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## IT WAS CHILDREN'S DAY

At the Fair for the Proposed Allentown Hospital.

There Were Crowds in Central Market Hall Both Afternoon and Evening—An Interesting Program Rendered.

Yesterday afternoon was children's day at the hospital fair in Market Hall and 1300 school children attended. They all enjoyed themselves intensely and the different committees made everything as pleasant for them as possible. At the fishing pond \$25, was realized. Among the features of the afternoon was the superb piano playing of Miss Beulah Bates.

### EVENING PROGRAM.

The program for last evening's entertainment was opened by a street parade of the Ivy Leaf drum corps. The hall was again well filled to overflowing. Over twelve hundred people paid admission and the receipts at the door surpassed those of Monday evening. The program which was rendered from the stage was the most attractive so far and those who appeared were well received. The exhibition drill given by the Temperance Pioneer Corps was a rare treat for every one, and by special request the same will be repeated this evening. The Arion Glee Club, under the able leadership of Dr. Stocks Hammond, of Reading, was a feature and the hospital association extends thanks to them for making the evening so successful. The Allen Athletic Association was also represented by some of their best talent in athletic feats, which were interspersed by selections rendered by the Boys' Brigade Orchestra and Autoharp Club. The production "Julius Caesar" by Masters McCollom and Erdman was exceptionally fine and will be repeated to night.

The booths are all well patronized. Contributions are needed at the candy booth, fish pond and refreshment booth. Messrs Gossler and Dwyer are soliciting chickens for the chicken and waffle supper to-night. Tickets for the supper are twenty-five cents.

### FISHERMAN'S LUCK.

A Sixth Ward bare-footed boy named Danny Herrity, who was admitted through the courtesy Mr. Gossler, was permitted to try his luck at fishing, and he caught the finest and biggest fish in the pond, a regular "speckled beauty," in the form of a sterling silver belt set donated by Meinhoeffer & Larosh, the jewelers.

Last evening the vote for President resulted: McKinley, 80; Pattison, 86; Quay, Hastings, 2. The vote now stands, McKinley, 384; Quay, 3; Hill, 5; Reed, 13; Pattison, 209; Quay, 40; Hastings, 22; Cleveland, 2; Russel, 1; Allison, 7.

In addition to the attractions already mentioned for this evening the Pioneer Band, of Catasauqua, will play. Miss Dabbert will recite and Mrs. W. H. S. Miller will sing.