1,500 on Samuel Dowker & Co., Montreal, for imported felt entered during the past fifteen months at an undervaluation of fifty per cent.

It is stated at Montreal that the Royal commission that investigated the school boards there has recommended the dismissal of the catholic commissioners for extravagant expenditure.

Mr. Matthew H. Richey, ex-M.P. for Halifax, N.S, was sworn in yesterday as Lieut.-Governor of Nova Scotia in the assembly room of the provincial building in presence of the retiring governor Archibald, who presided, several members of the government and other gentlemen.

Trouble has arisen with the Italian navvies employed at a railway near Omenee. They struck on Monday for $1.50 a day and refused to go to work and attempted to prevent others working. A row resulted and several Italians were shot and one, with a bullet in his arm, arrested.

John Davey, 31, hailing directly from Detroit, but a native of Manchester, Eng., and a butcher by trade, committed suicide in the cells at London, Ont., at midnight on Tuesday. He was suffering from delirium tremens and, it is alleged, was thoroughly searched on being put into the cells and yet he managed to conceal a revolver wherewith to blow out his brains.

Drowned in a Fit.

BELLEVILLE, July 4.—Yesterday afternoon William Elmsley while on the steam yacht Rosamond was seized with a fit when the boat was approaching Stow Mills from Picton and fell into the bay. The yacht was stopped as soon as possible but Elmsley had disappeared before assistance could be rendered.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

Judge Haugh was returning from court at Jefferson, Texas, when he was assassinated, it is believed by a negro whose daughter he had wronged.

A train on the C., H., and D. railroad running fast to make up time struck a hucksters' wagon with six persons in it at Cincinnati and killed every one.

The brass foundry and old rolling mill at Bethlehem, Pa., shut down yesterday. Union men were employed. Work will be started up with non-union men on Monday and trouble is anticipated.

A Canadian Actress.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Mr. John Stetson, manager of the Fifth avenue theatre, has made for the coming season an engagement with Mrs. T. Charles Watson of Ottawa, already well known in the United States as a lady of refinement and promise as an actress. This recognition of her abilities at a leading metropolitan theatre will give satisfaction to many in Canada who have watched her creditable career.

A Hard Thing to Strike on.

SCRANTON, Pa., July 4.—During the celebration at Montrose Prof. H. H. Ludlum, balloonist, attempted to make an ascension. At a height of forty feet his trapeze caught in a tree, hurling him violently to the ground. He struck upon a rock and now lies in a critical condition.

LATEST SPORTING NEWS.

Hanlan, Hosmer-Hamm.

LOWELL, Mass., July 4.—The regatta was witnessed by 15,000 people. The principal race and great attraction was the professional single scull, free for all, distance three miles. Five started—Hanlan, Hosmer, Hamm, Conley and Gaisel. First money had been universally awarded Hanlan, but there was a prospect of a close contest for second place by Hamm and Hosmer. Spellman of Halifax has been coaching Hamm and Conley, and a rumor was prevalent they would combine to beat Hosmer if possible to get square for Chicago. Hamm had the best position at the start near the Dracu shore, then came Conley, Gaisel, Hanlan, Hosmer. Hanlan broke the water first at the word "go," and got the lead, which he held to the finish. The other men started even except Hamm, who was farthest from the starter and did not hear the word. Hosmer kept well on to Hanlan on the first quarter, Hamm and Conley pulling hard for third place, leaving Gaisel behind, and he gave up before going half a mile. The other four men kept on to the upper stake in the same relative positions, Hanlan pulling easily and Hosmer being pushed hard by Conley and Hamm in the order named. Hanlan turned his buoy first and Hosmer second. Conley approached his buoy very leisurely, and Hamm was around before him. The race to the finish was a mighty struggle with Hamm to pass Hosmer, but the latter seemed bound to hold it. The finish was splendid. Hanlan spurted ahead at a quick stroke and let more daylight between him and Hosmer. Hosmer crossed the line three boat lengths ahead of Hamm. Hanlan's time 21.21, Hosmer's 2..24, Hamm's 21.34. Hanlan said the race between the two was the best he ever saw, and thinks Hosmer fairly proved his superiority. He believes Hosmer is as good an oarsman as there is in America except himself. It is rumored Hamm's backers have offered to match him against Hosmer.

Racing at Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 4.—The weather was warm and the track hard and slow. First race, all ages, one mile, Wedding Day first, Taxgatherer second; 1.45¼. Second race, 2-year-olds, five furlongs, J. L. Cooper first, Gaystone second; 1.03½. Third race, 3-year-olds, a mile and a furlong, Blue Grass Belle won, Imogene second; 1.57¼. Fourth race, 3 year-old colts and fillies, a mile and a furlong, won by Leonatus, Emma Manly second; 1.58. Fifth race, all ages, selling allowances, a mile and a half, George R. won, Manitou second; 2.37½. Sixth race, all ages, two miles and a quarter, won by Harry Gilmore, Lydia second; 4.04¾. Seventh race, all ages, mile heats, won by Gleaner, Stanton second; 1.47¾. Eighth race, all ages, ¾ mile, Rena B. won, Standiford Keller second; 1.15¼. Ninth race, for 3-year-olds, a mile and a half, Jennie Blue won, with Referee second; 2.40¾.

Racing at Long Branch.

LONG BRANCH, July 4.—Opening races of the Monmouth Park association. Weather very warm and track slow. First race, one mile, Jack of Hearts won, with Brad second, 1.43. Second race, two-year-olds, five-eighths of a mile, won by Issaquina, with Blossom second, 1.06¼. Third race, a mile and an eighth, won by Pizarro, with Geo. Kenny second, 1.56½. Fourth race, a mile and a quarter, won by Monitor, with Bootjack second, 2.13¼. Fifth race, free handicap sweepstakes, a mile and a half, won by Parole, with Volusia second, 2.42. Sixth race, a mile and one-sixteenth, won by Dan K, with Boz Sedam second, 1.53. Seventh race, gentlemen riders, three-quarters of a mile, won by Nimrod, with Flower of Meath second, 1.18. Eighth race, a handicap steeplechase, full course, won by Pasta, with Lily Morson second, 5.38.

Racing at Brighton Beach.

BRIGHTON BEACH, July 4.—Weather clear, track in excellent condition. First race, three-quarters mile, won by Charley Gorham with Ben Thompson second; 1.17½. Second race, selling allowances, one mile, won by Arsenic with Mattie Rapture second; 1.43¾. Third race, all ages, one mile, Little Minch first, Capias second; 1.42. Fourth race, three-year-olds, one mile, Orange Blossom and Tennyson ran a dead heat and the owners divided the money; 1.45¾. Fifth race, two-year-olds, five furlongs, Westover won with Granite second; 1.04½. Sixth race, light welter weight steeplechase, short course, won by Buster, Buckram second; 2.44½. Belle of the North fell. Her rider was uninjured. The mare's leg was broken.

The Boston Regatta.

BOSTON, July 4.—The professional sculler's race on Charles river had three starters—Fred. A. Plaisted, who had the inside, Geo. W. Lee second, William Elliott third, John McKay outside. Plaisted took the lead from the start, McKay second and Lee third, but before the stake was reached Lee had passed them both and held foremost rank to the finish, which he reached in 20.50, with McKay second, nearly 10 lengths behind in 21.18. Plaisted and Elliott dropped out of the race at the turn.

Baseball Yesterday.

COLUMBUS, July 4.—Morning game: Metropolitans 9, Columbus 1. Afternoon: Metropolitans 3, Columbus 0.

NEW YORK, July 4.—New York 10, Boston 7. New York 1, Providence 0.

PHILADELPHIA, July 4.—Providence and Philadelphia played a game this morning of 11 to 9 in favor of the former, who left the field at the end of the seventh innings. The umpire decided the game in favor of Philadelphia by 9 to 0. Philadelphia 8, Boston 17.

Trotting at Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 4.—First race for 2.21 pacers—

Br. g. Richball	3 2 1 1 1
Ch. g. Westmont	1 1 2 2 2
Blk. m. Bessie M.	2 2 3 3 3
Ch. g. Gossip	4 4 dr.

Time—2.19½, 2.24, 2.17, 2.28½, 2.26½.

Second race for five year olds—

Blk. g. Jay-Eye-See	1 1 1
B. m. Bronze	2 2 2
Gr. g. Phil Thompson	3 3 3

Time—2.19, 2.19½, 2.23.

Racing in England.

NEWMARKET, July 4.—The July cup was won by Clairvant, with Eastern Empress second. The race for the Beaufort stakes was won by Cohort, with Piræus second and Keene's Bolero third.

The Intercollegiate Race.

LAKE GEORGE, July 4.—Weather was showery and water lumpy. Princeton, Pennsylvania, Cornell and Wesleyan were the only starters in the four-oared intercollegiate race. Cornell won by seven lengths in 11.57, Pennsylvania being second and Princeton third. Cornell attributes her victory to Courtney's coaching.

THE SEPARATE SCHOOLS.

ARCHBISHOP LYNCH SENDS IN AN IMPORTANT DOCUMENT.

A Proposal for Enlarging and Concentrating the Separate School System of the City—The De La Salle Institute.

At the meeting of the separate school board on Tuesday night Archbishop Lynch was present and read the following communication respecting the financial difficulties of the board and proposed enlargements to the separate school accommodation in the city:

To the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of Toronto:

GENTLEMEN—As elected representatives of the catholics of Toronto to look after the education of their children we address you:

But before doing so we would place on record on the part of the catholic people their protest and our condemnation of the unchatholic sentiments reported in the public papers to have been uttered at a certain banquet in Toronto by an individual thought by some to have been more catholic, the gist of which was deprecatory of the constitution and working of our catholic separate schools. We were glad that there were found on the spot catholic gentlemen to utter their emphatic protest against the language used. The teaching on the subject of education by the catholic church, especially of Pope Pious IX, of blessed memory, and of his illustrious successor, Leo XIII., and of all catholic theologians, is that catholic children, as far as it is possible, should be educated in catholic and unmixed schools. Koning, in his theology, recently published with the approbation of his eminence Cardinal McCloskey, archbishop of New York, and of the archbishops and bishops of the United States and Canada, also teaches that those catholic parents who send their children to common schools where they have schools of their own are unworthy of the grace of sacraments, and that all persons who advocate the contrary are also unworthy of the sacraments, so opposing in speech the teachings of the church. But, alas, there are some catholics unworthy indeed of the name, who, unfortunately for themselves and their children, prefer some apparent worldly advantage to the eternal welfare of their souls. This is not the example set by the noble Irish ancestors of many of us in the faith.

It is admitted by competent judges that the catholic children in our schools get as good an education and even more solid than is acquired in the public schools. We must not forget that the protestants of the province of Quebec did not think it safe for the faith of their children to have them educated among the catholic children of that province, and are the catholics of Ontario to be less mindful of the faith of their children. The catholics of the province of Quebec, yielding to the scruples of their protestant fellow-citizens, permitted them to have separate schools, with a separate board of education, a normal school, and, in fine, all the privileges which the common schools of Ontario enjoy. We also recollect with what difficulty the bishops, priests and catholic people of Ontario wrung from their parliament from time to time some of the rights and privileges freely accorded by the catholics to the protestants of the province of Quebec. We hope, however, that our protestant fellow-citizens will yet feel proud to be as liberal to their catholic fellow-subjects as the catholics are to the protestants of Quebec. Much advance has already been made, and we hope for further.

Having said so much, we now come to the particular subject of our letter. We are at present grievously in need of school accommodation for the catholic children of the centre part of the city in the cathedral parish. There are 90 boys taught in the La Salle institute, and if this were sold or closed there would be no accommodation for them in the Richmond street school, and they will be obliged to go elsewhere. We have therefore the loan of four large class rooms, with desks, for two years, for which we are liable to account. The Richmond and Jarvis street schools, as you are aware, have low ceilings, small rooms rather imperfectly ventilated and a miserable playground. Hence, new schools will of necessity be required immediately with nearly double the accommodations for children. At present there are about 500 pupils attending the catholic schools, including Bond street. The La Salle institute, which has ample accommodation for about 1000 pupils, with desks and other school requisites, belonging to the brothers, for the accommodation of several hundred boys for sale. The institute consists of four large buildings, one of which, the stone building, formerly the bank of Upper Canada, is quite adequate for the brothers' residence, the central house, lately built, 60x70, with three storys and eight large class rooms, and a magnificent hall with fine accommodation for at least 500 children. Then the brick house adjoining it on Duke street has three storys also, and can hold six very large classes, with accommodation for 300. There is also adjoining the stone building a brick wing three storys in height, and capable of accommodating about 150 children. There is also a large basement (60x70) under the principal building, where the children could assemble in the winter for lunch, etc. There is besides a very large play ground, perhaps the largest in the city, which can be divided so as to accommodate both boys and girls. The entrance for the boys may be on George street, and for the girls on Duke street. We have all heard that the brothers are financially embarrassed, on account of building and buying lots around the premises. They taxed their several houses in Quebec and Ontario to pay off a large amount of the indebtedness with a praiseworthy and just desire that no one should lose a cent by them. They can sell the La Salle property at a very good advantage, but taking into account that there was a large amount of catholic money collected in bazaars and by other means, and also a good deal of the sacred earnings of the brothers expended on the buildings, they wished that the catholic people should not lose this large amount.

Besides the lot on which the buildings now stand was given by the government to the catholic church, as they were giving other lots to the protestant churches, about fifty years ago. But it was exchanged afterwards for the lot on which the St. Paul's church schools and house of providence now stand. All these considerations moved us to solicit the brothers not to sell it until we could make arrangements to purchase it. They most generously offered to give it for $25,000, with some accumulated interest, the present amount of the indebtedness. Two of the most intelligent real estate agents of the city valued the lot and buildings at $27,000, and it would be a great oversight, nay, a grievous fault, to loose such a large amount of property to the church. If the St. Paul's schoolhouse cost nearly $18,000, and yet is not nearly large enough to contain the pupils of the parish (only 400 can be accommodated conveniently), the cost of building schools to accommodate all the children of St. Michael's parish, together with the high school, would cost $40,000 $50,000. The present site of La Salle institute is only a few paces from the Richmond street school and the locality is quiet.

If the trustees could, in a few years, build St. Paul's school, and double the schools of St. Mary's and St. Patrick's and also build a school in St. Basil's parish, together with repairing other schools, and all this with a trifling debt, and the funds always increasing as the catholics increase in the city, they certainly ought to be able to supply a school for the cathedral parish of the city. The Bond street school cannot last much longer, and the nuns of Loretto can have a wing at La Salle institute for that school. The purchasing of La Salle institute, besides being an immense saving of future expenses, will accommodate the present wants which are imperative, and if not done immediately there will be ninety children on the streets at the opening of the schools in September. We are aware that the difficulty at present is a want of funds, but we consider it to be our duty as chief pastor of the catholic church in this diocese to help in the purchase of the property for the catholic people of Toronto. We should be deservedly blamed by the present as well as by future generations if we did not make every effort to secure this property. We may be obliged to mortgage the episcopal corporation property to assist your present wants, but we shall do it willingly. An act of parliament can be procured next year to sell or exchange the school property on Richmond and Jarvis streets, which will go far to meet the expenses of the purchase of La Salle institute, which with a trifling outlay, can be made available for all wants. There is another consideration. If the La Salle property be sold to another purchaser, you, gentlemen, will be obliged to secure a large house to contain a goodly number of brothers. As a rent-free house is one of the conditions of having the services of the brothers at such low salaries, and if the common schools send away the catholic children then additional room will be required for them in our schools. We trust gentlemen, that our favorable proposition will meet with that business-like and catholic appreciation which I expected from you as representatives of the interests of the catholic people of Toronto.

I am, gentlemen,
Yours faithfully in Christ,
JOHN JOSEPH LYNCH,
Archbishop of Toronto.

After a long discussion it was decided to refer the letter to the sites and buildings committee in conjunction with the archbishop.

Trotting at Providence.

PROVIDENCE, July 4.—Races at Narragansett park, 2.38 class, won by John Love with Vladimir second; best time 2.34. Team race, Dick Taylor and Henry Swan in two straight heats; Billy D. and Governor Plaisted second; 2.35, 2.33.

SPORTS ON THE GREEN.

The Annual Games of the Public School Children—The Successful Contestants.

The annual games of the city public schools were held yesterday on the Toronto lacrosse grounds. The threatening aspect of the weather kept all spectators away from the morning sports, except a few of the more interested teachers. In the afternoon, however, there was a big turnout and muslin dresses and pretty female faces were numerous. At one time during the afternoon there were over 3000 children present. Teachers and parents who can not at other times see anything at all in athletic sports turned out strong and by their loud applause of wondrous feats testified that they enjoyed the sport immensely. A detachment of the Tenth Grenadiers band furnished music. The morning program consisted of nineteen games, which were contested with the following results:

Throwing lacrosse ball—1 Geo. Bruce, Church street; 2 Joseph McQuillon, Phœbe street.

Standing long jump (open to all under 13)—1 W. Morrison, Wellesley street; 2 John Fox, Park street.

Running hop, step and jump—1 John Fox, Park street; 2 Clarance Cuff, Victoria street.

Running high jump—1 Wm. Morrison, Wellesley street; 2 Frank Crane, Jesse Ketchum school.

100 yards race (boys under 8)—1 A. Lyzanberg, Louisa street; 2 Jos. Chipman, Winchester street.

100 yards skipping race (girls under 8)—1 Lilly Gowans, Brant street; 2 Annie Chandler, Palace street; 3 Louisa Rankin, Louisa street.

100 yards' race (boys over 8 and under 10)—1 S. Cheeseworth, Wellesley street; 2 Fred Gunn, Dufferin; 3 Jas. Travies, Bathurst street; 4 R. Cathcart, Phœbe street.

100 yards' skipping race (girls over 8 and under 10)—1 Lillian Taylor, Wellesley street; 2 Emily Christian, Dufferin; 3 Maggie Hessey, Ryerson.

100 yards' race (boys over 10 and under 12)—1 Henry Parsons, Dufferin; 2 Wm. Elliott, Dufferin; 3 Harry Walker, Dufferin.

100 yards' skipping race (girls over 10 and under 12)—1 Lottie Wood, Church street; 2 Jane Stitt, Elizabeth street; 3 Louisa Cooper, John street.

100 yards' skipping race (girls 12 and over)—1 Sussie Gallow, Park street, 2 Tillie Ewing, Ryerson; 3 Kettie Gowans, Brant street.

220 yards' race (boys under 8)—1 Roy Collier, Jesse Ketchum school; 2 Charlie Mercer, John street, 3 A Lyenenberg, Louisa street.

200 yard race (boys 8 and under 10—1 Arthur Franks, Winchester street; 2 R. Cathcart, Phœbe street; 3 Chas. Mason, Chestnut street; 4 Wm. Pierce, Victoria street.

220 yard race (boys 10 and under 12)—1 John Fox, Park street; 2 Harry Parsons, Dufferin; 3 Clarence Cuff, Victoria street.

Three-legged race (boys under 16)—1 John Walken and John Shaw, Winchester street; 2 B. Warren and J. Kerrigan, Wellesley street; 3 F. Gunn and Wm. McFarlane, Dufferin.

Three-legged race (boys 10 and under 12)—1 Geo. Buchanan and F. Lagsdin, Winchester street; 2 A. P. Robb and W. Anderson, Wellesley street; 3 Geo. McGuire and Geo. Hollingsworth, Elizabeth street.

Sack race (boys under 10)—1 Wm. Lorson, Jesse Ketchum school; 2 Wm. Lillie, Wellesley street.

Sack race (boys under 12)—1 F. Dalton, Wellesley street; 2 Jas. Gerrie, Dufferin.

Hurdle race (boys under 12)—1 J. Fox, Park street; 2 C. Cuff, Victoria street.

The first portion of the afternoon was taken up in drill and calisthenics, conducted by Capt. Thomson. In this department the scholars seem to be especially well trained. Their marching especially, which was done in perfect order, drew liberal applause from the spectators. Wellesley street school, for the third time, came off victors in the drill and bore away triumphantly the Beatty banner, which they have begun too look on as their own and which all the others, and especially Dufferin and Ryerson are working hard to obtain.

Following is the results of the afternoon sports.

100 yards race (boys of 12 and under 14)—1 Geo. Irving, Wellesley street; 2 A. Hughes, Ryerson.

100 yards race (boys of 14 and over)—1 A. Woods, Ryerson; 2 E. Carr, Jesse Ketchum school.

Quarter-mile race (boys of 12 and under 14)—1 T. Crane, Jesse Ketchum; 2 H. Martin, Ryerson; 3 Harry Parry, Parliament street.

Quarter-mile race (boys of 14 and over)—1 C. Brown, Church street; 2 H. Carr, Jesse Ketchum school; 3 H. Stewart, Wellesley street.

Three-legged race (boys 12 and under)—1 Johnston and McDonald, Jesse Ketchum school; 2 Priestman and McLary, Wellesley street.

Sack race—1 W. Robertson, Jesse Ketchum; 2 J. Morson, Jesse Ketchum; 3 George Bruce, Church street.

Half-mile championship race—1 H. Stewart, Wellesley street; 2 Stewart Burns, Dufferin.

Half-mile ex-pupils race—1 T K Henderson, Victoria street; 2 James Hughes, Dufferin; 3 Harry Robinson, Jesse Ketchum.

Hurdle race—1 Chas. Priestman, Wellesley street; 2 R. Johnston, Ryerson.

Obstacle race—1 R. Johnston, Ryerson; 2 Harry Parry, Parliament street; 3 Frank Prang, Jesse Ketchum.

The Approaching Labor Demonstration.

As the day approaches the demonstration committee of the Trades and Labor council are promptly completing all necessary details towards making the occasion one to be remembered for its magnitude as well as completeness in all other respects. At their meeting last evening, among a variety of other matters attended to, was the inviting of the following gentlemen as speakers at the grounds: J. E. Williams of Hamilton and C. M. Harris, A. F. Jury and T. Tracy of this city, together with the drawing of places in the demonstration for the various trade unions, and with the following result: Tailors, stonemasons, carpenters, stonecutters, painters, cigar-makers, laborers, moulders, plasterers' laborers, longshoremen, hackmen, tinsmiths, finishers and polishers, harness-makers, printers, pressmen, united laborers, plasterers, lathers, bakers, coopers and bricklayers. Other bodies not in affiliation with the Trades' council come next, and other bodies next in the order of application for position. Large numbers from Hamilton, Oshawa and other places will also participate. Prize lists in the hands of members are to be returned at next meeting so that the program may be issued as soon as possible.

The Sunderland Calamity.

SUNDERLAND, July 4.—At an inquest into the recent disaster at Victoria hall, where 182 children lost their lives, several children testified that they saw a man bolt the door as they descended the stairs.

A Conflict With Convicts.

SALEM, Oregon 4.—The state prison convicts made a desperate attack on the officers and attempted to escape. Three were killed, two were wounded, and eight are at large. No officer was wounded.

Banquet to Henry Irving.

LONDON, July 4.—A banquet was given to Henry Irving this evening. There were present Minister Lowell and many distinguished persons. Irving and company sail for America on October 10.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

ARRIVALS.

Date.	Steamship.	Reported at	from
July 4.	Waldensian	Boston	Glasgow
July 4.	Scandanavian	Glasgow	Boston
July 4.	Gellert	Hamburg	New York
July 4.	Bolivia	New York	Glasgow
July 4.	Lessing	"	Hamburg
July 4.	Aurania	"	Liverpool
July 4.	Abyssinian	"	"
July 4.	Habsburg	Bremen	New York
July 4.	Ethiopia	Glasgow	"
July 4.	Polaria	Hamburg	"
July 4.	State of Georgia	New York	Glasgow

MONTREAL, July 4.—The Allan steamship Waldensian, from Glasgow via Irish ports, arrived at Boston this morning, bringing 10 intermediate and 506 steerage passengers.

The Allan steamship Scandinavian, from Boston, arrived at Glasgow to-day and landed her entire live stock shipment of 415 oxen without mortality.

MARINE NEWS.

Latest Movements of the Steamers and Vessels in the Bay.

The Echo is again afloat.

The Gold Hunter is in with coal for Burns.

The Garibaldi cleared yesterday, light, for Buffalo.

The Ariel is chartered to load wheat for Kingston at the Grand Trunk.

The F. Wells has her coal nearly off. She will probably load grain for Oswego.

The rates for carrying are 1½c. for wheat, 1½c. for malt, $1 to $1.15 for lumber, and very little offering.

An Incident of "Virgin's Lane."

There has been a great deal of trouble lately in the etherial locality known as "Virgin's lane," in the east end of the city. This thoroughfare has not its virginal origin by any traditions connected with that class of the human family. It derives its name from "Samuel Virgin, Esq., pedlar of coal oil," sole proprietor of the said lane. Some time ago the people of the waterworks department put down, without the consent of Mr. Samuel Virgin, a water pipe in the said lane. This pipe supplied several houses on a ramification of Virgin's lane to the south. The dwellers therein chuckled gleefully and declared that since the water pipe was put down the lane became a public one and the proprietor had no more control over it. They even went so far as to tear down a fence that Mr. Virgin had erected which cut them off from access at the south end. Whereat the Virgin owner became very wrathy. He appeared before the waterworks committee yesterday afternoon and asserted his proprietorship, and gave the committee to understand they would either have to remove their pipe or acknowledge his authority. The gentlemen of the committee did not exactly dispute the right of Mr. Virgin to remove the pipe, but they ordered the city solicitor to send in a report on the legal aspect of the affair. What seems to annoy Mr. Virgin most is the tearing down of his fence.

Police Court Pencillings.

Twenty hot-weather drunks were disposed of in the police court yesterday morning. James Morgan, whom Detective Reid arrested on Tuesday as a crook, was allowed to go on promising to leave the city. He protested that he was a son of Judge Morgan of Ogdensburg. Ann Hutchinson, aged 19, was given a pass to return to her native heath in Hamilton. She was charged with vagrancy. William Maloney was sent to the criminal court for trial. He is an escaped convict and attempted to stab the policeman who recaptured him. Edward Waterson, the young man who had a good time with Ald. Irwin's horse and buggy on Saturday evening, was fined $4 85 or ten days. Wesley Collins, a colored "sawed-off," was fined $4.85 for assaulting Bob Berry. Joseph Murphy, a cabman, was fined $4 85 for trespassing on Grand Trunk railway property. Henry Dill was sent to the criminal court for trial for stabbing a boy named Hiram Albert in the Grand opera house lane on the night of June 21. He was admitted to bail in $300. A batch of remands were granted.

The Ontario Government Boycotted.

The Ontario government refuses to pay its water taxes amounting to $3782 to the city. This sum is for water supplied to the female prison, the central prison, the parliament buildings, government house and other provincial institutions. These places are all, of course, exempt from taxation and the city refuses to make the usual 50 per cent. discount on the water rates because of their exemption. The matter has been before the waterworks committee for some time, and yesterday that body decided that if the amount was not paid forthwith the water would be shut off. The same order was passed regarding the amount owed by the managers of the Bishop Strachan school.

Bunthorne Abroad.

Another repitition of this opera last night at the Adeloide stret rink to a large audience proved its popularity. The work has had a most successful run in this city, and never before has two weeks of the same entertainment proved so successful. Miss Welsh sang in the same delightful and finished manner and was received with the warmest expressions of approval. Mr. Gaston grows more and more amusing as the opera and part grow with him in familiarity. He has at last mastered the "American" song, a most difficult part, and now sings it in a manner that wins a most hearty encore. The opera runs one more night at the rink.

Parkdale Brass Band.

Last year the people of Parkdale subscribed $150 towards the funds of the brass band of the village on certain conditions. Of late the Parkdale band has developed into a sleepy, disorganized institution. On dominion day the villagers wanted them to play at their celebration, but they declined to do so unless they were paid $25. This was refused, and the consequence was the committee had to go to Weston and hire a band for $15. The villagers demand the return of their money or more musical considerations.

Mr. S. H. Blake's Presents.

From the Christian Guardian.

Mr. S. H. Blake has proposed to make a gift of a copy of "Dr. Duff's Memoirs" to each English church clergyman of the diocese of Toronto who will accept. Mr. Blake generously proposes to make a similar annual gift, for the purpose of developing a missionary spirit, and of supplying the Anglican clergy with reading matter which they cannot procure because of stinted means.

A Deserter from the 97th.

Chas. Emberson, aged 24, walked into police headquarters last night and surrendered himself to Inspector Stuart. He said that he was a deserter from the 97th regiment, stationed at Halifax. Emberson described himself as a private. The qualms of conscience and hard luck promted the surrender. The military authorities will be telegraphed to.

The Warlike Denizens of Lombardy.

Lombard street keeps up its reputation apace for brawls, assaults and bad whisky. There was a field day in the street quite recently. As a result Mary Ann Murphy was run in last night for assaulting Lottie Hardmand and Wm. Kehoe for attempting to kill Mary Kehoe, who claims to be his wife.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, July 5, 1 a. m.—Lakes and Upper St. Lawrence: Moderate to fresh, variable winds; fair warm weather, with a few local showers.

A REAL BOWER OF BEAUTY

OPENING OF THE FLOWER SHOW AT THE PAVILION.

The Wet Weather Prevents a Large Attendance—The Exhibits the Finest Ever Seen in the City.

Yesterday was the opening day of the flower show at Horticultural gardens, held under the auspices of the Toronto Electoral District association. The wet weather made the audience rather slim, yet those who did turn out enjoyed a rich treat. The heavy rain which fell during the day cleared the atmosphere, and at night a cool breeze pervade the region of the pavilion, which, added to the freshness and beauty of the flowers, made the exhibition a very pleasing one. At intervals the band of the Queen's Own rifles rendered some of their most popular promenade airs, which were highly appreciated.

According to the judge's report the exhibits are the finest that have yet been brought out, and certainly their appearance, taken as a whole, is very effective. Government house, Hon. D. L. McPherson, Manton Bros. (Yor