July 4 Stories:

The three essays here describe the activities that the children participated in on July Fourth. Most accounts agree on several occurrences, including the following: The children ran a race, there was a ball game, there was ice cream and soda, there were firecrackers, they ate peanuts, they had a free dinner, they ate meat and bread, they drank beer, and they picked easter lilies on the hill.

The first essay is my favorite for its description of the ice cream flavors: white and brown.

Forma Leleux of July. the people dance
They gave us some incream and a glass of sodd we had two pind of icecream white and brown.
The Fourth of July be for the last my uncle wind the price of dancing and came bast about 5 o'clock.

I have so much to say that I can not finish my story this time.

Miss Tallie

Tilda & rok at July we have run and races and we have isecrem and soda and some candy and mans drink been and womas drink sodow and children est ice crem There is pinkisterem and brown ice-crem white ice-crem We have fine - crackers bot fourth of fu my mother make ich-crem at July

Soule Pasternage, about fourth of July Sast fourth of July rue had a fine. Time we run a race. and we had becream and sody and we play ball. 5 and we Shad firecrockers. "We had beer! I and bread and meat. 9 and it stored to rain fast. We sat underatree. 12 They were many poples. 3 and many hallplayers. 14 and we kadlemade water. The bring capes.