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PART I.

BEING A LIST OF THE DIFFERENT WORDS AND INSCRIPTIONS FOUND ON STAMPS, AND WORDS THAT DIFFER IN ANY MANNER FROM THE ENGLISH, TOGETHER WITH THE NAME OF THE COUNTRY ISSUING STAMPS WITH SUCH WORDS OR INSCRIPTIONS, AND AS FAR AS POSSIBLE THE DATE OF ISSUE.

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B. L. C. I.—Bhopal.

Bollo Della Posta—Two Sicilies (Naples).

Bollo Della Posta Di-Sicilia—Two Sicilies
(Sicily, 1859).

Bollo Della Posta Napoletana—Two Sicilies
(Naples, 1857).

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Bom Empfänger Zahlbar—Bavaria.

Braunschweig—Brunswick.

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By Post—Denmark, env.; Norway.

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Camb. Aust, Sigillum Nov.—New South Wales,
1849.

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- Carriers' Stamp*—U. S.
- Cataluna*—Spain, 1874 (Carlist Insurrection).
- C. B. R. S.*—Sarawak.
- Certificacion con contenido*—U. S. of Colombia (Tolima).
- Certificacion sin contenido*—U. S. of Colombia.
- Certificado*—Spain, 1850.
- Chemens de Fer*—Belgium.
- Chiffre Taxe*—France, unpaid letter; Guadeloupe, unpaid letter, 1884.
- Chile*—Chili.
- Chortillos*—Peru.
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- Cinci Parale*—Roumania.
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- Commission für Retourbrieffe*—Bavaria, return letter, 1865, 1869. (Names of different cities at bottom of stamps.)
- Comunicaciones*—Spain.
- Comunic's*—Spain, 1872.
- Confed. Granadina*—U. S. of Colombia, 1859, 1860.

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1858.

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Correio—Brazil, Cape Verde Ids., Guinea, Macao, 1878, Mozambique, Portugal, Portuguese Indies, St. Thomas and Prince, Timor.

Correo—Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

Correo Antofogasta—Bolivia, env.

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Correos—Antioqua, Argentine Republic, Buenos Ayres, Chili, Costa Rica, Cundinamarca, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guanacaste, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Philippine Ids., Salvador, Spain, St. Domingo, Venezuela.

Correos Bolivia Contratos—Bolivia, 1867.

Correos de Bolivar—U. S. of Colombia (Bolivar).

Correos de Bolivia—Bolivia.

Correos de Espana—Spain, 1868-9.

Correos de Guatemala—Guatemala.

Correos de Honduras—Honduras, 1865.

Correos de Mexico—Mexico.

Correos de la Republica de Colombia—U. S. of Colombia, 1887.

Correos de l'Este do—U. S. of Colombia (Tolima), 1870.

Correos Del Ecuador—Ecuador, 1872.

Correos del Eo. So. del Antioqua—U. S. of Colombia (Antioqua).

Correos Del Estados—U. S. of Colombia (Bolivar).

Correos del Peru—Peru.

Correos Interior—Spain, 1853 (Madrid).

Correos del Salvador—Salvador.

Correios E Telegs—Portugal, 1879.

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Correos Interior—Philippine Ids.

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Correos Nacionales de los EE. UU. de Colombia—U. S. of Colombia, 1883.

Correos Nales—U. S. of Colombia.

Correos Nles—U. S. of Colombia.

Correos Porte Franco—Chili.

Correos Provisorios—U. S. of Colombia (Cundinamarca).

Correos y Telegs—Spain, 1879, 1882.

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C. R.—Fiji Ids.

Cuernavaca—Mexico.

Curacao—Curacoa; Venezuela (La Guira and St. Thomas), 1869.

Damus Patimus Que Vicissim—British Guiana, 1851.

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Dece—Roumania.

Deficit o Franqueo—Peru, unpaid, 1874, 1881.

Departamentos del sur Timbres, 1881, 1882—Peru 1882, (Arequipa).

Departatos del Sur—Peru.

Der K. W. Posten U. Telegraphen—Württemberg.

Derechos de Firma—Philippine Ids., 1881-3.

Devolucion de Correspondencia Sobrante—Spain.

Deutsch. Oester. Postverein Vertrag v. 6 April, 1850—Baden; Germany; Württemberg.

- Deutsche Reichs-Post*—German Empire, 1871, 1872, 1875, 1880.
- Diare Periodice*—Roumania, newspaper.
- Dienst Sache*—Germany (Northern Postal District) official, 1870; Würtemberg, official, 1875.
- Diligencia*—Uruguay, 1856.
- Dios, Patria, Libertad*—Dominican Republic.
- Dios, Patria, Rey*—Spain (Carlist insurrection), 1874, 1875.
- Dios, Union, y Libertad*—Honduras, 1865.
- Di Stato*—Italy, official.
- Dominicaine*—St. Domingo.
- Drammen By Post*—Norway.
- Druckschriften Expedition*—Germany, (Berlin local).
- Duc di Parma Pinc Ecc.*—Parma, 1858.
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- Durch Die K. W. Post Direction*—Würtemberg, return letter, 1875.
- Ecuador Correos*—Ecuador.
- Ecykraiczar*—Hungary, Newspaper, 1868.
- East India Post*—India.
- East India Postage*—India.
- EE. UU. De C. E. S. Del T.*—U. S. of Colombia (Tolima), 1878.

E. E. U. U. de Colombia—U. S. of Colombia,
Antioqua, Bolivar, Cundinamarca, Tolima.

E. E. U. U. De a E. S. Del T.—Tolima.

E. E. U. U. De Venez^a.—Venezuela.

Egytiennes—Egypt.

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Ein Sgr—Hanover.

Empire Franc—France, 1853, 1854.

Empire Française—France, 1863, 1869.

Emp. Ottoman—Turkey, 1876, 1880, 1884.
Eastern Roumelia.

Eo. So. de Antioqua—U. S. of Colombia (An-
tioqua).

Eo. So. de Cundinamarca—U. S. of Colombia
(Cundinamarca).

Eo. So. de Panama—U. S. of Colombia (Pana-
ma).

*Erste K. K. Pr. Donau Dampfschiffahrt
Gesellschaft*—Austria.

Erta—U. S. of Colombia (Antioqua).

Escuelas—Venezuela (for interior postage).

E. S. de Antioqua—U. S. of Colombia (Anti-
oqua).

E. S. del Tolima—U. S. of Colombia (Tolima).

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Estado del Tolima—U. S. of Colombia (Tolima).

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Estado Soberano de Bolivar—U. S. of Colombia (Bolivar).

Estado Soberano de Cundinamarca—U. S. of Colombia (Cundinamarca).

Estado Soberano de Santander—U. S. of Colombia (Santander).

Estados Unidos de Colombia—U. S. of Colombia.

Estados Unidos de Nueva Granada—U. S. of Colombia, 1861.

Estero—Italy, (for foreign offices).

Es. U. S. de Colombia—U. S. of Colombia (Antioqua and Bolivar).

Esp.—Spain, 1872.

Espana—Spain.

Etat Ind. du Congo—Congo Free State.

Etranger—Sweden.

E. U. de Colombia—U. S. of Colombia.

Expres—Denmark.

Federacion—Venezuela.

Fernando Poo—Fernando Po.

Ferro Carril del Norte—Guatemala.

Fiji—Fiji Ids.

Fiji Times Express—Fiji Ids.

Filip^{as} Impresos—Philippine Ids.

Filipinas—Philippine Ids.

For Registration Only—Great Britain, registered envelope, 1878.

Frang }
Française } France.

Franca Coripata—Bolivia (Coripata local).

Franco—Bavaria, Buenos Ayres, Hanover, Mexico, Persia, Philippine Ids., Saxony, Switzerland, Spain.

Franco Bollo—Italy; Modena, Provisional, 1859; Two Sicilies; Tuscany.

Franco Bollo Postale—Italy, Modena, Naples, Romagna, Roman States, Tuscany.

Franco Bollo Postale Italiano—Italy.

Franco En Guadalajara—Mexico, 1869.

Franco en Monterey—Mexico.

Franco Marke—Bremen, 1855, 1861, env.

Franco Scrisorei—Roumania, 1862.

Franqueo—Peru, Spain.

Franqueo Impresos—Spain, 1867, 1872.

Freimarke—Baden, Germany, Prussia, Meck.-Schwerin, Sweden, Würtemberg.

Freimarke Post-Verein—Baden, 1860, 1862.

- Frimarke*—Denmark, Norway, Sweden.
Frimarke Kgl. Post—Denmark, 1851.
Frimarke Lokalbref—Sweden (for city of Stockholm).
F. R. M.—Danish West Indies, Denmark, Schleswig-Holstein.
Fuera de Hora—Uruguay, "Too late," 1879–82.
Fuerte—Venezuela.
G.—Griqualand West.
Gazettei—Roumania.
Gazette Estere—Modena, Parma.
G. D. de Luxembourg—Luxemburg.
Gebühren-Marke—Bavaria, Telegraph.
Grand Duché de Luxembourg—Luxemburg, 1882.
Giornali Stampe—Italy, newspaper, 1861.
Government City Dispatch—United States, Carriers' Stamp, 1851.
G. P. E.—Guadaloupe.
Grossh. Mecklenb. Schwerin—Mecklenburg Schwerin, env., 1856.
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Guy Franc—French Guiana, 1887.
G. W.—Griqualand West.
Habilitado—Philippine Ids., Spain.

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Hamburg Postmarke—Hamburg.

Hannover—Hanover.

Hawaiian Islands—Hawaii, 1853.

Hawaiian Postage—Hawaii, 1852, 1859.

Helmi—Finland.

Helsingfors—Finland.

Helsingissa—Finland.

Helvetia—Switzerland.

Herzogth. Holstein—Schleswig-Holstein (Holstein), 1865.

Herzogth. Schleswig—Schleswig-Holstein, (Schleswig) 1864.

Herzogthum—Schleswig-Holstein (Holstein).

H. H. Nawab. Shah Jahanbegam—Bhopal, 1877, 1879, 1881.

H. I. and U. S.—Hawaii, 1852.

H. I. Postage—Sandwich Ids. (Hawaii).

Holte Landpost—Denmark (local).

Honolulu—Hawaii, 1853.

Hortens By Post—Norway (Hortens, local).

H. R. Z. G. L.—Holstein.

Hzzgl. Post Frmrk—Schleswig-Holstein (Holstein), 1864.

Ikke Expres—Denmark.

Ile de la Reunion—Reunion Id.

- Imperial Japanese Post*—Japan.
- Imperio Mexicano*—Mexico, 1866.
- Imper. reg-posta Austr.*—Austrian Italy.
- Imp^{to} De Guerra*—Spain.
- Impresos*—Spain.
- Impuesto de Guerra*—Spain, war tax, 1873,
1875.
- India Port* }
India Portugueza } Portuguese Indies.
- Inland*—Liberia, 1881.
- Interinsular Postage*—Bahamas, 1859.
- Inter Island*—Hawaii, 1859.
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- J. A. J. & Z.*—Venezuela (La Guira and St.
Thomas), 1869.
- Japanese Empire*—Japan, 1876.
- J. B. R. S.*—Sarawak.
- Jefatura de Hacienda del Estado de Cam-
peche*—Mexico.
- Jornaes*—Azores, Madeira; Portugal, 1876.
- Jheend State*—Jhind.
- J. H. S.*—Switzerland (Geneva), 1843.
- Journaux*—France.
- Journ^x en Franchise*—Turkey.
- Kais. Kön.*—Austria.
- Kais. Königl.*—Austria.

Kais Königl Oesterr Post—Austria, 1883.

Kais Kön Zeitungs Stempel—Austria, newspaper tax, 1850; Austrian Italy, 1858.

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Katchak Posta—Turkey, contraband stamps.

Kaupungin Post—Finland, local.

K. G. L.—Danish West Indies, Denmark.

K. G. L. Post FR. M.—Denmark, 1853, 1864, env. 1865, 1875.

K. G. L. Post FR. M.—Danish West Indies, 1855.

Kjobenhavns by oghus Telegraf—Denmark.

K. K. Post Stempel—Austria, 1850.

K. K. Zeitungs Post Stempel—Austria, newspaper, 1851, 1858, 1861, 1863.

K. Württ.—Württemberg.

K. Württ-Post—Württemberg.

Kongelicht—Denmark.

Kongeligt Post Frimarke—Denmark, 1851, 1853, 1858.

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La Guira—Venezuela (LaGuira and St. Thomas).

La Ley—Bolivia, 1876.

Land Post—Baden; Denmark.

Land Post Porto Marke—Baden, unpaid letter, 1862.

- Libertad*—U. S. of Colombia (Antioqua), Venezuela.
- Libertad 15 de Septiembre 1821*—Guatemala.
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- Libertas y Orden*—U. S. of Colombia (Cundinamarca).
- Lima*—Peru.
- L. McL.*—Trinidad, locals issued by owners ship "Lady McLeod."
- Local Taxe*—Switzerland (Zurich), 1843.
- Lokal Bref*—Sweden.
- Lokal Post*—Finland.
- Losen*—Sweden, unpaid, 1874.
- Luebeck*—Lubeck, 1883.
- L'Union Fait La Force*—Belgium.
- Luxembourg*—Luxemburg.
- Macau*—Macao.
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- Magy. Kir. Hirnap Beker*—Hungary, newspaper, 1876.
- Mecklenb. Strelitz*—Mecklenburg Strelitz.
- Mecklenb. Schwerin*—Mecklenburg Schwerin, 1856.
- Mejico*—Mexico.
- Mexicano*—Mexico.
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- Montevideo*—Uruguay, 1859.
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- Napoletana*—Naples.
- Nawab Shah Jahanbegam*—Bhopal.
- N. C. E.*—New Caledonia, 1881.
- Nederland*—Holland.
- Nederl. Indie*—Dutch Indies, 1864.
- Ned. Indie*—Dutch Indies.
- N^{ie} Caledonia*—New Caledonia, 1858.
- Nieuwe Republiek*—New Republic.
- No nay Estampillas*—U. S. of Colombia.
- Norddeutscher Postbezirk*—Germany (Northern Postal District), 1868.
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- N. Z.*—New Zealand.
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- Os Tenebras ux*—Switzerland (Geneva), 1843.
- Paquete*—Venezuela (La Guira and St. Thomas).
- Pax et Justitia*—St. Vincent.
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- Peru Correos*—Peru.
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- Plata*—Peru.
- Pocztmiejskawarszawska*—Poland, 1860, Warsaw env.
- Port*—Dutch Indies, Holland, unpaid letter, Surinam.
- Port Cantonal*—Switzerland (Geneva), 1843.
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- Porte de Mar*—Mexico, unpaid letter, 1874–81.
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- Port Local*—Switzerland (Geneva), 1843.
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- Porto Gazetei*—Roumania, 1858.
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- Porto Pflichtige*—Württemberg, official, 1875.
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- Post Office*—Mauritius, United States.
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- Post Tenebras Lux*—Switzerland.
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- P. S. N. C.*—Peru.
- P^{to} Cabello*—Venezuela (La Guira and St. Thomas).
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- R*—Jhind; U. S. of Colombia, registered.
- Rayon*—Switzerland, 1852.

Registro—U. S. of Colombia.

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Rep. O. Del. Uruguay—Uruguay, 1882.

Repub. di S. Marino—San Marino.

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Republica Argentina—Argentine Republic,
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Republica De Honduras—Honduras, 1878.

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Republica del Salvador—Salvador.

Republica Oriental—Uruguay.

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1866.

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Republiek—Stellaland.

Republique D'Haiti—Hayti, 1881, 1883.

Republique Française—France, 1876, 1877,
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Retourbrief Kgl. Oberamt—Bavaria, return letter, 1872.

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Romagne—Romagna.

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- Roumelie Orientale*—Eastern Roumelia.
- Royaume Belgique*—Belgium, 1869, issue fifty cents, gray.
- Rufino F.*—Salvador, 1887.
- Sachsen*—Saxony.
- San Tomas*—Venezuela (La Guira and St. Thomas).
- Scinde District Dawk*—India.
- Scrisorei*—Roumania.
- Segna Tassa*—Italy, unpaid letter, 1863, 1869.
- Segnalasse*—Italy, unpaid letter, 1870.
- Service des Postes Persanes*—Persia, 1881, official.
- Services Postal*—Mexico.
- Servicio Nacional El Presidente de la Republica*—Dominican Republic.
- Servicio Postal del Salvador*—Salvador, 1887.
- Servicio Postal Mexicano*—Mexico, 1884, 1885.
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- S. H.*—Schleswig-Holstein.
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- Stampe*—Italy.
- Stempel*—Austria.
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Tassi Gazzette—Modena, 1859, newspapers.

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land, Surinam, unpaid letter.

Telegram Frimaerke—Denmark.

Telegram Frm—Denmark.

Thron djems—Norway.

Thurn u. Taxis—Germany.

Timb. Poste—Reunion Ids.

Timbre de Guatemala—Guatemala.

Timbre Imperial—France.

Timbre—Salvador.

Timbres 1881, 1882—Peru.

Tjenste—Denmark, Sweden.

Tjenste Frimarke—Sweden, official.

Tjeneste Post Frimarke—Denmark, official,
1871, 1875.

Too Late—Victoria.

Toscana—Tuscany.

Transacciones Sociales—Bolivia, 1870.

Tuscana—Tuscany.

Uku Leta—Hawaii, 1859.

Ultramar—Cuba, Porto Rico.

Ultramar ano 1873—Porto Rico, 1873.

Union Postal Universal—Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Salvador, U. S. of Colombia.

Union Postale Universelle Equateur—Ecuador, 1887.

U. P. U.—U. S. of Colombia.

U. S.—United States.

U. S. P. O. Despatch—United States.

Vancouver's Island—British Columbia, 1865.

Van Dieman's Land—Tasmania, 1853, 1855.

Venezolana—Venezuela, 1863.

V. R.—Fiji Ids., Transvaal.

Wanajavesi Angsatbolag—Finland, local.

Wendensche Kreis Brief Post—Livonia.

Wurttemberg—Württemberg.

Yki Markha—Finland, 1866.

Z. Afr. Republiek—South African Republic.

Zeitungs—Austria.

Zemaljska vlada za Bosnu iza Hercegovinu—Bosnia and Herzegovinia.

Zur Ermittlung des Absenders—Württemberg.

Zurich—Switzerland (Zurich), 1843.

24 May, '86, *Zuid Afrika*—New Republic.

ΑΝΑΤΟΛΙΚΑ ΡΩΜΕΛΙΑ—Roumelia.

ΕΛΛ Γ ΠΑΜΜ—Greece.

ΕΝΑΠΙΟΜΟΝ Γ ΠΑΜΜΑ ΤΟΣΗΜΟΝ—Greece,
unpaid letter.

ΠΟΡΤΟ ΓΚΡΗΓΗΝ—Roumania, 1858.

ΙΟΝΙΚΟΝ ΚΡΑΤΟΣ—Ionian Isles.

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PART II.

BEING A LIST OF THE DIFFERENT COUNTRIES THAT ISSUE OR HAVE ISSUED POSTAGE STAMPS, TOGETHER WITH THE POPULATION, RULER, AREA, CURRENCY, VALUE OF IN U. S., AND DATE OF FIRST ISSUE, ETC.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Republic in North America. Population 68,000,000. Area 3,587,681 sq. miles. President, GROVER CLEVELAND.

10 cents = 1 dime.

10 dimes = 1 dollar.

Stamps first issued 1847. Provisionals as early as 1842.

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA.

Attempted Republic in North America of several Southern States, December 20, 1860, to April 9, 1865.

AFGHANISTAN.

Protected State of British Empire in India. Population 7,000,000. Area 300,000 sq. miles.

First stamps 1870.

ALSACE AND LORRAINE.

Part of Germany, formerly part of France.

Stamps were issued by the German authorities in 1870 and used in the parts of France occupied by them in the war of 1870.

ALWAR.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.
Population 77,900.
First stamps 1877.

ANGOLA.

Portuguese colony in Africa since 1488. Population
1,000,000. Area 200,000 sq. miles.
1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).
Stamps issued 1870.

ANTIGUA.

British colony in West Indies since 1767. Population
36,178. Area 168 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First issue of stamps 1862.

ANTIOQUA.

State of U. S. of Colombia.
First stamps 1868.

AREQUIPA.

Province of Peru.
Issued stamps in 1881—'82—'85.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

Republic in South America. President, GEN. JULIO
A. ROCA. Population 2,540,000. Area 1,375,896 sq.
miles.
100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 peso fuerte (98 cents).
First issue stamps 1858.

AUSTRIA.

Empire in Europe. Emperor, FRANCIS JOSEPH I.
Population 20,230,000. Area 115,644 sq. miles.
Empire includes Hungary.
100 kreuzers = 1 gulden florin (45 cents).
Ducat = \$2.27.
Old rix dollar = 95 cents.
New Union dollar = 68 cents.
First issue of stamps 1850.

AZORES ISLANDS.

Portuguese colony in North Atlantic Ocean since 1485.

Population 261,907. Area 1134 sq. miles.

1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).

First issue of stamps 1868.

BADEN.

Grand Duchy in German Empire. Population 1,621,-428. Area 5830 sq. miles.

60 kreuzers = 1 gulden florin (40 cents).

100 kreuzers = 68 cents.

Stamps first issued 1851. Superseded, 1868, by those of North German Postal District.

BAHAMAS.

British colony in West Indies since 1629. Population

55,521. Area 5794 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First issue of stamps 1859.

BANGKOK.

Protected State of Straits Settlements.

First stamps 1882.

BARBADOES.

British colony in West Indies since 1625. Population

171,860. Area 166 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First issue stamps 1852.

BAVARIA.

Kingdom in German Empire. Area 29,292 sq. miles.

Population 5,284,778. King —.

100 pfennig = 1 mark (25 cents).

60 kreuzers = 1 florin (40 cents).

100 kreuzers = 68 cents.

Controls its own postal affairs. First issue of stamps 1849.

BELGIUM.

Kingdom in Europe. King, LEOPOLD II. Population 5,855,197. Area 11,373 sq. miles.
 100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).
 First issue of stamps 1849.

BERGEDORF.

Free city in German Empire. Population 11,000.
 Area 40 sq. miles.
 16 schilling = 12 groschen = 1 mark courant (28 cents).
 First issue of stamps 1861, superseded in 1868 by stamps of North German Postal District.

BERMUDA.

British colony in West Indies since 1609. Population 14,667. Area 47 sq. miles.
 Currency same as Great Britain.
 First issue stamps 1865.

BHOPAL.

Protected State of British Empire in India.
 First stamps 1877.

BHORE.

Protected State of British Empire in India.
 First stamps 1879.

BOLIVIA.

Republic in South America. President, NARCISO CAMPERO. Population 2,325,000. Area 500,870 sq. miles.
 100 centavos = 1 peso (83 cents).
 New dollar = 91½ cents.
 First issue of stamps 1867.

BOLIVAR.

State of U. S. of Colombia.
 First stamps 1863.

BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA.

Turkish Province in Europe, occupied since treaty of Berlin, 1878, by an Austrian army. Population 1,350,000. Area 26,874 sq. miles.

100 kreuzers = 48 cents.

First and only issue of adhesive stamps 1879, env. stamps 1882.

BRAZIL.

Empire in South America. Emperor, DOM PEDRO II D'ALCANTARA. Population 12,200,000. Area 3,288,000 sq. miles.

1000 reis = 1 milreis (55 cents).

First issue stamps 1843.

BREMEN.

Free city in German Empire. Population 123,000 (population of town 83,000). Area 112 sq. miles.

72 grote = 1 gold thaler (82 cents).

100 grote = \$1.15.

First issue of stamps 1855.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VANCOUVER'S ISLAND.

British colony in North America since 1858. Population 55,000. Area 355,000 sq. miles. Now included in Dominion of Canada.

12 pence = 1 shilling (25 cents).

100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).

First issue of stamps 1861, superseded in 1868 by those of Canada.

BRITISH GUIANA.

British colony in South America since 1795. Population 257,473. Area 76,000 sq. miles.

100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).

First issue of stamps 1850; (exceedingly rare.)

BRITISH HONDURAS (BALIZE).

British colony in Central America since 1786. Population 100,000. Area 62,740 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First issue of stamps 1865.

BRUNSWICK.

Grand Duchy in German Empire. Population 311,750.
Area 1525 sq. miles.
10 pfennige = 1 silber groschen.
30 silber groschen = 1 thaler (72 cents).
100 silber groschen = \$2.40.
First issue of stamps 1852, superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

BUENOS AYRES.

Province of Argentine Republic. Population 350,000.
Area 72,972 sq. miles.
8 reales = 1 peso (5 cents).
First issue of stamps 1858; superseded in 1862 by those of Argentine Republic.

BULGARIA.

Turkish principality since 1878. Population 2,075,000.
Area 27,538 sq. miles.
100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).
100 stotinki = 1 florin (48 cents).
First issue of stamps 1879.

CANADA.

British colony in North America since 1763. Population 5,000,000. Area 3,483,952 sq. miles.
100 cents = 5 shillings = 1 dollar (\$1).
First issue of stamps 1851.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

British colony in Africa since 1806. Population 1,230,000. Area 211,471 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First issue of stamps 1853. Very scarce.

CAPE VERDE ISLANDS.

Portuguese colony in Africa since 1450, comprising fourteen islands. Population 90,750. Area about 1680 sq. miles.

1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).

First issue of stamps 1877.

CEYLON.

British colony in Asia since 1796. Population 2,758,529. Area 24,664 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain and 100 cents = 1 rupee (48 cents).

First issue of stamps 1857.

CHILI.

Republic in South America. President, BOLMACEDA.

Population 2,375,971. Area 182,790 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 1 peso (85 cents).

First issue of stamps 1852.

CHINA.

Empire in Asia. Emperor, KUANG SÜ. Population 433,000,000. Area 4,540,000 sq. miles.

1000 cash = 100 candarins = 10 mace (\$1).

Dollar (English mint) = 99 cents.

English local stamps for use in treaty ports; first issue 1878.

COREA.

Kingdom in Asia. Population 7,500,000. Area 91,000 sq. miles.

1000 mons = \$1.

Stamps issued 1884.

CORDOVA.

Province of Argentine Republic. Issued stamps 1859.

CORRIENTES.

Province of Argentine Republic. Population 205,000.

First stamps 1856.

COSTA RICA.

Republic in Central America. President, GEN'L DON PROSPERO FERNANDES. Population 200,000. Area 21,495 sq. miles.
 100 centavos = 1 peso (80 cents).
 First issue of stamps 1862.

CUBA.

Spanish colony in West Indies. Population 1,650,000. Area 42,383 sq. miles.
 100 centimos = 10 reales plata = 1 escudo or peseta (20 cents).
 10 escudo = 1 doubloon (\$5.15).
 100 cents = 1 peso (\$1).
 First issue of stamps 1855.

CUNDINAMARCA.

State of U. S. of Colombia.
 First stamps 1870.

CURACOA.

Dutch colony in West Indies. Population 41,875. Area 580 sq. miles.
 100 cents = 1 gulden or florin (41 cents).
 First issue of stamps 1873.

CUZCO.

Province of Peru.
 Issued stamps in 1883.

CYPRUS.

British colony in Mediterranean since 1878. Population 186,000. Area 4000 sq. miles.
 40 paras = 1 piastre (3 cents).
 12 pence = 1 shilling (25 cents).
 First stamps issued 1880.

DANISH WEST INDIES.

Danish colonies in West Indies (3 islands). Population 45,000. Area 164 sq. miles.
 100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).
 First issue of stamps 1855.

DECCAN.

See HYDERABAD.

DENMARK.

Kingdom in Europe. King, CHRISTIAN IX. Population 2,096,500. Area 15,900 sq. miles.

100 ore = 1 now krona (25 cents).

12 skillinge = 1 mark (9 cents).

6 mark = 1 rigsbank daler (52 cents).

100 skillinge = 75 cents.

First stamps issued 1851.

DOMINICA.

British colony in West Indies. Population 28,500.

Area 290 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First series stamps 1874.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.

Republic in West Indies. Population 350,000. Area 20,500 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

Previous to 1883, 100 cents = 8 reales = 1 gourde (\$1).

First series stamps 1862.

DUTCH INDIES.

Dutch colony in Oceanica. Population 25,000,000.

Area 557,600 sq. miles.

100 cents = 1 gulden or florin (41 cents).

First series stamps 1864.

EASTERN ROUMELIA.

Turkish principality in Europe since 1878. Governor,

PRINCE VOGORIDES (ALIKO PASHA). Population

816,000. Area 13 663 sq. miles.

40 paras = 1 piastre (5 cents).

First series stamps 1880.

ECUADOR.

Republic in South America. President, J. M. P. CAAMANO. Population 1,200,000. Area 248,580 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 12 reales = 1 peso (\$1).

First issue of stamps 1865.

EGYPT.

Vice Royalty in Africa. Khedive, MOHAMMED TEWFIK. Population 5,517,500. Area 212,600 sq. miles.

3 asper = 1 para.

40 paras = 1 piastre (4 cents).

100 piastres = 1 bedidlik (\$4.97).

First series of stamps 1865.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

British colonies near coast of South America since 1771, comprising 100 islands. Population 1543. Area 4740 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First and only stamps issued 1878.

FARIDKOT.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.

First stamps 1882.

FERNANDO PO.

Spanish colony in Africa. Population 11,000. Area 880 sq. miles.

100 c de peso = \$1.

First stamps issued 1868.

FIJI ISLANDS.

British colony of 225 islands in Oceanica since 1874.

Last king, CACABAU. Population 150,000. Area 80,000 sq. miles.

Currency same as in U. S. and Great Britain.

First stamps issued 1870.

FINLAND.

Grand Duchy in Europe. Grand Duke, CZAR OF RUSSIA. Population 2,030,000. Area 144,228 sq. miles.

100 pennia = 1 mark (19 cents).

Formerly currency was the same as in Russia.

First stamps issued 1856.

FRANCE.

Republic in Europe. (Empire from 1852 to 1870. Emperor, NAPOLEON III.) President, F. P. J. GREVY.

Population 38,192,094. Area 204,825 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps issued 1849.

FRENCH COLONIES.

Comprise Guadeloupe, Martinique, New Caledonia, etc.

Population 367,347. Area 4500 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps 1860. These stamps are used in all the French possessions but Algeria.

FRENCH GUIANA.

French colony in South America.

Stamps 1887.

GAMBIA.

British colony in Africa. Population 14,000. Area 21 sq. miles. Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1869.

GERMANY.

Empire in Europe. Emperor, WILLIAM I, of Prussia.

Population 42,727,262. Area 223,098 sq. miles.

10 pfennige = 1 groschen.

10 groschen = 1 mark (24 cents).

30 groschen = 1 thaler (72 cents).

100 centimes = 1 franc.

60 kreuzers = 1 florin or gulden (39 cents).

First stamps of Empire 1871; Northern States 1852;

Southern States 1852; Northern Postal District 1868.

GOLD COAST.

British colony in Africa since 1850. Population 52,000.

Area 16,620 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1875.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Limited monarchy in Europe. Queen, VICTORIA.

Population 34,885,000. Area 121,230 sq. miles.

12 pence = 1 shilling (25 cents).

20 shillings = 1 pound (\$4.84).

First stamps issued in 1840. This was the first country to adopt postage stamps.

GREECE.

Kingdom in Europe. King, GEORGE I. Population

1,500,000. Area 19,941 sq. miles.

100 lepta = 1 drachma (16 cents).

First stamps 1861.

GRENADA.

British colony in West Indies since 1872. Population

42,500. Area 155 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1860.

GUADALOUPE.

French colony in West Indies. Population 175,800.

Area 716 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps 1884; unpaid letter 1877.

GUATEMALA.

Republic in Central America. President, M. L. BA-

RILLAS. Population 1,500,000. Area 40,778 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 8 reales (\$1).

First stamps 1871.

GUINEA.

Portuguese colony in Africa since 1847. Population 300,000. Area 10,000 sq. miles.
 1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).
 First stamps 1879.

GWALIOR.

Protected State of British Empire in India.
 First stamps 1885.

HAMBURG.

Free city in Europe. Population 298,324. Area 151 sq. miles.
 First stamps 1859; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

HANOVER.

Kingdom in Europe. King, GEORGE FREDERICK V.
 Population 2,000,000. Area 14,830 sq. miles.
 10 pfennige = 1 groschen.
 12 pfennige = 1 silber groschen.
 24 gute groschen, 30 groschen or 30 silber groschen = 1 thaler (73 cents).
 First stamps 1850; superseded by those of North German Postal District 1868.

HAWAII (SANDWICH ISLANDS).

Kingdom in Pacific Ocean. King, DAVID KALAKUA.
 Population 75,000. Area 80,000 sq. miles (thirteen islands).
 100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).
 First stamps 1852. Very rare.

HAYTI.

Republic in West Indies. President, GEN'L SALOMON.
 Population 550,000. Area 29,000 sq. miles.
 100 centavos = 1 gourde (\$1).
 First stamps 1881.

HELIGOLAND.

British colony in Europe since 1807. Population 2225. Area 1 sq. mile.

Currency same as Germany and Great Britain.

First stamps 1867.

HOLLAND (NETHERLANDS).

Kingdom in Europe. King, WILLIAM III. Population 4,225,500. Area 18,890 sq. miles.

100 cents = 1 gulden or florin (41 cents).

First stamps 1852.

HOLSTEIN.

Europe.

Issued stamps in 1864, 1865, and 1866.

See SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN.

HONDURAS.

Republic in Central America. President, LUIZ BOG-RAN. Population 350,000. Area 39,600 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 peso (\$1).

First stamps 1865.

HONG KONG.

British colony in Asia since 1842. Population 160,500. Area 32 sq. miles.

Standard coin, Mexican dollar = \$1.

First stamps 1862.

HUNGARY.

Kingdom in Europe. King, FRANCIS JOSEPH of Austria. Population 17,510,000. Area 132,236 sq. miles.

100 kreuzers = 1 gulden or florin (48 cents).

First stamps 1871.

HYDERABAD (DECCAN).

Protected State of British Empire in India.

First stamps 1866.

ICELAND.

Danish colony in North Atlantic Ocean since 1387.

Population 71,500. Area 39,543 sq. miles.

100 aur = 1 krona (25 cents).

12 skillinge = 1 mark (9 cents).

100 skillinge = 75 cents.

First stamps 1873.

INDIA.

British territory in Asia since 1611. Consisting of nine provinces. Population 253,950,000. Area 1,377,540 sq. miles.

12 pies = 1 anna.

16 annas = 1 rupee (49 cents).

15 rupees = 1 mohur (\$7.10).

First stamps 1854.

IONIAN ISLES.

Formerly British colony in Europe, now included in Greece. Population 235,000. Area 1092 sq. miles.

100 oboli = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1859; superseded by those of Greece in 1862.

ITALY.

Kingdom in Europe. King, HUMBERT. Population 28,460,000. Area 114,406 sq. miles.

100 centessimi = 1 lira (19 cents).

First stamps 1851.

JAPAN.

Monarchy in Asia. Mikado, MUTSUHITO. Population 35,925,313. Area 156,604 sq. miles.

10,000 mons or sepei = 100 sens or tempos = 1 yen (99 cents).

First stamps 1871.

JAMAICA.

British colony in West Indies since 1655. Population 580,804. Area 5468 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1860.

JHIND.

Protected State of British Empire in India.
First stamps 1875.

KASHMIR.

Protected State of British Empire in India.
First stamps 1866.

LABUAN.

British colony in Africa since 1847. Population 6000.
Area 30 sq. miles.
100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).
First stamps 1879.

LAGOS.

British colony off coast of Guinea, Africa, since 1861.
Population 75,275. Area 5000 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1874.

LAGUIRA AND ST. THOMAS.

Two ports of Venezuela.
First stamps 1864.

LIBERIA.

Republic in Africa. President, H. R. W. JOHNSON.
Population 1,500,000. Area 25,000 sq. miles.
100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).
First stamps 1860.

LUBECK.

Free city in Europe. Population 51,000. Area 142 sq. miles.
First stamps 1859; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

LUXEMBURG.

Grand Duchy in Europe. Grand Duke, KING OF HOLLAND. Population 209,520. Area 999 sq. miles.
1 silber groschen = 2½ cents.
100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).
First stamps 1852.

MACAO.

Portuguese colony in Asia. Population 72,000. Area 14 sq. miles. 1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).
First stamps 1878.

MADAGASCAR.

Africa. First stamps 1885.

MADEIRA.

Portuguese colony on coast of Africa since 1430. Population 125,000. Area 336 sq. miles.
Currency same as Portugal.
Stamps first issued 1868; superseded in 1880 by those of Portugal.

MALTA.

British colony in Mediterranean since 1800. Population 156,313. Area 115 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1860.

MAURITIUS.

British colony in Africa since 1810. Population 360,000. Area 704 sq. miles.
100 cents = 1 rupee (48 cents). Formerly same as Great Britain. First stamps 1847.

MECKLENBURG SCHWERIN.

Grand Duchy in Europe. Grand Duke, FREDERICK FRANCIS II. Population 579,000. Area 5138 sq. miles.
48 schillinge = 1 thaler (72 cents).
First stamps 1856; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

MECKLENBURG STRELITZ.

Grand Duchy in Europe. Grand Duke, FREDERICK WILLIAM. Population 100,269. Area 1131 sq. miles.
Currency same as Meck. Schwerin.
First stamps 1864; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

MEXICO.

Republic in North America. President, GEN. PORFIRIO DIAZ. Population 10,000,000. Area 761,640 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 dollar (\$1)

1 doubloon (gold) = \$15.60.

First stamps 1856.

MODENA.

Duchy in Europe. Grand Duke, FRANCIS V. Population 350,000. Area 2300 sq. miles.

100 centesimi = 1 lira (19 cents).

First stamps 1852; superseded in 1860 by those of Italy.

MONACO.

Principality in Europe. Prince, CHARLES III. Population 8000. Area 6 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps 1885.

MONTENEGRO.

Principality in Europe. Prince, NICOLAS. Population 245,500. Area 1710 sq. miles.

100 soldi or novtsch = 1 florin (48 cents).

First stamps 1874.

MONTSERRAT.

British colony in West Indies since 1632. Population 10,000. Area 47 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1876.

MOQUEGA.

Province of Peru.

Issued stamps in 1883.

MOZAMBIQUE.

Portuguese colony in Africa since 1498. Population 300,000. Area 380,000 sq. miles.

Currency same as Portugal.

First stamps 1877.

NABHA.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.

First stamps 1885.

NAPLES.

Province of Italy, formerly kingdom.

First stamps 1857.

See TWO SICILIES.

NATAL.

British colony in Africa since 1843. Population 418,750. Area 18,750 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1857.

NETHERLANDS.

See HOLLAND.

NEVIS.

British colony in West Indies since 1628. Population 11,735. Area 45 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1861.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

British colony in North America since 1763. Population 321,223. Area 27,174 sq. miles.

100 cents = 5 shillings = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1851; superseded in 1867 by those of Canada.

NEW CALEDONIA.

French colony in Oceanica. Population 60,000. Area 7722 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 19 cents.

First stamps 1858.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

British colony in North America since 1713. Population 161,500. Area 40,200 sq. miles.

100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).

12 pence = 1 shilling (25 cents).

20 shillings = 1 pound (\$4.84).

First stamps 1857.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

British colony in Australia, Oceanica, since 1788.

Population 841,000. Area 310,700 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1838.

NEW ZEALAND.

British colony in Oceanica since 1841. Population

540,877. Area 104,403 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1855.

NICARAUGUA.

Republic in Central America. President, DR. ADAM
CARDENAS. Population 300,000. Area 58,170 sq.
miles.

100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1862.

NORTH BORNEO.

Northern part of Borneo, in Oceanica. Governed by
a British Trading and Colonization Company. Lt.-
Gov., W. H. TREACHER.

100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1883.

NORWAY.

Kingdom in Europe. King, OSCAR II. Population
1,818,853. Area 122,280 sq. miles.

30 skillinge or 100 ore = 1 krona (25 cents).

First stamps 1854.

NOVA SCOTIA.

British colony in North America since 1714. Popula-
tion 440,572. Area 20,907 sq. miles.

100 cents = 4 shillings = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1857; superseded in 1867 by those of
Canada.

NOWANUGGER.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.

First stamps 1877.

OLDENBURG.

Grand Duchy in Europe. Grand Duke, PETER. Population 337,500. Area 2470 sq. miles.
30 groschen or silber groschen = 1 thaler (73 cents).
First stamps 1852; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

ORANGE FREE STATE.

Republic in Africa. President, J. H. BRAND. Population 133,600. Area 46,000 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1868.

PAITA.

Province of Peru.
Issued stamps in 1883.

PANAMA.

State of U. S. of Colombia.
First stamps 1878.

PARAGUAY.

Republic in South America. President, GEN'L CABALLERO. Population 293,850. Area 56,700 sq. miles.
100 centavos = 8 reales (\$1).
First stamps 1870.

PARMA.

Duchy in Europe. Population 256,000. Area 1256 sq. miles.
100 centessimi = 1 lira (19 cents).
First stamps 1852; superseded in 1860 by those of Germany.

PASCO.

Province of Peru.
Issued stamps in 1883.

PERAK.

Asiatic State using stamps of Straits Settlements.
First stamps 1860.

PERSIA.

Monarchy in Asia. Shah, NASR-ED-DEEN. Population 8,000,000. Area 648,000 sq. miles.
 100 centimes = 1 franc (20 cents).
 20 shahis = 1 kran (20 cents).
 250 shahis = 12½ kran = 1 toman (\$2.52).
 First stamps 1871.

PERU.

Republic in South America. President, GEN'L CACERES. Population 3,375,000. Area 502,760 sq. miles.
 100 centavos = 50 dineros = 5 pesetas = 1 sol (90 cents).
 First stamps 1858.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Spanish colony in Oceanica since 1566. Population 6,193,232. Area 53,299 sq. miles.
 100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 peso fuerte (\$1.08); also same as Spain.
 First stamps 1854.

PIURA.

Province of Peru.
 Issued stamps in 1883.

POLAND.

Kingdom in Europe, annexed to Russia. Population 5,319,363. Area 49,290 sq. miles.
 Currency same as Russia.
 First stamps 1858; superseded in 1865 by those of Russia.

PORTO RICO.

Spanish colony in West Indies since 1509. Population 635,677. Area 3865 sq. miles.
 Currency same as Spain.
 First stamps 1868.

PORTUGAL.

Kingdom in Europe. King, DOM LUIS I. Population 4,745,124 Area 33,812 sq. miles.
 1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).
 First stamps 1853.

PORTUGUESE INDIES.

Portuguese colonies in Oceanica. Population 445,000 (3 islands). Area 110 or more sq. miles.
 Currency same as Portugal.
 First stamps 1871.

POUNTCH.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.
 First stamps 1880.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

British colony in North America since 1758. Population 108,000. Area 2134 sq. miles.
 12 pence = 1 shilling (25 cents).
 100 cents = 1 dollar = 4 shillings sterling = 6 shillings currency (\$1).
 First stamps 1860; superseded in 1873 by those of Canada.

PRUSSIA.

Kingdom in Europe. King, WILLIAM IV. Population 25,000,000. Area 194,315 sq. miles.
 12 pfennige = 1 silber groschen (2½ cents).
 30 silber groschen = 1 thaler (72 cents).
 100 kreuzer = 50 cents.
 First stamps 1850; superseded in 1868 by those of the North German Postal District.

PUNO.

Province of Peru.
 Issued stamps in 1881.

PUNJAUB.

See JHIND.

PUTTIALA.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.

First stamps 1884.

QUEENSLAND.

British colony in Australia since 1824. Population 287,475. Area 668,224 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1861.

RAJPEEPLA.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.

First stamps 1880.

RAMPOUR.

See JHIND.

REUNION ISLANDS.

French colonies in Africa. Population 209,688. Area 970 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps 1852. Worth about \$500 each.

ROMAGNA.

Papal Province in Italy. Population 980,547. Area 3702 sq. miles.

100 bajocchi = 1 scudo (\$1.03).

First stamps 1859; superseded in 1860 by those of Italy.

ROMAN STATES.

Paparchy in Italy. Present Pope, LEO XIII. Population 2,000,000. Area 5000 sq. miles.

100 bajocchi = 1 scudo (\$1.03).

100 centessimi = 20 cents.

First stamps 1852; superseded in 1870 by stamps of Italy.

ROUMANIA.

Kingdom in Europe. King CHARLES I. Population 5,376,000. Area 49,262 sq. miles.
100 bani = 1 lei (20 cents).
40 paras = 1 piastre (5 cents).
First stamps 1858.

RUSSIA.

Absolute Monarchy in Europe and Asia. Czar, ALEXANDER III. Population 100,500,000. Area 8,325,393 sq. miles.
100 kopecs = 1 rouble (74 cents).
First stamps 1857.

ST. CHRISTOPHER.

British colony of two islands in West Indies. Population 42,775. Area 103 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1870.

ST. HELENA.

British colony in island near coast of Africa since 1673. Population 5000. Area 47 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1856.

ST. LUCIA.

British colony in West Indies since 1803. Population 40,532. Area 250 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps issued 1859.

ST. THOMAS AND PRINCE ISLANDS.

Portuguese colony off coast of Africa. Population 30,000. Area 145 sq. miles.
1000 reis = 1 milreis (\$1.08).
First stamps 1869.

ST. VINCENT.

British colony in West Indies since 1756. Population 40,550. Area 132 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1861.

SALVADOR.

Republic in Central America. President, RAFAEL ZALDIVAR. Population 555,000. Area 7335 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 peso (\$1).

First stamps 1867.

SAMOA.

British settlement in Oceanica. Population 60,000. Area 1125 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1877. Authorities differ as to the genuineness of the stamps of this country. ♦

SANDWICH ISLANDS.

See HAWAII.

SAN MARINO.

Republic in Europe. Population 10,000. Area 21 sq. miles.

Currency same as Italy.

First stamps 1877.

SANTANDER.

State of U. S. of Colombia.

First stamps 1884.

SARAWAK.

Province of Borneo, in Oceanica. Rajah, C. J. BROOKE.

Population 200,000.

100 cents = 50 cents.

First stamps 1869.

SAXONY.

Kingdom in Europe. King, ALBERT. Population 2 972,805. Area 5789 sq. miles.

10 pfennige = 1 neu groschen (2½ cents).

30 neu groschen = 1 thaler (74 cents).

First stamps 1850; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

SCHLESWIG.

Issued stamps in 1864-5. See SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN.

SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN.

Duchy in Europe. Duke, KING OF DENMARK. From 1864-6 under joint government of Prussia and Austria. 1866, Prussia. Population 1,127,150. Area 4714 sq. miles.

16 schilling = 1 mark (24 cents).

First stamps 1850; superseded in 1868 by those of North German Postal District.

SCINDE.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.

First stamps 1851.

SELANGOR.

State under protection of Straits Settlements.

First stamps 1881.

SERVIA.

Kingdom in Europe. King, MILAN OBERNOVITCH IV; King, March, 1882, as MILAN I. Population 1,820,000. Area 18,787 sq. miles.

40 paras = 1 piastre (5 cents).

1 dinar = 20 cents.

First stamps 1866.

SHANGHAI.

Seaport of China under the protection of Great Britain.

Population 250,000. Area 100 sq. miles.

1000 cash = 100 candareens = 10 mace = 1 tall (\$1).

100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1865.

SIAM.

Kingdom in Asia. King, KHROM PHRA RAJWANG PAWAR SATHAN MONGOL. Population 5,700,000. Area 310,000 sq. miles.

2 pie = 1 fung. 8 fung = 1 tical (61 cents). 100 atts = \$1.

First stamps 1883.

SICILY.

Province of Italy.
Issued stamps 1859.
See TWO SICILIES.

SIERRA LEONE.

British colony in Africa since 1787. Population 60,500.
Area 600 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1861.

SIRMOOR.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.
First stamps 1879.

SORUTH.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.
First stamps 1877.

SOUTH AFRICAN REPUBLIC (TRANS-VAAL).

British colony in Africa from 1877 to 1881. Now a Republic. President, — KRÜGER. Population 700,000. Area 114,360 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1869.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

British colony in Australia since 1836. Population 310,000. Area 903,690 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1855.

SPAIN.

Kingdom in Europe. King, ALFONSO XIII. Queen Regent, CHRISTINA. Population 17,000,000. Area 195,775 sq. miles.
4 maravedis = 1 cuarto.
8 cuartos = 1 real.
34 maravedis = 1 real.
100 centimos = 10 reales = 1 peseta or escudo (27 cents).
First stamps 1850.

STELLALAND.

Formerly Republic in Africa, now colony of Great Britain.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1884.

STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

British colonies in Asia consisting of Singapore, Penang, Province Wellesley and Malacca. Population 466,000. Area 1460 sq. miles.

100 cents = 1 dollar (\$1).

First stamps 1867.

SUNGEI UJONG.

Asiatic State using stamps of Straits Settlements.

First stamps 1880.

SURINAM.

Dutch colony near coast of South America. Population 70,000. Area 40,000 sq. miles.

100 cents = 1 gulden or florin (41 cents).

First stamps 1873.

SWEDEN.

Kingdom in Europe. King, OSCAR II. Population 572,250. Area 170,980 sq. miles.

100 ore = 48 skillings banco = 1 krona or riksdaler (26 cents).

10 francs = 1 carolin (\$1.93).

First stamps 1855.

SWITZERLAND.

Republic in Europe. President, DR. E. WELTI. Population 2,846,500. Area 15,991 sq. miles.

100 centimes, rappen or centessimi = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps of Republic 1850. Geneva and Zurich as early as 1843.

TAHITI.

French colony in Oceanica. Population 10,000. Area 213 sq. miles.

100 centimes = 1 franc (19 cents).

First stamps 1882.

'TALCHER.

State under protection of British Empire, in India.
First stamps 1878. Authenticity very doubtful.

TASMANIA.

British colony in Oceanica. Population 126,220. Area
26,215 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1853.

TOBAGO.

British colony in West Indies. Population 17,000.
Area 187 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1879.

TOLIMA.

State of U. S. of Colombia.
First stamps 1870.

TONGA ISLANDS.

Oceanica. Population 6000.
First stamps 1887.

'TRANSVAAL.

See SOUTH AFRICAN REPUBLIC.

TRINIDAD.

British colony in West Indies since 1797. Population
153,128. Area 1754 sq. miles.
Currency same as Great Britain.
First stamps 1851.

'TURKEY.

Monarchy in Europe and Asia. Sultan, ABDUL
HAMID II. Population 31,669,147. Area 1,009,-
981 sq. miles.
40 paras = 1 piastre (5 cents).
First stamps 1863.

TURKS ISLANDS.

British colony in West Indies since 1783. Population 4778. Area 223 sq. miles.
 Currency same as Great Britain.
 First stamps 1867.

TUSCANY.

Grand Duchy in Europe, now part of Italy. Population 1,815,700. Area 8494 sq. miles.
 5 soldi = 3 crazie.
 3 quattrini = 1 paola.
 3 paola = 2 lire.
 5 centessimi = 1 soldi.
 20 soldi, or 60 quattrini, or 12 crazie, or 100 centessimi = 1 lira Toscana (19 cents).
 First stamps 1851; superseded in 1860 by those of Italy.

TWO SICILIES.

Formerly Kingdom in Europe. Now part of Italy.
 First stamps, of Naples 1857, of Sicily 1854, of Provisional Govt. 1860; superseded in 1861 by those of Italy.

UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA.

Republic in South America. President, ————.
 Population 3,100,000. Area 432,400.
 100 centavos = 10 decimos = 1 peso (\$1).
 First stamps 1859.

URUGUAY.

Republic in South America. President, GEN. MAXIMO SANTOS. Population 455,000. Area 70,000 sq. miles.
 Formerly 100 centavos = 1 real (11 cents), now 100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 peso.
 100 centesimos = 1 peso.
 First stamps 1856.

VENEZUELA.

Republic in South America. President, GEN'L GUZMAN BLANCO. Population 2,075,500. Area 403,276 sq. miles.

100 centavos = 8 reales = 1 peso (\$1).

100 centimos = 1 bolivar (20 cents).

First stamps 1859.

VICTORIA.

British colony in Australia. Population 931,791. Area 87,884 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

VIRGIN ISLANDS.

British colony in West Indies since 1666. Population 5287. Area of the three islands, 621 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1867.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

British colony in Australia since 1829. Population 30,200. Area 975,824 sq. miles.

Currency same as Great Britain.

First stamps 1855.

WURTEMBERG.

Kingdom in Europe. King, CHARLES I. Population 1,972,500. Area 7531 sq. miles.

100 pfennige = 1 mark (24 cents).

60 kreuzer = 1 gulden or florin (40 cents).

First stamps 1851.

YCA.

Province of Peru.

Issued stamps in 1883.



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