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Dictated by L. M. S.

*London, Canada,* Dec. 5 1893

Dear Sir or Madam:

We take pleasure in handing you herewith our Annual Retail List, No. 4. We hope you will inspect same carefully and favor us with an order. We have mailed 15,000 copies of the list, principally to our old customers, to whom an introduction is unnecessary.

For the benefit of those unacquainted with us, we may say that we are at present handling the largest stamp trade in Canada, and one of the largest in the world. We have facilities for mailing \$1,000 worth of orders per day, and all orders received before 1 p.m. are filled day of receipt.

We make packets our specialty, and sell more packets than any other dealer in the world, our annual sale exceeding fifty thousand. As to their price we refer you to the following pages.

Our publishing department is a feature of our business, see advertisements of THE CANADIAN PHILATELIST, THE CANADIAN PHILATELIC WEEKLY, and THE CANADIAN PHILATELIC HANDBOOKS.

We would esteem it a favor if you would acknowledge receipt of this list, using envelope which we enclose for that purpose. If you are no longer a collector kindly notify us and hand the list to some collecting friend.

We have an experienced staff of clerks, and await your orders, which shall receive our prompt and careful attention.

We remain,

Yours very truly,

L. M. STAEBLER.

# THE BEST INTRODUCTION

A business man can offer is pleased customers.

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- Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, ESQ., LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—Please accept our thanks for the *Stamp Collector's Companion* received this day. Kindly send us one dozen. The *Stamp Collector's Companion* is just what was needed and we are very much pleased with same.  
We remain, Yours truly,  
WM. A. FLETCHER & CO.
- Farnham, Que., Aug. 2, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—I am very much pleased with the *Stamp Collector's Companion* which is an indispensable book for beginners.  
Yours truly,  
A. S. COMEAU.
- Mt. Forest, Aug. 21, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT.  
*Dear Sir*—Please let me know when my subscription to your valuable paper, *The Canadian Philatelist*, expires as I desire to renew.  
Yours truly,  
C. J. BODLEY.
- Aug. 22, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONTARIO, CAN. :  
*Dear Sir*—I enclose 25 cents, "coin of the realm," for a year's subscription to *Canadian Philatelist*. I like your paper because of its newsy articles.  
Respectfully,  
136 N. Lime St., Lancaster, Pa. W. A. HALDY.
- Brantford, Sept. 2, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, ESQ., LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—Your sheets received. I have sold all of same and herewith enclose P. O. order in payment. Please send me some more of your sheets as they sell like "hot cakes."  
Yours truly,  
CHESTER HARRIS.
- Altoona, Pa., Aug. 31, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, ESQ., LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—The approval sheets sent me Aug. 25th are very satisfactory. Enclosed you will find P. O. order for those I have kept. Please send me some more.  
I remain, yours truly,  
W. N. BANNARD.
- Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 5, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—We are delighted with the results of our 1/2 inch in the last two issues of *The Canadian Philatelist*. We have already received fifty-five answers to the same.  
We remain, yours very truly,  
U. S. STAMP CO.
- Red Bank, N. J., Sept. 25, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, CANADA :  
*Dear Sir*—Enclosed find ten cents for another thousand of your hinges. I like them better than any others I have ever seen.  
Yours in Philately,  
F. T. CHADWICK, JR.
- Sebringville, Sept. 28, 1893.  
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*Dear Sir*—You will find enclosed 25 cents for renewal of subscription to *The Canadian Philatelist*. It is in my opinion the best 25 cent Philatelic Journal published.  
I remain, yours truly,  
E. MOVER.
- Toronto, Oct. 6, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, ESQ., LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—Received your \$1 stock O. K. yesterday and am very much pleased with it.  
Yours, etc.,  
W. A. CLEMES.
- Cleveland, Oct. 7th, 1893.  
L. M. STAEBLER, ESQ., LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—I consider *The Canadian Philatelist* the most interesting 25 cent paper I receive.  
Yours truly,  
Cleveland, O. F. H. SCAUFFLER.
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L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, CANADA :  
*Dear Sir*—Please find enclosed 20 cents for which send me 2,000 Hinges. I think they are the best stamp hinge I have seen yet.  
Yours respectfully,  
CHAS. S. SMACK.
- St. Thomas, Oct. 14, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—Herewith find your sheets returned with remittance. Kindly send me some more. Your sheets are the cheapest I have ever received.  
Yours truly,  
G. TATE.
- Canton, Mo., July 21st, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—Please send me 3,000 more of your excellent hinges. I like them better than any others I have used.  
Yours truly,  
F. R. LAWRENCESON.
- Santa Cruz, Cal., Oct. 19, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, CANADA :  
*Dear Sir*—Your *Stamp Collector's Companion* received and I am very much pleased with it. Send me Handbooks 1, 2 and 4.  
Yours truly,  
H. M. PETERSON.
- Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 5, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—I received the stamps ordered which were very satisfactory. Thanks for your prompt deliverance.  
Yours truly,  
ALBERT H. HUDSON.
- Montreal, Nov. 7, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, ONT. :  
*Dear Sir*—I received the stamps I ordered on the 2nd inst. and am very much pleased with them.  
Yours truly,  
S. W. P. HODGES.
- Norwalk, Ohio, Nov. 13, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, CANADA :  
*Dear Sir*—Your paper, *The Canadian Philatelist*, is the best magazine I take. You can always count on me for a subscriber.  
Yours very truly,  
LOUIS E. ROOD.
- Stanford, Conn., Nov. 14, 1893.  
MR. L. M. STAEBLER, LONDON, CANADA :  
*Dear Sir*—I consider *The Canadian Philatelist* a necessity.  
Yours truly,  
HEG WEED.
- We wish to thank Mr. L. M. Staebler for a copy of his *Stamp Collector's Companion* which is a work that should be in every Philatelist's library. It contains a quota of excellent matter which will enlighten and entertain. Be sure and order one for your library if you have not already done so.—*Eagle Philatelist*.
- A Manual, compiled and published by L. M. Staebler, 185 1/2 Dundas St., London, Canada, entitled *The Stamp Collector's Companion*, will prove of considerable value to the average collector; much more so, at least, than the small price of 25 cents asked for it. It comprises hundreds of definitions and much general information of just the kind that most collectors are apt to seek.—*Philatelic Facts and Fancies*.
- For the young collector *The Canadian Philatelist* is better than a Handbook. It never fails to contain some useful helps or hints for the beginner and should therefore be a popular paper with such collectors. The editorials are always plentiful and readable and show conclusively that Editor Staebler believes as we do concerning them, that is, they are always read whether the rest of the Magazine is or not.—*The Philatelic Era*.

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**Packet No. 1**—Contains 10 very choice varieties of unused foreign stamps, from Reunion, Argentine, Paraguay, Sardinia, Mexico, Diego Suarez, Constantinople and Bavaria. Practically this packet is superior to anything ever before offered for the price. **10 cents.** Try it.

**Packet No. 2**—Contains 10 varieties of unused foreign stamps, entirely different from those in No. 1, including, Nicaragua, 1891 and 1892 issues Hamburg, Salvador, Ivory Coast, Servia, Guadeloupe and New Caledonia. This packet contains stamps which, if bought singly would cost from three to four times the price asked, which is only **10 cents.**

**Packet No. 3**—Contains 10 varieties of very fine unused postage stamps, including Panama 1892, Ecuador, Samoa, Guyane, St. Pierre Miquelon, French China, Servia and Senegal. The stamps in this packet are excellent value, and are entirely different from those contained in Nos. 1 and 2. **Price, 10 cents.**

**Packet No. 4**—Contains 25 varieties of very fine unused foreign stamps, including U. S. Officially Sealed, Guine, Obock, Bogota, Puttiala State, Congo, Sultanat, French Indies, Martineque, Mexico 1864, Bavaria, Hamburg, Mayotte, etc. This packet defies competition for both quality and cheapness. A dealer can coin money by placing the stamps on sheets and retailing them. **Price, 25 cents.**

**Packet No. 5**—Contains 25 varieties of fine unused foreign stamps of better quality than those in No. 4, including New Brunswick 2c. orange SCARCE, Argentine 1892, Cape Verde, Sarawak 1892, St. Thome and Prince, Mozambique, Sweden 1892, Bolivia, Confederate States of America, U. S. War Department, Azores, U. S. Officially Sealed, and Chamba State. A cheap packet. **Price, 50 cents.**

**Packet No. 6**—Contains 100 varieties of unused foreign stamps, similar to those in the preceding packets. It includes stamps from every corner of the globe, some of which are catalogued very high. This packet is one of the best in our lists, and will not fail to give satisfaction to purchasers. **Price, \$1, post-paid.**

**Packet No. 7**—Contains 10 varieties of RARE stamps only, including the rare Granada 1892 Provisional, 1d. on 8d. bistre, used on part of original cover; New Brunswick 17c. black; Italy, Segnatasse, 50 and 100 lire; U. S. 1869 6c., fine and rare; St. Vincent, 1889, 2½d. on 1d. blue; a fine used specimen of the rare South African Rep. 1870, 1d. black rouletted; U. S. 1884 unused and entire envelope 4c. green on white paper, also the same on amber paper, both these envelopes are obsolete and RARE. Last yet by no means least is a fine picked specimen of the Nova Scotia 2c. mauve, which is increasing so rapidly in price. If

the stamps in this packet were bought singly, they would cost about three times the price we ask. It will make a valuable addition to the collection of an advanced collector or to a dealer's stock, it is exactly as represented above, contains FINE specimens only, and in any case where it does not give satisfaction the price will be cheerfully refunded. We offer it on its merits. Try it. **Price, \$1.75, post-paid.**

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**Packet No. 9**—Contains 10 choice varieties of Mexican Revenue stamps. This packet is very low in price and will form an attractive addition to your collection. **Price, 10 cents.**

**Packet No. 10**—Contains 15 varieties of Mexican Revenues, somewhat better than those in No. 9, including several different issues. A good packet at a reasonable figure, **25 cents.**

**Packet No. 11**—Contains 25 varieties of Mexican Revenues, including some old issues and high values. **Price, 50 cents.**

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**Packet No. 13**—Contains 100 finely selected varieties of Mexican Revenues, Document, and Custom House stamps, comprising many different issues and some high values. **Price, \$5, sent post-paid by registered mail.**

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Revenues, a fine lot; Pueblo Military Local Revenue, etc., etc. We can confidently recommend this packet; it is especially suitable for an advanced collector, and for price unequalled. Sent *post-paid* by registered mail for \$10.

**Packet No. 15**—Contains 10 varieties of Mexican postage stamps, including, 1864 1 real scarlet; 1874 25c. blue; 1878 10c. orange; 1888 20c. scarlet, etc. First class value. Price, 10 cents.

**Packet No. 16**—Contains 25 varieties of very fine Mexican postage stamps, issues of 1864 to date. A cheap packet. Price, 40 cents.

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**Packet No. 18**—Contains 14 choice varieties of Canadian Revenues, including Ontario Law stamps. This packet is especially suitable for a young collector and is very cheap at 10 cents.

**Packet No. 19**—Contains 25 varieties of fine Canadian Revenues, including Bill stamps of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd issues, Ontario Law Stamps, Quebec Law stamps, F. F. Green Laws several varieties, and Gas Inspection stamps. A superb packet, you should try one. Price, 25 cents.

**Packet No. 20**—Contains 50 varieties of Canadian Revenues of better quality than those contained in Nos. 18 and 19. Its contents comprise Quebec Law Registration 5, 15 and 30c., Manitoba Laws C. F. and L. S., Lower Canada Laws, Upper Canada Laws C. F., L. S., and F. F., a fine lot, Ontario Law stamps 10 to 60 cents, Quebec Law stamps 10c. to \$1, Supreme Court, Weight and Measure, Gas Inspection 25c., 50c., \$1 and \$1.50, and all issues of Bill Stamps. This packet is without doubt the cheapest packet of Canadian Revenues ever offered. The sets in this packet are more complete than those in Nos. 18 and 19. If you collect Canadian Revenues you can save money by buying this packet. Price, \$2.50, *post-paid* to any address.

**Packet No. 21**—Contains 20 varieties of Canadian stamps, including 1859 5c. beaver, Newfoundland, New Brunswick, and an entire used Canadian Post Card of the 1st issue. Price, 15 cents.

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**Packet No. 23**—Contains 50 varieties of stamps from Canada and the Provinces, of better quality than those of No. 22, including Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island. A first-class specimen of the Canada 3d. stamp will also be found in this packet. Price, \$2, *post-paid*.

**Packet No. 24**—Contains 50 varieties of choice Canadian postage stamps, including pence issues, and issues of 1859 and 1868 to date nearly all varieties, Registration stamps, 2, 5 and 8c. The 1 and 3c. envelopes unused and entire. A choice line of Provincial stamps among which we may mention the following: Nova Scotia, both cent and pence, both on and off the original letter; Prince Edward Island, several varieties of the cent and pence issues unused; New Brunswick, 1, 2, 5, 10, 12½ and 17c., unused; Newfoundland, a fine lot both of cent and pence issues, British Columbia, etc. Intending purchasers of this packet should bear in mind that it contains *postage stamps only*, and is very desirable. It contains full value for the money, and is sure to please. Sent *post-paid* by registered mail on receipt of \$7.

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**Packet No. 57**—Contains 50 varieties of unused Portuguese Colonials, crown type, among which we may mention the following desirable stamps: Angola, 20, 20, 25, 100, 200 and 300 reis; Cape Verde, 5, 10, 20, 20, 25, 25, 40 and 100 reis; Guinea, 20, 20, 25, 25, 40, 50 and 100 reis; Portuguese India, 1½, 4½ and 6 reis; and 1, 2, 4 and 8, Tangas; Macau, 5, 25, 25, 50 and 100 reis; Mozambique, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50, 100, 200 and 300 reis; St. Thome and Prince, 5, 20, 25, 25 and 50 reis; Timor, 5, 25, 50 and 100 reis, constituting what is one of the finest packets of Portuguese colonial stamps ever offered. The stamps are very desirable either for a dealer or a collector. Sent *post-paid* to any address for \$3 00.

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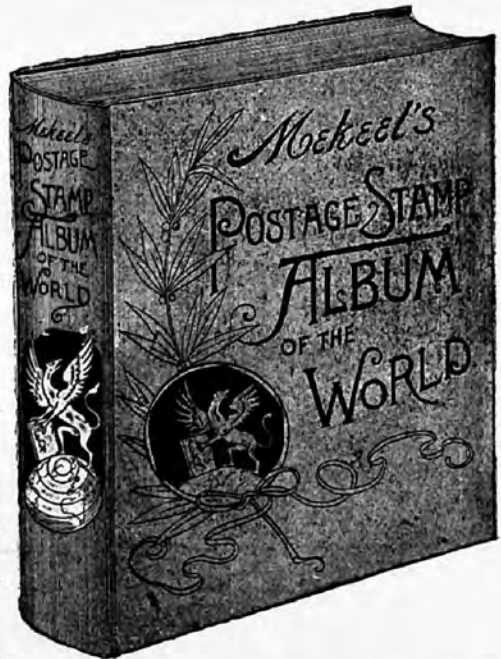
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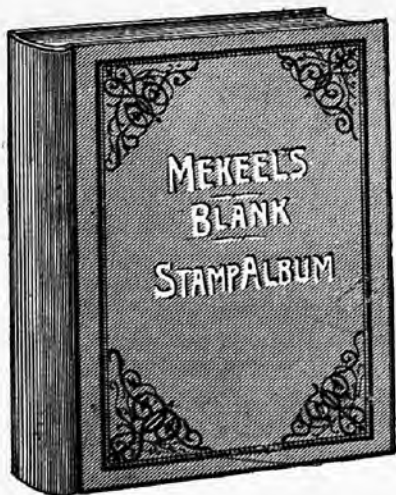
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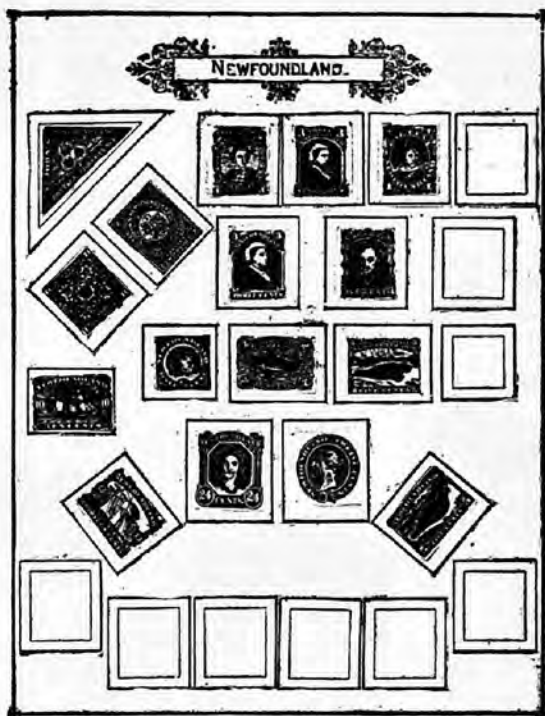
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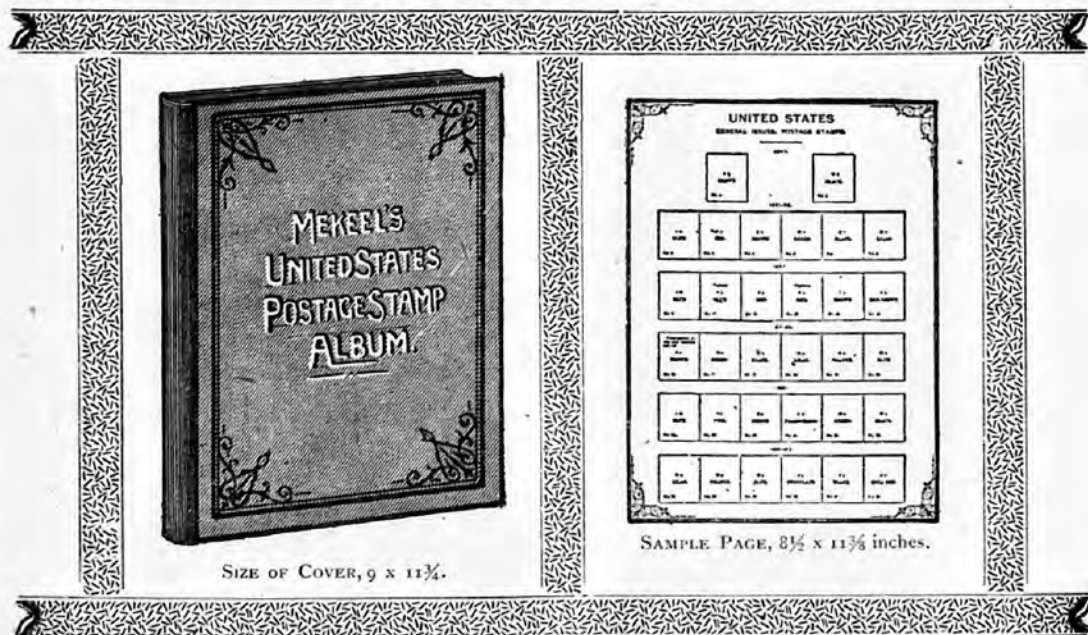
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