

ESQUIMAUX TELLS NEW WONDERFUL TALE.

Red North Pole and Was People—A Narrow Escape Who Wanted to See an Idol.

July 18.—A man of forty years of age, of stature, wearing a red gaiter and a security of a swarthy face of the man type, appeared on yesterday morning with story of the discovery of the pole. He described himself as he had ruled the people the regions of the north.

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Journal as ruler of North Pole. I built a boat of whalebone, and making some sails of skins, I tried it several times and then appointed a ruler in my place. I selected two of the most able of the country. Finding a south-bound current which flowed from the pole, we sailed southerly for a few thousand miles, our speed varying from fifty to sixty miles an hour.

HARROWSMITH HERALDINGS.

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STELLA STATEMENTS.

A Respected Islander Tells The Many Visitors.

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BABY'S LONG FALL.

No Tumble of Five-Storey House Without Hurt.

New York, July 17.—That charn which works its uses solely for the benefit of babies and drunken men, and preserves them from injuries in falls, was overworked Sunday for the benefit of the babies, so much so that while it was busy saving babies after falls of great distances, a poor fellow who had been intoxicated, died from a fall.

Of the many escapes after long and lofty tumbling, probably that of Albert Hamilton, five years old, living at No. 91 Third avenue, was the narrowest. He fell more than five stories and escaped without a bruise.

Albert, with his aunt, Mrs. Ellen Murphy, went out calling, and incidentally dropped in on a friend of the family, Frederick Waggoner, who lives on the first floor of No. 234 East Sixteenth street. It was there that Albert also dropped in himself. He dropped five storeys into the court yard.

It was after dinner when Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Waggoner thought the children should have some ice cream. So they left the three Waggoners there with Albert. Being an enterprising young man, he took the troop of smaller children with him to the roof. It was a hard climb, up the ladder, but he managed to drag the smallest and fattest baby through the scuttle.

Back of the house there was a tree growing, something which Albert had never seen before, because it had a real flower on it. It was a locust tree, late in the budding. The bunches of blossom dangled invitingly almost within reach and Albert went out that there were ever so many pretty flowers to be had, just as pretty as those he had seen so often behind closed glass cases in the stores.

"See the pretty flowers," he said to the other babies, and reached out over the roof for a handful of the treasures. Then he went over the edge of the roof.

Grace Waggoner, the next oldest of the children, bravely watched him turning somersaults in space, until he disappeared from her view, then thought she ought to tell her mother about how funny Albert was acting. She scrambled down the ladder and met her mother and Mrs. Murphy, who hastily gathered up the remaining babies and went down into the court yard prepared to send up a wall for Albert. They met a young man making his way up the basement steps, as fast as he could.

"Where's my pretty flowers?" he asked, indignantly. "Somebody pushed me away from them." The women would not believe that he wasn't dead or dying, and sent for a policeman, who sent for an ambulance from Bellevue hospital. Dr. Benedict answered the call and when told that the child had fallen from the roof of the five storey building, gravely asked, "Where's the baby? This is a case for the morgue."

"Yes, but where's my pretty flowers?" said Albert. "Any way I have the tummy ache."

A rigid examination of the child showed that he had not even received a bruise from his terrible fall. His poor little "tummy ache" was merely the result of dizziness after the tumbling, he had in coming in contact with several clothes lines. In his flight of fully seventy feet through the air, Albert struck a network of clothes lines. Three of these he had broken from their fastenings, and parts of them were still wrapped around the child's body when he was met tiddling up the basement steps.

Persons who saw the child fall said his flight resembled the plunges of a trained acrobat on a flying trapeze more than anything else they could think of. When he struck the first line, one end was torn from its fastenings, and wrapped around his fat little body. He swung very like a pendulum twice or thrice, then the end was unwrapped and he was cast adrift.

Striking a second and third clothes line, he bounced from one to the other then another line broke, and again the pendulum swung, was repeated until finally he was dropped to the ground after a fall of seventy feet at least as gently as an acrobat lands on his feet after some daring feat.

Westport Falls.

Westport, July 17.—D. Hicks, principal of the public school, has gone to Toronto. Mrs. Edward Wayne leaves for Syracuse on Friday next. John Donnelly, of Winona, Minn., arrived last week on a visit to friends. J. S. McDowell is placing an acetylene gas plant in his store on Main street. Work is progressing rapidly on the new public school. The cottages on the Ridge are nearly all occupied. Mr. Dillon, architect, Brookville, is in town in connection with the public school building. George Castle to-day received a mammoth sturgeon taken from the St. Lawrence river. Miss Bella Morris, of Elgin, is visiting at A. P. Palmer's. Mrs. W. H. Adams is seriously ill. Levi Robeson has his new residence at Sunnyside nearly completed and has removed there. Miss R. Bisset, of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been spending some time here renewing acquaintances, leaves for home on Wednesday. A large number from here attended the Roman Catholic picnic at Peffer.

To Select The Riders.

At a meeting of the racing board last night the resignation of W. C. Macdonald, who is out of the city, was received and accepted. R. Wilson was elected in his stead, and Frank Coates appointed to the vacant place on the board. It was decided to hold a contest this Wednesday evening at 7 p. m. to see who will be the three most competent men to compete in the Napanee races.

Ready For An Enquiry.

Toronto, July 18.—W. T. R. Preston writes from London, Eng., to the Mail and Empire claiming he has been shrewdly in regard to alleged wrong doings in the recent by-elections. He concludes: "I am willing to undergo the most rigid examination, not only as to my conduct in the late Ontario by-elections, but in connection with my whole public life, if you will. My private life as well—either by commission, by parliamentary enquiry, or by any other process that you desire to name. Until my political opponents are prepared to substantiate their unfair charges with reliable evidence, I think I can claim that your reflections upon me are entirely uncalled for."

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