

LOCAL NEWS

STAN BATES HERE.

Stanley Bates, the well known ball player, who has played in this city, is here visiting friends. He is busy renewing old acquaintances.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE.

St. Dunstan's congregat on held their annual pilgrimage to the Roman Catholic cemetery at the Hermitage Sunday afternoon. The customary service took place.

WILL RECEIVE.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Dunphy will receive Tuesday afternoon and evening at Mr. Dunphy's home, Regent street. They leave for the west on Wednesday.

MOTORING PARTY HERE.

A motoring party from Houlton arrived Saturday night, registering at the Barker House, and returned this morning. The party was composed of W. R. Yerxa, W. Gidney, L. B. French and M. Buzzall.

POLICE COURT.

Fines of two dollars each were imposed at the police court this morning on three citizens for the respective offences of riding a bicycle upon the sidewalk, allowing fowls to be at large and allowing a cow to be at large.

ORGANIZING CITY TEAM

Steps are being taken to organize a Fredericton City Rugby team. There is a considerable amount of material available. A practise has been called for Scully's Grove at 5 p. m. Tuesday. If it is found possible to get a team together, matches with the U. N. B. probably will be arranged.

SHOT BIG BUCK.

A mammoth buck deer was shot this morning by Douglas Neill, son of Coun. A. B. Neill of Gibson, in a stubble field on his farm at Gibson. It weighed nearly five hundred pounds and had a set of antlers containing eighteen points. Mr. Neill espied the animal disporting itself in the field and knocked it over with one shot from his 45-70 Winchester. Last season Coun. Neill shot a moose in the same place.

RUSHING THE WORK

Everything is on the hustle now towards building the new Springhill school. Several teams are hauling stone for the basement and Contractor Arthur Quatermain is a very busy man conveying other material to the ground and expects to start a crew of men to work on the foundation Tuesday morning and work will be rushed along as rapidly as possible to have it complete before cold weather sets in. The contractor says he finds it very difficult to procure masons owing to so much work going on in the city.

THE JUDGESHIP

Mr. O. S. Crocket, M. P., is encountering considerable opposition in his fight for a Supreme Court judgeship and it is by no means certain that he will land the prize. Other aspirants include Mr. Daniel Mullin, K. C., and Dr. R. F. Quigley, St. John; Mr. W. D. Riley and W. B. Chandler, Moncton, R. A. Lawlor, K. C., Mr. F. B. Robideau, M. P., Richibucto and Attorney General Grimmer. The act proclaiming an additional judgeship has not yet been proclaimed. It is rumored that Chief Justice Barker is to retire before the end of the year.

IN AUTO ACCIDENT

John S. MacLean of St. John, traveling representative of Manchester Robertson, Allison, Ltd., had a leg broken between hip and knee Saturday afternoon, near Silver Falls, St. John, when an automobile turned turtle. Mr. MacLean was pinned beneath the hood of the car. Others in the party were injured. F. E. Williams had his legs bruised. K. J. MacRae suffered similar injuries and cuts about the head and face. J. m. Pullen had a shoulder dislocated, Alex. H. Campbell was thrown clear of the car and escaped injury. Mr. MacLean is well known in Fredericton. He will be confined to his home for some weeks.

BOSTON PRODUCE PRICES.

In view of the fact that the new U. S. tariff is to admit many articles of farm produce free of duty or at a great reduction from the present rate the following jobbers' prices, taken from The Boston Globe of Saturday, will be of interest.—Hay, choice, Eastern, \$18 and \$19; oat straw, \$11.50 to \$12.50; apples, famous, \$3.50 to \$4.50; McIntosh Reds, \$5 and \$6; Wealthy, \$3.50 to \$4.50; Alexanders, \$4 to \$5; crabapples, \$2.25 to \$2.75 per bus.; potatoes, Maine \$1.60 to \$1.65 for two-bus. bag; turnips, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per bag; tomatoes, \$2 and \$2.50 per bus.; parsnips \$1.50 and \$1.75 per bus.; butter, in box, 35 and 36 cents; eggs, fancy hennery 48 and 49 cents; choice Eastern, 43 and 45 cents.

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FOOT EASERS BUNION REDUCERS
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**TO EXTEND CALL TO
REV. A. F. NEWCOMBE
OF ST. JOHN**

Brunswick Street Baptist Congregation
Select Bible Society Secretary to
Fill Pastorate---Meeting to be
Held Friday

Rev. A. F. Newcombe of St. John, is said to be the clergymen selected to fill the pastorate of the Brunswick Street United Baptist Church, made vacant some months ago by the resignation of Rev. Dr. J. H. MacDonald, who accepted a call to the McPhail Memorial Baptist Church, Ottawa. A formal call to Rev. Mr. Newcombe, it is understood, is to be extended at a church meeting to be held on Friday evening next.

Rev. Mr. Newcombe at present is District Secretary of the New Brunswick Branch of the Canadian Bible Society, a body which is part of the British and Foreign Bible Society. He has occupied that position for two years. Previous to that time he held pastorates in Nova Scotia. It has been intimated to the Brunswick Street congregation that Rev. Mr. Newcombe will accept the call.

Rev. G. O. Gates of Truro, is to supply the pulpit of the Brunswick Street Church during the month of October and preached to large congregations yesterday. Lt.-Col. C. W. Belton, Permanent Army Medical Corps, is occupying the parsonage at the present time, having leased it for one month. It is expected that it will be released at the end of that period.

SOMETHING GRAND

Is the display of trimmed hats at Williams' Specialty Store. Don't miss it, and prices for everybody.

**MR. BIDLAKE
WAS PROMISED
THE POSITION**

Friends of Newcastle Editor Say He is
Going to be next Police Magistrate
of Fredericton---Col. Marsh will
Not Resign

The announcement in The Mail a few nights ago that Mr. George Bidlake, editor of The Newcastle Advocate, was slated for the position of police magistrate of Fredericton, in succession to Col. Marsh, has created quite a stir in the community. A number of citizens, including several who pretend to be in touch with the Flemming government, are inclined to treat the matter as a joke. Before they are much older however, they will probably find out that it is a pretty serious kind of a joke. The truth of the matter is that Mr. Bidlake was promised the appointment months ago and he will get it if Premier Flemming and Hon. H. F. McLeod have any regard for their word. An element of the Conservative party may be expected to put up a kick but past experience has shown that this element has no influence so far as the division of the spoils is concerned.

Hon. Mr. McLeod is on record as saying that Mr. Bidlake possesses the "political qualifications" for the position. This is interpreted by some Conservatives to mean that Mr. Bidlake is a renegade Liberal, which they say is the best qualification a man can have in order to land a government job in York county.

Mr. Bidlake's family have been residing here since spring and one of his sons told The Mail this morning that he knew months ago that his

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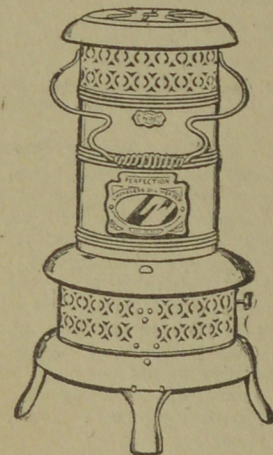
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