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In presenting this new list to omr mamerons old and new purons. we respectfully ask them to peruse same carefully. We call especial attention to the many new fackets, amongst which are nany unrivaled bargains. Please compare our prices with those of any other stamp firm, you will invarially lind ours lower.

We hope that this eleventh series of our very popular packets will meet with equal, if not better success than their predecessors, and in order to show the great approval and satisfaction our packets and approval sheets have met from all those who have fonghat of us, we helow publish a few unsoliested

## TESTIMONIALS

From collectors in all parts of the Uniter states, and we heg to refer all collectors to these persons for reference:

Kansan (tory, Mo. Dece ह), 1891
Shandand Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-l must compliment you un your excellent assorment of stamps, etr. Yours. Carrier No. tio.
(iEO. (I. 1. Dewor. Luwell., Mass., Nov. E3, 1894
Standard Sitamp Compamy:
(ientlemen-Am much pleased wirh your shects, they are the neatest J have ever seen.

Very traly yours.
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Kanmas Ciry, Mo., Dep, !, I891
Standard Stamp Company.
Dear Sirs-An very highly pleased with the parkets you sent me. Yours respectiolly.
400 N. ith street. Miss L. A.Jorit.
Superions. Nelf. Jime 23, 1891.
Standard Stamp Compury:
Gentlemen-Your stock No. 1 at hand, and am highly pleasen with the same. Yon give better value for the money than any other dealer I have pever dealt with, and I have bought a good many stamps. Yours respertinlly,
Box 116.

1. Brobstosh.

Dathas, Tex., Nept. 25. 1897.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your 500 variety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Both are very mich superior to anything I have ever seen so far. I remain, 312 Main Street.

Yours trily,
Anerio Dr: Sterano

Hammonton, N. J., Oct. 6, 1891
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your approval sheets are cheap and sell very fast. I sold all you sent me in less than two days! Box 110 . Yours,

Harri A. Jacobs.
Cincinnati, 0 .

## Standard Stamp Company:

Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightful surprise to me. Enclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Standard Packets, No. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large, I found a great number in your packets I did not have. If this. my testimony, is of any use to you, you may use it. I am.

> Very truly yours.

In care of Times-Star, Cincinnati, 0 .
Ren. Mulford, If.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-I received your packets to day, mad must say that they are far better than I expected! They excel any packets that I ever bought before. Yours very truly,
957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

> H. L. Apame. Attorney and Counselor at. Law. Norristown, Pa.

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Gentlemen-The International Packet, No. 2I, 1,000 all different stamps for $\$ 10,00$, which I purchased of yon, was the finest I have ever seen, much excelfing my greatest fexpectation! / am also mach obliged for the valuable prize slamps you sent me!! Yours truly, xin Arch St.. Norristown, Pa.

Chan. A. Farnem Ewing, Ner.
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Gentlemen--Stamps received all right last night. I am more than satisfied with them, and shall lose no opportunity to speak a good word for you at any time.

Respectfully, Giarrie Cortelyon. Ghoversuhlef, N. Y.
Standard Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-I received your packets this morning, and think they are worth al least twice their money.

> Yours very truly, Cinay. Fox.

Camisridie, Mans.
Standard Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-Your sheets contain the best assortment that I - have ever seen; am also very much obliged for the valuable prize stamps youl sent me. Yours troly. 1112 North Ave., Cambridge. Mass.

Homer F. Hent.

No. Cambridge, Feb. 26, 1891.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-I sold all the sheets you sent me in a very short time. They beat anything I have ever seen.

Your sincere friend.
49 Walden Street.
Cahiet Metcabf.
Standard Stamp Company: Omalia, Nebs, May 19, 189 J.
Gents-Stanıps at hand. Your 500 variety packet is a "сем." shall want another soon. Very truly yonrs,
2225 Dodge Street, Omaha, Neb. Cabrie Cobthlfon.
Standard Stamp Company: Roca, Neb, Nov. 6, 1891.
Dear Sirs-Your stamps give better satisfaction than those of any other stamp firm 1 have bought of.

Yours truly. Ada Warner.
Standard Stamp Company: Gremvillee, O., June 21, 1891.
(ients-Your packets received. Am very much pleased with them, I cannot understand how you can sell them so cheap. Your sheets are also cheap and varied.
Look Box 322. Very truly yours. Jso. Fi. Devons.
Here are three letters frotn well-known dealers:
Standard Stamp Company: Clarion, Mich., Oct. 5, 1891.
(ients-Stamps received O.K. I am very much pleased zifh them, and think they are splendid bargains, etc., etc.

Henry McConnebi.
Standard Stamp Company: Newark, N. J., Oct. 31, 1891.
Gents-The stamps we purchased at your auction sale are aery satisfactory! Please send your catalogues regularly, etc. Very truly yours, D. B. Crockftr Stamb \& Pub, Co.
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Gents-I find your approval sheets unequaled by any other realer and ten times more salable!

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## No. :

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Contains O(n) stamps, all difierent, used and unusen, incluting stamps from Nian, rare Egyph Thiastres, old Nova Scotia, Brazil, many varieties anll old issues of Mexico, Orange Free States, vare Persia othicials tvalued at from 10 to 20 cents uarh), Mantitius, 1849 (valued an 8 (ents eachi), monsed Mexico, old issues and high values, scarce unused Bosnia and Pern mupaid, United States, 1801,24 cents (valued at 15 cents each), Cyprus, rare Eastern Rommelia. and many more, catalogad at froms to 25 cents apiece.

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line of RARE Mexican stamps, also officials, Orange Free States, Natal, Mauritins, old and new Egypt, New Foundland, 1888 issue, used old and new Japan, Chili, Venezuela, New Sonth Wales, centennial issue, Fgypt, 1888 issue, also surcharged Peru, valued at 10 to 15 cents each, old und new Porto Rico, used and unused, rare old Bolivia, and many others of equal value. There can be no donbt that this is the finest packet for the money ever offered by INY deale. Almost every packet sells another!!

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Contains 30 varieties of RARE stamps 0 N 人 ${ }^{\circ}$ from the countries mentioned below，NO OTHERs：Bolivia，Persia，Orange States，Mex－ ico，Ceylon，Cape of Good Hope，New Zealand， Victoria，Jamaica，Bulgaria，Greece unpaid， Egypt，Mauritius，Japan，Guiana，scarce Tunis， Natal，old Portugal，Roumania，Sweden oftic－ ials and unpaid，Turkey，Brazil and Monaro． These 30 stamps are catalogued at OVER ONF DOLLLAR．

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Contain 200 dififerent stamps, including rare Martinique, Danish West Indies, Honduras, Salvador, Nicaragua, Heligoland, Transvaal, Mauritius (old and new), RARE Mexico, Raden, Peru, old issues of Ecuador, etc.

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Gentemen-An much pleased with your sheets, they are the neatest I have ever seen. Very truly yours, 56 Queen Strest.

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Standard Stamp Comprnyy:
Dear Sirs-Am very highly pleased with the packets you sent me. $\$ 00$ N. 6th St. Yours respectlulty,

Miss L. A. Jost.
Suphrior, Neb., June 23, 1891.
Standard Stamp Company.
Gentiemen-Your stock No. 1 at hand, and an highly pleased with the same You give better value for the money than any uther dealer 1 have ever dealt with, and I have bought a good many stanps. Yours iespectiflly.

Box 186.
L. Bronstonir.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 25. 189t.
Standard Stamp Company
Gents-Your 500 variety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Both are very much superior to anythng 1 have ever seen so far. I remain. 312 Main Street. Yourstruly. Angelo De Stefano, Haыmonton, N. J., Oct. 6. 189 g .

Gents-Your approval sheers are cheap and sell very fast. I sold all you sent me in less than tuo days! Yours.

Box 110.

Standard Stamp Compnny:
Gents-Your packets received. 1 must say that they were a delight/ut surprise to me. Enclosed please find $\mathbf{s}_{1} 25$ for Standard packets No. 6 and 16 . Although my col'ection is quite large, I found a greas number in your packets I did not have. If this, my testimony, is of any use to you, you may use it. I am

Very truly yours,
In care of Times-Star, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Rfn Mulford, If.
Standard Stamep Company:
Gentlemen-1 received your packets to-day, and must say that they are far better than Iexpected. They excel any packets that I ever bought before. 957 Broadway. Oakland, Cal. Yours very truly, H. L. Adams, Attorney and Counsellor at law.

Standard Stamp Compaty:
Gentlemen-The International Packet, No. 2r, r,ow all different stamps for $\$ 10.00$, which I purchased of you, was the finest I have ever seen, much excelling MY GRRATEST EXPECTATION! fath also meuch obligrd for the waluable prize sfamps you sent me!! Yours truly.

Chas. A. Farnum.
830 Arch Street, Norristown. Pa.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemes-Stamps received all righs last might. I am more than satisfied with them, and shall lose no opportunity to speak a good word for you at any time.

> Respectfully.

Gakria Cortelyon.
Gloversville, N. Y.

## Standard Stamp Company:

Dear Siss-l received your packets this morning, and think they are worth af CaSE TWICE THEIR MONEY.

Yours very truly.
Chas. Fox.
Cambridge. Mass.
Standard Stamp Combany:
Dear Sirs--Your shects contain the best assortment that 1 have ever seen: am also very much obliged for the valuable prize stamps you sent me.

Yours truly.
Homer F. Hunt.
1112 North Ave., Cambridge, Mass.
No. Cimpridgr, Feh. 26, 189 .

## Standard Stamp Company:

Gentiemen-l sold all the sheets you sent me in a very short time. They beat angthing l have ever seen.

Your sincere friend.
Carlet Metcalf. 49 Walden Street.

Omaha, Neb, May rg. 189 g .

## Standard Stamp Compary:

Gents-Stamps at hand. Your soo variety packet is a "Gsm." shall want another soon.

2225 Lodge Street, Omaha, Neb.
Standiard Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-Your stamps
Very truly yours, Garrie Costrlyon.
Roca, Nem., Nov. 6. 1891
I have bought of.
Yours truly,
ADA WARNER.

## Standard Stamp Company:

Gents-Your packets received. Am wery mwah pleaspel with them, I cannot undersfand how you can sell them so cheap. Your sheets ase also cheap and varied. Lock Box 322.

Here are three letters from well-known dealers:
Standatd Stamp Company:
Gents-Stamps received O. K. I am wery much pleased with them, and ihink they are splendid bargains, etc., etc.

Standard Stamp Compamy:
Gents-The stamps we purchased at your auction sale are vory satigactory/ Please send your catalogues regularly, etc.

Very truly yours.
D. B. Crockett Stampand Pub. Cu.

Sfandard Stamp Company:
Natick, Mass., Nov. 13, r891.
Gents-l find your approval sheets unequaled by any other dealer, and tem
times more sadable? Yours truly. W. N. Fleming.
We could show hundreds of others if space would permit. Besides we think the above will suffice to prove that our STANDARD PACKETS are exactly what we claim them to be:

## THE CHEAPEST AND BEST.

Although we are not a new firm, and well known throughout the world amongst collectors and dealers, to be the cheapest stamp firm in America, we cannot refrain from publishing somp of the numerous letters which are daily received by us, and in which both collectors and dealers express their satisfaction at both quality of our goods, and promptness in the filling of their orders. All these letters are entirely unsoticited, and are on file at our offices. where they may be seen at any time during business hours. Unlike the testimonials published by other dealers, you will find that they are mostly of new date, which proves that we receive them all the time, and in great numbers. Some people express their surprise as to "how wb can sbll genuine stamps so cheaply," while other dealers ask two or three times the amount for the same articles. They will understand how this can be done when we tell them that we are doing the largest business of any retail stamp firm in Anerica, and that our motto is: "Large sales and small profits." We can prove that we have more regular agents on our books and sell more packets than any two firms together in this country. We import all of our stamps directly, baving purchasing agents employed in every country on the globe, who buy old stamps for us very cheaply. We have every facility to fill a large number of orders in a short time, and our patrons may always be sure to receive goods ordered by return mail.

## PRICE LIST OF STANDARD PACKETS.

No. 1.-Price, only 50 Cents.


Contains 150 choice varieties, including many rare, such as Angola, very rare Paraguay, 1885 , complete set (valued at 25 cents); rare Mexican issues $1868-72$, valued at $10-15$ cents each; old Ecuador, Egypt, Transvaal, Bosnia, Hawaii: rare old Bahamas, Deccan, Peru unpaid (large stamps), Persia (new issue), Orange Free States, rare Italy unpaid (first issue valued at 20 sents each), etc.

## No. 2.-Price, only $\$ 1.00$.

Contains 200 stamps, all different, used and unused, including stamps from Siam, rare Egypt 5 piastres, old Nova Scotia, Brazil, many varieties and old issues of Mexico, Orange Free States, rare Persia officials (valued at from to to 20 cents each), Mauritius, 1849 (valued at 8 cents eacb), unused Mexico, old issues and high values, scarce unused Bosnia and Peru unpaid, United States,
 186r, 24 cents (valued at 20 cents each), Cyprus, rare Eastern Roumelia, and many more, catalogued at from 5 to 25 cents apiece.

No. 3.-Price, only \$2.00.


Contains 300 varieties, A SPLENDID COLLECTION, including rare stamps from all parts of the world, used and unused. It contains good stamps from Asia, Africa, South and Central America, the West Indies. Austria, etc., inctuding Rare old issues and high values of such countries as St. Vincent, Antigua, Bahamas, San Salvador, Guatemala, Chili, old 200 green, 1890 issue of Nicaragua, very rare Siam I on 2 attos, worth 50 cents each. Cape of Good Hope, the rare 5 shilling, rare Old

Mexico, 1868 -I 88 z issues. UNUSED (valued at from 5 cents to $\$ 1.00$ apiece), old Ecuador, Mauritius, Heligoland, Chili, Peru, New Foundland, Bulgaria, Greece unpaid, scarce India ENVELOPES, very rare Guatemala prov., 188ı, ioc on 1 real, valued at 25 cents each, and many others of equal value too numerous to mention.

No. 4.-Price, only $\$ 1.00$.
Contains 50 varieties of UNUSED stamps, including a great many RARE ones, such as Bolivia, Luxembourg, rare Hayti, r891 issue, Paraguay, 1885 , complete set of 3 varieties, worth зо cents, China, all issues, Cyprus, old issues (SEveral Varieties), New Foundland, 1888 issue, rare old Turkey, 1865, including the 5 piastres, fine scarce Honduras, Nicaragua, now
 obsolete, complete set Danube, rare Moldavia, 1862, 6 paras (valued at 10 cents each). Costa Rica, 2 reales. also rare provisional i cent on $1 / 2$ real (valued at 15 cents each) scarce Jceland, Monaco, Heligoland, rare Paraguay and many others.

No. 5.-Price, only $\$ \mathbf{\$ . 0 0}$.


Contains roo varieties of RARE STAMPS ONLY including such rarities as New Zealand 5 stillings green; very rare Mexico, 1879-82, valued at from to to 60 cents each ; rare Guatemala 5 cents on $1 / 2$ real ; India first issue; several varisties of Martinique, valued at from 15 to 25 cents each : rare Mexico, 1864, 1868, 1874 jssues, Persia officials, complete set; Mexico officially sealeđ̃, valued at 25 cents each; very scarce Peru, unpaid surcharged, valued by Scott at from 15 to 40 cents each: also the rare 5 and 10 francs of Persia, Bulgaria unpaid, Egypt unpaid, rare triangular Cape of Good Hope; also a very fine line of RARE United States stamps, including the 12 and 24 cents of 186 r issue: also the 7, 12 , 24 and 90 cents of 1872 issue, RARE departments, such as Justice, Navy, State, etc., and many others OF EQUAL VALUE! This
packet is GUARANTEED to contain NO COMMON STAMPS WHATEVER! If bought at retail from sheets the stamps in this packet would cost the purchaser from $\$ 15.00$ to $\$ 20.00$ at the very least!!!

## Standard Packet No. 6.-Price, only \$1.00.

Contains 100 fine varieties of stamps, only from Asia, Africa, Australia, South and Central America and the West Indies, including British, French, Dutch. Spanish and Portuguese colonies in all parts of the world! It includes sucb rarities as Bahamas old I shilling green : Cape of Good Hope 5 shilling orange, RARE; very rare Martinique,
 valued at 20 cents apiece: rare unpaid Peru, Siam, provisionals of Perak and Guatemala (valued at 15 cents each) ; scarce Persia. Java,
 Sierre Leone, South African Republic, a fine line of RARE Mexican stamps, also officials, Orange Free States, Natal, Mauritius, old and new Egypt, New Foundland, 1888 issue, used old and new Japan, Chili. Venezuela, New South Wales, centennial issue, Egypt, 1888 issue, also surcharged Peru, valued at 10 to 15 cents each, old and new Porto Rico, used and unused, rare old Bolivia, and many others of equal value. There can be no doubt that this is the finest packet for the money ever offered by ANY dealer. Almost every packet sells another!!

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\text { No. 7.-Price, only } 75 \text { cents. }
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Contains roo rare stamps from Europe, all different, ONLY from the countries below named, NO OTHERS: Austrian-Italy, Luxembourg, Italy (unpoid only), Naples, Roman States, Sardinia, Spain (Isabel), San Marino, Portugal (i856 to 1885). Heligoland. Iceland, Sweden. only Loesen and officials, Finland, Russian Levant, Roumania, Turkey (old
 and new), Greece (jncluding unpaid), Malta and Monaco. A very fine packet and VERY CHEAP.

## No. 33.-Price, only 50 Cents.



Contains 50 rare stamps, all different, ONLY from the countries mentioned below, NO OTHERS: Persia, Honduras, Orange States, Mauritius, Siam, Turkey, first issue of China, unused New Foundland, Egypt, Trinidad, Servia (unused), Monaco, Ceylon, Java, Brazil, Grenada, St. Vincent, Bulgaria, Ecuador, Chili, Natal, Peru, San Marino, Roumania, Russian Levant and envelopes, and Cyprus

## No. 31.-Price, only $\mathbf{\$ 7 . 5 0}$, Post Free.

Our latest "Standard Packet," No. 3i, contains 600 different Postage Stamps, genuine and all in first-class condition, comprising stamps as follows: Bolivia, loc. vermil. unused; Siam provis., I on 2a; Argentine Republic, 24c; Italy, unpaid, first issue: a complete set Transvaal, 1883. Id-1sh, complete, unused, value, 70 c :
 Faridkot. two sets, perforated and unperforated, value, $\$ 1.20$; Bosnia Revenues, used postally; Spain, 1876.4 pes., unused: China, I em., used; a fine line of rare Mexico, including a set of 1864 , set of $1879-1882$, issues including high values, and some on thin paper catalogued at about $\$ 2.50$. Errors from 1872 to $\mathbf{1 8 8 2}$, provisional 1 on 2c: complete set of Porte de Mar, col'd; set of Persia officials; fine used and unused stamps of Bosnia, Shanghai, China, 1885 , Colombia Costa Rica, Hawaii, Guadeloupe, Uruguay, Seychelles Islands, Old Dominica, Salvador, Bolivia, Wadhwan State, scarce Pountch. Bosnia 25 kr . Ecuador 20 c slate, Ceylon provis., Brazil newspaper, scarce old Canada and Prince Edward Islands, and last, but not least, besides all those mentioned above, a fine lot of scarce U. S Stamps, such as unused State, Justice, War, 1864 zc envelope, used Agriculture, Navy, etc, and besides that each packet contains a rare goc purple of 1888 issue, which are becoming rare very fast, and many other rare stamps.

This packel does not conlain any cut postal cards, revenues, locals, or similar rubbish, but only clean postage stamps, in finest possible condilion.

We feel assured that you will be more than pleased. Stamps in this packet are guaranteed to catalogue at $\$ 40.20$ (forty dollars and twenty cents). No such bargain was ever offered.

## Packet No. 38. <br> Price, only $\$ 4.00$, Post Free.

21.g.Contains soo all different stamps onty from the United States of America, including Departments, old and new Envelopes, Newspaper Stamps, unpaid, Officially Sealed, Special Delivery, etc This packet does not contain any Telegraph, Locals or Revenue Stamps of any kind whatever. Amongst the great number of excellent stamps contained in this packet we mention orly a few as follows :

1851, ic blue, unperforated; ic blue, 1857 issue; 186 i issue, several; 2c black, 1868 , embossed; 1869 issue, several ; 1870 issue, entoossed; 1872 issue, i2c purple, 300 black, 900 carmine; 1883. 1887, 1888 issues, including the very rare 30c PUCE BROWN and GOc PURPLE; Special Delivery, old and new; Newspaper Stamps (Indian), unpaid letter, 30 c red brown; Envelopes of 1853, 186I, rate 1864 (Jackson). 1864, 1870, 1874 Reay and Plympton issues; Officially Sealed Stamps, almost complete set; also Departments of Agriculture, P. O., War, Treasury, Interior, State, Navy, etc., etc.

## SPECIAL NOTICEI

We absolutely guarantee this packet as represented, or will refund money Other dealers offer 100 all different U. S. Stamps for $\$ 6.00$ and more . above packet is at least equal to these, if not beller. and costs only about one half the price!


Packet No. 39 contains

## 100 VARIETIES FROM THE PORTUGUESE

 COLONIES.
## Price, only $\$ 5.00$, Post Free.

We have undoubtedly the finest and cheapest packet of these stamps in the world. It contains 100 Portuguese Colonies stamps, all different, comprising the following: Angola, 1869, 5, 20 and 100 reis; 1876, 200 and 300 reis; 1881-85, 10. 20, 25 and 50 reis; Cape Verde, 1876, 5, 20, 25, 100, 200 and 300 reis; $188 \mathrm{I}-85,10,20,25$ and 50 reis : Portuguese Guinea, 1880, 5. 25, 100, 200 and 300 reis ; 188185. 10, 20, 25 and 50 reis: Portuguese Indies, provisionals, 188x, 5 on 20 reis; 1882, I $1 / 2,41 / 2,6$ reis, 1, 2, 4 and 8 tangas; Macoo, 1876-85. 5. 25, 100, 200 and 300 reis; 1885,25 and 80 reis; Moxambique, 1876 , $5,20,25,500,200$ and 300 reis ; $188 \mathrm{I}-85,10,25$ and 50 reis; St. Thome Principe, 1870, 5. 25 and 100 reis; 1876, 300 reis; 188r-85, 10, 20 , 25 and 50 reis: Timor, 1885, 5. 25, 40, 50, 80, 100 and 300 reis, etc., etc.

## ALL STAMPS ARE GUARANTEED CLEAN AND GENUINE.

If bought singly, the stamps in this packet could not be obtained for less than $\$ \mathbf{\$ 5 . 0 0}$ to $\$ 3 \mathbf{3 0 . 0 0}$, as a great many stamps are quoted from 50 cents to $\$ 1.00$ each and above. Satisfaction guaranteed. A bargain for dealers as well as collectors.

Packet No. 40.-Price, only \$1.00.
Contains 100 varieties of fine selected stamps. ONLY from South and Central America, Mexico and West Indian Islands, such as old Bolivia. Hayti, Salvador, Costa Rica, Arms and Head issue, St. Vincent, Colombia. Chili, 1867 , Brazil numerals, Mexico, old issues, Nicaragua, several
 rare, Honduras, unused, etc., etc.

## TWENTY-FIVE CENT PACKETS.



## No. 7.-Price, only 25 Cents.

Contains ioo all different stamps from such countries as Guatemala, Equador, Brazil, Bulgaria. Turkey, Egypt. Ceylon, ete., erc.

## No. 8.-Price,only 25 Cents.

Contains 30 varieties of RARE stamps. ONLY from the below mentioned countries, no others: Uruguay, Orange States, Ceylon, Persia, Cape of Good Hope, West and South Australia, Guiana, Bulgaria, Turkey, Greece, Monaco, Java, New Foundland and Japan.


## No. 9.-Price, only 25 Cents.

Contains 100 varieties of splendid stamps. many rare, such as old Bolivia, scarce Montenegro, unused Porto Rico (old and new), Turkey, Victoria, Bulgaria, Austria, 25 kr ., Bosnia and Herzegovina, rare Mexico officials, etc., etc

No. 10.-lrice, only 25 Cents.
Contains 25 different stamps from SOUTH AND CENTRAL. AMERICA ONLY. many rate. such as Salvador, Guatemala, Costa Rica, Equador, Venezuela, Peru, United States of Columbia, Argentine Republic, etc., etc.



## No. 11.-Price, only 25 Cents.

Contains 25 different stamps from the WEST INDIAN ISLANDS ONL.X, such as Grenada, Bahamas, St. Cbristopher, Hayti, Barbadoes, etc., etc., including many good values and unused stamps.

No. 12.-Price, only 25 Cents.
Contains 25 different stamps from AFRICA ONLY, such as Transvaal, Mauritius, Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Orange States, Sierra Leone, Angola, old issues of Egypt, scarce Tunis, etc.


## No. 13.-Price, only 25 Cents.



Contains 30 RARE EUROPEAN stamps, all different, only from the following countries: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Greece (unpaid only), fine old Portugal, Montenegro, Eastern Roumelia, Roman States, old Baden and Thurn and Taxis, Hamburg (obsolete), 1866 issue, $I^{3 / 2}$ and $I / 4 / 4$ sch., valued at 3 and io cents each, rare Turkey, Monaco, Finland and Roumania.

## No. 14.--Price, only 25 cents.

Contains 30 varieties of United States stamps, all
different and obsolete, including adhesives, envelopes, Departments and Locals. This packet contains stamps that retail for 5 and io cents each.

## No. 15.-Price, only 25 Cents.

Contains 50 choice varieties, including Honduras, Japan, Mexico, Greece, Brazil, rare Deccan, India, high values, Jamaica, Java, etc.


No. 16.-Price, only 25 Cents.


Contains 30 varieties of RARE stamps ONLY from the countries meationed below, NO OTHERS: Bolivia, Persia, Orange States, Mexico, Ceylon, Cape of Good Hope. New Zealand, Victoria, Jamaica, Bulgaria, Greece unpaid. Egypt, Mauritius, Japan. Guiana, scarce Tunis, Natal, old Portugal. Roumania, Sweden officials and unpaid, Turkey, Brazil and Monaco. These 30 stamps are catalogued at OVER ONE DOLLAR.

No. $17 .-P r i c e$, only 25 Cents.
Contains 30 varieties of UNUSED STAMPS ONLY, including stamps from Iceland, Grenada, Bolivia. New Foundland 1888 issue, Greece 1888 issue, Porto Rico, China, Costa Rica, Monaco, Bulgaria, Roumania, rare Salvador, etc. This is an excellent Packet.


## No. 18.-Price, Only 25 Cents.

Contains 100 choice varieties of good stamps, including Austria 50 kr ., valued at ro cents each, rare Peru UNPAID, OLD Mexico, Cuba and Porto Rico, Ceylon, Orange States, Mauritius, Chili, Equador, etc.

## No. 19.-Price, Only 25 Cents.

Contains 150 all different stampe, including rare Orange States, OLD Japan, Mauritius, Persia, Trinidad, Western Australia, Barbadoes, Brazil, Greece, Finland, etc.



## No. 20.-Price, only 25 Cents.

Contains 150 varieties, including scarce Bosnia, Bulgaria, Turkey, Peru, old and new Chili, Mexico. Orange States, Tasmania, Queensland, India officials, Natal, Ceylon, Argentine Republic. etc.

## FIFTY CENT PACKETS.

No. 8.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 150 fine varieties from Guatemala 1886, Iceland, rare Siam, Japan, Montenegro, rare U. S. War Department envelope, worth io cents each, very rare Peru, unpaid, surcharged, valued at 25 cents each, unused Mexico, official brown, worth 10 cents each, and many others of equal value.


No. \%.-Price; only 50 Cents.


Contains 200 different stamps, including rare Martinique, Danish West Indies, Houduras, Salvador, Nicaragua, Heligoland, Transvaal, Mạuritius (old and new), RARE Mexico, Baden, Peru, old issues of Ecuador, etc.

## No. 10.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 50 RARE varieties of stamps selected from South and Central America and the West Indies ONLY, including old and new issues of Bolivia, Peru, Columbia, Bahamas, Guatemala, Costa Rica, Salvador, Brazil, Cbili, Argertine Republic, Venezuela. St Christopher, Grenada, Paraguay and
 others. A very fine collection and VERY CHEAP.

No. 11.
Price, only 50 Cents.


Contains 40 varieties of UNUSED stamps, including many RARE, such as Mexico, 1864, fine complete set of 4 varieties, valued at 29 cents alone, rare Peru, surcharges, worth io to 15 cents each, Roumania (old), Cyprus (WRAPPERS), Montenegro. Bosnia, old Cuba, 1867 issue, 40 cents (valued at to cents each), complete set of unused Swiss, 2 cents to I franc gold, and many others of equal value. catalogued in all at about $\$ 2.50$.

## No. 12.

Price, only 50 Cents.
Contains 50 varieties of RARE stamps, ONLY from the countries mentioned below, NO OTHERS: Argentine Republic, Azores Islands, Barbadoes, Bolivia, Bosnia, Bulgaria, British Guiana (GOOD VALUES), Chili, Egypt, East Roumelia, Finland, Greece 1888 issue, Hawaii, Honduras, Iceland, Mexico, Natal, Orange States, Mauritius, New Found-
 land, Peru, Queensland, Roumania, Porto Rico (old), Persia, San Marino, Ceylon, Turkey and old Siam.

## No. 13.

## Price, only 50 Cents.



Contains 200 splendid varieties, including rare Spain, 1879, 4 and 1o pesetas, valued at 10 and 25 cents eacb, Moldavia, 6 paras, valued at 10 cents each, RARE Martinique, Malta, Japan, rare Faridkot, first issue, fine set of four varieties, valued at about 35 cents, etc.

## No. 14.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 30 varieties from AFRICA only, including Mauritius (BRITANNIA), Mozambique, Orange States, South African Republic Cape Verde, old issues of Egypt, Angola, Natal, etc.


No. 15.-Price, only 50 Cents.


Contains 35 varieties from ASIA only, including Macau, rare old Japan, Persia, Siam, Deccan, Java, Hong Kong, Borneo, Portuguese Indies, very rare Alwur, Casbmere, Ceylon (provisionals), etc.

This packet contains no common stamps, but many rare old issues and bigh values, catalogued at 10 and 25 cents each. Guaranteed.

No. 16.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 40 different stamps from Central and South America, including unused Honduras, Honduras, high values, rare Bolivia, Salvador, Nicaragua, Venezuela, scarce Honduras, Ecuador, old issues, Costa Rica, 2 reales, rare Surinam, Mexico, many issues, also official red, urused, valued at io cents each, and many other rare
 stamps. Other dealers charge from $\$ 1.00$ to $\$ 1.50$ for this packet, which is not too much by any means.

If you want a real GOOD Album for LITTLE MONEY, ses page 28 of this list.

## No. 17.-Price, only 50 Cents.



Contains 150 different stamps, including many good values such as rare Siam, prov., valued at 20 cents, Austrian 20 kr., Holland unpaid, new issues ONLY the HIGHER values, catalogued at from 8 to ro cents each, rare Cuba, unused varieties, guaranteed to be worth from io to 20 cents each, Costa Rica provisional. I cent on $1 / 2$ real, rare Martinique, valued at 20 cents each, and others of equal value.

## No. 18.-Price, only 50 Cents

Contains 150 different stamps from all parts of the world, ig̨cluding scarce Argentine Republic, Corrientes, valued at 25 cents each. Monaco. Cyprus. old issues, Persia, rare Salvador envelopes, fine scarce set of 5 varieties, valued at 35 cents each. Mauritius, Iceland, rare Babamas, old issues and many
 others.

## PACKETS FOR BEGINNERS.



50 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, post free, only to cents.

Ioo varieties, all different stamps from all parts of the world, post free, only 15 cents.



150 varietjes, all different, from all parts of the world, post free, only 25 cents.

200 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, post free, only 35 cents.


## CHEAP PACKETS OF MIXED STAMPS.

Packet A.-Price, 50 Cents.



Contains 1,000 good mixed stamps, including old Austrian-Italy. Venezuela, Costa Rica, Hawaii, Cbili, Jamaica, Persia, Ecuador, Brazil, Guatemala, etc.

Use our "Standard Hinges" for inserting Stamps in Albums, only ten cents per sheet of over 1,000 stamp mounts.

## Packet B.-Price, only $\mathbf{\$ 1 . 0 0}$.

Contains 1,000 very fine assorted stamps, many rare, such as Salvador, Pern, Siam, Costa Rica 2 reales old issue, fine old unused Mexico, old China, rare Shanghai, and many others of equal value.


## Packet C.-Price, $\mathbf{3 0} \mathbf{0}$ Cents.



Contains I,ooo finely assorted stamps, including a lot of good stamps from such countries as Brazil, Chili, Costa Rica, old European, Jamaica, Porto Rico and many others.
5 packets as above........... ................. $\$ 1.25$
io packets as above............................... 200

## Packet D.-Price, only 75 Cents.

Contains 500 very good assorted postage stamps, including many rare, such as Old Mexico, Bahamas, Argentine, U. S. War, Treasury, Interior, etc, Danube 1866, rare old Bolivia black, Nicaragua, Peru, Guatemala, Ceylon, Egypt, India service, Jamaica, complete set of Paraguay 1885. valued at 25 cents, and other good stamps from all
 parts of the globe. Good packet for trading

All of above packets are excellent for trading or to sell from.
See our SPECLAL PRIZE OFFER on pages 23 and 25 of this list. 1,000 , all different, for $\$ 10.00$.

## Packet E.-Price, only $\$ 1.50$.



Contains 2.000 excellent stamps from many countries, such as Transvaal Republic, Orange Free States, Guatemala, Columbia Republic, old issues of Siam, also provisional worth 25 cents each, fine old Mexicans, many valuable, fine obsolede China, Shanghai, St Lucia, Mauritius, Hayti head issues, also from many other countries including Africa, Asia, South and Central America, West Indies, British Colonies, etc., etc., too numerous to mention. A fine packet for a small dealer or exchange purposes.

## PACKET F.

## ONE THOUSAND

## FINELY ASSORTED STAMPS FOR ONLY

## \$2.00, POST FREE.

We put up a fine packet of 1,000 mixed stamps which is just the thing for trading or selling off sheets. This packet contains no common continental stamps whatever, but only the better class from all parts of the globel The mixture comprises from 200 to 300 different varieties and includes such stamps as the following: Old Peru, Costa Rica, unused Guatemale, Cuba and Porto Rico, India, Ceylon, New South Wales, South Australia, old Baden, Bavaria, Brazil, Spain, Servia, Finland, Victoria, Helvetia, Hawaii, Mexico, Italy news, Heligoland, Rome, Cbili, Hamburg, Japan, Bosnia, Sweden officials,

Cyprus, Natal, Bulgaria, Roumania, Egypt, Greece, Hong Kong, etc., etc. Any dealer or agent can easily clear from $\$ 55$ to $\$ 18$ by retailing this excellent lot.

These packets are now in stock and orders are filled by return mail. (Be sure and order Packet F)

We guarantee each and every packet to be as represented or money will be refunded. The slamps in this packet will retail on sheets at over $\$ 20$

PRICE, POST FREE, \$2.00.

## Packet G.

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Contains $\mathrm{t}, 000$ very finely mixed United States - stamps. Price post free, only \$1.50.

This assortment includes stamps from 185 I , $1857,186 \mathrm{r}, \mathrm{I} 868$, 1869, 1872, 1875, 1882, 1887, 1888 and 1889 , all absolete, adhesives and envelopes; also Department, Revenues, Match and Medicine Stamps, Unpaid, Special Delivery, etc.

Every Pagket contains also a goc. Stamp of 1872 issue, a goc. Treasury Department and a rare $30 c$ brown of 1888 issue.

Note. - We will add to the above, to every packet sold, one rare goc. purple U. S. Stamp of 888 issue, which are very scarce and desirable. Order soon!

Price of above, post free, anly \$1.50.

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## MEXICO.

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We make a specialty of Mexican Postage Stamps, and have one of the largest and most complete stocks in the world. Collectors who wish to obtaio the RARER kinds, such as the high values of the first issue, the rare provisionals of 1867 to 1882, errors, Guadalajaras, etc., should enter into correspondence with us. We recommend the following Packets for their very superior quality and CHEAPNESS.

## No. 25.-Price, only 25 Cents.



Contains 25 varieties of Mexican Postage Stamps, iluding some rare from 1864. 1872, 1884-1890 issues, etc.

No. 26.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 30 different Mexican Postage Stamps, including a complete set of four varieties of 1864 (Saltillo), also old issues and high values of $1872,1879,1882$ to 1890 , etc. A wery fine packet for the money.


## No. 27.-Price, onty $\$ 1.00$.



Contains 50 different Mexican Postage Stamps, including a good many rare, such as 1879-1882, high values, 1864 issue, (Saltillo), also used and unused stamps of the issues of 1868 to 1875, valued at from 5 to 20 cents each Officia! stamps, red and olive brown (two issues), both unused, valued by Catalogue at 10 cents each, 1874 issue, 50 and 100 cents, rare, fine specimens, 20 and 25 cents of 1888 issue, old envelopes, and many others.

No. 28.-Price, only \$4.00.
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| 6 Bavaria, Return | 3 Hayti | 4 Orange St |
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| Canada Bill | 3 Kashmir | ${ }_{5}$ Saxon |
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| 4 Cyprus. | 4 Monaco | ${ }_{5}$ U. S. Locals. |
| 5 Dutch Indies. | 4 Natal | 6 U. S. Official |
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From collectors in all parts of the United States, and we beg to refer all collectors to these persons for reference.

Chicago, Marcl 16, 1892.
Stasdahostump Company:
Dear sirs-Your packetsarived all right and gave great gatisfacton. 1'lease till enclosed arder and oblige.
245: Indiana Ave.
Fours very truly.

Tonosro, Casand. April 19, to9x.

Gents-Received packets of stamps, catalogut, etc. sufely, and am Relighted anth them Yuurs respect fully,

W Delaney, Oreseent.

Stanipard Stamp Company
Dear sirs-We recelwed our stamps in good order, and must \&ay that they are rery satimactory. TS Sminary Ave.

Fours truly,
Thow. A. Mclan dico.
lether Academy, Walou, Neb., March 8, 1892.

## Standard stamp Combasy

Gentlemen-Stamps recelved all right Monday. 1 ammore than pieased with them'
lours truly,
Chas. H. Johsson.
Waruex, O., Murch 23, $18 y z$.
Standanh Stamp Costedny:
Gentlenen-Recelved packets which were satisfactory inevery respect. Yours truly.
C. S. Stiles.

SOLTH KAUK゙dNsA, W1s., April 2\%, 1802.
Standard Stamp Combany:
Genta-Your packete received, and I tind them to be the beat I ever received from any oflier rim.

Cours respectully,
JoII D. SMITH.

Kassas City, Mu., Dec. $\overline{0}$ IEMD.
Standand Stamp Comadny
Dear sirs -1 unst conpliment you on your excellent aseortment of stamps, etc. Carrier No. $6 \%$. lours,

GEO. 1 I. DFWEY.

Standarifistamp Company :
Gentlemen-Am much pleased with your heets, they are the neatest 1 have ever seen. Very trily yours,

Masc. Atice W. MaNCHESTER.
56 \& queen street.
K.Nisas Caty, Mo., Dece 1, 1801.

Standarn Stamp Combany:
Dear sirs-An very highly pleased with packets you sent me.
400 N. Gth St. Jours respectully, Mless La A. Jost.
Dallas. TEx, sept. 4 , 1su1.
Standamd Stami Cumpany
Gents- Xour sua varjety packet aud apparal sheets ordered received. Both are very much superior to ansthing I hawe ever seen so far. I remain, 312 Main street.

Standarn Stamp Company
Gent, Your approtal abeets are cheap and sell very fast. I sold all you sent me in less than tudays! Hatert A.dscobs.

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Dear Sies-Your stamps give better satisfaction than those of any other st mon hirm liave botght of.

Here are three letters from wetl.known dealers:

Grnts-stamps received O.K. 1 am very much pleased with them, ard think they are splendid baryutho, etc., etc.

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Gents-Your packets received, I must 68y that they were a delightful purprise to me. Enclosed please find 1.25 for Standard puckets No. 6 and 10 . Although my collection is quite large, 1 found a great number in your packets I did not have. If this, my testimony, is of any use to you, you may use ft. I rm

Ferytruly yourg, $\quad$ EhiN MULFORD, JR.
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## No. 15.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 35 varieties from ASIA only, including Macau, rare old Japan, Persia, Siam, scarce Travancore, Java, Hong Kong, Borneo, Portuguese Indies, very scarce, Alwur, Cashmere, Ceylon (provisionals), etc.

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Stamps, Jamaica, Japan (envelopes), Luxembourg (officials), Mauritius, many varieties and old issaes of Mexico, such as 186 set! 1879-1882 issues, many rare varieties, Modena, Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue, old New Brunswick, several varieties, N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, including "afficials," Orange States, rare Paraguay, several issues, Peru, Porto Rico, fine old Portugal. Prussia, (envelope), Roumania 1862, Russia zo kr., also envelopes, St, Vincent provisionals, Salvador, Samoa Island 1887 issue, San Marino, Saxony, unused Servia, Siam, South Australia, Spain officials also 4 pesetas, rare Persia, Sweden unpaid and officials, Switzerland unpaid (also envelopes), fine old Turkey, Cnited States of Columbia, Venezuela, Victoria, Western Australia (provisional issues) fine old Wurtemburg, also official envelopes, and many others too numerous to be mentioned.

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All of above packets are excellent for trading or to sell from.

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## FINELY ASSORTED STAMPS FOR ONLY

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Thesf．packets are now in stock and orders are filled by return mall．（Be sure and order Packet f．）

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This assortment includes stamps from 1851，1857，1861，1868， 1869，1872，1875，1882，1887， 1888 and 1889，all obsolete，adhesives and envelopes；also Department，Revenues，Match and Medicine Stamps， Unpaid，Special Delivery，etc．

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解．辛．
Contains 500 well mixed United States stamps， issues from 185 r up to 1889 ，all obsolete，including Navy，War，Treasury，Agriculture，Justice（12c．），Post Office，and Interior Department，scarce envelopes from 1857．1860，1861，1864， etc．Also several 30 and goc values，about 50 varieties in all，well mixed．

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We gwarantee good value！

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Contains rooo finely mixed stamps, such as Bosnia, Venezuela, Servia, Bulgaria, Italy, unpaid, I, 2, 5 and io lires (worth 35c), U. S. Department Stamps, scarce, New Brunswick, South African Republic, Natal, St. Vincent, Trinidad, Columbia, and many others.

A Good Packet for exchanging.

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Gents-Your packets received, and I tinal them to be the beat lever recelved from ang other firm. Fours respectfully,

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February 11, 1888.
Gentlemen-I received your packets today, and must say that they are far betfer than t expected! I'hey excel aly packets that I ever bought before.
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$19 \quad 1847 \quad 5 \mathrm{c}$ brown (Franklin), ..... I. 50 ..... 40
20 ". roc black (Washington), ..... 5.00 ..... 2.00Head in Oval. Umperforated.
21 185I Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 15
$21 a 185 \mathrm{I}$ Ic " variety. ..... 30
22 3c red Washington ..... 25 ..... 2
23 " 5 c brown (Jefferson). ..... $10.00 \quad 5.00$
24 " toc green (Washington) ..... 50
25 * 12c black (Washington) 2.00 ..... 1.00
No. Date. New. Used.
$26 \quad 185624 c$ lilac (Washington)
27 " $30 c$ orange (Franklin)
Heat in Squave.
281856 goc blue(Washington)
Same Perforated.
$29 \quad 1857$ Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 8
30 " IC " variety ..... 20
31 I856 3c red (Washington) ..... I
32 1857 3c red (Washington) with outer line ..... 35
$33 \quad 1856 \quad 5 \mathrm{c}$ brown (Jefferson) ..... 2.50
$34 \quad 1857 \quad 5 c$ red brown (Jefferson) ..... 15.00 ..... 5.00
35 " 5 C brown, ornaments at topand bottom of ..... 1.75 ..... 1.75
$36 \quad 1855$ roc green (Washington) ..... 40 ..... 20
$37 \quad 1857$ 12c black ..... 60 ..... 40
$38 \quad 1860$ 24c lilac I. 50 ..... 1.50
39 IS6o $30 c$ orange (Franklin) ..... 1.75 ..... 1.75
40 " goc blue (Washington) ..... 5.00 ..... 5.00
U. S. and Value in Cormers.
41 1861 Ic blue (Franklin) ..... I 5 ..... 3
42 *4 36 pink (Washington) ..... 25
43 " 5 c brown (Jefferson) ..... 50 ..... 25
" 5c yellow (Jefferson) 10.00 ..... 4.00
44

* Ioc green (Washington) ..... 30 ..... 03
46 * 12c black ..... 40 ..... 25
75 ..... 20
47 "24c lilac
1.50 ..... 40
48 30c orange (Franklin)
1.50
49 " gac blue (Washington) ..... 350
1.00
$50 \quad 1862 \quad 5 \mathrm{c}$ chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 2.50
3
$51 \quad 1863$ 2c black (Jackson) ..... 8
I
52 " 3 c rose (Washington) ..... 10 ..... 1
$53 \quad 1866$ 3c scarlet ..... 15.00
54 " 15 c black (Lincoln) ..... 50 ..... 25
55 " 24 C mauve (Washington) 1.25 ..... 35
Same, with rechangular embossing covering entire bark of stamp.
561868 3c rose 15.00 ..... 10.00
No. Date. New. Used.
57 IS68 5 c brown
58 " $30 c$ orange
Embossing measuring $13 x 16$ mim.
59 186S 3C rose ..... 3.00
Embossing measwring $11 \pi 13 \mathrm{~mm}$,
60 1S6S Ic blue ..... 25
61 ." 2c black ..... 10
62 " 3 C rose ..... 3
63 " IOC green ..... 30
64 " 12c black ..... 30
65 " 15 c black ..... 25
Embossimg measuring $0 \times 13$ mm.
66 iS6S ic blue ..... 25
67 "4 2c black ..... 20 ..... 10
68 " 3c rose ..... 15 ..... 2
69 "5c brown ..... 2.50 ..... 1.25
70 " Ioc green ..... 1,00 ..... 35
71 +1 12 C black 1.00 ..... 50
72 " 15 c black ..... 75 ..... 25
73 " 2 te violet ..... 2.50 ..... 1.50
74 is $30 c$ orange 2.50 ..... 1.50
75 "d goc blue 10.00 ..... 7.50
Various designs in square. With enbossing mensurins $91 / 2 \times 91 / 2$ ..... mm .
76 IS69 ic buff (Franklin) ..... 25 ..... 20
77 - 2 c brown (Horseman) ..... 15 ..... 3
$78 \quad$ " 3 c blue (Locomotive) ..... 10 ..... I
79 " 6 c blue (Washington) ..... 1.00 ..... 35
80 " roc yellow (Eagle) ..... 75 ..... 45
8 i " I2c green (Steamship) ..... 65 ..... 40
82 " I5c brown \& blue (Landing of Columbus) ..... 3.50 ..... 1.50
63 " Isc brown $\&$ blue (Picture framed).1.50
St " 24 C green \& black (Declaration of Inde-
pendence) 5.00 ..... 30060
$\$_{5} \quad$ " $30 c$ blue \& carmine (Eagle) ..... 5.00 ..... 1.50
86 goc black \& carmine (Lincoin) 1000 ..... 700
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No. Date.New. Used.
Same without embossing.
S7 I875 Ic buff ..... 20
88 " 2c brown. ..... 15
89 3c blue ..... 50
" be blue ..... 60Head to left in owal, ,tith embossing measuring $9 \times 1$ Ita mm.97 I870 Ic blue (Franklin).
65
roe yellow. ..... 65
" I 3 c brown \& blue (picture no: framed) ..... 1.25
" $24 c$ green iN black. ..... 4.00
" 30 blue $\&$ carmine ..... 4.00
" goc black \& carmine. ..... 8.00
98" 2c brown (Jackson)20
* 3 ggreen (Washington). ..... 5
99100 " oc pink (Lincoln).2. 50
250
18717 ve vermilion (Stanton)
6.00
I 870 10c brown (Jefferson).
I 870 10c brown (Jefferson). 102
103 " I2c dark purple (Clay)* ysc orange (Webster)4.00
104" $2+c$ purple (Scott)
" 3oc black (Hamilion) ..... 7.50
106
* goc carmine (Perry). 15.00 ..... 2.50Same, embossing musuring $8 \frac{1}{2} \times 101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.1081870 Ic blue20
tog " 2 c brown ..... 3
I 10 30 green ..... 5
Same Without Enbossing.
1111872 ic blue ..... I
112 4. ac brown. ..... I
113 3 c green ..... I
II4 6c pink ..... 25 ..... 2
115 " Jo vermillion ..... 30
II6 "t roc brown ..... 30 ..... I
117 " ize dark purple ..... 1.00 ..... 12
No. Date. New. Used.
118 1S72 isc orange ..... 30 ..... 2
II9 " 24 C purple ..... 2.50 ..... 45
120 ". 30c black. ..... 75 ..... 6
121 " - goc carmine ..... 2.25 ..... 15
122 1875. 2c vermillion ..... I
$\pm 23$ " 5 c blue (Taylor) ..... 2
12廿 IS82 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 1
125 " 5 C '" groundwork of crossed lines ..... 1
126 "* Ic light blue, re-engraved ..... I
127 *. 3c green ..... I
128 64 6c red ..... 5
129 ' 10 loc brown ..... I
130 I 883 2c claret (Washington). ..... 1
131 ". 4C green (Jackson) ..... 2
1321887 2c green ..... 1
133 3c vermilion ..... 5
New Desi.sn.
13+ 1887 ic blue (Franklin) ..... 2
Same as 1872-83 issuc.
1351888 5c Indigo blue
Neto Desijuns8$60 \quad 25$
127 " goc purple
127 " goc purple ..... I. 75 ..... 50
138
138 tc carmine tc carmine ..... 8 ..... 4
139 I890 ic ultramarine ..... I
140 2c carmine ..... I
14I " 3 l purple ..... 1
I 42 " 4 c dark brown ..... I
143 " 5c chocolate ..... I
144 " 6c brown red ..... 1
145 " rocgreen ..... I
146 "' 15 c dark blue ..... 2
$1+7$ it $30 c$ black ..... 35 ..... 3
148 " goc orange ..... I 00 ..... 10

No. Date.
New. Used.
CARRIERS' STAMPS.
2101851 blue and pink (Franklin)............................. 25
211 "r blue (Eagle)...................................... 75
SPECIAL DELIVERY.
251 1885 roc blue....... . ........................ 20 8
2521888 roc blue (" at anty office.")................... 15 . 3
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colured Border.
30118655 c blue (Washington) ...................... 6.50
302 " toc green (Franklin)................ . . . . . . . . . 3.00*
303 " 25 cred (Lincoin). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3.00*
White Barder.
$304 \quad 1867 \quad 5 \mathrm{c}$ blue (Washington). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 60 Indian.
305 1875 2c black.............................................. 10 15

307 " 4 c " ........................................... 20.
308 " 6 c " ....................................... 20.20




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313 187512c carmine........ .............................. 50.


$316{ }^{16} 48 \mathrm{c}{ }^{16}$... .................................... 1.25 . 75
317 i4 boc 1. ........................................ 1.25 I.00
318 " ${ }^{18} 2 \mathrm{C}$ ".................................. 250
319 " 84c " .................................... 2.50 2.00
320 " $\quad$ 犯 $"$. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $2.50 \quad 2.00$
Various Designs.
321 1875 192c brown. . . . . .................................. $3.50 \quad 2.50$
322 " 3 d scarlet.......................................... 6.00 700
No. Date. New. Used.
$323 \quad 1875$ 6d blue ..... $850 \quad 6.00$
324 gd orange ..... 12.00
325 12d green ..... 15.00
326 24d purple. ..... 24.00
327 36 d red ..... 3000
328 - " 48 d brown
329 " 60 d violet 50.00
UNPAID LETTER STAMPS. Perforated.
351 1879 se red brown ..... J
352 " 2c ..... I
353 " 3 C ..... 2
354 6 5 ..... 3
355 " 10 C ..... 2
356 " $30 c$ 300 " ..... 50 ..... 20
357 $50 c$ ..... 75 ..... 25
$35^{3}$ r89i Ic bright claret. ..... 1
359 ..... 2 C ..... I
360 " $3 C$ ..... 2
361 * 5c ..... 3
362 " Ioc ..... 2
363 " 30 c ..... 20
364 " 500 ..... 25
OFFICIAL STAMPS
Perforated.
Allexcept Post Office same Design as General Issue with Name of Department aboze.
Agriculture.
8011873 Ic straw ..... 50
$802{ }^{4} \quad 2 \mathrm{C}$ ..... 35
803 " 3c ..... 15 ..... 8
80. 4 6c ..... 30 ..... 20
805 " IOC ..... 65
806 4 42 ..... 150
807 " 15 C ..... 1.00


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815 1873 Ic vermillion................. ............. 20 . 15



8ig " 10 c "............................... 25 15

821 " 15 C "....................................... 25 15

823 • $30 \times$ "......................................... 50 25

Justice.
825 I873 Ic purple ...................................... . . . 40
826 " 2 C " .......................................... 45

827 " 32 " ........................................... 25
25

829 10c ${ }^{46}$........................................ 50
830 " 12 c . . ...................................... 60
83t " 1 " 4 .......................................... 1.50
832 " 24 4 " ......................................... 1.75
1.75

834 " وос " ......................................... 6.50 6.00 Navy
$835 \quad 1873$ IC blue ..... 30 ..... 30
836 " 9 2c blue ..... 35 ..... 75
836a" 2c green (error) ..... 6.00
837 " 3 c blue ..... 15 ..... 10


## Post Office

Figtare of Value in Owal.

$8_{56} 1872$ Registered, green. ..... 15
8571877 Officially sealed, brown, (P. Obitum) ..... 5.00 ..... 5.00
858 IS79 Officially sealed, brown, (Lithographed) ..... 10
855a 1888 Officially sealed, brown, (Wood Engraving ..... 5 ..... 5
858b 1888 Officially sealed, brown, Typographed858 c 188 g Officially sealed, black on pink pS58d 1839 Officially sealed, blk on white, Roukthed.
Staie.
359 1873 IC green ..... 35 ..... 35
860 $2 C$ ..... 5050
861 - 3 C ..... 35 ..... 35
862 6 c . ..... 25
863 7 c ..... 30 ..... 50


## Treasury



## War

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$89 \mathrm{t} \quad 4 \mathrm{IC}$

24 C $813+$ ". 300 ".

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1873 ic red 3
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Yours 1 ruly,
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11 China, 1885, I, 3, 5, can'd ..... 25
12 i4 1875, I, 3. 5, can'd ..... 15
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$30 \quad$ " 1878 ..... 30
31 188 r prov. ..... 75
32 1882 ..... 15
33 1886 prov, 25 c to 50 ..... 60
34 Hawaiian Islands, $1867-89$ ..... 45
35 Hayti, 1883 ..... 75
36 " 1887 ..... 25
37 Heligoland. 1867 , reprint ..... 15
$3^{8}$ 1871-73. reprint ..... 20
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45 " Officials ..... 30
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49 Mauritius, $8_{\$ 9-62, ~ B r i t a n n i a ~}^{4}$ ..... 75
50 Mexico, 186.4. Head. . . ..... 25
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83 Brazil 1850-54 ..... 25
84 Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 50
85 Canada, $1 \$_{59}, 1,5.10,121 / 2$ ITc ..... 60
86 Cape of Good Hope. 1871-85 ..... 10
67 Ceylon, 1872-86 ..... 15
88 China, $1575-85$ ..... 30
89 Colombia, $1805,1,21 / 2,5,10,20,50 \mathrm{c}, ~$ I p . ..... 80
90 I S66, $5,10,20,50,1 \mathrm{p}$ ..... I. 10

91 Colombia, $1868-70,21 / 2,5,10,20,50,1 p$ 40
$92 \quad{ }^{2} \quad 1883$, ic to 1 peso ..... 90
93 Antioquia, 1869, 21/2, 5, 10, 20 c ..... 75
94 Bolivar, 1879 ..... 40
95 1879, blue paper ..... 4 ..... I. 50
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97 ". 1880, 5 C to 1 peso. ..... 6
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120 -6 unpaid ..... I 5
121 French Colonies. $1859-65$, ic to Soc ..... 30
122 Gold Coast ..... 15
123 Great Britain, $1870-3_{4}$, incl. 5sh ..... 25
124 " ${ }^{4}$ 1887, Jubilee issue ..... 12
125 Greece, $1862-89$ ..... 25
126 "" unpaid ..... 20
No.
No. InSet.
127 Guatemala, 1856-88 ..... 7 ..... 30
128 Hawaiian Island, 1864-86 ..... 25
129 Hayti, 1887 ..... 15
130 Hong Kong. ..... 12
131 Hungary. I888, I to 50 ks ..... 15
132 " 1888 , Ikr to 3 月 ..... 60
133 India, 1854 ..... 50
134 " $1865-86$ ..... 15
135 Italy, 1862-89. ..... 15
136 - Segnatasse ..... 10
137 " 1 1, 2, 5, ro lire ..... 15
138 " " unpaid, IC to 101. ..... 30
139 " " 50 and 1001 ..... 100
ito Luxemburg, 1882 , incl. Ifr ..... 15
141 Mauritius $1849-78$ ..... 50
142 Mexico, 1864 (Eagle) ..... 40
143 I 868 (incl. 50c.) ..... 60
1.11 1874-78 ..... 25
145 1882, 2. 3, 6c ..... 12
146 188t, IC to 1 peso ..... 65
147 " 1885 . I to 25 C ..... 40
148 t886, inci. 25 c violet ..... 30
149 Netherlands, 1867-76 ..... 12
150 New South Wales ..... 12
151 Nicaragua, 1869-71 ..... 35
152 1878 ..... 40
153 ..... 15
I5 4 Orange Free State ..... 18
155 Peru, 1858-60. ..... 1.75
156 " 1886, 1 to 20 c ..... 10
157 " J886, ic to 1 sol ..... 50
158 " unpaid 1884, surcharged, triangle, ic to 50 c ..... 75
159 Porto Rico, 1876 , complete ..... 75
1 to " " 1880, sc to 1 peseta ..... 40
16i $\quad$, " 188 I , ic to $2 \%$ ..... 30
IG2 Russia, 1868-82 ..... 25
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163 Saxony ..... 20
167 Servia, 1881 ..... 12
165 Sierra Leone ..... 30
I66 South African Republic. 1870-71 ..... 50
167 Spain. war stamps ..... 10
168 Sweden, unpaid ..... 15
169 Switzerland, 1854 , 5 c to Ifr ..... 40
170 " unpaid, 1878 -54 ..... 20
171 Trinidad, 1864-82 ..... 30
172 Tonga, ..... 50
173 U'ruguay, 18s4-90 ..... 30
174 Venezuela, $1859-7.4$ ..... 30
175 " 1880. 5, 10, 25.50. and I thol ..... 20
${ }_{17} 6 \quad 4 \quad 188 \mathrm{c}$, Escuelas, 5 c to 5 bul. ..... 50
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Our latest "Standard Packet," No. 3r, contains 600 different Postage Stamps, genuine, and all in first-class condition, comprising stamps as follows: Bolivia, roc. vermilion, Slam provisional, I on 2a, Argentine Republic, 24c., Italy, unpaid, a complete set Transvaal, 1883, 1d̉-1sh, complete, unused, value 7oc., Faridkot, two sets, perforated and unperforated, value, \$1.20, Bos-
 nia Revenues, used postally, Spaip, 1876, 4 pesos, unused, China, complete set, used, a fine line of rare Mexico. including a set of 1864, set of $1879-1882$ issues, including high values, and some on thin paper catalogued at about $\$ 2.50$. Errors from 1872 to 1882, fine old envelopes, complete set of Porte de Mar. col'd, set of Persia officlals, fine used and unused stamps of Bosnia, Shanghai, old Cuba and Puerto Rico, Colombia, Costa Rica, Hawaii, Guadeloupe, Uraguay, Seychelles Islands, Old Dominica, Salvador, Bolivia, Wadhwan State, scarce Pountch, Bosnia, 25 kr . Ecuador, 50c. and I peso, valued at 50 . each, Ceylon provisional, Brazil newspaper, scarce old Canada and Prince Edward Islands, and last but not least, besides all those mentioned above, a fine lot of scarce U. S. Stamps, such as unused State, Justice, War, used Post Offce, Interior, Navy, etc., besides that each packet contains a rare 30 , brown of 1888 issue, which are becoming rare very fast, and many other rare stamps.

This packet does not contain any cut postal cards, revenues, locals, or similar rubbish, but only clean postage stamps, in finest possible comdition.

## Packet No. 38.

## Price, only 85.00 . Post Free.

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Contains too all different stamps ondy from the United States of America, including Departments, old and new Envelopes, Newspaper Stamps, unpaid, Officially Sealed. Special Delivery, etc. This packet does not contain any Telegraph, Locals or Revenue Stamps of any kind what-
ever. Amongst the great number of excellent stamps contained in this packet, we mention only a few, as follows :

1851, Ic blue, unperforated; re blue 1857 issue; 1861 issue, several, including the $30 c$ orange, worth $40 c$ each; 2 C black, 1868 , embossed; 1869 issue, several ; 1870 issue, embossed; 1872 issue, 12 c purple, $30 c$ black: 1883 , 1887 , 1888 issues, including the very rare 30c PLCE BROWN and OOc PURPLE; Special Delivery, old and new : Newspaper Stamps (Indian), unpaid letter, zoc redbrown; Envelopes of $1853,186 \mathrm{~L}, 1864,1870,1874$ Reay and Plympton issues: Officially Seaied Stamps, several ; also Department of Justice, P. O., War, Treasury, Interior, State, Navy, etc., etc.

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[^12]50 reis; St. Thomas Principe, 1870, 5, 25 and 100 reis; 188 1 85, 10 20, 25 and 50 reis; Timor; $1885,5,25,40,50$ and 80 reis. The packet also contains a nice assortment of the new stamps, such as Argra, Morta, Fumehntand Ponta Delgada, etc. etc. ALL STAMPS ARE GUARANTEED CLEAN AND GENUINE. If bought' singly, the stamps in this packet could not be obtained for less than \$to to \$i5, as some stamps are quoted from 50 cents to \$1.00 each. Satisfaction guaranteed. A bargain for dealers as well as collectors.
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 unused, etc.. etc.

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Standard Stamp Combany :
Gents. - Your packets received. Am very much plased wish them. I cannot understand hoze you can set them so cheap. Your sheets are also cheap and varied. Very truly yours, Jvo E. Detor.

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No. 7.-Price, only $2 \overline{5}$ Cents.<br>Postage 2 Exira.

Contains ioo all different stamps from such countries as Guatemala, Ecuador, Brazil, Bulgaria, Turkey, Egypt, Ceylon, Bosnia 10 kr ., stc., tic.

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## Postage 2c Extra,

Contains 25 different stamps from AFRICA ONLY, such as Transvaal, Mauritius, Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Orange States, Sierra Leone,
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No. 13.-Price, only 25 Cents. Postage 2 extra.


Contains 30 RARE EUROPEAN stamps, all different, only from the following countries: Bosnia Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Greece (unpaid only), fine old Portugal, Holland (unpaid only), Montenegro, Gibraltar, Roman States, old Baden and Prussia, Hamburg (obsolete), 1866 issue, $1 \frac{1}{2}$ and $1 / 4 / 4$ sch, valued at 3 and io cents each, also envelopes, rare Turkey, Monaco, Finland, and Roumania.

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Contains 30 varietles of RARE stamps ONLY from the countries mentioned below: NO OTHERS. Bolivia, scarce old New Brunswick. worth 10 cents each, Orange States, Mexico, Ceylon, Cape of Good Hope, New Zealand. Victoria, Jamaica, Bulgaria, Greece (unpaid), Egypt, Mauritius, Japan, Guiana, scarce Tunis, Natal, old Portugal, Roumania, Sweden officials and unpaid Turkey, Brazil and Monaco. These 30 stamps are catalogued at OVER ONE DOLLAR.

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4 Austrian Levant.
3 Azores Islands.
3 Baden.
6 Bavaria, olo issues
3 Belgium Postal Packet.
3 Bermuda.
2 Bhopaul.
2 Bolivia.
3 Bosnia.
4 Hrazil.
4 British Guiana.
4 Hulgaria.
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Canada Bill.
6 Cape of GoodHope
4 Ceylon.
Chili.
3 Colombia.
2 Confederate.
3 Constantinople.
3 Crista Rica.
5 Cuba.
2 Curacao.
2 Cyprus.
3 Dutch Indies.
2 Eastern Roumelia
3 Ecuador.
4 Egypt.
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2 Faridkot.
4 Finland.
ro France.
3 French Colonies.
5 Greece.
2 Guatemala.
3 Hamburg.
3 Hawaii.
5 Heligoland.
2 Honduras.
3 Hong Kong.
2 Iceland.
5 India.
12 Italy.
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy postal packet
provisional, rare.
3 Italy, unpaid.
5 Jamaica.
4 Japan.
2 Kashmir.
5 Luxembourg.
3 Mauritius.
7 Mexico.
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
2 Mexico, I864, unused, rare.
2 Mexico, 1879, unused.
3 Mexico 1884.
3 Monaco.
3 Natal.
3 Newfoundland.
5 New South Wales.
6 New Zealand.
3 Nicaragua.
10 Norway.

2 Old Brazil, 1850.
2 Old Japan.
3 Orange States.
2 Paraguay.
2 Persia.
3 Peru.
2 Philippines.
5 Porto Rico.
5 Portugal.
4 Prussia.
3 Roman States.
6 Roumania.
7 Russia.
2 Salvador.
6 Sardinia.
3 Servia
Io Spain
3 StraitsSettlements
io Sweden.
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2 Thurn \& Taxis.
2 Tunis.
5 Turkey.
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10 U. S. Postage.
3 U. S. War.
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7 Brazil.
6 British Guiana.
5 Bulgaria.
8 Canada Bill.
8 Cape of GoodHope
6 Ceylon.
7 Chili.

- China.

3 ConfederateStates
4 Costa Rica.
7 Cuba.

- 3 Curacao.

4 Cyprus.
5 Dutch Indies.
3 Eastern Roumelia
4 Ecuador.
7 Egypt.

3 Faridkot.
7 Finland.
7 Greece.
4 Guatemala.
4 Hawali.
3 Hayti.
7 Heligoland.
3 Honduras.
4 Gong Kong.
3 Iceland.
Io India.
3 Italy,postal packet
3 Italy, postal packet provisionals, rare
5 Italy, unpaid.
7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.
4 Mauritius.
12 Mexico.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
4 Mexico, 1864,complete set, rare.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
7 New South Wales.
7 New Zealand.

4 Nicaragua.
14 Norway.
3 Old Brazil, $18{ }^{2} 0$.

* 5 Old Hamburg.

3 Old Japan.
4 Orange States.
3 Paraguay.
3 Persia.
5 Peru.
3 Philippines.
7 Porto Rico.
12 Portugal.
*5 Roman States.
7 Roumania.
4 Salvador.
*3 Samoa,
${ }^{*} 5$ Saxony.
5 Servia.
15 Spain.
6 Sweden Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
6 Turkey.
20 U.S. Adhesives.
5 U. S. Colombia.
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Contains 50 RARE varieties of stamps selected from South and Central America and the West Irdies ONLY, including old and new issucs of Bolivia, Peru, Colombia, Persia, Guatemala, Costa Rica, Salvador, Rrazil, Chili, Argentine Republic, Venezuela, St. Vincent, several; Grenada, Para-
 guay; and others. A very fine collection and VERY CHEAP.

No, 11 .-Price, omly 50 Cents.


Contains 40 varieties of UNUSED stamps, including many RARE, such as Mexico, 1864, fine complete set of four variecies, valued at 29 cents alone, New Brunswick worth ro cents each, rare Holland unpaid, high values, worth to to 15 cents each, Roumania (old), rare China, Montenegro, Salvador. several fine Portuguese Colonies, worth about 20

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cents，complete set of unused Swiss， 2 cents to 1 franc gold，and many others of equal value，catalogued in all at about $\$ 2 \leq 0$.

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 Brunswick，Peru，Queensland，Roumania．Porto Rico（old），Persia， San Marino，Cevion，Turkey and Shanghai．

## No．13．－Price only 50 Cents．



Contains 200 splendid varieties，including rare set of Chili＂＇telegrafos，2，ro， 20 centavos，val－ ued at 10 and 25 cents each．Itaiy，unpaid， 10 lires，worth 15 cents each，scarce Putiaila，un－ used Peru，Ecuador．fine unused set of 7 varie－ ties．I－50 centavos，worth 30 cents，Malta，Japan， rare China，old St．Vincent．etc．

No．14．－Price，only 50 Cents．

Contains 30 varieties from AFRICA only，in－ cluding Maurixius（BRITANNIA）Mozambique， Orange States，South African Republic，Cape Verde，old issues of Egypt．Angola．Natal، etc


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Gents－lour packets pecelved．I must say that they were a delightral surprige
 my collection la quite large，I foubla great anmorer la your packete I did not have．If this，my testimuny，is of any ute to you，you may ust it． 1 am．

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## No. 15.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 35 varieties from ASIA only, includMacau, rare old Japan, Persia, Siam, scarce Travancore. Java, Hong Kong, Borneo, Portuguese Indies, very scarce, Alwur, Cashmere, Ceylon (provisionals,) etc.

This packet contains no common stamps, but many rare old issues and high values, catalogued at Io and 25 cents each. Guaranieed!

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Contains 40 different stamps from Central and South America, including unused Honduras, and high values, rare Bolivia, Salvador, Costa Rica, inciuding old and new issues, Venezuela, scarce Honduras, Ecuador, old issues, Costa Rica, 2 reales, rare Surinam, Mexico, many issues, also officials and official seals, worth 5 and 15 cents each, and many other rare stamps.
 Other lealers charge from $\psi_{\mathrm{I}} \mathrm{oo}$ to F r. 50 for this packet, which is not too much by any means.

## No. 17.-Price, only 50 Cents.



Contains 150 different stamps, including many good values, such as rare Japan, old issues, Travancore. Austrian, 25 kr ; Holland, unpaid, new issues and high values; set Ecuador. unused, I to 50 centavos, valued at $\mathfrak{j}$ cents; rare Cuba, used and unused, varieties, guaranteed to be worth from to to 20 cents each Costa Rica, old and new. also provisionals; rare Mozambique provisionals, valued at 20 cents each, and others of equal value.

No. 18.-Price, only $\overline{50}$ Cents.
Contains 150 different stamps from all parts of the world. including scarce Argentine Republic, New Brunswick, 17c black, worth 500 eents each; Monaco. Argentine Republic, old issues; Pert, rare Salvador, old and new issues: fine old and new Persia, Guate. mala. Mauritius. Ie eland, rare Bahamas, old issues and mary others.


## International Packet No. 21.



The famous INTERNATIONAL PACKET contains $\mathbf{1 , 0 0 0}$ (one thousand) all different postage stamps-no two alike.

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tugal, also Portugese Colonies, 10 - 15 varieties, Prussia, Roumanla, r362 ; Russia, Russian Levant. St. Vincent, provisionals, Salvador, Samoa Island, 1887 issue, San Marino, Saxony, unused Servia, Slam, South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues, (Isabella), rare I real values ; rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerland, unpaid (also envelopes) ; fine old Turkey, United States of Columbia, Venezuela. Victorla. Western Australia (provisionalissues), fine old Wurtemburg, also official envelopes, and many others too numerous to be mentioned.

This is a splendid packet for a beginner, as well as for any adsanced coilector, as a great many GOOD stamps will be found in the same which are missing in quite large collections of 2,000 and 3,000 varieties.

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CAUTION. Other dealers have imitated our "International" Packet and offer a similar packet at the same or a lower price. If you wish to receive the full value of your morrey, buy none of these worthless imitations, but the old and reliable "INTERNATIONAL" PACKET, No. 21.

## WHAT THEY SAY!

## THE: Clib HOUSH, JEKYL Island, Betwsu'tck, Ga., January 2, 1893.

Etasidari Stamp Cumpany:
Dear sirs-lour "Iuternational" Pracket No. 21 recelved, but owing to Xmas dolngs I hove beell unable to examine it until now. I never lmagined I'd get buch a packet; it leate Europern traders hollow ! Jour gift of ©s worth of stamps was a welcome surprise, for which accept my thanks. It I have made any molstakes let me know. Your system beata all I know, and I can hardly realise it to be fact. I am Yourstruly, Robert Forbeg.
$\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { Office iboston blackino Co., } \\ \text { 9t, gi, } 98,100 \text { RKVERLYSTREET, } \\ \text { BOSTON, MASs., Ootober } 8 \text {, 1802. }\end{array}\right\}$
Boston, Mass., Oetober 8, 1802.

Standalid Stamp Co:
Gents-Your 1'ackets No 21 and $2 x$ recelved, and I must say are the fincet I ever gac, The premium stamp is a dive and valuable starap. Iou may aend any purtled to me for recommendations, and I can faithfully say that your goods aro as represented and superior to others in regards to coudition and scarcity. $94-100$ Heverly St, Boston, Mass.

Tours respectfully,
C. W. Laym.

## OfFICE OF <br> D. H. BACON \& CO., Fine, lprintills, <br> BuItmingitam, Cosn, Sept. 3u, 1842.

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Gentlemen-It gives me plearure to aay that your "INT'ERNATIONAL PACKET No. $21^{\prime \prime}$ is the best assortment und the most value I have ever seen In stamps. I aold the one you sent to $n$ young man who had bought a 1,000 variety packet for 15.00 in New York. He said yours was the best to say nothing of the album which gocs with it. I have aold another for which you lave the order, and have another customer in wiew. Yours very truly,
D. H. Bacon.

The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated Ortoter $22,18 \mathrm{~g} 2$
Standard stami Company
Gentlemen-"INTERNATIONAJ. PACKLT No. 21" arrived all right yeaterday a. m., The premium which you sent with it whs very satisfactory, while ts to the packet itgilf, I canonly bay that I spent an hour of so with my customer look Ing over it in the afternoon, and he and myselfovere delighted! It was a magnifcent collection for the money, and when I thank what my flrst 1,000 stamps cost me about three years ngo I Hm disgustet, etc., ctc. Yours very truly,
D. H. Bacon.

It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.

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Nohristown, PA.
Gentlemen-The Intermatonal Pucket No. 21, 1,000 all different stanps for win, Which I purchaset of you, wat the Hnest I have ever seen, much excelming MY GLEATENT ENDEGTATION! I am also much obliged for the valuable Plaze stamps you sent me!
830 Arch Street, Norristown, Pa.
Yours truly,
Chas. A. Farnum.
Tohosto, Canaina, April 19, 1892.
Standard Stamb Compant:
Gents-Recelved pickets of stumps, catalogue, etc., safely, and ant delighted with them.
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Dallas, Tex., Sept. 25, 1891.
Standard Stami Company :
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312 Main atrect. Yours truly, ANGELO DESTEFANO.
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Cambridgy, MAss.
STANDAED STAMP COMPANY
Iear Sirs-Your bleets contain the beat nsbortment that I have everspen; am abso rery much oblfged to you for the zaluable ptlze stamps you gent me. 1112 North Ave, Cambridge, Mase. Yours iruly, HomFisF. Hust.

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FGRAUARY, 11, 1888.
Stardard Stamp Company;
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 100 | * | * | 16 | ' ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 3 C |  |
| 60 | - | " | ${ }^{*}$ | - | 5 C |  |
| 40 |  |  | ${ }^{\prime}$ | - |  |  |

Total, 500 good stamps to retail at over $1+\infty$ net cash.
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SOUTH К゙AUKANXA, WiS., April $25,1892$.
Standall Stamy Compasy
Gentg-Your packets received, and I find them to be the best I ever recelved from any other flrmi.

Fours respectfully,
dNO. U. SHIPTH.

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EwINO, NEE.
Standard Stamp Company
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right last night. I am more than asisfied Fith them, and ghall loge no opportunity to speak a good word for you at any time.

Yours truly,
GARRIECORTELYON.

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U. $\mathbf{S}$.
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OAKland, Cale, Feb. 11, 1888.
Gentlemen-I received your packets fo-day, and must gay that they are far better than I experted! 'Ilny exed uny packets that 1 ever bouglit before.
lours very truly, H. I. ADAMs,
957 ISroxdway.
Attorney and Counsellor at law.


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No. No.
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1 U. S., 1847, 5, 1oc.2

* 375
2 U.S., I851, I, 3, 10, 12 c . ..... 4
3 U.S., 1856-57, I, 3, IO, I2C. ..... 4
100
4 U. S., 186ז-63, 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30c ..... 175
5 U.S., 1872, I, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 15, 30, goc. ..... 100
6 U.S , 1875-83, 工, 2, 3. 4, 5, 6, IOC. ..... 15
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8 U. S., 1890, 1. 2, 3, 4.5, 6, 10. 15, 30c ..... 50
9 U. 8., $185 \mathrm{I} \cdot 93$, various ..... 25
10 U.S., I85I-93, various ..... 1 00
11 U. S., Newspaper stamps, $1875-85,1,2,3,4$. IOC ..... 175
12 U. S, $\ddagger$ Interior Dept., 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12c. ..... 75
13 U. S.. Treasury Dept., 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15.30, 90 ..... 100
if U. S.. *War Dept., 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30, goc complete ..... 11
250
15 U. S., War Dept ..... 125
16 U. S., War Dept ..... 75
17 U. S., Envelopes, $1853-74$ ..... 75
18 U. S., Envelopes, 1853-74 ..... 250
19 U. S., Envelopes, 1864, 2c, dies 1 and 2 ..... 250
20 U. S., Envelopes, 1876 , Centennial, red and green ..... 50
20a"U. S. of America, 1893, Envelopes, "Columbus" issue. I to IOC, complete, entire ..... 22 ..... 150
$20 b^{*}$ U. S. of America, $1893.1,2,3,4,5,6,8,10,15$, $30,50 c . \$ \mathrm{~s}, \$ 2, \$ 3, \$ 4, \$ 5$, complete ..... 16
1950
21 Am. Rapid Tel. Co ..... 65
22 Baltimore \& Ohio, 1836 ..... 20
23 Argentine Repubiic ..... 13 ..... 20
No.
No.
in set. per set.
$24 \ddagger$ Afghanistan, 188I-90, I, 2 ab, and I rupee, var ious colors of paper, cat ..... 15
1500
25 *Afghanistan, $188 \mathrm{I}, \mathrm{I}, 2 \mathrm{ab}$, 1 rupee ..... 300
26 *Angola, $10,20,25,40,50,100,200,300$ reis ..... 100
26a* Angra, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 60
27 Austria, 1890 , 1 - 30 kr ..... 25
28 Austria, I390, I-If ..... 60
29 *Baden, 5, 3, 6. 7, 9, 30 kr ..... 25
30 *Baden, Landpost, $1,3,12 \mathrm{kr}$ ..... 08
31 *Bavaris, 1870-73 ..... 12
32 *Bavaria. Return Letter ..... 10
34 *Bermuda, 1/2, 1, 2, 21/2. 3, 4, 6c, Ish ..... I 20
35 Baden, 1851-6. ..... 25
36 Barbadoes ..... 15
37 Bolivia, 1876 ..... 35
38 Bolivia, 1877 ..... I 5
39 Bosnia ..... 25
40 Brazil, $1850-54$ ..... 25
$4 I$ Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 50
42 British Bechuanaland, $1 / 2-4 d$, various ..... 35
43 \$British Guiana, 1889-90,3.4,6, IOc, Ic on \$1, 2, 3.4 8 ..... 125
44 Cape of Good Hope, $187 \mathrm{r}-85$ ..... 10
45 Ceylon. 1872-86 ..... 15
46 China, 1875-85 $^{18}$ ..... 30
47 Canada Envelope. I, 3 c ..... 05
48 *Cape Verde, 5, 10, 20, 20, 25. 25. 40, 50, 100. 200, 300 reis ..... 100
49 Chili, "Telegrafos," 2, 10, 20 c ..... 15
50 Chili, Envelopes, $1872,15,20,20 c$, entire ..... 150
$51 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, 1889, 1, 5c, (latter unused,) 'Correos" ..... 35
52 Costa Rica, 1883-87. 2, 5, 10, 40c, also 2 and 2 and roc, Official and Guanacaste. (cheap set) ..... 75
$53 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, $1883 \mathbf{9 2}$, including 40c. unused ..... 35
$54{ }^{*}$ China, 1875 . I. 3. 5. can'd ..... 35
55 *China, 1885, t, 3. 5, can'd ..... 15
56 * Brazil, 3 wrappers ..... 20
No.
No. Prlce
57 *Congo, 1886, 5, 10, 25, 50c. ..... 40
58 Corea, 5, 10, 25, 50. room ..... 30
59 * Corrientes ..... I 00
6o * Costa Rica, official, 1889 . 1 to 50c. ..... 150
61 *Cuba, 1890 , $1 / 2$ to 8 m ..... ro
62 * Danish West Indies, 1873-87 ..... 175
63 * Danube Steam Navagation Co., unperforated ..... 25
64 Danube Steam Navagation Co., perforated ..... 15
65 Colombia, 1883 . IC to 1 peso. ..... 70
66 Antioquia, 1869, 21/2. 5, 10. 20c ..... 75
66a Bolivar, 1879-1885, 5, Io and 20c values only. ..... 100
67 Bolivar, 1879 ..... 40
68 Bolivar, 1879, blue paper ..... 1 :0
69 Bolivar, $1880,5 \mathrm{c}$ to 40 c . ..... 40
70 Bolivar, $1880,5 \mathrm{c}$ to 1 peso ..... 100
7 r Bolivar, 1880 , blue paper, 5. 20, 40 c. ..... 75
72 Bolivar, 1879 -83 ..... 40
73 Botivar, $1882,5 \mathrm{c}$ to 40 c ..... 40
74 Bolivar, $1882,5 \mathrm{c}$ to I peso ..... 100
75 Bolivar, 1882,5 and to pesos ..... 350
76 Bolivar, $1883,5 \mathrm{c}$ to 40 c ..... 40
77 Bolivar, 1883. 5c to 1 peso ..... 100
78 Bolivar, 1882-83 ..... 40
79 Bolivar, 1884 , ic to 40 c ..... 40
8 Bolivar, 1884, ic to I peso. ..... 100
81 Holivar, 1885 . Ic to 40 c ..... 40
32 Bolivar, 1885 . Ic to 1 peso ..... I 00
$82 a$ Costa Rica. 1884, Revenues used postally. 2 and 5 centavos ..... 40
$82 b^{*}$ Costa Rica, 1889, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50c, and I peso. ..... 100
82c* Costa Rica. 188 g. 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50, $1,2,5$ and to pesos, complete ..... 425
82d"Costa Rica, 1889. "Guanacaste," 1-20c ..... 25
82 "Costa Rica, 1889. 'Guanacaste,' ' Ic 5 pesos, com- plete ..... 325
82/"Costa Rica, I889, "Official," I-50c, complete. ..... 50
No.
No. in set. per set.
82g*Costa Rica, 1836, Envelopes, 5, 10c, complete. ..... 2 ..... 25
83 Cuba, 1888 ..... 25
84 Curacao. ..... 15
85 Danish West Indies ..... 18
86 Dominican, with net-work ..... 100
87 Dutch Indies, $1870-87$, including 2g, 50 C . ..... 35
88 Ecuador, $1872-87$, including 50 c and 80 c \& I peso ..... 50
89 *Ecuador, 1872.87, I, I, 2, 2, 5, 5, 10, 20, 50, 80c and I peso, 1872 ..... 50
go Egypt, 1872-58 ..... 25
91 Egypt, unpaid. ..... 5
92 French Colonies, $1859-65$, Ic to 8oc ..... 30
93 France, unpaid, I859-63, 10, 15C. ..... 15
94 Hayti, I8g1, I, 2, 3, 5, 7c, complete. ..... 20
95 French Colonies, $1870-80$, various ..... 30
96 French Colonies, 1859 65, I to 8 c ..... 75
96, ${ }^{*}$ Funchal, $5892,5,10,15,20,25,50$ and 80 reis, ..... 60
97 Annam and Tonkin ..... 20
98 Gambia, 1/2, 1, 2, 21/2, 3, 4, 6d ..... 75
99 * Thurn and Taxis ..... 75
ror *Gibraltar, 1889 , regular issue ..... 125
102 *Grenada, $1 / 2,1,2 / 2,4,6,8 \mathrm{c}, 15 \mathrm{~h}$ ..... 125
103 *Guatemala, 1875 ..... 25
104 *Guatemala, 1878. ..... 30
105 Guatemala, 188 r, prov ..... 75
106 *Guatemala, 1882 ..... 15
107 *Guatemala, 1886 , prov. 25 C to \$r. 50 ..... 60
108 Great Britain, 1870-8 $\downarrow$, incl. 5sh ..... 25
109 Great Britain, 1887, Jubilee issue ..... 15
110 Greece, I862-89, ..... 25
111 Greece, unpaid. ..... 20
112 Guatemala, J886-88 ..... 30
$113 \ddagger$ Hawaiian Islands, 186789 ..... I 00
II4 *layti, I883 ..... 75
115 *Hayti, 1887 ..... 25
116 Hayti, 1887 ..... 15
No.
No. Prioe117 Hong Kong............................................. 7712
1y; a* $^{*}$ Horta, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 60
II Hungary, 1888 , 1 to 50kr ..... I5
irg Hungary, 1888 , ikr to 3 f ..... 60
120 * Heltgoland, 1867 , reprint ..... 15
t21 * Heltgoland, 1871-73, reprint ..... 20
122 Heligoland, env. and wrap ..... 15
123 Honduras, 1865 ..... 10
124 Honduras, 1879 89, ic to 1 peso ..... 50
I25 *Honduras, 1890 , ic-i peso, complete ..... 45
126 Honduras, 1890 Officials ..... 25
127 Honduras, 1890, env. 5-25c, complete ..... 35
128 Honduras, 1890 , vrappers, ic-ioc, complete. ..... 10
128a* Honduras, 1892 , Ic-1 peso, complete. ..... 50
129 India, 1854 ..... 50
130 India, 1865-86, ..... 15
131 India service and H. M. S., 1/2 to 8 annas ..... 30
132 *Bhopaul ..... 45
133 Gwalior, $1 / 2$ a to r rupee ..... 250
134 "Sirmoor, 1885 -88 ..... $3^{0}$
135 *irmoor, Offlials ..... 30
$136^{\text {S Soruth, }}$ r80, 1, I, 4 and 42 ..... 60
137 Travancore ..... 30
138 Italy, 1878 , Provisional $2 c$ on Officials ..... 15
139 *Italy, Officials, 2 c -10 lire, complete ..... 40
Ito Italy, Newspaper, 18 go Provisional ..... 10
14 I Italy, postal packet. ..... I 5
142 Italy, 186289 ..... 15
143 Italy, Segnatasse ..... 10
I 44 Italy, Segnatasse, 1, 2, 5, 10 lire ..... 15
145 Italy, Segnatasse unpaid, ic to iol ..... 30
146 Italy, Segnatasse, 50 and 1001 ..... 100
147 Japan, 1876-88, various ..... 35
I48 Japan, 1872-75, various ..... 65
149 Luxemburg, I882, incl. Ifr ..... 15
150 Mauritius, 184978 ..... 50
No.
No.
in set. per ext.
I5I Mauritius, 18.99-62, Bıitannia ..... 5 ..... 75
152 Mexico, 1864 . Head ..... 4 ..... 25
153 *Mexico, Newspaper, Guadalajara, 1 p, 1867, 1 and two reales, 1868 ..... 350
154 Mexico, $186+$ (Eagle) ..... 40
155 Mexico, 1868 (incl. 50c) ..... 60
156 Mexico, 187478 ..... 25
I57 Mexico, 1882, 2, 3,6c ..... 12
158 Mexico, 1884 , ic to 1 peso ..... 65
159 Mexico, 1885 . I to 25 C ..... 40
160 Mexico, 1886 , incl. 25 c violet ..... 30
1604* Mexico, Envelopes, $157 \neq 83.4,5.10 .25 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 50
$160 b^{*}$ Mexico, Envelopes, 1882, "Habilitado," 10. 35c. ..... 100
 ..... 325
161 *Monaco, ic to 25 c . ..... 25
I62 Monaco, env and wrap ..... 15
162a*Mozambique, 1892, Provisional. surcharged"Compa de Mo7ambique," $5,10,20.25,40.50$,100, 200 and 300 reis325
If 26 Mozambique. $1892,5.10,20,25,40$ and 50 reis. ..... 65
163 Netherlands, unpaid, 1870,5, Ioc ..... 12
I64 Netherlands, $186 \%-76$ ..... I 2
$164 a$ Netherlands, 1831-87, unpaid, I, 14, 2, 2交, 5, 10, 12六, 15, 20, 25 and I gulden, complete ..... 50
165 New South Wales ..... 12
I66 Nicaragua, r869-71 ..... 35
167 Nicaragua, 1878 ..... 40
168 Nicaragua ..... 15
169 * Nicaragua, 1869-71, 1, 2, 10, 25 c ..... 25
170 *Nicaragua, I8yo, Ic-Io pesos. complete ..... 50
171 *Nicaragua, 180 I, ic ro pesos, complete ..... 50
I72 *Nicaragua, Officials, $1890,1 \mathrm{c}-10$ pesos, complete ..... 50
173 *Nicaragua, Officials. 1891 , Ic-Io pesos, complete 10 ..... 50
I74 Nicaragua, Env., 1890, 5, 10, 20 30, 50c, com- plete ..... 5 ..... 35
I75 *Nicaragua, Wrap., 18co, 1. 2. 4c. ..... 12
No.
No. I'ricein set. per set.
1 $75 a^{*}$ Nicaragua, 1892 , ic 10 pesos, complete ..... 50
$1756^{6 *}$ Nicaragua, 5892 , Official, Ic-10 pesos, complete. 10 ..... 50
176 Orange Free State ..... 18
177 Panama, 1892, $1,2,5$, IOC ..... 35
179 *Persia, Jion and sun, $1870-76$ reprints ..... 200
180 *Persia, Service, 1, 2, 5, 10sh ..... 20
ISI Peru. $1866-67,5,10,20 \mathrm{c}$, Llama. ..... 20
182 * Peru, $1883-84$, various surcharges. ..... I 50
183 Peru, 1858-60. ..... I 75
184 Peru. 1886, 1 to $20 c$. ..... 10
185 Peru, 1886, 1c to I sol ..... 50
186 Peru, unpaid, 1884, surcharged triangle. Ic to 50c 5 ..... 75
186a* Ponta Delgada, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 60
187 Porto Rico, 1876 . complete ..... 75
188 Porto Rico, 1880, 5c to I peseta ..... 40
189 Porto Rico, I881, ic to $20 c$ ..... 30
 ..... 100
192 F Prince Edward Island, 8 varieties ..... 85
193 Philippine lslands, 18 go- $92,2,5,810,15,20 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 45
194 * Porto Rico. 1882, 1/2-8m ..... 10
195 * Portuguese Indies, 1882 , $\mathrm{r} 1 / 2 \mathrm{r}$ to 8 s , complete ..... 35
196 Queensland, 1882-92, 1/2-1sh. ..... 20
197 * Roman States. 1862, reprint ..... I5
198 Roman States, 1868 , reprint ..... 15
199 Roumania, 1872-90, varjous ..... 25
200 Russia, 186882 ..... 25
201 South Australia O. S., various. ..... 50
202 *Switzerland, 186z-78, 2-1fr (incl. 3c black) ..... 25
203 Travancore, 1, 2, 4ch ..... 25
204 Spain, some of every issue, fine set. ..... 60
205 Spain, IS50-67 only, 6c and 4 cuartos ..... 50
206 South African Republic, 1885 , 1 亿d to ish, com- plete ..... 7 ..... 25
207 South African Republic, 1883, Id to Ish, com- plete.................................................. 5 ..... 550
No. Price
No.in set. per set.
208 St. Helena, 1/2, $1,11 / 2,3,4 \mathrm{p}$ ..... 40
$209{ }^{*}$ St. Lucia, 1/2, 1, 21/2, 3, 4, 6p. ..... 65
2 ro *St. Vincent, 1/2, I, 21/2, 4, 6p. ..... 70
211 *Salvador, 1890 , Ic-I peso, complete ..... 35
212 *Salvador, 189 r, Ic-1 peso, complete. ..... 10 ..... 50
213 'Salvador, 1890 , Env. and Wrap.. complete ..... 45
214 *Salvador, 189I, Envelopes, complete ..... 40
215 *Salvador, 1897, Wrappers, complete ..... 20
$2150^{*}$ Salvador, 1892 , Ic-1 peso, complete ..... 50
216 Samoa, 1877-82 ..... 25
217 Servia, 1869-79 ..... 15
218 *Shanghai, 1888 ..... 65
219 *Siam, 1887, 2, 3, 4. 8, 12a ..... 60
220 *South African Repubic, 18 j0, rouletted ..... 50
22 I Spain, Official ..... 20
222 *Swazieland, 1/2p to Ish ..... 100
223 Saxony ..... 20
224 Servia, r88i ..... 12
225 Sierra Leone ..... 30
226 South African Republic, 1870-71 ..... 50
227 Spain, war stamps ..... 10
228 Sweden unpaid ..... 15
229 Switzerland, $1854,5 \mathrm{c}$ to Ifr. ..... 40
230 Switzerland, unpaid, 1878.84 ..... 20
231 Trinidad, 1864-82 ..... 30
232 Tonga. ..... 50
233 *Turkey, 1867 ..... 25
234 *Turkey, Constantinople ..... 05
235 Turks Islands, 1/2, 1, 21/2, 4, 6p, tsh ..... 100
236 Uruguay, I884 90 ..... 30
237 Venezuela, $1859-74$ ..... 30
238 Venezuela, 1880, 5, 10, 25, 50 and 1 bol ..... 20
239 Venezuela, 1880, Escuelas. 5c to 5 bol ..... 50
240 Venezuela. I883, 5c to 1 bol. ..... 20
241 Western Australia. ..... 25
242 * Zululand, $\frac{1}{2}, ~ 5, ~ 2, ~ 3, ~ 4, ~ 6 p ~$ ..... 70
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General Issue.
No. Date. New. Used.
r9 $1847 \mathrm{5c}$ brown (Franklin) ..... 200 ..... 100
20 " Ioc black (Washington). 600 ..... 300
Head in Oval. Unperfovaled.
$21 \quad 1851$ ic blue (Franklin) ..... 25
21a " Ic blue, variety. ..... 50
22
". 3c red (Washington). ..... 02
23
" 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 750
24 " loc green (Washington) ..... 100
25 " 12 c black (Washington). ..... 250 ..... I 75
$26185624 c$ lilac (Washington).
27 " $30 c$ orange (Franklin)Mead in Sluare.
281856 goc blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
$39 \quad 1857 \quad 1 c$ blue (Franklin) ..... 20
30 " Ic blue, varicty ..... 25
31 I\&56 3cted (Washington) ..... 2
321857 3c red (Washington), with outer line ..... 15
$3318565 c$ brown (Jefferson) ..... 350
34 I857 5c red-brown (Jefferson) ..... 600
35 5 c brown, ornaments at top and bottom off 250 ..... 200
$36 \quad 1855$ Ioc green (Washington) ..... 35
371857 12c black (Washington) ..... 75
No. Date. New Used.
331860 24c lilac (Washington) ..... $350 \quad 30$
39 " 30 orange (Eranklin) ..... 400 ..... 400
40 " goc blue (Washington) ..... 750600U. S. and Value in Comers.
41 186I ic blue (Franklin) ..... 25 ..... 5
42 " 3 c pink (Washington) ..... 750
43 ' ${ }^{4}$ c brown (Jefferson) ..... 35
44 ". 5c yellow (Jefferson). ..... 1000 ..... 500
45 Ioc green (W'ashington) ..... 50 ..... 15
$46 \quad{ }^{4} \quad$ 12c black (Washington) ..... 60 ..... 35
47 " $24 c$ lilac (Washington) ..... 35
$48 \quad$ " $30 c$ orange (Franklin) ..... 175 ..... 50
49 " goc blue (Washington) ..... 450 ..... 200
$50 \quad 1862$ 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 400 ..... 100
51 1863 2c black (Jackson) ..... 4
52 " 3 c rose (Washington) ..... 10 ..... 2
531866 3c scarlet (Washington) ..... 1500
54 " I5c black (Lincoln) ..... 75 ..... 35
55 " 24 c mauve (Washington) ..... I 55 ..... 40
Same, with rectangrular embossing covering entive back of stamp
501868 3: rose. 2500 ..... 1750
57 " 5 c brown.58 " $30 c$ orangeEmbossing mensuting s3xib mm.
59 I868 3c rose ..... 500Embossing measuring $/ 1 \times 13$ mm.
$60 \quad 1868$ Ic blue 100 ..... 50
$61 \quad$ " 2 C black ..... 50 ..... 15
62 3 c rose ..... 25 ..... 4
63 " Ioc green ..... 100 ..... 40
64 " 12c black ..... 75 ..... 40
65 I5c black ..... 100 ..... 35
Embossing measuring $9 x 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
66 I868 ic blue ..... 100 ..... 50
67 2c black ..... 25 ..... 15
3c rose ..... 15 ..... 3
695c brown750200
No. Date New. ..... UeAd.
$70 \quad 1865$ Ioc green ..... 45
71 " I Ac black ..... 50
72 " 15 c black ..... 35
" 24 C violex ..... 250
73
" $30 c$ orange ..... 250
74 ..... 300
1250
75 1500
goc blue
goc blue
Vatious designs in squarc. With enbossing measuritg g1/2x91/2 ..... $78 m$.
76 a 869 Ic buff (Franklin) ..... 35 ..... 35
77 " ac brown (Horseman) ..... 25 ..... 15
78 " 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 3
" óc blue (Washington) 125 ..... 50
" roc yellow (Eagle). ..... 60
* 12 C green (Steamship) ..... 55
* I5c brown and blue (Landing of Columbus) ..... 300
" I5c brown and blue (Picture framed) ..... 150
44 24 C green and black (Declaration of Inde-pendence)1050750
85
4 $30 c$ blue and carmine (Eagle) ..... 750 ..... 300
" goc black and carmine (Lincoln) 1500 ..... 1250
Head to left in owal, with embossing measuring $9 x \mathrm{I}_{11 / 2}^{1 / 2}$ min.$97 \quad 1870$ rc blue (Franklin)35
98 " 2c brown (Jackson) ..... 10
99 * 3c green (Washington). ..... 6
100 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 400
101 1874 7c vermillion (Stanton) ..... 400
1021870 Ioc brown (Jefferson) ..... 750*1 15c orange (Webster)........................" 30c black (Hamilton)850
* 12c dark purple (Clay) 103104500
$24 c$ purple (Scolt) 105106$5 \infty$107 " Soc carmine (Perry)1750
Same, embossing measuring $81 / 2 \times 101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$
1081870 IC blue ..... 25
109 2 c brown. ..... 10
110 3 C green ..... 6
Nu. Date. New. Used.Same, without embussins:
III 1872 IC blue ..... 2
$1 \boldsymbol{1 2}$ "t $2 c$ brown ..... 2
II 3 3 c green ..... 2
144 " 6 cpink ..... 3
II5 " 5 FC vermilion ..... 75 ..... 45
116 " $10 c$ brown ..... 40 ..... 2
II7 $12 c$ dark purple ..... I 50 ..... 25
118 15 c orange. ..... 4
119 - 24 c purple 360 ..... 75
120 30c black ..... 75 ..... 15
121 goc carmine ..... 250 ..... 35
12: $\quad 1875$ 2C vermilion ..... 5 ..... 2
123 5c blue (Taylor), ..... 20 ..... 3
$124 \quad 1882 \quad 5 c$ brown (Garfield) ..... 2
Id5 5c brown, groundwork of cross lines ..... 10 ..... 2
ra6 "، Ic light blue, re-engraved ..... 3 ..... 2
127 3c green, re-engraved ..... 8
128 " for red, re-engraved ..... 15 ..... 6
129 soc brown ..... 20 ..... 2
$130 \quad 1883$ 2c claret (Washington) ..... 5
$13 \mathrm{M} \quad 4 \mathrm{c}$ green (Jackson) ..... I 2 ..... 2
$132 \quad 1887$ 2c green ..... 3 ..... 2
I33 " 3 c vermilion ..... 15 ..... 10
New design.
I34 I887 IC blue (Franklin) ..... 2 ..... 2
Same as $187^{2-8} 3$ issue.
1351888 5c Indigo blue ..... II) ..... 2
I 36 " 30 c puce brown ..... 75 ..... 45
137 " 90c purple ..... 200 ..... 75
138 " 4c carmine. ..... 15 ..... 6
New designs.
T 39 1890 ic ultramarine ..... 2
140 " ac carmine. ..... 2
141 3c purple ..... 5
142 ". 4c dark brown ..... 3
143 5c chooolate. ..... 10

| So. Date. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 144 | 18,0 | 6c brown-red. |  | 25 | 20 |
| $14+14$ | 1893 | 8c brown-red . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 25 | 25 |
| 145 | 189,0 | Ioc green. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 15 | 2 |
| 146 | " 1 | I5c dark blue................ . . . |  | $: 0$ | 15 |
| 147 | 143 | 30 c black. |  | 50 | 15 |
| 148 | " 9 | 90c orange.. |  | 25 | 50 |
| Columbian Issue. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 149 | 1893 | Ic. |  | 3 | 2 |
| 150 | 16 | 2 C . |  | 5 | 2 |
| 151 | $\cdots$ | 3с................ |  | 6 | 5 |
| 152 | ${ }^{\prime \prime}$ | 4c........... ........... ....... |  | 8 | 5 |
| 153 | " | 5 C . |  | 10 | 5 |
| 154 | " | 6 c . |  | 10 | 10 |
| 155 | $\cdots$ | 8 c |  | 15 | 20 |
| 156 | * | 10 C |  | 15 | 5 |
| 157 | - | 15 c . |  | 25 | 25 |
| 158 | " | 30 c . |  | 40 | 40 |
| 159 | * | 10 c |  | 65 | 60 |
| 160 | 14 | 事1 |  | 125 | 100 |
| $16:$ | " | \$2 |  |  | 200 |
| 162 | " | \$3 |  | $3: 0$ | 300 |
| 163 | " | +4. |  |  | $+\infty$ |
| 164 | " | +5 |  |  | 500 |
| CAKRIERS STAMPS. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 210 | 189I, | , blue and pink (Franklin) |  | 30 |  |
| 212 |  | rc blue (Eagle)....... |  | 25 |  |
| SPECIAL DELIVERY. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 251 | 1885. | . 100 blue. |  | 25 | 15 |
| 252 | 1888. | . Ioc blue ("'at any' office"). |  | 20 | 10 |
| 253 | 1893, | , $10 c$ orange............ |  | 15 | 5 |
| NEWSPAPER STAMPS. Colored Border. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 301 | 1865. | . 5c blue (Washington)............. |  | 00 |  |
| 302 |  | Ioc green (Franklin). |  | $+50$ |  |
| 303 | " | 25 c red (Lincoln).... |  | 450 |  |




OFFICIAL STAMPS.
Perforated.
All except Post Office, same design as General Issue, with name of Department abote. agriculture.

8ot 1873 Ic straw........... ............................... 75

803 s 3 c " ........................................... . 25

805 " toc " .......................................... . 125
800 " 12 c ..... ................................. 2 50
807 " 15 c " .......................................... 200
308 " 24 c " ...................................... 200
Sog " 30 C . ........................................ 250
EXECUTIVE.


INTERIOR.
8151873 ic vermilion.......... ...................... 25 15
 5

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8гя " уос " ........................................ 25
No. Date New. Used.
8231873 12C vermilion ..... 25 ..... 20
821 15c ..... 25 ..... 20
822 - 24 C ..... 35 ..... 25
823 " $3 x$ ..... 50 ..... 30
824 $9 . c$ 100 ..... 125
JUSIICE.
8251873 ic purple ..... 63
826 ..... 2 C ..... 60
826 " 3 c ..... 3535
828 6 c ..... 50
829 " IOC ..... 75
830 " 12 C ..... I 05
831 " 15 C ..... 300
812 " 24C ..... 300
831 30 c ..... 600600
834 90 c 1250 1250
Navy.
835 I873 ic blue ..... 50
836 " 2 C ..... 50 ..... 35
$836 a$ " $2 c$ green (error) ..... 1000
837 * 3 c blue ..... 25 ..... 20
838 " $6 c$ ..... 35 ..... 35
839 " 7c ..... 4 co ..... 400
840 ". IOC 100 ..... 100
841 " 12 C I CO ..... $1 \infty$
842 " 15 C I 50 ..... 50
843 " 21 c ..... 250
250
844 " $3 c$ ..... 210 ..... 200
845 " yo:550550post office.Figues of Value in Oval.
$846 \quad 1873$ Ic black ..... 25
847 2 C ..... 25 ..... 25
$8+8$ 3 c ..... 8 ..... 2
849 " be ..... 25 ..... 6
850 " ICC ..... 60 ..... 75
No. Dute. New. Used.
8,I •• I2C black ..... 50 ..... 40
852 14 I5C ..... 40 ..... 40
853 " 24 C ..... 75 ..... 75
ह5\# " 30 C ..... 45 ..... 35
B55 " 90: 125 ..... 60
bOS C OFPICE SEAL STAMPS.
856 1872 Registered, green ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877 Officially sealed, brown, ( P . Obitum) ..... 600 ..... 600
858 1879 Officially sealed, brown, (Li/hographed) ..... I5 ..... 15
$858 a 1888$ Officially sealed, brown, (Word Eingraving) ..... 6
8j3s " Officially sealed, brown. Typographed
538 c 1889 Officially sealed, black on pink $p$
8,sd " Officially sealed, blk on white, Rouletted ..... 6
STATE.
859 1873 IC green ..... 50 ..... 60
860 " 2C ..... 75 ..... 75
851 " 3c ..... 50 ..... 50
862 $6 c$ ..... 40
$\$ 63$ 7 c ..... 75 ..... 75
86t " 10 C ..... 75 ..... 75
855 12C ..... 125 ..... 100
860 " 15 c ..... 125 ..... $1 \infty$
867 •* *2」 ..... 200 ..... 200
868 ". 30c ..... 400
400
859 goc ..... 500 ..... 500
6;0 ot $2 d$ black and green ..... 600
871 6 5d
872 " 100 ..... 1od
873 ..... 2.0
TERASURY.
$874 \quad 1873$ ic brown ..... 10
875 .. 2c ..... 25 ..... 8
$876 \quad$. 3 C ..... 3
\$77 6 6c ..... 15 ..... 8
878 " 7 c ..... 150 ..... 125
374 icc ${ }^{\prime}$ ..... 35 ..... I2
No. Date. New. Used.


882 " 24 c " ....................................... 5 50 400


884 " 90 c " .................................... I 50 40 war.





890 " 10 " "...................... ................ 25 25
891 " 12C "........................................... 20.




895 " goc ".............................................. 75 75

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

GENERAL ISSUE.


No. Date. Type.
71 1861 385
5c green.


386


487
New. Used
5050

72 " ${ }^{2}$ " 5c dark green.

50

50

73 " $3^{86}$ roc blue..... .... .. ..................... 1.25 I.00


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Youts truly, WM. WERBE.
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on thin paper, catalogued in all at about $\$ 2.50$; Errors from 1872 to 1882; fine old envelopes; complete set of Porte de Mar, col'd; set of Persia officials; fine used and unused stamps of Bosnia, Shanghai, old Cuba and Puerto Rico, Colombia, Costa Rica, Guadeloupe, Uruguay, State of North Borneo, Old Dominica, Salvador, Wadhwan State, scarce Pountch, Bosnia, 25 kr . Ecuador, 50 c and 1 peso, valued at 50 c , Ceylon provisional, Brazil newspaper, scarce old Canada and Prince Edward Islands, and last, but not least, besides those mentioned above, a fine lot of scarce U. S. Stamps, such as unused State, Justice, War, PostOffice, used, Interior, Navy, etc., a rare 30 c brown of 1888 issue, which are becoming tare very fast, and many other good stamps.

This packet does not contain any cut postal cards, revenues, locals, or similar rubbish, but only clean postage stamps, in finest possible condition.

## Packet No. 38.-Price, only $\$ \mathbf{\$ . 0 0 , P o s t ~ F r e e . ~}$

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4 Argentine
8 Australian
4 Austrian-Italy
3 Austrian-Levant
2 Azores Islands
2 Baden
6 Bavaria,old issue
2 Barbados
3 Belgium Postal Packet
2 Bhopaul
2 Bolivia
3 Bosnia
4 Brazil
3 Brazil, Journal stamps
*2 Brazil, unpaid

+ British Guiana
4 Bulgaria
2 13.\& O.Telegraph
10 Canada
3 Canada Bill
6 Cape of Good Hope
4 Ceylon
4 Chili
2 Chile "Telegrafos'"
3 Colombia
2 Confederate
3 Constantinople
3 Costa Rica
*2 Costa Rica "Officials"
5 Cuba
2 Curacao
2 Cyprus
10 Denmark
2 Dominican Republic
3 Dutch Indies
2 Eastern Roumelia
3 Ecuador
4 Egypt
10 England
2 Faridkot
4 Finland


## half-dime sets-Continued.

10 France
3 French Colonies
2 Gibraltar
2 Grenada
5 Greece
2 Guatemala
3 Hamburg
*2 Hamburg envelopes
3 Heligoland
10 Holland
3 Holland, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 rndia envelopes and card
12 Italy
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, uupaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashınir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864,unused, rare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials

* 2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 NewSouthWales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaid
5 New Zealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway
*2 Nowanuggur
8 Old Austria, 1850-63
12 Old Austria
2 Old Japan
4 Old Spain, Isabel
3 Old Turkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Pera
*2 Peru envelopes
2 Philippines
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese Indies
3 Roman States
6 Roumania

7 Russia
4 Salvador
*2 Samoa
6 Sardinia
*2 Saxony
3 Servia
*3 Shanghai
*2 Shanghai, unp'd
10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlements
2 St. Vinceut
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, $5-50$ ore, compl
4 Sweden official
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Trinidad
2 Tunis
5 Turkey, various
3 U.S. Department
3 U.S. Locals
10 U. S. Postage
6 U. S. Reveuues
2 U. S. War
3 Unused Swiss
2 Unused Swiss Envelopes
2 Uruguay
4 Venezuela
5 Victoria
3 West Australia
4 Wurtemburg Officials
7 Wurtemburg, various

Standaril Stamp Company: Oakland, Cal., Feb. 11, 1888.
Gentlemen-I received your packets to-day, and must say that they are far hetter fhan I expected! They excelany packets that 1 ever bought before. Yours, very truly.
947 Broadway.
Attorney and Counsellor at Jdaw.

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* Means unused.

15 Australian.
7 Argentine Republic.
6 Austrian-Levant
4 Azores.
2 Rahamas Islands
6 Bavarian Return Letter.
6 Belgium, postal packet stamps.
5 Bergedorf.
3 Ihopaul.
3 Rolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Bosnia.
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Journal and Unpaid stamps.
5 British Guiana.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada 13111.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylon.
7 Chili.
3 Chili, "Telegrafos."
2 china.
3 Confederate States.
4 Costa Rica.
-4 Costa Rica, incl. 20c.
7 Cuba.
*3 Curacao.
4 Cyprus.
5 Dutch Indies.
3 Eastern Roumelia.
5 Ecuador.
*5 Ecuador, incl. 20 c .
7 Egypt.
3 Faridkot.
7 Finland.
7 Greece.
4 Guatemala.
*7 Hamburg, Envelopes, complete
*10 Hamburg, various.
3 Hawaii.
3 Hayti.
7 Heligoland.
*4 Heligoland, Ennvelopes and wrappers, complete.
5 Holland, unpaid
5 Honduras.
4 Hong Kong.
12 Hungary, various, incl. 20 and 50 kr .
7 Huugary, 1888, incl. 50 kr . and 1 f .
3 Iceland.
10 India.
5 India, Native States.
16 Italy, old and new.
3 Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.
7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.

4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, Eagle, old issue.
3 Mexico Envelopes.
-2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
4 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
4 Mexico, 1864, complete set, rare.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 NewSouth Wales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, incl. 2 piastres.
6 New Zealand.
7 Nicaragua.
14 Norway.
*3 Nowanuggur, old issue, complete.
*3 Nowaurggur, new issue, complete.
12 Old Austria, 1850-1863.

## DIME SETS-Continued.

| 8 Old Austria, 1867-1892. | * 7 Roman States. 7 Roumania. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Old Bavaria. | 7 Salvador. |
| Old Brazil. | *3 Samoa. |
| * 12 Old Hamburg. | *5 Saxony. |
| 3 Old Japan. | 6 Servia. |
| 8 Old Spain, Isa- | ${ }^{*} 4$ Shanghai. <br> * 3 Shanghai |
| OldTurkey, | paid. |
| 1869-1876. | 15 Spain. |
| Orange States. | 4 Straits Settle- |
| 3 Paraguay. | ments. |
| 3 Persia. | 7 Sweden Official. |
| Peru. | 6 Sweden, unpaid. |
| 3 Peru, Envelopes. | 15 Sweden, various |
| 3 Philippines. | issu |
| 7 Porto Rico. | -5 Swiss. |
| 12 Portugal. | 5 Transvaal, incl. |
| 4 Portuguese Indies. | 1 shilling. |

3 Turkey, unpaid, various.
20 U. S. Adhesives.
5 U. S. Colombia.
10 U. S. Envelopes.
*5 U. S. I.ocal.
5 U. S. Official.
10 U. S. Revenues.
4 U. S. War Dep't.
5 U. S. 1893 "Columbts" issue.
4 Uruguay.
7 Victoria.
5 West Australia.
12 Wurtemburg, incl. old issues

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Standari Stamp Cumpany: Greenville O. June 21, 1891. Gents-Yout packets received. Am very puch pleased with thesu. I caunot understand how you can sell them so cheap. Your sheets are also cheap and varied.

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 Mauritius, New Bruswick, Peru, Queensland, Roumania, Porto Rico (old), Persia, San Marino, Ceylon, Turkey and Shanghai.

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Contains 150 splendid varieties, including rare set of Chili "telegrafos" 2 , 10,20 centavos, valued at 10 and 25 cents each, Italy, unpaid, also packet post and provisionals, worth 15 cents, scarce Putialla, unused Pern, Euador, fine unused set of 7 varities, $1-50$ centavos, worth 30 cents, Malta, Japan, rare Shanghai, old St. Vincent, etc.

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 cluding Macau; rare old Japan, Persia, Siam, scarce Travancore, Java, Hong Kong, Borneo, Portuguese Indies, very scarce, Alwur, Caslumere, Ceylon (provisionals), etc.

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Borneo, 1894; Mexico, 1882, 100 centavos, black (valued at $\$ 2.00$ ) ; rare China; rare Chili envelope, 20c, worth $\$ 1.50$, also old issues, including 20c; a fine lot of Mexico, 1879 to 1882 issue, $5,6,10,12,18,24$ and 25 cent, including rare "Habilitado" euvelope, 10 c green, entire, worth 75 cents each; Argentine Republic (old and new); Austria (old and new); Levant, Aus-trian-ltaly, OLD Baden, Barbados, Bavaria (old), scarce old Bahamas Islands, Belgium, Bermuda, Bolivia (several issues); Bosnia, Brazil, British Guiana, Bulgaria, Triangular Cape of Good Hope, Costa Rica, including the 5 and 10 c envelopes, unused, also fine assortment from 1883 to 1889 , including the scarce 40 c blue, provisionals "correos," 1 and 5c, 1 peso 1889 , etc., also officials 1886-1889, valued in all at about $\$ 1.50$; Cuba, Cyprus, Denmark, Java, East Roumelia, Ecuador, set 1c to 1 peso; Egypt, several issues; Finlaud, France, French Colonies, inctuding 15 18 varieties; Germany, 2 marks; Great Britain, officials; Greece (new issue); Guatemala, 1886; Hamburg, Hanover, Hawaii,

Heligoland, Hayti, several issues; Hong Kong, Hungary, 1888, rare 1 and 3 fl, worth 35 cents; Iceland (RARE); India (old and new); Hyderabad, fine old Italy, unpaid, official and rare Postal and Packet Stamps; Jamaica, Japan, many kinds and issues; Luxembourg (officials); Mauritius, many varieties, and old issues of Mexico, such as 1864, complete set, 1874-1888 issues, many rare varieties; Modena, Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue; New Brunswick, several varieties, including the scarce 17 c black, worth 50 cents each; N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, including "officials;" Orange States, rare Paraguay, several issues; Pern, Porto Rico, fine old Portugal; also Portuguese Colonies, 10-15 varieties; Prussia, Roumania, 1862; Russia, Russian-Levant, St. Vincent, provisionals; Salvador, Samoa Island, San Marino, Saxony; unused Servia, Siam, Shanghai, several varieties, including unpaid and scarce "fubilee" issue; South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues (Isabella), rare 1 real values; rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerland, unpaid (also evvelopes); scarce Thurn and Taxis; fine old Turkey, from 1865 to 1892, including unpaid, also 2 and 5 piastres, 1886, unused, valued at 80 cents; United States of Columbia, Venezuela, Victoria, Western Australia (several issues); fine old Wurtemburg; also official envelopes, and many others too numerous to be mentioned.

This is a splendid packet for a beginner, as well as for any advanced collector, as a great many GOOD stamps will be found in the same which are missing in quite large collections of 2,000 and 3,000 varieties.

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## WHAT THEY SAY!

Standard Stamp Company:
The Club House, Jeryl Island. Brunswick, Ga., January 2, 1892. Dear Sirs-Your "International" Packet. No. 21 , received, but owing to
Xnas doings I hive been unable to examine it until now. I never imagined I'd get such a packet; it beats European traders hollow! Your gilt of $\$ 5$ worth of stamps was a welcome surprise, for which accept my thanks. If I have made any mistakes let me know. Your system beats all 1 kuow, and I can hardly realize it to be a fact. I am, Yours truly, ROBERT FORBES.

Standard Stamp Company:
boston, Mass., October 8, 1892. )
Gents-Your Packets, Nos 21 and 22 . reccived, and I must say are the fonesf / ever saw. The premiun stamp is a fine and valuable stamp. You may send any parties to me for recommendations. and I can faithfally say that your goods are as represented and superior to others in regards to condition and scarcity. Yours respectfully,
94-100 Beverly Street. Boston, Mass.
C. W. L.AMB.

Office of D. H. Bacon \& Co., Fine Printers.
Standard Stamp Company :
birmingham, Conn., Sept. 30, 1892 .
Gentlemen-It gives me pleasure to say that your "INTERNATIONAL PACKE"r No. 21 " is the best assortment and the most value I have ever seen in stamps. I sold the one yousent to a young man who had bought a 1,000 variety packet for $\$ 15$ in New York. He said yours was the best, to say nothing of the albun which goes with it inge sold another for which you have the order, and have another customer in view. Yours very truly, D. H. BACON.

The following letter is from the same gentieman, dated Octoher 22, 1892 :

Standard Stanp Company :
Gentlemen-"INTERNATIONAI, PACKET No. $21^{\prime \prime}$ arrived all right yesterday a. m. The preminm which you sent with it was very satisfactory, while as to the packet itself. I can only say that I spent an hour or so with my customer looking over it in the nfternoon, and he and myself were delighted! it was a magnificent collecion for the money, aud when I think what my first 1.000 stamps cost me about three years ago. I an disgusted, etc., etc.

Yours very truly,
D. H. BACON.

It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.

[^26]TORONTO, CANADA, April 19, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company :
Gents-Received packets of stamps, catalogue, etc., safely, and am de-
lighted with them.

32 Lelaney Crescent.

Yours respectfully,
P. E. ROBERTS.

Omaha, New., March 10, $189 \%$.
I have an International Packet No. 21 that was given to me as a present by Theo. Noack. I lave received your Internationel Packet No. 21 and I ant very much pleased with it. I was offered atrade for s-tt's $\$ 1 \overline{3} .00$ Packet, but I refused it. The S--tt's $\$ 15.00$ Packet DoEs Not come up to yout luternational racket by a very LoNG ways.

924 South 33rd Street.
lours,
JAMES SHACKIFFORD.
Waltham, Mass., Jantuary 30,1894 .
Gentlemen-On account of having heard so much about your Packet No 21, my expectations were up pretty high; but on receipt of the packet they were fully realized. Why, it is a fine collection in itself, and the attention paid to good specimens, and where there are varieties both being put in. makes it the best packet a collector can buy. Yours respectfully,
11 Elm Street.
E. D. CURTHS.

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Dear Sirs-I am simply amazed at thecontents of the packet (No. 21) just received. It contains a great many choice and beautiful stamps. Don't see how you do it! Was also surprised to find myself the lucky fifth purchaser. LEWW. H. HALL.

Eighty (80) packets sold within a few months and all purchasers pleased.

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In care of 7imes-Star, Ciucinuati, \(O\).
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We allow 50 per cent. commission from our Approval Sheets. iry thent.

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Contains 300 splendid varieties, same as last, from all parts of the world, but including rarer stamps. Amongst many others, we only mention: China, Shanghai, Straits Settlemeuts provisionals, Mexico, 1864-1892, nearly 25 varicties, including scarce envelopes, Argentine, unused, Chili, Peru, Colombia, French and Portuguese Colonies, Trinidad, Harbados, New Brunswick, and many others. A FINE PACKFT.

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50 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, inctuding Victoria, Japan, old Mexico, Chili, New Zealand, etc. Price only 10 cents. Postage 2c extra


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200 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, including Honduras, scarce New Brunswick, Brazil newspaper, Puerto Rico, French Colonies, $5-6$ varieties, Colombia, Chili, old and new, etc. Price, post free, only 35 cents.

[^28]Standard Stamp Company :
February 11, 1888.
Geatlemen-l received your packets bo-day and must say that they arefar beller than /expected! They excel athy packets that I ever luought wefore. Yours very :ruly, 1L. L. ADAMS,
957 Broadway. Oakland. Cal.
Attorney and Counsellot-at-I. 2 W.
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Contains 1,000 good mixed stamps, including old Austrian-Italy, Venezuela, Costa Rica, Hawaii, Chili, Jamaica, Honduras, Ecuador, Brazil, Guatemala, etc.


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5 packets, as above, $\$ 1.40$.
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Contains 300 very good assorted postage stamps, including many rare, such as old Mexico, Bahamas, Argentine, U. S. War, Treasury, Interior, etc., Danube, rare provisional issue of Bolivia, 1893, Nicaragua, Peru, Guatemala, Ceylon, Egypt, India service, Jamaica, Shanghai, including unpaid, Ecuador, high values. old New Brunswick, and other good stamps from all parts of the globe. Good packet for tracling.

All of the above packets are excellent for trading or to sell from.

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Contains 2,000 excellent stamps, from many countries, such as Transvaal Republic, Orange Firee States, Guatemala, Colombia Republic, Siam, fine set of China 1885, complete, Bulgaria, Austrian and Russian-Levant, North Borneo, 1894 issue, Trinidad, complete set of Nowannggur 1893, Cape provisionals, fine old Mexicans,
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## One Thousand Finely Assorted Stamps for only ※2.00, Post Free.



We put up a fine packet of 1,000 mixed stamps which is just the thing for trading or selling off sheets. This packet contains no common Continental stamps whatever, but only the beiter class from all parts of the globe! The mixture includes such stamps as the following: Old Peru, Costa Rica, including scarce officials, 1886-89, Cuba and Porto Rico, India, Ceylon, New South Wales, South Australin, old Barle11, Bavaria, Brazil, Spain, Servia, Finland, Victoria, Helvetia, New Zealand Insurance Department, Mexico, Italy news, Heligoland, Rone, Chili, Hamburg, Japan, Rosnia, Sweden officials, Cyprus, Natal, Bulgaria, Roumania, Egypt, Greece, Hong Kong, etc., etc. Any deater or agent can easily clear from $\$ 15$ to $\$ 18$ by retailing this excellent lot.

These packers arf now in stock and orders are fithed By keturn mait, (Be sute and order l'acket F.)

We grarantee each and every packet to be as represented or moncy will be refunded.

## Packet G.-Price, \$4.00, Post Free.

## U.S. <br> Contains 1,000 very finely mixed United States stamps.

This assortment includes stamps from 1851, 1857, 1861, 1868, $1869,1872,1875,1882,1887,1888,1889,1890$ and 1893 (Columbus series), adhesives and euvelopes; also Deparment, Revenues, unpaid, Special Delivery, etc.

Every packet contains also a 90 -cent stamp of 1872 issue, a scarce 30 -cent orange of 1861 issue, worth 40 cents each, and a rare 30 -cent brown of 1888 issue.

NOTE. - We will add to the above, to every packet sold, one rare 90 -cent purple U. S. stamp of 1888 issue, which are very scarce and desirable. Order soon.

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This is the very best packet a collector can buy to jucrease his U. S. collection or to trade from.

We guarantec good value.

## Packet I.-Price, only 75 Cents, Pust Free.



Contains 1,000 finely mixed stamps, such as Bosnia, Venezuela, Servia, Bulgaria, Italy, unpaid, old and new Turkey, 1869-92, including unpaid, Levant, Brazil (large), West Australia, Hornco, U. S. Department Stamps, scarce New Brunswick, South African Republic, Natal, St. Vincent, Trinidad, Colombia, and many others.

A good packet for exchanging.
We allow 50 per cent. commission from our Approval Sheets. Try them.

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200 stamps to sell on sheets at 1 cent each.
100 stamps to sell on sheets at 2 cents each.
100 stamps to sell on sheets at 3 cents each.
60 stamps to sell on sheets at 5 cents each.


40 stamps to sell on sheets at $6,8,10$ and 15 cents each.

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Total, 500 good stamps to retail at over $\$ 14$, net cash.
Guaranteed to contain ONI, g good Salable stamps-no rubhish of any kind, same grade of goods we use on our own sheets.

Over $\$ 10$ clear profit for you!
FIREE: With each order for packet $K$ we give 25 fine blank approval sheets free!!

## MEXICO.

We make a specialty of Mexican postage stamps and have one of the largest and most complete stocks in the world. Collectors who wish to obtain the RARER kinds, such as the high values of the first issue, the rare Provisionals of 1867 to 1872 , Errors, Guadalajaras, etc., should enter into correspondence with us. We recommend the following packets for their very superior quality and CHEAPNESS :


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Contains 25 varieties of Mexican postage stamps, including some rare, from 1864, 1879-82, $1884-90$ issues, etc., including officials, envelopes, official seals, complete set of 1864 , and many good values.

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Contains 30 different Mexican postage stamps, including a complete set of four varieties of 1864 , (Saltillo) also old issues and high values of 1872, $1874,1878,1879,1882$ to 1890 , etc. A very fine packet for the money. This packet contains a rare green "Habililado" envelope, worth 75 cents
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Contains 50 different Mexican postage stamps, including a good many rare, such as 1879, 1882, high values, 1864 issue (Saltillo), fine set of envelope stamps, iacluding the 4,10 and 25 cents, worth 10 to 15 cents each ; also used and unused stamps of the issues of 1864 to 1875, valued at from 5 to 30 cents each. Official stamps, red and olive brown (two issues), valued by catalogues at 10 cents each; 1874 issue, 50 and 100 cents, rave, fine specimens, 2 and 25 cents of 1888 issue, and many others. This packet contains two (2) rare "Habilitado" envelopes, 10 and 25 cents, worth $\$ 2.00$ alone!

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Contains 70 different postage stamps from Mexico. This is a very fine collection in itself, including the issues of 1856 up to 1890 . It contains a great many rare stamps, such as the 1,2 and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth 89 cents, the 50 and 100 cents of 1874 , the issues of 1868 to 1872 , used and unused, a complete set of 1864 (Saltillo),
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## SHOW TMIS IIST TO YOUIR FRLIENDS.

No. 28 A.-Price, Post Free, only $\$ 8.50$.


Contains 100 fine varieties from Mexico, containing all the stamps mentioned in packet No. 28, but including 30 more varieties, which, as a matter of course, must be quite scarce. This is nearly a complete collection of Mexican stamps, and cheaper than any other packet of this kind ever offered.
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No. 322 contains 40 all different stamps, from the Native Indian States, such as Travancore, Alwur, Soruth, Jhind, Nowanuggur, Kashmir, etc. Price, post free, $\$ 1.50$.

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Packet No. 337 contains 40 rare stamps from Asia, all different, such as scarce Corea 5 min red, valued at 25 cents, Shanghai, old and new issues, Straits Settlements, Siam, Seyceelles Islands, Persia, Ceylon, Borneo, several issues, etc. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.

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NORRISTOWN, PA.
Gentlennen-I'he International Facket. No. 21, 1,000 all different stamps for $\$ 10.00$, which I purchased of you, was the gnest I jave ever seen, much EXCEELING MY GREATEST EXPECTATION! I am also much obliged for the waluable prizes stamps you sent the !! Youts truly,
830 Arch street, Nortistown, Pa.
CHAS. A. FARNUM.
Onion skin Approval Sheets. Sheets ruled to hold 20 stamps. 12 for 10 cents, 30 for 20 cents, 50 for 25 cents, 100 for 40 cents.

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South Kaukanna, Wis., Aprid $25,1892$.
Gents-Your packets received and I find them to be the best I ever received Iromaty other firm,

Yours respectfully,
JNO. I. SMITH.

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No. 336 contains 200 all different stamps, many rare, including old and new Japan, Colombia, Salvador, Nicaragua, Egypt, Bosnia, Cuba and Porto Rico, old and new, including the Babyhead issue, etc. Price, only 50 ceuts.

Packet No. 337 contains 150 all different stamps, many scarce, such as Honduras, Costa Rica, old Mexico, untused, including officials, Ecuador, Chili, Servia, etc., etc. Price, post free, only 25 cents.


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Packet No. 340 contains 25 different postal cards, used and new, including Costa Rica, Mauritus, Guatemala, etc. etc. Price, pos tfree, only 60 cents. U.S. Packet No. 341 contains 1,000 well assorted stamps, including some of every issue from 1851 to 1893, also Department stamps, such as War, Post Office, Interior, 'Ireasury, etc.; envelopes, revenue stamps, etc. This packet is not recommended for variety, as it contains duplicates, but it is a first-class packet FOR TRADING. Price, post free, only 50 cents.


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[^29]Packet No. 343 contains 350 UNUSED stamps, all different, including a great many scarce and fine stamps, such as old and new Argentine, Bosnia, Confederate States of Annerica, Costa Rica 1886, including 40 cents, also 1886 issue 1 cent to 1 peso blue, including Officials, Brazil, including journal and unpaid, Turkey rare 2 and 5 piastres 1886, worth 80 cents, U. S., including Interior 1, 2, 3 and 6
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Packet No. 344 contains 250 fine stamps, all different, ONLY from South, North and Central America and the West Indies, including a large number of very fine and scarce stamps, such as Grenada provisionals of 1892 issue and worth 50 cents each, Newfoundland (many varieties), New? Brunswick, Prince Edwards Islands, fine old and new Mexicans, many issues and varieties of Costa Rica (high values), Nicaragua, Salvador, Chili (old issues), Argentine (many varieties), Brazil, Columbia, St. Vincent, etc., etc. This packet contains no U.S.stamps or common Canada. Price, post free, only $\$ 5.00$. This is one of the finest packets we put up.

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Packet No. 348 contains 50 all clifferent stamps, all quite scarce, such as scarce Paraguay, 1879-81 5 and 10 c , worth 25 and 35 cents each, Costa Rica, 1883-1889, high values, also envelopes, 1886, worth 15 and 25 cents each, old Spain, 1850-55, Philippine, scarce Mexican, Bosnia, 25 kr ., Native India (none common), old Wurtemburg, Saxony, fine old Turkey, U. S., 1851-93, including Departments (only better values), and many others. This packet is GUARANTEED to contaiu no common stamps whatsoever, only scarce and good values, and in good condition. The RET'AIL VALUE OF THESE 50 STAMPS is over $\$ 7.50$. Price, post free, only $\$ 2.50$.

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 and new Chili, Argentine and Brazil, Bosnia, old Spain, fine British Colonies, West Australia, Victoria, Java, etc., etc. Price, post free, only 50 cents. THIS, IS ONE OF THE BEST BARGAINS ANY DEALER CAN OFFER.

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1,500 finely assorted United States stamps, including departments, etc.
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10,000 Stamps for ${ }^{2} 25.00$.

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 CONTAINS:1,000 very finely mixed European stamps.
700 very finely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15$, 20,25 and 50 cents each.
500 all different stamps, a nice lot.
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600 finely mixed South and Central American and Mexican stamps, a good lot.
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50 Blank Approval Sheets are given Free with every order for above of $\$ 5.00$ or more at one time.

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We have manufactured especially for our trade the finest Onion Skin Approval Sheets, for mounting stamps, that can be obtained.

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We manufacture the best gummed hinge in the market.
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which were received, amongst a vast number of others, during the last season. We believe that this will induce you to apply for an agency for our goods, and we are convinced that, after the first trial, we can depend upon you as a regular customer.

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We publish a monthly price-list for Dealers only. This list will be sent gratis upon application, which must be made by letter (not postat card), and addressed to "Wholesnle Department," Standard Stamp Co., No. 4 Nicholson Place, St. Louis, Mo.

This list will contain prices on stamps which we import in excess of our own requirements. We import probably as many stamps per annum as any dealer in this country, and have always a large surplus stock. This list will be of considerable importance to dealers as we will therein offer stamps which are not found in Wholesale Dealers' Lists generally. Another important feature will be the considerable reduction in prices. We all know that present wholesale prices allow no profit whatever for the smaller dealers. We will therefore furnish you with
a list in which we offer good stamps at reasomable prices! Dealers who wish to receive this list promptly every month will kindly state this in their letter.

Owing to lack of time, we are unable to send wholesale selections on approval; all we have to offer will be found in above monthly Wholesale Lists.

This list will only be sent to bona fide dealers, it is not intended for collectors:

## Reprints,

## Counterfeits and Government Remainders.

As there seem to be differeuces in opiuion among stamp collectors who are unable to distinguish a reprint from an original or counterfeit stamp, we will endeavor to explain the matter to them in as few words as possible.

Reprints are stamps printed from the same plate as the origituals. As some of the old original stamps are very high in price, a reprinted specimen is often welcomed by the collector to fill a vacant space, which otherwise would be left blank for an indefinite period.

A IReprint is not a Counterfeit, although it is worth only a fraction of the value of an original. We sell Reprints only as such!

A Counterfeit stamp is absolutely worthless and no more deserves a place in a stamp album than a spool label or a cigarette picture.

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## GOVERNMENT REMAINDERS.

When a series of postage stamps is superseded by a new issue, the stock of old stamps remaining on hand is then often disposed of at a nominal sum and is in most cases sold to some dealer in stamps. It is therefore very clear why a stamp whose face value was, say, 50 cents, can afterwards be sold at 5 or 6 cents each.

## All stamps sold by us are absolutely guaranteed Genuine and Authentic:

We never handle counterfeits, and sell reprinted stamps only as such.

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Standard stamp Company :
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South Kaukanna. Wis,, April 25, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company :
Gents-Xour packets received aud $t$ niud then to be the best $I$ ever received from any other firm.

Yours respectiully,
JNO. D. SMITH.
Dallas, Tex., Sept. 25. 1891.
Stantiard Stamp Company :
Gents-Your 500 variety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Both are very much superior to anything I bave ever seeu sofar. 1 remain. 312 Main street.

Yours truly,
ANGEL, DE STFFANO.

Standard Stamp Company: Cincinnaty, O., April 23, 1887.
Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightful surprise to me. Enclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Staudard packets Nos. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large, I found a great number in your packets I did not have. If this, my testimony, is of any use to you, you may use it. I am.

Very truly yours,
1 n care of Fimes-Stor, Cincinnati, 0 .
BEN. MULFORD, JR.
So. Denver, Colo., Feb. 13, 189
Gentlemen-I received your packet No. 19 to-day and am well pleased. It was tuore of a variety than I expected. Yours truly.

Box 37.
L. LEE THUCRRER.

Jamaica. I. I., N. Y., Mateh $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{t}} 189$.
Gentlemen-Keceived packets all right and must say they are"A1,O.K." To celebrate the occasion please send the two more packets No. 342 Chichester avenne.

Yours iruly.
WM. WERBE.
Oshкosh1, Wis., Sept. 8. 1893.
Gentlemen-Please send me some more approval sheets. I an an agent for a good many companies but think your approval sheets are better than any others.

Yours truly.
JAMES T. HAI.SFY.
Richmond, Va., Jan. 12, 1894,
Geutlemen-I received the Standard atbum this morning all right. I am very much pleased with it.

Youts truly,
JOHN H. GUx.
Washington, D. C.. Jais. 17. 1894.
Gentlemen-Packet No. 23 arrived to-day and i was very well pleased with it. finding a great number of stamps not in my collection. I am always satisfied with your stamps.

1459 Pierce Place, N. W.
OWEN PF:NNEV.
Glens Falls, N Y., Jan. 15, 1894
Gentlemen-I received the Standard albunt isent for and was very much pleased with it, as I did not expect one so good for the movey

25 pearl street.
Very truly yours, JOHN BICKLEY.
Roxhurv, Mass., Fets. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the Interuational packet a few days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried many stamp compuies but I like none as well as yours.
rours truly.
CHESTIER T' GRFENWOO1).
Conway, N. H., Felb 7. 1894.
rentiemen-Stamps receiver, all right ruesday. I aumore thau pleased with them,
lock Box 70.
Yours truly.
ARTHUK (G. LOR1).
Rochester, N. Y.. Match 29. 1893.
Cientlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day and I must say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I received.

72 Rowe street. F. FEFLY.
Baltimore. Mn . Oct. 18. 1807.
Gentlemen-I received your approsal sheets; they were very fine.
$1+30 \mathrm{~W}$. Tanvale street. Yours very truly, EDGAK KENDIG.
Hastings, Ner.. Oct. 1. 1893.
Gentlentu-Please send me some of your trial approval sheets. I have been buying stamps from your sheeta and thiuk they are the best and cheap)est stamps I ever bought. so thought I would try and sell some, seeing that they are in such demand.

Yours respectíully,
R. G. MCGREW.

Mobile, AlA., Nov. 7, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your packets Nos. 12, 23 and 13 , and was very much pleased with them.

976 Daupin street.
Yours truly,
X. J. BLACK.

UNAIIIL.A, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1893.
Gentlenen-Have just received the Intertational packet No. 21, for $\$ 10$, also the other packets, and an very much pleased with them. They are better than I expected. Yours truly, FIAROLD S. LEWIS.

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8 Australian
10 Austria, old and new
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3 Austrian-Levant
2 Azores Islands
2 Baden
6 Bavaria,old issue
2 Barbados
3 Relgium Postal Packet
2 Bhopaul
2 Bolivia
3 Bosuja
3 Brazil, Jouraal stamps

4 Brazil
*2 Brazil, unpaid
4 British Guiana
4 Bulgaria
2 B.\&.O.Telegraph
10 Canada
3 Canada Bill
6 Cape of Good Hope
4 Ceylon
4 Chili
2 Chile"Telegrafos"
3 Colombia
2 Coufederate
3 Coustantinople
3 Costa Rica
*2 Costa Rica"Offcials"
5 Cuba
2 Curacao
2 Cyprus
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3 Dutch Indies
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3 Ecuador
4 Egypt
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2 Grenada
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2 Cuatemala
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10 Holland
3 Holland, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Humgary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India envelopes and card
12 Italy
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, unpaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, rare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials

- 2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 NewSouthWales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, umpaid
5 New Zealaud
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway
*2 Nowanuggur
8 Old Austria, 1850-63
12 Old Austria
2 Old Japan
4 Old Spain, Isabel
3 Old 'urkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Peru
* 2 Peru envelopes

2 Philippines
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese Indies
3 Roman States
6 Roumania 7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino

- 2 Samoa

6 Sardinia

- 2 Saxouy

3 Servia

- 3 Shaughai
* 2 Slianghai, unp"d

10 Spait
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlements
2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
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Yours very truly,
D. IL. BACON.

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JAMES SHACKI.EFORD.
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Gevtlemen-Stamps received atl right last night. I am more than satisfied with them and shall lose no opportunity to speak a good word for you at any time

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Standard Stamp Company :
Norristown. Pa
Gentlemen-The International 「acket. No. 21, 1,000 all differeat stamps for $\$ 10.00$, which I purchased of you, was the fitest I have ever seen. much excelhing my Greatest expectation! I am also much obliged for the valuable PRIZE stamps you sert me?! Yours truly,
830 Arch street, Norristown. Pa.
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Sotutil Kaukanna, Wis., April 25, 1892.
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Youts respectfully, JNO. D. SMI'H.

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South Katrkanna, Wis., April 25, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company:
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Youts respectfully,

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Roximury, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the Iuternational packet a few days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried many stamp companies but I like none as well as yours.

25 E. Cottage street.
Yours truly.
CHESTER F. GREFNWOOD
Conway, N. H.. Feb. 71894.
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right ruesday. I nm more than pleased with them.

Yours truly.
Lock Box 70.
ARTHUR G. LORD.
Rocifestrar, N. Y. Match 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day and I must say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that 1 received.

72 Rowe street.
Youts truly,
E. FEELY.

BATTIMORE MD., Oct 18. 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your approval sheets: lley were very fine.
1430 W . Tanvale street.
fours very truly.
EDGAK KENDIG.

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Number Price
1 United States, 1847, 5 and 10c ..... $2 \quad 8375$
2 United States, 1851, 1, 3, 10 and 12c ..... 225
3 United States, 1856-57, 1, 3, 10 and 12c ..... $+100$
4 United States, 1861-63, 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 12, 15, 24and 30 c9175
5 United States, 1872, 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 15, 30 and 90c. ..... 9100
6 Uuited States, 1875-83, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10c. ..... $9 \quad 15$
7 United States, 1887-88, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 30 and 90 e. ..... 7125
8 United States, 1890, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 15 and
30c ..... 950
9 United States, 1851-93, various ..... 30 ..... 25
10 United States, 1851-93, various 50 ..... 100
11 *Uuited States Newspaper stamps, 1875-85, 1, 2, 3,4 and 10 c ..... 5 ..... 175
$12 \ddagger$ United States, Iuterior Department, 1, 2, 3, 6, 10 and 12c ..... 6 ..... 75
13 United States, Treasury Department, 1, 2, 3, 6, $10,12,15,30$ and 90 c ..... $9 \quad 100$
14 *United States, War Department (complete), 1-90c ..... 11250
15 United States, War Department ..... 10 ..... 125
16 United States, War Department ..... 75
17 United States envelopes, 1853-74 ..... 18 ..... 75
18 United States euvelopes, 1853-74 ..... 250
19 United States envelopes, 1864, 2c clies 1 and 2, ..... $5 \quad 250$
20 United States envelopes, $18 \% 6$, Centemial, red and green ..... 2 ..... 50
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21 United States envelopes, 1893, Columbus issue,22
22 Same set, used22
23 *United States, Columbus issue, complete set from lc to $\$ 5.00$.16
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24 Same set, used
25 * United States, Columbus issue, $\$ 1, \$ 2, \$ 3, \$ 4, \$ 5$ ..... 5
26 Same set, used5
$27{ }^{*}$ United States, Columbus issue, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, $8,10,15,30$ and 50 c ..... 11
28 Same set, used. ..... 11
29 American Rapid Telegraph Co ..... 16
$29 a^{*}$ Atlantic Tel. Co., 1, 2, 10, 25c ..... 4
30 Baltimore \& Ohio, 1886 ..... 7
31 Postal Telegraph Co., 1892-93
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12520$\$ 40.00$15
1000
$33^{*}$ Angola, 10, 20, 25, 40, 50, 100, 200 and 300 r. ..... 100 ..... 9
34 *Angra, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 r. ..... 60
35 Argentine Republic ..... 20
36 Argentine Republic ..... 25
37 Argentine Republic. 1893, 1/2, 1, 2, 3, 5, 10 and 16 c . ..... 7 ..... 20
38 Argeutine Republic, 1867-93, various, includ- ing provisionals, envelopes and wrappers, a fine collection. ..... 35
2 ..... 10


32 IAfghanistan, $1881-90,1$ and 2 ab . and 1 rupee, various colors of paper, catalogue value,300300
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49 * Bavaria, return letter ..... 6 ..... 10
50 Bavaria, 1849-90. ..... 17 ..... 20
51 Bavaria, various, 1849-73 ..... 10 ..... 20
52 Belgium, postal packet, complete ..... 12 ..... 25
53 Belgium, postal packet, various ..... 8 ..... 15
54 Belgium, postal packet, various ..... 6 ..... 10
55 Bolivia, 1877 ..... 4
56 Brazil, various, 1850-93. ..... 22 ..... 35
57 Brazil, newspaper and unpaid, various ..... 14
58 Bosnia ..... 8
59 Bulgaria, 1882-89, various, including 30 and 50 st., provisionals and unpaid ..... 20 ..... 45
60 Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 20
61 Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 50
62 British Bechuanaland, $1 / 2-4 d$, various. ..... 35
$63 \$$ British Guiaua, $1889-90,3,4,6,10$, Ic on $\$ 1$, $\$ 2, \$ 3, \$ 4$ ..... 125
64 Canada, various, including registered ..... 12
65 Canada Finvelopes ..... 05
66 *Cape Verde, $5,10,20,20,25,25,40,50,100$, 200, 300 reis ..... 11 ..... 100
67 Cape of Good Hope, 1871-93, including provi- sionals ..... 7 ..... 18
68 Cape of Good Hope, 1853-93, including provi- sionals, triangular and envelope. ..... 75
69 Chefoo, 1894, $1 / 2,1,2,5,10$ ..... 35
70 Chili, 1852, 1 aud 5c blue p, 5c br p, 5c red, 10 and 20 centavos ..... 6100
71 Chili, 1867, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20c, complete ..... 20
72 Chili, 1877, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20c, complete ..... 15
73 Chili, 1852 to 1886, various, nearly complete.. 28 ..... 150
74 Chili envelopes, entire, various paper, 5,10 , $15,20 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 300
75 *Chili envelopes, entire, $5,10,10,15,20 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 250
76 * Chili postal cards, various ..... 20
77 Chili, telegrafos, 2, 10 and 20 c ..... 15

No.
Number Price in set. per set.
78 Chili, 1880, revenues used postally, 1, 2, 5 and 10 c ..... 4 ..... 50
79 *China, 1885, 1, 3 and 5 cand. complete ..... 3 ..... 25
Columbian Republic, S. A.-
80 Antioquia, 1869, 21/2, 5, 10 and 20c ..... 75
81 Bolivar, 1879-85, 5, 10 and 20e values ouly ..... 16 ..... 100
82 Bolivar, 1880, 5 to 40c ..... 4 ..... 40
83 Bolivar, 1879-80. ..... 6
84 Bolivar, 1882, Ec to 1 peso ..... 6
85 Bolivar, 1883, 5c to 1 peso ..... 6
86 Bolivar, 1884, 1c to 1 peso ..... 6
87 Bolivar, 1885, 1c to 1 peso ..... 6
$88 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, 1889, 1 and 5c (latter unused) "Correos" ..... 2 ..... 35
89 *Costa Rica, 1883-89, 2, 5, 10 and 40 c , also 2 and 2 and 10 c official and Guanacaste (cheap) ..... 7 ..... 75
$90 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, 1883-92, including 40 c unused ..... 11 ..... 35
91 *Costa Rica, official, 1889, 1 to 50 c ..... 6 ..... 40
92 Costa Rica, 1884, revenues used postally, 1 and ..... 2 ..... 352 centavos................................... 2
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3593 Costa Rica, 1884-89, revenues used postally, 1,2,5 and 10 c complete.4
$94{ }^{*}$ Costa Rica, 1889, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50c and 1 peso ..... 7 ..... 100
95 *Costa Rica, 1889, "Guanacaste" 1-20c ..... 5 ..... 25150
96 *Costa Rica, 1886, euvelopes, 5 and 10c complete ..... 2
97 *Corea, 5, 10, 25, 50, 100 m . ..... 5
98 *Corrientes (Argentine Republic, 1861-71) ..... 4 ..... 100
99 Cuba, 1885-93, various ..... 18
100 *Danube Steam Navigation Co., unperforated ..... 4
101 *Danube Steam Navigation Co., perforated ..... 4
102 Dominican Republic, 1879, 1/2, 1/2, 1 and 1 real ..... 4
30
103 Dutch Indies, 1870-92, various ..... 15
194 *Ecuador, 1887-88, revenues, 1 centavo to 10 sucres, unsurcharged ..... 7 ..... 50
Number Price in set. per set.
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105 *Ecuador, 1889-90, revenues, 1 centavo to 10sucres, surcharged$7 \quad 50$
106 Ecuador, 1892, 1, 2, 5, 10 and 20c, used postally ..... 5 ..... 15
107 Ecuador, "Telegrafos," used postally, 5, 10 and 20 c . ..... 3 ..... 25
108 *Ecuador, 1872-87, 1, 1, 2, 2, 5, 5, 10, 20, 50 and 80 c and 1 peso, 1872. ..... 11 ..... 50
109 Ecuador revenues, used postally, 1885-91, nearly complete set. ..... 20 ..... 600
110 Ecuador revenues, various ..... 80
111 Egypt, 1872-88. ..... 25
112 Egypt, unpaid ..... 15
113 Finland, 1866-91 ..... 20
114 *French Colonies, 1893; 18 colonies; 1, 2, 4 and 5 c values ..... 72 ..... 100
115 *French Colonies, 1859-65, 1 to 8c ..... 75
116 French Colonies, 1870-80, various ..... 30
117 France, unpaid, 1859-63, 10 and 15 c ..... 15
$118{ }^{*}$ Funchal, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis. ..... 60
119 *Thurn and Taxis ..... 75
120 *Gibraltar, 1889, regular issue ..... 125
121 Greece, unpaid. ..... 20
122 Greece, 1878, unpaid 1-200 1, complete ..... 250
123 Greece, 1862-92, including unpaid ..... 25
124 *Guatemala, 1886, provisional 25c to $\$ 1.50$ ..... 60
125 Guatemala, 1886-88 ..... 30
126 Guatemala, 1886-93, 1c to 200 c , complete ..... 11 ..... 250
127 Guatemala envelopes cards and wrapoer 1890. ..... 40
128 *Hamburg, various, iucluding envelopes (re- prints) ..... 19 ..... 25
129 *Heligoland, 1867-78, reprints ..... 35
130 *Heligoland, 1867, repriuts ..... 15
131 *Heligoland, 1871-73, reprints ..... 20
132 *Heligoland euvelopes and wrappers ..... 15
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133 *Honduras, 1865 ..... 2
134 *Honduras, 1879-89, 1c to 1 peso ..... 7 ..... 50
135 *Houduras, 1890, 1c to 1 peso, complete ..... 11 ..... 45
136 Honduras, 1890, envelopes, 5-25c, complete ..... 8 ..... 35
137 *Honduras, 1890 , wrappers, Ic to 10 c , complete ..... 4 ..... 10
138 *Honduras, 1892, Ic to 1 peso, complete ..... 10 ..... 50
139 *Horta, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 7 ..... 60
140 Hungary, 1888 , 1 to 50 kr ..... 7 ..... 15
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141 Hungary, 1888, 1 kr to 1 fl ..... 60
142 India, 1865-86 ..... 13 ..... 15
143 India Service and H. M. S. $1 / 2$ to 8 annas ..... 8
Native States of India-
144 *Bhore ..... 25
145 *Gwalior, $1 / 2$ a to 1 rupee ..... 250
146 *Nowanuggur, 1880-88 ..... 12
147 Nowanuggur, 1880, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
148 Nowanuggur, 1893, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
149 Putialla, various ..... 20
150 *Sirmoor, officials ..... 30
151 *Soruth, 1890, 1, 1, 4 and 4a ..... 60
152 *Travancore ..... 30
153 *Italy, 1854, reprints ..... 15
154 Italy, 1862-89 ..... 15
155 Italy, Seguatasse ..... 10
156 Italy, Seguatesse, 1, 2, 5 and 101 lire ..... 15
157 Italy, Seguatasse, 50 and 100 lire ..... 30
158 *italy, officials, 2c to 10 lire, complete ..... 40
159 Japan, 1876-88, various ..... 35
160 *Liberia, 1894, triangular, 5 and 5 c official ..... 25
161 Mauritius, various ..... 30
162 *Mauritius, 1849-62 Britannia ..... 100
163 Montenegro, 2-25n ..... 50164 "Mozambique, 1892 , provisional, surcharged"Compa de Mozambique," 5, 10, 20, 25,$40,50,100,200$ and 300 reis$9 \quad 250$
in set. perset. No.
6 ..... 60
165 Mozambique, $1892,5,10,20,25,40$ and 50 reis
5 ..... 325
166 *Mexico, 1856, 1/2, 1, 2, 4 and 8 reales, complete
60
167 Mexico, 1856-93, various ..... 30
$168{ }^{*}$ Mexico, 1864, head ..... 25
169 Mexico, 1868, including 50c. ..... 60
170 *Mexico, 1874 ..... 30
171 *Mexico, 1879-82, 1, 2, 5, 5, 6, 10, 12, 18, 24 and 25 c ..... 10 ..... 50
172 "Mexico, 1882, 50 and 100c orange and yellow, rate ..... 2 ..... 450
173 Mexico, 1884, 1, 2, 5 and 10 pesos, complete ..... 1000
174 $\ddagger$ Mexico, official seal and officials ..... 35
175 "Mexico, newspaper, Guadalajara, 1p, 1867, 1 and 2 reales, 1868 ..... 3 ..... 350
176 Mexico, envelopes, $1874-83,4,5,10$ and 25 c ..... 50
177 "Mexico, envelopes, 1882 " Habilitado," 10 and 25c ..... 100
$178 \ddagger$ Mexico, unpaid, 1891 -92, various ..... 200
179 Netherlands, various ..... 12
180 Netherlands, unpaid, 1870, 5 and 10c ..... 12
181 Netherlands, 1881-87, unpaid, 1, $1 \frac{1}{2}, 2,21 / 2,5$, $10,121 / 2,15,20,25$ and 1 gulden, complete ..... 10 ..... 50
182 $\ddagger$ Newfoundland, $1880-90$, various ..... 15
183 New Zealand Insurance, $1 / 2,1$ and 2 d . ..... 10
184 New Zealand, 1882, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8d and 1 sh, complete ..... 25
185 Nicaragua, various ..... 15
186 *Nicaragua envelopes, 1891 ..... 35
187 *Nicartgua wrappers, 1891 ..... 10
188 *Nicaragua officials, 1891. 1c to 1 peso, complete, ..... 50
189 *Nicaragua envelopes, 1890,5-50c, complete ..... 35
190 *Nicaragua, 1892, Ic to 10 pesos, complete ..... 50
191 *Nicaragua, 1892, officials, 1c to 10 pesos, com- plete ..... 10 ..... 50
192 *North Borneo, 189f, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 12, 18 and 24 ..... 9140
No. ..... in set per setNumber Price
193 Orange Free States, including provisional ..... 7 ..... 20
194 Paraguay, 1879-81, 5 and 10 centavos ..... 35
195 Paraguay, 1885, 1, 2 and 5c ..... 3 ..... 15
196 Persia, various ..... 12 ..... 40
197 *Persia, lion and sun, 1870-76, reprints ..... 14 ..... 200
198 Persia, 1889, 5 and 10c, 1, 2 and 5 kran ..... 5 ..... 35
199 Persia, 1892, 5 and 10c, 1, 2 and 5 kran ..... 5
200 *Persia Service, 1, 2, 5 aud 10 sh ..... 4
201 *Peru, envelopes, 1875, 2, 5 and 5c ..... 3
202 *Peru, 1883-84, various surcharges ..... 17
203 Peru, 1886, lc to 1 sol. ..... 7
204 Philippine Islands, $1886-89$, $1 / 8 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and 5 mil. ..... 4
205 Philippine Islands, $1890,1 / 8 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and 5 mil . ..... 4
206 Philippine Islands, 1890-92, 2, 5, 8, 10, 15 and 20c ..... 6 ..... 45
207 *Porta Delgada, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 7 ..... 60
208 Porto Rico, various, old aud new ..... 15 ..... 25

209 Portugal, various, including 150 reis

209 Portugal, various, including 150 reis .....  ..... 13 .....  ..... 13
210 *Prince Edwards Island, 8 varieties
210 *Prince Edwards Island, 8 varieties ..... 8 ..... 8 ..... 20 ..... 20 ..... 85 ..... 85
211 *Roman States, 1862, reprints ..... 7 ..... 15
212 *Roman States, 1868, reprints ..... 7 ..... 15
213 Roumania, 1872-90, various. ..... 20
214 Russia, 1868-82 ..... 17
215 Russia-Levant, various ..... 7
216 St. Helena, various, including 6d ..... 5
217 *Salvador, 1887-89, 1, 2 and 3c, including 3 pro- visionals ..... 6 ..... 35
218 *Salvador, 1890 , envelopes and wrappers, com- plete ..... 45
219 *Salvador, 1891, envelopes, complete ..... 40
220 *Salvador, 1891, wrappers, complete. ..... 20
221 *Salvador, 1892, Ic to 1 peso, complete ..... 10 ..... 50
222 *Samoa, 1877-82 ..... 25
223 Saxony, 1863, 3 pf., 1/2, 1, 2 and 3 ngr. ..... 10
224 Servia, 1869-90, various ..... 14 ..... 35
Number in set
Price
No.6
15225 *Servia, 1869-79
226 *Servia, 1881, various ..... 12
227 "Servia, 1881-90, various ..... 20
228 Shanghai, 1893, 1/2, 1, 2, 5, 10, 15 and 20c, com- plete. ..... 85
229 Shanghai, $1893^{\prime}$ unpaid, $1 / 2,1,2,5,10,15$ and 20c, complete ..... 85
230 Shanghai, 1893, Jubilee, 1/2, 1, 2 and 5c ..... 25
231 Shanghai, 1893, envelopes, wrappers and cards ..... 30
232 South African Republic, 1885, $1 / 2 \mathrm{~d}$ to 1 sh ., complete ..... 25
233 South African Republic, 1883, 1d to 1 sh., com- plete ..... 50
234 *South African Republic, 1870, rouletted ..... 50
235 South African Republic, 1870-71. ..... 50
236 South Australia, O. S., Various ..... 50
237 South Bulgaria, 1885, various ..... 200
238 Spain, 1850-57. ..... 60
239 Spain, 1850-67 only, 6 c and 4 cuartos ..... 50
240 Spain, War stamps ..... 10
241 Spain, 1860-69 ..... 35
242 Spain, various. ..... 35
243 Straits Settlements, various ..... 10
244 Sweden, 1858-92, various ..... 25
245 Sweden, 1891-92, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 20, 30 and 50 ore., complete ..... 12
246 Sweden, various ..... 15
247 Sweden, official, 1874-97, 2 ore., 1 kr ., complete 12 ..... 25
248 Sweden, unpaid ..... 15
249 Switzerland, 1881, 2c to 1 fr., gold ..... 20
250 Switzerland, 1886, various. ..... 15
251 Switzerlaud, 1854-92, various, including un- paid, envelopes, etc. ..... 25 ..... 25
252 Tasmauia, 1858-64, 1d ..... 25
253 Tonga ..... 50
254 *Turkey, Constantinople. ..... 05
Number Price
in set. perset.
No.
$5 \quad 25$
255 Turkey, 1865, including 5 piastres and unpaid.
15 ..... 45
256 Turkey, 1869-76, various
9 ..... 20
257 Turkey, 1869-76, various
35
258 *Turkey, 1886, 2 and $5 c$ and 5 piastres, unused. ..... 3
259 Turkey, 1869-93, including unpaid ..... 22 ..... 30
260 Uruguay, 1884-90. ..... 10 ..... 30
261 Wnrtemburg, 1851-69, various ..... 35
262 Wurtemburg, 1851-90, including officials ..... 20
263 Western Australia ..... 25
PRICE LIST OF
United States and Confederate States
POSTHAGEESHAMPS- FOR SALE BY THL --
Standard Stamp Company,

No. 4 Nicholson Place, ST. LOUIS, MO.

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GENERAL ISSUE.
No. Date. Value, Color. New. Used.
$\$ 200$
18 1847, 5c brown (Franklin) ..... $\$ 060$
750
19 1847, 10c black (Washington) ..... 300Head in oval. Unperforated.
20 1851, Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 4025
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
21 1851, 1c blue, variety, (broken circle) 100 ..... 50
22 1851, 3c red (Washington) ..... 25 ..... 02
23 1851, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 2000 ..... 700
24 1851, 10c green (Washiugton) ..... 150 ..... 75
25 1851, 12c black (Washingtou). ..... 250 ..... 125
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washington)...
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin)
Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, le blue (Frauklin) ..... 50 ..... 25
30 1857, 1c blue, variety ..... 15 ..... 12
31 1856, 3c red (Washington) ..... 05 ..... 02
32 1857, 3e red (Washington), with outer line ..... 35
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) 500 ..... 250
34 1857, 3c red-brown (Jefferson). 1500
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ornaments at top and bottom cut off 200 ..... 200
36 1855, 10c green (Washington) ..... 60 ..... 30
37 1857, 12c black (Washington). ..... 75 ..... 60
38 1860, 24e lilac (Washington) 300 ..... 250
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 400 ..... 400
40 1860, 90c blue (Washiugton) 800 ..... 1200
U. S. and value in comers.
41 1861, le blue (Franklin) ..... 15 ..... 03
43 1861, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 75 ..... 25
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 1500 ..... 500
45 1861, 10c green (Washingtou). ..... 40 ..... 05
46 1861, 12c black (Washington) ..... 25
47 1861, 24e lilac (Wastington). ..... 25
48 1861, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 150 ..... 40
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington). ..... 350 ..... 175
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 400 ..... 100
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson) ..... 08 ..... 03
52 1863, 3c rose (Wasشiugton) ..... 10 ..... 02
54 1866, 15c black (Lincoln) ..... 60 ..... 30
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
55 1866, 24c inauve (Washingtou). 250 ..... 75
Embossing measuring $f / \boldsymbol{x} / 3 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, 1c blue ..... 100 ..... 40
61 1868, 2c black ..... 40 ..... 10
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 20 ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green. ..... 75 ..... 30
64 1868, 12c black ..... 30
65 1868, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 30
Embossing measuring $9 x \int_{3}$ mи.
66 1868, Ic blue 10040
67 1868, 2c black ..... 20 ..... 10
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 15 ..... 02
69 1868, 5c brown. ..... 500 ..... 150
70 1868, 10c green ..... 100 ..... 35
71 1868, 12c black. ..... 100 ..... 50
72 1868, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 30
73 1868, 24c violet ..... 250
250
74 1868, 30c orange ..... 350 ..... 250
75 1868, 90c blue 1500 ..... 1200Various designs in square.With embossing measuring $91 / 2 x 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
76 1869, 1c buff (Franklin) ..... 3030
77 1869, 2c brown (Horseman) ..... 25 ..... 08
78 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 10 ..... 02
79 1869, 6c blue (Washington). ..... 150 ..... 50
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle) ..... 100 ..... 60
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) ..... 75 ..... 50
$82^{*} 1869,15 c$ brown and blue (Landing of Co- lumbus) 500 ..... 250
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (licture, framed) 200 ..... 125
84 1869, 24c green and purple (Declaration of Independence) ..... 750 ..... 550
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle).. ..... 600 ..... 250
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln) 1200 ..... 1000Head to left in oval, with embossing measuring $9 x / 11 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.101 1870, le blue (Frankliu)40
58 STANDARD STAMP COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, MO.
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stanton) ..... 350
106 1870, 10c brown (Jefferson) ..... 800
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay)
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 600
109 1870, 24c purple (Scott)
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 1000
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) 1750 ..... 500
Same, embossing measuring $81 / 2 \times 101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
112 1870, 1c blue ..... 40
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 10
114 1870, 3c green ..... 03Same, without embossing.
115 1872, Ic blue ..... 05116 1872, 2c brown0802
08
117 1872, 3c green ..... 02
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 02
119 1872, 7c vermilion ..... 30
120 1872, 10c brown ..... 02
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 20
122 1872, 15c orange ..... 03
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 75
124 1872, 30c black ..... 10
125 1872, 90c carmine ..... 225 ..... 25
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 05 ..... 02
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 03
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 10 ..... 02
129 1882, 1c light blue, re-eugraved ..... 02
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved ..... 02
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 05
132 1882, 10c brown, re-engraved ..... 02.
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington) ..... 02
134 1883, 4c green (Jackson) ..... 02
135 1887, 2c green ..... 02
No. Date. Value Color. New. Used.
Nez design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 02 ..... 02
Same as $1872-183$ issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 08 ..... 021391888 , 30c puce brown75
140 1888, 90c purple ..... 200 ..... 75
12
136 1887, 3c vermilion ..... 10
141 1888, 4c carmine 10 ..... 04
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, 1c ultramarine ..... 02143 1890, 2c carmine03
02
06
145 1890, 4c datk brown ..... 02
06
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 02
08
147 1890, 6c brownt red ..... 05
10
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 08
12
149 1890, 10c green ..... 02
18
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 08
08
35
151 1890, 30c black
04
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 02
100
152 1890, 90c orange
COLUMBLAN ISSUE.
153 1893, 1c deep blue (Columbus in sight of land) ..... 03 ..... 02
154 1893, 2c violet (Landing of Columbus) ..... 05 ..... 02
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 06 ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) 08 ..... 05
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicitiug aid of Isabella) ..... 10 ..... 05
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 10 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 10 ..... 10
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 15 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark green(Columbus announcing his discovery) ..... 25 ..... 25
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 50
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus) ..... 75
164 1893, $\$ 1.00$ salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) ..... 200 ..... 200
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chains) ..... 400 ..... 400
166 1893, $\$ 3.00$ yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third voyage) ..... 600 ..... 600
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus aurl Isabella) ..... 800 ..... 800
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) ..... 1000 ..... 1000
SPECLAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 20 ..... 05
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 15 ..... 03
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1000
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 600Reprint.
303 1865, 25c red (Lincoln) ..... 600Reprint.While Border.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 150
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 10
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50 ..... 50
15
307 1875, 4c black ..... 20
308 1875, 6c black ..... 30 ..... 3020
309 1875, 8c black ..... 40 ..... 40
310 1875, 9c black ..... 500
500
25
311 1875, 10c black
1.5
312 1885, 1c black
Justice.
313 1875, 12e carmine ..... 50 ..... 50
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 60 ..... 60
No. Date Value. Color New. Used.
3151875 , $36 c$ carmine ..... 75
316 1875, 48c carmine ..... 125 ..... 125
317 1875, 60c carmine ..... 125
125
318 1875, 72c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
320 1875, 96c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 350 ..... 350
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 600 ..... 500
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 850 ..... 600
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1200
325 1875, 12d green ..... 1500
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2000
327 1875, 36d red ..... 2500
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 3000
329 1875, 60d violet ..... 4000
UNPAID LETTEER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, lc brown ..... 03
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 03
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 03
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 05
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 05
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 30
357 1879, 50c brown ..... 50
358 1879, 1c red brown ..... 03
359 1879, 2c red brown ..... 03
3601879 , 3c red brown ..... 03
361 1879, 5c red brown ..... 05
362 1879, 10c red brown ..... 05
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 02
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 03
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 03368 1893, 30c bright claret369 1893, 50c bright clatet
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberly surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
696 1893, 1c deep blue ..... 03697 1893, 2c violet0402
10
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10
20 699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20
LETTER SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant) 04 ..... 02
OFFICLAL STAMPS.
Perforated.
All, except Post Office, same Design as Gencral Issue, withName of Department above.
Agriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 75 ..... 75
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 65803 1873, 3c straw2515
50
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 50
300
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 300
500
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 400
200
807 1873, 15c straw ..... 200
200
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 200
250 809 1873, 30c straw ..... 250 ..... 250
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 400 ..... 400
813 1873, 6с carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
8141873,10 c carmine ..... 550 ..... 550
Interior.
815 1873, 1c vermilion ..... 20 ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 02
817 1873, 3c vermilion ..... 05 ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 05
819 1873, 10c vermilion ..... 25 ..... 15
No. Date. Value. Color. sew.
25
820 1873, 12c vermilion
25
821 1873, 15c vermilion
$8221873,24 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 35
$8231873,30 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 50
8241873 , 90c vermilion 100
Justice.
825 1873, lc purple ..... 75
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 75
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 45
828 1873, 6c purple ..... 50
829 1873, 10c purple ..... 100
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 100
831 1873, 15c purple ..... 250
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 350
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 1000
$8341873,80 \mathrm{c}$ purple ..... 2000
Navy.
835 1873, le blue ..... 50 ..... 50
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
$836 a 1873,2 \mathrm{c}$ green (error) ..... 1000
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 25
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 40
839 1873, 7c blue ..... 500
$840 \quad 1873$, 10c blue ..... 85
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 85
842 1873, 15c blue ..... 150
$8431873,24 \mathrm{c}$ blue ..... 250
844 1873, 30c blue ..... 175
845 1873, 90c blue 500
200075754550
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 40 ..... 30
852 1873, 15c black ..... 30 ..... 30
853 1873, 24c black ..... 60 ..... 60
854 1873, 30c black ..... 35 ..... 35
855 1873, 90c ! JIack 100 ..... 75
Post Office Seal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, green ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officłally sealed, brown (P. Obitum) ..... 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10
Lithographed.
$858 a$ 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 05 ..... 05Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, brownRouleticd.
$858 d$ 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858 e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd
Statc.
859 1873, 1c green ..... 50 ..... 50
860 1873, 2c green ..... 100
861 1873, 3c green ..... 50 ..... 50
862 1873, 6c green ..... 50
863 1873, 7e green ..... 75 ..... 75
864 1873, 10c green ..... 75
865 1873, 12c greet. ..... 150 ..... 15075
866 1873, 15 c green ..... 150
867 1873, 24 8
867 1873, 24 8 ..... 200
867 1873, 24c green ..... 200
400
868 1873, 30c green ..... 400
500
869 1873, 90c green ..... 500
1000
870 1873, 2d black and green ..... 1000
871 1873, 5d black and greet
872 1873, 10d black and green ..... 4000
873 1873, 20d black and green ..... 3500
Treasury.
874 1873, le brown. ..... 10
875 1873, 2c brown. ..... 08
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3c brown ..... 08 ..... 02
877 1873, 6e brown ..... 15 ..... 06
878 1873, 7c brown, ..... 100 ..... 100
879 1873, 10c brown ..... 30 ..... 10
880 1873, 12c brown. ..... 30 ..... 10
881 1873, 15c brown. ..... 30 ..... 10
882 1873, 24c brown ..... 500 ..... 350
883 1873, 30c brown ..... 50 ..... 15
8841873 , 90c brown. ..... 150 ..... 50
War.
885 1873, Ic red ..... 03 ..... 03
886 1873, 2c red ..... 05 ..... 05
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6c red ..... 05 ..... 05
8891873 , 7c red ..... 125 ..... 126
890 1873, 10c red ..... 15 ..... 15
$8911873,12 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... 15 ..... 15
$8921873,15 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... 15 ..... 10
893 1873, 24c red ..... 35 ..... 35
25
$8941873,30 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... 15
75
$8951873,90 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... 50

Burlington, Kansas, Aptil 16, 1893.
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Dear Sits-Your sheets were the best 1 ever saw. I bave tried many frms, but none send as good stamps as you do. Middlebury, Vt.

Yours truly,
REID Is. CARR.

Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-I must say that your firm is the best I ever dealt with, being both prompl in atsswering your leticts and givizg best salisfaction to your customers. Your agent,
42 Front Street, W. Toronto, Cauada.
H. C. BEDDLINGTON.

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

GENERAL ISSUE.


No. Date. Type. Valte. Color.
71 1861, A1, 5c green.
72 1861, A1, 5c dark green.
1861, A2, 10c blue.


A3.


A4.


A5.

74 1862, A3, 2c green.................................. $\$ 200$. $\$ 300$
75 1862, A1, 5c blue.................................. . . . 40 50
76 1862, A1, 5c dark blue. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 40.50
77 1862, A2, 10c rose . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 300 2 50
78 1862, A4, 5c blue.. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10 05
79 1862, A4, 5c pale bine . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1510
80 1862, A4, 5c blue, lithograplied ............... 25.10
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated
82 1863, A5, 2c rose................................ 35
200


A6.


A8.

No. Date. Type. value. Color.
83 1863, A6, 10c blue
84 1863, A7, 10c blue
85 1863, A8, 10c dark bluc.
New.
Used $\$ 350$
$\$ 350$ 25 20

86 1863, A8, 10c light blue. 03 05

87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue 08 08

88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line).
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated.


A9.


A10.
90 1863, A9, e0c greet. ..... $\$ 010 \quad \$ 200$
$90 \mathrm{~A} 1863, \mathrm{~A}, 20 \mathrm{c}$ green, perforated, fine specinen on orjginal letter... ..... 2000
91 1864, A10, 1c orauge... ..... 50

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Hightstown, N. J.
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1886 | about | 7,500 | - |
| 1887 | about | 8,500 | 2 |
| 1888 | about | 10,000 | d |
| 1889 | about | 15,000 | 0 |
| 1890 | about | 30,000 | 0 |
| 1891 | about | 50,000 |  |
| 1892 | about | 90,000 | \% |
| 1893 | about | 150,000 | 0 |
| 1894 | about | 35\%\%,000 |  |

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Chicago, March 16, 1892.
Dear Sirs-Your packets arrived all right and gave great satisfaction. Please fill enclosed order and oblige,

2957 Indiana avenue.
Yours very truly,
REV. JNO. HENRY BARROWS.
Soutir Kaukanna, Wis.. April 25, 1892.
GTANDARD STAMP COMPANY:
Gents-Your packets received and I find them to be the best I ever received from any other firm.

Yours respectfully,
JNO. D. SMITH.
Dallas, Tex., Sept, 25, 1891.
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Gents-Your 500 variety packet and approval gheets ordered received. Both are very mucli superior to anything I have ever seen so far. I remajn, 312 Main street.

Yours truly.
ANGELO DE STEFANO.
Piease show this List to your friend Collectors,

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Cincinnati, O.. April 23, 1887.
Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delighiful surprise to me. Enclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Standard packets Nos. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large, I tound a great number ju your packets I did not bave. If this, my testimony, is of any use to you, you may use it. 1 am. Very truly yours,
ju care of Times-Star, Cincinuati, O.
BEN MULFORD, JR.
So. Denver, Coro., Feb. 13, 1894.
Geutlemen-I received your packet No. 19 to-day and am well pleased. It was more of a variety than I expected. Box 37.

Yours truly.
L LAE THURBER.
§Amaica, L. I., N. Y., March 4, 1894.
Geatlenen-Received packets all right and must say they are "A I, O. K." To celebrate the occasion please send me two more packets No. 342

Chichester avenne. Yours truly, WM. WEBBE.
Osheosh. Wis., Sept. 8, 1893.
Gentlemen-Please sead me some more approval sheets. I am an agent for a good many companies but think your approval sheets are better than any ofhers.

Yours truly,
191 High strect.
JAMEST. HALSEYY.
Richmond, Va., Jan. 12, 1894.
Geutiemen-1 received the Standard album this morning all right. Inm very much pleased with it.

Yours truly.
JOHN H. GUY.
wasilington, D. C.. Jan. 17. 1894.
Geulimen-Packet No. 23 arrived to-day and I was very well pleased with it. finding a great mumber of stamps not in my collection. I am always satisfied with your stamps.
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1459 Pierce Place, N. W.
OWEN PENNEY.
Glens I'alls. N Y.Jan. 15. 1894.
Gentlemen-l received the Standard album I sent for and was very much pleased with it. as I did not expect one so good for the money.

25 Pearl street.
Very truly yours,
JOHN BICKLEY.
Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the International packet a few days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried mauy stamp companies but I like unve as well as yours.

25 E. Cottage street
Yours truly.
CHESTER T. GREENWOOD.
Conway, N. H., Feb. 7. 1894.
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I am more than pleased with them.

Lock Box 70 .
Yours truly,
ARTHUR G. I.GRD.
Rochester, N. Y., Match 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day and I rust say that I was yurprised to see the valuable atamps that I received
th Rowe street. Yours truly, E. FEELY.
Baltimore, Mo Oct. 18, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your approval sheets; they were very fine. 1430 W . Tanvale street.

Yours very truly.
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Hastings Neq, Oct. 1. 1893.
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Youts respectfully,
R. G. MÇGREF,

Gentemen-I received your packets Nos. 12,23 and 13 , and was very much pleased with them.

976 Daupin street. F. J. BLACK.
Unadillea, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1893.
Gentlemen-Have just received the Internationat packet No. 21, for $\$ 10$, also the otber packets, and an very much pleased with them. They are better than $I$ expected.

Yours truly,
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 used postally; Spain, some of the first issues; unused China, complete set, unused; a fine line of rare Mexico, including a set of 1864, set of 1879-1882 issues, including high values, and some
on thin paper, catalogued in all at about $\$ 2.50$; Errors from 1872 to 1882; fine old envelopes; complete set of Porte de Mar, col'd; set of Persia officials; fine used and uused stamps of Bosnia, Shanghai, old Cuba and Puerto Rico, Colombia, Costa Rica, Guadeloupe, Uruguay, State of North Borneo, Old Dominica, Salvador, Wadhwan State, scarce Pountch, Bosuia, 25 kr . Ecuador, 50 c and 1 peso, valued at 50 c , Ceylon provisional, Brazil newspaper, scarce old Canada and Prince Edward Islands, and last, but not least, besides those mentioned above, a fine lot of scarce U. S. Stamps, such as unused State, Justice, War, PostOffice, used, Interior, Navy, etc., a rare 30 c brown of 1888 issue, which are becoming rare very fast, and many other good stamps.

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2 Bolivia
3 Bosnia
3 Brazil, Journal stamps

4 Brazil

- 2 Brazil, unpaid

4 British Guiana
4 Bulgaria
2 B.\& O.Telegraph
10 Canada
3 Canada Bill
6 Cape of Good Hope
4 Ceylon
4 Chili
2 Chile "Telegrafos'
3 Colombia
2 Confederate
3 Constantinople 3 Costa Rica
*2 Costa Rica "Offcials"
5 Cuba
2 Curacao
2 Cyprus
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2 Dominican Republic
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10 Holland
3 Holland, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India euvelopes and card
12 Italy
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy uewspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, unpaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, rare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials
*2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 New SouthWales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaid
5 New \%ealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway
*2 Nowanuggur
8 Old Austria, 1850) 63

12 Old Austria
2 Old Japan
4 Old Spain, Isabel
3 Old Turkey, $1869-76$
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Peru

* 2 Peru envelopes

2 Philippiues
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese Indies
3 Roman States
6 Roumania
7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino

- 2 Samoa

6 Sardinia
*2 Saxolly
3 Servia
*3 Shanghai

* 2 Shanghai, unp'd

10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlements
2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, 5-50 ore, compl
4 Sweden official
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Triujdad
2 Tunis
5 Turkey, varions
3 U.S. Department
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10 U. S. Postage
6 U. S. Revenues
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3 Bhopaul.
3 l3olivia.
3 Borueo.
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5 Brazil, Journal and Unpaid stainps.
5 British Guiana.
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7 Canada Bill.
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3 Chili, "Telegrafos."
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3 Confederate States.
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7 Finland.
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4 Guatemala.
* 7 Hamburg, Envelopes, complete
* 10 Hamburg, various.
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3 Hayti.
7 Heligoland.
*4 Hetigoland, Envelopes and wrappers, complete.
5 Holland, unpaid
5 Honduras.
4 Hong Kong.
12 Hungary, various, incl. 20 and 50 kr .
7 Hungary, 1888, incl. 50 kr . and 1 n.
3 Iceland.
10 India.
5 Inclia, Native States.
16 Italy, old and new.
3Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.
7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.

4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, Eagle, old issue.
3 Mexico Envelopes.
*2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
4 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mat.
4 Mexico, 1864, complete set, rate.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 New South Wales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, incl. 2 piasires.
6 New Zealand.
7 Nicaragua
14 Norway.
*3 Nowantiggut. old issue, complete.
*3 Nowanuggur, uew issue, complete.
12 Old Austria, 1850-1863.

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## 18 Old Austria,

 1867-1892.9 old Bavaria.
5 Old Brazil.
*12 Old Hamburg.
3 Old Japan.
8 Old Spain, Isahel.
5 Old Turkey, 1869-1876.
4 Orange States.
3 Paraguay.
3 Persia.
5 Peru.
*3 Peru, Envelopes.
3 Philippines.
7 Porto Rico.
12 Portugal.
4 Portuguese Indies.
*7 Roman States.
7 Roumania.

12 Russia, old and new
4 Russia Levant, incl. 10 kop .
7 Salvador.
*3 Samoa.
" 5 Saxony.
6 Servia.
*4 Shaughai.
*3 Shanghai, unpaid.
15 Spaiu.
4 Straits Settlements.
7 Sweden Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
15 Sweden, various issues.
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3 Turkey, unpaid, various.
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275 C. E. M. Beall, Iron Mountain, Montatia.
276 Fred C. Godsoe, St. John, N. B.
277 Herbert Brown, 82 Moffat Bldg., Detroit, Mich.
278 H. W. Haler, Belle Vernon, Pa.
279 J. Roy Collins, 25 Bute street, Norfolk, Va.
280 F. J. Wetherell, Box 3509, Bostou, Mass.
281 Charles Rutherford, New Glasgow, Nova Scotia.
282 Harold S. Lewis, 310 Main street, Unadilla, N. Y.
283 A. Howell, Paris, Ont., Canada.
284 R. M. Liddell, Montreal, Canada.
285 - Rockford, Ill.
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287 C. S. Cutts, Marshallville, Ga.
288 Chas. Romain, Box 665, Hartford City, Ind.
289 Benjamin Giberga \& Co., 118 Wall street, New York City. 290 Geo. S. Davis, Eau Claire, Wis.
291 R. C. Flinder, 64 C street, N. W.*Washington, D. C.
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293 E. L. Des Jardins, Hox 563, Alpena, Mich.
294 N. R. Graves, 902 Jatnes street, Syracuse, N. Y.
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296 Geo. L. Cassel, 1907 Diamond street, Philadelphia, Pa.
297 Louis Ringk, 45 Beaver street, New York City.
298 C. F. Tilley, 273-279 Hïgh street, Holyoke, Mass.
299 Rev. Edw. W. Thwing, Canton, China.
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309 Reinhold Nill, Box 171, Dayton, O.
310 P. W. Berks, Kildare, O. T.
311 Helen W. Underwood, Greencastle, Ind.
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314 Charles Lief, Room 16, 35 S. Clark street, Chicago, Ill.
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317 Julius Stein, 3 Lena avenue, Cleveland, O.
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320 W. E. Booker, 492 Main street, Middletown, 0.
321 Nick Perry, St. Lucas, Iowa.
322 H. D. Bounetheau, Box 595, Jacksonville, Fla.
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324 J. M. Westphal, Joliet, Ill.
325 E. D. Curtis, 11 Elm street, Waltham Mass.
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328 C. E. Morse, 1429 New York avenue, Washington, D. C.
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331 Theo. Mainbart, 83 Morris street, Johnston, I'a.
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335 - St. Louis, Mo.
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337 Myron L, Fuller, 157 Spring street, Brockton, Mass,
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340 J. B. Wallace, 101 Drummond street, Vicksburg, Miss.
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342 Torger S. Iversen, Stavanger, Sweden.
343 Robert H. Hutchins, S. Bartholomew's school, Morristown, N. J.

344 Wm. L. Kinkead, Altoona, Pa.
345 Edw. W. Hall, Drawer 10, Fort Collius, Colo.
346 Theo. Mack, 35th and Mason streets, Omaha, Neb.
347 Frank W. Derby, Athol, Mass.
348 H. G. C. Macredie, room 2, Nat'l Ger. Bank, St. Paul, Minn.
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350 A. L. Tafe1, 1011 Arch street, Philadelphia Pa.
351 H. Butterfield, 605 Clinton street, Waukesha, Wis.
352 J. J. Mauch, 327 N. Forest avenue, Dayton, $O$.
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| 3oth are very much superior to anything I have ever geen so far. I remain <br> 312 Maiu Street. Yours truly, ANGF゙LO DE STFFANO |  |
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| Dear Sirs-Your sheets contain the best assortment that I have ever seen; also very mach obliged to you for the valuable prize stamps you sent me |  |
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Standard Stamp Company:
Chicago. Ill., Feb, 26,1892
Dear Sirs-We feceived our stampa in good order and nust say that they are zery satisfactory.

78 seminary avenue.
Yours iruly.
THOS. A. MCLAIN \& CO.

STANDARD STAMP COMPANY:
Febrtary 11, 1888.
Gentlemen-I received your packets to-day nind must say that they arefar better than I expected/ 'rbey excel any packets that I cver bought before. Yours very truly, H. L. ADAMS,
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Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law.

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We guarantee good value.

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Contains 1,000 finely mixed stamps, such as Bosnia, Venezuela, Servia, Bulgaria, Italy, unpaid, old and new Turkey, 1869-92, including unpaid, Levant, Brazil (large), West Australia, Borneo, U. S. Department Stamps, scarce New Brunswick, South African Republic, Natal, St. Vincent, Trinidad, Colombia, and many others.

A good packet for exchanging.
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Contains 25 varieties of Mexican postage stamps, including some rare, from 1864, 1879-82, 1884-90 issues, etc., including officials, envelopes, official seals, complete set of 1864, and many good values.

Standard Stamp Company :
Ewing, Neb.
Gentlemen-Stamps recelved all right last tight. I am more than satisfied Fith them and shall home mo opportunity to speak a good word for you at any time

Yours truly, GARRIE CORTEI,YON.

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Contains 30 different Mexican postage stamps, including a complete set of four varieties of 1864, (Saltillo), also old issues and high values of 1872, $1874,1878,1879,1882$ to 1890 , etc. A very fine packet for the money. This packet contains a rare green 'Habililado'" envelope, worth 75 cents
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U. S.
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Packet No. 337 coutains 40 rare stamps from Asia, all liffereut, such as scarce Corea 5 m red, valued at 25 cents, Shaughai, old and new issues, Straits Settlements, Siam, Seyceelles Islands, Persia, Ceylon, Bormeo, several issues, etc. Price, post free, ouly $\$ 1.00$.

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Standard Stamp Combiny :
Nokristowns, l'a.
Geutlemen-The Interuational Packet. No. 21, 7.000 all different slantips for $\$ 10.00$, which I purchased of you, was the finest I hove ever seen. mucn rixces. LING MY GREATEST EXPECTATION! fam also much obliged for the valmable PRIZE stamps you sent me !!

830 Atch street. Notristown, Pa.
CHAS. A. IARNUM.
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South Kaukanna, Wis, April $25,1892$.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your packets received and I find them to be the best 1 ever received from any other firm.

Yours respectfully,
JNO. D. SMITH.

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## U. S.

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South Kaukanna, Wis., April 25, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Yont packet received, and I find them to he the besf l ever received from any olher firm.

Youts respectiflly,
JOHN 1). SMITH.

## 䁌 TVEAD THE TESTIMONIALS.

Packet No. 343 contains 350 UNUSED stamps, all different, includiug a great many scarce and fine stamps, such as old and new Argentine, Bosuia, Coufederate States of America, Costa Rica 1886, including 40 cents, aiso 1886 issue 1 cent to 1 peso blue, including Officials, Brazil, inchuding journal ant unpaid. Turkey rare 2 aud 5 piastres 1886 , worth 80 cents, $\mathbb{L T}^{\top}$. S., inclurling Iuterior 1, 2, 3 and 6
 cents, Newspaper stamps, SCARCF, envelopes, worth 10 to 50 cents each, scarce Mexico, several issues, Portuguese, Spanish and French Colonies, New Brunswick 2, 5 and scarce 17 ceuts black, Prince Edwards Islands, fine set, and many other fine stamps too numerous to mention. Price, post free, only $\$ 10.00$. The market value of these stamps is more than double.


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 and new Chili, Argeutine aud Brazil, Bosuia, old Spain, fiue British Colonies, West Australia, Victoria, Java, etc., etc. Price, post free, only 50 cents. THIS IS ONE OF THE BEST BARGAINS ANY DEALER CAN OFFER.


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Rofbury, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the Interuational packet a few days ago and was very mach pleased with it. I bave tried many stamp companies but I like noue as well as yours.

Yours truly.
25 F . Cottage street.
CHESTER E. GRFENWOOD
Conway, N. H. Fel. 7. 1894.
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I nm more than pleased with them Yours truly.
Lock Hox 70.
ARTHUR G. LORD.
Rochester, N. Y., March 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day and I mast say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I recelved.

72 Rowe street.
Yours truly,
E. FEELY.

Baltimore. MD., Oct 18, 1894.
Gentlernex-I received your approval sheets: they were very fiue.
1430 W. Tanvale street. Yours very truly, FDGAK KYNDIG.

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1 United States, 1847, 5 and 10c ..... $2 \quad \$ 375$
2 United States, 1851, 1, 3, 10 and 12c ..... 4225
3 United States, 1856-57, 1, 3, 10 and 12c ..... 4100
4 United States, 1861-63, 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 12, 15, 24 and 30 c ..... $9 \quad 175$
5 United States, 1872, 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 15, 30 and 90 c ..... 9100
6 United States, 1875-83, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10c. ..... 9 ..... 15
7 United States, 1887-88, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 30 and 90 c. ..... $\begin{array}{ll}7 & 125\end{array}$
8 United States, 1890, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 15 and30c950
9 United States, 1851-93, various ..... 25
10 United States, 1851-93, various ..... 100
11 *United States Newspaper stamps, 1875-85, 1, 2, 3,4 and 10 c ..... 5 ..... 175
$12 \ddagger$ United States, Interior Department, 1, 2, 3, 6 , 10 and 12c ..... 6 ..... 75
13 United States, Treasury Department, 1, 2, 3, 6, $10,12,15,30$ aud 90 c ..... $9 \quad 100$
14 *United States, War Department (complete), 1-90c ..... 11 ..... 250
15 United States, War Department ..... 125
16 Uuited States, War Department ..... 75
17 United States envelopes, 1853-74 ..... 75
18 United States envelopes, 1853-74 ..... 250
19 United States envelopes, 1864, 2c dies 1 and 2, ..... $5 \quad 250$
20 United States envelopes, 1876, Centennial, red and green ..... 2 ..... 50
No. in set. per set.Number Price
21 *United States envelopes, 1893, Columbus issue,22300
22 Same set, used Same set, used ..... 22
300
23 *United States, Columbus issue, complete set from lc to $\$ 5.00$. ..... 16
3250
24 Same set, used ..... 1625 *United States, Columbus issue, $\$ 1, \$ 2, \$ 3, \$ 4, \$ 5$53000
26 Same set, used ..... 5
3000
27 *Uniterl States, Columbus issue, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, $8,10,15,30$ aud 50 c ..... 11
250
28 Same set, used. ..... 11 ..... 250
29 American Rapid Telegraph Co ..... 65
$29 a^{*}$ Atlantic Tel. Co., 1, 2, 10, 25c ..... 125
30 Baltimore \& Ohio, 1886 ..... 20
31 Postal Telegraph Co., 1892-93 ..... 10
$32 \ddagger$ Afghanistan, $1881-90,1$ and 2 ab . and 1 rupee, various colors of paper, catalogue value, $\$ 40.00$ ..... 15
1000
33 * Angola, 10, 20, 25, 40, 50, 100, 200 and 300 r. ..... 100
34 * Angra, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 r. ..... 60
35 Argentine Republic ..... 20
36 Argeutine Republic ..... 25
37 Argentine Republic. 1893, $1 / 2,1,2,3,5,10$ and $16 c$. ..... 7 ..... 20
38 Argentine Republic, 1867-93, various, iuciud- ing provisionals, envelopes and wrappers, a fine collection. ..... 35 ..... 75
39 Austria, 1858-92, various ..... 20
40 Austria, $1890,1-30 \mathrm{kr}$. ..... 25
41 Austria, 1890, 1-1 fl. ..... 60
42 Austria-Levant and Lombardy, 1850-90, various ..... 20
43 Austria-Levant, 1867-92 ..... 40
44 Austria-Levant, 1850-83, iucluding 50 kr ..... 25
$45{ }^{*}$ Raden, 1, 3, 6, 7, 9 and 30 kr ..... 25
46 *Baden, Landpost, 1, 3 and 12 kr . ..... 08
47 Baluanas, 1862-90, 1, 1, 4, 6, 6 and 1 sh. ..... 50
48 *Bavaria, 1870-73. ..... 12
Number Price in set. perset.
$6 \quad 10$
49 * Bavaria, return letter
17
50 Bavaria, 1849-90 ..... 20
51 Bavaria, various, 1849-73 ..... 10 ..... 20
52 Belgium, postal packet, complete ..... 12 ..... 25
53 Belgium, postal packet, various ..... 8 ..... 15
54 Belgium, postal packet, various ..... 6 ..... 10
55 Bolivia, 1877 ..... 4 ..... 15
56 Brazil, various, 1850-93. ..... 22 ..... 35
57 Brazil, newspaper and unpaid, various
57 Brazil, newspaper and unpaid, various ..... 14 ..... 14
58 Bosnia ..... 8
59 Bulgaria, 1882-89, various, including 30 and 50 st., provisionals aud unpaid ..... 20 ..... 45
60 Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 20
61 Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 50
62 British Bechuanaland, $1 / 2-4 \mathrm{~d}$, various. ..... 35
$63 \$$ British Guiana, $1889-90,3,4,6,10,1 \mathrm{c}$ ou $\$ 1$, $\$ 2, \$ 3, \$ 4$ ..... 8 ..... 125
64 Cauada, various, including registered ..... 12
65 Canada Envelopes ..... 05
$66^{*}$ Cape Verde, 5, 10, 20, 20, 25, 25, 40, 50, 100 , 200, 300 reis ..... 11 ..... 100
67 Cape of Good Hope, 1871-93, including provi= sionals ..... 7 ..... 18
68 Cape of Good Hope, 1853-93, includjing provi- sionals, triaugular and envelope. ..... 14 ..... 75
69 Chefoo, $1894,1 / 2,1,2,5,10$ ..... 35
70 Chili, 1852, 1 and $5 c$ blue $p, 5 c$ br $p, 5 c$ red, 10 and 20 centavos ..... 100
71 Chili, $1867,1,2,5,10,20 \mathrm{c}$, complete ..... 20
72 Chili, 1877, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20c, complete ..... 15
73 Chili, 1852 to 1886 , various, nearly complete. ..... 28 ..... 150
74 Chili envelopes, entire, various paper, 5, 10, $15,20 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 300
$75{ }^{*}$ Chili envelopes, entire, $5,10,10,15,20$ c ..... 250
76 * Chili postal cards, various ..... 20
77 Chili, telegrafos, 2, 10 and 20c ..... 15

No.
78 Chili, 1880 , revenues used postalty, $1,2,5$ and $10 c$ ..... 4 ..... 50
79 China, $1885,1,3$ and 5 cand, complete ..... 25
Columbian Republic, S. A.-
80 Antioquia, 1869, 31/2, 5, 10 and 20 c ..... 75
81 Bolivar, $1879-85,5,10$ aud 20 c values only ..... 16 ..... 100
82 Bolivar, 1880,5 to 40 c ..... 40
83 Bolivar, 1879-80. ..... 40
84 Bolivar, 1882 , 5 c to 1 peso ..... 100
85 Bolivar, $1883,5 \mathrm{c}$ to 1 peso ..... 100
86 Bolivar, 1884 , 1c to 1 peso ..... 100
87 Bolivar, 1885, le to 1 peso ..... 100
$88 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, 1889, 1 and 5c (latter unused) "Correos" ..... 2 ..... 35
89 *Costa Rica, $1883-89,2,5,10$ and 40 c, also 2 and 2 and $10 c$ official and Guanacaste (cleap) ..... 75
$90 \pm$ Costa Rica, 1883-92, including 40c unused. ..... 35
91 *Costa Rica, official, 1889, 1 to 50c ..... 40
92 Costa Rica, 1884 , revenues used postally, I aud ..... 35
2 ceutavos ..... 35
93 Costa Rica, 1884-89, revenues used postally, 1 , 2,5 and 10 c complete ..... 4 ..... 150
94 *Costa Rica, 1889, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50c and 1 peso ..... 7 ..... 100
95 "Costa Rica, 1889, "Guanacaste" 1-20c ..... 25
96 *Costa Rica, 1886, envelopes, 5 and 10c complete ..... 2 ..... 20
97 Corea, 5, 10, 25, 50, 100m ..... 30
98 *Corrientes (Argentine Republic, 1861-71) ..... 4 ..... 100
99 Cuba, 1885-93, various ..... 18 ..... 35
100 *Danube Steam Navigation Co., unperforated ..... 4 ..... 25
101 *Danube Steam Navigation Co., perforated ..... 15
102 *Dominican Republic, 1879, $1 / 2,1 / 2,1$ and 1 real ..... 4
103 Dutch Indies, 1870-92, various ..... 15
124 *Ecuador, 1887-88, revenues, 1 ceutavo to 10 sucres, unsurcharged ..... 7 ..... 50 50
106 Ecuador, 1892, 1, 2, 5, 10 and 20c, used postally 5 ..... 15
107 Ecuador, "Telegrafos," used postally, 5, 10 and 20 c . ..... 3 ..... 25
108 *Ecuador, 1872-87, 1, 1, 2, 2, 5, 5, 10, 20, 50 and 80 c and 1 peso, 1872. ..... 50
109 Ecuador revenues, used postally, 1885-91, nearly complete set. ..... 20
600
110 Ecuador revenues, various ..... 80
111 Egypt, 1872-88 ..... 25
112 Fgypt, unpaid ..... 15
113 Finland, 1866-91 ..... 20
114 French Colonies, 1893; 18 colonies; 1, 2, 4 and 5c values ..... 72
100
115 *French Colonies, 1859-65, 1 to 8c ..... 75
116 French Colonies, 1870-80, various ..... 30
117 Wrance, unpaid, 1859-63, 10 and 15 c ..... 15
118 Fiunchal, $1892,5,10,15,20,25,50$ and 80 reis. ..... 60
119 Thutt and Taxis ..... 75
120 * Gibraltar, 1889 , regular issue ..... 125
121 Greece, umpaid ..... 20
122 Greece, 1878, unpaid 1-2001, complete ..... 250
123 Greece, 1862-92, including unpaid ..... 25
124 *Guatemala, 1886 , provisional 25 c to $\$ 1.50$ ..... 60
125 Guatemala, 1886-88 ..... 30
126 Guatemala, 1886-93, 1c to 200c, complete ..... 11 ..... 250
127 Guatemala envelopes cards and wrapoer 1890. ..... 40
128 *Hamburg, various, itucluding envelopes (re- prints) ..... 19 ..... 25
129 Heligoland, 1867-78, reprints ..... 35
130 * Heligoland, 1867, reprints ..... 15
131 Heligoland, 1871-73, reprints ..... 20
132 Heligoland envelopes and wtappers ..... 15
Number Price in set. per set.
No.
2 ..... 10
133 *Honduras, 1865
7 ..... 50
134 *Honduras, 1879-89, 1c to 1 peso
11
135 *Honduras, 1890, Ic to 1 peso, complete ..... 45
136 *Honduras, 1890, envelopes, 5-25c, complete ..... 35
137 *Honduras, 1890, wrappers, 1c to 10 c , complete ..... 4 ..... 10
138 *Honduras, 1892, Ic to 1 peso, complete ..... 10 ..... 50
139 Horta, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 7 ..... 60
140 Hungary, 1888,1 to 50 kr ..... 7 ..... 15
141 Hungary, 1888, I kr to 1 fl ..... 9
142 India, 1865-86 ..... 13
143 India Service and H. M. S. $1 / 2$ to 8 annas ..... 8
Native States of India-
144 *Bhore ..... 25
145 * Gwalior, $1 / 2$ a to 1 rupee ..... 250
146 Nowaunggur, 1880-88 ..... 12
147 Nowanuggur, 1880, 1, 2, 3 त ..... 15
148 Nowanuggur, 1893, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
149 Jutialla, various ..... 20
150 *Simoor, officials ..... 30
151 Soruth, $1890,1,1,4$ and 4 a ..... 60
152 "Travancore ..... 30
153 *Italy, 1854, reprints ..... 15
154 Italy, 1862-89 ..... 15
155 Italy, Segnatasse ..... 10
156 Italy, Segnatesse, 1, 2, 5 and 10 lire ..... 15
157 Italy, Segnatasse, 50 and 100 lire ..... 30
158 \# Italy, officials, 2c to 10 lire, complete ..... 40
159 Japan, 1876-88, various ..... 35
160 *Liberia, 1894, triangular, 5 and 5c official ..... 25
161. Mauritius, various ..... 30
162 *Mauritius, 1849-62 Britannia ..... 100
163 Monteuegro, 2-25n ..... 50
164 *Mozambique, 1892, provisional, surcharged "Compa de Mozambique," $5,10,20,25$, $40,50,100,200$ and 300 reis ..... 9 ..... 250

## Number Price <br> in set. perset.

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105 * Eicuador, 1889-90, revenues, 1 centavo to 10 sucres, surcharged
7
106 Ecuatlor, 1892, 1, 2, 5, 10 and 20c, used postally ..... 15
107 Ecuador, "Telegrafos," used postally, 5, 10 and 20 c . ..... 25
108 *Ecuador, 1872-87, 1, 1, 2, 2, 5, 5, 10, 20, 50 and 80 c and 1 peso, 1872. ..... 11 ..... 50
109 Ecuador revenues, used postally, 1885-91, nearly complete set. ..... 20 ..... 600
110 Ecuador revenues, various ..... 80
111 Egypt, 1872-88 ..... 25
112 Egypt, unpaid ..... 15
113 I'inland, 1866-91 ..... 20
114 *French Colonies, 1893; 18 colonies; 1, 2, 4 and 5 c values ..... 72 ..... 100
115 *French Colonies, $1859-65$, I to 8 c ..... 75
116 Firench Colonies, 1870-80, various ..... 30
117 *France, unpaid, 1859-63, 10 and 15 c ..... 15
118 *Funchal, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis. ..... 60
119 *Thurn and Taxis ..... 75
120 *Gibraltar, 1889, regular issue. ..... 125
121 Greece, unpaid ..... 20
122 Greece, 1878, unpaid 1-200 1, complete ..... 250
123 Greece, 1862-92, inclucling unpaid ..... 25
124 * Guatemala, 1886, provisional 25 c to $\$ 1.50$. ..... 60
125 Guatemala, 1886-88 ..... 30
126 Guatemala, 1886-93, 1c to 200 c , complete ..... 250
127 Guatemala envelopes cards and wrapoer 1800. ..... 40
128 *Hamburg, various, including envelopes (re- prints) ..... 19 ..... 25
129 *Heligoland, 1867-78, reprints ..... 35
130 *Heligoland, 1867, reprints ..... 15
131 *Heligoland, 1871-73, reprints ..... 20
132 "Heligoland euvelopes and wrappers ..... 15
Number Price
in set.No.
133 *Honduras, 1865 ..... 2 ..... 2 ..... 10 ..... 10
$134{ }^{*}$ Honduras, 1879-89, 1c to 1 peso ..... 7 ..... 7 ..... 50 ..... 50
135 *Honduras, $1890,1 \mathrm{c}$ to 1 peso, complete ..... 11 ..... 45
136 *Honduras, 1890, envelopes, 5-25c, complete ..... 8
137 *Honduras, 1890, wrappers, ic to 10c, complete ..... 4
$138{ }^{*}$ Honduras, 1892, 1c to 1 peso, complete ..... 10
139 *Horta, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 7
140 Hungary, 1888, 1 to 50 kr ..... 7
141 Hungary, 1888, 1 kr to 1 fl ..... 9
142 India, 1865-86 ..... 13
143 India Service and H. M. S. $1 / 2$ to 8 aunas ..... 8
Native States of India-
144 * Bhore ..... 2 ..... 25
145 *Gwalior, $1 / 2$ a to 1 rupee ..... 250
146 *Nowanuggur, 1880-88 ..... 12
147 Nowanuggur, 1880, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
148 Nowanuggur, 1893, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
149 Putialla, various ..... 20
150 *Sirmoor, officials ..... 30
151 *Soruth, 1890, 1, 1, 4 and 4a ..... 60
152 *Travancore ..... 30
153 *Italy, 1854, reprints ..... 15
154 Italy, 1862-89 ..... 15
155 Italy, Seguatasse ..... 10
156 Italy, Segnatesse, 1, 2, 5 and 10 lire ..... 15
157 Italy, Segnatasse, 50 and 100 lire ..... 30
158 *Italy, officials, 2c to 10 lire, complete ..... 40
159 Japan, 1876-88, various ..... 35
160 *Liberia, 1894, triangular, 5 and 5c official ..... 25
161. Mauritius, various ..... 30
162 *Mauritius, 1849-62 Britannia ..... 100
163 Monteuegro, 2-25n ..... 50
164 *Mozambique, 1892, provisional, surcharged "Compa de Mozambique," 5, 10, 20, 25, $40,50,100,200$ and 300 reis ..... 9 ..... 250
Number Price iu set. perset.No.
165 Mozambique, $1892,5,10,20,25,40$ and 50 reis ..... 6 ..... 60
$166{ }^{*}$ Mexico, 1856, $5 / 2,1,2,4$ and 8 reales, complete ..... 5 ..... 325
167 Mexico, 1856-93, various ..... 30 ..... 60
$168{ }^{\text {* Mexico, 1864, hearl }}$ ..... 25
169 Mexico, 1868, including 50c ..... 60
170 Mexico, 1874 ..... 30
171 Mexico, 1879-82, 1, 2, 5, 5, 6, 10, 12, 18, 24 and 25c ..... 10 ..... 50
172 Mexico, 1882, 50 and 100 c otange and yellow, rate. ..... 2 ..... 450
173 Mexico, 1884, 1, 2, 5 and 10 pesos, complete ..... 4 ..... 1000
$174 \ddagger$ Mexico, official seal and officials ..... 35
175 Mexico, newspayer, Guadalajara, 1 p, 1867, 1 and 2 reales, 1868 ..... 3 ..... 350
176 * Mexico, envelopes, $1874-83,4,5,10$ and 25 c ..... 50
177 *Mexico, envelopes, 1882 " Fiabilitado," 10 and 25 c ..... 2 ..... 100
$178 \ddagger$ Mexico, unpaid, 1891-92, various ..... 7 ..... 200
179 Netherlands, various ..... 15 ..... 12
180 Netherlands, unpaid, 1870, 5 and 10 c ..... 2
181 Netherlauds, 1881-87, unpaid, $1,11 / 2,2,21 / 2,5$, $10,121 / 2,15,20,25$ aud 1 guld l , complete ..... 10 ..... 50
182 \$Newfoundland, 1880-90, various ..... 15
183 New Zealand Insurance, $1 / 2,1$ and $2 d$ ..... 10
184 New Zealand, 1882, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8 d and 1 sh , complete ..... 25
185 Nicaragua, various ..... 15
186 *Nicaragua envelopes, 1891 ..... 35
187 *Nicaragua wrappers, 1891 ..... 10
188 *Nicaragua officials, 1891, 1c to 1 peso, complete, ..... 10 ..... 50
189 Nicaragua envetopes, $1890,5-50 \mathrm{c}$, complete ..... 35
190 *Nicaragua, $1892,1 c$ to 10 pesos, complete ..... 50
191 * Nicaragua, 1892, officials, 1c to 10 pesos, con- plete ..... 10 ..... 50
192 *North Borneo, 1894, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 12, 18 and 24 ..... 9 ..... 140

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193 Orange Free States, including provisioual
194 Paraguay, 1879-81, 5 and 10 centavos
195 Paraguay, 1885, 1, 2 and 5c
196 Persia, various ..................................... . . 12
197 "Persia, lion and sun, 1870-76, reprints ........ 14
198 Persia, 1889, 5 and $10 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and $5 \mathrm{kran} \ldots . .$.
199 Persia, 1892, 5 and 10c, 1, 2 and 5 kran ....... 5
200 *Persia Service, 1, 2, 5 aud $10 \mathrm{sh} . . . . . . .$. ..... 4
201 *Peru, envelopes, 1875, 2, 5 and 5c.............. 3
202 *Peru, 1883-84, various surcharges............... 17
203 Peru, 1886, lc to 1 sol............................. . . 7
204 Philippine Islands, $1886-89$, $1 / 8 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and 5 mil .4
205 Philippine Islands, $1890,1 / 8 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and $5 \mathrm{mil} . . .4$

207 *Ponta Delgada, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 aud 80 reis........................................ 7

209 Portugal, various, inclutling 150 reis........... 13
211 *Roman States, 1862, reprints.................... 7
213 Roumania, 1872-90, various. ...................... . . 20
214 Russia, 1868-82 ...................................... . . . 17
215 Russia-Levavt, various ........................... 7
216 St. Helena, various, including 6d............. 5 60

208 Porto Rico, various, old and new............. 15
208 Porto Rico, various, old aud new ..... 2520

210 *Prince Edwards Island, 8 varieties ............ 8 ..... 85211 *Roman States, 1862, reprints

212 *Roman States, 1868, reprints. ................... . . 7 ..... 15213 Roumania, 1872-90, various
217 *Salvador, 1887-89, 1, 2 and 3c, iucluding 3 pro- visionals ..... 6 ..... 35
218 *Salvador, 1890, envelopes and wrappers, com- plete ..... 45
219 *Salvador, 1891, euvelopes, complete ..... 40
220 *Salvador, 1891, wrappers, complete ..... 20
221 *Salvador, 1892, lc to 1 peso, complete ..... 10 ..... 50
222 *Samoa, 1877-82 ..... 25
223 Saxony, 1863, 3 pf., 1/2, 1, 2 aud 3 ugr. ..... 5 ..... 10
224 Servia, 1869-90, various ..... 14 ..... 35
Number Price in set persetNo.
225 *Servia, 1869-79 ..... 6 ..... 15
226 *Servia, 1881, various ..... 5 ..... 12
227 *Servia, 1881-90, various ..... 20
228 Shanghai, 1893, 1/2, 1, 2, 5, 10, 15 and 20e, com- plete ..... 7 ..... 85
229 Shanghai, $1893^{\prime}$ unpaid, $1 / 2,1,2,5,10,15$ and 20c, complete ..... 85
230 Shanghai, 1893, Jubilee, $1 / 2,1,2$ and 5 c ..... 25
231 Shanghai, 1893, envelopes, wrappers and cards ..... 30
232 South African Republic, 1885, $1 / 2 \mathrm{~d}$ to I sh., complete ..... 7 ..... 25
233 South A frican Republic, 1883, 1 d to 1 sh., com- plete ..... 50
234 *South African Republic, 1870, rouletted ..... 50
235 South African Republic, 1870-71 ..... 50
236 South Australia, O. S., various ..... 50
237 South Bulgaria, 1885, various ..... 200
238 Spain, 1850-57 ..... 60
239 Spain, 1850-67 only, 6c and 4 cuartos ..... 50
240 Spain, War stamps ..... 10
241 Spain, 1860-69 ..... 35
242 Spain, various ..... 35
243 Straits Settlements, various ..... 10
244 Sweden, 1858-92, various ..... 25
245 Sweden, 1891-92, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 20, 30 and 50 ore., complete ..... 12
246 Sweden, various ..... 15
247 Sweden, official, 1874-97, 2 оге., 1 kr ., complete ..... 25
248 Sweden, unpaid ..... 15
249 Switzerlaud, 1881, 2c to 1 fr ., gold ..... 20
250 Switzerland, 1886, various. ..... 15
251 Switzerland, 1854-92, various, including un- paid, euvelopes, etc. ..... 25 ..... 25
252 Tasmania, 1858-64, 1d ..... 25
253 Tonga ..... 50
254 Turkey, Coustantinople ..... 05
No.
Number Price in set. perset.
255 Turkey, 1865, including 5 piastres and unpaid. ..... 25
256 Turkey, 1869-76, various ..... 45
257 Turkey, 1869-76, varjous ..... 20
$258{ }^{*}$ Turkey, 1886,2 and 5 c and 5 piastres, unused ..... 35
259 Turkey, 1869-93, including unpaid ..... 30
260 Uruguay, 1884-90. ..... 30
261 Wnrtemburg, 1851-69, various ..... 35
262 Wurtemburg, 1851-90, including officials ..... 20
263 Western Australia ..... 25

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## GENERAL ISSUE.

No. Date. Value. Color.New.Used.
18 1847, 5c brown (Franklin) ..... $\$ 200$ ..... $\$ 060$
19 1847, 10c black (Washington). ..... 750 ..... 300 Head in oval. Unperforated.
20 1851, Ic blue (Frauklin) ..... 4025
No. Date Value. Color, New ..... Used.
21 1851, 1c blue, -riety, (broken circle) ..... 100 ..... 50
22 1851, 3c red (Wa.aington) ..... 02
23 1851, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 2000
700
24 1851, 10c green (Washington) ..... 15025 1851, 12c black (Washington)250
75
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washington)
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin).Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 50 ..... 25
30 1857, 1c blue, variety ..... 15 ..... 12
31 1856, 3c red (Washington) ..... 0.5 ..... 02
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with outer line ..... 35
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 500 ..... 250
34 1857, 3c red-brown (Jefferson). ..... 1500 ..... 600
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ornaments at top and bottom cut off ..... 200 ..... 200
36 1855, 10c green (Washington) ..... 60 ..... 30
37 1857, 12c black (Washington) ..... 60
38 1860, 24c lilac (Washington) ..... 300 ..... 250
$391860,30 \mathrm{c}$ orange (Franklin) ..... 400 ..... 400
$40 \quad 1860,90 \mathrm{c}$ blue (Washingtou) 800 $40 \quad 1860,90 \mathrm{c}$ blue (Washingtou) ..... 1200
U. S. and value in corners.
41 1861, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 15 ..... 03
43 1861, 5c larown (Jefferson) ..... 75 ..... 25
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 1500 ..... 500
45 1861, IOc green (Washington) ..... 40 ..... 05
46 1861, 12c black (Washington) ..... 25
47 1861, 24c Iilac (Washington) ..... 25
$481861,30 \mathrm{c}$ orange (Iranklin) ..... 150 ..... 40
$491861,90 \mathrm{c}$ blue (Washington) ..... 350 ..... 175
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 400 ..... 100
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson) ..... 08 ..... 03
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 10 ..... 02
54 1866, 15c black (Lincoln) ..... 60 ..... 30
No. Date. Value, Color. New. ..... Used.
55 1866, 24c mauve (Washington) 250 ..... 75
Embossing measuring $/ 1 \times 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, 1c blue 100 ..... 40
61 1868, 2c black ..... 40 ..... 1062 1868, 3c rose.20
63 1868, 10c green.03
75 ..... 30

64 1868, 12c black

64 1868, 12c black ..... 60 ..... 30
65 1868, 15c black 75 ..... 30
Embossing measuring $9 . x 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
66 1868, 1c blue ..... 100 ..... 40
67 1868, 2c black. ..... 20 ..... 10
15
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 02
69 1868, 5c browu. ..... 500 ..... 150
70 1868, 10c greetı 100 ..... 35
100
71 1868, 12c black. ..... 50
75
72 1868, 15c black. ..... 30
$741868,30 \mathrm{c}$ orange. ..... 350
73 1868, 24c violet ..... 250 ..... 250
75 1868, 90c blue 1500250
Various designs in square.
With embossing measuring $91 / 2 \times 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
76 1869, 1c buff (Frauklin) ..... 30
77 1869, 2c brown (Horseman) ..... 08
78 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 02
79 1869, 6c blue (Washington) ..... 50
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle). ..... 60
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) ..... 50
82 1869, 15c brown aud blue (Landing of Co- lumbus). ..... 500 ..... 250
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (Picture, framed) 200 ..... 125
84 . 1869, 24c green aud purple (Declaration of Independence) ..... 750 ..... 550
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Fagle).. ..... 600 ..... 250
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln) ..... 1200 ..... 1000
Head to left in owal, with embossing measuring $9 x 1 / 1 / 2$ mm.
101 1870, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 40
No. Date. Value. Color New ..... Used.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Liucoln) ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stauton) ..... 350
$1061870,10 c$ brown (Jefferson) ..... 800
107 1870, 12e dark purple (Clay)
108 1870, 15c orauge (W゚ ebster) ..... 600
$1091870,24 \mathrm{c}$ purple (Scott)
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilou) ..... 1000
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) ..... 1750 ..... 500Same, embossing measuring $S 1 / 2 \times 10 \frac{1}{2}$ mm.
112 1870, 1c blue ..... 40
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 10
114 1870, 3c green. ..... 03
Same, withoul embossing.
115 1872, le blue ..... 02
116 1872, 2e brown ..... 02
117 1872, 3c green ..... 02
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 02
119 1872, 7c vermilion ..... 30
$1201872,10 \mathrm{c}$ brown ..... 02
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 150 ..... 20
$1221872,15 c$ orange ..... 03
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 250 ..... 75
124 1872, 30c black ..... 10
125 1872, 90e carmine ..... 225 ..... 25
126 1875, 2e vermilion ..... 05 ..... 02
127 1875, 5c blue ('aylor) ..... 20 ..... 03
128 1882, 5c browu (Garfield) ..... 02
129 1882, " le light blue, re-cugraved ..... 02
130 1882, 3egreen, re-eugraved ..... 02
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 05
132 1882, 10c brown, rc-engraved ..... 02
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington) ..... 02
134 1883, 4c green (Jacksou) ..... 02
135 1887, 2c green ..... 02
No. Date. Value. Color. Tised. New.
136 1887, 3c vermilion ..... 10
Neze design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 02 ..... 02
Same as 1872-'83 issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 02
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 35
140 1888, 90c purple ..... 75
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 04
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, 1c ultramarine ..... 02
143 1890, 2c carmine ..... 02
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 02
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 02
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 02
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 05
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 08
149 1890, 10c green ..... 02
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 08
151 1890, 30c black ..... 08
152 1890, 90c orange ..... 40
COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
153 1893, Ic deep blue (Columbus in sight of land) ..... 03 ..... 02
154 1893, $2 c$ violet (Landing of Columbus) ..... 02
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) ..... 05
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicit ng aid of Isabella) ..... 05
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 10 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 10 ..... 10
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 15 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark green(Columbus annouucing his discovery) ..... 25 ..... 25
No. Date, Value Color. New. ..... Used.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- (a) ..... 50 ..... 50
163 1893, 50 c slate blue (Recall of Columbus) ..... 75 ..... 75
164 1893, \$1.00 salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) ..... 200 ..... 200
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chains) ..... 400 ..... 400
166 1893, \$3,00 yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third voyage) ..... 600 ..... 600
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) ..... 800 ..... 800
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) ..... 1000 ..... 1000
SPECLAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 20 ..... 05
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 1503
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c bluxe (Washington) ..... 1000
302 1865, 10c green (Frauklin) ..... 600Reprint.
303 1865, 25c red (Lincoln) ..... 600
Reprint.
White Border.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 150
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 10
306 1875, 3e black ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 20
308 1875, 6c black ..... 30
309 1875, 8c black ..... 40
310 1875, 9c black 500
15
311 1875, 10c black ..... 25
312 1885, lc black ..... 15
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 50 ..... 50
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 60 ..... 60
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
$3151875,36 \mathrm{c}$ carmine ..... 75 ..... 75
$3161875,48 \mathrm{c}$ carmine ..... 125 ..... 125
317 1875, 60c carmine ..... 125 ..... 125
318 1875, 72c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
$3201875,96 \mathrm{c}$ carmine 250 ..... 250
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 350 ..... 350
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 500
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 850 ..... 600
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1200
325 1875, 12 d green ..... 1500
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2000
327 1875, 36d red ..... 2500
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 3000
329 1875, 60d violet ..... 4000
UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 03
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 03
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 03
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 05
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 05
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 30
357 1879, 50c brown ..... 50
358 1879, 1c red brown ..... 03
359 1879, 2c red brown ..... 03
360 1879, 3c red brown ..... 03
361 1879, 5e red brown ..... 05
362 1879, 10c red brown ..... 05
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 02
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 03
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 03
368 1893, 30c bright claret369 1893, 50c bright claret
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberly surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
696 1893, 1c deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 02
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20 ..... 20
LETTEK SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant) ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICLAL STAMPS.Perforated.
All, except Post Office, same Design as Gereval Issue, withName of Department above.
Agriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 75 ..... 75
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 65 ..... 65
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 25 ..... 15
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 50 ..... 50
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 300 ..... 300
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 500 ..... 400
807 1873, 15c straw ..... 200 ..... 200
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 200 ..... 200
809 1873, 30c straw 250 ..... 250
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 400 ..... 400
813 1873, 6c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 550 ..... 550
Interior.
815 1873, ic vermilion ..... 15
816 1873,' 2c vermilion ..... 02
817 1873, 3 c vermilion ..... 02
818 1873, Gc vermilion ..... 05
819 1873, 10c vermilion ..... 25 ..... 15

No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
820 1873, 12c vermilion ..... 25 ..... 15
$8211873,15 \mathrm{c}$ vermiliou ..... 25 ..... 15
822 1873, 24c vermilion ..... 35 ..... 20
$8231873,30 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 50 ..... 25
824 1873, 90c vermilion 100 ..... 100

## Justice.

825 1873, 1c purple ..... 75 ..... 75
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 75 ..... 75
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 45
828 1873, 6c purple ..... 50 ..... 5045
829 1873, 10c purple ..... 100 ..... 100
$8301873,12 c$ purple ..... 1.00 ..... 100
831 1873. 15c purple ..... 250 ..... 250
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 350 ..... 350
833 1873, 30e purple ..... 1000 ..... 1000
834 1873, 80c purple ..... 2000
2000
Navy.
835 1873, 1c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
8361873 , 2c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
$836 a 1873,2 c$ green (error) ..... 1000
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 25
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 40
839 1873, 7c blue ..... 500 ..... 500
8401873 , 10 c blue ..... 85 ..... 85
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 8.5 ..... 85
842 1873, 15c blue ..... 150 ..... 150
$8431873,24 \mathrm{c}$ blue ..... 250 ..... 250
844 1873, 30c blue ..... 175 ..... 175
$8451873,90 \mathrm{c}$ blue ..... 500 ..... 500
Fost ( Pfice.Figure of liafue in Ozal.
846 1873, 1c black ..... 20
847 1873, 2c black ..... 20
848 1873, 3c black ..... 02
849 1873, Gc black ..... 08
850 1873, 10c black ..... 60
No, Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 40 ..... 30
852 1873, 15c black ..... 30 ..... 30
853 1873, 24c black ..... 60 ..... 60
854 1873, 30c black ..... 35 ..... 35
855 1873, 90c ! black ..... 100 ..... 75
Post Office Scal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, green ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Ohitum) 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, browu ..... 10 ..... 10Lithographed.
$858 a$ 1888, - Officially sealed, brown ..... 05 ..... 05
Hood Engrazing.
$858 b$ 1888, Officially sealed, brownRouletled.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858 e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd
State.
859 1873, le green ..... 50860 1873, 2c greeu10050861 1873, 3c green
50
862 1873, 6c green
75
863 1873, 7c greeu ..... 75
75
864 1873, 10c greeu ..... 75
150
865 1873, 12c green ..... 150
150
866 1873, 15c green ..... 150
200
867 1873, 24c green ..... 200
868 1873, 30c green ..... 400 ..... 400
869 1873, 90c green ..... 500 ..... 500
870 1873, 2d black and green ..... 1000 ..... 1000
871 1873, 5d black and green
872 1873, 10d black antl green ..... 4000
873 1873, 20d black and green ..... 3500
Treasury.
874 1873, 1c brown. ..... 25 ..... 10
875 1873, 2c brown. ..... 25 ..... 08
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Üsed.
876¹873, 3c brown, ..... 08
877 1873, 6c brown. ..... 15 ..... 0602
878 1873, 7c browu. ..... 100 ..... 100
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 30 ..... 10
880 1873, 12c brown. ..... 30 ..... 10
881 1873, 15c brown. ..... 30 ..... 10
882 1873, 24c brown ..... 500 ..... 350
883 1873, 30c brown ..... 50 ..... 15
$8841873,90 \mathrm{c}$ brown. ..... 150 ..... 50
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 03 ..... 03
886 1873, 2c red ..... 05 ..... 05
887 1873, 3c reत̉ ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6c red ..... 05 ..... 05
889 1873, 7c red ..... 125 ..... 125
890 1873, 10c red ..... 15 ..... 15
891 1873, 12c red ..... 15 ..... 15
892 1873, 15 c red ..... 10 ..... 15
893 1873, 24 e red ..... 35
894 1873, 30c red ..... 15.
895 1873, 90c red ..... 75 ..... 50

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## GENERAL ISSUE.



A1.
No. Date. Type. Value. Color.
71 1861, A1, 5c green.
72 1861, A1, 5c dark green.
73 1861, A2, 10c blue.


A2.

New. Used.
$\$ 040 \quad \$ 0 \quad 35$
$40 \quad 35$
100
75


A3.


A4.


A5.

74 1862, A3, 2c greet.
$\$ 200$
$\$ 300$
75 1862, A1, 5c bue................................. 40 . 50
76 1862, A1, 5c dark 1,lue . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 40 50
77 1862, A2, 10c rose ................................. 300 . 250
78 1862, $\Lambda 4$, 5 c blue.................................... 10 . 05
79 1862, A4, 5c pale blue . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15 10
80 1862, A4, 5c blue, lithograplied ............... 25 . 10
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated.
82 1863, A5, 2c rose.
35



No. Date. Type. Value. Color
83 1863, A6, 10c blue


84 1863, A7, 10c blue . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 25.
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 030.05
86 1863, A8, 10c light blue.............................. 08 08
87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue....................... 10 I0
88 1863, A8, 10 c blue (with onter line)............. 350
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated................... $75 \quad 500$


90 1863, A9, 20c green
$\$ 10$

$\$ 200$

90A 1863, A9, 20c green, perforated, fine specimen on origimal letter. 2000
91 1864, A10, lc orange. ..... 50

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R. W. DUDLITY.

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6 sheets............... 30 cents
100 sheets
300
10 sheets
45 cents
1000 sheets. . . . . . . . . . . . 2500

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## Counterfeits and Government Remainders.

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Standard Stamp Company: Cincinnati, O., April 23, 1887.
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Very truly yours.
Iu care of Times-Star, Cincinnati, O.
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Gentlemen-I received your packet No, 19 to-day and an well pleased. It was more of a variety than I expected. Yours truly. Hox 37.
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Gentlemen-Received packets all right and toust say they are "A1, O. K." To celebrate the occasion pleasesend me two more packets No. 342 .

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Oshmosh, Wrs., Sept. 8, 1893.
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Yours truly,
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Yours truly,
JOFIN H. GUY.
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Gentlemen-Received the International packet a few days ago and was very much pleased with it. I bave tried many stanp corapanies but llike none as well as yours. Yours truly.
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| Bavaria,old issue | Hope |
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3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India envelopes and card
12 Italy
2 Italy posta! packet
2 Italy uewspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, unpaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, rare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials

- 2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 New South Wales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaid
5 New Zealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway
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3 Peru
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5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlemeuts
2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, 5-50 ore, compl
4 Sweden official
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Trinidad
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5 Turkey, various
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3 U.S. Locals
10 U. S. Postage
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3 Bhopaul.
3 Bolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Bostia.
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Journal and Unpaid stamps.
5 British Gujana.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada Bill.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylon.
7 Chill.
3 Chili, "Telegrafos."
2 China.
3 Confederate States.
4 Costa Rica.
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4 Cyprus.
5 Dutch Indies.
3 Eastern Roumelia.

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5 India, Native States.
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3 Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.
7 Japau.
3 Kashtnir.

4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, Eagle, old issue.
3 Mexico Envelopes.
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5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
4 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
4 Mexico, 1864, complete set, rare.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 New SouthWales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, incl. 2 piastres.
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7 Nicaragua
14 Norway.
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Contains 150 different stamps, including many good values, such as rare Japan, old issues, Travancore, Austrian, 30 kr .; Holland, unpaid, new issues and high values; set Ecuador, unused, 1 to 50 centavos, valued at 30 cents; rare British North Borneo; Costa Rica, including scarce officials; Chili, 1852-86, all issues, including many scarce, guaranteed to be worth 10 cents each; rare Mozambique provisionals, and others of equal value.

## No. $\mathbf{5 8}$.-Price, only 50 Cents.

Contains 150 different stamps from all parts of the world, including scarce Argentine Republic; Mexico, 1882, 10c envelope, "Habilitado," worth 75 cents each; Monaco; scarce Turkey, 1865, 1869, 1872 and 1876 isisues, including unpaid; Peru, rate Salvador, old and new issues; fine old and new l'ersia, Guatemala, Mauritius, Iceland, fare Buhamas, old issues, and many others.


Use our "Standard Hinges" for inserting stamps in albums. Only 10 cents per sheet of 1,000 stamp hinges.

## International Packet No. 21.

 1,000 Fine Varieties for Only \$10.00.

The famous INTERNATIONAL PACKE'T contains 1,000 (one thousand) all different postage stamps-no two alike.

This packet is guaranteed to be superior to any other 1,000 variety packet offered, because it contains more RARE stamps, and no local, telegraph, revenue, or cut postal card stamps, etc., as is the case with most ot the other packets of this kind generally advertised at a low figure. Purchasers of this packet receive the full value of their money! It contains stamps from a great many stamp issuing countries, and many complete sets. Also MANY RARE stamps, valued by catalogue from 25 cents to $\$ 1,00$ each. Besides many others, the following countries are represented:

Borneo, 1894: Mexico, 1882, 100 centavos, black (valued at $\$ 2.00$ ): raxe China; rare Chili envelope, 20c, worth $\$ 1.50$, also old issues, including 20c; a fine lot of Mexico, 1879 to 1882 issue, $5,6,10,12,18,24$ and 25 cent, including rare "Habilitado" envelope, 10 c green, entire, worth 75 cents each; Argentine Republic (old and new); Austria (old and new); Levaut, Aus-trian-Italy, OLD Baden, Barbados, Bavaria (old), scarce old Bahamas Islands, Belgium, Bermuda, Bolivia (several issues); Bosnia, Brazil, British Guiana, Bulgaria, Triangular Cape of Good Hope, Costa Rica, including the 5 and 10c envelopes, unused, also fine assortment from 1883 to 1889, including the scarce 40 c blue, provisionals "correos," 1 and $5 \mathrm{c}, 1$ peso 1889 , etc., also officials 1886-1889, valued in all at about $\$ 1.50$; Cuba, Cyprus, Denmark, Java, East Roumelia, Ecuador, set Ic to 1 peso; Egypt, several issues; Finland, France, French Colonies, including 1518 varieties; Germany, 2 marks; Great Britain, officials; Greece (new issue); Guatemala, 1886; also old envelopes, Hamburg,

Hanover, Hawaii, Heligoland, Hayti, several issues; Hong Kong, Hungary, 1888, rare 1 and 3 f., worth 35 cents; Iceland (RARE); India (old and new); Hyderabad, fine old Italy, unpaid, official and rare Postal and Packet Stamps; Jamaica, Japan, many kinds and issues; Luxembourg (officials); Mauritius, many varieties, and old issues of Mexico, such as 1864, complete set, 1874-1888 issues, many rare varieties; Modena, Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue; New Brunswick, several varieties, including the scarce 17c black, worth 50 cents each; N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, including "officials;" Orange States, rare Paraguay, several issues; Peru, Porto Rico, fine old Portugai; also Portuguese Colonies, 10-15 varieties; Prussia, Roumania, 1862; Russia, Russian-Levant, St. Vincent, provisionals; Salvador, Samoa Island, San Marino, Saxony; unused Servia, Siam, Shanghai, several varieties, including unpaid and scarce " $/$ ubilee" issue; South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues (Isabella), rare 1 real values; rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerland, unpaid (also envelopes); scarce Thurn and Taxis; fine old Turkey, from 1865 to 1892, including unpaid, also 2 and 5 piastres, 1886, unused, valued at 80 cents; United States of Columbia, Venezuela, Victoria, Western Australia (several issues); fine old Wurtemburg; also official envelopes, and many others too mumerous to be mentioned.

This is a splendid packet for a beginner, as well as for any advanced collector, as a great many GOOD stamps will be found in the same which are missing in quite large collections of 2,000 and 3,000 varieties.

## SPECIAL NOTICE!

Every Purchaser of above packet will receive FREE, as a premium, a fine $\$ 1.50$ International Album, latest edition. If the album is-not desired, we will allow the amount of $\$ 1.50$ to be taken out in stamps from our list. In no case, however, can this $\$ 1.50 \mathrm{BE}$ DHDUCTED FROM REMITTANCE!!!

Every fifth purchaser is entitled to select $\$ 5$ worth of goods FREE from this list, besides receiving the album. Can you do ary better than this?

## CAUTION: Other dealers have imitated our "Interna-

 tional" Packet and offer a similar packet at the same or a lower price. If you wish to receive the full value of your money, buy none of these worthless imitations, but our old and reliable "International" Packet, No. 21.
## WHAT THEY SAY!

## Standard Stamp Company: <br> The Clitr House, Jek yl island; Brunswick, GA., January 2. 1892 . <br> Dear Sirs-Your "International" Packet, No. 21, received, but owing to Xmas doings I have been unable to examine it until now. I vever imagined I'd get such a packet; it beats European traders hollowl Your gitt of $\$ 5$ worth of stamps was a welcome surprise. for which accept my thanks. If I have made any mistakes let me know. Your system beats all 1 know. and I can hardly realize it to be a fact. I am, Yours truly, ROBERT FORBES.

Office Boston Blacking Co., $94,94,98,100$ Bfverly Street.

## Standard Stamp Company:

 Boston, Mass., October 8, i892.)Gents-Your Packets. Nos. 21 and 22, received, and I must say are the finest / ever sazu. The premiun stamp is a fine and valuable stamp. You may send any parties to me for recommendations. and I can faithfully say that your goods are as represented and superior to others in regards to condition and seareity.

Yours respectfully,
94-100 Beverly Street, Roston, Mass.
C. W, LAMB.

Office of D. H. Hacon \& Co., Fine Printers.
Standarn Stamp Company: Hirmingham. Conn., Sept. 30. 1892.
Genllemen-It gives me pleasure to say that your "INTHRNATIONAI, PACKE'T No. 21" is the best assortment aud the nost value I have ever seen in stamps. I sold the one you sent to a young man who had bought a 1.000 variety packet for $\$ 15$ in New York. Ile said yours was the best, to say nothing of the album which goes with it. I have sold another for which you have the order, and have another custoner in view. Yours very truly, D, H. BACON.

The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated October 22, 1892 :
Standard Stamp Company :
Gentlemen-"]NTERNATIONAL PACKET No. 21 " artived all right yesterday a. n. The premiuna which you sent with it was very satisfuctory, while as to the packet itself. I can only say that I spent an hour or so with iny customer looking over it in the afternoon, and re and myself were delighted! It was a magnificent collection for the money, and when I think what nuy first 1,000 stamps cost tue about three years ago, I an disgusted, ctc., etc.

Yours very truly.
D. H. BACON.

It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.

Toronto. Canada, a pril 19, 1892.
Standarid Stamp Company :
Gents-Received packets of stamps, catalogue, etc., safely, and ani delighted with them.

32 Delaney Crescent.
Yours respectiflly.
P. E. ROBERTS.

Omaha, Nef. March 10. 1894. by theo Nan by Theo. Noack. I have received yout Iutcrnatiouel l'acket No. 21 and 1 am very uuch pleased with it. I was offered a trade for S - $t \mathrm{t}$ ' $s \$ 15.00$ Packet. but I refused it. The S-tt's $\$ 15.00$ Packet does Nop come up to your International Packet by a very long ways.

924 South 33rd Street.

Yours.
JAMES SHACKLEFORD.

Waltham, Mass.. January 30,189 .
Gentlemen-On account of having heard so much about your packet No. 21, my expectations were up pretty high; but on receipt of the packet they were fully realized. Why, it is a fine collection in itself. and the attention paid to good specimens, and where there are varieties both being put in, makes it the best packet a callector can buy.

11 Elm Street.
Yours respectfuliy.
F. D. CURTIS.

Fort Collins, Colo., February 27, 1894
Standard Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-I am simply amazed at the contents of the packet (No. 21) just received. It contains a great many choice and beautiful stamps. Don't see how you do it! Was also surprised to find myself the lucky fifth purchaser.

EDW. H. HALL.

Eighty (80) packets sold within a few months and all purchasers pleased.

Remember that EACH purchaser receives a $\$ 1.50$ International Album FREE, or if album is not wanted we will allow the amount of $\$ 1.50$ on any additional order sent us. Every FiFTHH purchaser receives $\$ 5.00$ worth of stamps FREE from our list or approval sheets as preferred, besides the album or credit for $\$ 1.50$.

The Packet is guaranieed to contain a great uumber of scarce stamps which are not mentioned in list at all.

## Price, Post Free and Registered, $\$ 10.00$.

Greatest bargain and best value for the mowey ever offered.
Standard Stamp Company :
Cincinnati, o.
Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightfut surprise to me. Finclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Staudard lackets No. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large. I found a great annuber in your packets I did not have. If this, my testimony, is of any use to you, you faty use it. 1 am.

Very truly yours,
In cate of Times-Star, Cincinnati, 0 .
BEN MULFORD, JR.

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## LIST OF PURCHASERS

## -OF- <br> "INTERNATIONAL" PACKET No. 21

## During the past Six Months.

## No. of Packets sold.

272 Robert B. Whitney, 40 Wales street, Dorchester, Mass.
273 C. F. Pichman, Johnston, S. C.
274 F. P. Penard, Paramaribo, Suriname, D. G.
275 C. E. M. Beall, Iron Mountain, Montana.
276 Fred C. Godsoe, St. John, N. B.
277 Herbert Brown, 82 Moffat Bldg., Detroit, Mich.
278 H. W. Haler, Belle Vernon, Pa.
279 J. Roy Collins, 25 Bute street, Norfolk, Va.
280 F. J. Wetherell, Box 3509, Boston, Mass.
281 Charles Rutherford, New Glasgow, Nova Scotia.
282 Harold S. Lewis, 310 Main street, Unadilla, N. Y.
283 A. Howell, Paris, Ont., Canada.
281 R. M. Liddell, Montreal, Canada.
285 - Rock ford, 111.
286 Alb. V. Moller, Lawrenceville, N. J.
287 C. S. Cutts, Marshallville, Ga.
288 Chas. Romain, Box 665, Hartford City, Ind.
289 Benjamin Giberga \& Co., 118 Wall street, New York City.
290 Geo. S. Davis, Eau Claire, Wis.
291 R. C. Flinder, 64 C street, N. W. Washington, D. C.
292 W. C. Ormiston, Azusa, Cal.
293 E. L. Des Jardius, Box 563, Alpena, Mich.
294 N. R. Graves, 902 James street, Syracuse, N. Y.
295 Russell H. McWilliams, 508 Prospect avenue, Kausas City, Mo.
296 Geo. L. Cassel, 1907 Diamond street, Philadelphia, Pa.
297 Louis Ringk, 45 Beaver street, New York City.
298 C. F. Tilley, 273-279 High street, Holyoke, Mass.
299 Rev. Edw. W. Thwing, Canton, China.
300 E. F. X. dos Santos Remedios, Portuguese Consulate General, Bangkok, Siam.

301 Chas. Barnett, 2540 Wilson avenue, Cleveland, $O$.
302 H. J. Lewelling, St. Helena, Cal.
303 Geo. Ashim, 11 Hollis street, San Francisco, Cal.
304 E. E. Pearl, West Boxford, Mass.
305 C. T. Lovering, 263 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, Mass.
306 Star Stamp Co., Worcester, Mass.
307 J. A. Williams, Catasauqua, Pa.
308 Roy Rice, Waupun, Wis.
309 Reinhold Nill, Box 171, Dayton, $O$.
310 P. W. Berks, Kildare, O. T.
311 Helen W. Underwood, Greencastle, Ind.
312 Roy Stevenson, 58 Erie Building, Buffalo, N. Y.
313 O. G. Peck, Mattoon, Ill.
314 Charles Lief, Room 16, 35 S. Clark street, Chicago, Ill.
315 D. W. Pond, Box 3754, Plainfield, N. J.
316 A. Cousley, Brussells, Ont., Canada.
317 Julius Stein, 3 Lena avenue, Cleveland, O.
318 Harrold C. Smith, 2140 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill.
319 Clark \& Co., Vicksburg, Miss.
320 W. E. Booker, 492 Main street, Middletown, O.
321 Nick Perry, St. Lucas, Iowa.
322 H. D. Bounetheau, Box 595, Jacksonville, Fls.
323 E. L. McCallay, 81 S. Main street, Middletown, O.
324 J. M. WestphaI, Joliet, Ill.
325 E. D. Curtis, 11 Elm street, Waltham Mass.
326 Chester T. Greenwood, 25 E. Cottage street, Roxbury, Mass.
327 F. P. Graves, Doe Run, Mo.
328 C. E. Morse, 1429 New York avenue, Washington, D. C.
329 E. H. Rodgers, Upper Alton, Ill.
330 F. F. Kenuedy, Box 93, Castle Rock, Colo.
331 Theo. Mainhart, 83 Morris street, Johnston, Pa.
332 W. E. Emery, care of Haines, Emery \& Co., Des Moines, Ia.
333 J. C. Finnell, Covington, Ky.
334 D. W. Weis, 5 Murray avenue, Boston, Mass.
335 - St. Louis, Mo.
336 A. C. Myers, Druggist, Md.
337 Myron L, Fuller, 157 Spring street, Brockton, Mass.
338 Charles S. Ross, Box 127, Quincy, Ill.

339 Wm. C. Bailey, first-class sergeant, Signal Corps, Ft. Stanton, New Mexico.
340 J. B. Wallace, 101 Drummond street, Vicksburg, Miss.
341 Jas. D. Moore, 1539 Retreat street, Baltimore, Md.
342 Torger S. Iversen, Stavanger, Sweden.
343 Robert H. Hutchins, S. Bartholomew's school, Morristown, N. J.

344 Wm. L. Kinkead, Altoona, Pa.
345 Edw. W. Hall, Drawer 10, Fort Collins, Colo.
346 Theo. Mack, 35th and Mason streets, Omaha, Neb.
347 Frank W. Derby, Athol, Mass.
348 H. G. C. Macredie, room 2, Nat'l Ger. Bank, St. Paul, Minn.
349 Wm. Schneider, Box 143, Winter Park, Fla,
350 A. L. Tafel, 1011 Arch street, Philadelphia Pa,
351 H. Butterfield, 605 Clinton street, Waukesha, Wis.
352 J. J. Mauch, 327 N. Forest avenue, Dayton, 0.
353 Moses Craig, M. S. Botanist, Corvallis, Oregon.
354 A. F. Thayer, 168 E.ast 82d street, New York City.

No. 22.-Price, only \$4.00, Post Free.


Contains 500 all different postage stamps from all parts of the world, including MANY RARE specimens, such as 'Triangular Cape of Good Hope, many varieties of Costa Rica, 1883-89, including scarce 40 cent blue, worth 40 cents, Mexico, many kinds from 1864-93, including rare "Habilitado" envelope, 25 cent blue, entire, worth $\$ 1.25$ each, Hyderabad, Siam, British North Borneo, Hayti, Greece, many issues, French Colomies, Bulgaria, mauy fine varieties of Mexico, also official brown, rare; rare Bahanas Islands, old and new, Cape of Good Hope, including scarce provisionals, Sweden unpaid and official, New Brunswick, scarce 2, 5 and 17 cents, fine set, Luxembourg official, San Marino, Monaco, Servia 1869-90, including scarce values, Baden Land Post, rare Belgium Packet Post, also fine United Stutes, War, Treasury, Interior, Post Office and Agriculture Department, etc., very scarce old and new Bulgaria, Ceylon,

India Service, Tasmania, Finlaud, Salvador, Guatemala, Venezuela, United States of Columbia, Nicaragua, Brazil, old issue of W'urtemburg and official envelopes, Victoria, old Turkey, includ1865, $1869-92$ issues, also scarce tunpaid, Egypt, Japan, rare Uruguay, Chili 1852-86, many kinds, West Australia, Austrian and Russian-Levant, Shanghai, including unpaid, and from many other countries.

## No. 43.-Price, only $\$ 1.00$, Post Free.

Contains 300 all different postage stamps, from all parts of the world, includiug stamps from Asia, Africa, North, South and Central America, Australia, West Indies, including many scarce stamps, such as old Bahamas, worth 25 cents each; Costa Rica provisionals, officials aud regular issues, a fine lot, worth about 50 cents by latest catalogue; scarce Borneo, 1894 issue; West Australia, Java,
 Mexico, 1864-93, Chili, 1852-86, etc., etc.

No. 44.-Price, only $\$ 1 . \hbar 0$, Post Free.


Contains 300 splendid varieties, same as last, from all parts of the world, but including rarer stamps. Amongst mauy others, we only mention: China, Shanghai, Straits Settlements provisionals, Mexico, 1864-1892, nearly 25 varieties, including scarce envelopes, Argentine, uuused, Chili, Peru, Colombia, French and Portuguese Colonies, Trinidad, Barbados, New Brunswick, and many others. A FINE PACEET.

Standard Stamp Company: Dallas, Texas, Sept. 25. 1891.
Gents-Your 500 variety packet aud approval sheets ordered received. Both are very inuch superior to anything I have ever seen so fnr. I remain.

312 Main Street. Yours truly,
ANGELO DE STEFANO.

## PACKETS FOR BEGINNERS.

No. 34.

50 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, including Victoria, Japan, old Mexico, Chili, New Zealand, etc. Price only 10 cents. Postage 2c extra


No. 35.
100 varieties, all different stamps, from all parts of the world, including Argentine, South Australia, Queensland, New South Wales, Jamaica, Bulgaria, Turkey, etc. Price only 15 cents. Postage 2c extra.

## No. 36.

150 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, including Peru, Salvador, Argentine Republic, India officials, Costa Rica, Cape of Good Hope, Mexico 1864-1892, etc. Price only 25 cents. Postage 2c extra.


No. 37.
200 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, including Honduras, scarce New Brunswick, Brazil newspaper, Puerto Rico, French Colonies, 5-6 varieties, Colombia, Chili, old and new, etc. Price, post free, only 35 cents.

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Standard Stamp Company:
Chicago. Ill.., Feb. 26. 1892.
Dear Sirs- We teceived out stamps in good order and nust say that they are wery satisfactory.
Yours truly,
78 Seminary avenue.
THOS
A. McLAIN \& CO.
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Standard Stamp Company: Febrtary I1, 1888.
Gentlemen-I received your packets to-day aud must say that they are far better than /expected/ They excel any packets that I ever bought before. Yours very truly, $1 \mathrm{H} . \mathrm{L} . \mathrm{A}$ ADAMS,
957 Brondway. Oakland, Cal.
Attorney and Couvgellor-at-Law.

## CHEAP PACKETS OF MIXED STAMPS.

Packet A.-Price, 50 Cents.

Contains 1,000 good mixed stamps, including old Austrian-Italy, Venezuela, Costa Rica, Hawaii, Chili, Jamaica, Honduras, Ecuador, Brazil, Guatemala, etc.


Packet B.-Price, only $\$ 1.00$.
Contains 1,000 very fine assorted stamps, many rare, such as Salvador, Peru, Brazil, Bulgaria, Servia, Mexico 1874-93, Siam, Costa Rica, old and new issues, many fine scarce varieties, including envelopes unused, fine old unused Mexico, old Bahamas Islands, rare Shanghai and many others of equal value.

Packet C.-Price, 30 Cents. Postage 3 c Extra.
Contains 1,000 finely assorted stamps, including a lot of good stamps from such countries as Brazil, Chili, San Salvador, old European, Jamaica, Porto Rico, Costa Rica, nud many others.

5 packets, as above, \$1.40.
10 packets, as above, $\$ 2.50$.


## Packet D.-Price, only 75 Cents.



Contains 300 very good assorted postáge stamps, including many rare, such as old Mexico, Bahamas, Argentine, U. S. War, Treasury, Interior, ete., Danube, rare provisional issue of Bolivia, 1893, Nicaragua, Peru, Guatemala, Ceylon, Egypt, India service, Jamaica, Shanglaa, including unpaid, Eecuador, high values. old New Bruuswick, and other good stamps from all parts of the globe. Good packet for trading.

All of the above packets are excellent for trading or to sell from,

## Packet E.-Price, only $\$ 1.50$.

Contains 2,000 excellent stamps, from many countries, such as Trausvaal Republic, Orange Free States, Guatemala, Colombia Republic, Siam, fine set of China 1885, complete, Bulgaria, Austrian and Russian-Levant, North Borneo, 1894 issue, Trinidad, complete set of Nowanuggur 1893, Cape provisionals, fine old Mexicans,
 many valuable, Shanghai, St. Viacent, Mauritius, also from many other countries, including Africa, Asia, South and Central America, West Indies, British Colonjes, etc., etc., too numerous to mention. A fine packet for a small dealer or exchange purposes.

## PACKET F.

## One Thousand Finely Assorted Stamps for only $\$ 2.00$, Post Free.



We put up a fine packet of 1,000 mixed stamps which is just the thing for trading or selling off sheets. This packet coutains no common Continental stamps whatever, but only the better class from all parts of the globe! The mixture includes such stamps as the following: Old Peru, Costa Rica, inctuding scarce officials, 1886-89, Cuba and Porto Rico, India, Ceylon, New South Wales, South Auntralia, old Baden, Bavaria, Brazil, Spain, Servia, Finland, Victoria, Helvetia, New Zealand Insurance Department, Mexico, Italy news, Heligoland, Rome, Chili, Hamburg, Japan, Bosnia, Sweden officials, Cyprus, Natal, Bulgaria, Roumauia, Egypt, Greece, Hong Kong, etc., etc. Any dealer or agent can easily clear from $\$ 15$ to $\$ 18$ by retailing this excellent lot.

THESE packets are now in stock and orders ary filled by return mail. (Be sure and order packet F.)

We guarantee each and every packet to be as represented or money will be refunded.

## Packet G.-Price, $\$ 4.00$, Post Frec.

## U. S.

Contains 1,000 very finely mixed United States stamps.
This assortment includes stamps from 1851, 1857, 1861, 1868, $1869,1872,1875,1882,1887,1888,1889$, 1890 and 1893 (Columbus series), adhesives and envelopes; also Depariment, Revenues, unpaid, Special Delivery, etc.

Every packet coutains also a 90 -cent stamp of 1872 issue, a scarce 30 -cent orange of 1861 issue, worth 40 cents each, and a rare 30 -cent brown of 1888 issue.

NOTE.-We will add to the above, to every packet sold, one RARL 90 -Cent Purpi, UE U. S. stamp of 1888 issue, which are very scarce and desirable. Order soon.

## Packet H.-Price $\$ 2.00$, Post Free.

U.S.Contains 500 fitely mixed United States stamps, issues from 1851 up to 1889 , and most of them obsolete, including Navy, War, Treasury, Agriculture, Justice, Post Office and Interior Departments, scarce envelopes from 1857, 1860, 1861,1864 , etc. Also several 30 and 90 -cent values, about 50 varieties in all, well mixed.

This is the very best packet a collector can buy to increase his U.S. collection or to trade from.

We guarantee good value.

## Packet I.-Price, only 75 Cents, Post Free.



Contains 1,000 finely mixed stamps, such as Bosuia, Venezuela, Servia, Bulgaria, Italy, unpaid, old and new Turkey, 1869-92, including unpaid, Levant, Brazil (large), West Australia, Borneo, U. S. Department Stamps, scarce New Brunswick, South African Republic, Natal, St. Viucent, Trinidad, Colombia, and many others.

A good packet for exchanging.

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## Packet K.-Price, only \$4.00, Post Free.

Contains 500 scarcer stamps-no common Continentals whatever, and is comprised of the following:

200 stamps to sell on sheets at 1 cent each. 100 stamps to sell on sheets at 2 ceuts each. 100 stamps to sell on sheets at 3 cents eacl.
60 stamps to sell on sheets at 5 cents each.


40 stamps to sell on sheets at $6,8,10$ and 15 cents each.

## - (Ten of each.)

Total, 500 good stamps to retail at over $\$ 14$, net cash.
Guaranteed to contain ONLY gOOD SALABLE stamps-no rubbish of any kind, same grade of goods we use on our own sheets.

Over $\$ 10$ clear profit for you!
FREE: With each order for packet K we give 25 fine blauk approval sheets free!!

## MEXICO.

We make a specialty of Mexicau postage stamps and have one of the largest and most complete stocks in the world. Collectors who wish to obtain the RARFR kinds, such as the high values of the first issue, the rate Provisionals of 1867 to 1872 , Errors, Guadalajaras, etc., should enter into correspondence with us. We recommend the following packets for their very superior quality and CHEAPNESS :


## No. $2 \overline{5} .-P r i c e$, only 50 Cents.

Contains 25 varieties of Mexicau postage stamps, including some rare, from 1864, 1879-82, 1884-90 issues, etc., including officials, envelopes, official seals, complete set of 1864, and many good values.

## No. 26.-Price, only 60 Cents.

Coutains 30 different Mexican postage stamps, including a complete set of four varieties of 1864 , (Saltillo), also old issues and high values of 1872, $1874,1878,1879,1882$ to 1890 , etc. A very fine packet for the money. This packet contains a rare greeu "Habilitado" e1uvelope, worth 75 cents
 each.

## No. 27.-Price, only $\$ 1.50$.



Contains 50 different Mexican postage stamps, including a good many rare, such as 1879,1882 , high values, 1864 issue (Saltillo), fiue set of envelope stamps, including the 4,10 and 25 cents, worth 10 to 15 cents each; also used and unused stamps of the issues of 1864 to 1875 , valued at from 5 to 30 ceuts each. Official stamps, red and olive brown (two issues), valued by catalogues at 10 cents each; 1874 issue, 50 and 100 cents, rare, fine specimens, 20 and 25 cents of 1888 issue, and many others. This packet contains two (2) rare "Habilitado" envelopes, 10 and 25 ceuts, worth $\$ 2.00$ alone!

Not 28.--Price, only $\$ 5.00$.
Contains 70 different postage stamps from Mexico. This is a very fine collection in itself, including the issues of 1856 up to 1800 . It contains a great many rare stamps, such as the 1,2 and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth 89 cents, the 50 and 100 cents of 1874 , the issues of 1868 to 1872 , used and unnsed, a complete set of 1864 (Saltillo),
 the rare 4 cent stamps of 1882 to 1885 issues, also RARE GUADALAJARA, several envelopes, old aud new, including "Habilitados," complete set of Porte de Mar, 6 varieties, 1880 issuc, the very rare 100 cent black stamp of 1882 issue, and many others of equal value. The stamps contained in this packet are valued at about double the price we ask for it.

## SHOW THIS LIST TO YOUR FRIENDS.

No. 28 A.-Price, Post Free, only $\$ 8.50$.


Contains 100 fine varieties from Mexico, containing all the stamps mentioned in packet No. 28 , but inclucling 30 more varieties, which, as a matter of course, must be quite scarce. This is nearly a complete collection of Mexican stamps, and cheaper than any other packet of this kind ever offered.
Note.-The above packet contains two "Habilitado" envelopes, entire, worth $\$ 2.00$, also the rare 1,2 , and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth $\$ 0.89$, and many other rare varieties.

## MISCELLANEOUS STANDARD PACKETS.

ALL KINDS AND PIRICES.


No. 322 contains 40 all different stamps, from the Native Indian States, such as Travancore, Alwur, Sornth, Jhind, Nowanuggur, Kashmir, etc. Price, post free, $\$ 1.50$.

No. 323 contains 100 different stamps, some very scarce, only from South Central America and the West Indian Islands. A very fine lot. Yrice, post free, only $\$ 1.50$.


U.S.Packet No. 324 contains 135 all different U. S. stamps, including 30 cent 1869 ; 90 cent 1872 and 1888; also envelope stanips and department stamps. No telegraph, local or revenue stamps. Price, post free, $\$ 10.00$.


Packet No. 325 contains 30 all different stamps, from British North America, including New Brumswick, Newfoundland, Priuce Edwards Islands, etc. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.

No. 326 contains 500 all different stamps, from Philippine Islands, Mexico, various issues, China, 1885 , complete set, Curacao, Azores Isles, Nicaragua, several issues, etc. Price, post free, only $\$ 2.50$.


Packet No. 337 contains 40 rare stamps from Asia, all different, such as scarce Corea 5 m red, valued at 25 cents, Shanghai, old and new issues, Straits Settlements, Siam, Scyceelles Islands, Persia, Ceylon, Borneo, several. issues, etc. I'rice, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.

Packet No. 328 contains 50 U. S. adhesives, all different, including 1851, 1857, 1861, 1868, 1869, 1870, 1872 and 1890 issues, mauy rare, also departmental stamps. A very fine collection. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.

Packet No. 329 coutains 40 all different U. S. envelope stamps, including 1853, 1857, 1860, 1861, 1864, 1870 to 1893, including "Columbns" issue and many other rare kinds. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.

[^53]Ouionskin Approval Sheets. Sheets ruled to hold 20 stamps. 12 for 10 cents, 30 for 20 cents, 50 for 25 cents, 100 for 40 cents.

Packet No. 330 contains 25 all different U. S. Telegraph stamps, some very scarce. Price, post free, $\$ 1.00$.


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Standard Stami Company:
Gents-Your packets received and I find them to be the best I ever received from any other firm.

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Solet baukanna. Wis.. April 25.1892.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your packet rectived, and ifind them to be the besf I ever teceived from any other firm.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN D. SMITH.

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Packet No. 346 contains 40 stamps, all different, only from French and Portuguese Colonies, iucluding Angola, Cape Verde (goor values), Martinique, Guadeloupe, scarce Madagascar, 1891 issue, Reunion Islands, Portuguese Iudies, Azores, Mozambique (scarce provisionals, 1892), Angra, Funchal, Horta, Ponta Delgada, and many others. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$. A very fine packet.

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 and uew Chili, Argentine and Brazil, Bosnia, old Spain, fine British Colonies, West Australia, Victoria, Java, etc., etc. Price, post free, only 50 cents. THIS IS ONE OF THE BEST BARGAINS ANY DEALER CAN OFFER.


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Roxnury, Mass. Feb. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the Iuterbatioual packet a fow days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried many stamp companmes but I like none as well as yours.

25 E . Cottage street.
Yours trity.
CHESTER F. GRELSWOOD
Conwat, N. II.. Feb. 7. 1894.
Geatlenten-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I ain more thau pleased wits thestl. Yours truly,

ARTHUR G. J.ORD.
Ifock Box 70.
Rochester, N. Y., March 29. 1893.
Gentlethen-lour packet No. 20 received to-day and I wust say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I received.

72 Rowe street.
Youts iruly,
E. FEELY.

Bal.timore, MD., Oct. 18, 1894.
Gentlemen-1 received your approval sheets ; they were very fine,
14.30 W . Tauvale street.
yours very traly.
FDGAK KENDIG.

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There are no duplicates in any of these sets. * means unused. $\ddagger$ used and unused. All others are used. Postage extra on orders under 50 cents. All envelopes and bands are cut square with goorl margins, unless stated otherwise.
No.
Number Price

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1 United States, 1847, 5 and 10c iu set. per set.
2 United States, 1851, 1, 3, 10 and 12c............ 4225
3 United States, 1856-57, 1, 3, 10 and 12c........ 4 I 00
4 United States, 1861-63, 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 12, 15, 24 and 30 c
$9 \quad 175$

6 United States, 1875-83, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 10c.. $9 \quad 15$
7 United States, 1887-88, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 30 and 90c. 7 I 25
8 United States, 1890, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 15 and 30c............................................
$9 \quad 50$
9 United States, 1851-93, various................. 30.25
10 United States, 1851-93, various.................. $50 \quad 100$

$12 \ddagger$ United States, Interior Department, 1, 2, 3, 6, 10 and 12 ...................................... 65
13 United States, Treasury Department, 1,2,3,6,
$10,12,15,30$ and $90 \mathrm{c} \ldots . . \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots . . \ldots 100$
14 *United States, War Department (complete), 1-90c.......................................... 11250
15 United States, War Department ................ 10 . 125
16 United States, War Departurent................ 9 75
17 United States envelopes, 1853-74 .............. 18 75
18 United States envelopes, 1853-74 .............. 27 2 50
19 United States envelopes, 1864, 2c dies 1 and 2, $5 \quad 250$

No. Number Price in set. perset.
21 *United States envelopes, 1893, Columbus issue, ..... 22 ..... 300
22 Same set, used ..... 300
23 *United States, Columbus issue, complete set from 1c to $\$ 5.00$ ..... 16
24 Same set, used ..... 163250
25 *United States, Columbus issue, $\$ 1, \$ 2, \$ 3, \$ 4, \$ 5$ ..... 5
5 ..... 3000
27 *United States, Columbus issue, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, $8,10,15,30$ and 50 c ..... 11 ..... 250
28 Same set, used ..... 11 ..... 250
29 American Rapid Telegraph Co ..... 16 ..... 65
$29 a^{*}$ Attantic Tel. Co., 1, 2, 10, 25c ..... 125
30 Baltimore \& Ohio, 1886 ..... 20
31 Postal Telegraph Co., 1892-93 ..... 10
$32 \ddagger$ Afghanistan, 1881-90, 1 and 2 ab , and 1 rupee, various colors of paper, catalogue value, $\$ 40.00$ ..... 15
1000
33 *Angola, 10, 20, 25, 40, 50, 100, 200 and 300r ..... 9
100
34 *Aggra, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 r . ..... 60
35 Argentine Republic ..... 20
36 Argentine Republic ..... 25
37 Argentine Republic. 1893, $1 / 2,1,2,3,5,10$ and 16c ..... 7 ..... 20
38 Argentine Republic, 1867-93, various, includ- ing provisionals, euvelopes and wrappers, a fine collection ..... 35 ..... 75
39 Austria, 1858-92, various ..... 30 ..... 20
40 Austria, 1890, 1-30 kr. ..... 25
41 Austria, 1890, 1-1 fl ..... 60
42 Austria-Levant and Lombardy, 1850-90, various ..... 20
43 Austria-Levant, 1867-92 ..... 40
44 Austria-Levant, 1850-83, includiug 50 kr ..... 25
45 Baden, 1, 3, 6, 7, 9 and 30 kr ..... 25
46 *Baden, Landpost, 1, 3 and 12 kr ..... 08
47 Bahamas, 1862-90, 1, 1, 4, 6, 6 and 1 sh ..... 50
48 *Bavaria, 1870-73 ..... 12
Number Price
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in set. perget.
49 Bavaria, return letter ..... 6 ..... 10
50 Bavaría, 1849-90. ..... 17 ..... 20
51 Bavaria, various, 1849-73 ..... 10 ..... 20
52 Belgium, postal packet, complete ..... 12 ..... 25
53 Belgium, postal packet, various ..... 15
54 Belgium, postal packet, various ..... 10
55 Bolivia, 1877 ..... 15
56 Brazil, various, $1850-93$. ..... 35
57 Brazil, newspaper and unpaid, various. ..... 40
58 Bosuia ..... 25
59 Bulgaria, $1882-89$, various, including 30 and 50 st., provisionals and unpaid ..... 20 ..... 45
60 Bulgaria, unpaid ..... 20
6I Bulgaria, unipaid ..... 50
62 British Bechuanaland, $1 / 2-4 d$, various. ..... 35
63 \$British Guiana, $1889-90,3,4,6,10,1 c$ on $\$ 1$, $\$ 2, \$ 3,54$ ..... 8125
64 Canada, various, including registered ..... 12
65 Canada Envelopes. ..... 05
66 Cape Verde, $5,10,20,20,25,25,40,50,100$, 200,300 reis ..... 11 ..... 100
67 Cape of Good Hope, 1871-93, including provi- sionals ..... 718
68 Cape of Good Hope, 1853-93, including provi- sionals, triangular and envelope ..... 75
69 Chefoo, 1894, $1 / 2,1,2,5,10$ ..... 35
70 Chili, 1852,1 and 5 c blue p, 5c br $p, 5 c$ red, 10 and 20 centavos ..... 6100
71 Chili, $1867,1,2,5,10,20 \mathrm{c}$, complete ..... 20
72 Chili, $1877,1,2,5,10,20 \mathrm{c}$, complete. ..... 15
73 Chili, 1852 to 1886 , varions, nearly complete. . 28 ..... 150
74 Chili envelopes, entire, various paper, 5, 10 , $15,20 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 7 ..... 300
75 © Chili envelopes, entire, $5,10,10,15,20 \mathrm{c}$ ..... 5 ..... 250
76 Chili postal cards, various ..... 4 ..... 20
77 Chili, telegrafos, 2, 10 and 20c ..... 15
78 Chili, 1880, revenues used postally, 1, 2, 5 and 10c ..... 50
79 * China, 1885, 1, 3 aud 5 cand. complete ..... 3 ..... 25
Columbian Republic, S. A.-
80 Antioquia, 1869, 2312, 5, 10 and 20c ..... 75
81 Bolivar, 1879-85, 5, 10 and 20c values only 16 ..... 100
82 Bolivar, 1880, 5 to 40 c ..... 40
83 Bolivar, 1879-80. ..... 40
84 Bolivar, 1882, 5c to 1 peso ..... 100
85 Bolivar, 1883, 5 c to 1 peso ..... 100
86 Bolivar, 1884, 1c to 1 peso ..... 100
87 Bolivar, 1885, 1c to 1 peso ..... 100
$88 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, 1889, 1 and 5 c (latter unused) "Correos" ..... 35
89 *Costa Rica, 1883-89, 2, 5, 10 and 40c, also 2 and 2 and 10 c official and Guanacaste (cheap) ..... 7 ..... 75
$90 \ddagger$ Costa Rica, 1883-92, including 40c unused ..... 35
91 *Costa Rica, official, 1889, 1 to 50 c ..... 40
92 Costa Rica, 1884, revenues used postally, 1 aud ..... 35
2 centavos ..... 35
93 Costa Rica, 1884-89, revenues used postally, 1, 2,5 and 10 c complete ..... 4 ..... 150
94 *Costa Rica, 1889, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50c and 1 peso ..... 100
95 *Costa Rica, 1889, "Guanacaste" 1-20c ..... 25
96 *Costa Rica, 1886, etuvelopes, 5 and 10c complete ..... 20
97 *Corea, 5, 10, 25, 50, 100m ..... 30
98 *Corrientes (Argentine Republic, 1861-71) ..... 100
99 Cuba, 1885-93, various ..... 35
100 * Danube Steam Navigation Co., unperforated ..... 25
101 *Danube Steam Navigation Co., perforated ..... 15
102 *Dominican Republic, 1879, 1/2, 1/2, 1 and 1 real 4 ..... 65
103 Dutch Indies, 1870-92, various ..... 40
134 \#Ecuador, 1887-88, revenues, 1 centavo to 10 sucres, uasurcharged ..... 50

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 50106 Ecuador, 1892, 1, 2, 5, 10 and 20c, used postally ..... 15
107 Ecuador, "Telegrafos," used postally, 5, 10 and 20 c . ..... 3 ..... 25
108 *Ecuador, 1872-87, 1, 1, 2, 2, 5, 5, 10, 20, 50 and 80 c and 1 peso, 1872. ..... 11 ..... 50
109 Ecuador revenues, used postally, 1885-91, nearly complete set. ..... 20 ..... 600
110 Ecuador repenues, various ..... 80
111 Egypt, 1872-88 ..... 25
112 Egypt, unpaid ..... 15
113 Finland, 1866-91 ..... 20
114 *Freuch Colonies, 1893; 18 colonies; 1, 2, 4 and 5 c values. ..... 72 ..... 100
115 *French Colonies, 1859-65, 1 to 8 c ..... 75
116 French Colonies, 1870-80, various ..... 30
117 *France, unpaid, 1859-63, 10 and 15 c ..... 15
118 *Funchal, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis. ..... 60
119 *Thura and Taxis ..... 14
120 * Gibraltar, 1889, regular issue. ..... 125
121 Greece, unpaid ..... 20
122 Greece, 1878, unpaid 1-200 1, complete ..... 250
123 Greece, 1862-92, including unpaid ..... 25
124 *Guatemala, 1886, provisional 25c to $\$ 1.50$ ..... 60
125 Guatemala, 1886-88 ..... 30
126 Guatemala, 1886-93, 1c to 200c, complete ..... 11 ..... 250
127 Guatemala envelopes cards and wrapoer 1890. ..... 40
128 *Hamburg, various, iucluding envelopes (re- prints) ..... 25
129 *Heligoland, 1867-78, reprints ..... 35
130 *Heligoland, 1867, reprints ..... 15
131 *Heligoland, 1871-73, repriuts ..... 20
132 *Heligoland envelopes and wrappers ..... 15
Number Price in set. per set
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133 *Honduras, 1865
7 ..... 50
134 Honduras, 1879-89, 1c to 1 peso
11
135 *Honduras, 1890, 1c to 1 peso, complete ..... 45
136 *Honduras, 1890, envelopes, 5-25c, complete ..... 35
137 *Honduras, 1890, wrappers, Ic to 10 c , complete ..... 10
138 *Honduras, 1892, lc to 1 peso, complete ..... 50
$139{ }^{*}$ Horta, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 and 80 reis ..... 60
140 Hungary, 1888 , I to 50 kr ..... 15
141 Hungary, 1888, 1 kr to 1 fl ..... 60
142 India, 1865-86 ..... 1.5
143 India Service and H, M. S. $1 / 2$ to 8 annas ..... 30
Native States of India-
144 *Bhore ..... 25
145 *Gwalior, 1/2a to 1 rupee ..... 250
146 * Nowanuggur, 1880-88 ..... 12
147 Nowanuggur, 1880, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
148 Nowanuggur, 1893, 1, 2, 3 d ..... 15
149 Putialla, various ..... 20
150 *Sirmoor, officials ..... 30
151 \#Soruth, $1890,1,1,4$ and 4 a ..... 60
152 *Travancore ..... 30
153 *Italy, 1854, reprints ..... 15
154 Italy, 1862-89 ..... 15
155 Italy, Seguatasse ..... 10
156 Italy, Segnatesse, 1, 2, 5 and 10 lire ..... 15
157 Italy, Segnatasse, 50 and 100 lire ..... 30
158 *Italy, officials, 2c to 10 lire, complete. ..... 40
159 Japan, 1876-88, various ..... 35
160 * Liberia, 1894, triangular, 5 and 5c official ..... 25
161 Mauritius, various ..... 30
162 * Mauritius, 1849-62 Britannia ..... 100
163 Montenegro, 2-25n ..... 50
164 Mozambique, 1892, provisional, surcharged"Compa de Mozambique," $5,10,20,25$,$40,50,100,200$ and 300 reis92.50
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6 ..... 60 ..... 60
165 Mozambique, $1892,5,10,20,25,40$ and 50 reis
165 Mozambique, $1892,5,10,20,25,40$ and 50 reis
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5 ..... 325 ..... 325
167 Mexico, 1856-93, various ..... 30 ..... 60
168 Mexico, 1864, head ..... 25
169 Mexico, 1868, including 50c. ..... 60
170 Mexico, 1874 ..... 30
171 *Mexico, 1879-82, 1, 2, 5, 5, 6, 10, 12, 18, 24 and 25 c ..... 10 ..... 50
172 Mexico, 1882,50 and 100 c orange and yellow, rare ..... 2
173 Mexico, 1884, 1, 2, 5 and 10 pesos, complete ..... 4
$174 \ddagger$ Mexico, official seal and officials. ..... 7 ..... 35
175 *Mexico, newspaper, Guadalajara, $1 \mathrm{p}, 1867,1$ and 2 reales, 1868 ..... 3 ..... 350
176 *Mexico, envelopes, 1874-83, 4, 5, 10 and 25c ..... 50
177 "Mexico, envelopes, 1882 " Habilitado," 10 and 25 c ..... 2 ..... 100
$178 \$$ Mexico, unpaid, 1891-92, variots ..... 7 ..... 200
179 Netherlands, various ..... 15 ..... 12
180 Netberlands, unpaid, 1870, 5 and 10 c
181 Netherlands, 1881-87, unpaid, $1,11 / 2,2,21 / 2,5$, $10,121 / 2,15,20,25$ and 1 gulden, complete ..... 10 ..... 50
182 \$Newfoundland, $1880-90$, various ..... 15
183 New Zealand Insurance, $1 / 2,1$ and $2 d$ ..... 10
184 New Zealand, 1882, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8d and 1 sh, complete ..... 25
185 Nicaragua, various ..... 15
186 Nicaragua envelopes, 1891 ..... 35
187 *Nicaragua wrappers, 1891 ..... 10
188 Nicaragua officials, 1891. 1c to 1 peso, complete, ..... 50
189 *icaragua envelopes, $1890,5-50 \mathrm{c}$, complete. ..... 35
190 Nicaragua, 1892, 1c to 10 pesos, complete ..... 50
191 *Nicaragua, 1892, officials, lc to 10 pesos, com- plete ..... 10 ..... 50
192 North Borneo, 1894, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 12, 18 and 24 ..... 9140
Number
in set per setNo.
193 Orange Free States, including provisional ..... 7 ..... 20
104 Paraguay, 1879-81, 5 and 10 centazos ..... 2 ..... 35
195 Paraguay, 1885, 1, 2 and 5c. ..... 15
196 Persia, various ..... 12 ..... 40
197 * Persia, lion and sun, 1870-76, reprints ..... 14 ..... 200
198 Persia, 1889, 5 and $10 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and 5 krau ..... 35
199 Persia, 1892, 5 and 10c, 1, 2 and 5 kran ..... 35
200 Fersia Service, 1, 2, 5 aud 10 sh ..... 20
201 * Peru, envelopes, 1875, 2, 5 and 5c ..... 12
202 * Peru, 1883-84, various surcharges ..... 150
203 Peru, 1886, 1c to 1 sol ..... 50
204 Philippine Islands, 1886-89, \%/8c, 1, 2 and 5 mil. ..... 15
205 Philippine Islands, $1890,1 / 3 \mathrm{c}, 1,2$ and 5 mil.. ..... 12
206 Philippine Islands, $1890-92,2,5,8,10,15$ and 20c ..... 6 ..... 45
207 *Ponta Delgada, 1892, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 50 atd 80 reis ..... 60
208 Porto Rico, various, old and new ..... 25
209 Portugal, various, including 150 reis ..... 20
210 *Prince Edwards Island, 8 varieties ..... 85
211 *Roman States, 1862, reprints ..... 15
212 *Roman States, 1868, reprints ..... 15
213 Rountania, 1872-90, various ..... 25
214 Russia, 1868-82 ..... 25
215 Russia-Levant, various ..... 20
216 St. Helena, various, inclnding $6 d$ ..... 35
217 *Salvador, 1887-89, 1, 2 and 3c, iucluding 3 pro- visionals ..... 35
218 *Salvador, 1890 , envelopes and wrappers, com- plete ..... 45
219 Salvador, 1891, envelopes, complete ..... 40
220 "Salpador, 1891, wrappers, complete. ..... 20
221 -Salvador, 1892, le to 1 peso, complete ..... 50
222 "Samoa, 1877-82 ..... 25
223 Saxony, $1863,3 \mathrm{pf} ., 3 / 3,1,2$ aud 3 ngt. ..... 10
224 Servia, 1869-90, various ..... 35
No.
Number Price in set per set
225 Servia, 1869.79 ..... 6 ..... 15
226 *Servia, 1881, various ..... 12
227 *Servia, 1881-90, various ..... 10 ..... 20
228 Shangluai, 1893, $1 / 2,1,2,5,10,15$ and $20 c$, com- plete. ..... 7 ..... 85
229 Shanghai, $1893^{\prime}$ umpaid, $7 / 2,1,2,5,10,15$ and 20c, complete ..... 85
230 Shanghai, 1893, Jubilee, $1 / 2,1,2$ and $5 c$ ..... 25
231 Shanghai, 1893, envelopes, wrappers and cards ..... 30
232 South African Republic, 1885, $1 / 2 \mathrm{~d}$ to $1 \mathrm{sh} .$, complete ..... 25
233 South African Republic, 1883, 1 d to 1 sh., com- plete ..... 5 ..... 50
234 *South African Republic, 1870, ronletted ..... 50
235 South African Republic, 1870-71. ..... 50
236 South Australia, O. S., various ..... 50
237 South Bulgaria, 1885, various ..... 200
238 Spain, 1850-57 ..... 60
239 Spain, 1850-67 only, 6c and 4 cuartos ..... 50
240 Spain, War stamps ..... 10
241 Spain, 1860-69 ..... 35
242 Spain, various. ..... 35
243 Straits Settlements, Farious ..... 10
244 Sweden, 1858-92, various ..... 25
245 Sweden, 1891-92, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 20, 30 athd 50 ore., complete ..... 12
246 Sweden, various ..... 15
247 Sweden, official, 1874-97, 2 ore., 1 kr ., complete ..... 25
248 Sweden, uppaid ..... 15
249 Switzerland, 1881, 2c to 1 fr,, gold ..... 20
250 Switzerland, 1886, various. ..... 15
251 Switzerland, 1854-92, various, including un- paid, envelopes, etc. ..... 25 ..... 25
252 T'asmania, 1858-64, 1d ..... 25
253 Tonga ..... 50
254 Thrkey, Constantinople. ..... 05

No.
Number Frice in set. perset.
255 Turkey, 1865, including 5 piastres and unpaid. ..... 5 ..... 25
256 Turkey, 1869-76, various ..... 15 ..... 45
257 Turkey, 1869-76, various ..... 20
258 *Turkey, 1886, 2 and 5c and 5 piastres, unused. ..... 35
259 Turkey, 1869-93, including unpaid ..... 30
260 Uruguay, 1884-90 ..... 30
261 Whrtemburg, 1851-69, various ..... 35
262 Wurtemburg, 1851-90, including officials ..... 20
263 Western Australia ..... 25
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No. Date. Value Color. New. Used.
18 1847, 5c brown (Franklin) $\$ 200$ ..... - 060
19 1847, 10c black (Washington). ..... 750 ..... 300
Head in oval. Unperforaicd.
20 1851, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 40 ..... 25
No. Date. Value Colot. New. Used.
21 1851, 1c blue, variety, (broken circle) ..... 100 ..... 50
22 1851, 3c red (Washington) ..... 2502
23 1851, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 2000 ..... 700
24 1851, 10c green (Washington) ..... 150 ..... 75
25 1851, 12c black (Washington) ..... 250 ..... 125
26 1856, 24 c lilac (Washington)
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin).Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, 1c blue (Franklin). ..... 50 ..... 25
30 1857, 1c blue, variety ..... 15 ..... 12
31 1856, 3c red (Washington). ..... 02
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with outer line ..... 35
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 250
34 1857, 3e red-brown (Jefferson) ..... 1500 ..... 600
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ornaments af top and bottom cut off. ..... 200 ..... 200
36 1855, 10c green (Washington). ..... 60 ..... 30
37 1857, 12c black (Washiugton). ..... 60
38 1860, 24c lilac (Washington) ..... 300
250
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 400 ..... 400
40 1860, 90 c blue (Washington) 800 ..... 1200
U. S. and zalue in corners.
41 1861, Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 15 ..... 03
43 1861, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 75 ..... 25
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 1500
500
45 1861, 10c green (Washington) ..... 40 ..... 05
46 1861, 12c black (Washington) ..... 25
47 1861, 24c lilac (Washington). ..... 25
48 1861, 30c orange (Frauklin) ..... 40 ..... 150
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington) 175
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 400
100
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson) ..... 08 ..... 03
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 02
54 1866, 15c black (Lincoln) ..... 30
No. Date. Value. Colos. New. Used.
55 1866, 24c mauve (Washington) ..... 250 ..... 75
Embossing measuring $/ 1 \times 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, Ic blue ..... 10040
61 1868, 2c black ..... 40 ..... 10
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 20 ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green. ..... 30
67 1868, 12c black ..... 60 ..... 30
65 1868, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 30
Embossittg measuring $9 x 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
66 1868, lc blue ..... 100 ..... 40
67 1868, 2c black.. ..... 20 ..... 10
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 15 ..... 02
69 1868, 5c brown. ..... 500 ..... 150
70 1868, 10c green ..... 100 ..... 35
71 1868, 12c black ..... 100
72 1868, 15c black. ..... 75 ..... 3050
73 1868, 24c violet ..... 250 ..... 250
74 1868, 30c orange. ..... 350 ..... 250
75 1868, 90c blue 1500
Various designs in square.
With embossing measuring 9 险 $\times 9$ m mm .
76 1869, Ic buff (Firanklin) ..... 3030
77 1869, 2c brown (Horsenan) ..... 25 ..... 08
78 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 10 ..... 02
79 1869, Gc blue (Washiugton) ..... 150 ..... 50
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle) ..... 100 ..... 60
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) ..... 75 ..... 50
82 1869, 15c brown and blue (Landing of Co- lumbus) ..... 500 ..... 250
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (Picture, framed) ..... 200 ..... 125
84 1869, 24c green and purple (Declaration of Iudepeadence) ..... 750 ..... 550
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle).. ..... 600 ..... 250
86 1869, 90c black and carmive (Lincoln) ..... 1200 ..... 1000
Head to left in oval, with enbossing measuring $9 x 151 / 2$ ..... mm.
101 1870, lc blue (Franklia) ..... 40
No. Date. Value. Color. New Used.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jack son) ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stantom) ..... 350
106 1870, 10c brown (Jefferson) ..... 800
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay)
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 600
109 1870, 24c purple (Scott)
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 1000
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) 1750 ..... 500Same, embossing measuring $81 / 2 \times 101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
112 1870, lc blue ..... 40
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 10
114 1870, 3c green ..... 03
Same, without embossing.
115 1872, lc blue ..... 05 ..... 02
116 1872, 2c brown ..... 08 ..... 02
117 1872, 3c green ..... 02
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 02
119 1872, 7c vermilion ..... 30
$1201872,10 \mathrm{c}$ brown ..... 02
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 150 ..... 20
122 1872, 15c orange ..... 30 ..... 03
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 250 ..... 75
124 1872, 30c black ..... 75 ..... 10
$1251872,90 \mathrm{c}$ carmine ..... 225 ..... 25
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 02
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 20 ..... 03
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 10 ..... 02
129 1882, 1c light blue, re-engraved ..... 03 ..... 02
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved ..... 02
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 05
1321882 , 10 c brown, re-engraved ..... 02
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington) ..... 02
134 1883, 4c green (Jackson) ..... 02
135 1887, 2c green ..... 02
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
136 1887, 3c vermilion ..... 12 ..... 10
New design.
137 1887, Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 02 ..... 02
Same as 1872-'8j issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 08 ..... 02
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 75 ..... 35
140 1888, 90c purple ..... 200 ..... 75
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 10 ..... 04
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, Ic ultramarine ..... 02
143 1890, 2c carmiue ..... 03 ..... 02
144 1890, 3e purple ..... 04 ..... 02
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 06 ..... 02
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 06 ..... 02
147 1890, 6e brown red ..... 08 ..... 05
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 10 ..... 08
149 1890, 10c green ..... 12 ..... 02
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 18 ..... 08
151 1890, 30c black ..... 35 ..... 08
152 1890, 90c orange ..... 100 ..... 40
COLUMBLAN ISSUE.
153 1893, 1c deep blue (Columbus in sight of
land) ..... 03 ..... 02
05
154 1893, 2c violet (Landing of Columbus) ..... 02
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 06 ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) ..... 08 ..... 05
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicit.ng aid of Isabella) ..... 10 ..... 05
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 10 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 10 ..... 10
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 15 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark greeu(Columbus announcing his discovery) ..... 25 ..... 25No. Date. Value. Color.New.
Used.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 50 ..... 50
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus). ..... 75
164 1893, $\$ 1.00$ salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) 200 ..... 200
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chains) 400 ..... 400
166 1893, 3.00 yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third voyage) 600 ..... 600
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) ..... 800 ..... 800
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) 1000 ..... 1000
SPLCLAL DELTVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 05
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 03
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1000
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 600
Reprint.
$3031865,25 \mathrm{e}$ red (Lincoln) ..... 600
Reprint.
White Border.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washingtou) ..... 150
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 10
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50 ..... 50
15
307 1875, 4c black ..... 20 ..... 20
308 1875, 6c black ..... 30
309 1875, 8c black ..... 40 ..... 40
310 1875, Oc black ..... 500
311 1875, 10c black
311 1875, 10c black ..... 25
311 1875, 10c black500
312 1885, lc black ..... 15
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 50 ..... 50
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 60
No. Date. Value, Color. New. ..... Used.
315 1875, 36c carmine ..... 75
316 1875, 48c carmine ..... 125
317 1875, 60c carmine ..... 125
318 1875, 72c carmine ..... 250
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 250
320 1875, 96c carmine 250 ..... 25075125
125250250
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 350 ..... 350
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 600 ..... 500
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 850 ..... 600
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1200
325 1875, 12d green ..... 1500
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2000
327 1875, 36d red ..... 2500
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 3000
329 1875, 60d violet ..... 4000
UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 03
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 03
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 03
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 05
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 05
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 30
357 1879, 50c brown ..... 50
358 1879, 1c red brown ..... 03
359 1879, 2c red brown ..... 03
360 1879, 3c red brown ..... 03
361 1879, 5c red brown ..... 05
362 1879, 10c red brown ..... 05
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 02
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 03
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 03368 1893, 30c bright claret369 1893; 50c bright claret
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberty strrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No, Datc. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
696 1893, 1c deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 02
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 10
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20
LETTER SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant). ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICLAL STAMPS,
Perforated.
All, except Post Office, same Design as General Issue, with Name of Department above.Agriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 75802 1873, 2c straw65
25 803 1873, 3c straw ..... 25 ..... 1565
804 1873, 6e straw ..... 50805 1873, 10e straw300300
500
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 400
200
807 1873, 15c straw ..... 200
200
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 200
250 809 1873, 30c straw ..... 250
Execntive.
810 1873, le carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 400 ..... 400
813 1873, 6c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 550
Interior.
815 1873, le vermilion ..... 20816 1873, 2c vermilion1002
05
817 1873, 3e vermilion ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 05
819 1873, 10c vermilion ..... 25 ..... 15
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
820 1873, 12c vermilion ..... 25 ..... 15
821 1873, 15c vermilion ..... 15
$8221873,24 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 20
8231873 , 30c vermilion ..... 25
824 1873, 90c vermilion. 100 ..... 100
Justice.
825 1873, 1c purple ..... 75 ..... 75
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 75 ..... 75
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 45 ..... 45
828 1873, 6c purple ..... 50
829 1873, 10c purple ..... 100 ..... 100
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 100
831 1873, 15c purple ..... 250 ..... 250
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 350 ..... 35050
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 1000 ..... 1000
834 1873, 80c purple 2000 ..... 2000100
Navy.
835 1873, 1c blue ..... 50 ..... 50 ..... 50
836 1873, 2c blue
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
$836 a 1873$, 2c green (error) ..... 1000
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 25
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 40 ..... 40
839 1873, 7c blue ..... 500
$8401873,10 \mathrm{c}$ blue ..... 8515
85
841 1873, 12c blue
150
842 1873, 15c blue ..... 150500
250
843 1873, 24c blue
85
85
175 ..... 175
844 1873, 30c blue
844 1873, 30c blue ..... 500
845 1873, 90c blue ..... 500
Post Oflice.
Figure of l'alue in Oval.
846 1873, 1c black ..... 20
847 1873, 2c black ..... 20
848 1873, 3c black ..... 02
849 1873, 6c black ..... 08
850 1873, 10c black ..... 60 ..... 60
No. Date. Value. Color. Used.851 1873, 12c black40
852 1873, 15c black ..... 3030853 1873, 24c black6030
60
854 1873, 30c black ..... 35 ..... 35
100 855 1873, 90c black ..... 75
Post Office Seal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, green ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Obitum) ..... 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10
Lithographed.
858a 1888, Officially sealed, browu ..... 05 ..... 05
Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, brown
Rouletted.
$858 d$ 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd
State.
859 1873, 1c green ..... 50 ..... 50
860 1873, 2e green 100 ..... 100
861 1873, 3c green ..... 50 ..... 50
862 1873, 6c green ..... 50
863 1873, 7c green ..... 75 ..... 75
864 1873, 10c green ..... 75
865 1873, 12c green ..... 150 ..... 150
866 1873, 15c green ..... 150 ..... 150
867 1873, 24c green ..... 200 ..... 200
868 1873, 30c green ..... 400 ..... 400
869 1873, 90c green ..... 500 ..... 500
870 1873, 2d black and green ..... 1000 ..... 1000
871 1873, 5d black and green
872 1873, 10d black and green ..... 4000
873 1873, 20d black and green ..... 3500
Treasury,
874 1873, 1c brown. ..... 25 ..... 10
875 1873, 2c brown, ..... 25 ..... 08
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3c brown ..... 08877 1873, 6c brown1506
878 1873, 7c brown ..... 100879 1873, 10c brown30880 1873, 12c brown3030881 1873, 15c brown.
500
882 1873, 24c brown350
50
883 1873, 30c brown ..... 15
150
884 1873, 90c brown. ..... 50
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 03 ..... 03
886 1873, 2c red ..... 0.5 ..... 05
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6c red ..... 05 ..... 05
889 1873, 7c red ..... 125 ..... 125
890 1873, 10c red ..... 15 ..... 15
891 1873, 12c red ..... 15 ..... 15
892 1873, 15c red ..... 15 ..... 10
893 1873, 24c red ..... 35 ..... 35
894 1873, 30c ted ..... 25 ..... 15
895 1873, 90c red ..... 75 ..... 50
bidrlington, Kansas, April 16, 1893.
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Gentlemen-Your sheets are by far the best I have ever received from any dealer.

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A. W. DEJARNATT.

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REID I. CARR.
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42 Frant Street, W. Toronto, Canada.
H. C. BEDLINGTON,

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

GENERAL ISSUE,


No. Date. Type. Value. Color. New. Used.
71 1861, A1, 5c green.
72 1861, A1, 5c dark green
$\$ 040$
$\$ 035$

73 1861, A2, 10c blue.
100
75


A3.

A. 4 .


A5.
74 1862, A3, 2c greetı ..... $\$ 200$ ..... $\$ 300$
75 1862, A1, 5c blue. ..... 40 ..... 50
76 1862, A1, 5c dark blue ..... 40 ..... 50
77 1862, A2, 10c rose ..... 300 ..... 250
78 1862, A4, 5c blue. ..... 10 ..... 0.5
79 1862, A4, 5c pale blue ..... 15 ..... 10
80 1862, A4, 5c blue, lithographed ..... 10
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated
82 1863, A5, 2c rose ..... 35 ..... 200


A6.


A8.

No. Date. Type Value. Color.
83 1863, A6, 10c blue..
84 1865, A7, 10c blue
New.
Used.

85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue.
25
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue. 0320
86 1863, A8, 10c light blue. ..... 08 ..... 0805
87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue ..... 10 ..... 10
88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line). ..... 350
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75 ..... 500
90 1863, A9, 20c green. ..... $\$ 010$ ..... $\$ 200$
90A 1863, A9, 20c green, perforated, fine specimen on original letter. ..... 2000
91 1864, A10, 1c orange. ..... 50
Standard Stamp Company:Gentlemen-Your sheets are very neat and pleasing, and the mostastoundiug bargains I have ever seen in stamps. Yours, for business.Hightstown, N. J.

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Pairbault, Mina.
H. A. SCANDRET'T'.

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| 1887 | abont | 8,500 | 2 |
| 1888 | about | 10,000 | D |
| 1889 | about | 15,000 | 0 |
| 1890 | about | 30,000 | 0 |
| 1891 | about | 50,000 | 0 |
| 1892- | about | 90,000 | $\underline{m}$ |
| 1893 | about | 150,000 | 4 |
| 1894 | about | 350,000 |  |

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250 finely mixed United States Stamps, including Department, etc.
250 finely mixed British Colonials.
250 finely mixed South and Central American and Mexican stamps, a good lot.
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100 sheets.............. . 300
1000 sheets. . . . . . . . . . . . 2500

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a list in which we offer good stamps at reasonable prices! Dealers who wish to receive this list promptly every month will kindly state this in their letter.

Owing to lack of time, we are unable to send wholesale selections on approval; all we have to offer will be found in above monthly Wholesale Lists.

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## Counterfeits and Government Remainders.

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from collectors in all parts of the Uuited States, and we beg to refer all collectors to these persous for reference:

Chicado, Marci 16. 1892.
Standard Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-Your packets arrived all right and gave great satisfaction. Please fill enclosed order aud oblige. 2957 Iudiana aveuue. Yours very truty

REV. JNO. HENRY BARROWS.
Soutil Kadkanna, Wis., Aprit $25,1892$.
Standard Stamp Company
Gents-Your packets received and I find them to be the best I ever received from any other firm.

Yours respectfully,
JNO. D. SMITH.
Dallas, Tex., Sept. 2ै. 1891.
Standard Stamp Company :
Cents-Yout 500 varjety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Bothare very much superior to anything I have ever seen so far. I remain.

312 Maiu street.
Yours truly.
ANGFLO DE STEF゙NNO.

Standard Stamp Company :
Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightful surprise to sme. Enclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Standard packets Nos. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large, I found a great oumber in your packets I did not bave. If this, my testimony, is of any use to you, you may use it. I ajn.

Very truly yours.
In care of Times-Siar, Cincinnati, O.
So, Denver, Calo., Feb. 13, 1891.
Gentlemen-I received your packet No. 19 to-day and am well pleased. It was more of a variety than I expected.

Box 37.
Youts iruly.
I. LIEE THICRIBERR.

Jamatca, L. Y., N. Y., March 4, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received packets all right and ruugt say they are 'A $1,0 . K$." To celebrate the occasion please send me two more packets No. 32.

Chichester aveuqe. Yours traly, WM. WEBBE.
OshKOSh, Wis., Sept. 8, 1893.
Gentlemen-Pleage setrd me some more approval sheets. I am an agent for a good many companies but think your approval sheets are better inan any others.

191 High street.
Yours truly,
JAMEST. HALSEY.
R1CHMOND, VA., JAn. 12, 1894.
Gentletmen-I received the Standard albutn this morning all right. I am very much pleased with it. Yours truly, JOHN H. GUY.

Washingion, D. C. Jan. 17, 1894.
Gentlemen-Packet No. 23 arrived to-day and I was very well pleased with it. finding a great utunber of stamps not in why collection. 1 am always satisfied with your stamps.

1459 Pierce Place, N. W.
Kespectfully,
OWEN PENNEY.
Glons Falls, N.Y. Jan. 15, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received the Standard album I sent for and was very minh pleased with it, as I did not expect one so good for the movey.

25 Pearl street.
Very truly yours,
JOHN BICKLEY.
ROXACRy, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the International packet a few days ago and was very wheh pleased with it. I have tried mavy stamp compauies butl like none as well as yours.

25 E. Cottage street.
Yours truly.
CHESTEK T. GREENWOOD.
Conway, N. H., Feh. 7. 1894.
Geutlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday- I am more ihan pleased with them,

Yours truly.
Lock Box 70.
ARTHUK C. JOKD.
Rocmestre, N. Y., March 29, 1893.
Gentlemen-Yout packet No. 20 received to-day and I must say that $I$ was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I received.

72 Rowe street.
Yours truty,
E. FFFITY.

Baltimore, Md.. Oct. 18, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your approval sheets: they were very fine. 1430 W. Tauvale street. Yours very truly, EDGAK KENDIG.

Hastings, Nem. Oct. 1. 1893.
Gentlemeti-Pleage send me some of yout trial approval sheets. I bave been buying stamps from your sheets and think they nre the best and cheapest stamps I ever bought, so thought I would try and sell some. seeing that they are in such demand.

Yours respectiully,
R. G. MCGREW. Geutlemen-I received your packets Nos. 12,23 and 13 , and was very much
pleased with them.
976 Daupin street.

Unadilla, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1893.
Gentlemen-Have just teceived the International packet No. 21, tor $\$ 10$. also the other packets, and am very rnuch pleased with them. They are better than I expected.

Yours truly,
HAKOLID S. LEWIS.
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4 Austrian-Italy
3 Austrian-Levant
2 Azores Islands
2 Baden
6 Bavaria,old issue
2 Barbados
3 Belgiun Postal Packet
2 Bhopaul
2 Bolivia
3 Bosuia
3 Brazil, Journal stamps

4 Brazil
*2 Brazil, unpaid
4 British Guiana
4 Bulgaria
2 3.\&O.Telegraph
10 Canada
3 Canada Bill
6 Cape of Good Hope
4 Ceylon
4 Chili
2 Chile "Telegrafos'"
3 Coloubia
2 Confederate
3 Constantinople
3 Costa Rica

* 2 Costa Rica "Odfcials"
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2 Curacao
2 Cyprus
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2 Dominican Republic
3 Dutch Indies
2 Eastern Roume lia
3 Ecuador
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10 England
2 Faridkot
4 Finland


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10 France
3 French Colonies
2 Gibraltar
2 Gremada
5 Greece
2 Guatemala
3 Hamburg
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3 Heligoland
10 Hollaud
3 Hollaud, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India envelopes and card
12 Italy
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, unpaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864,unused, tare

2 Mexico, 1882, uthused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials

* 2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 New SouthWales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaicl
5 New Zealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway
* 2 Nowanuggur

8 Old Atustria, 1850-63
12 Old Austria
2 Old Japan
4 OId Spain, Isabel
3 Old Turkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Peru
*2 Peru envelopes
2 Philippines
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese Indies
3 Roman States
6 Roumania 7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino

* 2 Samoa

6 Sardinia
*2 Saxony
3 Servia

* 3 Shaughai
*2 Shanghai, uup’d
10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlements
2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, 5-50 ore, compl
4 Sweden official
3 Sweden, uupaid
3 Transvaal
3 Tritridad
2 Tunis
5 'Turkey, various
3 U.S. Department
3 U.S. Locals
10 U.S. Postage
6 U. S. Revenues
2 U. S. War
3 Unused Swiss
2 Unused Swiss Envelopes
2 Uruguay
4 Venezuela
5 Victoria
3 West Australia
4 Wurtemburg Officials
7 Wurtemburg, various

Standard Stamp Company:
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15 Austria, old and new
6 Austrian-Levant
4 Azores.
2 Bahamas Islands
6 Bavarian Return Letter.
6 Belgium, postal packet stamps.
5 Bergedorf.
3 Bhopaul.
3 Bolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Bosnia.
7 Brazil.
513 razil, Journal and Unpaid stamps.
5 British Guinua.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada Bill.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylon.
7 Chili.
3Chili, "Telcgrajos."
2 China.
3 Confederate States.
4 Costa Rica.
*4 Costa Rica, incl 20c.
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12 Hungary, varit ous, incl. 20 and 50 kr .
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3 Iceland.
10 Iudia.
5 India, Native States.
16 Italy, old aud new.
3 Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, uupaid.
7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.

4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, Fagle, old issue.
3 Mexico Envelopes.
*2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official and O fficia! Seal.
4 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
4 Mexico, 1864, complete set, rare.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoumdtand.
6 New SonthWales*
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, iftcl. 2 piastres.
6 New Zealand.
7 Nicaragua
14 Norway.
*3 Nowalluggur, old issue, complete.
*3 Nowanuggur, Hew issue, complete.
12 Old Austria, 1850-1863.

## DIME SETS-Continued.

18 Old Austria, 1867-1892.
9 Old Bavaria.
5 Old Brazil.
*12 Old Hamburg.
3 Old Japan.
8 Old Spain, Isabel.
5 Old Turkey, 1869-1876.
4 Orange States.
3 Paraguay.
3 Persia.
5 Perı.
*3 Peru, Fnvelopes.
3 Philippines.
7 l'orto Rico.
12 Portugal.
4 Portugucse In. dies.
*7 Roman States.
7 Roumauia.

12 Russia, old and new
4 Russia Ievant, incl. 10 kop .
7 Salvador.
*3 Samoa.
*5 Saxony.
6 Servia.
*4 Shaughai.
*3 Shanghai, unpaid.
15 Spain.
4 Straits Settlements.
7 Sweden Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
15 Sweden, various issues.

* 5 Swiss, 1862-68

5 Transvaal, incl. 1 shilling.
7 Turkey.

3 Turkey, unpaid, various.
20 U . S. Adhesives.
5 U. S. Colombia.
10 U. S. Envelopes.
*5 U. S. Local.
5 U. S. Official.
10 U. S. Revenues.
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Heligolaud, Hayti, several issues; Hong Kong, Hungary, 1888, Icelaud (RARE) ; India (old and new) ; Deccan, fine old Italy, uupaid, official and rare Postal and Packet Stamps; Jamaica, Japan, many kinds and issues; scarce triangular Liberia, 1893 issue; Luxembourg (officials) ; Mauritius, mauy varieties; Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue; New Brunswick, several varieties, including the scarce 17 c black, worth 50 cents each; N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, iucluding "officials; " Orange States, rare Paraguay, several issues; Pern, including the rare 1 peseta brown of 1863, 1 peseta of 1872 and 2c blue (Llama) of 1872 issue (catalogued in all at 70 cents) ; Porto Rico, fine old Portugal; also Portuguese Colonies, $10-15$ varieties; Prussia, Roumania, 1862 ; Russia, Russian-Levant, St. Vincent, Salvador, Samoa Island, San Marino, Saxony, unused Servia, Siam, Shanghai, several varieties, including unpaid and scarce "fubilec" issue; South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues (Isabella), rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerlaud, mpaid (also envelopes); scarce Thurn and Taxis; fine old Turkey, frop 1865 to 1892 , including unpaid, also 2 and 5 piastres 1886 , unused, valued at 80 cents; United States of Columbia, Venezuela, Victoria, Western Australia (several issues); fine old Wurtemburg; also official envelopes, and many others too uumerous to be mentioned.

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## WHAT THEY SAY!

Standard Stamp Company:
The Club IIOUSE, JFKYL. Island,
Dear Sirs-Your "International" Facket. No. 21, Ieceived, but owjng to Xmas doings I have been unable to examine it until now. I never imagined S'd get such a packet; it beats Entopeat tradets hollowd Yout gilt of \$5 worth of stamps was a welcome surprise, for which accept my thanks. If I have made any mistakes let me know. Your system heats all 1 know, and I can hardly realize it to be a fact. I am, Yours truly, ROBER'C FORBES.

Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your Packets, Nos. 21 and 22, received, and I must say are the finest / ever sazv. The premium stamp is a fine and valuable stamp. You may send any parties to me for recomtuendations. and I can faithfully say that your goods are as represented and superior to others in regards to conditiou and scarcity.

Yours respectially,
9H-100 Beverly Sireet, Bosion, Mass,
C. W. LAMB.

Office of D. H. Bacon \& Co., Fine Printers. ,
Standarn Stamp Company:
hrmmingham. Conn., Sept. 30, 1892.
Geatlemen-It gives me pleasure to say that your "INTERNATIONAL PACKETT No. 21 "is the hest assortment and the thost value I have ever seen in stamps. I sold the one you sent to a young man who had bought a 1,000 variety packet for $\$ 15$ in New York. He said yours was the best, to say nothing of the alhum which goes with it. I have sold another for which you have the order, and have auother custonner in view. Yours very truly, D. H. BACON.

The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated October 22, 1892 :
Stantind Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-"INTERNATIONAL PACKET No. 21 " arrived all right yesterdayn. m. The premium which you sent with it was very satisfactory, while as to the packet itself. I can on!y say that I speut an bour or so with my customer looking over it in the afternoon, and he and myself were delighted! It was a magnificent collection for the money, and when I think what my first 1,000 stamps cost me about threc years ago, I am disgusted, etc.. etc.

Yours very truly.

1. H. BACON.

It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.
Standard Stamp Company:
Norristown, Pa.
Geatlemen-The 1nternational Packet No. 21, 1,000 all different stamps for $\$ 10$, whichi i purchased of you, was the finest in have ever seen, much excelling my greatiest exirectation 1 - $I$ amt also much obliged for the zaltuble PRIzts stamps you seni me?

830 Aich Street.
Yours truly,
CHAS. A. FARNUM.

Standard Stamp Company :
Gents-Received packeis of stamps, catalogue, etc., gafely, and am delighted with them. Yours respectiully,
32 Delaney Crescent. P. I: KOBERTS.
Omaha, Nrh., Marcli 10, 1804.
I have an Iuternational Packet No. 21 that wns given to me as a present by Theo. Konck. I have received your Internationet Packet No. 21 ajd I am very much pleased with it. I was offered a trade for S-tt's \$15.00 Packet, but I refused it. The S-_tt's $\$ 15.00$ packet boes Not cone up to your Interdational I'acket by a very long ways.

924 South 33rd Street.
Yours.
JAMES SHACKLEFORD.
Wat.than. Mass., Jammary 30, 1894.
Gentlenen-On account of having heard so nuch about your Packet No. 21, my expectations were up pretty higlı: but on receipt of the packet they were fully realized. Why, it is a fine collection in itself, and the atteution paid to good specimeus, and where there are varieties botlo being put in. makes it the best packet a collectot can buy.

11 Filn Street.
Yours respectinlly.
F. J. CU゙RTIS.

F゙ort Coltiss, Colo., February 27. 184.
Standard Stamp Companv:
Dear Sirs-I anm simply amazed at the contents of the packet (No. 21) just received. It contains a great many choice and beautiful stanups. Don't see how you do it! Was also surprised to find myself the lucky firth purchaser. HDW, H. HAI.L.

Eighty (80) packets sold within a few months and all purchasers pleased.

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| Standari Stamp Company : <br> Gents-Yonr packets received. I must say that | Cinctinnatt. O. y were a delightrul |
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| surprise to me, Finclosed please find \$1.25 for Statid | ackets No. 6 and 16. |
| Although my collection is yuite large, Ifound a grea | er in yout packets |
| I did not have, If this, ny testimony, is of any ur | ou, you duay use it. |
| am, In cate of Times-Star, Cincinnati, Very truly youts, <br> In cate of Times-Star, Cincinnati, $O$. | N MULFORD, JR. |

In cate of Tines-Star, Cincinnati, $O$.
BFN MULFORD, JR.

[^62]LIST OF PURCHASERS

## "INTERNATIONAL" PACKET No. 21

## During the past Four Months.

No. of Packets sold.
336 A. C. Myers, Druggist, Md.
337 Myron L, Fuller, 157 Spring street, Brockton, Mass.
338 Charles S. Ross, Box 127, Quincy, Ill.
339 Wın. C. Bailey, first-class sergeant, Signal Corps, Ft. Starton, New Mexico.
340 J. P. Wallace, 101 Drummond street, Vicksburg, Miss.
341 Jas. D. Moore, 1539 Retreat street, J3altimore, Md.
342 Torger S. Iversen, Stavanger, Sweden.
343 Robert H. Hutchins, S. Bartholomew's school, Morristown, N. J.
344 Wm. I. Kinkead, Altoona, Pa.
345 Edw. W. Hall, Drawer 10, Fort Collins, Colo.
346 Theo. Mack, 35 th and Mason streets, Omaha, Nei).
347 Frank W, Derlyy, Athol, Mass.
348 I. G. C. Macrerlie, room 2, Nat'l Ger, Bank, St. Paul, Minn.
349 Wur. Schinciler, Box 143, Winter Park, Fla.
$\$ 350$ A. L. Tafel, 1011 Arch street, Philadelplia Pa.
351 H. Butterfield, 605 Clinton street, Waukesha, Wis.
$352 \mathrm{~J} . \mathrm{J}$. Mauch, 327 N, Forest avenue, Dayton, O.
353 Moses Craig, M. S. Botanist, Corvallis, Oregon.
354 A. F. Thayer, 168 East $82 d$ street, New York City.
3ヵ5 J. M. Fowler, Jamaica Plain, Mass.
356 R. Osborne Dalton, 374 Newbury street, Boston, Mass.
357 John S. Flannigan, Camandaigua, N. Y.
358 W. O. F゙railey, Lancaster, Pa.
359 I. W. Russell Astley, 7 Chefoo road, Shagghai, Chiua.
$\mathbf{3 6 0}$ Elsa J. Muser, care Mitchell House, Thomasville, Ga.
361 Jos. McDonald, Tentopolis, Ilt.
362 Earl Whiting, Petersburg, Ky.
363 IV. I. Newberry, Redondo Hotel, Redondo Beach, Cal.
364 W. A. R. Schtilze, Nazareth Hall, Nazareth, Pa.

3655 Wibray J. Thompson, Calumet Plautation, Patterson, La. 366 W. M. Clark, 12 S. Cliff street, Ansonio, Conn.
367 M. M. Gill, 137 N. Sandusky street, Delaware, Ohio.
368 Geo. T. Murton, care F. M. \& Co., 29 Front street, Portland, Oregon.
369 P. M. Harvey, 444 Central avenue, Dover, N. H.
370 J. Halberstadt, 252 East 49th street, New York City.
371 Rev. Demetrius, Collegeville, Minn.
372 C. S. Thayer, 1 West 81st street, New York City.
373 Clias. F. Ransier, Independence, Iowa.
374 Bertram L. Greenwald, Bradford, Pa.
$\$ 37$ H. H. Carlion, Box 2228, San Francisco, Cal.
376 H. Hanburger, 6 and 8 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.
377 Irrank White, Colorado Springs, Colo.
378 C. Monteith Gilpin, Annapolis, Md.
379 Willis B. Allen, 87 Court street, Boston, Mass.
380 H. S. Oshorn, letter carrier No. 33, Cincinnati, Ohio.
381 Geo. A. James, Sycamore, Ill.
382 Wm. M. Conjers, 18 Front street, Hamilton, Bermuda.
383 Willie G. Swenson, Box 135, Abilene, Texas.
384 C. P. Sturgis, Long Valley, Cal.
$\mathbf{3 8 5}$ Miss Anna R. Beatty, Irauklin, Pa.
386 D. H. Bacon, Derby, Coun.
387 Samuel B. Greene, Monticello, N. Y.
388 F. O. Pilslury, Walpole, Mass.
389 W. M. Pike, Saco, Maine.
350 R. W. DeHaven, Wilmington, Delaware.
391 Anua D. Hubleell, 55 Oxford st., Rochester, N. Y.
392 Herbert ${ }^{1}$. Morris, 104 Bute st., Norfolk, Va.
393 Irancis C. Buchanan, Helensburgh, Scotland.
394 Allen E. Griffiu, Oberlin, Ohio.
:395 W. I.e B. Ross, Ottawa, Ont., Canada.
396 J. W. Lourie, 11 Chestnut st., Clinton, Mass.
397 Maurice C. Ashley, Middletown, N. Y.
398 S. W. Thaxter, Bangor, Maine.
399 F. C. Baugh, Howell, Ind.
400 F. J. Fischer, 1418 S. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.
401 F. J. l'ischer, I418 S. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.
402 H. W. McGregory, Palmer, Mass.
403 C. H. Tietsort, Fraukliu, 111.
404 R. B. Hotchkiss, I'ittsford, Vt.
405 J. N. Dagan, Port Huron, Mich.
406 B. W. Cobua, I't. Russell, Wyo.
407 Jose M. Esteve, Barcelona, Spain.
408 Artliur W. Morris, 557 Central st., Lowell, Mass.
409 Arthur W. Morris, 557 Ceutral st., Lowell, Mass.
410 C. W. Riches, Nora Springs, Iowa.
411 H. C. Kerber, Mooresburg, Tenn.
412 Waiter N. Eastburn, Yardley, Pa.
413 C. W. Bell, Ag't Am. Ex. Co., Earlville, Iowa.
414 Mrs. J. A. A. W. Clark, Augusta, Ga.
415 Adolph Rieloff, Milwaukee, Wis.
416 George E. Stanton, Stanton, Ill.
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India Service, Tasmania, Finland, Salvador, Guatemala, Venezuela, United States of Columbia, Nicaragua, Brazil, old issue of Wurtemburg and official envelopes, Victoria, old Turkey, includ1865, 1869-92 issues, also scarce unpaid, Egrypt, Japan, rare Uruguay, Chili 1852-86, many kiuds, West Australia, Austrian and Russian-Levant, Shaughai, including unpaid, and from many other countries.

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Every packet contains also a 90 -cent stamp of 1872 issue, a scarce 30 -cent orauge of 1861 issue, worth 40 cents each, and a rare 30 -cent brown of 1888 issue.

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We guarantee good value.
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GARRIE CORTELYON.

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Standarn Stamp Company :
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SoUtif Kaukanna, wis.. April 25, 1802.
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Roxnury, Mass., Feb. 1. 189t
Gentlemen-Received the International packet few days ago and was very wuch pleased with it. Thave tried many stamp companues but I hke none as well gis yours.

Yours truly.
CHFSTEREFGREENWOOD
Conway, N. H., Feb 7.1894.
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I an more than pleased with them

Yours truly.
Lock Box 70.
ARTELER G. I.ORD.
Rochegter, N. Y., Match 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your jacket No. 20 received to-day and I tutust say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I received.

72 Rowe street.
Youts truly,
E. FEELY.

Baltimorf, Mt., Oct. 18. 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your approval sheets; they were very fine
1430 W . Tanvale strect. Yours veryrruly, FDGAK KHNDIG,

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No. Date. Value. Color. ..... $\begin{array}{rr}\text { New. } & \text { Used. } \\ \$ 200 & 060 \\ 750 & 300\end{array}$
18 1847, 5c brown (Franklin).
40 ..... 25
20 1851, 1c llue (Franklin)
19 1847, 10c hack (Washington).
No. Date. Value. Color. New.
21 1851, 1c blue, varicty, (broken circle).... 1500
22 1851, 3c red (Washingto11) ..... 25
23 1851, 5c brown (Jeffersoñ) ..... 2000
24 1851, 10c green (Washington). ..... 150
25 1851, 12c black (Washington). ..... 250
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washington)
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin).
Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washingtou)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, lc blue (Franklin) ..... 50 ..... 25
30 1857, 1c blue, variety. ..... 15 ..... 12
31 1856, 3c red (Washington) ..... 05 ..... 02
32 1857, 3c red (Washiggton), with outer line ..... 25
500
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson)
1.500
34 1857, 5c rerl-brown (Jefferson).
36 1855, 10c green (Washington). ..... 60
200
35 1857, 5c browu (Jefferson), ornaments at top and bottom cut off ..... 200 ..... 200
37 1857, 12c black (Washington) ..... 75
38 1860, 24c lilac (Washington). ..... 350
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 400
40 1860, 90c blue (Washington). ..... 1000 ..... 1350

- U.S. and value in corners.
41 1861, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 15 ..... 03
43 1861, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 75 ..... 25
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jeffersou). ..... 1500
500
45 1861, 10c greeu (Washington). ..... 40
46 1861, 12c black (Washington). ..... 50
47 1861, 24c 1ilac (Washington). ..... 75 ..... 250548 1861, 30c orange (Frankiin)150
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington). ..... 350
175
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 400
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson). ..... 08
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 10
25
40
100
54 1866, 15e black (Lincoln) ..... 60030130

750 02 700 75 125
250

25030
60
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600

No. Late. Value. Color. New. Used•
55 1866, 24c mauve (Washington). 250 ..... 75
Embossing measuring if $x / 3 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, lc blue ..... 100 ..... 40
61 1868, 2c bLack ..... 40 ..... 10
62 1868, 3c rose. 20 ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green. ..... 30
64 1868, 12c black ..... 30
65 1868, 15c black ..... 30
Embossing neasuring $9 \times 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
66 1868, 1c blue ..... 100 ..... 40
67 1868, 2c black ..... 20 ..... 10
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 1569 1868, 5c brown.500150
100 70 1868, 10c green ..... 35
71 1868, 12c black 100 ..... 50
72 1868, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 30
73 1868, 24c violet ..... 250 ..... 250
74 1868, 30 c orange ..... 350 ..... 250
75 1868, 90c blue 1500 ..... 1200
Various designs in square.
With embossing measuring $91 / 2 x 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
76 1869, 1c buff (Franklin) ..... 30 ..... 40
77 1869, 2c browu (Horseman) ..... 2578 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive)1089 1869, 6c blue (Washington)150
0210080 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle).
50
60
75
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship)
32 1869, 15c brown and blue (Landing of Co- lumbus) ..... 500 ..... 50 ..... 250
200
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (Picture, framed) ..... 125
84 1869, 24c green and purple (Declaration of Independence) ..... 1000 ..... 650
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle). ..... 1000 ..... 275
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln) 1700 ..... 1200
Head to teft in oral, with embossing measuring $9 \times 1 T_{1 / 2}^{12 m}$. 101 1870, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 40
No. Iate. Value. Color. New.

Used.

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102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stanton) ..... 350
106 1870, 10c brown (Jefferson) ..... 800
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay)
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 600
1091870,24 c purple (Scott)
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 1000
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) ..... 1750
Same, embossing measuring 8 y/2 $\times$ rol/2 mm .
112 1870, 1c blue ..... 40
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 10
114 1870, 3c green ..... 03Same, without cmbossing.
115 1872, Ic blue ..... 05 ..... 01
116 1872, 2c brown ..... 08 ..... 02
117 1872, 3c green ..... 08 ..... 01
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 25 ..... 02
119 1872, 7c vermilion ..... 75 ..... 30
$120 \quad 1872,10 \mathrm{c}$ brown ..... 30 ..... 02
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 150 ..... 30
$1221872,15 \mathrm{c}$ orange ..... 30
03
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 250
124 1872, 30c black ..... 75
125 1872, 90c carmine ..... 225
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 05
017515
40
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 20 ..... 03
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 10 ..... 02
129 1882, 1c Iight blue, re-engraved ..... 03
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved ..... 08
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 15
$1321882,10 \mathrm{c}$ brown, re-engraved ..... 20
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington) ..... 05
134 1883, 4c green (Jackson) ..... 12
135 1887, 2c green ..... 03
No. Date, Value. Color. New, ..... Used.
136 1887, 3c permilion ..... 12 ..... 10
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 02 ..... 01
Same as /872-'83 issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 02
1391888 , 30c puce brown ..... 35
140 1888, 90c purple ..... 75
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 04
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, 1c ultramarine ..... 01
1431890 , 2c cammine ..... 01
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 02
145 1890, 4c clark brown ..... 01
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 01
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 05
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 08
149 1890, 10c green ..... 01
150 1890, 15 c dark blue ..... 08
151 1890, 30c black ..... 12
$1521890,90 \mathrm{c}$ orauge ..... 75
COLUMBLAN ISSUE.
153 1893, Lc deep bIue (Columbus in sight of land) ..... 03 ..... 01
154 1893, 2c violet (Janding of Columbus) ..... 0.5 ..... 01
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 06
156 18)3, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) ..... 08 ..... 05
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus soliciting aid of Isabella) ..... 10 ..... 05
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 10 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 10 ..... 10
$1601893,10 \mathrm{c}$ black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 15 ..... 05
161 1893, 15 c dark green (Columbusamouncing his discovery) ..... 25 ..... 25

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No. Date. Value Color. New. Used.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 50 ..... 50
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus). ..... 75
164 1893, \$1.00 salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) 600 ..... 500
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chaius) ..... 300 ..... 250
166 1893, $\$ 3.00$ yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his thitd voyage) ..... 400 ..... 350
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus aud Isabella) 550 ..... 500
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columlrus) ..... 650 ..... 500
SPECIAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 20 ..... 05
2531893 , LOc orange ..... 15 ..... 06
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c bltue (Washington) ..... 1200
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 750
Reprint.
$3031805,25 \mathrm{c}$ red (Lincoln) ..... 750
Reprint.White Border.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 200
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 15
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 25
308 1875, 6c black ..... 40
309 1875, 8c black ..... 401.5
310 1875, 9c black ..... 100050
311 1875, 10c black ..... 25
312 1885, le black ..... 15
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 5020404050
314 1875, 24c canmine ..... 6060

STANDARD STAMP COMPANY, ST. IOUYS, MO.
No. Date. Value. Color. New.$3151875,36 c$ carmiue75
75
$3161875,48 \mathrm{c}$ carmine ..... 125 ..... 125
$3171875,60 \mathrm{c}$ carmine ..... 125 ..... 125
318 1875, 72c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
320 1875, 96c carmine ..... 250 ..... 250
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 350 ..... 350
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 600 ..... 500
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 850 ..... 600
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1200
325 1875, 12d green ..... 15.00
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2400
327 1875, 36d red ..... 3600
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 4500
329 1875, 60d violet ..... 6000
UNPAID LETVEER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, le browu ..... 05
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 05
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 05
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 15
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 15
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 100
357 1879, 50c hrown ..... 275
358 1885, le red brown ..... 03
359 1885, 2c red brown ..... 03
300 1885, 3c red brown ..... 25
361 1885, 5c red browtı ..... 08
362 1885, 10c red brown ..... 06
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 02
305 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 05
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 03
368 1893, 30c bright claret
369 1893, 50c bright claret
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberty surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date, Value. Color. ..... New.
Used.
696 1893, lc deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 04 ..... 02
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 25 ..... 25
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 35 ..... 35
LETTER SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c greeu (Grant) ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICLAL STAMPS.
Perforated.
All, except Post Office, same Design as Gencral /ssue, with Name of Department above.Agriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 100 ..... 100
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 75 ..... 75
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 30 ..... 20
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 60 ..... 60
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 350 ..... 350
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 500 ..... 500
807 1873, 15c straw ..... 250 ..... 250
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 250 ..... 250
809 1873, 30c straw 300 ..... 300
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 500 ..... 500
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 500 ..... 500
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
813 1873, 6c carmine ..... 1000 ..... 1000
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
Interior.
815 1873, le vermilion ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 03
817 1873, 3c vermilion ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 05
819 1873, 10c vermilion ..... 20
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
$8201873,12 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 20
821 1873, 15 e vermilion ..... 20
822 1873, 24c vermilion. ..... 25
823 1873, 30c vermilion ..... 30 ..... 60
824 1873, 90c vermilion. ..... 125
Justice.
825 1873, 1e purple ..... 100 ..... 100
826 1873, 2c purple 100 ..... 100
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 50 ..... 50
828 1873, 6e purple ..... 60 ..... 60829 1873, 10c purple
125
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 125 ..... 125125
300
831 1873. 15c purple ..... 300
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 600 ..... 600
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 1250 ..... 1250
834 1873, 90c purple ..... 2500 ..... 2500
Navy.
835 1873, 1c blue ..... 50
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
$836 a$ 1873, 2c green (error) ..... 1000
837 1873, 3e blue ..... 25 ..... 15
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 40 ..... 40
839 1873, 7c blue ..... 500 ..... 500
840 1873, 10c blue ..... 100 ..... 100
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 100 ..... 100
842 1873, 15 c blue ..... 200 ..... 200
843 1873, 24c blue ..... 300 ..... 300
844 1873, 30c blue ..... 200 ..... 300
845 1873, 90c blue 600 ..... 600
Post Ofica.Figure of Valuc in Oral.
846 1873, 1c black ..... 20 ..... 20
847 1873, 2c black ..... 20 ..... 20
848 1873, 3c black ..... 05 ..... 02
849 1873, 6e black ..... 20 ..... 10
850 1873, 10c black ..... 75 ..... 75

STANDARD STAMP COMIPANY, ST. LOUIS, MO.
No. Date. Valne. Color. New. Used.
851 1873, 12e black ..... 50 ..... 40
852 1873, 15c black ..... 40 ..... 35
853 1873, 24c black ..... 75 ..... 70
854 1873, 30c black ..... 5040
855 1873, 90c black 125 ..... 100
Post Oflice Seal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, green ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Obitum) ..... 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10Lithographed.
858a 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 05
Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, brown
Rouletted.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858 e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd
Stite.
859 1873, lc green. ..... 60 ..... 6005
860 1873, 2c green ..... 250
250
861 1873, 3c green ..... 50
862 187.3, be green ..... 60
863 1873, 7e green ..... 100
$86+1873,10 \mathrm{c}$ green. ..... 100
$86.51873,12 \mathrm{c}$ green ..... 200 ..... 200
866 1873, 15c green ..... 150
867 1873, 24c green ..... 250
868 1873, 30c grecn ..... 400
869 1873, 90 c green ..... 550
870 1873, 2d black and greetı ..... 1200
871 1873, 5cl black and green. ..... 10000
872 1873, 10cl black and green. ..... 5000
873 1873, 20cd black and green. ..... 400050
60
1001001502504005501200
100005000
Treasury
874 1873, 1c brown ..... 25 ..... 10
875 1873, 2c brown ..... 25 ..... 08
No. Date, Value. Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3c brown. ..... 08 ..... 02
877 1873, 6c brown. ..... 15 ..... 06
878 1873, 7c brown. ..... 125 ..... 125
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 30880 1873, 12c brown30
881 1873, 15c browu, ..... 30 ..... 2015
15
500
882 1873, 24c brown. ..... 400
50
883 1873, 30c brown. ..... 20
150
884 1873, 90e brown. ..... 60
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 05 ..... 05
886 1873, 2c red ..... 05 ..... 05
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, Ge red ..... 05 ..... 05
$8891873,7 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... - 50 ..... 150
$8901873,10 c$ red ..... 20 ..... 20
891 1873, 12c red ..... 20 ..... 20
892 1873, 15c red ..... 20 ..... 20
893 1873, 24c red ..... 50 ..... 50
804 1873, 30c red ..... 30 ..... 25
895 1873, 90c red ..... 100 ..... 75

Berrefngton, Kansas, April 16, 1893.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-Your sheets are by far the best I have ever received from any dealer.
STANDARD STAMP COMPANY: May 14, 1893.Geatemen-Allow me to say that I have seen a great many sheets from
different firms in this country inside of five years, but ithitk yours are thebest of them ah/ rhey are just what I want-brigitt, clean, sheap and goodvarietyYours truly,
A. W. DEJARNATT.

## Standard Stamp Company:

Dear Sirs-Your sheets were the best I ever saw. I have tried many firms, but none send as good stamps as you do. Yours truly.

REID I. CARR.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-I must say that yout firm is the best I ever dealt with, being both prontpin answering your letters and giving best satisfaction to your customers. Yout agent,
42 Front Street. W. Toronto, Capada.
H, C. BEDLINGTON.

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

## GENERAI ISSUE.



A1.
No. Date Type. Value. Color.
71 1861, A1, 5c greem.
72 1861, A1, 5c dark green
73 1861, A2, 10c blue


A2.
New. Used.

A3.



A4.

74
74
1862, A3, 2c green.
1862, A1, 5c blue
. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 50
300

25
80 1862, A4, Sc blue, lithographed25


A5.

1862, A1, Sc dark blue
76 1862, A1, Sc dark blue300250

10
78 1862, A4, 5c blue. ..... 10

15
79 1862, A4, 5c pale blue ..... 10
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated.
82 1863, A5, 2crose. ..... 25 ..... 200


A6.


A8.
No. Jate. Type Value Color. New.831863, A $6,10 \mathrm{c}$ blue$\$ 30$Used.84 1863, A7, 10c blue25$\$ 3.50$
20
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue ..... 03 ..... 10
86 1863, A8, 10c ligtat blue ..... 08
86 1863, A8, 10c light blue ..... 10
87 1863, A8, 10 c greenish bltue ..... 10
88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line) ..... 3 60
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75 ..... 500


A9.


A10.
90 1863, A9, 20c green. ..... $\$ 010$ ..... $\$ 200$
COA 1863, A9, 20c green, perforated, fine specimen on original letter. ..... 2000
91 1864, A10, lc orange. ..... 50

Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-Your sheets are very neat and pleasing, and the mon.
astonnding bargains I have ever seen in stanps. Hightstown, N. J.

Yours, for business,
R. W. DUDLEYY.

Standari Stamp Company:
Geutlemen-I sell more from your sheets than from those of anybody else Yours, very truly,
Fairbault, Minn.
H. A. SCANDRETT.

## Coupons in Standard Packets.

We beg to call special attention to our Coupon Sysrem, which practically reduces prices on our Packets from 5 to 20 per cent. In every Standard Packet worth 25 cents and above will be found a Coupon, which we redeem at the rate of 5 cents each if sent in lots of not less than ten at one time. For particulars, read Coupons!

## Schedule Showing Increase of Sales of STANDARD PACKETS since 1885.

We sold during-


These sales of Packets are larger than the combined sales of any three other firms in this country.

If you cannot buy "STANDARD" Packets, you had better not buy Stamps in Packets at all, as you will be disappointed in nine cases out of ten.

## ONLY \$15.00.

## OUR STANDARD STOCK OF STAMPS, No. I

CONSISTE OF THF FOLLOWING:

2,000 finely mixed Furopean stamps, for packets, etc.
1,000 finely mixed South Central American and Mexican stamps. 1,000 finely mixed British Colonial stamps.
1,000 finely mixed United States stamps.
500 all different stamps, a good collection.
1,500 finely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15,20,25$, and 50 cents each-a grand assortment.

7,000 stamps for only $\$ 15.00$ net cash, no discount.
We give free with each of above lots, 250 blank approval sheete of the finest onjon skin paper, two sizes, and ten sheets of our "Standard" peyforaled hinges for momnting these stamps.

This entire lot for only \$15.00, post free in United States and Canada. $\$ 2.00$ postage extra to all other countries. Auy smart young man can clear from $\$ 20.00$ to $\$ 30.00$ on this lot.

NOTICE: Other dealers may offer a similar stock at a lower price-we guarantee better quality in every case!

If you wish to become a Stamp Dealer you should buy one of our COMPLETE Stacks of Stamps. Best Value! Biggest Profit!

Onion skin Approval Sheets. Sheets ruled to hold 20 stamps. 12 for 10 cents, 30 for 20 cents, 50 for 35 ceuts, 100 for 40 cents.

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## ONLY \$25.00.

## Our Standard Stock, No. 2

CONTAINS:

3,000 finely assorted European stamps for packets, etc.
1,500 finely assorted Stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15,20$, 25,50 cents and $\$ 1.00$ each.
1,000 all different stamps from all parts of the world.
1,500 finely assorted United States stamps, including departments, etc.
1,500 finely assorted British Colonial stamps.
1,500 finely assorted South Central American and Mexican stamps.

10,000 Stamps for $\$ 25.00$.

## NET CASH: NO DISCOUNT:

With the above, we give free 300 fine onion skin approval sheets and 20,000 perforated "Standard" stamp hinges for mounting this lot ou sheets.

This is the best and most complete stock in the market, and allows of a larger profit than any similar lot ever offered. These stamps will retail at $\$ 75.00$ to $\$ 80.00$ at the very least.

The finest stock for anyone who intends going into the stamp business and not wishing to invest heavily at first.

Price, $\$ 25.00$, post free in the United States and Canada; $\$ 2.00$ postage extra to all other countries.

We allow so per cent. commission from our Approval Sheets. Try them.

SHOW THIS LIST TO YOUR FRIENDS.

## ONLY \$10.00. Our Standard Stock, No. 3

CONTAINS:

1,000 very finely mixed European stamps.
700 very fitely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15$, 20,25 and 50 cents each.
500 all different stamps, a nice lot.
600 finely mised United States stamps, including departments, envelopes, unpaid, etc.
600 finely mixed British Colonjals.
600 finely mixed Soutl and Central American and Mexican stamps, a good jot.
4,000 stamps for only $\$ 10.00$, net cash, no discount.
With the above we give free 125 blank approval sheets, two sizes, and 8,000 stamp hinges of various kinds.

All post paid in United States, Canada and Mexico.

## ONLY \$5.00. Our Standard Stock, No. 4

CON'TANS:
509 very finely mixed European stamps.
300 very finely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,10,15,20$ and 25 cents each.
300 all different stamps.
250 finely mixed United States Stamps, including Departmeut, ctc.
250 finely mixerl Britislı Colonials.
250 finely mixed South and Central American and Mexican statmps, a good lot.
1,850 fine stamps for only $\$ 5.00$.
With the above we give free 50 blank approval sheets, two sizes, and 3,000 stamp hinges.

All post free in Uuited States, Canada and Mexico.

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## "Standard" Mixtures for Approval Sheets

consist of the same grades of stamps which we use on our nwn incomparable sheets. All stamps are guarauteed clean and in good coadition.

## PRICES:

To retail at not less than ic each, $\$ 0.40$ per 100, $\$ 3.00$ per 1,000 To retail at not less than 2 c each, .60 per $100,5.00$ per 1,000 To retail at not less than 3 c each, 1.00 per $100,88.50$ per 1,000 To retail at not less than 5 c each, 2.00 per $100,17.50$ per 1,000

Mixture consisting of stamps to retail at $6,8,10,15,20$ and 25 c each, $\$ 3.00$, well mixed.

Fifty sold at 100 rate, and 500 at 1.000 rate. We will send a sample assortment, 50 stamps of each mixture, for only $\$ 3.25$.

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so Blank Approval Sheets are sent Free with every order for above of $\$ \mathbf{5 . 0 0}$ or more at one time.

## BLANK APPROVAL SHEETS.

We have manufactured especially for our trade the finest Onion Skin Approval Sheets, for mounting stamps, that can be obtained.

The paper is durable, but very thin, and can be used many times.

Sheets will accommodate 25 or 50 stamps.
The printed instructions given on each sheet are as follows: No. .

## ALL STAMPS SOLD ARE GUARANTEED GENUINE.

Do not soil or write on the sheet. Fold it only along the broad lines. 'this sheet to be returued, in good order, within ten days.

## PRICES OFSHEETS:

For 25 stamps, 12 for 10 cents; 30 for 20 cents ; 50 for 25 cents ; 100 for 40 cents ; 1,000 for $\$ 3.75$.

For 50 stamps, 50 for 50 cents; 100 for 80 cents; 1,000 for $\$ 7.00$.
ALL POST FFEE.

## GUMMED PAPER.

We manufacture the best gummed hinge in the market.
Our "Standard Stamp Hinges" are Perforated, the most convenient way to get them apart, not necessary to use scissors or knife. Size, $17 \times 23$ inches. A sheet contains 1,000 hinges.

## PRICES.

1 sheet, 10 cents; 3 sheets, 25 cents ; 6 sheets, 40 cents; 10 sheets, 60 cents; 25 sheets, $\$ 1.25$; 50 sheets, $\$ 2.25 ; 100$ sheets, $\$ 3.75$; 1,000 sheets, $\$ 30.00$.
all are sent post fret.
For collectors who prefer to cut their hinges, we recomnend our

## UNPERFORATED GUMMED PAPER,

 same size as above, $17 \times 32$ inches, at the following prices:|  | 10 cents | 25 sheets | \$100 |
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| 3 sheets | 18 cents | 50 sheets | 175 |
| 6 sheets | 30 cents | 100 sheets | 300 |
| 10 shee | 45 cents |  | 2500 |

## OTHER BRANDS.

## THE "EXCELSIOR" STAMP HINGE.

These hinges are die cut, just a couvenient size for any stamp.

Price, 10 cents per 1,$000 ; 3,000$ for 25 cents; 6,000 for 40 cents; 10,000 for 60 cents.

## THE "PFIRFECT" STAMP HINGE.

Same size as the "Excelsior," but the paper used is somewhat lighter and stronger. Same price as the "Excelsior" hinge.

## THE ' COLUMBUS" STAMP HINGE.

They are undoubtedly the best and most convenient hinges made and when used together with our "Standard" perforated hinges, will answer all requirements of a stamp collector. The "Columbus' hinge is made of very fine, strong, thin onion skin paper, with excellent gumming and is cut to convenient shape. Prices are the same as the "Excelsior" and "Perfect."

We will send a sample thousand of all five kinds, as listed above, 5,000 hinges in all, for only 35 ceuts, post paid.

## Approval Sheet Department.

We would call the special attention of collectors to our Approval Sheets, which on account of our enormous stock are unequaled in variety and price by any other dealer in the world.

This is one of the best methods to buy stamps, as collectors can inspect the stamps before buying. Our sheets comprise over 8,000 varieties, and although we price our stamps very low-in many instances below catalogue prices-we allow a discount or commission of

## 50 PER CENT.

on all sales of foreign stamps. Besides, we give a valuable Prenilum stamp FREE with each remittance of $\$ 1.00$ or over at one time, usually consisting of one or more stamps worth about ten per cent. of amount remitted. We have over 100,000 uames of persons who have received our sheets, and have open accounts with 30,000 to 35,000 ageuts almost all the year round; during the busy months the number sometimes reaches 40,000 to 45,000 . To satisfy the wants of all these many thousand customers requires a large force of clerks, which are under the direct control of Mr. Louis Flachskamm, who has systematized this important branch of our business in such a way that sheets can be sent to over 1,200 agents in one day and credit given to those making returns!

Kare Stamps, valued at from $\$ 5.00$ each and upwards, will be sent to advanced collectors upon receipt of good references.

We do not allow 50 per cent. discount on such very rare stamps, but still allow enough to render prices very reasonable.

## CHEAP STAMPS FOL BEGINNELS A SPECIALTY.

We have every facility to supply the wants of the beginner, and our stock of cheap sheets is simply enormous.

Our prices compare favorably with those of other dealers, being in most cases lower, although our discount is larger!

[^66]Orders for packets, sets, albums, etc., should not be written upon the blank formula sent out with each lot of sheets, but must be written plainly on a separate piece of paper, with full name and address of sender. It is only by strict adherence to this rule that orders can be filled without delay.

Returns for Sheets must be made 10 days after receipt. Collectors or agents who desire to retain them longer, should inform us by postal card, explaining the delay.

IRemittances should be made in unused United States stamps of 1 or 2c (latter preferred) denominations, for amounts under 50 cents, while larger amounts should be sent by Post Office Money Order, Express Money Order, or Draft. Personal checks for small amounts are subject to 25 c each for collection. Bank notes or silver may be sent safely by registered mail ; the latter must be wrapped up well, otherwise it will wear through the envelope.

All valuable letters are sent by registered mail, and we request our agents to return them in the same way, otherwise we zuill not be responsible if lost.

If our patrons will observe the above rules, they will never find reason for complaint, as we give prompt and careful atten- tion to everyone, whether his returns are large or small.

We publish below a few unsolicited

## THES'MIMONIALE

which were received, amongst a vast number of others, during the last season. We believe that this will induce you to apply for au agency for our goonls, and we are couvinced that, after the first trial, we can depend upon you as a regular customer.

Gentlemen-I nm in receipt of your registered favor of March 31st. Thantes, and allow me to sny tight here. llat ithink your sheets. for assortment and prices, are the best 1 have ever seen, and $/$ can assure vou that $I$ have had agood many and from many different houses the past eighteen inouths. Youts, very truly,
D. H. BACON.

Try our International Packet, No. 21, if you wish something GOOD.

Burlincton, Kanses, April 16. 1893.
Standasd Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-Your sheets are by far the best I have ever received from any nealer.

Yours trily. HENRY H. MILIER.

Standard Stamp Companv:
May 14, 1893.
Gentlemen-Allow me to say that I liave seen a great many sheets from different firms in this country inside of five years, but in think yours are the best of them all / "hey are just what I want-bright, clean, cheap aud good variety.

189 E Grecu Street, Cbicago, 111.
A. W. DEJARNATT.

STAHDARJ STAMP COMPANY:
Dear Sirg-Your sheets were the best I ever saw. I havetried many firms. hut none send as good stamps as yon do

Middlebury, Vt.

Yones trily.
KEIV I. CARR.

Standard Stamp Company:
Geutg-I must say that your firm is the best I ever dealt with, being both prompl in answering your letters and giving best satisfaction to your customers.

Your agezt,
42 Front Street, W. Toronto, Canada.
H. © BEDLINGTON.

STANDARD STAMP COMPANY:
Cevtlenieu-Your sheets are very neat and pleagiuk, and the most astounding bargains I have cuer seen in stamps. Yours, for business.

Hightstown, N. J.
R. W. DUULIFY.

STANTARD STAMP COMPASVV:
Genalenien-I sell more from your sheets than from those of mybody else. Yours. very truly.
Fairbault, Minn.
H. A. SCANDRETT.

STANDARI STANP COMFANY:
I will say that I am higtily pleased witin stampa. I thitak the approval shectsares big largain. and I have concluded to purchase thenn.

Very truiy yours.
717 btin Street, N. Ki. Washingloti, D. C. HARRY M. THATCHER.

Use our "Standard Hinges" for inserting stamps in albums. Only 10 cents per shect of 1,000 stannp mounts.

We allow 50 per cent commission from our Approval Sheets. Try them.

> If you wish to become a Stamp I Caler you should buy one of our COMPLIETE Rtocks of Stamps. Best Value: Biggest Profit!

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## Wholesale Department.

We offer a number of very fine mixtures for sheets, etc., at very low prices.

European mixture contains stamps from Austria, old issmes, France, old issues, Russia, Portitgal, Roumania, Servia, Bulgaria, Swerlen, Norway, Denmark, Creat Britain, Italy, Greece, Bosnia, etc. This mixture contains no common so-called Contineutals, but only the better class of European stamps. Good variety guaranteed. Price, per 100,25 cents; per $1,000, \$ 1.50$.

Britisin Colonies mixture contains such stamps as East India, old and new, also Service, Janaica, Cape of Good Hope, West aud South Australia, Victoria, Queensland, New Zealand, etc. Good variety guaranteed. Price. per 100, 25 cents; per 1,000, $\$ 1.50$.

Sonth and Central American and Mexican mixture includes Mexican many kinds and issues, Argentine Republic, ditto, Brazil, Colombia, Honduras, Nicaragua, Salvador, Venezuela, Costa Rica, Chili, old and new, Peru, British Guiana, etc., etc. Good variety guarauteed. Price, per $100, \$ 1.00$; per 1,000 , $\$ 7.50$.

We publish a monthly price-list for Incalers only. This fist will be sent gratis upon application, which must be made by letter (not postal card), and addressed to "Wholesale Departinent,' Staudard Stamp Co., No. 4 Nicholson Place, St. Louis, Mo.

This list will contain prices on stamps which we import in excess of our own requiremeuts. We inport probably as mavy stamps per antum as any deater in this country, and have always a large surplus stock. This list will he of considerahle importance to dealers as we will therein offer stamps which are not found in Wholesale Dealers' Lists generally. Another importatut feature wilt be the considerable reduction in prices. We all know that present wholesale prices allow no profit whatever for the smaller dealers. We will therefore furnish you with
a list in which we offer good stamps at reasonable prices! Dealers who wish to receive this list promptly every month winl kindly state this in their letter.

Owing to lack of time, we are unable to send wholesale selections on approwal; all we have to offer will be found in above monthly Wholesale Lists.

This list will only be seut to bona fide dealerg, it is not intended for collectors:

## Reprints,

## Counterfeits and Government Remainders.

As there seem to be differences in opinion anoug stanp collectors who are unable to distinguish a reprint from an original or counterfeit stamp, we will endeavor to explain the matter to them in as few words as possible.

Ireprints are stamps printed fom the same plate as the originals. As some of the old original stamps are very high in price, a reprinted specimen is often welconed by the collector to fill a vacant space, which otherwise would be left blank for an indefinte period.

A Iteprint is not it Cournterfeit, although it is worth ouly a fraction of the value of an original. We sell IReprints only us sueh:

A Connterfeit staup is absolutely worthless and no more deserves a place in a stamp album than a spool label or a cigarette picture.

Use ovre "Standurd Hinges" for inserting stumps in flhums. Only 10 cents per sheet of 1,000 stantp monnits.

## SHOW THIS LIST' TO YOUK FIIENDS.

## GOVERNMENT REMAINDERS.

When a series of postage stamps is superseded by a new issue, the stock of old stamps remaining on hand is then often disposed of at a nominal sum and is in most cases sold to some realer in stamps. It is therefore very clear why a stamp whose face value was, say, 50 cents, can afterwards be sold at 5 or' 6 cents each.

All stamps sold liy us are absolutely gmaranteed Gentuine and Authentic!

We never handle counterfeits, and sell reprinted stamps only as such.

Please haul this list to a collecting friend if you are not interested. We will be glad to send this list free to any one of your friends.

YOU WILL HIND THAT

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has a line of our famous<br>\section*{STANDARD PACKETS, STANDARD ALBUMS, STAMPS IN SETS, ETC.,}<br>on Sale.

ILEASE ASK HIM TO SHOW YOU IIIS ASSORTMENT.

By purchasiug our goods in your own city you will save time and tronble of sending far away from home and you can see the goods before you buy.

We are represented by Jranch Arencies in Hook and Stationery Stores everywhere.

Be sure and ask for STANDAISD Minckets, ete., as there are worthless IMITATIONS on the market.

## MEMORANDUM.

## ALBUMS.



This Album is particularly adapted to the requirements of a small collection, and is used by thousands of beginners.

Above is a reduced illustration of the cover, and below is a sample page of Veueznela, showing general appearance of the alhutn.

## SPACES FOR NEW COLUMBIAN SERIES.

Spaces for 2,500 Statups.
Size of Pages, $7 \times 10$ iuches.

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Hundred Pages.

Consisting of a fine quality paper, with printed information ar the top, and also illustrations of stamps of various countries.


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No. 3. Printed on the fiwest cream-tinted paper, handsomely hound im full cloth, with gilt lettering. post free all kinds of Rare Thited States Department and Revente stamps; also Rare, Confederate stamps. We pay highest prices for any of above named stamps.

DO YOU KNOWthat there are thousants of old and valuable United States and Confederate States stamps in this country to the value of Manv Thoustan Dollars? Go and look for your old lettets stored away in old trunks and boses, int garrets or cellars: others fiave found them, and why should yon not be jnst as fortunate? The most valuable stamps will be found on the letters of old lusiness and banking firms and it is well worth while to make an effort and look for them.

Not long ago a person in Louisville, Ky., found two old stamps, for which we paid him \$65.00 apiece. Another person in the sinuth fonnd a lot of old stamps, which he solyl for 5700 (seven hundred dohars). There are certain Uttited States stamps for which we pay from $\$ 100$ to $\$ 200$ each. There are a great many for which we pay from $\$ 1$ to $\$ 5$ each. Xou may be alble to find some as well as anyone else, and would advise you to examine any olf correspondence youmay come across. We will send a 24 -page list of prices we pay for them in cash to any address upon receipt of ten cents.

## CANADIAN COLLECTORS.

We take sphare cut Canasian Envelope stamps in exchange for stamps from our sheets and allow bs? cents for them per 100. Any grond British North American stamps taken.

Canada Law and Bill stamps taken at 25 cents per 100 in exchange. Canada Registerell Letter stamps taken in exchange for stantus from our sheets at following prices:

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We pay 25 e per 1,000 in exehange for common Canada stamps of 1,2 and 3 c values; $\$ 2.50$ per 1,000 for 5 and oc values. We pay 50 c per 100 for any other values. We pay 50 c per 100 up to 55.00 apiece for old issues. Kemember, above prices are allowed in exchange, mot for cash.

We correspond in I:oglish, German, Irench and Spanish.

> STANDARD STAMP CO,
> NO. 4 NICHOLSON PLACE, ST. LOUIS, MO.

## Agents Wanted.

We want gool energetic agents in all schools and colleges in the United States and Canada to sell stamps from our Approval Sheets.

We aliow 50 per eent. commission on all stamps sold from our Approval Sheets.

Every agent who remits $11 \mathrm{~s} \$ 1.00$ or over at one time for stamps sold from sheets, will receive FREE as a

## PRIZE -- A RARE STAMP

usually worth about 10 per cent. of the NeT amount remitted. For further particulars, see another page of this list.

## Exchange.

We take stamps in exchange if sent in Large quantrites. Very common stamps are declined

We never give packets, albuns, kets or special bargains in exchange for other stamps, as everything advertised in this list is sold only for cash. Selections of exchauge stamps must in all cases be left to us.

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2957 Indiana aveuue.
RE゙V, JNO. HENRY HARROWS.
SOLTII KAUKAN:A, Wrs., April 25, 1892.
Stanibard stamp Company :
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Gents-Yaur packets received and 1 find them to be the best I ever received from auy otber fitm. Yours respectfully,

JNO. D. ${ }^{\text {SMIMH. }}$
DALLAS, TEX., Sept. $25,1891$.
STANDARD STAMP COMPANT:
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312 Maiustreet. V'vurg truty, ANGEJODs STEPANO.

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In care of Times-Star, Cinclnnati, 0.
So. Denver, Cot.O., Feb. 13, 1894.
Gentlemen-I recelved your packet No. 19 to-day and am well pleased. It was mote of a variety than I expected, Box 37.

Yours traly.
L. LEE THURHER.

Jamaica. L. IH N. Y., March 4. 1894
Gentlemen-Received packets all right and must say tiey are "A $1,0, K$." To celebrate the occaston pleage send me two more packets No. 312

Chichester avenne. Yours truly. WM. WEBBI.
Osnkosw, Wis, Sept. 8, 1893.
Gentlemen-piease send me some more approval sheets. I am an ageat for a good many companies but thinl your approval slicets are better ban any others.

191 II gh atrect.
JAMEST. HALSEX.
Richmond, Fa., Jan. 12, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received the Standard nthum this morning all right. I am very much pleased with it.

Youts truly, JOHN H. GUY.
Washington, D. C.. Jan. 17. 1804.
Gevtiemen-Packet No. 23 arrived to -day and I was very well pleased with it. Ginding a great number of stamps not in my collection. I anu always satisfied with your stampe.

1459 Pierce Llace, N. W.
kespectfilly.
OWEN PENNEY.
Glinns Falls, N. Y., Jan. 15. 1894.
Gentlemen-I received the Staudard albun I sent for and was very much pleased with it, as I did not expect one so good for the troney.

25 Pearl street.
Very truly yours,
JOHN BICKLEY.
Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894.
Gentlencti-Received the Internetional packet a few days aro and was very much pleascd with it. I have tried many stamp companies but l like none as well as yours.

25 E . Cottage strect.
Youts truly.
CHESTERT.GREFNWOOD.
CONWAT, N. H. Feb. 7, 1894.
Geatlemen-Stamps recelved all rght Tuesday. I am more than pleased with them, Yours truly.

J,ock Hox 70.
ARTHTVR G. LORD.
Rochestre, N. Y., March 29. 1893.
Centlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day and I must say that I was surprised to see the valtable stamps that I received.

Battimore, Mb., Oct. 18. 1894.
Gentlemen-I tecelved your approval sheets; they were very fine. 1430 W , Tanvale street. Yours very truly, FUGAR KENDIG.

HASTINGs. Nur, Oct. 1, 1893.
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Yours respectfulty
R, G. McGREW.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 7, 1894.


#### Abstract

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976 Daupin strcet. F. J. BLACK.


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3 Bhopaul.
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3 Borneo.
4 Bosnia.
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Journal and Unpaid stamps.
5 British Guiana.
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7 Japan.
- 3 Kashmir.

4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, Fagle, old issue.
3 Mexico Envel. opes.
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4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
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7 New Spain, baby head.
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|  | 3 Paraguay. |  | Spain. |
| 3 | I'ersia. |  | Straits Settle- |
|  | Peru. |  | ments. |
|  | 3 Peru, Euvelopes. |  | Swerlen Official. |
|  | 3 Mhilippines. |  | Sweten, unpaid. |
| 7 | 7 Iorto Rico. | 15 | Sweden, various |
| 12 | Portugal. |  | issues. |
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|  | dies. |  | Transvaal, in |
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3 Turkey, unpaid, varions.
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5 U. S. Colombia.
10 U. S. Envelopes.
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The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated October 22, 1892 :

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Yours very truly,
D. H. BACON.

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CHAS. A. FARNUM.

Toronto, CANADA, April 19, 1892.
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Gents-keceived packets of stamps, catalogue, etc, safely, and $a m$ delightrd with them.

32 Delaney Crescent.
Yours respectfully,
P. E. ROBERTS.

OMAHA, NPH.. March 10. 1894.
I hate ant International Packet No. 21 that was given to me as a present by "rbeo. Noack. I have received your Intermationel Packet No. 21 and 1 ant very mucl pleaserl with it, I was offered a trade for $\$$ _tt's $\$ 15.00$ I'acket. but 1 refused it. Ihe $s-$-tt's $\$ 15.00$ Packet DOES NOT come up to your International l'acket by a very long ways.

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Yonrs.
JAMES SHACKLEFORD.

Wartidam, Mass.. January 30, 1894.
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Gentlemen-Received the International packet a few days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried mauy stantip companies but I like uoue as well as youts.

25 1. Cottage street.
Yours truly,
CHESTER F. GREENWOOD

Conwar, N, H., Fels. \%, 289 .
Gentlemen-Siamps rectived all right Tuesday. I am more than pleased with them. Youts truly,

ARTIIUR G. LORD.

Rochestir., N. Y., March 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your packet No. 20 receiqed to-day aud I must say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I received.

72 Rowe street.
Yours truly,
E. FEEH:

Brltimoke, Md., Oct. 18, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your approval shects; they were very fine.
1430 W. Tanvale street.
Youts very trulys
EDGAR KENDIG.

SOUTH KAUKANNA, Wis., April 25, 1892.
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Cents-Your packets qeceived atal I find them to be the besl I ever received fitom any other firm.

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GENERAL ISSUE.

No. Date, Value Color.

New.
21 1851, 1c blue, variety, (broken circle) ..... 1500
25
22 1851, 3c red (Washington)2000
150 24 1851, 10c green (Washington)250

250
25 1851, 12c black (Washington)

Used. 750 02
700 75
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washington)
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin).
Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, le blue (Franklin) ..... 50 ..... 25
30 1857, 1c blue, variely ..... 15 ..... 12
31 1856, 3c red (Washingtou): ..... 05 ..... 02
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with outer line ..... 25
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 500 ..... 250
34 1857, 5c red-browin (Jefferson). 1500 ..... 600
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ornaments at top and bottom cut off. ..... 200 ..... 200
36 1855, 10c green (Washington) ..... 100 ..... 30
37 1857, 12c black (Washington) ..... 75
38 1860, 24c lilac (Washiugtou) ..... 350
300
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) 400 ..... 400
$401860,90 \mathrm{c}$ blue (Washington) 1000 ..... 1350
U. S. and value in corners.
41 1861, Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 1.5 ..... 03
43 1861, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 75 ..... 25
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 1500
500
45 1861, 10c green (Washington). ..... 40
46 1861, 12c black (Washington) ..... 50 ..... 05
47 1861, 24c lifac (Washington) ..... 2575
48 1861, 30c orange (Franlilit) ..... 150 ..... 4025
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington) ..... 350
1 i5
50 1862, 5c cliocolate (Jefferson) ..... 400
100
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson). ..... 08
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington)03
10 ..... 0154 1866, 15c black (Lincoln)60
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used'55 1866, 24c mauve (Washington).250
Embossing measuring if $x / 3 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, 1c blue 100 ..... 40
61 1868, 2c black ..... 10
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green ..... 30
64 1868, 12c black ..... 30
65 1868, 15c black ..... 30
Embossing measuring $9.7 / 3$ mm.
66 1868, 1c blue ..... 100 ..... 40
67 1868, 2c black ..... 20 ..... 10
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 15 ..... 02
69 1868, 5c brown. 500 ..... 150
70 1868, 10c green 100 ..... 35
71 1868, 12c black ..... 100 ..... 50
72 1868, 15c black. ..... 75 ..... 30
73 1868, 24c violet ..... 250 ..... 250
74 1868, 30c orange ..... 350 ..... 250
75 1868, 90c blue 1500 ..... 1200
Various designs in squarc.
Wilh embossing measuring $91 / 2 \times 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
76 1869, 1c buff (Franklin)40
77 1869, 2c brown (Horseman) ..... 10
78 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 02
79 1869, 6c blue (Washington) ..... 150 ..... 50
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle) ..... 100 ..... 60
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) ..... 50
82 1869, 15c brown and blue (Landing of Co- lumbus) 500 ..... 250
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (Picture, framed) 200 ..... 125
84 1869, 24c green and purple (Declaration of Indepentence) 1000 ..... 650
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle). 1000 ..... 275
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln) 1700 ..... 1200
Head to left in oval, with embossing measuring $9 . x$ If his mu. 101 1870, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 40

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No. Date. Value. Color. New.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Liucoln) ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stanton) ..... 350
106 1870, 10c brown (Jefferson) ..... 800
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay)
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 600
109 1870, 24c purple (Scott)
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 1000
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) 17 50 ..... 500
Same, embossing measuring 8 yz $x 101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
112 1870, 1c blue ..... 40
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 10
114 1870, 3c green ..... 03
Sanc, withont embossing.
115 1872, 1c blue ..... 05 ..... 01
116 1872, 2c brown ..... 08
117 1872, 3c green ..... 08
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 25
119 1872, 7c vermilion ..... 75
120 1872, 10c brown ..... 30 ..... 02
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 150
122 1872, 15c orange ..... 30
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 250
124 1872, 30c black ..... 75
125 1872, 90e carmine ..... 225
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 05
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 20
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 10
129 1882, 1c light blue, re-engraved ..... 03
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraverl ..... 08
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 15
132 1882, 10c brown, re-engraved ..... 20
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington) ..... 05
134 1883, 4c green (Jacksod) ..... 12
135 1887, 2e greeп ..... 0302
01
0230
No. Date. Value, Color New. Used.
136 1887, 3c vermilion ..... 12 ..... 10
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 02 ..... 01
Same as 1872-'83 issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 08 ..... 02
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 75 ..... 35
140 1888, 90c purple ..... 200 ..... 75
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 04
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, le ultramarine ..... 02 ..... 01
143 1890, 2c carmine ..... 03
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 04
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 06
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 06 ..... 01
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 10
148 1890, 8c lilac (Shemnan) ..... 12
149 1890, 10c green ..... 12
150 1890, 15c dark ओue ..... 20
151 1890, 30c black ..... 50
152 1890, 90c orange ..... 1500102010508
01
0812
COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
153 1893, Ic deep blue (Columburs in sight of land) ..... 03 ..... 0175
154 1893, 2c violet (Landing of Columbus) ..... 05 ..... 01
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 06 ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultranarinc (Fleet of Columbus) ..... 08
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicit ug aid of Isabella) ..... 10 ..... 05
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 10 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 10 ..... 10
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 15 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark green (Columbus announcing his discovery) ..... 25 ..... 25
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... rsed.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at Ia Rabi- da) ..... 60 ..... 50
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus).. 100 ..... 75
164 1893, \$1.00 salmon (Isabelta pledging her jewels) 800 ..... 600
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chains) 300 ..... 250
166 1893, $\$ 3.00$ yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third royage) 400 ..... 350
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) ..... 550 ..... 500
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) ..... 650 ..... 500
SPECLAL DELTVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 20 ..... 05
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 15 ..... 06
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1200
302 1865, 10c green (Frauklin) ..... 750
Reprint.
303 1865, 25c red (Lincoln) ..... 750
Reprint.
White Border.
$30+1867,5 \mathrm{c}$ blue (Washington) ..... 200
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 15 ..... 15
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50 ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 25 ..... 20
308 1875, 6c black ..... 40 ..... 40
309 1875, 8c black ..... 40 ..... 40
310 1875, 9c black ..... 1000 ..... 1000
311 1875, 10c black ..... 25
312 1885, 1c black ..... 15
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 50 ..... 50
314 1875, 24c carmiue ..... 60 ..... 60
No. Date. Value. Color. New.
75
315 1875, 36c carmine
125
316 1875, 48c carmine
125
$3171875,60 \mathrm{c}$ carmine
250
318 1875, 72c carmine
250
319 1875, 84c carmine250
Various designs.
321 1875, 192 c brown ..... 350 ..... 350
322 1875, 3d scarlet 600 500600
850 ..... 1200
323 1875, 6d blue
1500
325 1875, $12 d$ green
2000
$3261875,24 \mathrm{~d}$ purple
2500
327 1875, 36d red
3000
328 1875, 48d brown
4000
329 1875, 60d violet
UNPAID I,ETTER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 08 ..... 05
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 08
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 10
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 15
355 1879, 10c lorown ..... 35
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 300
357 1879, 50c brown ..... 300
358 1885, 1e red brown ..... 05
359 1885, 2c red brown ..... 05
360 1885, 3c red brown ..... 50
361 1885, 5c red brown ..... 15
362 1885, 10c red brown ..... 30
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c briglit claret ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 05
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 03
$3681893,30 c$ bright claret ..... 200
369 1893, 50c bright claret200

## Lised.

## 75

## 125

125
250
250
250

No. Date. Value. Color.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 60163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus). . 10075
104 1893, $\$ 1.00$ salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) 800 ..... 600
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chains) ..... 300 ..... 250
166 1893, $\$ 3.00$ yellow green (Columbus describ- ing this third voyage) 400 ..... 350
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) 550 ..... 500
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) ..... 650 ..... 500
SPECLAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 20 ..... 05
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 15 ..... 06
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1200
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 750Reprint.
303 1865, 25c red (Lincoln) ..... 750
Rcprint.
While Border.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 200
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 15
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50
15
307 1875, 4c black ..... 25
308 1875, 6c black ..... 40
309 1875, 8c black ..... 40
310 1875, 9c black ..... 1000
311 1875, 10c black ..... 25
312 1885, 1c black ..... 15
313 1875, 12c carnine ..... 50 ..... 50
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 60502040
401000
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Uised.
3151875,36 c carmine ..... 75 ..... 75
316 1875, 48c carmine ..... 125 ..... 125
317 1875, 60c carmine 125 ..... 125
318 1875, 72c carmitue ..... 250
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 250
3201875 , 96c cammine 250 ..... 250
250
250
larious designs.
321 1875, 192c brown 350 ..... 350
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 600
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 850
600
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1200
325 1875, 12d green ..... 1500
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2000
327 1875, 36d red. ..... 2500
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 3000
329 1875, 601 violet ..... 4000
UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 05
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 05
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 05
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 15
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 15
356 1879, 30c brown 300 ..... 100
357 1879, 50c brown 300 ..... 100
358 1885, 1c red brown ..... 05 ..... 03
359 1885, 2c red brown ..... 05 ..... 03
360 1885, 3c red brown ..... 50 ..... 25
361 1885, 5c red brown ..... 15362 1885, 10c red brown30
06
363 1891, lc briglit claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 05
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret
368 1893, 30c bright claret ..... 200
369 1893, 50c bright claret ..... 200
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issuc.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberty surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date. Value. Color. ..... New.
Used.
696 1893, Ie deep blue ..... 03
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 04 ..... 0102
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 10
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20
LETTEIR SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant) ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICHAL STAMPS.
Perforated.
All, except Post Office, same Design as Gcneval Issue, withName of Department above.Agriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 100 ..... 100
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 75 ..... 75
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 30 ..... 20
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 60 ..... 60
8051873,10 straw ..... 350 ..... 350
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 500 ..... 500
807 1873, 15e straw ..... 250 ..... 250
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 250
809 1873, 30c straw 300 ..... 300
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 500 ..... 500
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 500 ..... 500
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 450 ..... 450
813 1873, 6c carmive ..... 900 ..... 900
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
Interior.
815 1873, 1c vermilion ..... 20 ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 03
817 1873, 3e vermilion ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 05 ..... 10
819 1873, 10c vermilion ..... 20
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
820 1873, 12c vermilion ..... 30 ..... 20
s21 1873, 15c vermilion ..... 30
822 1873, 24c vermilion ..... 40 ..... 25
20
8231873 , 30c vermilion ..... 60 ..... 30
$82+1873,90 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 125 ..... 125
Justice.
825 1873, lc purple ..... 100 ..... 100
S26 1873, 2c purple 100 100
827. 1873, 3c purple ..... 50
828 1873, Ge purple ..... 60
$\$ 29$ 1873, 10c purple ..... 125
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 125
831 1873, 15c purple ..... 3005060125
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 600125
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 1000300
1000600
834 1873, 90c purple 2500
Nivy.
835 1873, 1c blue ..... 50 ..... 502500
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
S36a 1873, 2c greeu (error) ..... 1000
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 25
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 4015839 1873, Tc blue50040
840 1873, 10c blue ..... 100
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 100500
842 1873, 15c blue 200100
843 1873, 24c blue ..... 300100
St 41873 , 30c blue ..... 200 ..... 300200300
600 845 1873, 90c blue 600
Post Oflice.Figure of Value in Oval.
846 1873, 1c black ..... 20 ..... 20
847 1873, 2c black ..... 20
848 1873, 3c black ..... 02
849 1873, Ge black ..... 10
850 1873, 10c black ..... 75
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Unsed.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 50 ..... 40
852 1873, 15c black ..... 40 ..... 35
853 1873, 24c black ..... 75 ..... 70
854 1873, 30c black ..... 50 ..... 40
8551873 , 90 c black ..... 125Post Oflice Scal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, green. ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Obitum) 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10
Lithographed.
858 a 1888, Officially sealed, brown . ..... 05 ..... 05Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, brownRouletted.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograpl'd
State.
859 1873, 1c green ..... 60 ..... 60
860 1873, 2c green ..... 250 ..... 250
861 1873, 3c green ..... 50 ..... 50
862 1873, 6c green ..... 60 ..... 60
863 1873, 7c green ..... 100 ..... 100
864 1873, 10c green ..... 100 ..... 100
865 1873, 12c green ..... 200 ..... 200
150
866 1873, 15c green ..... 150
250
867 1873, 24c green ..... 250
400
868 1873, 30c greeu ..... 400
550
869 1873, 90c green ..... 550
1200
870 1873, 2d black and green ..... 1200
10000
871 1873, 5d black and green ..... 10000
5000
872 1873, 10d black and green ..... 5000
4000 873 1873, 20d black aud green. 4000
Treasury.
874 1873, 1c browu. ..... 25 ..... 10
875 1873, 2c browis. ..... 25 ..... 08
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3c brown. ..... 08 ..... 02
877 1873, 6c brown ..... 15878 1873, 7c brown125
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 30 ..... 15
125
880 1873, 12c brown. ..... 30 ..... 15
30
881 1873, 15c brown. ..... 20
500
882 1873, 24c brown. ..... 400
50
883 1873, 30c brown. ..... 20
150
884 1873, 90c brown. ..... 60
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 05 ..... 05
886 1873, 2c red ..... 05 ..... 05
387 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6c red ..... 05
889 1873, 7c red ..... 150
890 1873, 10c red ..... 20
891 1873, 12c red ..... 20
892 1873, 15c red ..... 20
893 1873, 24c red ..... 50
894 1873, 30c red ..... 25
895 1873, 90c red 100 ..... 75

Burlington, Kansas, April 16, 1893.
Stantard Stamp Company:
Geutlemen-Your sheets are by far the best $I$ heve ever received from any dealer. Yours :ruly,

HENRY H. MLLLER.
Standard Stanp Company: * May 14, 1893.
Gentlemen-Allow me to say that I have seen a great many sheets from different firms in this country inside of five years. but I think yours are the best of them all/ They are just what I waut-bright, cleav, cheap and good variety.

189 E. Green Street, Chicago, Ill.
A. W. DEJARNATT.

Standard stamp Company:
Deat Sirs-Your slyeets were the best I ever saw. I have tried many firms $\boldsymbol{1}_{1}$ but none seud as good stampas you do. Middlebury, Vt. Yours truly,

REID L. CARR.

Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-I must say that vonr finn is the best I ever dealt with. being both prompt in answering your letters and giving best saticfaction to your customers. 42 Front Street, W. Toronto, Canadia.
H. C. BKDINGGTON.

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

## GENERAL ISSUE.



A1.


A2.


A3.

No. Date. Type, Value. Color.
71 1861, A1, 5c green
72 1861, A1, 5c dark green.
73 1861, A2, 10 c blue..


A4.


A5.


A8.

74 1862, A3, 2c green
$\$ 200$
$\$ 300$
75 1862, A1, 5c blue................................... . . . 50
76 1862, A1, 5c dark blue.
50
300
10
1525

1862, A4, 5c blue, lithographed
1862, A4, 5 c blue, perforated. 1863, A5, 2c rose. 25 200 1863, 10c blue (TEN).............................. 350 30 50

1863, A7, 10c blue.................................. 25 ..... 20
84 1863, A7, 10c blue

03 ..... 03 ..... 10
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue.0810

STANDARD STAMP COMPANY, ST, LOUIS, MO.
No. Date. Type. Value. Color.

New.
Used.
87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue
350
88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line)
500
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75


A9.
90 1863, A9, 20c green. ..... $\$ 010 \$ 200$ 90 A 1863, A9, 20 c green, perforated, fine specinten on original letter ..... 2000
91 1864, Ic orange (Callouir) ..... 50

Standard Stamp Company:
Gentemen-Your sheets are very ment and pleasing, and the most astounding batgains I have ever seen in stamps. Yours, for business.

Hightstown, N. J.
k. W. DULLEY.

Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-I sell more from your sheets than from those of arybody else Yours, very truly,
Fairbault, Minn.
South Kaukanna, Wis., April 25, 1892.
STANDARD STAMP COMPANY:
Gents-Your packet received, and I find them to be the best I ever received from any other firm. Yours respectiflly,

JOHN D. SMITH.

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| :---: | :---: |
| Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a defightful |  |
| prise to me. linclosed please find \$1.25 or Standard packets Nos. 6 |  |
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| ckets I did not have. If this, my testimony. is of any use to you, you tuay |  |
| use it. I am, |  |
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Hastings, Neb., Oet. 1, 1893.
Gentlemen-please send me some of your trial approval shects. I have heen buying stamps from your sheets aud thitk they ate the best aud cheap. est stamps I ever bought, so thought I would try and sell some, seeing that they are in such demand.

Yours respectfully,
R. G. MCGRFW.

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We beg to call special attention th our Coupgn SysTEM, which practically reduces prices on our packets from 5 to 20 per cent. In every Standard Packet worth 25 ceuts and above will be found a Coupon, which we redeem at the rate of 5 cents each if sent in lots of not less than ten at one time. For particulars, read Coupons?

## Schedule Showing Increase of Sales of STANDARD PACKETS since 1885.

We sold during-

1885

1886
1887
1888
1889
1890
1891
1892
189.
189.

1895

| about | 5,000 |
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| about | $\mathbf{7 , 5 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{8 , 5 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{1 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{1 5 , 0 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{3 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| about | 50,000 |
| about | $\mathbf{5 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{1 5 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{3 5 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| about | $\mathbf{8 5 5 0 , 0 0 0}$ |

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If you cannot buy "STANDARD" Packets, you had better not buy Stamps in Packets at all, as you will be disappointed in nine cases out of ten.

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2,000 finely mixed Europeau stamps, for packets, etc. 1,000 finely mixed South Central American aud Mexican stamps. 1,000 finely mixed British Colonial stamps.
1,000 finely mixed United States stamps.
500 all different stamps, a good collection.
1,500 finely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15,20,25$, and 50 cents each-a grand assortment.
7,000 stamps for only $\$ 15.00$ net cash, no discount.
We give free with each of above lots, 250 blank approval sheets of the finest onion skin paper, two sizes, and ten sheets of our "Standard" perforated hinges for mounting these stamps.

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# ONLY \$25.00. <br> <br> Our Standard Stock, No. 2 

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CONTAINS:

3,000 finely assorted European stamps for packets, etc. 1,500 finely assorted Stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15,20$, 25,50 cents and $\$ 1.00$ each.
1,000 all different stamps from all parts of the world.
1,500 fitiely assorted United States stamps, including departments, etc.
1,500 finely assorted I3ritish Colonial stamps.
1,500 finely assorter South Central Americau mud Mexican stamps.


## NET CASH: NO IDISCOUNT:

With the above, we give free 300 fine onion skin approval sheets and 20,000 perforated "Standard" stamp hinges for mounting this lot ou sheets.

This is the beat and most eomplete stock in the market, and allows of a larger profit than any similar lot ever offered. 'l'hese stamps will retail at $\$ 75.00$ to $\$ 80.00$ at the very least.

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## ONLY \$10.00. Our Standard Stock, No. 3

CONTAINS:

1,000 very finely mixed European stamps.
700 very finely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,8,10,15$, 20, 25 and 50 cents each.
500 all different stamps, a nice lot.
600 finely mixed Uuited States stamps, including departments, envelopes, unpaid, etc.
000 finely mixed British Colonials.
f00 finely mixed South and Central American and Mexican
$\qquad$ stamps, a good lot.
7,000 stamps for only $\$ 10.00$, net cash, to discount.
With the above we give frec 125 blank approval shects, two sizes, and 8,000 stamp hinges of various binds.

All post paid in Uuited States, Canada and Mexico.

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 CONTAINS:500 very finely raixed European stamps.
300 very finely mixed stamps to retail at $1,2,3,5,6,10,15,20$ and 25 cents each.
300 all different stamps.
250 finely mixed United States Stamps, includiug Department, etc.
250 fincly mixed British Colonials.
250 finely mixed Sonth and Central Americau and Mexican stamps, a good lot.
1,850 fine stamps for only $\$ 5.00$.
With the above we give free 50 blank approval sheets, two sizes, aud 3,000 stamp hinges.

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## OUR

## "Standard" Mixtures for Approval Sheets

consist of the same grades of stamps which we use on our own incomparable sheets. All stamps are guaranteed clean and in good condition.

## PRICES:

To retail at not less than 1c each, \$0.40 per 100, $\$ 3.00$ per 1,000 To retail at not less than 2 c each, 60 per 100 , 5.00 per 1,000 To retail at not iess than 3 ceach , 1.00 per $100,8.50$ per 1,000 To retail at not less than 5 c each, 2.00 per $100,17.50$ per 1,000

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50 Blank Approval Sheets are sent Free with every order for above of $\$ \mathbf{5 . 0 o}$ or more at one time.

## BLANK APPROVAL SHEETS.

We have manufactured especially for our trade the finest Oniou Skin Approval Sheets, for mounting stamps, that can be obtained.

The paper is durable, but very thin, and can be used many times.

Sheets will accommodate 25 or 50 stamps.
The printed instructions given on each sheet are as follows:

## ALL STAMPS SOLD ARE GUARANTEED GENUINE.

Do not soil or write on the slicet. Foll it only along the broad lines. This sheet to be returned, in good order, within teu days.

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For 25 stamps, 12 for 10 cents: 30 for 20 cents; 50 for 25 cents; 100 for 40 cents; 1,000 for $\$ 3.75$.

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We manufacture the best gummed hinge in the market.
Our "Stamdird Stamp Hinges" are Perforated, the most convenient way to get them apart, not uecessary to use scissors or kuife. Size, $17 \times 23$ inches. A shect contains 1,000 hinges.

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1 sheet, 10 cents; 3 sheets, 25 cents; 6 sheets, 40 cents; 10 sliects, 60 cents; 25 sheets, $\$ 1.25$; 50 sheets, $\$ 2.25 ; 100$ sheets, $\$ 3.75 ; 1.000$ sheets, $\$ 30.00$.

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1 sheet............... 10 ceuts
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3 sheets............. 18 cents
50 sheets.............. 175
6 sheets............... 30 cents
100 sheets.............. 300
10 sheets.............. 45 cents | 1000 shects. .............. 2500

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## THE "EXCELSIOE" STAMI HINGE.

These liages are die cut, just a couvenient size for any stamp.

Price, 10 cents per 1,$000 ; 3,000$ for 25 cents; 6,000 for 40 cents ; 10,000 for 60 cents.

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Same size as the "Eixcelsior," hut the paper used is someWhat lighter aud stronger. Saus price as the "I:xcelsior" hinge.

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They are utudoubtedly the best and most convenient hinges made and when used together with our "Standard" perforated hinges will answer all requirements of a stamp collector. The "Columbus" hinge is made of very fine, strong, thin onion skin paper, with excellent gumming and is cut to convenient shape. Prices are the same as the "Excelsior" and "Perfect."

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We would call the special attention of collectors to our Approval Sheets, whichon account of our enormous stock are unequaled in variety and price by any other dealer in the world.

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Use our "Standard Hinges" for inserting stamps in albums. Only 10 cents per sheet of 1,000 stamp mouruts.

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## THESTHMONTHALS

which were received, amongst a $\quad$ ast mumben of others, during the last season. We believe that this will iuduce you to apply for an agency for our goods, and we are convinced that, after the first trial, we can depend upon you as a regular customer.

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Bermagham, Conn., April 4, 1802
Gentlemen-I am in recelps of your registered favor of March 31st Thanks, sud allow twe to say right here. that Ithink your shects, for assort ment and prices, are the best I have ever seen, and / can assure you that / have had a guod mary and fyom many differen houses the past eighteen mouths. Yours, very truly,
D. H. BACON

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$189 \mathrm{E} . \mathrm{Grew}$ Street, Chicago, 111.
A. W. DEJARNAT"I.

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This list will contain prices on stamps which we import in excess of our own requirements. We import probably as mauy stamps per annum as any dealer in this country, and have always a large surplus stock. This list will be of considerable importance to dealers as we will thereith offer stamps which are not found in Wholesale Dealers' Lists gencrally. Another important feature will he the considerable reduction in prices. We all know that present wholesale prices allow no profit whatever for the smaller dealers. We will therefore furuish you with
a list in which we offer good stamps at reasonable prices! Dealers who wish to receive this list promptly every nonth will kitadly state this in their letter.

Owing to lack of time, we are unable to send wholesale selections on approval; all we have to offer will be found in above monthly Wholesale Lists.

This list will only be sent to bona fide dealers, it is not intended for collectors !

## Reprints,

## Counterfeits and Government Remainders.

As there seen to be differences in opinion among stamp collectors who are unable to distiuguish a reprint from an orjginal or counterfcit stamp, we will endenvor to explain the matter to them its as few words as possible.

Iteprints are stamps printed from the same plate as the originals. As some of the old original stamps are very high in price, a reprinter specinen is often welcomed by the collector to fill a vacant space, which otherwise would be left blatk for an indefinite period.

A Reprint is not a Connterfeit, although it is worth only a fraction of the value of an original. We sell lieprints only us such:

A Counterfeit stamp is absolutely worthless and no more deserves a place in a stamp album than a spool label or a cigarette picture.

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## GOVERNMENT REMAINDERS.

When a series of postage stamps is superseded by a new issue, the stock of old stamps remaining on hand is then often disposed of at a nominal sum and is in most cases sold to some dealer in stamps. It is therefore very clear why a stamp whose face value was, say, 50 ceuts, can afterwards be sold at 5 or 6 cents each.

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We pay 25c per 1,000 in exchange for common Canada stamps of 1,2 and 3 c values; $\$ 2.50$ per 1,000 for 5 and be values. We pay 50 c per 100 for any other values. We pay 50 c per 100 up to $\$ 5.00$ aplece for old issmes. Remember, above prices are allowed in exchange, mot for cash.

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The business is under the direct management of Mr. H . Flachskamm, who is assisted by a force of from twenty-five to thirty clerks throughout the season. It was founded by him in 1885 and has since enjoyed a prosperous and steady growth from year to year.

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from collectors in ati parts of the United States, and we beg to refer all collectors to these persons for reference:

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Dear Sirs-Your packets arrived all right aud gave great atisfaction. Please fill enclosed order and oblige.

2957 Indiana avenue.
Yours very truly.
REV. JNO. HENRY RARROWS
sinuth Kalikanna. Wis., April 25, 1892.
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(ienty-Vour packets receive可and 1 find themto be the best I ever receivest from any other firm. riours respectfully.

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ANGELO DE STPFANO

SIANAART STAMP CONPANY sutpriats-Ynitr pucketa received. I quisi siy tbat they were a dolighffish 16. Athowgh wy callection is quite larp. I fot Siamdard packets Nos. 6 and pocketw dour your use it. I antu. Verytruly yours,

In care of Times-Star, Cinciunati, 0
BEN. MULFOKD. JK.

So. Denver, Colo. Feb. 13. 1894.
reatlemea-1 received yont pecket No. 19 to-day nnd am well pleased. It wes more of a variety than l expected. Box 37 .

Yours iruly.

1. LEE THURBEK

Jamaica, I, I. N. Y.. March 4. 1894
Gentlemen-Received packeta all right and must say they are "A $1,0 . K$." Tu celebrate the uccasion please send me iwo more packets No. 342.

Chichester avenge. Yours iruly, WM. WEBBE.
Osmқosh. Wis., Sept. 8, 1893.
Gevtlemen-Please send me some noore approval sheets. I am an agent fot a goud naus compluies but thing your approval sheets are better than muy othets.

191 High street.
JAMES T. HALSEY.
Richmond, Va., Jan. 12, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received the Standard album this moraing all right, Iam very much plegased with it.

Yours truly,
JOHNH. GUY.
Waseingion, D. C., Jen. 17. 1894.
Cenllemen-Packet No. 23 arrived to-day and I was very well pleaged with it. fivding a great munber of stamps not in my collection. I am alwaye gatis. fied with your stamps.

1459 Pierce Place. N. W.
Kegpectiully
OWEN PENNEY.
Gifins Palit. N. Y., Jan. 15, 1694.
Gentlemen-I received the staudari album I geat for and was very much pleased with it as I did not expect one so gond for the money

25 l'earl street. VEry truly yours, JOHN BICKLEX.
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Gentlemen-Received the International packet a lew dayg ago and was very auch pleased witblt. I have tried many stamp companies but I like Hone as well as yours.

23 F . Cottage ntreet.
Yours truly.
CHESTHR T. GREENWOOL,
Conway, N. H., Feb. 7. 1891
Centleutu-Stamps received all right Tuesiay. I ann more than pleased walth thetu,
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ARTHUK G. I,ORI
Rocnester, N. Y., Marclı 29. 1893.
Gentlemea-Yaur packet No. $\mathfrak{W}$ received to-day and I must say that I was surprised tu see the valuable atamps thal I received.
$\overrightarrow{2}$ Kowe street. Yours truly, E. FELLY.
Baltimore, MD., Oct. 18, 1894.
Centlenen-I received your approval sheets; they were very fine.
1430 W Tagvalestreet. Yours verytrily, EDGAREENDIG.
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R. G. MCGRED.

Mobile. Ala., Nov. T. 1894. Ceullemoll-I received yent ;ackets Now 12,23 und 13 , and wny very thuch
pleased with them.
976 Deupia gtreet.

Unapilia, N. Y., Aug. 7. 1893.
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French, Spanish, Fortuguese and I)utch colonies; rare Peru, Siam, provisional of Costa Kica (valued at 15 ceuts each); scarce Persia, Java, Sierra Leone, South Africun Republic, a fine line of rare Mexican stamps, also Officials, Orange Free States, Natal, Maurititis, old and new Japan, Chili, Venezuela, New South Wales, centennial issue, Straits Settlements, Egypt 1888 issue, also scarce Guatemala, old and new Porto Rico, used and unused, rare old Bolivia, and many others of equal value. There can be no doubt that this is the finest packet for the money ever offered by ANY dealer. Almost every packet sells another!!

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Ons latest "Stuntard Packet." No. 31, contains 600 different Postage Stamps, genuine, and all in first-class condition, conprising stanps as follows: Bolivia, old and new; Costa Rica, 18 s 3 , tue hatue, also provisionals and envelope, worthabout $\$ 1.00$ its all; Aquentine Repulalic, olal and bew; tuly, mpainf; a sel Transvat. dat to 1 shilling; Chili envelopes, span, some of the

early issues; China, a fine line of rare Mexico, including 1864; set of 1879-1882 issues, iucluding high values, and some on thin paper; Errors from 1879 to 1882; envelopes; set of Porte de Mar, set of Persia officials; fine used and unused stamps of Bosuia, Shanghai, old Cuba and Puerto Rico, Colombia, Costa Rica, Guadeloupe, Uruguay, State of North Borveo, Rep. of Donninica, Salvador, Wadhwan State, scarce Pountch, Bosnia, 25 kr ; Ecuador, Ceylon provisioual, Brazil newspaper, scarce old Canada and Prince Edward Islands, and last, but not least, besides those mentioned above, a fine lot of scarce U. S. Stamps, such as War, Post Office, used, Interior, Navy, etc., a 30c brown of 1888 issue, which are becoming rare very fast, and many other good stamps.

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Contains 100 all different stamps, only from the United States of America, including Departments, old and new Envelopes, Newspaper Stamps, unpaid, Officially Sealed, Special Delivery, etc. This packet does Not contain any Telegraph, Locals or Revenue Stamps of anykind whatever. Amongst the great number of excellent stamps contained in this packet, we mention only a few, as follows: 1851, 1c blue, unperforated; 1c blue 1857 issue; 1861 issue, several, including the 30 c orange, worth 40c each; 2c black, 1868, cmbossed; 1869 issue, several; 1870 issue, embossed; 1872 issue, 12c purple, 30 c black; 1883, 1887, 1888 issues, including Special Delivery, old and new; Newspaper Stamps (Indian), umpaid letter stamps; Envelopes of 1853, 1861, 1864, 1870, 1874 Reay and llympton issues; Officially Sealed Stamps, several; also Departments of 1. O., War, Treasury, Interior, Navy, etc., etc.

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Gentlenaen-I am in receipt of your registered fawor of March 3Let. Thanks. and allow nue to my right here, that inink your shects. for assortment and prices, are the best I have ever seew, and / ran assmoe you that / hate had agode sany andfrom many different houses the past eighteenmonths.

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2 Kashmir
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3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
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3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials

- 2 Mexico official seals
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3 Natal
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3 New Turkey, 1892
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2 St. Vincent
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4 Sweden official
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5 India, Native States.
16 Italy, old aud new.
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5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
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4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfonndand.
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7 New Spain, baly head.
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7 Nicarayua
14 Norway.
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9 Old Bavaria.
5 Old Brazil.
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4 Orange States.
3 Paraguay.
Persia.
5 Pern.

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12 Portugal.
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7 Roumania.

12 Russia, old amd new

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3 Turkey, u土paid, various.
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## Officf Boston hlacking Co.. <br> 94, \% 98. 100 Bevrifis Street. BOSTUN, MAGs., October 8, 1892.) <br> Yours respectfully,

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Gents-Yout Packets. Nos. 21 and 22, received. and I must say ate the fimest $/$ ever saw. The preminm stamp is a fiue and valuable stamp. Vou may send any parties to me for recommendations. and I can faithfilly say that your goods are as represented nnd superior to otherg itn regards to condition and scarcity.

94-100 Beverly Street, Hoston, Mass. C, DN, J.AMB.
Office ol D. H. Bacon \& Co. Hiue Jrimters.
STANDARD STAMP COMPANY: HIRMINFHAM, CONN, SEPL 30, 1892.
Geutlemen-It gives me pleasute to say that your "IN'thRNATIONAI. PACK1'r No. 21 "istle best ansurtment and the most value I have ever seen in stanns. I sold the one you sent to a young man who lind bought a 1,0 , mot sariety packet for $\$ 15$ in New Vork. He said yours was the best, to say mothing of the albusu which goes with it. I bave sold another for which you hove the order, and have auother custoner in view. Yours very truly, D. H. RACON.

The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated October 22, 1892 :
Standarn Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-"INT'FRNATIONAL PACKET No. 21 " atrived all right yegterdays. m . The premium whicti you rent with it was very satisfactory. while as to the packet itself. I can only say that I spent an luour or so with my customer lookitg over it in the alternoon, find ne and insuself worve dehightert' It was a magnifcert collection for the money, and when 1 think what nuy first 1,000 stamps cost ine about three yeats ago, I am dingusted, etc.. ctc.

Yours very Iruly.
D. H. BACON.

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Gentlenten-Tlie Intermational Packet No. 2I, 1,000 all different atamps for \$10, which I purchased of you, was the finest I have ever seen, much EXCELIING My GRF.ATEST EXPJiCTATION! / am also murh obliged for the valiceble PRIZE stamps you sernt the / Youra truly.
830 Atch Street.
CHAS. A. HARNUM.

Toronto. Canada, April 10, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company :
Geats-Received packets of stamps, catatogue. etc., safely, and am delighted with them. Yours respectfully,

「. Е. KOBERTS.
OMAHA, NER.. Match 10, 1894.
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 but I refused it. The G - $t$ 's $\$ 15.00$ Packel DoEs NOT came up to your laternational Packet by a very LoNg wavs.

924 South 33 I.d Street.
Yours.
JAMES SHACKIFFORD.
WALTHAB. itass. Jaunary 30. 1894.
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11 Elm Street.
F. I). CURTIS.

Foht Collins, Colo., February 27. 18\%H.
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EIWW. H. HALL.

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GENEIEAI, ISSUE.
No. Date. Vahue. Color. ..... New.
Used.
18. 1847, 5e brown (franklin). ..... $\$ 060$
19 1847, 10c hatek (Washington). ..... 750
llectin oaral. Unperforated.
20 1851, le bue (Franktin) ..... 40 ..... 25
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
21 1851, 1c blue, varicty, (broken circle) ..... 1500 ..... 750
22 1851, 3c red (Washington) ..... 25 ..... 02
23 1851, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 2000 ..... 700
24 1851, 10c green (Washington) ..... 150 ..... 75
25 1851, 12c black (Washington) 250 ..... 125
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washington)
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin).
Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, Ic blue (tiranklin) ..... 25
30 1857, 1c blue, variely ..... 12
31 1856, 3c red (Washingion). ..... 02
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with outer lime ..... 25
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 500 ..... 2.50
34 1857, 5c red-brown (Jefferson) 1500 ..... 600
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ormaments at top and bottom cut off 200 ..... 200
$36 \quad 1855,10 \mathrm{c}$ green (Washington). ..... 60 ..... 30
37 1857, 12c black (Washington). ..... 75 ..... 60
38 1860, 24c Jilac (Washington). ..... 350
300
39 1860, 30c oratge (Franklin) ..... 400
40 1860, 90c blue (Washington)1000400
U. S. and value in corners.
41 1861, 1c blute (Franklin) ..... 15 ..... 031350
43 1861, 5c brown (Jeffersou) ..... 75 ..... 25
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 1500 ..... 500
45 1861, 10c green (Washington) ..... 40 ..... 05
46 1861, 12c black (Washiugton) 50 ..... 25
47 1861, 24c lilac (Washington) ..... 75 ..... 25
48 1861, 30c orauge (Franklits) ..... 40
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington) ..... 50
175
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) 100
51 1863, 2c hlack (Jackson). ..... 08 ..... 03
52 1963, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 10 ..... 01
54 1866, 15c black (Lincoln) ..... 60 ..... 30

STANDARD STAMP COMPANY, ST. I.OUIS, MO.
No. Date. Valise Color. New. issed-
55 186t, 24c natuve (Washinglon). 250 ..... 75
Embossing measuring II $x+3 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, 1c blue ..... 100 ..... 40
61 1868, 2c black. ..... $+0$ ..... 10
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green. ..... 30
64 1868, 12c black ..... 30
65 1868, 15c black ..... 30
Embossing measuring y +13 mm .
66 1868, le blue ..... 100 ..... 40
67 1868, 2c black.. ..... 20 ..... 10
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 15
02
500
69 1868, 5c browu. 150
100
70 1868, 10c green ..... 35
100
71 1868, 12c black. ..... 50
75
72 1868, 15c black ..... 30
250
73 1868, 24c violet. ..... 250
350
74 1868, 30c orange ..... 250
1500
75 1868, 90c blue ..... 1200
Various designs in square.
With enbossing measuring $91 / 2 \times 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
76 1869, lchuff (Franklin) ..... 3040
77 1869, 2c lorowll (Horseman) ..... 2578 1869. 3c blue (Locomotive)1002
150
79 1869, 6c hlue (Washington) ..... 50
100
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle). ..... 60
75
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) ..... 50
$821869,15 \mathrm{c}$ brown and blue (Landing of Co- lumbus) ..... 500 ..... 250
83 1869, 15 c hrown and blue (Picture, framed) ..... 200 ..... 125
84 1869, 24c green and purple (Declaration of Independence) ..... 1000 ..... 650
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle).. ..... 1000 ..... 275
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln). ..... 1700 ..... 1200
Head to left in oval, with embossing measuring $9 . x$ sf $1 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
101 1870, lc blue (Franklin)40

STANDIRT STAMY COMPANV, S'C. TOUIS, MO.
No. Date Value Color. New Used
102 1870, 2c brown (Jacksou) ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 03
104 1870, Gc piok (Lincoln) ..... 400
105 1871, 7e vermilion (Stanton) ..... 350
106 1870, 10c hrows (Jefferson) ..... 800
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay)108 1870, 15 c orange (Webster)600
109 1870, 24c purple (Scott)
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 10.00
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) 1750 ..... 500Same, embossing measuring 8y/2 101/2 mm.
112 1870, le blue ..... 40
113 1870, 2c lurown ..... 10
114 1870, 3с green ..... 03
Same, withont embossing.
115 1872, 1c blue ..... 05 ..... 01
116 1872, 2c brown 08 ..... 02117 1872, 3e green
08 ..... 01118 1872, oc pink.25
02$119 \quad 18 i 2, \quad 7 \mathrm{c}$ vermiliou75$120 \quad 1872,10 \mathrm{c}$ brown3030121 1872, 12c dark purple15002
30$1221872,15 \mathrm{c}$ orange30123 1872, 24c purple25003
124 18i2, 30c black ..... 75 ..... 1575
125 18i2, 90e carmine ..... 225 ..... 40
126 18-5 20 vermilion ..... 05
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 01
20
127 1875, 50 blue (Taylor) ..... 03
10
128 1882, 5c browu (Garfield)... ..... 02
03
129 1882, le light blue, re-engraved
08
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved
15
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved
20
132 1882. 10c browin, re-eugraved
05
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington)
12
134 1883, 4e green (Jackson)
03
135 1887, 2cegreen ..... 0.3
No Uste. Value. Color. New. lised.
136 1887, 3e vermilion 12 ..... 10
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 02 ..... 01Same as 1872-' $S_{3}$ isswe.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 08 ..... 02
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 75 ..... 35
140 1888, 90c purple 200 ..... 75
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 04
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, lc ultramarine ..... 02143 1890, 2c carmine03
04
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 02
06
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 01
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 01
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 05
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sheman) ..... 08
149 1890, 10c greeu ..... 01
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 08
151 1890, 30c black. ..... 12
152 1890, 90c orange. ..... 75
COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
1.53 1893, 1c deep blue (Columbus in sight of land) ..... 03 ..... 01
154 1893, 2c violet (I anding of Columbus) ..... 01
155 1893, 3e green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) ..... 05
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Colutnhus soliciting aid of Isabella) ..... 10
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 10 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 10 ..... 10
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives). ..... 15 ..... 05
161 1893, 15e dark green (Columbusammonncing his discovery) ..... 25 ..... 25
No. Nate. Value Color. New. I'sed
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Kabi- da) ..... 60 ..... 50
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus).. 100 ..... 75
164 1893, $\$ 1.00$ salmon (Isabella plerfging leer jewels) 800 ..... 600
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chains:) 300 ..... 250
166 1893, $\$ 3.00$ yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third voyage) 400 ..... 350
167 1893, 4.00 carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) ..... 5.50 ..... 500
168 1893, \$5.00 black (Profile of Columbus) 650 ..... 500
SPECTAL DEIIVEIRY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 25 ..... 10
252 1888, 10c blue (". At any offer.") ..... 20 ..... 05
$2531893,10 \mathrm{c}$ orange. ..... 15 ..... 06
NEWSPAIPR STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1200
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 750Reprint.
303 1865, 25c rell (lincoln) ..... 750
Reprint. White Bowder.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 200Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 15
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 25
308 1875, 6c black ..... 40
309 1875, 8c black ..... 4015 ..... 1000
310 1875, 9c black
310 1875, 9c black ..... 25
311 1875, 10c black
311 1875, 10c black ..... 15
312 1885, 1c black
312 1885, 1c black
/nstice.
313 1875, 12c carmine
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 50
50
20
4040
50
60
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 60
No. Jate. Value. Color. New. Used.
$3151875,36 \mathrm{c}$ carmine ..... 75
125
316 1875, 48 c carmint
125
317 1875, 60c carmine
250
$3181875,72 \mathrm{c}$ carmine
250
319 1875, 84c carmine250
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 350350
322 1875, 3d scarlet. ..... 600
333 1875, Gd blue ..... 850
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1200
325 1875, 12d green ..... 1500
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2000
.327 1875, 36d red ..... 2500
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 3000
329 1875, 60rd violet ..... 4000
UNPAII I.E'V'IER S'TMMIS.
Perforated.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 08 ..... 05
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 08 ..... 0.5
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 10 ..... 05
354 1879, 5c browu ..... 15 ..... 15
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 3515
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 300100
357 1879, 50c browu ..... 300 ..... 100
358 1885, le red brown ..... 05 ..... 03
359 1885, 2c red brown ..... 05 ..... 03
360 1885, 3c red brown ..... 50 ..... 25
361 1885, 5c red brown ..... 15
362 1885, 10c red brown ..... 30 ..... 0608
363 1891, Ic bright claret ..... 02
364 1891, 2c bright clatet ..... 02
305 1891, 3c briglit claret ..... 05
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 03
308 1893, 30c luright claret ..... 200
.69 1893, 50 c hright claret
U. S. ENVEIOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Colnmbus and Liberly surrounded by Eagle on .Shield.
No. Date. Value. Color. ..... New.
Used.
696 1893, lc deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 01
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10
$6991893,10 \mathrm{c}$ black browt1 ..... 20
J.ETTEIR SHEETS.
750 1886, 2egreen (Grant). ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICIAI, STAMPS.
Perforated.
All, e.rcept Most Office, same Design as Gentral /ssue, with Nane of Dcpartment above.
Atriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 100802 1873, 2c straw757.5
30
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 20
60
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 60
350
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 350
500
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 500
250 807 1873, 15c straw ..... 2.50
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 250 ..... 250
809 1873, 30c straw 300 ..... 300
Executive.
810 1873, le carmine ..... 510 ..... 500
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 500 ..... 500
812 1873, 3c carmitne ..... $+50$ ..... 450
813 1873, 6c carmine 900 ..... 900
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
Interiot.
815 1873, ic vermilion ..... 20 ..... 1.5
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 03
817 1873, 3c vermilion ..... 02
818 1873, Gc vermilion ..... 05
819 1873, 10c vermilion ..... 30 ..... 20
Nu. 12atc. Vitlue. Color. Niw.820 1873, 12c vermilion30
30
$8211873,15 c$ vermilion ..... 20
40
822 1873, 24c vermilion ..... 25
(0)
$8231873,30 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 30
125 424 1873, 90e wermilion. ..... 125
Jusimer.
825 1873, 1c purple 100 ..... 100
826 1873, 2e purple ..... 100 ..... 100
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 50 ..... 50
828 1873, 6c purple ..... 60
829 1873, 10c purple 125 ..... 125
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 125 ..... 125
831 1873. 15c purple ..... 300 ..... 300
832 1873, .24c purple 600 ..... 600
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 1000834 1873, 90c purple25002500
Navy.
$835^{\circ} 1873$, 1c blue ..... 5050
8.36 1873, 2c hlue ..... 50 ..... 50
' 2 1873, 2c green (error). ..... 1000
83' 1873, 3c blue ..... 25
438 1873, 6c blue ..... $+0$
15839 18-3, 7c blue500
40
100840 1873, 10c blue500
100
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 100
100
842 18-3 15c lune ..... 200
842 1873, 15c blue200
843 1873, 24c blue ..... 300 ..... 300
8441873 , 30 c blue ..... 200 ..... 300
$8+5$ 1873, 90a 1,1ue ..... 600600

## Post Ofticr.

Figure of Valuc in Oval.
846 1873, lc black ..... 20
847 1873, 2c black ..... 20 ..... 20
848 1873, 3c black ..... 02
849 1873, 6e black ..... 10 ..... 20
850 1873, 10c black ..... 75
Nu. Hate. Vulue Color New. rised.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 50 ..... 40
852 1873, 15c black ..... 40 ..... 35
853 1873, 24c black ..... 75 ..... 70
854 1873, 30c black ..... 50
855 1873, 90c black ..... 125
Post Oftice Senl Stanox.40
856 .1872, Kegisterel, green ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Obitum) +00 ..... 500
10 ..... 10
Lithographed.
$858 a$ 1888, Officially sealed, browu ..... 05
Wood Engravitg.
8586 1888, Officially sealerl, brown Rouletted.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd
State.
859 1873, le green. ..... 60 ..... 60
860 1873, 2c green ..... 250
861 1873, 3c green ..... 50
862 1873, 6egreet ..... 60
863 1873, 7c greeu ..... 100
864 1873. 10c greer ..... 100
865 1873, 12c green ..... 200
866 1873, 15c green. ..... 150 ..... 50 ..... 60 ..... 100
867 1873, 24c green ..... 250 ..... 150
868 1873, 30c green ..... 400 ..... 250
869 1873, 90c green ..... 400
870 1873, 2d black and green ..... 1200 ..... 550
871 1873, 5d black and green ..... 10000
872 1873, 10d black and green. ..... 5000
5000
873 1873, 20d hack aud green 4000 ..... 4000
'Preasinry.
874 1873, le brown. ..... 25 ..... 10
875 1873, 2c brown. ..... 25 ..... 08
No. Date. Value Color. New. U'sell
876 1873, 3c brown. ..... 08 ..... 02
877 1873, 6c brown. ..... 15 ..... 06
878 1873, 7c brown. ..... 125 ..... 125
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 30 ..... 15
880 1873, 12c brown. ..... 30 ..... 15
881 1873, 15c brown. ..... 30 ..... 20
882 1873, 24c browt. ..... 500 ..... 400
903 1873, 30c brown ..... 50
883 1873, 30c brown. ..... 20
884 1873, 90c brown. 150 ..... 60
War.
885 1873, le red ..... 05 ..... 05
886 1873, 2c red ..... 05 ..... 05
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6c red ..... 05 ..... 05
889 1873, 7c red ..... 50
150
890 1873, 10c тед ..... 20 ..... 20
891 1873, 12c red ..... 20 ..... 20
892 1873, 15c red ..... 20 ..... 20
$8931873,24 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... 50 ..... 50
894 1873, 30c red ..... 30 ..... 25
$8951873,90 \mathrm{c}$ red 100 ..... 75

Herlingitok, Kamsas, April 1h. 189.3.
Standard Stamp Combanv:
Geutlemen-Your slieets ase by far the best I have ever received from anty dealer. Yours tpuly.

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Gentlemen-Allow me to sny that I bave scen a great unany sheets from different firms in this country inside of five gears. but Ithink yours ate the best "f them all! "rhey are just what I watht-bricht. cleau, cheap and gool tariety

189 5. Green Sitreet, Chicago. 111
Yours truly,
A. W. DPJARNAT'T.

Standart Stamp Company
Deat Sirs-Y Yur sheets were the heat I ever saw. I have tried many firms. but none send as good stanps as you do. Yours truly. Middlebury, Vt.

KEIIJ 1. CAKK.
Standarn Stamy Company:
Geuts-1 must say that your firm is the beat I ever dealt with. being both prompfin answering your letters and giving best satisfaction to your cus. lomers.
$\$ 2$ Front Street. W, Toronto, Cagada
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## CONFEDERATE STATES.

GENELRAL ISSUR.


A1.


A2.


A 3 .

New.
8050
50
100

Used.
$\$ 040$
No. Date. Type, Value. Color.
71 1861, A1, 5c greess ..... or


A8.


A5.
$\$ 200 \$ 300$

50
300
$10 \cdot 10$

15
79 1862, $\Lambda 4,5 \mathrm{e}$ pale blue
80 1862, At, 5 c blue, lithographo:
81 1862, A4, Sc bine, perforated
82 1863, A5, 2c rose.
83 1863, 10 c blue (THN)
$8+1863$, A7, 10chlue
$851803, \mathrm{~A}, 10 \mathrm{c}$ dark bhe
861863, a $8,10 e$ ligit blue.
75 1862, A1, 5c blue..
76 1862, A1, 5c dark phae
77 1862, A2, 10c rose......
78 1862, A4, 5chlue.......
60

No rate．Type．Value．Color．
87 1863，A8，10c greenish blue

| New． | Used． |
| ---: | ---: |
| $\$ 010^{-}$ | $\$ 010$ |
|  | 350 |

88 1863，AS，10c blue（with outer line）．．．．．．．．．．． 350
89 1863，A8，10chlue，perforated


A9．
00 1863，A9，20c green．．．
80 $10 \$ 200$ OUA 1803，A9，20e green，perforated，fine specimen on original letter． 2000
91 1864，1c orange（Calhoun） 50

Standaki Stasyi Combacy：
Genternen－four sheets are very neat amb pleasing．am？the most astunding bargatns I have ever seen ith stangs．fours，for business． Hightstown，N．J．


STANDARD STAMy COMPAXV：
 Yours，very truly，
J：athotall，MintI．
11．A HC゙ANDKE゙「T゙。
SUGTE F゙ルUKANNA，Wis．，April 2i， 1892.
STANDAKH Stamb COMPANG
Gents－Jour packet received，and I find them to he the bejt I ever received frominny other firm．
qours respectulty，
JOHN D．SM1TH．

## STANDARD STAMP COMPANS：

Cincinnatı．O．，April $23,1597$.
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In care of Times－Sha．Cincimmati． 0 ．
JEN MELFORI），JK
hastindes，Neh．，Oet．1． 1893.
 haro lhy ing stathus from yonr sheets ant think they are the hest and cleap． e－1 stamps I ever bought，so lhought I would try and sell some，seenty that they are in such demaud．

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Owing to lack of time, we are unable to send wholesale selections on approval ; all we have to offer will be found in above monthly Wholesale Lists.
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## Counterfeits and Government Remainders.

As there seen to be differences in opinion among stamp collectors who are unable to distiuguish a reprint from an original or counterfeit stamp, we will endeavor to explain the matter to them in as few worls as possible.

Reprints are stamps printel from the same plate as the originals. As some of the obl original stamps are very high in price, a reprinted specimen is often welcomed by the collector to fill a vacent space, which otherwise would be left blank for an indefinite period.

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A Counterfeit stamp is absolutely worthless and no more deserves a place in a stamp album than a spool label or a cigarette picture.

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Not long ago a person in Iouisville, Ky., found two old stanps, for which we puid him \$(85.00 aplece. Another person in the South fonnd a lot of old stamps, which he sold for sivo (seven humdred dollars). There are certain United States stamps for which we pay from $\$ 100$ to $\$ 200$ each. There are a great many for which we pay from $\$ 1$ to $\$ 5$ each. You may be able to find some as well as anyone else, and would advise you to examine any old correspondence you may come actoss. We will send a 2 -page list of prices we pay for them in cash to auy address upon receipt of ten cents.

## CANADIAN COLLECTORS.

We take square cut Canatian Envelope stamps in exchange for stamps from our sheets and allow 50 cents for them per 100. Any good British North American stamps taken.

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For the 2c.....................40( pror 100)
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    of 1875 issue ..............440e apipce.
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Ceicago, March 16, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company :
Dear Sirs-Your packets arrived all right and gave great satisfaction.

Plense fill enclosed order and oblige. 2957 Indiana avenue.

South Kauganna, Wis., April 25, 1892
Standari Stamp Company:
Gents-Your packeta received and I find them to be the best I ever received fromany other firm. Yours reapectlully, JNO. D. SMITH.

Dallas, TEx., Sept. 25, 1891.
Standard Stamp Company :
Gente-Your 500 variety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Both are very much superior to anything I have ever seen so far. I remain. 312 Main street.

Yours truly,
ANGELO DE STEFANO.

Gencs-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightful surprise to me. Enctosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Standard packets Nos. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large, I found a great unniber in your packets I did not bave. If thia, my teatimony, is of any une to you, you may use it. I ama. Very traly yours,

In care of Times-Star, Cincinnati, O. BEN. MULFORD, JR.
So. Denver, Colo., Feb. 13, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received yout packet No. 19 to-day and am well pleased. It was mare of a variety than I expected.

Box 37.
Yours truly
L. LEE THURBER.

Jamatca, L. I., N. Y., March 4, $189 \%$.
Gentlemen-Received packets all right and must say they are "A 1, O. K." To celebrate the occasion please sead me two more packets No. 342.

Chichester avenne. Yours iruly, WM, WEBBE.

* Osexosh. Wis., Sept. 8, 1893.

Genticmen-Please send me some more approval sheets. I am an agent for a good many companies but think your approval sheets are better than any others.

191 High street.
Yours truly
JAMES T. HALSEY.
Richmond, Va., Jan. 12. 1894.
Gentlemen-I received the Standard album this moraing alf right. I am very much pleased with it.

Yours truly,
JOHN H. GUY.
Waghington, D. C.. Jra. 17. 1894.
Gentlemen-Packet No. 23 arrived to-day and I was very well pleased with it, fiuding a great number of stamps not in my collection. I am always satisfied with your stampe.

Kespectiully.
1459 Pierce Place, N. W.
OWEN PENNEY.
Glens Falls, N Y.Jan. 15. 1894.
Gentlemen-I received the Standard album I sent for and was very much pleased with it. as I did not expect one so good for the mouey.

25 Pearl street.
Very truly yours.
JOHN BICKLEY.
Roxnery, Mass. Feb, 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the Internationat packet a lew days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried many stamp companies but I like nore as well as yours.

Yours truly.
25 E. Cottage street.
CHESTER T. GREFNWOOD.
Conway, N. H., Feb. 7. 1894.
Gentlemen-Stampa received all right Tuesday. I am more than pleased
with them.

Lock Box 70 .

Yours truly,
Rociestex, N. Y., March 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day and I must say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I recejved.

72 Rowe street. Yours truly, E. PEELY.
Baltimore. Md., Oct. 18. 1894.
Gevtlemen-I recelved your approval sheets: they were very fine 1430 W . Taiuvale street. Yours very truly, EDGAR KENDIG.

Hastings. Ner. Oct. 1, 1893.
Gentlemen-Please send me some of your trial approval sheets. I have been buylug stamps from your sheets and think they are the beat and cheapeat stamps I ever bougbt, 80 thought I would try and sell some, seeing that they are in such demand.

Yours певресыuly.
R. G. MCGREW.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 7. 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your packets Nos. 12.23 and 13 , aud was very much pleased with them.

976 Daupiu street.
Yours truly,
F. J. BLACK.

Unadilla, N. Y., Aug. 7, 1893.
Gentiemen-Have just received the International packet No. 21, for \$10. almo the other packets, and am very much pleased with them. They arebetter than I expected. Yours truly, HAROLD S. LEWIS.

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8 Australian
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2 Azores Islands
2 Baden
6 Bavaria,old issue
2 Barbados
3 Belgitum Postal Packet
2 Bhopaul
2 Bolivia
3 Bosuia
3 Brazil, Journal stamps

4 Brazil
*2 Brazil, unpaid
4 British Guiana
4 Bulgaria
2 B.\&O.Telegraph
10 Canada
3 Canada Bill
6 Cape of Good IIope
4 Ceylon
4 Chili
2 Chile"Telegrafos"
3 Colombia
2 Confederate
3 Constantinople
3 Costa Rica

* 2 Costa Rica "Officials"
5 Cuba
2 Curacao
2 Cyprus
10 Denmark
2 Dominican Republic
3 Dutch Indies
2 Easteru Roumelia
3 Ecuador
4 Egypt
10 England
2 Faridkot
4 Finland


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3 French Colopies
2 Gibraltar
2 Greuada
5 Greece
2 Guatemala
3 Hamburg
2 Hamburg envelopes
3 Heligoland
10 Holland
3 Holland, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India envelopes
and card
12 Italy
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, unpaid
4 Jamaice
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, rare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials
*2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 New South Wales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaid
5 New Zealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway

- 2 Nowanuggur

8 Old Austria, 1850-63
12 Old Austria
2 Old Japan
4 Old Spain, Isabel
3 Old Turkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Peru

* 2 Yeru envelopes

2 Pbilippines
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese Iudies
3 Roman States
6 Roumania 7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino
*2 Samoa
6 Sardinia

* 2 Saxony

3 Servia

* 3 Shanghai
-2 Shanghai, unp'd
10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlements
2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, 5-50 ore, compl
4 Sweden official
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Trinidad
2 Tunis
5 Turkey, various
3 U.S. Department
3 U.S. Locals
10 U. S. Postage
6 U. S. Revenues
2 U.S. War
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6 Austrian-Levant
4 Austrian-Italy.
4 Azores.
2 Bahamas Islands
6 Bavarian Return Letter.
6 Belgium, postal packet stamps.
5 Bergedorf.
3 Bhopaul.
3 Bolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Bosnia.
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Jourtal and Unpaid stamps.
5 British Guiana.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada Bill.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylou.
7 Chili.
3 Chili, "Telegrafos."
2 China.
3 Confederate States.
3 Corea.
4 Costa Rica.

- 4 Costa Rica, incl. 20c.
7 Cuba.
-3 Curacao.
4 Cyprus.

5 Dutch Indies.
3 Eastern Roumelia.
5 Ecuador, used.
*5 Ecuador, unused incl. 20c.
7 Egypt.
3 Farjdkot.
7 Finland.
7 Greece.
4 Guatemala.
*7 Hamburg, Envelopes, complete
3 Hawaii.
3 Hayti.
7 Heligoland.
*4 Heligoland, Envelopes and wrappers, complete.
5 Holland, unpaid
5 Honduras.
4 Hong Kong.
12 Hungary, $\nabla$ arious, incl. 20 and 50 kr .
7 Hungary, 1888 , incl. 50 kr .and 1 A.
3 Iceland.
10 India.
5 Iudia, Native States.
16 Italy, old and new.
3 Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.

7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.
4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, 1872 issue.
*2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
3 Mexico, 1864.
5 Mexico, 1895.
3 Mexico, 1882, unnsed.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 New SouthWales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, i 11 cl .2 piastres.
3 New Zealand (Insurance).
6 New Zealand.
7 Nicaragua.
14 Norway.
*3 Nowanuggur, old issue, complete.
*3 Nowanuggur, new issue, complete.
12 Old Austria, 1850-1863.

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12 Russia, old and new
4 Russia Levant, incl. 10 kop .
7 Salvador.
*3 Samoa.
*5 Saxony.
6 Servia.

* 4 Shanghai.
* 3 Shanghai, unpaid.
15 Spain.
4 Straits Settlements.
7 Sweder Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
15 Sweden, various issues.
*5 Swiss, 1862-68
5 Transvaal, incl. 1 shilling.
7 Turkey.

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10 U. S. Envelopes.
${ }^{*} 5$ U. S. Local.
5 U. S. Official.
10 U. S. Reveuues.
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 stamps, and no local, telegraph, revenue, or cut postal card stamps, etc., as is the case with most of the other packets of this kind generally advertised at a low figure. Purchasers of this packet receive the full value of their money! It contains stamps from a great many stamp issuing countries, and many complete sets. Also MANY RARE stamps, valued by catalogue from 25 ceuts to $\$ 1.00$ each. Besides many others, the following countries are represented:

Borneo, 1894, Mexico, 1861, 4 reals, black on yellow paper, valued at $\$ 1.75$ each, rare China, rare Chili envelope, also old issues, a fine lot of Mexico, 18.9 to 1882 issue, $5,6,10,12,18,24$ and 25 cent, including rare "Habilitado" envelope, 25 c blue, entire, worth $\$ 1.25$ each, Argentine Republic (old and new), Austria (old and new), Levant, Austrian-Italy, OLD Ballen, Barbados, Bavaria (old), scarce old Bahamas Islands, Belgium, Bermuda, Bolivia (several issues), Bosnia, Brazil, British Guiana, Bulgaria, Cape of Good Hope, Costa Rica, including envelope, also fine assortment from 1883 to 1889 , inctuding the scarce 40 c blue, provisionals "correos," etc., officials 1886-1889, valued in all at about $\$ 1.50$, Cuba, Cyprus, Chefoo, Dutch Indics, Ecuador, fine set (old and new), Egypt, several issues, Finland, France, French Colonies, Germany, Great Britain, officials, Greece (new issue), Guatemala, 1886, also evelope, Hamburg, Houduras, many kiuds aud issues, Hawaii, Heligolatrd, Hayti, several issues; Hong Kong, Hungary, 1888, Iceland, India (old and new); Deccan, fue old Italy, unpaid, official and rare Postal aud Packet Stamps;

Jamaica, Japan, many kinds and issues; scarce triangular Liberia, 1893 issue; Luxembourg (officials); Mauritius, many varieties; Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue; New Brunswick, several varieties, N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, includiug "officials;" Orange States, rare Paraguay, several issues; Peru, including the rare 1 peseta brown of 1863,1 peseta of 1872 issue (catalogued in all at 50 cents); Porto Rico, fine old Portugal; also Portuguese Colonies, Prussia, Roumania, Russia, Russian-Levant, St. Vincent, Salvador, Samoa Island, San Marino, Saxony, unused Servia, Siam, Shanghai, several varieties, including unpaid and scarce "Jubilee" issue; South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues (Isabella), rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerland, unpaid (also eavelopes); scarce Thurn and Taxis; fine old Turkey, from 1809 to 1892 , including unused; United States of Colombia, Venezuela, Victoria, Western Australia (several issues); fine old Wurtemburg; also official envelopes, and many others too numerous to be mentioned.

This is a spleadid packet for a beginner, as well as for any advanced collector, as a great mauy GOOD stamps will be found in the same which are missing in quite large collections of 2,000 and 3,000 varieties.

## SPECIAL NOTICE!

Every Purchaser of above packet will receive FREE, as a preminm, a fine $\$ 1,50$ International Album, latest edition. If the album is not desired, we will allow the amonni of $\$ 1.50$ to be taken out in stamps from our list. IN No CASE, HOWEVER, CAN THIS $\$ 1.50$ be Deducted from remitiance ! ! !

Every fifth purchaser is entitled to select $\$ 5$ worth of goods FREE from this list, besides receiving the album. Can you do any better than this?

[^81]CAUTION: Other dealers have imitated our "International " Packet and offer a similar packet at the same or a lower price. If you wish to receive the full value of your money, buy none of these worthless imitations, but our old and reliable "International" Packet, No. 21.

## WHAT THEY SAY!

## Standard Stamp Company:


Dear Sirs-Your "Juteruational" Packet. No. 21, teceived, but owing to Xmas doings I have been uuable to examine it until now. I mever imegined I'd get such a packet; it beats European tradets hollowl Your gilt of $\$ 5$ worth of stamps was a welcome surprise. for which accept my thanks. If I have made any mistakes let me know. Your system beats all I know. and I can hardly realize it to be a fact. Iam, Yours truly, ROBERT FORBES.

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& \text { Office Boston Blacking Co., } \\
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Boston Mass., October 8, 1892 . J
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your Packets. Nos. 21 and 22, received, and 1 must say are the finest I ever saw. The premium stamp is a finc and valuable stamp. You may send any parties to me for recommendations, and I can faithfully say that your goods are as represented and superior to othersiu regards to condition and scarcity.

Yours respectifully,
$94-100$ Beverly Street, Boston, Mass. C. W. LAMB.
Office of D. H. Bacon \& Co.. Fine Printers.
Standard Stamp Company: Bikmingham, Conn., Sept. 30. 1892 .
Gentlemen-1t gives me pleasure to say that your "INTERNATIONAL PACKE'T NO. 21 " is the best assortment aud the most value I \$ave ever seen in stanips. I sold the oue you sevt to a young man who had bought a 1,000 variety packet for $\$ 15$ in New York. He said yours was the best, to say nothing of the alburn which goes withit. I have sold another for which you have the order, and have another custonser in view. Yours very truly, D. If. BACON.

The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated October 22, 1892 :
Standard Stamp Company :
Gentlemen-"INTERNATIONAL, PACKET No. 21 "arrived all right yesterday a. m. The premicm which you sent with it was, very satisfucfary, while as to the packet itself. I can only say that I spent an hour or so with my customer looking over it in the afternootn, and he and nfyself quere delighted!! It was a magnificent collection for the money, and when I think what my first 1,000 stamps cost me about three years ago. I ain disgusted, etc.. etc.

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\text { Yours very truly, } \quad \text { D. H. BACON. }
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It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.
Standard Stamp Company :
Norristown, Pa.
Gentlemen-The International Packet No. 21, 1,000 all different stampa for $\$ 10$, which I purchased of you, was the finest 1 have ever geen, much EXCERLING MY GREATEST EXPECTATION! fam also mach obliged for the valuable PRIze stampsyousent maf Yourstiuly,

830 Alch Street.
CHAS. A. FARNUM.

## Toronto. Canada. April 19, 1892.

Standard Stamp Company :
Gents-Received packets of stamps, catalogue, etc., safely, and amt de-
lighted with then.

32 Delaney Crescent.

Yours respectfully,

Omaha, Net. March 10, 1894.
I have an International Packet No. 21 that was given to me as a present by Theo. Noack. I have received jour Internationel lacket No. 21 and I am very much pleased with it. I was offered a trade for s-tt's $\$ 15.00$ l'ackst, but I refused it. The $\$$ - $t \mathrm{t}$ 's $\$ 15.00$ I'acket does not come up to your International Packet by a very long ways.

924 South 33 rd Street.

## Yours

JAMES SHACKLEFORD.
Waltham. Mass., Jamuary 30. 1894.
Gentlemen-On account of having heard so much about your Packet No. 21. tuy expectations were up pretty high: but on receipt of the packet they were fully realized. Why. it is a fine collection in itself, and the attention paid to good specimens, and where there are varieties both being put in, makes it the best packet a collector cau buy. Yours respectfully.

11 Elm Strect.
E. D. CURTIS.

Hokt Colliss, Colo., February 27, 1894.
Standard Stamp Company:
Dear Sirs-I am simply amazed at the contents of the packet (No. 21) just receiver. It contains a great many choice and lseautiful stamps. Don't see how you do it! Was also surprised to find nyself the lucky fith purchaser.

EDW. H. HALL.

Eighty (80) packets sold within a few months and all purchasers pleased.

Remember that EACH purchaser receives a $\$ 1.50$ International Album FRFE, or if album is not wanted we will allow the amount of $\$ 1.50$ on any additional order sent us. Every FIFTHI purchaser receives $\$ 5,00$ worth of stamps FREE from our list or approval sheets as preferred, besides the album or credit for $\$ 1.50$.

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## Price, Post Free and IRegistered, \$10.00.

Greatest bargain and best value for the money ever offered.

[^82]We allow 50 per ceut. commission from our Approval Sheets. Try them.

## LIST OF PURCHASERS

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## 6 <br> INTERNATIONAL" PACKET No. 21

## During the past Few Months 545 Packets No. 21 Sold to Date. 1895.

463-Jan. 5th, E. P. Rowen, 306 Columbia st., W. Lafayette, Ind. 464-Jan. 9th, H. Bernhard, Boonville, Mo. 465-Jan. 9th, Coburn Haskell, care The Stillman, Cleveland, O. $460-\mathrm{Jan} .10 \mathrm{th}, \mathrm{J}$. J. Hathaway, Chester Hill, Brighton, Mass.
467-Jan. 12th, Rev. F. Wadekin, Maxwell, Caldwell Co., Texas.
468-Jan. 17th, Samuel Auker, Twelfth and Bourbon streets, New Orleans, La.
469 -Jan. 24 th, A. G. Paine, care Wes. U. Tel. Co. Goshen, Ind. 470 -Jan. 28th, Elgin Hill, 2918 Penn avenue, Pittsburg, Pa. 471 -Jan, 30 th, Gus, F. Allberg, 5 Nelson avenue, Lowell, Mass. 472-Jan. 31st, Hosea F. G. Brown, Arken, S. C.
473-Feb. 1st, Geo. E. Brill, 15th and Bremen sts., Cincinnati, O. $474-\mathrm{Feb} .2 \mathrm{~d}$, Vernon L. Beer, 23 Carlton st., Halifax, N. S., Can. $475-F e b .11 t h, A . C$. Roussel, 159 Blewry st., Montreal, Can. 476-Feb. 13th, C. S. Gross, 2608 Douglas st., Omaha, Neb.
477-Feb. I3th, W. Miller Schmitt, Box 679, Springfield, Ill.
478-Feb. 15th, Chas. T. Carpenter, Coffeyville, Kas.
479 -Feb. 18th, Willie Tufts, 56 Dwight st., Boston, Mass.
480-Feb. 25ih, E. C. Prindle, N. Tecumseh, Cal.
481-Feb, 23d, John J. Fleming, Burlington, Iowa.
482-Feb. 27th-Chas. M. Schott, Jr., 50 Broadway, New York City. 483-March 5th-Otto L. Everbach, 538 N. Jefferson st., Louisville, Ky.
484-March 12th, Louis Marcus, 9 South George st., York, Pa. 485-March 16th, L. Weil, 4257 Washington ave., St. Louis, Mo. 486-March 19th, W. Demet, 6550 Stoney Island, Chicago, Ill. 487-March 22d, Jno. W. Fraser, Galt, Ont., Canada.
488-March 25th, F. W. Taylor, 2728 N. Broad st., Philadelphia, Pa. 489-March 25th, A. Mandell, 155 N. Perry st., Titusville, Pa.
490-March 28th, T. G. Fellows, Bucksport, Maine.
491-March 28th, A. I. Edgecomb, 36 Grant st., Cortland, N, Y.
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492-A pril 4th, Harry W. Gander, Rudy, Pa. 493-April 8th, Herbert Eva, 529 W. 4th st., Duluth, Minn.
494 -April 10th, C. R. Fly, Ishpeming, Mich.
406-April 10th, Roy C. Brabb, Romeo, Mich.
496-April 12th, Chas. Griffin, Greenwich, N. Y.
497-April 12th, H. E. Wilkins, 8 W. Lombard st., Baltimore, Md. 498-April 13th, Percival Stern, Old 227 Carondelet st., New Orleans, La.
499-April 22d, Geo. H. Waterman, 2326-28 Washington st., Boston, Mass.
500-April 30th, Howard N. Eavenson, Sauit Ste. Marie, Mich. 501-May 3d, H. A. Smith, 16th and Oxford sts., Yhiladelphia, Pa. 502-May 5th, Krippaeline, 2720 State st., Chicago, Ill.
503-May 8th, Miss Etta Konitzky, 1911 Diamond st., Phila., Pa. 504-May 8th, Jos. H. Tumbach, 207 Wainwright Bldg, St. Louis. 505-May 9th, John Hurlbert, I3ox I10, Manitou, Colo. 506-May 9tb, Wm. H. Lepere, 1131 Leonard ave., St. Louis, Mo. 507-May 13th-Platt Brush, Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.
508-May 15th, Aug. T. Wehrle, 176 Church st., Newark, Ohio. 509-May 15 th, Milton Silverman, 533 La Salle ave, Chicago, Ill. 510 -May 22d, L. F. Caswell, Rock ford, Ill.
511-May 22d, Sam'l Bodine, Rockford, Ill.
512-May I6th, Mrs. Jas. Hopwood, 39 Harbor st., Cleveland, O. 513-May 23d, E. L. Sumuer, Box 641, Colorado Springs, Colo. 514--June 11th, Robbie Davis, Amenia, N. Y.
515 -June 15th, Elijah Brown, Atlanta, Ga.
516-June 28th, F. W. Markell, Charleston, W. Va.
517-July 241h, W. H. Newman, Grinnell, Iowa.
518-Aug. 15th, Geo. D. Nicol, 233 S. Spring st., Los Angeles, Cal. 519-Aug. 28th, Harry I. Prestou, Roxbury, N. Y.
520-Aug. 29, Jno. A. Samborn, 205-214 Burke Blg, Seattle, Wash.
521-Aug. 30th, W. F. Mublenberg, 34 South 5th st., Reading, Pa. 522-Aug. 30th, C. E. Siegard, 25 Austin st., Charleston, Mass. 523-Sept. 6th, Roberts \& Dietrich, Shanghai, China.
524-Sept. 9th, Oscar Bock, Galveston, Texas.
$525-O c t .11 t h, J 110$. Bailey, 87 Sherman ave., Jersey City, N. J.
526-Sept. 14th, J. Farning, Box 286, Rockville, Conn,
1895.

527-Sept. 19th, Harry D. Adams, Hiawatha, Kas. 528-Oct. 4th, C. Bernst, 177 Egglestone ave., Cincinnati, Ohio. 529--Oct. 5th, Carl de F. Griggs, Sutton, P. Q., Canada. 530 -Nov. Sth, A. Schneider, High st., Bangor, Maine.
531-Nov. 18th, Rodger Sands, Pentwater, Mich.
532-Nov. 18th, A. N. Murray, Box 34, Beecher Falls, Vt.
533-Nov. 20th, Southern Stamp Co., Winston, N. C.
534 -Dec. Sth, Geo. H. Hellegan, 4501 Butler st., Pittsburg, Pa. $535-D e c .6$ th, Mabel Cornish. 225 1st st., S.F., Washington, D.C. 536 -Dec. $10 t h$, Sydney A. Williams, Gregory, Mich.
537-Dec. 12th, M. I Ringdal, 20 F. 14th ave., Denver, Colo.
538-Dec. 14th, B. S. MacKenzie, Watertown, Ontario, Canada. 539-Dec. 17th, H. F. Heath, 9240 Harbor ave., S. Chicago, Ill. $540-$ Dec. 20th, Arthur J. Brown, 251 Purchase st., New Bedford, Mass.
18\%.
541-Jan. 6th, Julius Scbroeder, 1633 2d ave., New York City.
542-Jan. 7th, M. Guy Leclaire, 290 Ruede l'Üniversite, Montreal, Canada.
543-Jan, 16th, F. Bletchen, Caribou, Maine. $544-J a n .23 d$, E. R. Simister, Philadelphia, Pa. 545-Jan. 25th, J. L. Scull, Overbrook, Pa.

## No. 22.-Price, only $\$ 4.00$, Post Free.



Contains 500 all different postage stamps from all parts of the world, including RARE specimens, such as Cape of Good Hope, triangalar Liberia, many
 varieties of Costa Rica, 1883-89, including scarce officials, Mexico, many kinds, from 1864-93, including rare "Habilitado" envelope, 10 cent green, entire, worth 75 cents each, Deccan, Siam, North Borneo, Hayti, Greece, many issues, French Colonies, Bulgaria, many fine varieties of Mexico, also officials and unpaid; rare Hawaiian and Azores Islands, old and new, Cape of Good Hope, Sweden unpaid and official, New Brunswick, Luxembourg official, San Marino, Monaco, Servia 1869-90, itncluding scarce values, Baden Land post, rare Belgium Packet post, also fine United States, War, T'reasury, Interior, Post Office Department, etc., very scarce old and new Bulgaria, Ceylon, India Service, Tasmania, Finland,

Salvador, Guatemala, Venezuela, United States of Columbia, Nicaragua, Brazil, old issue of Wurtemburg and official envelopes, Victoria, old Turkey, including 1869-92 issues, Egypt, Japan, rare Uruguay, Chili, many kinds, West Australia, Austrian and Russian-Levant, Shanghai, including unpaid, and from many other countries.

## No. 43.-Price, only $\$ 1.50$, Post Free.

Contains 300 all different postage stamps, from all parts of the world, including stamps from Asia, Africa, North, South and Central America, Australia, West Indies, including many scarce stamps, such as old Cuba, Ecuador, a fine lot, old and new issues,
 many varieties, Costa Rica provisionals, officials and regular issues, a fine lot, worth about 50 ceuts by latest catalogue; scarce Borneo; West Australia, Java, Mexico, 1864-93, Chili, etc., etc.

## No. 44.-Price, only $\$ 2.00$, Post Free.



Contains 300 splendid varieties, same as last, from all parts of the world, but including rarer stamps. Amongst many others, we only mention: China, Shanghai, Straits Settlements provisiouals, Mexico, 1864-1892, many varieties, including envelope, Argentine, unused, Chili, Peru, Colombia, French and Portuguese Colonies, Trinidad, Barbados, Newfoundland, and many others. A FINE PACKET.

Stantard Stamp Company :
Dallas, Texas, Sept. 25, 1891.
Gents-Four 500 variety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Both are very much superior to anything I have ever seen so far. I remnin, 312 Main Street.

Yours truly,
ANGELO DE STFHANO.
Standard Stamp Company: Cambridge, Mass. Dear Sirs-Your sheets contain the best assortment that I have ever seen; ant also very much obliged to you for the valuable prize stamps you sent me. 1112 North Ave, Cambridge, Mass. Yours truly, HOMER F. 11 UNT,

Use our "Standard Hinges" for inserting Stamps in Albums. Only 10 cents per sheet of 1,000 hinges.

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50 varieties, all different, from all parts of the world, iucluding Victoria, Japan, Mexico, Chili, New Zealand, etc. Price only 10 cents. Postage 2c extra.


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200 varicties, all different, from all parts of the world, including Honduras, Brazil newspaper, Puerto Rico, French Colonies, Colombia, Chili, old and new, etc. Price, post free, only 50 cents.

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Standard Stamp Company: Chicago. Ill., Peb, 26, }1892
Deat Sirs-We received our stampsin good order and must bay that they are very salisfactory.
78 Seminary avenue.
thos. A. Mclain \& CO.
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Standard Stamp Company: Febrtary 11, 1888.
Gentlemen-I received your packets to-day nud mast say that they are far better than /expected/ They excel any packels that I ever bought before.

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## Packet A.-Price, 50 Cents.

Contains 1,000 good mixed stamps, including Aus-trian-Italy, Venezuela, Costa Rica, Hawaii, Chili, Jamaica, Honduras, Ecuador, Brazil, etc.

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Contains 1,000 very fine assorted stamps, many rare, such as Salvador, Peru, Brazil, Bulgaria, Servia, Mexico, Costa Rica, old and new issues, many fine scarce varieties, Japan, old Hawaiian Islands, rare Shanghai and many others of equal value.


Packet C.-Price, 30 Cents. Postage 3 c Extra.


Contains 1,000 finely assorted stamps, including a lot of good stamps from such countries as Brazil, Chili, Honduras, old European, Jamaica, Porto Rico, Costa Rica, and many others.

5 packets, as above, $\$ 1.40$.
10 packets, as above, $\$ 2.50$.

## Picket D.-Price, only 75 Cents.

Contains 300 very good assorted postage stamps, including many rare, such as old Mexico, Argentine, U. S. War, Treasury, Interior, etc., Danube, Bolivia, Nicaragua, Peru, Ceylon, Egypt, India service, Jamaica, Shanghai, including unpaid, Ecuador, high values; Azores Isles, Greece, unpaid, and other good
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## Packet E.-Price, only \$1.50.



Contains 1,000 excellent stamps, from many countries, such as Transvaal Republic, Orange Free States, Colombia Republic, Siam, fine China 1885, Bulgaria, Austriau and Russian-Levant, North Borneo, Trini-
dad, a fine line of Ecuador stamps, old and new issues, many kinds, Cape, fine old Mexicans, many valuable, Shanghai, Mautitius, also from many other countries, including Africa, Asia, South and Central America, West Indies, British Colonies, etc., etc., too numerons to mention. A fine packet for a small dealer or exchange purposes.

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One Thousand Finely Assorted Stamps for only \$2.00, Post Free.


We put up a fine packet of 1,000 mixed stamps which is just the thing for trading or selling off sheets. This packet contains no common Continental stamps whatever, but only the better class from all parts of the globel The mixture includes such stamps as the following: Peru, Costa Rica, including scarce officials, 1886-89, Cuba and Porto Rico, India, Ceylon, New South Wales, South Australia, Bavaria, Brazil, Spain, Servia, Finland, Victoria, New Zealand, Mexico, Italy uews, Heligoland; Rome, Chili, Hamburg, Japao, Bosnia, Sweden officials, Cyprus, Natal, Bulgaria, Roumania, Egypt, Greece, Hong Kong, etc., etc. Any dealer or agent can easily clear from $\$ 15$ to $\$ 18$ by retailing this excellent lot.

Tintse packets are now in stocr and orders are filled dy return mail. (Be sure and order Packet F.)

We guarantee each and every packet to be as represented or money will be refunded.

## Packet G.-IPrice, \$4.00, Post Frec.

## U. 5 . Contains 500 very finely mixed United States stamps.

This assortment includes stamps from 1851, 1857, 1861, 1868, $1869,1872,1875,1882,1887,1888,1889,1890$ and 1893 (Columbus series), adhesives and envelopes; also Department, Revenues, unpaid, Special Delivery, etc,

Every packet contains a 90 -cent stamp of 1890 issue, and a rare 30 -cent brown of 1888 issue.

## Packet H.-Price \$2.50, Post Free.

U. S. Contains 300 finely mixed United States stamps, issues from 1851 up to 1889 , and most of them obsolete, including War, Treasury, Agriculture, Post Office and Interior Departments, scarce envelopes from 1857, 1860, 1861, 1864, etc. Also 30 and 90 -cent values, about 50 varieties in all, well mixed.

This is the very best packet a collector can buy to increase his U.S. collection or to trade from.

We guarantee good value.

## Packet I.-Price, only 75 Cents, Post Frec.



Contaitus 1,000 finely mixed stamps, such as Bosnia, Venezuela, Servia, Bulgaria, Italy, unpaid, old and new Turkey, Levant, Brazil (large), West Australia, Borneo, U. S. Department Stamps, scarce Newfoundland, South African Republic, Natal, Hawaii, Trinidarl, Colombia, and many others. A good packet for exchanging.

## Packet K.-Price, only $\$ 4.00$, Post Free.

Contains 500 scarcer stamps-no common Continentals whatever, and is comprised of the following:

200 stamps to sell on sheets at 1 cent each.
100 stamps to sell on sheets at 2 cents each.


100 stamps to sell on sheets at 3 cents each.
60 stamps to sell on sheets at 5 cents each.
40 stamps to sell on sheets at $6,8,10$ and 15 cents each.
-- (Ten of each.)
Total, 500 good stamps to retail at over $\$ 14$, net cash.
Guaranteed to contain ONLY gOOD SALABI.E stamps-no rubbish of any kind, same grade of goods we use on our own sheets.

Over $\$ 10$ clear profit for you!
FIREE: With each order for packet $K$ we give 25 fine blank approval shects free!!

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Contaitus 25 varieties of Mexican postage stamps, including some rare, from 1864, 1879-82, 1884-90 issues, etc., including officials, euvelopes, official seals, aud many good values.


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Contans 30 different Mexican postage stamps, including 1864, (Saltillo), also old issues and good values of $1874,1878,1879,1882$ to 1890 , etc. A very fiue packet for the money.

## No. 27.-Price, only $\$ 1.50$.

Contains 50 different Mexican postage stamps, including a good many rare, such as $18: 9,1882$, high values, 1864 issue (Saltillo), fine envelope stamps, worth 10 cents each; also used and unused stamps of the issues of 1854 to 1893 , official stamps (three is-
 sues), 1874 issue, 20 and 25 cents of 1888 issue, and many others.

## No. 28.-Price, only $\$ \mathbf{5} .00$.



Contains 70 different postage stamps from Mexico. This is a very fine collection in itself, inclut ing the issues of 1856 up to 1890 . It contains a great many rare stamps, such as the 1,2 and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth 89 cents, the 50 and 100 cents of 1874, the issues of 1868 to 1872 , used and unused, 1864 (Saltillo), also RARE 4 reals 1861 black on yellow paper,
catalogued at $\$ 1.75$ each, several envelopes, old and new, including "Habilitado," set of Porte de Mar, and many others of equal value. The stamps contained in this packet are valued at about double the price we ask for it.

## No. 28 A.-Price, Post Free, only \$8.50.



Contains 100 fine varieties from Mexico, containing all the stamps mentioned in packet No. 28, but including 30 more varieties, which, as a matter of course, must be quite scarce. This is nearly a complete collection of Mexican stamps, and cheaper than any other packet of this kind ever offered.

Note.-The above packet contains two "Habililado" envelopes, entire, worth $\$ 2.00$, also the rare 1,2 , and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth $\$ 0.89$, and many other rare varieties.

## mISCELLANEOUS STANDARD PACKETS.

## ALL KINDS AND PRICES.

No. 322 contains 40 all different stamps, from the Native India States, such as Travancore, Alwur, Soruth, Jhind, Nowanuggur, Kashtnir, etc. Price, post free, $\$ 1.50$.


No. 323 contains 100 different stamps, some very scarce, only from South Central America and the West Indian Islands. A very fine lot. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.50$.

Packet No. 324 contains 135 all different U. S. stamps, including 1869; 90 cent 1872 and 1888; also envelope stamps and department stamps. No telegraph, local or revenue stamps. Price, post free, $\$ 10.00$.

## SHOW THIS LIST TO YOUR FRIENDS.

Packet No. 325 contains 30 all different stamps, from British North America, including New Brunswick, Newfoundland, Prince Edwards Islands, etc. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.


No. 326 contains 400 all different stamps, from Philippine Islands, Mexico, various issues, China, Hawaiian and Azores Isles, Nicaragua, several issues, etc. Price, post free, only $\$ 3.50$.

Packet No. 337 contains 40 rare stamps from Asia, all different, such as scarce Corea, Shanghai, old and new issues, Straits Settlements, Siam, Seychelles Islands, Persia, Ceylon, Borneo, several issues, etc. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.


Packet No. 328 contains 50 U. S. stamps and envelopes, all different, including 1851, 1857, 1861, $1868,1869,1870,1872,1890$ and 1893 Columbus issue, many rare, also departmental stamps. A very fine collection. Price, post free, only $\$ 1.00$.


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Packet No. 330 contains 25 all different U. S. Telegraph stamps, some very scarce. Price, post free, $\$ 1.00$.

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Packet No. 331 contains 20 all different stamps of the U. S. Departments, including Treasury, Post Office, War, Agriculture, Interior Departments, etc. Some unused atd rare. Price, post free, \$1.00.


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Roxbury, Mass., I'ch. 1, 1894.
Gentlemen-Received the International packet a tew days ago nud was very much pleased with it. I have tried many stamp compamies but I like notue as well as yours. Youts ttuly.

CHESTHR F* GREFNWOOD

Conway, N. H., Feb. 7. 1894.
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I am more than pleased witlituen.

Lock Box 70.
AKTIILR C. IORD.

ROC मf Pistitr, N. Y.. March 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Iour packet No. 20 received to-day aud I tuust say that I was surprised to see the valuable stamps that I received.

12 Kowe street.
Youts truly.
E. FEELY゙.

BALTIMORF, MD., Oct. 1R, 1894.
Gentlemen-I received your approval sheets; they were very fine.
1430 W . Tanvale street. Vours very truly, EDCNK KENDIC.

SoUTII KALKANNA, Wis, April 25, 1892.
STANDARD STAMD COMKANY :
Gents-Your packets leceived and I find them to be the best I ever received from any other firm.

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GENERAL ISSCE.
No. Date. Value Color.

New. \$ 500 1500 $\$ 085$ $\$ 085$
400
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
21 1851, Ic blue, varicty, (broken circle) ..... 5000 ..... 1500
22 1851, 3c red (Washington) 100 ..... 02
23 1851, 5c brown (Jefferson) 5000 ..... 1100
24 1851, 10c green (Wasmington) 1500 ..... 100
25 1851, 12c black (Washington). 1000 ..... 175
26 1856, 24e lilac (Xashington) 7500
27 1856, 30c orauge (Frauklin) Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 100
50
30 1857, le blue, varicly ..... 35 ..... 15
31 1856, 3c red (Wasinington) ..... 10
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with onter line ..... 1500
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 1000
02
20
34 1857, 5c red-brown (Jefferson) ..... 2500350
35 1857, Sc brown (Jefferson), ormaments at top and bottom cut off. ..... 350 ..... 250
50
$361855,10 \mathrm{c}$ green (Washington). ..... 125
37 1857, 12c black (Washington). ..... 175
38 1860, 24c 1ilac (Washington). ..... 600
39 1860, 30c orange (Tranklin) ..... 750
40 1860, 90c blue (Washington) ..... 22 50
U. S. and value in corners.
41 1861, 1c blue (Franklin). ..... 25
43 1861, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 400
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 3000
45 1861, 10c green (Washington). ..... 75
46 1861, 12c black (Washington). ..... 125 ..... 35
47 1861, 24c lilac (Washington). ..... 200
48 1861, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 350
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington). ..... 1200
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 1000
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson) ..... 25
52 1863, 3c rose (TVashington) ..... 10
54 1866, 15c black (Lincoln) ..... 250

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No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
$551866,24 \mathrm{c}$ mauve (Washington). ..... 750 ..... 150Embossing measuring If $x 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, 1c blue ..... 500 ..... 125
61 1868, 2c black 150 ..... 25
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 40 ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green. ..... 350 ..... 60
64 1868, 12c black 300 ..... 50
65 1868, 15c black 2000 ..... 800
Embossing measuring $9 x 13 \mathrm{~mm}$.
66 1868, 1c blue ..... 500
125
67 1868, 2c black. ..... 75 ..... 25
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 25 ..... 02
69 1868, 5c browu ..... 100070 1868, 10c green300
300
71 1868, 12c black.5072 1868, 15c black75
400
1250 73 1868, 24c violet ..... 75 ..... 500
1000 74 1868, 30c orange ..... 400
3500 75 1868, 90c blue ..... 1500Various designs in square.
With embossing measuring $91 / 2 x 91 / 2 m m$.
76 1869, 1c buff (Franklin) 100
77 1869, 2c browu (Horseman) ..... 6050
78 1869, 3c blue (I,ocomotive) ..... 25 ..... 0215
79 1869, 6c blue (Washingtou) ..... 300 ..... 75
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle) ..... 400 ..... 90
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) 200
82 1869, 15c brown and blue (Landing of Co- lumbus) 1000 ..... 350
83 1869, 15c browu and blue (Picture, framed) 600 ..... 175
84 1869, 24c green and purpfe (I)eclaration of Independence) ..... 1650 ..... 750
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle) ..... 1500 ..... 350
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln) 3500 ..... 1750
Head to left in oval, with embossing measuring $9 \times 151 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$. 101 1870, 1c blue (Franklin) 250 ..... 50
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) 250 ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 100 ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 1000
400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stanton) ..... 1000 ..... 400
106 1870, 10c brown (Jefferson) ..... 2500 ..... 1000
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay) ..... 7500 ..... 4000
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 1500 ..... 650
109 1870, 24c purple (Scott) 10000 ..... 6000
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) 3500 ..... 2500
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) 2000 ..... 650
Same, embossing measuring $81 / 2 x 101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
112 1870, 1c blue ..... 250 ..... 50
113 1870, 2c brown 250 ..... 50
114 1870, 3c green ..... 03Same, without embossing.
115 1872, Ic blue ..... 200 ..... 10
116 1872, 2c brown ..... 50 ..... 05
117 18i2, 3c green 100 ..... 03
118 1872, 6c pink 200 ..... 10
119 1872, 7c vermilion 500 ..... 75
120 1872, 10c brown ..... 500 ..... 10
121 1872, 12c dark purple 1000 ..... 75
122 1872, 15c orange. ..... 400 ..... 20
123 1872, 24c purple 1000 ..... 200
124 1872, 30c black ..... 500 ..... 75
125 1872, 90c carmine ..... 500
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 20 ..... 03100
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 75 ..... 05
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 20 ..... 02
129 1882, lc light blue, re-engraved ..... 10
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved ..... 10
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 75 ..... 100101
132 1882, 10c brown, re-engraved ..... 40
132 1882, 10c brown, re-engraved ..... 01
133 1883, 2c claret (Washiugton) ..... 08 ..... 01
134 1883, 4c green (Jackson) ..... 15 ..... 03
135 1887, 2c green ..... 06 ..... 01
No. Date. Value. Color.

New.
136 1887, 3c vermilion ..... 15
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 05 ..... 01
Same as 1872-' 8 issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 12 ..... 02
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 85
140 1888, 90c purple. ..... 250
50
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 15 ..... 05
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, 1c ultramarine ..... 02 ..... 01
125
143 1890, 2c carmine ..... 05 ..... 01
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 06
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 08 ..... 01
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 01
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 15
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 15 ..... 08
149 1890, 10c green ..... 20
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 30
151 1890, 30c black ..... 60 ..... 15
$1521890,90 \mathrm{c}$ orange. ..... 200 ..... 85
03
08
01
10
COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
153 1893, 1c deep blue (Columbus in sight of laud) ..... 03 ..... 01
154 1893, 2c violet (Landing of Columbus). ..... 04 ..... 01
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 10 ..... 06
156 1893, 4 c ultramarine (Fileet of Columbins) 08 156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fileet of Columbins) ..... 03
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicit ng aid of Isabella) ..... 15 ..... 04
158 1893, 6e purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 12 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 15 ..... 08
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 25 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark green(Columbusannouncing his discovery). ..... 30 ..... 30
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Lsed.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 60 ..... 60
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus).. 100 ..... 100
164 1893, \$1.00 salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) 800 ..... 600
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Columbus in chaius) 500 ..... 500
166 1893, $\$ 3.00$ yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third voyage) 400 ..... 400
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) ..... 550 ..... 550
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) ..... 650 ..... 650
SPECIAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 30 ..... 15
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 25
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 20
254 1895, 10c blue ..... 15 ..... 03
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Bordicr.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1750
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 750
Reprint ..... 400
303 1865, 25c red (Lincoln) ..... 750
Repriut ..... 400White Border.
304 1867, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 200
Indian.
25
305 1875, 2c black
50
306 1875, 3c black
40
307 1875, 4c black
60
308 1875, 6c black
60
309 1875, 8c black
1500
310 1875, 9c black
35
311 1875, 10c black
20
312 1885, 1c black
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 100
314 1875, 24c carmine
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 160 ..... 16010025
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No. Date. Value. Calor. New. Used.
315 1875, $36 c$ carmine ..... 100 ..... 100
316 1875, 48c carmine ..... 175
175
317 1875, 60c carmine ..... 175
318 1875, 72c carmine ..... 300
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 300
320 1875, 96c carmine ..... 300
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 450
450
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 700 ..... 700
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 1000
1000
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1350
325 1875, 12d green ..... 1600
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2500
327 1875, 36d red ..... 3000
328 1875, 48d browu ..... 3500
329 1875, 60d violet ..... 4500
UNPAID LETTER STAMPS.
Perforated.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 12 ..... 05
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 12 ..... 05
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 20 ..... 05
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 25 ..... 15
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 50
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 250 ..... 100
15
357 1879, 50c brown ..... 200
100
358 1885, 1c red brown ..... 15 ..... 05
359 188.5, 2c red brown ..... 12 ..... 05
360 1885, 3c red brown ..... 400
200
361 1885, 5c red brown ..... 30
15
362 1885, 10c red brown ..... 40 ..... 08
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 05
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 03
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 25 ..... 05
368 1893, 30c bright claret ..... 125
309 1893, 50c bright claret 200125200
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberly surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
696 1893, ic deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 04 ..... 01
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 10
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20 ..... 20
LETTER SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant) ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICIAL STAMPS.Perforated.All, except Post Office, same Design as General Issue, withName of Department above.
Agriculture.
801 1873, lc straw ..... 200 ..... 200
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 100 ..... 100
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 40 ..... 25
804 1873, 6c straw 75 ..... 75
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 500 ..... 500
806 1. 3,12 c straw ..... 800 ..... 800
807 1873, 15c straw ..... 300 ..... 300
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 350 ..... 350
809 1873, 30c straw 400 ..... 400
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
813 1873, 6e carmine ..... 1500 ..... 1500
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 1150 ..... 1150
Interior.
815 1873, 1c vermilion ..... 20 ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 03
817 1873, 3e vermilion ..... 05 ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 05
819 18\%3. 10 c vermilion ..... 40 ..... 30
No. Date Value. Color. New. Used
820 1873, 12c vermilion ..... 40 ..... 30
$821 \quad 1873,15 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion ..... 40 ..... 30
822 1873; 24c vermilion ..... 60 ..... 50
823 1873, 30c vermilion. ..... 75 ..... 75
$8241873,90 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion. ..... 175 ..... 175
Justice.
825 1873, Ic purple ..... 150 ..... 150
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
827 1873, 3c pirple ..... 75 ..... 60
828 1873, 6c purple ..... 100 ..... 100
829 1873, 10c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
$8301873,12 \mathrm{c}$ purple ..... 200 ..... 200
831187315 c purple ..... 500 ..... 500
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 1000 ..... 1000
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 2500 ..... 2500
834 1873, 90c purple ..... $(0) 00$ ..... 6000
Navy.
835 1873, 1c blue ..... 75 ..... 75
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 65 ..... 65
836a 1873. 2c green (error) ..... 2000
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 40 ..... 20
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 50 ..... 50
839 1873, 7c blue ..... 1000 ..... 1000
$840 \quad 1873,10 \mathrm{c}$ blac ..... 150 ..... 150
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 150 ..... 150
$8+2$ 1873, 15c blue ..... 250 ..... 250
843 1873, 24c blue ..... 400 ..... 400
814 1873, 30c blue ..... 300 ..... 300
845 1873, 90c blue ..... 750 ..... 750
Post Office.Figure of Value in Orut.
846 .1873, 1c black ..... 25 ..... 25
847 1873, 2c black ..... 25 ..... 25
848 1873, 3c black ..... 05 ..... 01
849 1873, 6c black ..... 30 ..... 15
850 1873, 10c black. ..... 150 ..... 150
so. Date. Value ColorNew.
Used.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 75 ..... 50
852 1873, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 50
853 1813, 24c black ..... 100
854 1813, 30c black ..... 65
855 1873, 90c black ..... 150
Post Office Seal Stamps.
8.56 1872, Registered, green. ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Obitum) ..... 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10Lithographed.
858 a 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 05 ..... 05
Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, browu ..... 300 ..... 300Rouletled.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858 e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd ..... 7575
State.
859 1873, Ic green ..... 100 ..... 100
860 1873, 2c greer. ..... 500 ..... 500
861 1873, 3c green ..... 7575
862 1873, 6c green ..... 75 ..... 75
803 1873, 7ै c greeu ..... 200 ..... 200
SO4 1873, 10c green ..... 200 ..... 200
865 1873, 12c gтееи ..... 300 ..... 300
860 1873, 15c green ..... 250 ..... 250
867 1873, 24c greeu ..... 500 ..... 500
868 1873, 30c green ..... 500 ..... 500
809 1873, 90 c green ..... 750 ..... 750
870 1873, 2d black and green ..... 1750 ..... 1750
871 1873, 5d black and green ..... 12500 ..... 12500
872 1873, 10d black aud green ..... 6000 ..... 6000
873 1873, 20d black and green 5000
Treasury.
874 1873, lc brown. ..... 35 ..... 15
875 1873, 2c brown. ..... 35 ..... 12
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used
876 1873, 3c brown. ..... 08
877 1873, Gc brown. ..... 20 ..... 1003
878 1873, 7c browu. 200 ..... 150
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 40 ..... 25
880 1873, 12c brown ..... 40 ..... 20
881 1873, 15c brown. ..... 40 ..... 30
882 1873, 24c brown ..... 750
500
883 1873, 30c brown ..... 75 ..... 35
884 1873, 90c brown. ..... 200War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 05 ..... 05
886 1873, 2c red ..... 08 ..... 08
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6e red ..... 06 ..... 05
889 1873, 7c red 250 ..... 250
890 1873, 10c red ..... 30 ..... 30
891 1873, 12c red ..... 30 ..... 30
892 1873, 15c red ..... 30 ..... 30
893 1873, 24c red ..... 75 ..... 75
894 1873, 30c red 50 ..... 50
895 1873, 90c red 150 ..... 125

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A1.


A2.


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72 1861, A1, 5c dark green. ..... 50 ..... 40
73 1861, A2, 10c blue. ..... 125 ..... 100


A4.


A5,


A8.
74 1862, A3, 2c green ..... $\$ 250$ ..... 1300
75 1862, A1, 5c blue ..... 60 ..... 60
76 1862, A1, 5c dark blue ..... 60 ..... 60
77 1862, A2, 10c rose ..... 600 ..... 400
1862, A4, 5c blue ..... 10 ..... 10
79 1862, A4, 5c pale blue ..... 15
80 1862, A4, 5c blue, lithographed ..... 2510
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated
82 1863, A5, 2c rose ..... 35 ..... 200
83 1863, 10c blue (TEN) ..... 500
84 1863, 10c blue, larger stamp than type A8, ..... 25 ..... 20500
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue ..... 03 ..... 08
86 1863, A8, 10c light blue. ..... 08 ..... 10

No. Date. Type. Value. Color.

New. Used.

87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue
88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line) ..... 1000
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75 ..... 500


A9.
90 1863, A9, 20c green ..... $\$ 015 \$ 200$
90A 1863, A9, 20 c green, pefforated, fine specimenon original letter2000
91 1864, lc orange (Ca1houn) ..... 50

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3 Honduras
3 Houg Kong
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5 Inclia
3 India envelopes and card
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2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, unpaid
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6 Japau
2 Kashmir
5 Jaxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, fare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials
*2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 NewSouthWales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaid
5 New Zealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway

* 2 Nowanuggur

8 Old Austria, 1850-63
12 Old Austria
2 Old Japau
4 Old Spain, Isabel
3 Old Turkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Peru

* 2 Peru envelopes

2 Philippines
5 Porto Rico
5 Tortugal
2 Portuguese Indies
3 Romnn States
6 Roumnnia
7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino
2 Samoa
6 Sardinia

* 2 Saxony

3 Servia
*3 Shanghai
*2 Shanghai, unp'd
10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settlements
2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, $5-50$ ore, compl
4 Sweden olficial
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Trinidad
2 Tunis
5 Turkey, various
3 U.S. Department
3 U.S. Locals
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6 U.S. Revenues
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5 Bergelorf.
3 Bhopaul.
3 Bolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Rosnia,
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Journal and Uilpaid stamps.
5 British Guiane.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada Bill.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylon.
7 Chili.
3 Chili, "Telegrafos."
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3 Confederate States.
3 Corea.
4 Costa Rica.

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4 Cyprus.

5 Dutch Indies.
3 Eastern Roumelia.
5 Ficuador, used.
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3 Farilkot.
7 Finland.
7 Greece.
4 Guatemala.

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3 Hawaii.
3 Havti.
7 Heligoland.
* 4 Heligoland, Finvelopes and wrappers, complete.
5 Holland, unpaid
5 Honduras.
4 Hong Kong.
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7 Hungary, 1888, incl. 50 kr . and 1 f.
3 Iceland.
10 India.
5 India, Native States.
16 Italy, old and new.
3 Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.

7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.
4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, $18: 2$ issue.
*2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
3 Mexico, 1864.
5 Mexico, 1895.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 NewSouth Wales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 NewTurkey, 1892, jucl. 2 piastres.
3 New \%ealand (Insurance).
6 New Kealand.
7 Nicaraguat.
14 Norway.
*3 Nowanuggur, old issue, complete.
*3 Nowanuggur, new issue, complete.
12 Ohl Austria, 1850-1863.

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> 18 Old Austria, $1867-1892$.
> 9 Old Bavaria.
> 5 Old Brazil.
> 12 Old Hamburg.
> 3 Old Japan.
> 8 Old Spaiv, Isabel.
> 5 old Turkey, $1869-1876$.

4 Orauge States.
3 Paraguay.
3 Persia.
5 Peru.

* 3 Peru, Envelopes.

3 Philippines.
7 Porto Rico.
12 lortugni.
4 l'ortuguese Indies.

* 7 Roman States.

7 Rommania.

12 Russia, old and new
4 Russia I, evant, incl. 10 kop.
7 Salvador.
*3 Samoa.
*5 Saxony.
6 Servia.

* Shaughai.
*3 Shanghai, unpaid.
15 Spaiu.
4 Straits Settlements.
7 Sweden Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
15 Sweden, various issues.
- 5 Swiss, 1862-68

5 Transvand, inel. 1 shilling.
7 Turkey.

3 Turkey, unpaid, various.
20 U. S. Adhesives.
5 U. S. Colombia.
10 U. S. Envelopes.

- 5 U. S. Local.

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Jamaica, Japan, many kinds and issues; scarce triangular Liberia, 1893 issue; I.uxembourg (officials); Mauritius, many varieties; Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue; New Brunswick, several varielies, N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, including "officials;" Orange States, rare l'araguay, several issues; I'eru, including the rare 1 peseta brown of 1863,1 peseta of 1872 issue (catalogued in all at 50 cents); Porto Rico, fine old Portugal; also Portuguese Colonies, I'russia, Roumania, Russia, Russian-Levant, St. Vincent, Salvador, Samoa Island, San Marino, Saxony, unused Servia, Siam, Shanghai, several varieties, including umpaid and scarce "Jubilce" issue; South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues (Isabella), rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerland, unpaid (also envelopes); scarce Thuru and Taxis; fine old Turkey, from 1869 to 1892 , including unused; Uuited States of Colombia, Venczuela, Victoria, Western Australia (several issues); fine old W'urtemburg; also official envelopes, and many otbers too numerous to be mentioned.

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## WHAT THEY SAY!

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Dear Birs-Your "Interuational" Tacket, No. 21, received, but owing to Xmas doings I have beeu unable to examine it until now. I never imagined I'd get such a packet; it bents European traders hollowl Your gitt of $\$ 5$ worth of stamps was a welcome surprise. for which accept my thasks. If I have made any mistakes let me kuow. Your system beats all 1 know , and I cun hatdly realize it to be a fact. I am, Yours truly, ROBERT FORBES.
$\left.\begin{array}{r}\text { Oppice Buston Blackino Co. } \\ \text { 94, } 96,98,100 \text { beveriv Strert, } \\ \text { Boston, Mass., Octoluer 8, 1892. }\end{array}\right\}$
Standard Stamp Company:
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Office of D. H. Bacon \& Co., Hine Printers,
Standard Stamp Company: Birmingham. Conn.. Sept. 30,1892 ;
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The following letter is from the same geutleman, dated October 22, 1892 :
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-'"INTERNATIONAL PACKET No. 21 '" arrived all right yea: lerdayn. m. The premizm which you seat with it was very satisfuctory, white an to the packet itself. I can only bay that I spent an hour or so with my customer lookiug over it in the aiteruoon, and he ond wiself were delighred It was a magnjficent collection for the money, and when I think what my first 1,000 stamps cost me about three years ago, I and disgusted, etc., etc.

> Yours very truly,
D. II. BACON.

It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.

Toronto, Canada, April 19, 1892.

Standard Stamp Company:
Geats-Received packets of stamps, catalogue, etc., salely, and amte. lighted with them, Yours respectfully.

32 Delauey Crescent.
P. E. KOBERTS

Omafa, Nfb., Marcb 10, 1894.
1 have an Iuternationa: Packet No. 21 that was given to meas a present by Theo. Noack. I bave received your Intermationel Yacket No. 21 and I ath very much pleased with it. I was offered a trade for $\mathbf{S}$-tt's $\$ 15.00$ Packel. but I refused it. The S-it's $\$ 15.00$ Packet does not come up to your Interuatlonal Packet by a very LoNG Ways.

924 South 33 rd Street.

Yours.
JAMES SHACKLEFORD.

Waltham, Mass. Januaty 30, 1894.
Gentlemen-On account of having heard so much about your Packet No. 21, iny expectations were up ptetty high; but on receipt of the packet they were fully realized. Why, it is a fine collection in itself. and the attention paid to good specimens. and where there are varieties both being put in, makes it the best packet a collector can buy.

11 kim Street.
Yours respectfully.
亡. U. CURTIS.
Fort Coltins, Colo., Pebruary 27, 189.
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1430 W . Tanvale street.
Yours very truly,
I:DGAK KFNDIG.
South Kaveanna, Wis,. April 25, 1892
Standard Stamp Combany:
Gents-Your packets received and I fitd them to be the hesf I ever received from any other firm.

Yours respectfully.
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GENERAL ISSUE.
No. Date. Value. Color. New.$\$ 500$

$$
1847,10 \mathrm{c} \text { black (Washiugton). }
$$

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1500
$$Head in vial. Unperforated.

20 1851, 1c blue (Frankiin)20030
No. Date. Value. Color.

New.
21 1851, Ic blue, varicty, (broken circle) 50001005000
1500
24 1851, 10c green (Washington)
1000
25 1851, 12c black (Washington)
7500
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washington)
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin)
Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washington)
Same, Perforaled.
29 1857, le blue (Franklin) ..... 100 ..... 50
30 1857, lc blue, varicty ..... 35 ..... 15
31 1856, 3c red (Washington) ..... 10 ..... 02
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with outerline ..... 1500 ..... 20
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) 1000 ..... 350
34 1857, 5c redi-brown (Jeffersou). 2500 ..... 700
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ornaments at top and bottorn cut off ..... 350 ..... 250
36 1855, 10c green (Washington). ..... 125 ..... 50
37 1857, 12c black (Washington). ..... 175
38 1860, 24c lilac (Waslington). ..... 600
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 750
40 1860, 90c blue (Washington). ..... 2250 ..... 3500
U. S. and value in corners.
41 1861, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 25 ..... 05
43 1861, 5c browu (Jefferson) ..... 400
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jeffersou) ..... 3000
45 1861, 10c green (Washiugton). ..... 75
46 1861, 12c black (Washington) ..... 125
47 1801, 2te lilac (Washimgton). ..... 200
48 1861, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 350
49 1861, 90c blue (Washington) ..... 1200
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 1000
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson). ..... 25
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 10
54 1806, 15c black (Liucoln) ..... 250
85
45065040
No. Date. Value, Color. New. Used.
55 1860, 24c mauve (Washiugton). ..... 750 ..... 150Embossing measuring $11 x / 3 \mathrm{~mm}$.
60 1868, 1c blue ..... 500 ..... 125
61 1868, 2c black 150 ..... 25
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 40 ..... 03
63 1868, 10c gтeen. ..... 350 ..... 60
64 1868, 12c black ..... 300 ..... 50
65 1868, 15c black 2000 ..... 800Embossing matasuing y.x 13 mm .
66 1808, le btue ..... 500 ..... 125
67 1868, 2c black ..... 75 ..... 25
68. 1868, 3c rose. ..... 25 ..... 02
69 1868, 5c brow11. ..... 1000 ..... 250
70 1868, 10c green 300 ..... 50
71 1868, 12c black. 300 ..... 75
72 1868, 15c black 400 ..... 75
73 1868, 24c violet ..... 1250 ..... 500
74 1868, 30c orange. ..... 1000 ..... 400
75 1868, 90c blue ..... 3500 ..... 1500
Varions desigies in square.
With embossing measuring $91 / 2 x 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$.
76 1869, 1c buff (Franklin) ..... 100 ..... 50
77 1869, 2c brown (Horseman) ..... 60 ..... 15
78 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 25 ..... 02
79 1869, 6e blue (Washington). ..... 300 ..... 75
80 1869, 10c yellow (Fagle).. 400 ..... 90
81 1869, 12c green (Steamship) 200 ..... 75
$821869,15 \mathrm{c}$ brown and blue (tanding of Co- lumbus). ..... 1000 ..... 350
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (Picture, framed) 600 ..... 175
84 1869, 24 c green and purple (Declatation of Independence) ..... 1650 ..... 750
85 1860, 30c bluc and carmine (Fagle) ..... 1500 ..... 350
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Lincoln) ..... 3500 ..... 1750
Head to lejl in ozal, with cmbossing measuring $9.1^{1 / 1 / 2}$ mm.101 1870, 1c blue (litauklin)
No. Date, Value Color. New. ..... Used.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jacksou) ..... 25010
103 18i0, 3c green (Washiugton). 100 ..... 03
104 1870, Ge pink (Lincolu) ..... 1000 ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stanton) ..... 1000 ..... 400
106 1870, 10c browu (Jeflersoni) ..... 2500 ..... 1000
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay) ..... 7500 ..... 4000
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) 1500 ..... 650
109 1870, 24c purple (Scolt) 10000 ..... 60.00
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 3500 ..... 2500
111 1870, 90c carmiue (Perry) 2000 ..... 650
Sanc, embossing measuring $8 \frac{1}{2}+10 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~mm}$.
112 1870, ic blue 250 ..... 50
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 250 ..... 50
114 1870, 3c yreeu ..... 03
Same, veithont cmbossing.
115 1872, Ic blue ..... 200 ..... 10
116 1872, 2c brown ..... 50 ..... 05
117 1872, 3c green ..... 100 ..... 03
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 200 ..... 10
119 1872, 7c vemilion ..... 500 ..... 75
120 1872, 10c lirown ..... 500 ..... 10
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 1000 ..... 75
122 1872, 15c orange ..... 400 ..... 20
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 1000
124 1872, 30c black ..... 500
200
125 1872,90c carmine ..... 500
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 20
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 75
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 20
129 1882, 1c light blue, re-engraved ..... 10
130 1882, 3c green, re-cngraved ..... 10
131 1882, oc red, re-engraved ..... 75
132 1882, IOc brown, re-engraved ..... 40
133 1883, 2c claret (Washimgton) ..... 08
134 1883, 4c green (Jackson) ..... 15
135 1887, 2c green ..... 0675
10003
0502
010110

No. Date, Value, Color.
136 1887, 3c vermilion
New.
1.5
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin)
05 Same as 1872-'8j issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ........................... 12 8 250 15 New designs. Siamps smaller.
142 1890, 1c ultramariue02
143 1890, 2c carmine ..... 05
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 06
145 1890, 4c dark browı ..... 08
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 10
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 15
148 1890, 8c litac (Sherman) ..... 15
149 1890, 10c green ..... 20
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 30
151 1890, 30c black. ..... 60
$1521890,90 \mathrm{c}$ orange 200
COLUMBAAN ISSUE.
153 1893, Ic deep blue (Columbus in sight of land) 03 ..... 01
154 1893, 2c violet (Lauding of Columbus) ..... 04 ..... 01
155 1893, 3c green (Filagship of Colmmbus) ..... 10 ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) ..... 08 ..... 03
157 1893, Sc chocolate (Columbus solicit ing aid of Isabella) ..... 15 ..... 04
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus weicomed at Barcelona) ..... 12 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Columbus restored to favor) ... ..... 15 ..... 08
$1601893,10 \mathrm{c}$ black brown (Columbus present- - ing natives). ..... 25 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark green(Columbus announcing his discovery) ..... 30 ..... 30
No. Date Value Color. New. Uised.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Colnmbus at Ja Rabi- da) ..... 60 ..... 60
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus). ..... 100 ..... 100
164 1893, \$1.00 salmou (Isabella plerging her jewels) ..... $800 \quad 600$
165 1893, $\$ 2.00$ brown red (Colmmbus in clains) ..... 500 ..... 500
166 1893, 23.00 yellow green (Columbus describ- jag his third voyage) 400 ..... 400
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) ..... 550 ..... 550
168 1893, 5.00 black (Profile of Columbus) 650 ..... 650
SPECIAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10'c blue ..... 30 ..... 15
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 25
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 20
254 1895, 10c blue ..... 1510
08
NEWSPAPPIR STAMPS.
Colored Bornter.
301 1865, 5c blue (Wastington) ..... 1750
302 1865, 10c green (l'ranklin) ..... 7.50
Reprint ..... $+00$
303 1865, 25c red (Lincoln) ..... 7.50
Reprint. ..... $+00$
White Border.
304 1S67, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 200
frdian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 25
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 40
308 1875, 6c black ..... 60
309 1875, 8c black ..... 60
310 1875, 9c black ..... 1500
311 1875, 10c hlack ..... 35
312 1885, 1c black ..... 20
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 100

160

160
314 1875, 24c carmine
314 1875, 24c carmine ..... 160 ..... 160
2550
4060
6010003
No. Date, Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
315 1875, 36c cammine ..... 100 ..... 100
316 1875, 48c carmine ..... 175 ..... 175
317 1875, 60c carmine ..... 175 ..... 175
318 1875, 72c carmitine 300 ..... 300
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 300 ..... 300
320 1875, 96c carmine 300 ..... 300
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 450 ..... 450
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 700 ..... 700
323 1875, 6ol blue 1000 ..... 1000
324 1875, 9II orange ..... 13.50
325 1875, 121 g green ..... 1600
3261875,24 rl purple ..... 2500
327 1875, 36rl red ..... 3000
328 1875, 481 brown ..... 3500
329 1875, 60rl violet ..... 4500
UNIMID LETTEIE STAMPS.jerforaled.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 05
352 1879, 2c lurown ..... 05
353 1879, 3c brown ..... 05
354 1879, 5c lıоwn ..... 15
355 1879, 10c browr ..... 15
356 2879, 30c brown ..... 250 ..... 100
357 1879, 50c lrown ..... 100
358 1885, lc red brown ..... 15 ..... 05
359 188.5, 2c red brown ..... 12 ..... 05
$360 \quad 1885,3 \mathrm{c}$ red brown ..... 400 ..... 200
361 1885, 5e red intown ..... 30 ..... 15
$3621885,10 \mathrm{c}$ red brown ..... 40 ..... 08
36,3 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 0.5 ..... 05
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 06 ..... 02
305 1891, 3c bright clarel ..... 15 ..... 03
366 1891, 5c briglat claret ..... 15 ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 25 ..... 0.5
368 1893, 30c bright claret ..... 125 ..... 125
369 1893, 50c bright claret 200200
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberty surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
696 1893, 1c deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02.
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 04 ..... 01
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 10
699 1893, 10c black browu ..... 20 ..... 20
LETTER SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant) ..... 04 ..... 02
OFFICIAL STAMPS.
Perforated.
All, except Post Offire, same Design as General Tssue, zith Name of Department above.
Agriculture.
801 1873, lc straw ..... 200 ..... 200
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 100 ..... 100
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 40 ..... 25
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 75 ..... 75
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 500 ..... 500
806 1873, 12c straw ..... 800 ..... 800
807 1873, 15c straw ..... 300 ..... 300
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 350 ..... 350
809 1873, 30c straw ..... $+00$ ..... 400
Exceutive.
810 1873, Ic carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
813 1873, 6c carmine ..... 1500 ..... 1500
814 1873, 10c carmine 1150 ..... 1150
Interior.
815 1873, lc vermilion ..... 20 ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 03
817 1873, 3c vermilion ..... 05 ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 05
819 1873. IOc vermilion ..... 40 ..... 30

No. Date, Value, Color.
820 1873, 12c vermilion
New.
$821 \quad 1873,15 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion
$8221873,24 \mathrm{c}$ vermilion 40
60
823 1873, 30c vermilion
75
175
825 1873, lc purple ..... 150

150
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 75 ..... 60
828 1873, 6e purple ..... 100 ..... 100
829 1873, 10c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
831 1873. 15c purple ..... 500 ..... 500
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 1000
1000
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 2500 ..... 2500
834 1873, 90c purple 6000 6000
Navy.
835 1873, 1c blue. ..... 75 ..... 75
836 1873, 2c blue. ..... 65
$836 a$ 1873, 2c green (error) ..... 2000
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 40 ..... 20
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 50
50
839 1873, Tc blue ..... 1000 ..... 1000
840 1873, 10c blue ..... 150 ..... 150
841 1873, 12c blue ..... 150 ..... 150
842 1873, 15c hue ..... 250 ..... 250
843 1873, 24c biue ..... 400 ..... 400
844 1873, 30c blue ..... 300 ..... 300
845 1873, 90c blue ..... 750 ..... 750

## Post Office.

rigure of Value in Oval.846 1873, lc black ..... 25 ..... 25
847 1873, 2c black ..... 25 ..... 25848 1873, 3c black ................................. 05
01
849 1873, 6c black ..... 30 ..... 15
850 1873, tac black ..... 150
850 1873, 10c black ..... 150
30
30
50 175

Justice.
824 1873, 90c vermilion..............
No. Date, Value. Color. New. ..... U'sed.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 75 ..... 50
852 1873, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 50
853 1873, 24c black 100
100
854 1873, 30c black ..... 65 ..... 60
855 1873, 90c black 150 ..... 150
Post Office Seal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, greeu. ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown ( 1 '. Obitum) 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10
Lithographed.
S58a 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 05 ..... 05
Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 300 ..... 300
Roulctied.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black oll white ..... 10
858c 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd ..... 75State.
859 1873, ic green. 100 ..... 100
860 1873, 2c greet 500 ..... 500
861 1873, 3c greell ..... 75 ..... 75
862 1873, 6c green ..... 75 ..... 75
863 1873, 7 c g
863 1873, 7 c g ..... 200
863 1873, 7c green ..... $2(10$
864 1873, 10c green ..... 200
865 1873, 12c green ..... 300
866 1873, 15 c green ..... 250
867 1873, 24c green. ..... 500
868 1873, 30c green ..... 500
869 1873, 90c greeu ..... 750
870 1873, $2 l$ black and green ..... 1750
871 1873, 50l black and green ..... 12500 ..... 12500
872 1873, 104 black and green60006000
873 1873, 20d black and green 5000 ..... 5000
Treasury.
874 1873, 1c brown ..... 35 ..... 15
875 1873, 2c browи. ..... 35 ..... 12
No. Date, Value, Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3r. browи. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 08 ..... 08 ..... 03
20
877 1873, Gc brown. ..... 10
200
878 1873, 7c brown. ..... 150
40
879 1873, 10c brown ..... 25
40
880 1873, 12c brown. ..... 20
40
881 1873, 15c lrown. ..... 30
882 1873, 24c brown. ..... 750
500
883 1873, 30 c brown. ..... 75 ..... 35
$8841873,90 \mathrm{c}$ brown. 200 ..... 100
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 05 ..... 05
886 1873, 2c red ..... 08 ..... 08
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
883 1873, 6c red ..... 06 ..... 05
889 1873, 7c red ..... 250 ..... 250
$8901873,10 \mathrm{c}$ red ..... 30 ..... 30
891 1873, 12c red ..... 30 ..... 30
892 1873, 15c red ..... 30 ..... 30
893 1873, 24c red ..... 75 ..... 75
894 1873, 30c red ..... 50 ..... 50
895 1873, 90c red 150 ..... 125

Burlington, Kansas, April 16, 1893.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-Your sheets are by far the best I have ever received from any dealer.

Yours truly.
HENRY H. MILI.ER.
Standard Stamp Company:
Geny 14. 1893. different firms in this conntry inside of ive years, but 1 think yours are the brst of then all! 'Tley are just whut I want-bright, clean, cheap and good variety.
189) F. Green Street, Chicagro, ilt. Yours truly.

Stantart Stamp Combany:
Dear Sits-Your sheets were the best I ever saw. I lave tried many firms, but none senil as grod stamps as you do.

Yours truly,
Middebury, Vt.
A. W. DeJarnatt.

Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-1 must shy that your fitio is the best I ever dealt with, being both prompf in answeriag your letters and giving best satisfaction to your customers.
$\not \ddagger 2$ Firont Street, W. Toronto, Canada. Your agent,
H. C. BLidLingTon.

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

## GENERAL ISSUE.



A1.


A2.


A3.

No. Date, Type, Value. Colot.
71 1861, A1, 5c green.
72 1861, A1, 5c dark green.
73 1861, A2, 10c blue.


New. Used.
$\$ 050 \quad \$ 040$
50 40
125


A8.
74 1862, A3, 2c green ..... $\$ 250$ ..... $\$ 300$
1862, A1, 5c blue ..... 60 ..... 60
1862, A1, 5c dark blue ..... 60 ..... 60
77 1862, A2, 10c rose ..... 600 ..... 4 (n)
1862, A4, 5c blue. ..... 10 ..... 10
79 1862, A4, 5c pale blue ..... 15 ..... 10
80 1862, A4, 5c blue, lithographed ..... 25 ..... 10
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated ..... 35 ..... 200
83 1863, 10 c blue (TEN) 500 ..... 500
84 1863, 10 c blue, larger stamp than type A8, ..... 25 ..... 20
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue ..... 03 ..... 08
86 1863, A8, 10c light blue. ..... 08 ..... 10No. Date. Type Value. Color.New. Used.
87 1863, A8, 10 c greenish blue ..... $\$ 0 \quad 10 \quad 10$
88 1863, A8, 10e blue (with outer line) ..... 1000 ..... 500
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75 ..... 500

A9.
90 1863, A9, 20c green.... ..... $\$ 015 \quad \$ 200$
90 A 1863, A9, 20c green, perforated, fine specimen on original letter ..... 2000
91 1864, le orange (Calhoun) ..... 50

Stanitard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-rour shects are very neat and pleasing, and the most astounding bargains I have ever seen in stamps. Yours, for business,

Hightsiown, N. J.
K. W. DUDLEY.

Standari stamp Company:
Centlemen-I sell more from your sheets than from those of anybody else Yours, very truly.
1'airbauit, Minu.
H. A. SCANIURETJ「T.

Soutit Kaukanna, Wis., April 25,18$) 2$.
Stanimard Stami Combany:
Cients-Your packet received, and I find them to be the best I ever received fromany other firm. Yomrs respectfully. JOHN D. SMITH.

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\hline 818 & \(\dagger\) & & 1894 & & - & & & & & 7 & 50 \\
\hline 819 & & Wrappers, & 1890 & & & , & & - & & 4 & 4 \\
\hline 520 & \(t\) 4 & & 1891 & & & & & & & 4 & 25 \\
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\hline 522 & + ** & 4 & 1893 & & & & & & & 4 & 45 \\
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\hline 524 & tSamoa, 1 & 7-92, h, 1, & 24, 4, 5, 6p & & & & & & & 7 & 75 \\
\hline 525 & " 18 & 37-92, 16, 1 , & , 246, 4, 5, 0p, & Is 0 & P & , & & * & & 9 & 75 \\
\hline 520 & +San Mari & (0, \(2,5,10\), & , 20, 25, 30c & & & & & & & 7 & 40 \\
\hline 587 & \(\dagger\) - & 1894, J & ubilee, 25, We, 1 & lira & & & & , & & 8 & 60 \\
\hline 328 & tSarawak, & \(872.75,2,3\) & \(4,6,8,12 c\). & & . & & & & & 6 & 1.00 \\
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\hline 683 & +Saxony, 1 & 863, 3p, 36, I, & 2, 3n.g. & & - & & . & & - & 5 & 10 \\
\hline 533 & \(\dagger\) Senegal, 18 & 802, 1, 2, 4, 5 & 10, 152020 & - & & - & & - & & 8 & 35 \\
\hline 504 & ¢ * 18 & 92, Ictol 1 fr , & complete & & & & & & & 13 & 1.40 \\
\hline 895 & 4 Servia, 18 & & & & & & - & & & B & 15 \\
\hline 536 & + \(\quad 18\) & 4, 5, 10, 15, & 0, 25p & - & & & & & & 5 & 80 \\
\hline 637 & & \(89-94\) & & & & & & & & 14 & 25 \\
\hline 688 & \(4^{*}\) U & npaid, 5, 10, & 30, 30, 50 p & - & & * & & & & 5 & 45 \\
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\hline 540 & + 4 & 1893, 3, 12, & 15.45 c & . & & * & & - & & 4 & 60 \\
\hline 541 & \(4{ }^{+}\) & Envelopes, & \(8,16,30 c\) & & - & & * & & - & 3 & 10 \\
\hline 542 & +Shanghai, & 1893, 6, 1, 2 & , 5, 14c & & & , & & & & 5 & 30 \\
\hline 548 & \(\dagger\) " & 1893, \% \(4,1,2\) & 5, 10, 15, 90c & & - & , & * & - & + & 7 & 80 \\
\hline 544 & + \(\quad 1\) & Unpaid, 16 & 3, \(32,1,2,5,10 \mathrm{c}\) & & & * & * & - & & 5 & 90 \\
\hline 545 & & " 188 & 3, \(48,1,2,5,10\), & & 20 c & & . & & & 7 & 80 \\
\hline 546 & +Siam, 387 & -91, 1, 2, 3, 4 & , Sa, & & & . & - & - & - & 5 & 30 \\
\hline 547 & † "188 & -91, 1, 2, 8, 4 & 8, 12, 24, 64a & & * & & * & & - & B & 1.60 \\
\hline 548 & +" 1,2 & 3, 4, 8, 12,2 & & & & & & & & 7 & 50 \\
\hline 549 & +Sierra Leo & ane, 㑲1, 14 & ,2,24, 3, 4p & & - & & * & & - & 7 & 60 \\
\hline 550 & +Somali Co & ast, 1804, 1 . & 2, 4, 5, 10, 15, 20 & & & , & & - & & 8 & 3.5 \\
\hline 651 & \(4{ }^{4}\) & 1894, ic & to Ifr, complete & & - & & * & & - & 11 & 1.15 \\
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\hline 554 & 4180 & 0-69 & & & & & & & & 8 & 2\% \\
\hline 505 & * 187 & 0-80 & & & & - & & - & & \(3:\) & 40 \\
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\hline 5.57 & Straits Se & tements & - & & . & - & & . & & 11 & 30 \\
\hline 858 & +Surinam, & 1873-80, 1, 2, & 23, \({ }^{3}, 10 \mathrm{c}\) & & & & - & & & 5 & 35 \\
\hline 569 & \(\dagger\) " & 891-03, 1, 2, & 24, , , 'ic & - & & & - & & & 5 & 12 \\
\hline 580 &  & Unpaid, 2\%', & \(5,10,20,25 c\) & & * & & - & & - & 5 & 30 \\
\hline 581 & +Swaziclan & d, \(26,36,1+9\) &  & . & & & - & . & - & 4 & 60 \\
\hline 568 & Sweder, 1 & 158-60. & & & * & & - & & & 6 & 15 \\
\hline 503 & \(\because 18\) & 72-02 & & & & - & & . & & 45 & 25 \\
\hline 584 & + " U & npaid . & . \({ }^{\text {- }}\) & & * & * & * & & + & 10 & 10 \\
\hline 505 & \({ }^{6}\) & & - & & & & & & & 10 & 80 \\
\hline 586 & " O & fficial & & & & & & & & 13 & 25 \\
\hline 1887 & \$Switrerla & d, 1881 & - & & & & & & - & 6 & 08 \\
\hline 588 & + " & 1881 & & & & - & - & & & 9 & 品 \\
\hline 569 & \(\because\) & 1882-8 & & & & & & & & 14 & 15 \\
\hline 570 & +Timar "180 & Unpaid, & 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 20, & 0, 1 & & 30, & . & & & \(g\) & 25 \\
\hline 571 & 4 Timar, 18 & 7.03, 24.5, & \(10,20,25,40 \mathrm{r}\) & & & & & & & 0 & 80 \\
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日E゙N. MULFORD, JR.
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1. LEF THURTER.

Jabaica, L. I., N. Y., Merch \(4,1894\).
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4 Argentine
8 Austratian
10 Austria, old and new
4. Austrian-Italy

3 Austrian-Levant
2 Azores Islands
2 Baden
6 Bavaria,old issue
2 Barbados
3 Belgium Postal Packet
2 Bhopaul
2 Bolivia
3 Bosnia
3 Brazil, Jourual stamps

4 Brazil
*2 Brazil, unpaid
4 British Guiana
4 Bulgaria
2 B. \&O.Telegraph
10 Canada
3 Canada Bill
6 Cape of Good
Hope
4 Ceylon
4 Chili
2 Chile "Telegrafos"
3 Colombia
2 Confederate
3 Constantinople 3 Costa Rica
* 2 Costa Rica"Offacials"
5 Cuba
2 Curacao
2 Cyprus
10 Deumark
2 Dominican Republic
3 Dutch Indies
2 Eastern Roumelia
3 Ecuador
4 Egypt
10 Englaud
2 Faridkot
4 Finland

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10 France
3 French Colonies
2 Gibraltar
2 Grenada
5 Greece
2 Guatemala
3 Hamburg
*2 Haniburg envelopes
3 Heligoland
10 Holland
3 Holland, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India envelopes and card
12 Italy
2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, rare
3 Italy, uppaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 I,uxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, rare

2 Mexico,1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials
* 2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 New South Wales
3 New Turkey, 1892
2 New Turkey, unpaid
5 New Zealand
4 Nicaragua
10 Norwhy
- 2 Nowanuggur

8 Old Austria, 1850-63
12 Old Austria
2 Old Japan
4 Old Spain, IsabeI
3 Old Turkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 paraguay
2 Persia
3 Peru
* 2 Peru euvelopes

2 Philippiues
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese Indies
3 Roman States
6 Roumania
7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino
- 2 Samoa

6 Sardiuia
*2 Saxony
3 Servia
*3 Slwaghai
*2 Shanghai, unp'd
10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settle-

\section*{ments}

2 St. Vincent
10 Sweden
5 Sweden, 1891, 5-50 ore, compl
4 Sweden oificial
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Trinidad
2 Tunis
5 Turkey, various
3 U.S. Department
3 U. S. Locals
10 U. S. Postage
6 U.S. Reverupes
2 U.S. War
3 Unused Swiss
2 Unused Swiss Envelopes
2 Uruguay
4 Venezucla
5 Victoria
3 West Anstralia
4 Wurtemburg Officials
7 Wurtemburg, various

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7 Argentiue Re public.
15 Austria, old aud new
6 Austrian-Levant
4 Austrian-Italy.
4 Azores.
2 Bahamas Islands
6 Bavarian Return Letter.
6 Belgium, postal packet stamps.
5 Bergedorf.
3 Bhopaul
3 Rolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Bosnia.
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Journal and Uupaid stamps.
5 British Guiana.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada Bill.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylon.
7 Chili.
3Chili, "Telegrafos."
2 China.
3 Confederate States.
3 Corea.
4 Costa Rica.
* Costa Rica, inel. 20c.
7 Cuba.
*3 Curacao.
+ Cyprus.

5 Dutch Indies.
3 Eastern Roumelia.
5 Ecuador, used.
*5 Eicuador, maused incl. 20 c .
7 Egypt.
3 Faridkot.
7 Finland.
7 Greece.
4 Guatemala.
* 7 Hamburg, Envelopes, complete
3 Hawaii.
3 Hayti.
7 Heligoland.
*4 Heligoland, Envelopes aud wrappers, complete.
5 Holland, unpaid
5 Houduras.
4 Hong Kong.
12 Hungary, various, incl. 20 and 50 kr .
7 IInngary, 1888, incl. 50 kr . aud 1 f.
3 Iceland.
10 Imdia.
5 Iudia, Native States.
16 Italy, old and new.
3 Italy, postal packet.
3Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.

7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.
4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, 1872 issue.
*2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official and Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Porte de Mar.
3 Mexico, 1864.
5 Mexico, 1895.
3 Mexico, 1882, uoused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 NewSouthWales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, incl. 2 piastres.
3 New Zealand (Insurance).
6 New Zealand.
7 Nicaragua.
14 Norway.
*3 Nowatuggur, old issue, complete.
*3 Nowanuggur, mew issue. complete.
12 Old Austria, 1850-1863.

\section*{DIME SETS-Continued.}

18 Old Austria, 1867-1892.
9 Old Bavaria.
5 Old Brazil. - 12 Old Hamburg.

3 OId Japau.
8 Old Spain, Isabel.
5 Old Turkey, 1869-1876.
4 Orauge States.
3 Paraguay.
3 Persia.
5 Peru.
*3 Peru, Envelopes.
3 Philippines.
7 Porto Rico.
12 Portugal.
4 Portuguese Indies.
* 7 Roman States.

7 Roumania.

12 Russia, old and new
4 Russia Levaut, incl. 10 kop .
7 Salvador.
* 3 Samoa.
* 5 Saxony.

6 Servia.
4 Shanghai.
*3 Sbaughai, unpaid.
15 Spain.
4 Straits Settlements.
7 Sweden Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
15 Sweden, various issues.
*5 Swiss, 1862-68
5 Transvaal, incl. 1 shilling.
7 Turkey.

3 Turkey, unpaid, various.
20 U. S. Adhesives.
5 U. S. Colombia.
10 U. S. Envelopes.
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5 U. S. Official.
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Jamaica, Japan, many kinds and issues; scarce triangular Liberia, 1893 issue; Luxembourg (officials); Mauritius, many varieties; Monaco, Newfoundland, 1888 issue; New Brunswick, several varieties, N. S. Wales, Nicaragua, including "officials;" Orange States, rare Paraguay, several issues; Peru, including the rare 1 peseta brown of 1863,1 peseta of 1872 issue (catalogued in all at 50 cents): Porto Rico, fine old Portugal; also Portuguese Colonies, Prussia, Roumania, Russia, Russiau-Levant, St. Vincent, Salvador, Samoa Islaud, Sau Marino, Saxony, unused Servia, Siam, Shanghai, several varieties, including unpaid aud scarce "fubilee" issue; South Australia, Spain, officials, also old issues (Isabella), rare Persia, Sweden, unpaid and officials; Switzerland, unpaid (also envelopes); scarce Thurn and Taxis; fine old Turkey, from 1869 to 1892, including unused; United States of Colombia, Venezuela, Victoria, Western Australia (several issues); fine old Wurtemburg; also official envelopes, and many others too numerous to be mentioned.

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standard Stamp Company:
Gremaviser. O.. Jute 21. 1891.
Gents-rour packets received. Ant very much pleased with them. I cannot understand how you can sell them so cheap. Your sheets are also cheap and varied.

Lock Box 322. Very truly you:s.

JNO. E. DEVOR
}

CAUTION: Other dealers have imitated our "International " Packet and offer a similar packet at the same or a lower price. If you wish to receive the full value of your money, buy none of these worthless imitations, but our old and reliable "International" Packet, No. 21.

\section*{WHAT THEY SAY!}

Standard Stamp Company:

\section*{The Club House, Jrivl Island \({ }^{\text {Grunswick, Ga., January 2. } 1892 \text {. }}\)}

Dear Sirs-Your "International" Packet, No. 21, received, but owing to Xtmas ningg I have been unable to examiue it until now. I never imagined l'd get such in packet; it beats E:uropern traders hollowl Your gift of \(\$ 5\) worth of stamps was a welcome surprise. for which accept my thanks. It I have made any mistakes let me kuow. Your system beats all innow, and I can hardly realize it to be a fact. I anm, Yours truly, ROBERT FORBES:
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\text { Opficf Boston Blacking Co., } \\
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\text { Boston, MAss., October } 8 \text {, } 1892 .
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Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Your Packets, Nos. 21 and 22, received, and I must say are the frest \(\delta\) ever sazu. The preminm stamp is a fine and valuable stamp. You may send any parties to me for recommendstions, and I can faithfully say that your goods are as represented and superior to others in regards to condition aud scarcity.

94-100 Beverly Street, Boston, Mass.
Yours respectfully,

\section*{Office of D. H. Bacon \& Co. Fine Printers,}

Standard Stamp Company: birmingham, Conn., Sept. 30, 1892 .
Gegllemen-It gives me pleasure to say that your "INTERNATIONAL PACKET No. 21 " is the best assortment and the most value I have ever seen in stamps. I sold the ove yousent to a young man who had bought a 1,000 variety packet for \(\$ 15\) in New York. He said yours was the best, to say nothing of tie alhum which goes with it. I have sold another for which you have the order, and have another customer in view. Yours very truly, D. H. BACON.

The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated Octoher 22, 1892 :

Standard Stamp Company :
Gentlemen-"IN'TERNATIONAL PACKET No. 21 " nrrived all rigbt yesterday a. m . The premitem which you seut with it was very safisfuctory. while as to the packet itself. I can only say that I spent an hour or so with my cusromer looking over it in the afrernoon, and he and myself were delighted! It whs a magnificent collection for the movey, and when I think what my first 1,000 stamps cost me about three years ago, T an disgusted, etc., etc.

Yours very truly,
D. H. BACON.

It will be seen that the above gentleman has bought four of these packets so far.

Toronto, Canada, April 19, 1892.
Standard Stamp Company:
Gents-Received packets of stamps. catalogue, etc., safely, and am de. lighted with them.

32 Delaney Ctescent.
Yours respectfully,
P. E. ROBERTS.

OmaHa, Neb., March 10, 1894.
I have an International Packet No. 21 that was given to me as a present by Theo. Noack. I have received your Internationel Packet No. 21 and I am very much pleased with it. I was offered a trade for 5 - \(\mathbf{t t}\) 's \(\$ 15.00\) Packet, but I refused it. The S-it's \(\$ 15.00\) Packet does not come up to your International Packet by a very long ways.

924 South 33 rd Street.
Yours.
JAMES SHACKLEFORD.
Waltham, Mass., Jauuary 30, 1894.
Gentlemen-On account of having heard so much about yout packet No. 21 , my expectations were up pretty high; but on receipt of the packet they werefully realized. Why, it is a fine collection in itself. and the attention paid to good specituens, and where there are varieties both being put in, makes it the best packet a collector can buy.

11 Hin Street.
Yours respectfully.
E. D. CURTIS.
fort Collins, Colo., February 27, 1894.
Standard Stamp Company:
Deat Sirs-I am simply amazed at the contents of the packet (No. 21) jugt received. It contains a great many choice and beautiful stamps. Don't see how you do it! Was also surprised to find myself the lucky filth purchaser.

EDW. H. HALL.
Eighty (80) packets sold within a few months and all purchasers pleased.

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\section*{Price, Post Free and Registered, \(\$ 10.00\).}

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\section*{Stanimari Stamp Company : Cincinnati, O.}

Geats-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightful surprise to me. finclosed please find \(\$ 1.25\) for Staudard Packets No. 6 日nd 16. Although my collection is quite large. I tound a great number in your packets I did not have. If this, my testimouy, is of any use to you, you may use it. 1 am . Very truly yours,
In cate of Times-Siar, Cinciunati, 0 .
BEN MULFORD, JR.
We allow 50 per cent. commission from our Approval Sheets. Try them.

\section*{LIST OF PURCHASERS}

\section*{-0F- \\ "INTERNATIONAL" PACKET NO. 21}

\section*{During the past Few Months 545 Packets No. 21 Sold to Date.} 1895.

463-Jan. Sth, E. P. Rowen, 306 Columbia st., W. Lafayette, Ind. \(464-J a u .9 t h, H\). Bernhard, Boouville, Mo.
465-Jan. 9th, Coburn Haskel1, care The Stillman, Cleveland, O. 466-Jan. 10th, J. J. Hathaway, Chester Hill, Brightou, Mass. 467-Jan. 12th, Rev. F. Wadekin, Maxwell, Catdwell Co., Texas. 468-Jan. 17th, Samuel Auker, Twelfth aud Bourbon streets, New Orleaus, Ia.
469-Jan. 24th, A. G. Paiue, care Wes. U. Tel. Co., Goshen, Ind. 470 - Jan. 28 th, Elgin Fill, 2918 Penn avenue, Pittsburg, Pa. 471-Jan. 30th, Gus. F. Allberg, 5 Nelson avenue, Lowell, Mass. 472-Jan. 31st, Hosea F. G. Brown, Arken, S. C.
473-Feb. 1st, Geo. E. Brill, 15th and Bremen sts., Cincinnati, O. \(474-\) Feb. 2d, Vernon L. Beer, 23 Carlton st., Halifax, N. S., Can. \(475-F e b .11 t h, A . C\). Roussel, 159 Blewry st., Montreal, Can. 476-Feb. 13th, C. S. Gross, 2608 Douglas st., Onaha, Neb. 477-Feb. 13th, W. Miller Schmitt, Box 679, Springfield; Ill. 478-Feb. 15th, Chas. T. Carpenter, Coffeyville, Kas. 479-Feb. 18th, Willie Tufts, 56 Dwight st., Boston, Mass. 480-Feb. 25th, E. C. Prindle, N. Tecumseh, Cal. 481 -Fieb. 23d, John J. Fleming, Burliugton, Iowa. 482-Feb. 27th—Chas. M. Schott, Jr., 50 Broadway, New York City. 483-March 5th-Otto L. Everbach, 538 N. Jefferson st., Louisville, Ky.
484-March 12th, Louis Marcus, 9 South George st., York, Pa. \(485-M a r c h\) 16th, L. Weil, 4257 Washington ave., St. Louis, Mo. 486-March 19th, W. Demet, 6550 Stoney Island, Chicago, Ill. 487-March 22d, Jno. W. Fraser, Galt, Ont., Canada. 488-March 25th, F. W. Taylor, 2728 N. Broad st., Philadelphia, Pa. 489-Marcli 25 th, A. Mandell, 155 N. Perry st., Titusville, Pa.
490-March 28th, T. G. Fellows, Burksport, Maine.
491-March 28th, A. I. Edgecomb, 36 Graut st., Cortland, N. Y.
1895.

492-April 4th, Harry W. Gander, Rudy, Pa. 493-April 8th, Herbert Eva, 529 W. 4th st., Duluth, Minn. 794 -April 10th, C. R. Fly, Ishpeming, Mich.
495 -April 10th, Roy C. Brabb, Ronieo, Mich.
496-A pril 12th, Chas. Griffin, Greeuwich, N. Y.
497-April 12th, H. E. Wilkins, 8 W. Lombard st., Baltimore, Md. 498-April 13th, Percival Steru, Old 227 Carondelet st., New Orleans, La.
499-April 22d, Geo. H. Waterman, 2326-28 Washington st., Boston, Mass.
\(500-\) April \(30 t h\), Howard N. Eavenson, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. 501-May 3d, If. A. Smith, 16th and Oxford sts., Philadelphia, Pa.
502-May 5th, Krippaelme, 2720 State st., Chicago, Ill.
503-May 8th, Miss Eita Konitzky, 1011 Diamond st., Phila., Pa.
504 -May 8th, Jos. H. Tumbach, 207 Wainwright Bldg, St. Louis.
505-May 9th, John Hurlbert, Box 110, Manitou, Colo.
506-May 9th, Wm. H. Lepere, 1131 Leonard ave., St. Louis, Mo. 507-May 13th-Platt Brttsh, Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.
508-May 15th, Aug. T. Wehrle, 176 Church st., Newark, Ohio.
509-May 15th, Milton Silvermats, 533 La Salle ave., Chicago, Ill.
510-May 22d, L. \(\mathbf{1}\). Caswell, Rockford, 111.
511-May 22d, Sam'l Bodine, Rockford, Ill.
512-May 16th, Mrs. Jas. Hopwood, 39 Harbor st., Cleveland, O.
513-May 23d, F. L. Sumner, Box 641, Colorado Springs, Colo. 514-June 1lth, Robbie Davis, Amenia, N. Y.
\(515-J u n e\) 15th, Eljahlı Brown, Atlanta, Ga.
516-June 28tb, F. W. Markell, Charleston, W. Va.
517-July 2tth, W. H. Newman, Gkinnel1, Iowa.
518-Aug. 15th, Ceo. D. Nicol, 233 S. Spring st., Los Augeles, Cal.
519-Aug. 28th, Harry L. Ireston, Roxbury, N. Y.
520-Aug. 29, J no. A. Simborn, 205-214 Burke Blg, Seattle, Wash.
521-Aug. 30th, W. F. Muhlenberg, 34 South 5tlıst., Reading, Pa.
522-Aug. 30th, C. E. Siegard, 25 Austin st., Charlestou, Mass.
523-Sept. 6th, Roberts \& Dietrich, Shanghai, Chiva.
524-Sept. 9th, Oscar Bock, Galveston, Texas.
\(\mathbf{5 2 5}\)-Oct. Ilth, Juo. Builey, 87 Sherman ave., Jersey City, N. J.
526-Sept. 14th, J. Farning, Mox 286, Rockville, Conn.
1895.

527-Sept. 19th, Harry D. Adams, Hiawatha, Kas.
528-Oct. 4th, C. Bernst, 177 Egglestone ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.
529 -Oct. 5th, Carl de F. Griggs, Sutton, P. Q., Canada.
\(530-\) Nov. 8 th, A. Schneider, High st., Bangor, Maine.
531-Nov. 18th, Rodger Sands, Pentwater, Mich.
532-Nov. 18th, A. N. Murray, Box 34, Beecher Falls, Vt.
533-Nov. 20th, Southern Stamp Co., Winston, N. C.
534 -Dec. 5th, Geo. H. Hellegan, 4501 Butler st., Pittsburg, Pa. 535-Dec. 6th, Mabel Cornish, 225 1st st., S.F., Washington, D.C.
536 -Dec. 10th, Syduey A. Williams, Gregory, Mich.
\(537-\) Dec. 12th, M. I Riugdal, 20 F. 14th ave., Denver, Colo.
538-Dec. 14th, B. S. MacKenzie, Watertown, Ontario, Canada.
\(539-\) Dec. 17 th, H. F. Heath, 9240 Harbor ave., S. Chicago, Ill.
\(540-D e c .20\) th, Arthur J. Brown, 251 Purchase st., New Bedford, Mass.
1896.

541-Jan. 6th, Julius Schroeder, 1633 2d ave., New York City.
542-Jan. 7th, M. Guy Leclaire, 290 Ruede l'Universite, Montreal, Catrada.
543-Jan. 16th, F. Bletchen, Caribou, Maine.
544-Jan, 23d, E. R. Simister, Philadelphia, Pa. 545-Jan. 25th, J. L. Scull, Overbrook, Pa.

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Contains 500 all different postage stamps from all parts of the world, including RARE specimeus, such as Cape of Good Hope, triangular Liberia, many
 varieties of Costa Rica, 1883-89, including scarce officials, Mexico, many kinds, from 1864-93, including rare "Habilitado" envelope, 10 cent green, entire, worth 75 centseach, Deccan, Siam, North Bornco, Hayti, Greece, many issues, French Colonies, Bulgaria, many fine varieties of Mexico, also officials and unpaid; rare liawaian and Azores Islatads, old and new, Cape of Good Hope, Sweden unpaid and official, New Brunswick, Luxembourg official, San Marino, Monaco, Servia 1869-90, including scarce values, Baden Laud post, rare Belgium Packet post, also fine United Stutes, War, Treasury, Interior, Post Office Department, etc., very scarce old and new Bulgaria, Ceylon, India Service, Tasmania, Finland,

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Contains 300 splendid varieties, same as last, from all parts of the world, but including rarer stamps. Anongst many others, we only inention: China, Shanghai, Straits Settlements provisionals, Mexico, 1864-1892, many varieties, including envelope, Argentine, unused, Chili, Peru, Colombia, French and Portuguese Colomies, Trinidad, Barbados, Newfoundland, and many others. A FINE PACKET.

Standard Stamp Company:
Dallas, Texas, Sept. 25, 1891.
Gents-Your 500 varjety packet and approval sheets ordered received. Bothare very much superior to anything I have ever seen so far. I temain. 312 Main Sireet.

Youts truly,
ANGELO DF STEFANO.
STANDARD Stamp COMpANy:
Cambridge, Mass.
Dear Sirs-Your sheets contain the beat assortment that I have ever seen: am also vety much obliged to you for the zaluable prize stamps you sent me, 1112 North Ave., Cambridge, Mass. Yours truly, HOMER F. HUNT,

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One Thousand Finely Assorted Stamps for only \(\$ 2.00\), Post Free.


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THESE PACKETS ARE NOW in stock and ORDERS ARE PILIED by return mail. (Be surl and order Packet F.)

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\section*{U. S. Coutains 500 very finely mixed United States stamps.}

This assortment includes stamps from 1851, 1857, 1861, 1868, \(1869,1872,1875,1882,1887,1888,1889,1890\) and 1893 (Columbus series), adhesives and envelopes; also Department, Revenues, unpaid, Special Delivery, etc.

Every packet contains a 90 -cent stamp of 1890 issue, and a rare 30 -cent brown of 1888 issue.

\author{
Packet H.-Price \$2.50, Post Free.
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\section*{U. S.}

Contains 300 finely mixed U'nited States stamps, issues from 1851 up to 1889 , and most of them obsolete, including War, Treasury, Agriculture, Post Office and Interior Departments, scarce euvelopes from 1857, 1860, 1861, 1864, ete. Also 30 and 90 -cent values, ahout 50 varieties in all, well mixed.

This is the very best packet a collector can buy to increase his U. S. collection or to trade from.

We guarantee good value.

\section*{Packet I.-Price, only 7 : Cents, Post Frec.}


Contains 1,000 finely mixed stamps, such as Bosnia, Venezuela, Servia, lulgaria, Italy, unpaid, old and new Turkey, Levant, llrazil (large), West Australia, Borneo, (Y. S. Department Stamps, scarce Newfoundland, South African Republic, Natal, Hawaii, '「rinidad, Colombia, and many others. A good packet for exchanging.

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Contains 500 scarcer stamps-no common Continentals whatever, and is comprised of the following:

200 stamps to sell ou sheets at 1 cent each.
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'fotal, 500 good stanps to retail at over \(\$ 14\), net casth.
Guaranteed to contain only good saiable stamps-no rubbish of any kind, same grade of goorls we use on our own sheets.

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We matie a specialty of Mexican postage stamps and have one of the largest and most complete stocks in the world. Collectors who wish to obtain the RARER kinds, such as the high values of the first issue, the rare I'rovisionals of 1867 to 1872 , Firrors, Guadalajaras, etc., should enter into correspondence with us. We recomment the following packets for their wery superior quality and CHEAPNESS:

\section*{No. 25.-1Price, only mo (cents.}

Contains 25 varieties of Mexican postage stamps, iucluding some race, from 1864, 1879-82, \(1884-90\) issues, etc., including officials, envelopes, official seals, and many good values.


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Contans 30 different Mexican postage stamps, including 1864, (Saltillo), also old issues and good values of \(1874,1878,1879,1882\) to 1890 , etc. A very fine packet for the money.

\section*{No. 27.-1rrice, only \(\$ 1.50\).}

Contains 50 different Mexicat postage stamps, including a good many rare, such as \(18 \% 9,1882\), high values, 1864 issue (Saltillo), fine envelope stamps, wortin 10 cents each; also used and unused stamps of the issues of 1864 to 1893 , official stamps (three is-
 sues), 1874 issuc, 20 and 25 cents of 1888 issue, and many others.

\section*{No. 28.-l'rice, only \&.5.00.}


Contains 70 different postage stamps from Mexico. This is a very fine collection in itself, includ. iug the issues of 1856 up to 1890 . It contains a great many rare stamps, such as the 1 , 2and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth 89 cents, the 50 and 100 ceuts of 1874, the issttes of 1808 to 1872 , used and unused, 1864 (Saltillo), also RARİ + reals 1861 black on yellow paper,
catalogued at \(\$ 1.75\) each, several envelopes, old and new, including "Habilitado," set of l'orte de Mar, and many others of equal value. The stamps contained in this packet are valued at about double the price we ask for it.


\author{
No. 28 A.-Price, Post Free, only \(\$ 8.50\).
}

Contaius 100 fine varieties from Mexico, containing all the stamps mentioned in packet No. 28, but including 30 more varieties, which, as a matter of course, must be quite scarce. This is nearly a complete collection of Mexican stamps, and cheaper than any other packet of this kind ever offered.

Note.-The above packet contains two "Habilitado" envelopes, entite, worth \(\$ 2.00\), also the rare 1,2 , and 4 reals of 1856 issue, worth 80.89 , and many other rare varieties.

\section*{MISCELLANEOUS STANDARD PACKETS.}

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\section*{SHOW THIS LIST TO YOUR FRIENDS.}

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Gentlemen-Receiver the International packet a few days ago aud suas very tuucli pleased with it. I have tried many stamp coupanies vut I like nope as well as yours. Yours truly,

CHESIER E. GRFENWOOD
\(2 \overline{\mathrm{~F}}\). Cottage street.

Conway, N: H., Feb. J. 1894.
Gentlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I am more than pleased with then.

Lock Box 70.
Yours truly.
ARTHUR G. LORD.

Rochester, N. Y., March 29. 1893.
Gentlemen-Your packet No. 20 received to-day aud I musif say that 1 was sufprised to see the valunble stamps that 1 received.

72 Rowe street.
Yours truly,
E. FEELV.

Baltimorr, Md., Oct. 18. 1894.
Gentlemen- I received your approval sheets; they were very fine.
1430 W . 'Lauvale street.
'iours very truly,
EDCAR KENDIG.

SOLTH KAUKANNA, Wis., April 25,1892
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No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
18 1847, 5c brown (Franklin) ..... \$ 500 ..... \(\$ 085\)
19 1847, 10c black (Whathington). ..... 1500 ..... 400
Head in oval. (mperforated.
20 1851, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 200 ..... 30
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
21 1851, le blue, variety, (brokeu circle) 5000 1500
22 1851, 3c red (Washiugton) 100
23 1851, 5c browu (Jefferson) 50000.24 1851, 10c green (Mashington)150011 CO
25 1851, 12c black (Mashington). 1000100
26 1856, 24c lilac (Washingtou) 7500
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin). Mead in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washingtou)Same, Perforated.
29 1857, Ic blue (Franklin) ..... 100
175
30 1857, 1c blue, variety ..... 35
50
31 1856, 3c red (Washington). ..... 10
32 1857. 3c red (Washington), with onter line ..... 1500
15
33 1856, 5c brown (Jefferson) 10000220
350
34 1857, 5c red-brown (Jefferson). 2500
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ormaments at top and botton cut off ..... 350 ..... 250
50
36 1855, 10c green (Washington). ..... 125
37 1857, 12c black (Washiugton). ..... 175
85
\(381860,24 \mathrm{c}\) lilac (Washington). ..... 600 ..... 450
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... - 50 ..... 650
40 1860, 90c ilue (Washington) ..... 2250 ..... 3500
U. S. and value in romers.
41 1861, le blue (İranklin) ..... 25 ..... 05
43 1861, 5c brown (Jeffersou) ..... \(+00\) ..... 40
44 1861, 5c yellow (Jefferson) 30) 00 ..... 700
45 1861, 10c green (Washington). ..... 75
46 1861, 12c black (Washington). ..... 125 ..... 35
48 1861, 30c orange ( 「rauklin) ..... 350
49 1861, 90c blue (Washiugton). ..... 1200
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 100010
47 1861, 24c lilac (Washington) ..... 200 ..... 35
25
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson) ..... 05
10
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 0150350
250
54 1866, 15c black (Lincoln) ..... 50250
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Úsed.
\(551866,24 \mathrm{c}\) mature (Washington). 750 ..... 150Embossing measuring II \(x 13 \mathrm{~mm}\).
601868 , 1c blue ..... 500 ..... 125
61 1868, 2c black ..... 150 ..... 25
62 1868, 3c rose. ..... 40 ..... 03
63 1868, 10c green.. ..... 350 ..... 60
64 1868, 12e black 300 ..... 50
65 1868, 15 c black. 2000 ..... 800
Enbossing measuring \(9 x 13 \mathrm{~mm}\).
66 1868, lc blue ..... 500 ..... 125
67 1868, 2c black. ..... 75 ..... 25
68 1868, 3c rose. ..... 25 ..... 02
69 1868, 5e brown. ..... 1000 ..... 250
70 1868, 10c green. ..... 300 ..... 50
71 1868, 12c black. ..... 300 ..... 75
72 1868, 15c black ..... 400 ..... 75
73 1868, 24c violet. ..... 1250 ..... 500
\(741868,30 \mathrm{c}\) orange ..... 1000 ..... 400
75 1868, 90c blue 3500 ..... 1500Various designs in square.
With embossing measuring \(91 / 2 x 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}\).
76 1869, le buff (Frankliu) ..... 100 ..... 50
77 1869, 2c brownt (Horseman) ..... 60 ..... 15
78 1869, 3c blue (Locomotive) ..... 25 ..... 02
79 1869, 6e blue (Washington) ..... 300 ..... 75
80 1869, 10c yellow (Eagle) 400 ..... 90
81 1869, 12c grees (Steamship) ..... 200 ..... 75
821869 , 15c brown and blue (Lancling of Co- Iumbus) ..... 1000 ..... 350
83 1869, 15c brown and blue (Picture, framed) 600 ..... 175
84 1869, 24c green aud purple (Declaration of Independence) ..... 1650 ..... 750
85 1869, 30c bluc and carmine (Eagle) 1500 ..... 350
86 1869, 90c black and carmine (Liscoln) ..... 3500 ..... 1750
Head to left in ozal, with cmbossing measuring \(9 x / \pi 1 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}\).101 1870, lc !lue (Franklin)250
No. Date. Value Color. New. ..... Tised.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) 250 ..... 10
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) 100 ..... 03
104 1870, 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 1000 ..... 400
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stanton) 1000 ..... 400
2500 106 1870, 10c brown (Jeffersois) ..... 2500
1000
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay) ..... 75004000
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 1500109 1870, 24c putple (Scott)100006000
110 1870, 30c black (Hamition) ..... 3500 ..... 2500
111 1870, 90c carmiue (Perry) 2000 ..... 650
Same, embossing measuring \(81 / 2\)-1 \(101 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}\).
112 1870, 1c blue 25050
113 1870, 2c brown ..... 250 ..... 50
114 1870, 3c green 100 ..... 03
Same, without embossing.
115 1872, 1c blue 200 ..... 10
116 1872, 2c browa ..... 50 ..... 05117 1872, 3c green100118 1872, 6c pink20003119 1872, 7c vermilion50010
\(120 \quad 1872,10 \mathrm{c}\) brown ..... 500
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 100075
122 1872, 15c orange ..... 40010
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 100075
124 1872, 30c black ..... 500
125 1872, 90c carmine ..... 500
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 20
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 75
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 20
129 1882, 1c light blue, re-engraved ..... 10
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved ..... 10
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 75
132 1882, 10c brownt, re-etngraved ..... 40
133 1883, 2c claret (Washington) ..... 08
134 1883, 4c green (Jacksou) ..... 15
135 1887, 2c green ..... 0620
20075
100
0305
0201
010301
No. Date. Value, Color. New,15
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 05 ..... 01Same as /872-83 issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 12
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 85
140 1888, 90e purple. ..... 250
141 1888, 4e carmine ..... 15New designs. Slamps smaller.
142 1890, 1c ultramarine ..... 02
143 1890, 2c carmine ..... 05
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 06
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 08
146 1890, Sc ehocolate ..... 10
147 1890, 6e brown red ..... 1.5
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 15
149 1890, 10e greeu ..... 20
150 1890, 15 e dark blue ..... 30
151 1890, 30c black. ..... 60
\(1521890,90 \mathrm{c}\) orange 200
COLCMBIAS ISSUE.
153 1893, Ic deep blue (Columbus in sight of land) ..... 03 ..... 01
154 1893, 2c violet (Lancling of Columbus) ..... 0.4 ..... 01
155 1893, 3c green (Flagship of Columbus) ..... 10 ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) 08 ..... 03
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicit'ng aid of Isabella) ..... 15
158 1893, 6e purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 12 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magenta (Colmmbus restored to favor). ..... 15 ..... 08
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- ing natives) ..... 25 ..... 05
161 1893, 15c dark green (Columbusanuouncing this discovery). ..... 30 ..... 30
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Lised.
162 1893, 30 c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 60 ..... 60
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus).. 100 ..... 100
164 1893, \$1.00 salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) 800 ..... 600
165 1893, \$2.00 brown red (Columbus in chains) ..... 500 ..... 500
166 1893, \(\$ 3.00\) yellow green (Columbus describ- ing his third voyage) \(+00\) ..... 400
167 1893, \(\$ 4.00\) carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isahella) 550 ..... 550
168 1893, \(\$ 5.00\) black (Pronle of Columbus) ..... 650 ..... 650
SPECIAI, DELIVERY.
2.51 1885, 10c blue ..... 30 ..... 15
252 1888, 10c blue (".lt any office.") ..... 25 ..... 10
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 20
254 1895, 10c biue ..... 15 ..... 0308
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.
Colored Border.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1750
302 1865, 10c green (Franklin) ..... 750
Reprint ..... 400
303 1865, 25c red (Jincoln) ..... 750
Keprint ..... 400
White Border.
\(30+1867,5 \mathrm{c}\) blue (Wrashington) ..... 200
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 25
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 40
308 1875, oc black ..... 60
309 1875, 8c black ..... 60
310 1875, 9c black ..... 1500
311 1875, 10c 1)lack ..... 35
312 1885, le black ..... 20
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 100 ..... 100
\(3141875,24 \mathrm{c}\) carmiue ..... 160 ..... 100
\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|}
\hline No. & Date. Value. Color. & New. & Used. \\
\hline 31.5 & 1875, 36c carmine & 100 & 100 \\
\hline 316 & 1875, 48c carthine & 175 & 175 \\
\hline 317 & 1875, 60c carmine & 175 & 175 \\
\hline 318 & 1875, 72e carmine & 300 & 300 \\
\hline 319 & 1875, 84c carmine & 300 & 300 \\
\hline 320 & 1875, 96c carmine & 300 & 300 \\
\hline \multicolumn{4}{|l|}{321 - Various designs.} \\
\hline 321 & 1875, 192c brown & 450 & 450 \\
\hline 322 & 1875, 3d scarlet & 700 & 700 \\
\hline 323 & 1875, 6d blue & 1000 & 1000 \\
\hline 324 & 1875, 9d orauge & 1350 & \\
\hline 325 & 1875, 12d green & 1600 & \\
\hline 326 & 1875, 24d purple & 2500 & \\
\hline 327 & 1875, 36d red... & 3000 & \\
\hline 328 & 1875, 48d lrown & 3500 & \\
\hline 329 & 1875, 60d violet & 4500 & \\
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\section*{UNPAID IETTELE STAMPS.}

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351 1879, ic brown .......................... 12 05
352 1879, 2c browtr ................................ 12 . 05
353 1879, 3c brown ................................. 20 . 05
354 1879, 5c browt .......................... 25 15
355 1879. 10c brown ................................. 50.15
356 1879, 30c lrown .............................. 250 . 100
357 1879, 50c browis ............................ 200 100
358 1885, lc red browil ........................ 15 05
359 1885, 2c red brown .......................... 12 . 05
360 1885, 3c red brown ....................... \(400 \quad 200\)
361 1885, 5c red brown .......................... 30 . 15
362 1885, 10c red brown ....................... 40 08
363 1891, 1c bright claret ...................... 0505
364 1801, 2e bright charet ...................... 0602
365 1891, 3c bright claret ...................... 15 . 03
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..................... 15 . 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ................... \(25 \quad 05\)
308 1893, 30 c bright claret …................. \(125 \quad 125\)
369 1893, 50c bright claret ................. 200 200
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columbian Issue.
Profiles of Columbus and Liberly surrounded by Eagle on Shield.No. Date Value. Color.New. 'Used.
696 1893, 1c deep.blue ..... 03 ..... 0 ?
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 04 ..... 01
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 16
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20 ..... 20
LETTER SHEETSS.
750 1886, 2c greeu: (Grant) ..... 04
OFEICIAL STAMIPS.
Pevforated.All, except Post Ofice, same Design as Geneml Issue, withNane of Department aboze.
Agriculture.
801 1873, ic straw ..... 200 ..... 200
802 1873, 2c straw ..... 100 ..... 100
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 40 ..... 25
804 1873, 6e straw ..... 75 ..... 75
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 500 ..... 500
806 1873, 12 c straw ..... 800 ..... 800
807 1873, 15 c straw ..... 300 ..... 300
\(8081873,24 \mathrm{c}\) straw 350 ..... 350
809 1873, 30c straw \(+00\) ..... 400
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
813 1873, 6c carmine ..... 1500 ..... 1500
814 1873, 10c carmine 1150 ..... 1150
Interior.
815 1873, 1c vermilion ..... 20 ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermiliou ..... 10 ..... 0.3
817 1873, 3c vermilion ..... 02
818 1873, 6e vermilion ..... 05
819 1873. 10c vermilion. ..... 40 ..... 30
No. Date. Value Color. New.40820 1873, 12c vermilion30
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821 1873, 15 c vermilion ..... 30
60
822 1873, 24c vermilion..
75
\(8231873,30 \mathrm{c}\) vermilion ..... 75
175 \(8241873,90 \mathrm{c}\) vermilion. ..... 175
Jnstice.
825 1873, Ic purple ..... 150 ..... 150
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 75 ..... 60
828 1873, 6c purple 100 ..... 100
829 1873, 10c purple 200 ..... 200
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
831 1873. 15c purple ..... 500 ..... 500
832 1873, 24c purple 1000 ..... 1000
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 2500 ..... 2500
834 1873, 90c purple 6000 ..... 6000
Navy.
835 1873, lc blue ..... 75 ..... 75
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 65 ..... 65
\(836 a 1873,2 \mathrm{c}\) green (error) ..... 2000
837 1873, 3c bhte ..... 4020
838 1873, oc blue ..... 50 ..... 50
839 1873, 7cblue ..... 1000 ..... 1000
840 1873, 10c blue ..... 150
841 1873, 12c blue150150
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750
845 1873, 90c blue ..... 750
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846 1873, le black ..... 25 ..... 25
847 1873, 2c black ..... 25 ..... 25
848 1873, 3c black ..... 05 ..... 01
849 1873, 6c black 30 ..... 15
850 1873, 10c black 150 ..... 150
No. Date. Value. Color. New.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 75
852 1873, 15c black ..... 75
853 1873, 24c black ..... 100
854 1873, 30c black ..... 65
855 1873, 90c black ..... 150
Post Office Seill Nitamps.
856 1872, Registered, green. ..... 25 ..... 25
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (l'. Obitum) 400
\(858 a\) 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 05Woad Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, brown 300
Ronlcticd.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'd ..... 75
Used.50
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858 1879, Officially sealed, brown

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859 1873, 1c green ..... 100 ..... 100
860 1873, 2c green ..... 500
500861 1873, 3c green75
862 1873, 6c green ..... 75
863 1873, 7c greeu ..... 20075
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Sót 18i3, 10c green ..... 200200
865 1873, 12c green ..... 300 ..... 300200
866 1873, 15c green ..... 250 ..... 250
867 1873, 24c green ..... 500 ..... 500
868 1873, 30c green ..... 500 ..... 500
869 1873, 90 e green ..... 750 ..... 750
870 1873, 2d black and greet. ..... 1750 ..... 1750
871 1873, 5d black and green ..... 12500 ..... 12500
8.2 1873, 10d black and green ..... 6000 ..... 60.00
873 1873, 20d black and green 5000
'Treasury.
874 1873, 1c brown. ..... 15
Si5 1873, 2c brown. ..... 12
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3c brown. ..... 03
877 1873, oc brown. ..... 20 ..... 20 ..... 10
878 1873, 7c brown. 200 ..... 150
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 40 ..... 25
880 1873, 12c browu. ..... 40 ..... 20
881 1873, 15 c brown. ..... 40 ..... 30
882 1873, 24c brown. ..... 750 ..... 500
883 1873, 30c browu. ..... 75 ..... 35
884 1873, 90c brown. 200 ..... 100
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 05 ..... 05
886 1873, 2c red ..... 08 ..... 08
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03 ..... 02
888 1873, 6c red ..... 06 ..... 05
889 1873, ic red ..... 250 ..... 250
800 1873, 10c red ..... 30 ..... 30
891 1873, 12 e red ..... 30 ..... 30
892 1873, 15c red ..... 30 ..... 30
893 1873, 24c red ..... 75 ..... 75
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895 1873, 90c red 150 895 1873, 90c red ..... 125

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A1.


A2.


A3.
No. Date. Type. Value. Color

Used.

New.
\(\$ 050\)
50
125
71 1861, A1, 5c green
72 1861, A1, 5c dark greet


A8.
74 1862, A.3, 2c green ..... \(\$ 250\) ..... \(\$ 300\)
75 1862, A1, 5c blue ..... 60 ..... 60
76 1862, A1, 5c dark blue ..... (1) ..... 60
77 1862, A2, 10 c rose ..... 600 ..... 400
78 1862, A4, 5c blue. ..... 10 ..... 10
79 1862, At, 5 c pale blue ..... 15 ..... 10
80 1862, A4, 5c Dlne, lithograplied ..... 25
81 1862, At, 5c blue, perforated
82 1863, A5, 2c rose.3.5
83 1863, 10 c blue (TEN) ..... 500 ..... 500200
84 1863, 10c blue, larger stamp than type A8, ..... 25 ..... 20
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue ..... 03 ..... 08
86 1863, A8, 10e light blue ..... 08 ..... 1010
No. Date. Type. Value. Color.87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue\(\$ 0 \quad 10 \quad \$ 0 \quad 10\)
88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line) ..... 1000
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75 ..... 500

A9.
90 1863, A9, 20c greet............................. 15 \$200
90A 1863, \(49,20 \mathrm{c}\) green, perforated, fine specimen ou original letter...

2000
91 1864, 1c orange (Calhoun) ............. 50

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| 147 | +Cuba, 1857 | 7.64 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 30 |
| 148 | "1855 | -64 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 | 8. |
| 149 | + "1866 | 6. 1/4, $5,10,90,40 \mathrm{c}$ | c, complete |  | . |  | , |  | . | , | 1.50 |
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| 155 | + ${ }^{\prime} 1875$ | 5, 12\% $2,25,50 \mathrm{c}, 1 \mathrm{p}$, | complete |  |  |  |  | . |  | 4 | 40 |
| 158 | 1880 | 0-5 |  | - |  |  |  |  | - | 1.5 | 50 |
| 157 | $\dagger$ " 1876 | 6, 1926, 2\%, 50c, 1p, | , complete |  |  | . |  |  |  | 4 | 60 |
| 158 | + ${ }^{\text {¢ }} 1877$ | 7, 124 $4,25,50 c, 1 \mathrm{p}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 40 |
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| 160 | + "1879 | 0, 5, 12d. , mi, 50c, | ${ }_{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  | . | 5 | 60 |
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| 185 | + * 188 | 3, 1, 2, 216, \%, 10, | 0c, complete |  |  | - |  | , |  | 6. | 40 |
| 166 | + " 1/88: | 3 surcharged, 5, 10 | 0, 20c |  | - |  | - |  | - | 14 | 1.4 |
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| 169 | + " 1880 | , 16 mm to 8 m |  |  |  | * |  | - |  | 6 | 12 |
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| 155 | +Diego Sua | arez, 1894, 1, 2, 4, 5 | , 10, 35, 20, 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8 | 8.5 |
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| 517 | $\dagger$ " |  | 1893, complete |  |  |  | - |  | - | 7 | 50 |
| 518 | $\dagger$ " | 4 | 1894 |  | . |  |  |  |  | 7 | 30 |
| 519 | $t$ 46 | Wrappers, | 1800 | . |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 30 |
| 520 | $t$ 4 | cta | 1891 |  |  | , |  | , |  | 4 | 25 |
| 521 | $\pm 11$ | $\cdots$ | 1892 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 25 |
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| 524 | tSamoa, 188 | 77-92, 30, 1, | ,21/2, 4, 5, cp |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | -5 |
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| 527 | $\dagger$ * | 1894, | ubilee, 25, $50 \mathrm{c}, 1$ | lira |  |  |  | , |  | \% | 00 |
| 528 | +Sarawak, | 1872-75, 2, 8 | 4, 6, 8, 12c. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 1.00 |
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| 591 | $\dagger{ }^{+}$ | 804, 2, 4, 6, |  | - |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 35 |
| 592 | +Saxony, 18 | 63, 3p, 26, 1 | , 2, 8n.g. | - | - |  |  |  |  | 5 | 10 |
| 53.3 | +Senegal, 18 | 822, ], 2, 4, 5 | , 10,15 20 2\% | - |  |  |  | , |  | 8 | 35 |
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| 536 | + " $\quad 180$ | 14, 5, 10, 15, | 20, 25p | - |  |  |  | - |  | 5 | 30 |
| 537 |  | 69-84 : 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14 | 25 |
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| 539 | tSeychelles | , 1800, 2, 4, | , 10, 1\%, 16e |  | . |  | . |  |  | 6 | 60 |
| 540 | + " | 1898, 3, 12, | 15.45c |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 60 |
| 541 | $\dagger$ " | Envelopes |  |  | - |  |  |  |  | 3 | 60 |
| 542 | +Sharghai, | 1893, 以4, 1, | , $5,16 \mathrm{lc}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 80 |
| 543 | $\pm$ ** | 1893,1 , I, | 2, 5, 10, 15, 20c |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 80 |
| 644 | $\dagger \quad 4$ | Unpaĩ̛, 18 | $3,14,1,2,5,10 \mathrm{c}$ |  |  | * |  |  |  | 5 | 80 |
| 545 |  | "1 18 | 3, 14, 1, 2, 5, 10, | 15, 2 | 20 c |  |  |  |  | 7 | 80 |
| 848 | +Siam, 188 | -91, 1, $4,3,4$ | , 8a |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 80 |
| 547 | + $\quad 181887$ | $-91,1,9,3$, | , 8, 12, 24, 64a |  |  |  | . |  | - | 8 | 1.80 |
| 548 | "" 1, 2, | 3, 4, 8, 12, | 4a |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 50 |
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Yours truly.
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Very truly yours.
BEN. MULFORD, JH..
So. Denver, Colo., Feb. 13, 1894.
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Yaurs truly.
I. LEE THURBER.

Jamaica. L. I.. N. Y.. March 4. 1894.
Gentlemen-Received packets all right and must say they are "A1, $0 . \mathrm{K}^{\text {.." }}$ To celebrate the occasiou please aend me two more packets No. 342 .

Chichester aveuac. Yours truly, WM. WEBBF.
Oshkosis, Wis., Sept. 8, 1893.
Gentlemen-Please send me some more approval sheets. I am an ugent: for a good many companies but think your approval sheets are better thanany others.

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Conway, N. H., Peb. 7. 1894.
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2 Cyptus
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3 Ecuador
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10 England
2 Faridkot
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2 Guatemala
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3 Heligoland
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3 Holland, unpaid
3 Honduras
3 Hong Kong
8 Hungary, vario's incl. 20 kr
4 Hungary, 1888
2 Iceland
5 India
3 India envelopes and card
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2 Italy postal packet
2 Italy newspaper, provis'al, tare
3 Italy, unpaid
4 Jamaica
6 Japan
2 Kashmir
5 Luxembourg
3 Mauritius
5 Mexico
2 Mexico, Porte de Mar
2 Mexico, 1864, unused, rare

2 Mexico, 1882, unused
3 Mexico, 1884
2 Mexico officials
*2 Mexico official seals
3 Monaco
2 Montenegro
3 Natal
3 Newfoundland
5 NewSouth Wales
3 New Turkey, 1892
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unpaid
5 New Zealaud
4 Nicaragua
10 Norway

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8 Old Austria, 1850-63
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2 Old Japan
4 Old Spain, Isabel
3 Old Turkey, 1869-76
3 Orange States
2 Paraguay
2 Persia
3 Perla

- 2 Peru envelopes

2 Philippines
5 Porto Rico
5 Portugal
2 Portuguese
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3 Roman States
6 Roumania
7 Russia

3 Russia Levant
4 Salvador
2 San Marino
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*2 Saxony
3 Servia
-3 Shanghai
*2 Shanghai, unp'd
10 Spain
5 Spain, baby head
3 Straits Settle-

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10 Sweder
5 Sweden, 1891, 5-50 ore, compl
4 Sweden olfacial
3 Sweden, unpaid
3 Transvaal
3 Trinidad
2 Tunis
5 Turkey, various
3 U.S. Department
3 U.S. Locals
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6 Austrian-Levant
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6 Belgium, postal packet stamps.
5 Bergedorf.
3 Bhopaul.
3 Bolivia.
3 Borneo.
4 Bosnia.
7 Brazil.
5 Brazil, Journal and Unpaid stamps.
5 British Guiana.
5 Bulgaria.
7 Canada Bill.
7 Cape of Good Hope.
6 Ceylon.
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3 Confederate States.
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7 Finland.
7 Greece.
4 Guatemala.
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3 Hawaii.
3 Hayti.
7 Heligoland.
* 4 Heligoland, Envelopes and wrappers, complete.
5 Holland, unpaid
5 Honduras.
4 Hong Kong.
12 Hungary, various, incl. 20 and 50 kr .
7 Hungary, 1888, incl. 50 kr . and 1 ff .
3 Iceland.
10 India.
5India, Native States.
16 Italy, old and new.
3 Italy, postal packet.
3 Italy, postal packet, provisionals, rare.
5 Italy, unpaid.

7 Japan.
3 Kashmir.
4 Mauritius.
10 Mexico.
2 Mexico, 1872 issue.

* 2 Mexico, Envelopes.
5 Mexico, Official aud Official Seal.
3 Mexico, Portede Mar.
3 Mexico, 1864.
5 Mexico, 1895.
3 Mexico, 1882, unused.
4 Monaco.
4 Natal.
4 Newfoundland.
6 NewSouth Wales
7 New Spain, baby head.
4 New Turkey, 1892, incl. 2 piastres.
3 New Zealand (Insurance).
6 New Zealand.
7 Nicaragua.
14 Norway.
*3 Nowanuggur, old issue, complete.
*3 Nowanuggur, new issue, complete.
12 Old Austria, 1850-1863.


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12 Russia, old and new
4 Russia Levant, incl. 10 kop .
7 Salvador.

* 3 Samoa.
*5 Saxony.
6 Servia.
* 4 Shanghai.
*3 Shanghai, utipaid.
15 Spain.
4 Straits Settlements.
7, Sweden Official.
6 Sweden, unpaid.
15 Swedlen, various issues.
${ }^{*} 5$ Swiss, 1862-68
5 'ltansvaal, incl. 1 shilling.
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3 Turkey, unpaid, various.
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Dear Sirs-Your "luternational" Packet. No. 21, received, but owing to Xmas doings I have been unable to examine it uutit now. I never imagined I'd get such a packet; it beats Furopean traders hollow! Your gilt of $\$ 5$ worth of stamps was a welcome surprise, for which accept my thauks. If I have made ally mistakes let me know. Your system beaty all i kuow, and I can hardly realize it to be afact. Ian, yours truly, ROHERT FORBES.

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\text { Boston, Mass;, October } 8,1892 .
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Standard Stamp Compant:
22. received, and 1 must say are the finest $I$ ever sate. The premium stamp is a fime and waluable stamp. You may send any parties to me for secommendations, nud I can fastlifully say that your gnods are as represented aud superior to others in regards to condition and scarcity.

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The following letter is from the same gentleman, dated October 22, 1892 :

Etandard Stamp Company:
Gentemen-"INTHRNATIONAL PACKFT No. 21 "arrived all right yesterday a. In. The premium which you sent with it was very safrsfuctory, while as to the packet itself. I cath ouly say that I spent an hour or so with my customer looking over it in the afternoon, nnd he and myselfiwere delighied $f$. It was a magnificent collection for the woney, and when I thiuk what my first 1.000 atamps cost me about three years nga. I am disgusted, etc.. etc.

Yours very truly,
D. H. JAACON.

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Gents-Received packets of stamps, catalogue. etc., safely, and am de-

32 Delauey Crescent.

Yours respectfully
P. E. ROBERTS.

Omaha, Nrf., March 10, 1894.
I have an International Packet No. 21 that wasgiven to meas a present by Theo. Noack. I have recejved your Internationel Packet No. 21 and I am very much pleased with it. I was offered a trade for S—-tt's \$15.00 Packet, but I refused it. The S-tt's $\$ 15.00$ Packet does not come up to your International Packet by a very long ways.

924 South 33rd Street.
Yours.
JAMES SHACKLEFORD.
Waltham. Mass.. January 30, 1894.
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Yours respectfully.
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479-Feb. 18th, Willie Tufts, 56 Dwight st., Boston, Mass.
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Yours truly,
Lock Hox 70.
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72 Rowe street.
Yours truly,
E. FEELY.

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1430 W . Tanvale strect. Yours very truly, EDGAR KENDIG.

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GENERAL ISSUE.
No. Date, Value. Color,

New. $\$ 500$ Lised.607519 1847, 10c black (Washiugton)1500
Head in ozal. Unperforated.
20 1851, Ic blue (Tranklia) ..... 200 ..... 20
No. Date. Value. Color. New.

## Used.

21 1851, 1c blue, variety, (broken circle) ..... 5000
22 1851, 3c red (Washingtou) ..... 100
23 1851, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 5000
24 1851, 10c green (Washington) ..... 1500
25 1851, 12c black (Washington) ..... 1000
26 1856, 24c Iilac (Washington) ..... 7500
27 1856, 30c orange (Franklin). Head in square.
28 1856, 90c blue (Washingtou)
Same, Perforated.
29 1857, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 100
30 1857, 1c blue, ..... 35
31 1856, 3c red (Washington) ..... 10
32 1857, 3c red (Washington), with outer line ..... 1500
33 1856, 5e browu (Jefferson) ..... 1000
34 1857, 5c red-brown (Jefferson) ..... 2500
35 1857, 5c brown (Jefferson), ormaments at top and bottom cut off ..... 350
36 1855, 10c green (Washington) ..... 125
37 1857, 12c black (Washington) ..... 175
38 1860, 24c lilac (Waslington) ..... 600
39 1860, 30c orange (Franklin) ..... 750
40 1860, 90 c blue (Washington) ..... 2250
U. S. and value in comers.
41 1861, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 25
43 1861, 5c brown (Jefferson) ..... 400
44 186I, 5c yellow (Jefferson) ..... 3000
45 1861, 10c green (Washington) ..... 75
46 1861, 12c black (Washington) ..... 125
47 1861, 24c lilac (Washington) ..... 200
48 1861, 30c orauge (Franklin) ..... 350
49 1861, 90c blue (Washiugton) ..... 1200
50 1862, 5c chocolate (Jefferson) ..... 1000
51 1863, 2c black (Jackson). ..... 25
52 1863, 3c rose (Washington) ..... 10
54 1806, 15c black (Lincolu) ..... 250
No．Date，Value．Color． New． ..... Used．
55 1866，24c mauve（Washiugton）． ..... 750 ..... 150
Enbossing neasuring $/ / \times 13 \mathrm{~mm}$ ．
60 1868，lc blue ..... 500
100
61 1868，2c black ..... 150
20
62 1868，3c rose． ..... 40
02
63 1868，10c green 350 ..... 50
64 1868，12c 1，lack ..... 300 ..... 50
65 1868，15c black 2000 ..... 800
Embossing measuring $9 x 13 \mathrm{~mm}_{+}$
66 1808，Ic blue ..... 500
100
20
67 1808，2c black ..... 75
02
68 1868，3c rose． ..... 25
69 1868，5c brown ..... 1000
250
70 1868，10c green 300 ..... 50
71．1868，12c black ..... 300
75
72 1868，15c black ..... 400
100
73 1868，24c violet ..... 1250 ..... 500
74 1868，30c oratuge ..... 1000
400
75 1868，90c blue ..... 3500 ..... 1500
Varions desizns in square．
With embossing measuring $91 / 2 x 91 / 2 \mathrm{~mm}$ ．
76 1869，lc buff（Franklin） ..... 10050
77 1869，2c brown（Horseman） ..... 60 ..... 15
78 1869．3c blue（Ifocomotive） ..... 25 ..... 02
79 1869，6c blue（Washington） 300 ..... 75
80 1869，10c yellow（Eagle） 400 ..... 90
81 1869，12c green（Steamship） 200 ..... 65
82 1869，15c brown and blue（Jaunding of Co－ lumbus） 1000 ..... 350
83 1869，15c brown and blue（Picture，framed） 600 ..... 175
84 1869，24c green and purple（Heclaration of Intlependence） ..... 1650 ..... 600
85 1869，30c bluc and carmine（Eagre） ..... 1500 ..... 350
86 1869，90c black and carmine（Lincoln） ..... 3500 ..... 1750
Head to left in oral，with embossing measuring $9 x$ xty ..... ッル。
101 1870，le blue（Fraukliu） ..... 25040
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
102 1870, 2c brown (Jackson) ..... 250 ..... 08
103 1870, 3c green (Washington) ..... 10003
104 1870, 6c pink (Lincoln) ..... 1000
105 1871, 7c vermilion (Stauton) ..... 1000
350
106 1870, 10c brown (Jefferson) ..... 2500
350
107 1870, 12c dark purple (Clay) ..... 7500
108 1870, 15c orange (Webster) ..... 1500
1000
4000
109 1870, 24c purple (Scott) ..... 10000
500
110 1870, 30c black (Hamilton) ..... 3500
6000
111 1870, 90c carmine (Perry) ..... 20002000
Same, embossing measuring $84 / 2 x$ rot/2 mm .
112 1870, 1c blue 250 ..... 50
113 1870, 2c brown 250 ..... 50
114 1870, 3c green 100 ..... 03
Sane, without emóossing.
115 1872, le blue ..... 200 ..... 08
116 1872, 2c brown ..... 50
117 1872, 3c green ..... 100
118 1872, 6c pink ..... 200
119 1872, 7c vermilion ..... 500
120 1872, 10c brown ..... 500
121 1872, 12c dark purple ..... 1000
122 1872, 15c orange ..... 400
123 1872, 24c purple ..... 1000
124 1872, 30c black ..... 500
125 1872, 90c carmine ..... 500
126 1875, 2c vermilion ..... 20
127 1875, 5c blue (Taylor) ..... 75
128 1882, 5c brown (Garfield) ..... 20
129 1882, le light blue, re-engraved ..... 10
130 1882, 3c green, re-engraved ..... 10
131 1882, 6c red, re-engraved ..... 75
132 1882, 10c brown, re-engraved ..... 40
133 1883, 2c claret (Washingtou) ..... 08
134 1883, 4c green (Jackson) ..... 15
135 1887, 2c green ..... 06
03
No. Date. Value. Color. New.
136 1887, $3 c$ vermilion ..... 15
New design.
137 1887, 1c blue (Franklin) ..... 05 ..... 01
Same as 1872 -' 83 issue.
138 1888, 5c indigo blue ..... 12 ..... 02
139 1888, 30c puce brown ..... 85
140 1888, 90c pturple ..... 250
141 1888, 4c carmine ..... 15 ..... 0550125
New designs. Stamps smaller.
142 1890, Ic ultramarine ..... 02 ..... 01
143 1890, 2c carmine ..... 05 ..... 01
144 1890, 3c purple ..... 06 ..... 03
145 1890, 4c dark brown ..... 08 ..... 01
146 1890, 5c chocolate ..... 10 ..... 01
147 1890, 6c brown red ..... 15 ..... 08
15
148 1890, 8c lilac (Sherman) ..... 05
149 1890, 10c green ..... 20 ..... 01
150 1890, 15c dark blue ..... 30 ..... 10
151 1890, 30c black ..... 60 ..... 15
$1521890,90 \mathrm{c}$ orange ..... 175 ..... 85
COLUMBIAN ISSUE.
153 1893, 1c deep blue (Columbus in sight of laud) ..... 03
01
154 1893, 2c violet (Landing of Columbus) ..... 04 ..... 01
155 1893, 3c greeu (Flagship of Columbus) 07 ..... 06
156 1893, 4c ultramarine (Fleet of Columbus) 07
157 1893, 5c chocolate (Columbus solicit ug aid of Isabella) ..... 10 ..... 04
158 1893, 6c purple (Columbus welcomed at Barcelona) ..... 12 ..... 10
159 1893, 8c Magetrta (Columbus restored to favor) ..... 12 ..... 05
160 1893, 10c black brown (Columbus present- jing natives) ..... 20 ..... 03
161 1893, 15c dark green(Columbus atanouncing his discovery) ..... 20 ..... 20

No. Date. Value. Color.
New. Used.
162 1893, 30c red brown (Columbus at La Rabi- da) ..... 40 ..... 40
163 1893, 50c slate blue (Recall of Columbus). ..... 70 ..... 70
164 1893, $\$ 1.00$ salmon (Isabella pledging her jewels) 500 ..... 400
165 1893, 2.00 brown red (Columbus in chains) ..... 250 ..... 20
166 1893, \$3.00 yellow green (Cohmbus describ- ing his third voyage) 400 ..... 400
167 1893, $\$ 4.00$ carmine (Portraits of Columbus and Isabella) 500 ..... 500
168 1893, $\$ 5.00$ black (Profile of Columbus) 600 ..... 600
SPECIAL DELIVERY.
251 1885, 10c blue ..... 30 ..... 15
252 1888, 10c blue ("At any office.") ..... 25 ..... 10
253 1893, 10c orange ..... 20 ..... 08
254 1895, 10c blue ..... 15 ..... 03
NEWSPAPER STAMPS.Colored Borter.
301 1865, 5c blue (Washington) ..... 1750
302 1865, 10c green (Fraukliu) ..... 650
303 1865, 25e red (Lincoln) ..... 650
White Border.
304 1867. 5c blue (Washington) ..... 200
Indian.
305 1875, 2c black ..... 25
306 1875, 3c black ..... 50
307 1875, 4c black ..... 40
308 1875, 6c black ..... 60
309 1875, 8c black ..... 60 ..... 6025
310 1875, 9c black ..... 1500 ..... 1500
311 1875, 10c black ..... 35
312 1885, 1c black ..... 20
Justice.
313 1875, 12c carmine ..... 100 ..... 100
314 1875, 24c carmine 16050
406035100
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Uised.
315 1875, 36c carmine ..... 100 ..... 100
316 1875, 48c carmine ..... 175 ..... 175
317 1875, 60c carmine ..... 175 ..... 175
318 1875, 72c carmine ..... 300 ..... 300
319 1875, 84c carmine ..... 300 ..... 300
320 1875, 96c carmine 300 ..... 300
Various designs.
321 1875, 192c brown ..... 450 ..... 450
322 1875, 3d scarlet ..... 700
700
323 1875, 6d blue ..... 1000
1000
324 1875, 9d orange ..... 1350
325 1875, 12d green ..... 1600
326 1875, 24d purple ..... 2500
327 1875, 36d red ..... 3000
328 1875, 48d brown ..... 3500
329 1875, 60d violet ..... 4500
UNPAID LETTERE STAMPS.
Perforaled.
351 1879, 1c brown ..... 05
352 1879, 2c brown ..... 05
353 1879, 3c browu ..... 05
354 1879, 5c brown ..... 15
355 1879, 10c brown ..... 15
356 1879, 30c brown ..... 250 ..... 100
357 1879, 50c brown ..... 200
358 1885, 1c red brown ..... 15 ..... 05
359 1885, 2c red brown ..... 12 ..... 05
360 1885, 3c red brown ..... 2 b0
361 1885, 5c red brown ..... 30 ..... 15
150
362 1885, 10c red brown ..... 40 ..... 08
363 1891, 1c bright claret ..... 05 ..... 05
364 1891, 2c bright claret ..... 06 ..... 02
365 1891, 3c bright claret ..... 15 ..... 03
366 1891, 5c bright claret ..... 15 ..... 05
367 1891, 10c bright claret ..... 25 ..... 05
368 1893, 30c bright claret ..... 125
369 1893, 50c bright claret ..... 200

100
175
U. S. ENVELOPES.-Columblan Issue.
Profiles of Columbus-and Liberty surrounded by Eagle on Shield.
No. Date. Value Color. New. Used.
696 1893, 1c deep blue ..... 03 ..... 02
697 1893, 2c violet ..... 01
698 1893, 5c chocolate ..... 10
699 1893, 10c black brown ..... 20
LETTER SHEETS.
750 1886, 2c green (Grant) ..... 04 ..... 02
OFEICIAL STAMPS.
Perforated.
All, except Post Office, same Design as General [ssue, with Name of Dcpartment above.
Agriculture.
801 1873, 1c straw ..... 300 ..... 300
802 1873, 2c straw 100 ..... 100
803 1873, 3c straw ..... 40 ..... 25
804 1873, 6c straw ..... 75 ..... 75
805 1873, 10c straw ..... 500 ..... 500
806 1873, 12c straw 800 ..... 700
807 1873, 15e straw ..... 300 ..... 300
808 1873, 24c straw ..... 350 ..... 350
809 1873, 30c straw 400 ..... 400
Executive.
810 1873, 1c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
811 1873, 2c carmine ..... 850 ..... 850
812 1873, 3c carmine ..... 650 ..... 650
813 1873, 6c carmine ..... 1500 ..... 1500
814 1873, 10c carmine ..... 1150 ..... 1150
Interior.
815 1873, 1c vermilion ..... 20 ..... 15
816 1873, 2c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 03
817 1873, 3c vermilion ..... 05 ..... 02
818 1873, 6c vermilion ..... 10 ..... 05
819 1873. 10c vermilion ..... 40 ..... 30
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
$8201873,12 \mathrm{c}$ vermiliou ..... 40
821 1873, 15c vermilion ..... 4030
822 1873, 24c vermilion ..... 60 ..... 30 ..... 50
75
823 1873, 30c vermilion ..... 75
175
824 1873, 90c vermilion ..... 175
Justice.
825 1873, 1c purple ..... 150 ..... 150
826 1873, 2c purple ..... 200 ..... 200
827 1873, 3c purple ..... 75
828 1873, 6c purple ..... 100829 1873, 10c purple20060100
830 1873, 12c purple ..... 200 ..... 200200
831 1873. 15c purple ..... 500
832 1873, 24c purple ..... 1500 ..... 1500500
833 1873, 30c purple ..... 2000 ..... 2000
834 1873, 90c purple ..... 4500 ..... 4500
Navy.
8351873 , 1c blue ..... 75 ..... 75
836 1873, 2c blue ..... 65 ..... 65
$836 a$ 1873, 2c green (error)
837 1873, 3c blue ..... 40
15
838 1873, 6c blue ..... 50 ..... 40
839 1873, 7c blue ..... 1000 ..... 1000
840 1873, 10c blue ..... 150 ..... 150
841 1873, 12c blue 150 ..... 150
842 1873, 15 c blue ..... 250 ..... 250
843 1873, 24c blue ..... 400 ..... 400
844 1873, 30c blue ..... 400 ..... 300
845 1873, 90c blue 1200 ..... 750
Post Office.Figure of Value in Oval.
846 1873, 1c black ..... 25 ..... 25
847 1873, 2c black ..... 25 ..... 25
848 1873, 3c blact ..... 05 ..... 01
849 1873, 6c black ..... 30 ..... 10
850 1873, 10c black ..... 150 ..... 150
No. Date. Value. Color. New. ..... Used.
851 1873, 12c black ..... 75 ..... 40
852 1873, 15c black ..... 75 ..... 50
853 1873, 24c black ..... I 00 ..... 100
854 1873, 30c black ..... 65 ..... 60
855 1873, 90c black ..... 150 ..... 150
Post Office Seal Stamps.
856 1872, Registered, green ..... 25 ..... 20
857 1877, Officially sealed, brown (P. Obitum) ..... 400 ..... 500
858 1879, Officially sealed, brown ..... 10 ..... 10
Lithographed.
858a 1888, Officially sealed, brown ..... 05 ..... 05
Wood Engraving.
8586 1888, Officially sealed, browt1 ..... 300 ..... 300
Rouletled.
858d 1889, Officially sealed, black on white ..... 10
858e 1891, Officially sealed, brown, lithograph'cl ..... 75
State.
859 1873, 1c green ..... 250 ..... 250
860 1873, 2c greeu ..... 500 ..... 450
861 1873, 3c green ..... 75 ..... 65
862 1873, 6c green ..... 75 ..... 65
863 1873, 7c green ..... 300
864 1873, 10c green ..... 300
200
866 1873, 15c green ..... 400
865 1873, 12c green ..... 400 ..... 350
800
867 1873, 24c green
650
868 1873, 30c green
350
1350
869 1873, 90c green650
2000
870 1873, 2 d black aud green650
12500
871 1873, 5d black aud greeu ..... 12500
6000
872 1873, 10d black and green ..... 6000
5000 873 1873, 20d black and green5000
Treasury.
874 1873, 1c brown ..... 35 ..... 15
875 1873, 2c brown. ..... 25 ..... 12
No. Date. Value. Color. New. Used.
876 1873, 3c brown. ..... 08
877 1873, 6c brown ..... 20
878 1873, 7c brown ..... 200
879 1873, 10c brown. ..... 40
880 1873, 12c brown ..... 40
881 1873, 15c browu ..... 40
882 1873, 24c brown ..... 750
883 1873, 30c brown ..... 75
884 1873, 90c brown ..... 20003
08
125201525
45030
90
War.
885 1873, 1c red ..... 05 ..... 04
886 1873, 2c red ..... 08
887 1873, 3c red ..... 03
888 1873, 6c red ..... 06
889 1873, 7c red ..... 250
890 1873, 10c red ..... 30
891 1873, 12c red ..... 30
892 1873, 15c red ..... 30
893 1873, 24c red ..... 75
894 1873, 30c red ..... 50
08
0204
225
252525
6040
895 1873, 90c red ..... 150
Standard Stamp Company:
Gentlemen-Your sheets are by far the best I have ever received from any dealer. Yours truly, HENRY H. MILLER.
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Yours truly.
a. w. Dejarnatt.

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REID I. CAKR.

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42 Front Street, W. Toronto, Canada. Your agent.
H. C. BEDLINGTON.

## CONFEDERATE STATES.

## GENERAL ISSUE.



A1.


A2.


A3.

No. Date. Type. Value, Color.
71 1861, A1, 5c green.
72 1861, A1. 5c dark green.
路

New

Used.

73 1861, A2, 10c blue.
125


A4.


A5.


A8.

74 1862, A3, 2c green
75 1862, A1, 5c blue.
76 1862, A1, 5c dark blue. $\$ 250$

40
$\$ 250$

77 1862, A2, 10c rose 40

78 1862, A4, 5c blue. 600 10 15
79 1862, A4, 5c pale blue 25
80 1862, A4, 5c blue, lithographed
81 1862, A4, 5c blue, perforated
82 1863, A5, 2c rose. ................................. 35 . 200
83 1863, 10c blue (TRN) ............................ . . 500 500
84 1863, 10c blue, larger stamp than type A8, $10 \quad 10$
85 1863, A8, 10c dark blue........................... 02 05
86 1863, A8, 10c light blue............................. 05 08
No. Date Type. Value Color. New. ..... Uned.
87 1863, A8, 10c greenish blue ..... $\$ 010$
$\$ 10$
88 1863, A8, 10c blue (with outer line) ..... 1000 ..... 500
89 1863, A8, 10c blue, perforated ..... 75 ..... 500

A9.
90 1863, A9, 20c green ..... $\$ 015 \$ 200$
90A 1863 ${ }^{\text {A }}$ A9, 20c green, perforated, fine specimen on original letter ..... 2000
91 1864, Ic orange (Calhoun) ..... 50

Standard Stamj Company:
Gentlemen-Your sheets are very neat and pleasing. and the most estounding bargains I have ever seen in stamps. Yours, for business, Hightstown, N. J.
k. W, DUDLEY.

Standard stamp Company:
Gentlemen-I sell more from your sheets than from those of anybody else Yours, very truly.
Faitbeult, Mian.
H. A. SCANDRETT.

Soutr Katikanna. Wis., Aptil 25, 1892.
Stakdard stamp Company:
Gents-Your packet received, and I find them to be the best I ever received from any other firtu. Yours respectiully. JOHN D. SMITH.

Standard Stamp Company: Cincinnati. O., April 23, 188ii
Gents-Your packets received. I must say that they were a delightful Aarprise to me. Enclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Standard packets Nos. 6 and 16. Althongh my collection is quite large, I find a great number in your packets I did not have. If this, my testimony. is of any use to you, you may use it. I ant.

Very truly yours,
In care of Times-Star, Cincinnati, O.
BEN MULFORD, JR.
Hastings, Neid. Oct. 1, 1893.
Gentlemen-Please send me some of your trial approval sheets, I have heen buying stamps fron your sheets and think they are the best and cbeap. est stamps I ever bought, so thought I would try and sell some, seeing that they are in such demand.

Yours respectiuliy,
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500 all different stamps, a nice lot.
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600 finely mixed South and Central American and Mexican stamps, a good lot.
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300 all different stamps.
250 finely mixed United States Stamps, incluđing Department, etc.
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| 1887 | about | 8,500 |  |
| 1888 | about | 10,000 |  |
| 1889 | about | 15,000 |  |
| 1890 | about | 30,000 |  |
| 1891 | about | 50,000 |  |
| 1892 | about | 90,000 |  |
| 1893 | about | 150,000 |  |
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| 125 | +Congo, 188 | 886, 5, 10, 25, 50 c |  | , |  |  |  |  | 4 | 75 |
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| 127 | 4 " 189 | (84, 5, 10, 25, 50c, 1 fr |  | - |  |  |  |  | 5 | 1.50 |
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| 134 | +Costa Rica | a, 1803, 14, 2, 4r, ip |  |  | . |  | . |  | 4 | 1.75 |
| 135 | + ${ }^{\text {+ }}$ | $1 \mathrm{PQO}, 1,2,5,10,40,50 \mathrm{c}, 1 \mathrm{p}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 25 |
| 136 |  | 1800. 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50c, 1p |  |  |  |  |  |  | i | 25 |
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| 1.38 |  | 1880. Ic to 2 presos | * |  | . |  |  |  | 8 | 45 |
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| 140 | * | 1803-92 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 | 40 |
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| 142 | 4 * | "1 1889, je to 50c |  |  | . |  |  |  | 6 | 40 |
| 143 | +Guanacast | te, 1889, ]c to 20. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 25 |
| 144 |  | 1889, ] c to 20c |  |  | - |  |  |  | 5 | 25 |
| 145 |  | 1889, 1c to 50c |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 50 |
| 146 | $\dagger$ " | 1889, 1c 102 pesos | . |  | . |  | . |  | 8 | 1.40 |
| 147 | +Cuba, 1897 | 7-64 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 30 |
| 148 | -1855 | 5-64 |  |  | - |  | , |  | 9 | 85 |
| 149 | $\dagger$ "1868 | 6, 14r, 5, 10, 20, 40c, complete |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 1.50 |
| 150 | + "1871. | 1. 12. 25, 50k, I p, complete |  |  | . |  | - |  | 4 | 60 |
| 154 | + "1874 | 4, 14\%, 25, 50c, 1 p, complete |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4 | 00 |
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| 158 | 4 * 1877 | 7, 1216, 25, 50c, 1p |  | , |  |  |  |  | 4 | 40 |
| 150 | $\dagger$ "1898 | g, 5, 1236, 25, 80c, 1p |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | \$5 |
| 160 | + "4 1879 | 9, 5, 124, 25, 5cc, 1p |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 60 |
| 181 | + "1880 | 0, 5, 10, 1216, 25, 40, 1 p , comp | plete |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 00 |
| 182 | + " 1881 | 1, 1,21/2, 5, 10, 80c |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 25 |
| 163 |  | 1, 1, 2, 21/2, $5,10,20 \mathrm{c}$ complet |  |  | - |  | . |  | 5 | 1.00 |
| 164 | H. 1876 | 6.81 |  | - |  |  |  |  | 16 | 40 |
| 385 | $t$ " 1882 | 2, 1, 2, 2\%, $5,10,20 c_{1}$ complet |  |  | - |  | - |  | 6 | 40 |
| 168 | t "1883 | 3 surcharged, $5,1 \mathrm{l}_{1} 20 \mathrm{c}$ |  | * |  |  |  |  | 14 | 1.75 |
| 168 | " 1888 | 294 . | * |  | * |  | , |  | 86 | 60 |
| 168 | $t$ "1888, | , 16 m to 8 m |  | - |  |  |  |  | 6 | 15 |
| 189 | $4 \cdots 1890$ | 0, 16 mm to 8 m | - |  | * |  | - |  | 6 | 12 |
| 170 | $t$ - 1802 | 4, 46 m to 8 m |  | . |  | * |  |  | 8 | 10 |
| 171 | + ". 1894 | 4, 16m to 8 m |  |  | - |  |  |  | 0 | 8 |
| 172 | tCuracao, ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 1880, 1, 2, 236, 8, 5c |  | - |  |  |  |  | 5 | 15 |
| 373 | Danish We | est Indies | - |  | - |  | - |  | 5 | 20 |
| 174 | Denmark, | 1853-85, including nficials |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20 | 20 |
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    THOS. A. MCI AIN \& CO.

[^29]:    Standard Stamp Company:
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[^30]:    Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894.
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    72 Rowe street.
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    Gentlemen-I received your approval sheets; they were very fine.
    1430 W . Tanvale street.
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    Geuts-Your packets received. I must gay that they were a delightfit surprise to me. Fuclosed please find $\$ 1.25$ for Staudard I'ackets No. 6 and 16. Although my collection is quite large, I found a great number in your packets 1 did not have. If this, iny testimouy, is of any lise to you, you may use it. Iam.

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[^86]:    Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 1, 1894. Gentlemen-Recelved the lutertational packet a few days ago and was very much pleased with it. I have tried many stamp companies but I like gone as well as yours.

    25 ri. Cottage street.
    Yours truly.
    CHFSTER F, GREDNWOOI
    Conway, N. H., Feb. 7. 1894.
    Cientlemen-Stamps received all right Tuesday. I am more than pleased with them.

    Lock Box $\%$.
    Yours truly.
    AKTIILK G. IORD.

    Rochester, N. Y., March 29, 1893.
    Gentlemen-Your macket No. 20 received to-day and I must sny that I was surprised to see the valnable stamps that 1 received.

    72 Kowe street.
    Yours truly,
    I\%. IHHEL, Y.

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[^93]:    Standard Stamp Company : Chicago, Ill., Feb. 26. 1892 Dear Sirs-We received our stamps in good order and must say that they are very satisfactory. Yours truly
    78 Seminary avenue.
    THOS. A. MCLAIN \& CO.

[^94]:    Standard Stamp Company :
    EwiNG, NEB.
    Gentlemen-Stamps received all right last night. I am morethansatisfied will then and shall lose no opportinity to speak a good wotd for you at any time Yours truly, GARRIE CORTELYON.

    Standand Stamp Company :
    NORRISTOWN, PA.
    Gentlemen-The International Facket, No. 21, 1,000 all different stanus for $\$ 10.00$, which I purchased of you, was the finest I have ever seen, mucli kxekiLING MY GREATEST EXPECTATION! I am also with obliged for the valuable PRIze stamps you sent me!/ Yours truly,

    CHAS. A. FARNUM.

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