

### GAYLY WAVED THE GREEN FLAG

#### The Picnic of the City Hibernians at Schuetzen a Great Success.

#### Only the Bears Had No Liking for Noise, Smoke or Flags, and Ran Away.

#### Gate Prizes and Games and Oratory Enlivened Schuetzen Park in Honor of the "First American."

Not one cheer for the flag sounded above the roar of bursting bombs yesterday that carried with it more feeling of patriotism or enthusiasm than those of the members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. The parade and picnic of the sons of the Emerald Isle was one of the most pleasant features of the Nation's birthday. Early in the morning the members of the order swung into line thousands strong, and between solid lines of cheering spectators marched to the ferry on the way to the picnic grounds.

Not long after sunrise the headquarters of the order, 120 Ninth street, presented an animated appearance. At 9 o'clock the march started on Ninth street, near Mission, and from there to Market street, whence the parade continued to the ferry. At the ferry Captain Dan Barry of the harbor police had made splendid preparations to receive the coming marchers and crowds that followed. In consequence the picnicers had no difficulty boarding the boats and in a short time the steamers left the dock for Tiburon, where the passengers took trains for Schuetzen Park. Arriving at the grounds the pleasure-seekers sought the wooded hills to rest and dine and found the pleasure that they sought.

P. J. McCormick, County president of the Order of Hibernians of America, was in command of the parade. He was assisted by the following aids:

County Vice-President John P. Henry; Recording Secretary Eugene Heenan; Bartley Lee, president of Division 2; John Ryan, president, C. O'Connor vice-president and J. J. Donohue treasurer of Division 3; Captain M. J. Wrin, president Division 5; M. Fitzgerald, president, Charles McCreedy vice-president, J. H. Maguire treasurer of Division 8; John C. Ryan, president, J. F. McDonald vice-president, Division 9; J. P. O'Connell, president, M. Donohue, vice-president, John H. Doan, recording secretary, M. McManus, treasurer, Division 10; Captain Jerome Deasy, president, D. Fitzpatrick, vice-president, Division 11; John P. Dugan, president, Thomas Searey, vice-president, Nicholas Morrissey, recording secretary, Division 12; John P. Henry, president, John O'Brien, vice-president, Division 14; Thomas Ward, president, James Mullen, vice-president, T. B. Hilliard, recording secretary, Division 15; J. J. O'Brien, president, James Burke, vice-president, John M. Kenny, Division 16; Patrick Broderick, president, M. O'Mahoney, vice-president, M. H. McDonald, recording secretary, Division 17; D. J. Buckley, president, Frank P. Scully, vice-president, Frank Farron, financial secretary, Division 18; P. Gilroy, president, P. D. Mullaney, vice-president, George Giblin, recording secretary, Division 19; Eugene O'Connor, president, William Shanahessy, vice-president, David Kelly, financial secretary, Division 20.

John O'Neill led the procession and carried an immense American flag. The Knights of the Red Branch drum corps and the Knights of the Red Branch Rifles, under the leadership of Captain Casey, and over 200 strong, assisted. After these came the Hibernians in propria persona. They were decked in red and white and carried a small American flag. All of them wore a green ribbon. There was a bear in one division, which created some excitement by varying the programme and escaping. It was caught. A float surmounted by the Goddess of Liberty was to have been trundled in division 3, but on account of the crowds and the rough streets the project was abandoned. It was at 9 o'clock that the parade reached the ferry, but long before a great crowd had gathered.

At 11 o'clock the games programme commenced. There were sixteen events and the results were as follows:

Girls' race, 8 to 12—Katie O'Connor first, Kettle Rouch second.  
Boys' race, 14 to 18—H. McHugh first, H. I. Allen second.  
Young men's race—F. Riccomi first, G. Harbin second.  
Married ladies' race—Mrs. Selme first, Mrs. Dunnigan second.  
Married men's race—William Richter first, G. Harbin second.  
Members' race—R. Shelton first, Thomas Hegarty second, D. F. Sullivan third.  
Fat ladies' race—Mrs. Robinson first, Mrs. Sullivan second.  
Fat men's race—Jeremiah O'Dowd first, James Cavanagh second.  
Five-legged race—Dan McDonald and C. E. Foley first, J. O'Leary and Ed McGlynn second.

This finished, lunch baskets were in order until 12:30, when the literary programme was resumed. It consisted of:

Overture, "Hall Columbia," Hibernia band; remarks, P. J. McCormick, county president; A. O. H. of A.; oration, "Patriotism," Rev. T. K. Black; reading, "Declaration of Independence," Thomas W. Heeky; song, "Red, White and Blue," A. O. H. of A. chorus.

After the chorus fifty-nine gate prizes ranging in value from a smoked ham to \$25 in gold were distributed. It was estimated that between 6500 and 7000 persons visited the grounds. The entire affair was an unqualified success and all sorts of praise is being showered upon the following committees and officers, the personnel of each sub-committee making up the grand committee:

P. Broderick, chairman; E. J. Hannon, secretary; J. J. Donohue, J. J. McCormick, G. Phillips, Jerome Deasy, C. B. Flanagan. Reception committee—John J. Barrett, chairman; J. J. Donohue, J. C. Ryan, T. R. Bannerman, Ed L. Sheehan, Captain M. J. Wrin, D. S. O'Brien, John O'Brien, J. H. O'Brien, P. D. Mullaney. Finance committee—J. P. Henry, chairman; James Burke, W. Fitzgerald, P. J. Kelleher, P. F. Gilroy, M. H. McCafferty, J. C. Ryan, Eugene McFay. Floor director—J. P. Dignan; assistants, J. F. Renaut, J. D. Black, D. Sugrui, F. Scully, T. B. Hilliard, Robert Shepton, Thomas Ward, F. Boland, N. Mortimer, J. F. Mullins, D. J. Buckley, Thomas Seary. Sign and reel committee—John Rooney, chairman; Eugene O'Connor, Daniel Fitzpatrick, P. Branton. Games—W. O'Shanahessy (chairman), M. T. Manoney, M. T. Riordan, Frank Connelio, Robert Shepton, J. P. O'Connell, J. J. Sullivan, W. Colopy, M. H. McCafferty, Charles O'Connor, B. Lee. Committee on order—P. Broderick (chairman), John Ryan, Captain M. J. Wrin, J. P. O'Connell, J. P. Henry, P. F. Gilroy, D. V. Buckley, M. Fitzgerald, Jerome Deasy, Thomas Ward, B. Lee, Eugene Connor, J. C. Ryan, J. P. Dignan, John O'Brien.

#### Shot Himself in the Knee.

James Tully, a youngster just in his teens, who resides with his parents at 431 1/2 Clementina street, accidentally shot himself in the right knee with a small revolver on the return train from the Order of Hibernians' picnic at Schuetzen Park yesterday afternoon. The youngster was taken in charge by sympathizers, and when the City was reached he was taken to the Harbor Receiving Hospital. Dr. Hartley extracted the bullet and then had the sufferer sent to his home.

It may be interesting to know that in moving about from one place to another the people of Great Britain spend about \$150,000 a day.

### CARBOLIC ACID THE FATAL DOSE

#### Sensational Suicide at the Palace Hotel Barber-Shop.

#### John C. Hall, an Employee of the Establishment, Was the Victim.

#### The Liquid Was So Quick in Its Action That the Physician Could Not Save the Patient's Life.

The barber-shop in the Palace Hotel was the scene of a sensational suicide yesterday morning shortly after 7 o'clock. At that time John C. Hall, a barber employed at the shaving establishment, walked in and poured a quantity of liquid in a glass. He swallowed the dose without making comment to his fellow barbers and then took a seat in a chair near the door leading to the office of the United Carriage Company. As he sat down he remarked that it would "soon be over" as he had taken a large dose of car-



JOHN C. HALL, Who Committed Suicide by Gas.

bollic acid. Presently he spoke of the intense burning of his mouth and throat.

As soon as the men in the shop realized that he had taken carboric acid a physician was instantly summoned. Meanwhile the patient's agony was intense, but it was brief. Three minutes had not elapsed after he had taken the dose until he fell sideways from the chair, his head striking the tessellated floor. Blood flowed from the wounds caused by his fall.

When Dr. Joseph O'Farrell arrived a minute or so later Hall was beyond hope of medical aid. Two minutes later life was extinct. His body was conveyed to the Morgue.

Deceased was of American birth and resided with his wife at 18 Ash avenue, in this City. He had worked at the Palace barber-shop for many years, and was well known to the regular customers of that place. He drew his pay, a small amount, on Sunday.

It must have been understood that Mr. Hall was slightly disturbed in his mind, as his brother-in-law, Charles Wielgus of 421 Fell street, sought to look after him during the night previous. About 3 o'clock yesterday morning Hall eluded the vigilance of his guardian and disappeared.

The proprietor, B. Bernhard, broke the sad news as gently as possible to Mr. Hall. He sent a message informing her that her husband was taken so seriously ill that he had to be conveyed to the hospital.

#### AMATEUR ATHLETIC CONTESTS.

##### A New Englander Carries Off the Principal Honors—Dole of California Is Close to the Front.

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 5.—With nine ambitious athletes competing for the Amateur Athletic Union's individual all-around championships, that series of contests proved the chief feature of the New Jersey Athletic Club's Independence day carnival at Bergen Point to-day.

Clark, a New Englander, carried off the principal honors with comparative ease. He exceeded by a percentage of 86 1/2 the record made last year by the winner, Louis F. Sheldon. Clark showed in front with a fairly good lead after the second event had been decided and increased his advantage as the competition progressed.

#### RAGSDALE'S CONSULSHIP.

##### He Will Be Appointed to Rio de Janeiro or Buenos Aires.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5.—Ragsdale of California, the friend of Congressman Barham, will in a few days be appointed as Consul to Rio de Janeiro or Buenos Ayres. The President has given this assurance to the California delegation.

#### The House Ascents the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5.—The House, by a party vote, without transacting any business, took a recess until Wednesday, to be ready for the tariff bill, if completed before then by the Senate.

### SCOTS DANCED TO THE PIPES

#### Thistle Club's High Revels Held at Shell Mound Park.

#### Young and Old Enjoyed Such an Outing as Rarely Falls to Mortal.

#### Celebrated the Glorious Fourth With Games, Music and a General Jollification.

The Scottish Thistle Club did itself proud yesterday at Shell Mound Park. The occasion was its fifteenth annual gathering and games. Thousands of brow and bonnie Scots availed themselves of the cordial invitations to enjoy an ideal day of gayety, and there were many of other nationalities present.



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It was early when the revels commenced. For months the members and friends of the popular Thistle Club had been looking forward to the occasion and did not propose to miss a single minute of the fun. The reputation of the club's hospitality and careful management had spread abroad, and the early boats were crowded with family parties on pleasure bent. All nationalities were represented, but the Scots predominated and here and there a tartan or waving plume among the crowds proclaimed the true enthusiastic child of Caledonia.

The programme provided included national games for substantial prizes, dancing, music and feasting. There were bicycle races, fat men's races and a grand tug-of-war which put to the test some of the best brawn of sturdy Scotland. All in all, the Thistle Club may well be proud of its fifteenth annual gathering.

The afternoon was devoted to games and races, for which prizes of \$1 to \$10 were given. Following is a list of the events and those who came out winners:

Handicap race of 15 years or less—Frank first, J. Kenny second, Robert Ross third.  
Girl's handicap, for girls 15 years and less—Adeline Mohr first, Maggie Mohr second, Mabel Smith third.  
Standing high jump—J. Murphy first, W. Beck second, Thomas Carroll third.  
Putting heavy stone—Thomas Carroll first, Alexander Leach second, Cameron third.  
Putting the light stone—Thomas Carroll first, Alexander Leach second, J. Cunningham third.  
Hop, step and jump—J. Murphy first, W. Beck second, J. Sexsmith third.  
Best dressed toy in Highland costume—Don Smith first prize, Robert Ross second.  
Hit and kick—J. Murphy first, J. Sexsmith second, M. Beck third.  
Best dressed man in Highland costume—I. Tevenda a first prize, David Reed second, P. Finlay third.  
Mile race for amateurs—G. Klarmann first, J. Doyle second.  
Old men's race—C. M. Brown first, B. Finnie second, D. E. Adams third.  
Highland fling—P. D. Finlay first prize, J. H. Robertson second, M. C. McKay third.

#### EMPTY ARE THE COAL PITS.

##### Inauguration of One of the Greatest Strikes on Record—Speculation as to the Outcome.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 5.—The great strike inaugurated by the United Mine-workers of America has begun. So far as known there have been no hostile demonstrations. The miners have been cautioned by their leaders not to use any unlawful means to secure success in this strike for higher wages.

Reports from all parts of the State show that practically all the mines of Ohio are closed. Some miners in the Jackson and Shawnee districts are still working and will remain in the mines a few days to await the action of the Pittsburg district. Generally speaking, the miners are in poor shape to stand a prolonged strike, and if the suspension is continued any length of time their wants will result in making the situation very serious.

Many of the Ohio operators express a willingness to pay the scale demanded provided an increase is made in the Pittsburg district.

Reports indicate that the strike order has been generally obeyed, except in the West Virginia, Northwestern Kentucky and Danville (Ill.) districts.

#### Fitz and Sullivan's Only Shakes Hands.

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 5.—Sullivan and Fitzsimmons were scheduled to meet at Ambrose Park, South Brooklyn, to-day, but Inspector McLoughlin, Captain Kenny and Sergeant Healy appeared and Fitzsimmons and Sullivan merely shook hands without any attempt to don the gloves.

## The Finish A Clean Up.

### Cut Loose

## Turned Loose!

None of the Old Traditional Methods!

Tuesday morning we cut loose and part company with our Spring stock; none of the old traditional methods are observed; none of the usual July sales, but less than half price on all our house contains. Now need we say more? Shall we say more when we are known as your leading and finest clothiers in the West. Shall we say more? Shall we speak on the fineness of the fabrics? Shall we utter more about the price? When we say we are selling Men's Suits, fashionable Spring Suits, fashionably tailored, at

**\$3.50--\$4.50---\$5.50--\$6.50.**

## A JULY SENSATION!

### Endeavorers Invited to Participate!

# \$3.50 \$4.50

There ain't too many of 'em, but what there are they are awfully good. After a big season's business we have gotten down to a lot of small lines, but they're all brand new; they're all fresh; they're all stylish; they are Suits that will do you credit in wearing them. We won't mention what our loss is, but while our city is lively with visitors we propose to show them a lively business on Kearny street; therefore, these Suits to dress you up correctly in, beginning to-day, at

**\$3.50.**  
MEN'S SUIT ROOM,  
FIRST FLOOR.

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Suits for dress-up occasions, and what marvelously pretty ones in blues and blacks; beautifully tailored garments. We won't attempt to mention the former price of these Men's Suits; it would appear too ridiculous, and you know we only carry the highest grade of Men's Clothing, so we say for these blue and black Chevots, in single-breasted sacks, beginning Tuesday, at

## Young Men's Department.

FIRST FLOOR.

Our young men, those between the ages of 12 and 19, will find a glorious selection of new and fashionable Spring Suits that we will offer during this Cut Loose Sale; all fashionably tailored and all fashionable colorings, for young men between the ages of 12 and 19.

Beginning to-day at

# Two Ninety-Five.

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