

Local and Other Items.

ZERA to night, at Market Hall. MARK TWAIN'S "Tramp Abroad" can be had from the News Agents on the P. E. I. Railway. THE annual shooting match of the Charlottetown Engineers is now in Progress at Kensington Rifle Range. MORE than \$600,000, nearly two thirds of the whole yearly taxation of Toronto, has already been paid in. THE Supreme Court closed in Georgetown on Saturday, and the Judge and lawyers in attendance arrived home on that evening. THE brigantine "Kitty Clyde" arrived from Barbadoes on Sunday evening with a cargo of molasses and sugar for Horace Hazard. PERSONALS.—H. H. Hermans, Esq., Station Master at Point du Chene, is in the city. J. M. LOBANGER, Q. C., of Quebec, and J. W. Marchand are at the "Rankin."

ZERA will give some one a barrel of flour to-night. ST. PETER'S CHURCH.—During the absence of the Incumbent, Mattiis will be said daily at 9 o'clock. Evensong on Friday only, at 7.30. The Sunday services as usual. BY cable to Peake Bros. & Co.—Barque "Ralph B. Peake" arrived at Galway on the 23rd inst. Barque "Moselle" arrived at Leith on the 24th inst. Steamship "Prince Edward" arrived at Avenmouth on the 24th inst.

NOTWITHSTANDING the Blake Act, we, yesterday evening saw a drunken sailor brandishing a revolver on Queen street, and threatening to send a bullet through "any window, or any man who would prevent him."

THE number of French-Canadians in the United States has ordinarily been estimated at about 240,000, but Mr. F. Gagnon, editor of "Le Travailleur," of Worcester, Mass., says it is not less than 400,000.

THE property known as McPhail's Corner, situated at the corner of Prince and Kent streets, was sold at auction the other day for \$2,100. Mr. F. S. Moore, of the Merchants Bank, was the purchaser.

REV. WM. TIPPER, who succeeds Rev. Geo. M. Campbell as Pastor of the Second Methodist Church, preached in the Prince Street Methodist Church yesterday morning. His maiden effort is highly spoken of.

REV. FATHER KENNY, S. J., preached a charity sermon, as announced, in St. Dunstan's Cathedral yesterday. The church was crowded to excess, and the sermon was eloquently delivered and pleasing to all. After the sermon a collection was taken, in aid of St. Vincent de Paul Society, which amounted to \$95.

ZERA will give away a sett of French China, 44 pieces, to-night.

THE dying declaration of Bennet that he did not enter Mr. Brown's office with the intention of shooting him, and that the shooting was accidental might seem plausible but for the fatal documents found on Bennet's person immediately after shooting.

Wz notice by list of arrivals that the Sea-Side Hotel, Rustico Beach, still retains its popularity as a watering place, and, as usual, is largely patronized by tourists, some of whom have been there for six successive seasons.

THE Halifax "Herald" suggests a new use for Dr. Tanner's "fast." It is that it might encourage a lot of people to try forty days without, drinks. It is a very happy suggestion. We should like to see a large number of our personal enemies undertake so valuable a reform.—Ottawa Citizen.

ZERA will give away hams to-night.

YACHT RACE.—To-morrow at 3 o'clock the yachts Curra, Clara Belle, and Emma will leave Pownal Wharf for a race around the St. Peter's Island black buoy. The winner will be presented with a beautiful pennant, and the captain of the yacht which arrives home last is expected to entertain the crews of yachts by a supper at the "Rankin."

ZERA will give away a Chamber Sett, to-night.

THE Anniversary of St. Vincent de Paul was celebrated by a public meeting in St. Patrick's Hall on Sunday evening, at seven o'clock. The President of St. Vincent de Paul Society—Prof. Caven—during an interesting speech, sketched the Life of St. Vincent de Paul. He was followed by P. R. Bowers, Esq., who briefly set forth the working of the Society for the past six months. A resolution of thanks for the sermon delivered in St. Dunstan's Cathedral by Father Kenny, was carried unanimously, and after several choice readings the meeting adjourned.

WHEN the Irish Relief Bill was recently under consideration in the House of Commons the Saturday's sitting was prolonged for half an hour beyond midnight, owing, it is said, to the urgency of the measure, and partly, no doubt, to the loquacity usually prevalent in a new house. Though an unusual, this is not by any means an unprecedented occurrence. During the Commonwealth Parliament sometimes sat on Good Friday and Christmas Day, as well as on Sunday. Other more recent occasions have been the demise of the Crown, the Reform Bill debate in 1831 and the suspension of the Habeas Corpus Act in Ireland in 1866.

ZERA will give a splendid show to-night.

"WHEN WILL OUR PEOPLE LEARN SENSE," was the exclamation of a prominent business man who stood on the Market Square, on Friday last, and saw a cheap peddler swindling and profiting out of a crowd of unwary country folks, whose eyes glistened at the goods he "put up" for a quarter, and whose ears were tickled by his snuttily and senseless chat. We would advise our country friends to "learn sense," and keep clear of those itinerant vendors of cheap wares. Let them keep their quarters for investment in our stores where they will get double value for them, whereas they will only get half their value from swindlers and cheats.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

LONDON, July 23. In the Commons last night the report on the Compensation Bill for disturbances in Ireland as amended, was adopted without division. The third reading will take place on Monday. During the discussion of the aforesaid bill an amendment of Mr. Forster, Secretary for Ireland, limiting its operation to holdings of the annual value of £30 was agreed to. Lord Cairns leads the opposition to the Compensation Bill in the House of Lords. Arthur Tottenham will move the rejection of the Bill in the Commons.

MADRID, July 23. An official despatch dated Manila, says that another shock of earthquake was felt and lasted fifty-five seconds. Not a single public edifice was spared. The Convent of Gaudaloupe, which had lasted three centuries was destroyed. Nobody was killed. The inhabitants are camped outside the town. Manila is the capital city of the island of Luzon, and of all the Philippine Islands, and a see of the Roman Catholic primate, and contains a population of 75,000 and including the suburbs, 140,000. The city proper forms the segment of a circle between the River Pasig and the sea, and its suburbs extend over numerous islets formed by the river and its branches, and easily reached by boats. Behind lies an extensive plain, which swells into distant hills, and these again into mountains, some thousand feet high, and clothed with vegetation to their summits. Being the only port in the Philippines open to foreign vessels, Manila is the centre to which all their productions flow, and the resort of an infinite number of colonial vessels of all sorts and sizes. Manila was founded by Legespi in 1571, and in 1645 was nearly destroyed by an earthquake. The city has frequently been visited by severe and destructive earthquakes, the most recent of which took place in the autumn of 1852. Scarcely a building in the town remained uninjured, and many were completely destroyed. It would seem that the one just announced was even more severe.

CABUL, July 23. The last act of the Cabul drama was begun to-day by a Durbar attended by most of the Cabulle Chiefs and gentlemen and by many British officers. Abdurrahman Khan was formally recognized as Ameer, and to-morrow his name will be recited in the prayers in the mosques. Many leaders of Yakoub Kan party have joined him. He has released merchandise seized in Turkistan. The British army is to withdraw in three weeks. L. H. Griffin, British political officer on behalf of the Queen and Viceroy of India, acknowledged Abdurrahman Khan as Ameer, and announced the early withdrawal of troops within the frontier fixed by the treaty of Gunclamak.

FARGO, D. T. July 23. E. B. Chambers, editor of the Fargo Times, was thrown from a lumber wagon and fatally injured.

UTICA, July 23. The money due the Remington Arms Co., Illinois, is en route from Egypt.

NEW YORK, July 23. The work of pumping water from the Hudson Tunnel does not progress rapidly, and a coffer dam is to be built. Bodies of the twenty working men not probably be reached for several days.

Milk dealers have advanced prices, owing to scarcity of ice. Shippers of meat to Europe have suspended shipments this week rather than pay extortionate prices demanded for ice.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 23. General Ignatieff has again been appointed Governor General of Nijni Novgorod, during the fair in that city.

The body of Madame Skobeloff, murdered and robbed by Sub Lieutenant Ouzatis, will be brought to St. Petersburg. The Russian press states that the assassin owed his position throughout his career to Gen. Skobeloff, and he gained the order of St. George during the past war.

ROME, July 23. The reported impending changes in the Italian ministry are denied.

MILAN, July 23. The Assizes in this city have acquitted Gen. Boet of the charge, by Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, of stealing his Collar of the Golden Fleece.

BERLIN, July 23. The naval demonstration of the Powers in the Turkish waters will be placed under a joint French and English command.

CAPE TOWN, July 23. News from Basutoland of the 19th inst., is that the British residency has not yet been attacked nor had the Europeans been molested.

ST. HELENA, July 23. The ex-Empress Eugenie landed here on the 12th, inspected the house where Napoleon I. died, then visited the tomb where the remains of the Emperor were first deposited and afterwards embarked for England.

PARIS, July 23. M. Allouan, Orleanist, member of the Senate, is dead.

Remedy for Hard Times. Stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style. Buy good, healthy food, cheaper and better clothing; get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of running after expensive and quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, and makes the proprietors rich, but put your trust in the greatest of all simple pure remedies, Hop Bitters that cures always at a trifling cost, and you will see better times and good health. Try it once. Read of it in another column.

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A first-class Refreshment Saloon will be properly conducted on the grounds. Tickets 25 cents; children 10 cents. To be had at entrance to grounds. Should 4th prove unfavorable, the Picnic will be held on the following day.

RICHARD WALSH, Sec'y Com. July 19, 1880—2aw th

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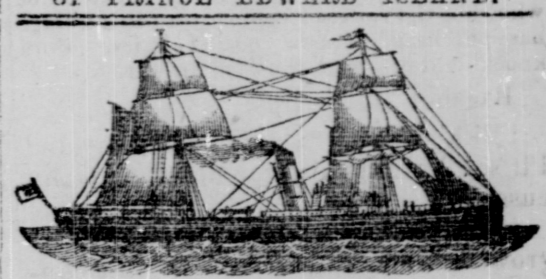
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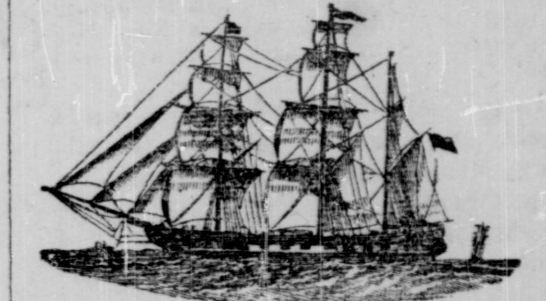
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