



Holiday Gifts. In Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's FURS!

Weekly Herald. SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 23.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

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From all we can learn we should judge that there will be lively competition in nearly every ward in the city at the city elections next month. Already many popular gentlemen are mentioned as possible candidates. It is said that a requisition is to be presented to Simon Jones, Esq., asking him to become a candidate for the Aldermanship of Queen's Ward. Should Mr. Jones consent another prominent and popular gentleman, with large interests in the welfare of the city, would be placed in the City Council almost by acclamation. If the Council is ever to take that position which all who wish the city well would desire to see it occupy, the men of Mr. Jones influence must be induced to accede to the well-understood wishes of the citizens at large.

IN MEMORIAM.

The death of the Roman Pontiff, the spiritual ruler of 25,000,000, is an event that brings untold sorrow to the hearts of Christians throughout the entire world. This has been well and universally shown by the expressions of wide-spread grief that have reached us from every side.

There are 5,161 Post Offices in the Dominion, of which number 680 are in this province. In Father Mathew's time in Ireland the revenue was increased, without extra taxation, by \$20,000. The Portland Town Council has not yet taken any action, looking to an investigation into the Revisor matter.

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THE HARDWOOD ISLAND MATTER.

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