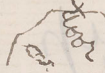


December 9th/94

Dearest Mother,

Do you know where Gordons skates are for we don't know where they are. They have very nice boots at featherstones lined for \$1.50 and \$2.00 tan and black and they look strong good ones. The M.a.a.a. rink opens some time this week.

Have you got any
grey fur like my little
cape for Clare was
going to put a top on
it I caught a cold
yesterday Father thought
it was because the
back of my head was
not enough protected
by my hat. We were
at Trafalgar yesterday
afternoon they had
a lot of tableaux they
were just beautifully
acted and they were
so well dressed all
in satins and silks.
One of them was so

well acted they
 were all but this
 one took my fancy
 there was a room
 with a man lying
 asleep  and first
 a little girl stood on
 the ~~the~~ at the door and
 looked in then a bright
 pretty little housemaid
 then a girl dressed all
 in pink with a ~~bangs~~
 tamboreen then a hospital
 nurse with a bottle of
 a medicine and dressed
 just like one even to
 the red cross on
 her arm then a nun

with her beads she
 looked beautiful, then
 a lady student all
 dressed up like one
 with a book under
 her arm and then
 an old lady with
 grey hair looked in
 and stepped in and
 bent over the chair
 and looked at him
 and he awoke. her dress
 was like this something
 pieces of red in those
 gaps I am sure
 that does not look like
 it much



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I suppose that was
what he was supposed
to be dreaming
while all these people
were looking on
there was a soft
slow piece of music
being played. I will
get a programme
and send it to you.
When is Uncle George
going to send the
money for our tickets
Is he going to do it before
Xmas? I hope he will.

Mrs Peck has invited
Con, Clare and me
to go over there and
gather because she
thought it might be
lonely on for him
without you on xmas
afternoon.

With love from
Ruth