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(Rt. John Ston)

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Holding our Fur Goods for profit just now. We are willing to turn them into money, and willing to make the price suit those who want the goods. We are going to have.

A Great Clearance Sale

Of many lines, and we want you to have a share of the bagains going.

Wholesale and Retail.

JOHN DYKE, Canadian Agent at Liver-pool, has been retired, and Alfred Jury, a well known labor agitator, of Toronto, has been appointed in his place.

Ir is understood that Senator Landry will introduce a remedial measure into the senate during the coming session, and that its provisions will be similar to Hon. Mr. Dickey's bill.

to Contractors," tenders are invited for the completion of the interior of St. Joseph's Church, Kelly's Cross. This will be a matter of interest to contractors.

for Wright, P. Q., has resigned his seat in the House of Commons, and has been ap-pointed Canadian Emigration Agent in Ire-land, at a salary of \$1,800 a year and ex-

JAMES E. McDonald, M. L. A., Cardi-gus Bridge, received a telegrom the other day stating that the brigt. Caspian was sold at Halifax for a satisfactory price. The vessel was jointly owned by Mr. Mc-Donald and Captain Gordon.

THE Quebec Official Gazette, published on Monday last, contains a proclamation on Monday last, contains a proclamation fixing the next general provincial elections on the 11th of May, except for Gaspe,

In this issue will be found the advertise-In this issue will be found the advertise-ment of the St. Patrick's Day proceedings in this city, under the anspices of the Benovolent Irish Society. An enjoyable time is promised to all who attend the performance at the Opera House.

A FORMON mail arrived by the Capes on Saturday, another by the Stanley the same day, and still another by the Capes on Sun-day. It will, therefore, he seen that in the matter of foreign mails at this time of year it is not unfrequently a feast or a famine.

war with two of the greatest of the mari-time powers of the world, the British navy would be found distinctly superior to both, in numbers as well as in class of ships.

THE Stanley resolved Georgetown from Picton at half-past three o'clock on Satur-day afternoon. A specialitrain brought to this city the passengers, as well as those who had been attending the Supreme Court, seriving here about seven o'clook. She brought' over a large quantity of mail, which had accumulated at Gape Tormen.

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Typ trial of Archibald McGown, for the murder of Margaret McKenzie, which was conducted at Georgetown last week, was concluded on Saturday forences. After a short deliberation the jury acquitted McGowan, on the ground that he was lusane at the time he committed the crime. The Court ordered that McGowan be kept confined in King's County Jail until the pleasure of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor is known.

WE regret to learn of the death, in New York, of Mr. D. O. M. Gaul, son of the late Pierce Gaul, at one time a prominent business man in this city, and latterly of Montague Bridge. The deceased held an important position in the Art House of Messre Knoedler & Co., New York, in whose employ he had been for fifteen years. His mother and sister, Mrs. McDonald, reside at Vernon River Bridge. They have our sympathy in their bereavement.

A TELEGRAM states that Joseph Martin has been blackballed at St. James' Club, Montreel. Let us see: Imi's this the "Joseph" who went to public meetings in Manitoba a few years ago and assured the French Canadian electors that their exhects would be maintained, and that they need not fear to support the Liberal candidate. And isn't this the same "Joseph" who, having obtained the French vote that he wanted, introduced and graried through the Legislature the Manitoba Echool Acts, in violation of his promises, as well as of the law of Canada? The man who did this deserves to be drummad out of the country. No wonder he was blackballed by St. James' Club.— Ex.

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LESOLIEL, the paper started by the notorious Facand, to take the place of L'Electeur, has been placed under the ban by Mgr. Lebrecque, Bishop of Chicoutimi.

SEAR POINTER, the king of harness race horses, with a record of 2.025, was sold in New York last week for \$15,000. James A. Murphy, of Chicago, was the purchaser.

The St. John Sun remarks that it is now within a few days of eight months since Laurier took office. The public expenditure for the fiscal year beginning last July is now close on a million dollars ahead of the outlay in the previous year, and the revenue three quarters of a million less. Still is the face of this, hardly a week passes but an official announcement is made about cutting down expenses.

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THE officers of the Benevolent Irish Society for the ensuing year are: Patron —Lieutenant Governor Howlan. Presi-dent—Peter McCourt, re-elected. First Vice President-Richard F. Madigat Second Vice President—Andrew Sullivan Thomas Driscoll. Sergeant-at-arms— John Bolger, re-elected. Ward and Charitable Committee—William Cantwell, hairman; Stephen Toole, John Corcoran, ames Heunessey, Thomas Hughes. Mar-nals—John Connolly, Chief; P. Berrigan.

JAMES IRELAND, a come well and favorably known in Charlottetow died suddenly on the C. P. R. train as was entering the station at Amherst or Friday evening last. Mr. Ireland was in Friday evening last. Mr. Ireland was in conversation with a passenger, and was suddenly noticed to put his hand to his mouth and giving a sigh ex-pired immediately. The sad affair created quite a sensation on the train. Mr. Ireland was a middle aged man of fine physi-que. He belonged to Halifax. Heart failure was no doubt the cause of death.

On the Sunday evenings of Lent a serie of special sermons will be preached in St Dunstan's Cathedral. The first of the se day, and still another by the Capes on Sunday. It will, therefore, he seen that in the
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An explosion of gas occurred in the Subway, at the corner of Boylston and Tremont Streets, Boston, on the 4th inst.
Eight persons were killed and much damage resulted. Besides the killed several
persons were lejured, among them a Halifax man pamed O'Connor.

The Subpractice of the seties was presched on Sunday evening last,
was the first verse of the eleventh chapter
of St. Faul's Epistle to the Highrew's;
"Taith is the substance of things hoped
for; the conviction of things that appear
not." The Eve, preacher went on to explain the meaning of each term of St.
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