THE NEWS GATHERERS

R. G. Wilkie, formerly of the St. Thomas Journal, is now connected with the Railway and Steamboat Times.

JENNIE BEST, or "Jeannette," of the Montreal Sunday News, is a hard working and successfu journalist.

HARRY STAFFORD, who tried his hand at running the Morrisburg Courier, is now on the local staff of the Montreal Star.

FRANK VIPOND is now editor of the English Canadian, a weekly published in Toronto, in the interests of the Sons of England.

JULIUS CHAMBERS' "Chats on Journalism," in the Boston Weekly Journalist, are intensely interesting and very profitable reading.

JOHN A. GARVIN, formerly of Toronto, but now an editorial writer on the Montreal *Herald*, is one of the most popular journalists in that city.

R. S. BOGART, of the Chicago Herald, and J. W. Walsh, of the Detroit Evening News, recently visited Canada to size up the annexation feeling here.

AMONG the recent additions to the staff of the Montreal *Herald* are J. B. Hurkin, Murray Williams and A. W. Bullock, the two last named being still in their teens.

SAMUEL BYENE and Charles T. L. Allen, both ormerly connected with the Montreal Herald, have started the publication of a trade paper in that city called the Canadian Wine and Spirit Journal.

THE Stillwater, Minn., Gazette says that the man who can run a newspaper can be cured by allowing him to write a sensible article every day for a week. "Before the week is out He is sure to be pumped dry, and will gape worse for an idea than a chicken does with the pip."

TRADE CHAT

Whitewood, a town in Assimbola, wants a newspaper.

THE Peterborough Review has removed to more commodious premises.

Tim office of the Liberal, Portage la Prairie, was recently damaged by fire.

THE Farmers' Advocate, of London, formerly a monthly, is now issued fortnightly.

THE Week, Toronto, now appears in a new form, consisting of twenty instead of sixteen pages, but the pages are slightly smaller.

RUMOR says that Goldwin Smith intends launching forth a full-fledged annexationist journal, with a capital of \$200,000. Rumor is not always truthful.

THE Sun. Toronto, the organ of the annexation element, has been partially eclipsed several times of late. The spots affecting it were not dollar marks.

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