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 ON MAY 1, 1889, I shall issue a new Journal, to be styled "The Philatelic Epoch," and devoted entirely to Philately. It will consist of sixteen pages and cover, printed on the finest quality of paper, and in typographical appearance and mechanical make-up will be unsurpassed. No pains will be spared to make the excellence of its contents commend it to the earnest student of philately and command for it a high rank in philatelic journalism. In order to accomplish this ideal, however, it is necessary to secure the services of the ablest philatelic writers and most advanced collectors as regular contributors, and allow only articles of intrinsic merit to appear in its columns. I therefore earnestly solicit you to become a contributor, and bespeak that you give

*the subject your thoughtful consideration. An early reply will be greatly appreciated, as it is absolutely necessary that I complete all the preliminaries at as early a date as possible. Any further information you may desire will be given by correspondence.*

*Yours very respectfully,*

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