

The *Christian Standard* is to be the name of a new religious monthly, sixteen pages, under the conduct of prominent members of the Congregational body in Canada. It will probably be published in this city, and may be issued by September.

PROVINCIAL.

The *Chronicle* of New Glasgow, N. S., recently donned a new suit.

A new paper, called the *Daily Review*, has been started in St. Catharines, Ont.

The *News*, Teeswater, Ont., B. L. Chipman, editor and proprietor has ceased to exist.

Mr. A. H. Jones, formerly in the *St. Croix Courier* office, St. Stephen, is now foreman on the the *Rockland Free Press*.

Mr. W. B. Alley of the *Truro Sun* has found it necessary, owing to an increase of business, to put in a Wharfedale press.

The *Weekly Intelligencer*, Belleville, Ont., has been enlarged to forty columns, giving about one-third more reading matter than formerly.

Mr. Philippe Cormier, a compositor in the *Moniteur Acadien* office, Shediac, was drowned, on the 29th ult., while bathing in the Seadoue river.

The *King's County Advertiser* is the name of a new weekly newspaper published at Georgetown, P. E. I. It is printed by Messrs. McCourt & McMahon.

The Dominion Type-Founding Company are about to start an agency in Toronto, Ont. There is some talk of Halifax securing an agency also from the same company.

Mr. R. T. Murray, of Halifax, the delegate from the Printers' Union of that city, is at present in Philadelphia attending the annual meeting of the International Typographical Union which commenced its sessions on the 3rd July.

Mr. Chas. Blackadar, of the *Acadian Recorder*, Halifax, N. S., has been appointed Queen's Printer, and has retired from the firm of Blackadar Bros. The *Royal Gazette* will shortly be printed under tender and contract regulations.

The editor of the *Ottawa Citizen* was brought before Chancellor Proudfoot in the Chancery Court on the 15th June, and reprimanded and condemned to pay costs for publishing the allegations contained in the plaintiff's bill in the famous Masse will case.

The *Halifax Reporter* says:—The *Liverpool Advocate*, on the 29th inst., will cease to exist. We are pleased to observe, however, that in its place Mr. E. C. Parker will, about the middle of July, commence the publication of the *Liverpool Times*.

The Prince Edward Island *Times*, formerly published at Charlottetown by the "Times Publishing Company," Messrs. Ross, Kennedy and Harvie, has been purchased by Mr. John Ross, and is now issued from Souris, East King's County. It will no doubt be fully appreciated and supported by the people of that section of the island.

An action for libel has been taken against the "Mail Publishing Co." for \$20,000, at the suit of Mr. Jos. Perrault. The action is taken for an alleged libel in a letter which appeared in the *Mail* of the 12th June, from its Philadelphia correspondent, entitled, "Corruption of a Canadian Commissioner," the particular portion taken ex-

ception to being, "Mr. Wade, whom he (Mr. Perrault) employs to write the names and decorate the cases, pays him twenty per cent. on all he does. In other words, Perrault, a public servant, deals far from honestly with the Canadian public."

At the annual general meeting of the Dominion Type-Founding Company, held in Montreal on the 30th of May, the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:—Alex. Murray, President; Richard White, Vice-President; Hon. Thos. Ryan, Alex. Buntin, Jas. Simpson, D. J. Rees, C. T. Palgrave, and W. J. MacDonald, Directors, with Mr. John White as Managing Director.

The death of Henry E. Seelye, Esq., is announced. He was a native and formerly a resident of St. George, Charlotte County, N. B., but about fifteen years ago he went to British Columbia where he gained a leading position in public affairs. He was for a time editor of the *Free Press* and also a member of the local legislature of that Province. He was greatly esteemed for his virtues and manly qualities.

At its recent sitting in Toronto, the Court of Queen's Bench, in the case of Simpson vs. Wilkinson, of the *West Durham News*, granted the rule for criminal information against the defendant, on the charges relative to the purchase, by Mr. Simpson, of "senators and members of parliament," but refused it on the charge of general corruption, based on Mr. Simpson's circular to the shareholders of the Ontario Bank.

The *Halifax Citizen* states that on the application of the defendants in D. B. Woodworth, M. P. P., vs. Blackadar Bros., proprietors of the *Acadian Recorder*, for a change of venue, the Chief Justice delivered judgment discharging the rule. The case was, therefore, brought up in the Supreme Court at Kentville at its last sitting, but was adjourned until next term, owing to the absence of material witnesses on the part of the defence. The suit was instituted to recover damages for an alleged libel published in the *Acadian Recorder* during the past winter. The defendants have pleaded justification to each and all of the counts in the plaintiff's declaration.

We take the following items from the Ontario correspondence of *Roswell's Newspaper Reporter*:—

The *Bien Public*, Quebec, is dead.

The *Mitchell Advocate* has donned a new outfit.

The *Sun* sank in this city on May 4th to rise no more.

The *Cornwall Freeholder* has been enlarged and improved.

Windsor has a small new advertising sheet, called the *Gazette*.

The *Montreal Herald* pried its whole second page May 17.

The Cayuga *Advocate* office was injured by fire on June 8th.

The proprietor of the *Plaindealer* goes to St. Kitts to start a daily newspaper.

The Gore Street Primitive Methodist church publish the *Children's Own Paper*.

Mr. Edward Farrar, night editor of the *Mail* was married, April 22d to Mrs. Garrow.

Mr. John M. Robb, formerly editor and proprietor of the *Sturford Herald*, died May 14.

The Collingwood high school pupils issue a half-royal 12-column paper, called the *Times*.

The first copy of the *Kingsville Reporter* was printed May 5th. Dr. King is the proprietor.

Mr. Ferguson, of the *Listowel Banner*, is the champion draught player in and around Listowel.