

liberal, Robert Winton, editor, publisher and proprietor. Commenced Nov., 1871. Michael Connors, foreman; Michael O'Mara, Chas. Chaucey, James Thompson, Wm. Walsh and Alex. Parsons, journeymen; John Evans and Wm. Bright, apprentices.

*Patriot and Terra-Nova Herald*, St. Johns, royal, weekly, was started in 1833 by a company, the present proprietor, Robert John Parsons, was manager at the time. After a year or two Mr. P. became the sole owner. He is a member of the local legislature for the district of St. Johns, east, which position he has held for a period of forty years—the oldest and most continuous serving member in Newfoundland. He served his time as a printer in the office of the Newfoundland *Sentinel*. Louis Kelly Ryan was the proprietor, the latter's father was publisher of the *Royal Gazette*.

*The Royal Gazette and Newfoundland Advertiser*, St. Johns, royal, weekly, John Collier Withers, proprietor. The *Gazette* was the first newspaper published in St. Johns, Newfoundland, in 1807, commenced by John Ryan, formerly of St. John, N. B., who was succeeded by J. G. Withers, the present proprietor. Mr. W. commenced a partnership with Mr. Ryan in 1832; the latter died in 1847, when Mr. Withers received the sole appointment. Richard Robert Wills, foreman; Patrick John Walsh and William Patrick Boland, journeymen; Henry Thomas Wiseman and John Garrett, apprentices.

The *Chronicle*, St. Johns, was started as a daily in January 1st, 1862; size, 21x29; run as daily to end of Dec., 1865; published as a weekly to March 1st, 1870; tri-weekly started Jan. 1st, 1866; liberal or anti-confederate; proprietor having received an appointment as Vice-Consul to the Brazilian government which prevents him from mixing with politics, the paper is published as a general newspaper. Francis Winton, editor, publisher and proprietor; William Crocker, foreman; George Thos. Oliver and William Green journeymen; Robert Pierce, Charles Green, William Autle, William Martin, James Doroughty and Thomas Rochfort, apprentices.

*Courier*, St. Johns, royal, weekly, liberal or anti-confederate, Joseph J. Woods, editor, proprietor and publisher. It was started in 1844 by Joseph Woods, st., who died March 1st, 1872. It was commenced as a semi-weekly, but

was changed to a weekly about two years ago. James Herder, foreman; George Walsh, journeyman; William Booth, apprentice.

*Temperance Journal*, St. Johns, started July 1st, 1868, size royal, fortnightly. Organ of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance. Ebenezer Brace, proprietor; James Murray, editor; Thomas Devereux, printer; William Guinan, apprentice.

*Terra Nova Advocate and Political Observer*, St. Johns, semi-weekly, 22x29, liberal, started May 4th, 1876, by the present proprietor. The Roman Catholic organ. James Gerve Conroy, editor and proprietor; Joseph English, publisher; James Malowney, William English and James Leggett, apprentices.

*Times*, St. Johns, semi-weekly, size 21x30, independent. Established by the present proprietor, August, 1832; was burnt out June 9th, 1846, was insured; started again about a month after, royal size; Oct. 1871, increased in size again to 21x30. John Williams McCoubrey, sen., editor, publisher and proprietor; Richard Alex. McCoubrey, journeyman; George Marshall, David Marshall and John Travers, apprentices.

*Newfoundland*, St. Johns, semi-weekly, conservative, royal, Edward Dalton Shea, editor, publisher and proprietor. Commenced in 1825 or 1826 by John Shea (brother to the present proprietor); his brother Ambrose succeeded him in 1837 and continued until 1845. The present publisher took charge in the same year. Pierce Joseph O'Brien, foreman; Michael Kelly journeyman; Edward Brennan, John Breen and Thomas Walsh, apprentices.

Prices in St. Johns, Newfoundland, (Newfoundland currency) per 1000 ems, eighteen pence; weekly wages, \$6 to \$7.

Hon. E. D. Shea, editor, publisher and proprietor of the St. Johns *Newfoundland* is Colonial Secretary for the Newfoundland government.

From the year 1864 to 1873 all the newspapers of St. Johns, Newfoundland, with the exception of the *Courier*, *Patriot* and *Chronicle* were against the Bennett (anti-confederate) government.

NEW YORK supplies two newspapers in Nova Scotia with patent in or out sides. There is none supplied to New Brunswick publishers. One only in Quebec, but about seventy in Ontario.