

EXCURSION.

The Excursion was to Victoria Park, and the prospect of its being successful was good, but unfortunately the weather turned out bad, raining for a considerable portion of the day, so that the attendance was small, and the receipts correspondingly the same.

CONCERT.

The Concert was again given in the Pavilion in the Horticultural Gardens, and was one of the most successful ever given by the Society.

As on former occasions, it was on the evening of Thanksgiving Day, November 6th. Mr. Schuch was again engaged to conduct it, and in every way it was most satisfactory.

The net results were \$303.32.

CHRISTMAS DISTRIBUTION.

The Christmas Distribution this year was more extensive than ever before, most generous Contributions were received. It was made in a Store, No. 42 Scott Street, very kindly loaned by Jno. Fiske, Esq., and it was well adapted for the purpose. The Collections made by the Committee and Stewards amounted to \$984, and the Expenditure to \$951.62.

1,035 families, consisting of 5,561 individuals, received a good supply of provisions.

7,215 lbs. of Beef were purchased, and donations of meat to a very large extent were received.

1,420 loaves of bread, 1,000 lbs. of sugar, and the same number of quarter lbs. of tea were distributed.

ELM STREET LOT.

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