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I.

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The mania for amassing vast numbers of used stamps dates from a much earlier period than anything of the nature of Philately proper. As far back as 1842 we find the following references in the *Times* of the dates mentioned.

"FOLLY.—LYMINGTON.—We wish to call the attention of our fair readers to a case in which one of themselves is materially interested. A lady who has been receiving the addresses of a gentleman, with the sanction of her uncle, with whom she resides, has been promised by the latter the sum of 3,000*l.* on her marriage, provided she can produce postage labels, which have been used on letters, to that amount. The number required (720,000) is far too great to raise amongst her own acquaintance; but we think the ladies of England will, on the case being known to them, exert themselves in collecting these otherwise useless scraps; any number of which sent, directed to P.S., at the post-office, Milford, near Lymington, will be thankfully received, and duly forwarded.—*Salisbury Paper.*" [*Times*, October 1st, 1842.]

"CURIOUS CONTRACT.—The paragraph in our last paper under the above title has brought us a number of enquiries as to the channel through which the postage stamps might be conveyed to the collector. Amongst the number of tenders is one from the Baptist Missionary-house in London, which does great credit to the liberal and Christian feeling of the writer. We are happy to inform the parties, however, that they may be spared any further trouble, for, incredible as it may appear, not only has the 2,000*l.* been obtained for a church in the West of England by the collection of the amount in stamps, but a further sum of 4,000*l.* for a like object has been obtained by the performance of the same whimsical stipulation. Both the collections were made by ladies of rank. The donors have certainly done their best to take off the grace of the donations

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by exacting so ridiculous a condition.—*Bury Post*, October 5." [*Times*, October 6th, 1842.]

[ADVERTISEMENT]—"A young lady being desirous of covering her dressing-room with cancelled postage stamps, has been so far encouraged in her wish by private friends as to have succeeded in collecting 16,000. These, however, being insufficient, she will be greatly obliged if any good-natured person who may have these (otherwise useless) little articles at their disposal, would assist her in her whimsical project. Address to E. D., Mr. Butt's, Glover, Leadenhall Street; or Mr. Marshall's, Jeweller, Hackney." [*Times*, October 29, 1842.]

"POSTAGE STAMPS. To the Editor of *The Times*. Sir,—I have lately seen several absurd advertisements in the newspapers respecting postage stamps—one stating that some eccentric (?) old uncle had promised to give his niece 3,000*l.* as a marriage portion, if she could obtain the same amount in used postage stamps; another benevolent (?) individual offers to give 3,000*l.* to build a church on the same conditions; and in your paper of to-day an amiable (?) young lady states in an advertisement, that she has taken a fancy to paper her bedroom with used penny-post stamps, and each of these people solicits the aid of the public in furnishing them with these now-of-no-use trifles.

"Now, I fancy I 'smell a rat' in all these novel applications for postage stamps, and this it is. Some time ago it was stated that a chymist had discovered the means of erasing the black ink stamp which the Post-office marks on the stamps of the letters to cancel them, and this he could do without injuring the stamps, so that they could be used a second time without being discovered by the Post-office clerks. Now, I think these newspaper advertisements have a relation to some scheme of the sort; and I have a shrewd guess that the eccentric uncle, the benevolent old gentleman, and the amiable young lady are all one and the same individual, who, having discovered the means of erasing the cancel marks of the Post-office (which I believe was quite practicable), is trying to make a profitable 'spec' by his ingenuity.

"AQUA FORTIS.

"Liverpool, Oct. 29."

[*Times*, November 2nd, 1842]

COLLECTORS IN THE FIFTIES

In 1842 also, *Punch* had a skit on the same subject :—

"A new mania has bitten the industriously idle ladies of England. To enable a large wager to be gained, they have been indefatigable in their endeavours to collect old penny stamps; in fact, they betray more anxiety to treasure up Queen's heads than Harry the Eighth did to get rid of them. Colonel Sibthorpe, whose matchless genius we have so often admired, sends us the following poem upon the prevailing epidemic :—

" 'When was a folly so pestilent hit upon
As folks running mad to collect every spit-upon
Post-office stamp, that's been soiled and been writ upon?
Oh, for Swift! such a subject his spleen to emit upon.
'Tis said that some fool in mustachios has split upon
The rock of a bet,
And therefore must get,
To avoid loss and debt,
Half the town as collectors, to waste time and wit upon,
Bothering and forcing their friends to submit, upon
Pain of displeasure,
To fill a peck measure
With the coveted treasure
Of as many old stamps as perforce can be lit upon,
To paper a room, or stuff cushions to sit upon.
Do, dearest Punch, let fly a sharp skit upon
This new pursuit, and an ass's head fit upon
The crest of the order of Knights of the Spit-upon.' "

[*Punch*, Vol. II. p. 76; see also Vol. III. pp. 166, 201.]

But these early references to the accumulation of stamps still leave us with the question of the date when stamp collecting in the true sense (*i.e.* the collecting of different varieties of stamps) began. In our opinion such a question must always remain unanswered. We have no doubt whatever that early in the 'fifties' there were here and there persons forming small collections of stamps, but individual claims to this effect have never, as far as we are aware, been established by documentary evidence, nor can it be said that, even if established, such claims would be of much importance. We therefore propose to address ourselves to the question of the date at which stamp collecting as an organized pursuit took its rise in Britain.

We have already partly cleared the ground by

removing various references of early date to so-called "stamp-collecting," but a few others remain to be examined.

A former writer on the subject claimed to have unearthed a reference to collecting in the *Family Herald* for March 22, 1851, but an examination of that paper discloses an advertisement—

"Postage Stamps.—To collectors of the Used Postage Stamps. The Advertiser will give (in exchange) four of the Penny Red Stamps for one Oval off the Stamped Envelopes. Any person that would collect a few would be kindly thanked by T.H.S., Smith's Library, 20, Brewer Street, Golden Square. N.B.—The Ceiling of the Library is decorated with 80,000 Postage Stamps, in various Devices, and admitted to be the most novel Ceiling in England."

—in which the advertiser obviously aims not at a collection in the philatelic sense, but a mere accumulation of used duplicates.

In the late Mr. J. K. Tiffany's "Philatelic Library" (St. Louis, privately printed, 1874), p. 94, is the entry "Part III. Articles on Stamp Collecting. *1. *Annuaire scientifique*, 1855. Stamp Collecting." The prefixed asterisk shows that Mr. Tiffany had not seen the article in question, and he appears to have been misled by an article in the *Collectionneur de Timbres-Poste* for October, 1865, p. 125. The original source of the article in question has been fully explained in a note in the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* (Vol. I., p. 37), where it is shown that the subject treated of is the manufacture and not the collection of stamps.

In *Notes and Queries* of 1857 there are some references to "Collecting Postage Stamps," but, as Mr. Anderson's article on that periodical (*Journal of the Phil. Lit. Soc.* Vol. III., p. 26) has shown, they have no philatelic significance.

A writer in the *Philatelic Journal of America* of 1885 (Vol. I, p. 4) states with regard to the Ham-

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burg Locals, that they "were first advertised for sale . . . after their use (if they ever had any) had ceased. In 1857 a dealer in England advertised the complete set of twenty-five varieties for one shilling; in 1858 another dealer in the same country advertised fifty varieties for the same price." In spite of the wealth of detail which adorns the writer's statement, its untruth is at once proved by the simple fact that the first Hamburg Locals did not appear until July, 1861.

We may here refer to another and much earlier claim as to the existence of stamp dealers in 1857. In Beeton's *Boy's Own Magazine* for February 1863, there appeared the following advertisement:—

"W. G. Diamond, 13 Westbourne Grove, Bayswater, dealer in foreign postage stamps since 1857, has the largest stock in London. Scarce foreign and colonial stamps bought, sold, and exchanged. Send stamped envelope for list."

William Gibbons Diamond was a tobacconist at the above address, or to be quite accurate, 13a Westbourne Grove. We have no evidence in support of Mr. Diamond's claim, nor does the fact that the name of William Diamond is not to be traced in the London Directory further back than 1859 make us more inclined to entertain it.

An entry in the General Index to the *Leisure Hour*, 1852-76; viz., "Postage Stamps and Stamp Albums, 1859, p. 489," seemed to promise well for an early notice of collecting, but the page itself reveals simply an article, "Something About Postage Stamps"—the "something" being the usual rather dry details as to the manufacture of stamps; the number used annually; and the varied purposes to which they may incidentally

* This article was reprinted under the heading "A Chapter on the Penny Postage Stamp," in the opening number of the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine*.

be put. No allusion is made to any such thing as a stamp album, and the only kind of collecting spoken of is the accumulation of immense quantities of defaced stamps.

"The whims of a certain class of people," says the writer, "who like to exercise their industry on trifles, have decreed that vast numbers of stamps shall be rescued from the ordinary fate that awaits them, and be appropriated to a useful, if it may be so called, or a quasi-ornamental purpose. As there are collectors of almost everything old under the sun—from old pots and pans, old metals, old stores, and old anything—so also are there collectors of old postage stamps. This odd sort of antiquaries beg old stamps wherever they go, and amass them by hundreds of thousands, for some cherished purpose of their own, on the accomplishment of which they have set their hearts. Now it is to line a work-box or a trunk, or the interior of a closet or a cabinet; and sometimes their ambition takes a still higher flight than this, and their grand design is to paper a room with the defaced Queen's heads. This has indeed been done by persevering people, and that in more instances than most persons are aware of; and is, we have reason to believe, continually in process of completion in various parts of the country. It is said that a room thus papered, when the affair is managed with skill, and the walls cleverly varnished afterwards, has a very agreeable aspect—the walls appearing to retire considerably from their actual position, and thus giving the effect of larger space in the apartment. This result is due partly to the minuteness of the pattern, and partly to the complete blending of the red, black, and white hues, and to the fact that they have lost their positive colour by the unavoidable wear-and-tear of their previous career. So the stamp on the letter of our unknown Northumbrian may chance to get into the hands of a collector, and continue its existence as a permanent fixture, after its day of locomotion is gone. In this case there is no knowing how long it may continue to show a face to the world: the entire living generation may pass away, and leave it still fixed to the wall, an infinitesimal fraction of a monument of industry and pertinacity which might, perhaps, have been much better applied."

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In the Introduction to "The Stamp Collectors Guide" (1862) Mr. Booty wrote that "two or three years ago . . . collectors were to be numbered by units (they are now numbered by hundreds)" and in the Introduction to his "Aids to Stamp Collectors" of the same year he used similar words—"The title of this little work would scarcely have been understood two or three years ago, at that time the fashion of collecting stamps being confined to a very few." So, too, in the Introduction to "Forged Stamps" (1863) we find Messrs. Lewes and Pemberton writing as follows:—

" . . . six or seven years ago, collectors were very few and far between, and on enquiring further back, the pursuit seems to have been confined to three or four gentlemen (certainly very few more); but about five years since, when the number of stamps had increased so much as to attract some little attention, the number of collectors began to increase; still they could only be counted by units, and it was not till three years after [*i.e.* about 1861], that stamp-collecting became anything like the general practice it now is."

We are fully convinced that this contemporary evidence is to be relied upon and that stamp collecting had not made its appearance as an organized pursuit even as late as 1859-60.

The earliest reference to the subject that we have been able to trace in print occurs in *Notes and Queries* for the latter year (23rd June, 1860, Series II., Vol. IX, p. 482), which contains a note to the following effect:—

"POSTAGE STAMPS. A boy in my form one day showed me a collection of from 300 to 400 different postage stamps, English and foreign, and at the same time stated that Sir Rowland Hill told him that at that time there might be about 500 varieties on the whole. This seems a cheap, instructive and portable museum for young people to arrange; and yet I have seen no notices of catalogues or specimens for sale, such as there are of coins, eggs, prints, plants, &c., and no

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articles in periodicals. A cheap fac-simile catalogue, with nothing but names of respective states, periods of use, value, &c., would meet with attention. If there be a London shop where stamps or lists of them could be procured, its address would be acceptable to me and to a score young friends.

"S. F. CRESSWELL.

"The School, Tonbridge."

Mr. Cresswell seems to have met with no response, and the next reference is found a few months later in *Young England* (October 1860), where the following letter appears—

"POSTAGE STAMPS. Sir, — Seeing in the Number for March 15th, that a correspondent proposed to make your paper a medium for the changing of duplicate specimens of different collections, I think it would be no inappropriate place to mention, that if any of the readers of this journal happen to be making a collection of the postage stamps of different countries, I should be very happy to exchange some duplicates with them. As some inconvenience might arise from anyone not knowing what another might want, I should be willing to send to anyone who wished to make an exchange a catalogue of the stamps in my collection, so that he might know which I do *not* want.

"A.D.

"Belsize, Hampstead, N.W."

In June 1861 there appeared in the *Companion for Youth* the following note under the heading of Answers to Correspondents—

"*Old Foreign Postage Stamps*—(W. T. and J.F.C.). We cannot refer you to any one who has them to dispose of; but, perhaps, some of our correspondents can."

These collectors must have written at the same time to another boys' journal—Beeton's *Boy's Own Magazine*—in which we find the following references to stamp collecting—

"W.T. and J.F.C. should advertise in, say, for cheapness, the *Daily Telegraph*, for old foreign postage stamps. You cannot get them gratuitously. We

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know several collectors who have to pay for them."—June, 1861.

"C. J. Armstrong, Bexley, Kent, will be glad to exchange foreign postage stamps. And S. G. L., Arbourfield, Streatham Hill, Surrey, has also a collection. The latter will exchange, but will accept no remittance beyond postage for his answers to inquiries."—August, 1861.

"E. Pemberton, Warstone House, near Birmingham, would be glad to effect exchanges with stamp collectors per post."—September, 1861.

This is interesting as being the first appearance of the name of Mr. Edward L. Pemberton (born 1844, died 1878), the well-known writer on philately. An 'In Memoriam' notice and portrait were given in the *Philatelic Record* for February, 1879, and an illustrated article on his publications, by Mr. F. J. Peplow, recently appeared in the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* (Vol. III., p. 15).

"Extra Prize for January.—We have received scores of applications from subscribers to open up a correspondence on the subject of Foreign Postage Stamps, giving the names and addresses of those who are desirous of exchanging or purchasing such stamps. As far as we could, we have done so; but finding it impossible to meet the requirements of all our applicants in this respect, we now offer one of our usual prizes to him who will, on or before the 5th of December next, send us the completest collection of Foreign Postage Stamps, such collection to be engraved and published in the *Boy's Own Magazine*. The collection must be accompanied by an introduction."—November, 1861.

"H. Barber, 44, Douglas Street, Deptford, S.E., wishes to announce that he has above 400 foreign postage stamps, many of them duplicates."—November, 1861.

This seems to be the first trade advertisement, as after this H. Barber advertises every month, sometimes mentioning special stamps.

"Foreign Postage Stamps: Extra Prize for January.—There is not a shade of doubt, all things con-

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sidered, that the winner of this prize is entitled to it, still there are several other very good collections. The best collection possesses the following characteristics: a tersely written introduction, admirable arrangement, great variety, and remarkable neatness in mounting. On the first opportunity we will publish in the *Boy's Own Magazine* a selection from these foreign stamps. Many of our stamp-collecting subscribers will be pleased to possess the following list of those with whom they may correspond with reference to their common pursuit: H. F. Winter, The College, Chester (Prize)," etc.—January, 1862.

A list of twelve subscribers follows, several of the addresses being schools. The promised selection of stamps was not published in this volume, which is the last of the first series.

"Foreign Stamp Collectors are informed that an advertisement announcing their desire to exchange or sell foreign stamps can be inserted in the *Boy's Own Magazine* for 1s. 6d."—January, 1862.

In March there are five advertisements for exchange or purchase, and the number increases monthly; by December, 1862, there are two pages of advertisements, double columns. In September and the following months there are advertisements of *new* and *unused* foreign stamps, italicised as if these were considered specially valuable. Among the earliest dealers advertising were Mount Brown and J. J. Woods. After them came, in August 1862, Henry R. Victor, of Belfast, and then, in September 1862, came H. Stafford Smith, of Bath, founder of the firm of Stafford Smith & Smith (afterwards Alfred Smith & Co.). He was followed by Edward L. Pemberton—as a dealer—in October, and by "Wm. Lincoln, jr., at W. S. Lincoln & Sons" in December 1862.

Returning to the year 1861, we find that in the *Museum* (Edinburgh: James Gordon) for July there appeared an article on "Education through the Senses," by the author of "Rab and his Friends."

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Dr. Brown urges the propriety of interesting children in occupations requiring the use of their own hands and eyes, and remarks incidentally:—

“Even the immense activity in the Post-office-stamp line of business among our youngsters has been of immense use in many ways, besides being a diversion and an interest. I myself came to the knowledge of Queensland, and a good deal more, through its blue twopenny.”

It may not be inappropriate to point out that the publication in 1911 of the Catalogue of Lord Crawford's Philatelic Library was a happy commemoration of the jubilee of philatelic literature, for it was the year 1861 that witnessed the appearance at Strasburg of the first and second editions of Berger-Levrault's privately-printed list of postage stamps, and at Paris of the first edition of Alfred Potiquet's “Catalogue des Timbres-Poste créés dans les divers États du Globe.” It was unproductive as far as Britain is concerned, but in the following year English philatelic literature made a good start. This literature of 1862 we will now proceed to examine, taking the periodicals and catalogues in the order given, but reserving the minor price-lists for separate treatment with those of later date.

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ENGLISH PHILATELIC LITERATURE OF 1862.

In the June number of *Young England* (London : Tweedie), p. 91, Dr. John Edward Gray, of the British Museum, began a series of articles entitled “The Postage Stamps of the World.”

“The collecting of postage stamps,” wrote Dr. Gray, “having lately become a fashion, especially among the young persons at schools, it certainly will be interesting to the readers of *Young England* to have as complete a list of them as I have been able to form. . .

I may state that I began to collect them shortly after the system was established, and many years before it had become the fashion, simply because I believe that I was the first that proposed the system of a small uniform rate of postage, to be prepaid by stamps, having satisfied myself that the great cost of the Post-office was not the reception, carriage, and delivery of the letters, but the complicated system of accounts that the old system required, and that the collection of money by stamps was the most certain and most economical. But I found there was little chance of getting any attention to the plan without I could devote the whole of my time and energy to the development and the agitation of it. Fortunately Mr. (now Sir) Rowland Hill, who had leisure at his command, undertook the question, and with the assistance of Mr. G. Moffatt, Mr. Henry Cole, and sundry merchants and Members of Parliament, whom they induced to interest themselves in the question, they carried the measure after great exertion."

The claim of priority of suggestion set forth by Dr. Gray was not allowed to pass unchallenged. An interesting correspondence on the subject, embracing letters from Sir Rowland Hill and Mr. Charles Knight, will be found in the *Athenæum* for 13th, 20th, 27th December, 1862, and 3rd and 10th January, 1863.

The first part of "The Postage Stamps of the World" dealt with the issues of Great Britain and her Colonies. Further instalments appeared in *Young England* for July, August, and September 1862 (European Governments), and October (American Governments). The substance of these articles was reprinted in book-form as "A Hand Catalogue of Postage Stamps for the Use of Collectors"—London: Hardwicke, 1862. A second edition appeared in the following year. Four subsequent editions, published by Stafford Smith & Smith [Alfred Smith & Co.] of Bath, and having the title altered to "The Illustrated Catalogue of Postage Stamps," are well-known. They are dated 1865, 1866, 1870, 1875, and the last

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two were revised by Overy Taylor. The 1875 edition was, however, in reality an entirely re-written work, in which every trace of the original edition had disappeared and only the name of the author remained. For a full description of Gray's Catalogues we refer our readers to a paper entitled "Dr. Gray and his Catalogues" by Mr. F. J. Melville, which recently appeared in the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* (Vol. II, p. 43); this paper was based on an illustrated article by the same writer in the *Stamp Lover** of 1908 (Vol. I. pp. 71, 98).

In *Cassell's Illustrated Family Paper* for 26th July, 1862 (Series II, Vol. X, p. 140), appeared the first of an extended course of articles under the heading "Postage Stamps." The articles, which did not come to an end till 2nd February 1867, were anonymous, and were copiously illustrated. Unlike Dr. Gray, the writer did not seek to give a complete catalogue of known postage stamps, but rather inclined to dwell on the collateral topics suggested by the emissions of each country. The keynote is struck in the opening article :—

"The collection of the stamps is not so vain and puerile as is sometimes represented. It belongs essentially to our times, and deserves to stand beside the labours of the collector of foreign coins, who is proud of his Austrian ducats, Egyptian sequins, Japanese kopangs, Persian rupees, Russian imperials, American eagles. With young people especially the collection of postage stamps should be encouraged, as it naturally leads to the study of geography and the currency of foreign nations. To all who are interested in the progress of civilization, the subject is of importance. It is one of the novelties of the nineteenth century, but a novelty that promises well for the future of mankind. Free communication—these postage stamps its symbol—

* The latter article has coloured illustrations of the covers of the 1st and 2nd editions, together with a portrait of Dr. Gray.

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serves to break up the isolation of the nations ; serves to make us accept the terms of common brotherhood ; and hastens the day when the ploughshare and sickle shall supersede spear and sword. Art is not uninterested in the collection of foreign stamps. They bear the effigy of a sovereign, the arms of a nation, or some allegorical figure. Typography, engraving, lithography are employed in their preparation ; eminent men are engaged in their design and execution. Most of the stamps issued are marked by great excellence of workmanship. Simply, then, as works of art—as representatives of the progress, in our own and foreign countries, of design, engraving and printing—these postage stamps deserve attention. . . . The postage stamp of a nation throws light on the progress and condition of its people—commercially, industrially, and artistically. It is therefore no idle or useless labour to collect these interesting memorials of the world's advancement."

The purely philatelic information conveyed in these articles, when viewed in the light of our present knowledge, is often glaringly misleading ; but their general character was well calculated to stimulate public interest in stamp collecting. We have been unable to discover the name of the writer. He was indebted for some of his details to a similar series of articles which appeared in the *Magasin Pittoresque*, Paris, 1862-66 ("Les Timbres-Poste de tous les États du Globe"), as was a contributor to the *Bazar*, Berlin, 1862-64 ("Briefmarken und Briefmarken-Sammlungen"). In accordance with a promise made by Mr. Anderson in his description of the philatelic works in Aberdeen University Library (*Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. I, p. 62), he has prepared a detailed comparative analysis of the contents of the English, French and German series, which forms an Appendix to the present monograph.

The first English periodical whose *raison d'être* was distinctly the furtherance of stamp collecting, though it was not devoted exclusively to stamps,

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was the *Monthly Intelligencer*,* published at Birmingham, by William Macmillan, Elvetham Road, the first number being dated September, 1862. The opening paragraph, "To our Readers," states that "the *Monthly Intelligencer* is intended to supply a want long felt by the members of young men's societies, naturalists, antiquarians, postage stamp collectors, etc." A "History of the Postage Stamp" follows, extracted from a "London Paper." From this article, whose origin we have not been able to trace, we learn that "postage stamp collectors are so numerous a class as to possess a manual and special correspondents, while the prices of collections at sales [*sic*] are regularly quoted."

Among the advertisers of Price Lists in No. 1, we have the familiar name of Stafford Smith; also those of Edward Fletcher and G. W. Wilkinson, of London, and William Thirkell, of Hartlepool. In No. 2 (November) the second edition of H. R. Victor's catalogue is mentioned, and at least a dozen others.

The *Intelligencer* ran to ten numbers, the last appearing in July, 1863. Therein we find the remark, "Our friends will be glad to learn that, in order to give the *Monthly Intelligencer* a circulation second to no other periodical of the kind, we have determined for the future to distribute it gratuitously." This project, however, seems to have fallen through. In September the place of the *Intelligencer* was taken by a halfpenny sheet of four pages, the *Birmingham Societies Circular*, containing no philatelic matter.

Two months later in date than the *Monthly Intelligencer* was the *Monthly Advertiser*, the true literary progenitor of the philatelic press of to-day. The *Advertiser* was originally projected by an

* Illustrated in *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society*, 1908 (Vol. I, No. 3).

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amateur, Mr. T. W. Kitt, and its origin will be best described in his own words, as follows :—

“ Towards the middle of the year 1862, when philately was becoming very popular, appearances led me to conclude that a periodical entirely devoted to that subject would prove a great boon to collectors, and also a lucrative investment to its proprietors. Accordingly, in the summer of the year named, I inserted an advertisement in the *Boy's Own Magazine*, requesting any gentlemen who were of a similar opinion to join me in the undertaking. This advertisement was productive of innumerable replies, requesting further information, but not so many as half-a-dozen of them spoke favourably of my scheme. In order to “leave not a stone unturned” for the attainment of the end in view, I had personal interviews with many of the leading English collectors residing in or near London, and in consequence of its being “Exhibition year,” I was also enabled to meet several from the country, but “public opinion” seemed so much against me, that I reluctantly abandoned the enterprise, thinking it folly to undertake what my superiors in the knowledge of philately though so unpromising. My voluminous correspondence on the subject, and earnest endeavours to bring about the consummation of my wishes were, however, rewarded with success; for Mr. A. Perris, of Liverpool, (one of the few gentlemen who thought favourably of my plans), entered warmly into the matter, but from reasons above stated, I declined rendering him any pecuniary assistance, though I placed my pen at his service, of which he availed himself. However, *finis coronat opus*—on December 15th, 1862, the harbinger of a new style of literature made its appearance, in the shape of the *Monthly Advertiser*, afterwards known as the *Stamp Collectors' Review*. This publication, after having proved of great service to philatelists, and as an investment tolerably successful, died out in 1864, the last number having been issued on June 15th of that year.”*

The first number was published at Liverpool, by Edward Moore & Co., price 1d., and was headed *The Monthly Advertiser* (see plate I).

* *Philatelist*, January 1st, 1867 (Vol. 1, p. 31).

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The second issue was headed *The Stamp Collectors' Monthly Advertiser*; and in No. 3 the title was finally amplified into *The Stamp-Collectors' Review and Monthly Advertiser*, the size increased by four additional pages, and the price raised to 2d. In June, 1864, the *Review* came to an untimely end, "through the folly of the proprietors," writes Mr. Pemberton in the *Philatetical Journal* of 1872 (Vol. I, p. 217), adding "We have the MSS. for the July number by us, as written for publication." A title-page and index for the fragment of a second volume were privately issued in 1879.* We may here refer to Moore & Co's "Proof Sheets of Stamps which have appeared in the *Stamp Collectors' Review*" of which only "No. 1, containing engravings of 9 stamps on superfine paper . . . post free, 1s." appeared, though the advertisement† stated that others were in preparation.

From the outset, the late E. L. Pemberton was the leading spirit of this magazine, and when the second volume began, in January, 1864, he was formally installed as Editor. Among his articles we may note the first sketch of his "Forged Stamps: How to detect them," "Reprints & their effects upon Stamp Collecting," "South American Postage Stamps," "Mauritius (or the Isle of France) and its Stamps," together with much acute general criticism. Mr. T. W. Kitt contributed to the first volume of the *Review* an instructive series of eight articles on Postage Stamp Collecting: Its Use [Postage Stamps from artistic, geographical, historical and numismatic points of view]: Its Abuse [Forgeries considered with reference to obliterations, watermarks and paper]. Other contributors included Dr. Gray,

* Compiled by P. J. Anderson and printed at the University Press, Aberdeen.

† *S.-C. Review*, Vol. 1, p. 64.

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who sent some notes on New Issues and "The number of Postage Stamps in existence," Thornton Lewes (on Forged Stamps), "F.H." (on "Essay Stamps"), and "W.H." who wrote "A Review of our Postal [*i.e.* Philatelic] Literature" and "English Postal Obliterating Marks." We may add that the pages of the *Review* throw much light on questions whose discussion bulked largely in the early days of philately: Dutch Guiana stamps, Prince Albert Essays, Mauritius eight-pennies, Mormon stamps, and so forth.

Dr. Gray's Hand Catalogue has already been mentioned. Though the first attempt to apply a scientific classification to stamps, it was not the earliest English catalogue to appear in book form. In April, 1862, was published "Aids to Stamp Collectors: being a List of English and Foreign Postage Stamps in Circulation since 1840." By a Stamp Collector. Brighton: H. & C. Treacher. Second and third editions of the *Aids* rapidly followed within the same year. The second edition is the first plus "Additions" (6pp.) and "Errata" (2pp.). The words "second edition" do not appear, nor does Booty's name on either the first or second editions, but with the third edition the name of the author, Frederick Booty, Brighton, was given on the wrapper and title-page. In August, 1862, Mr. Booty also brought out a "Stamp Collectors Guide" (same publishers), the earliest illustrated catalogue. The work was produced entirely by lithography, and was the product of Mr. Booty's own hand. For a full account of all his works the reader is referred to an article by one of the present writers in the *Philatelic Record* of 1905 (Vol. XXVII, p. 110)* and also to an article by

* The article in question gives illustrations of the wrapper of the "Aids" (3rd ed.), the title-page and a specimen page of the "Guide," and portraits of Mr. Booty himself. Mr. Melville's article illustrates also the wrapper of the "Aids" (1st ed.).

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Mr. F. J. Melville in the *Stamp Lover* of 1910 (Vol. II, p. 211).

A book which, though not more systematic in arrangement than Booty's, gained a much wider popularity, was the "Catalogue of British, Colonial, and Foreign Postage Stamps."—By Mount Brown. London: Passmore (1st ed., May, 1862; 2nd, June; 3rd, December; 4th, May, 1863; 5th, March, 1864). Mr. Brown originally based his List on the collection of the Rev. F. J. Stainforth, Perpetual Curate of Allhallows Staining, one of our earliest collectors, who died in 1866. The number of varieties described rises from 1,200 in the first edition, to 2,400 in the fifth. Of the latter fifty copies were thrown off on large paper, and form decidedly the handsomest specimens of early English philatelic literature. Addenda by the author to the third edition are to be found in the *Stamp-Collectors' Review* (Vol. I, p. 47) and to the fifth edition in the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine* (Vol. II, pp. 87, 99, 119, 135, 151, 167). Copies of the fifth edition exhibit various differences in the pagination, due chiefly to the fact that the earlier issued copies have a prefatory "Advertisement" of 2 pp. written in the third person, while in copies issued later (including those on large paper), this "Advertisement" is replaced* by a "Preface" of 11 pp. written in the first person.

A biographical notice of Mr. Mount Brown, with a photographic portrait, will be found in the *Philatelic Record* of 1894 (Vol. XVI, p. 273), but for a bibliography of his works the reader should consult an article by Mr. F. J. Melville in the *Stamp Lover*† of 1908 (Vol. I, p. 5). Mr. Melville's

* In some bound copies both "Advertisement" and "Preface" were erroneously inserted together.

† This article illustrates the wrappers of the 1st and 2nd editions, and the cover of the large-paper "author's copies" of the 5th edition; it also gives a later portrait of Mr. Brown.

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article was submitted to the revision of Mr. Brown himself, but we think that, as regards the figures of the total number printed of each edition, the earlier version given in the *Record* must be regarded as more in accordance with probability, while there is certainly an error in the statement that only a few were issued of the interleaved leather-bound copies and that they were "never actually sold."*

A barefaced American piracy of Mount Brown's Catalogue was published in December 1862, at Philadelphia, by A. C. Kline, under the title of "The Stamp Collector's Manual: being a Complete Guide to the Collectors of American and Foreign Postage and Despatch Stamps." This is, we believe, the earliest American philatelic publication. It differs from Brown's work only in an

* The 2nd edition exists with two varieties of wrappers, rose or green paper and yellow paper. The first variety contains the following advertisement:—

This Catalogue may also be had :— s. d.

Strongly bound in cloth 1 6

do. do., and inter-

leaved blank paper 2 0

but the word "cloth" really meant "leather," as is evident from the altered advertisement in the second variety:—

This Catalogue may also be had s. d.

Strongly bound in morocco cloth,

and interleaved blank paper 2 0

We can vouch for the existence of both varieties, namely, the leather-bound, not interleaved, published at 1s. 6d., and the leather-bound, interleaved, published at 2s. The 3rd, 4th and 5th editions were issued both in wrappers at 1s., and leather-bound, interleaved, at 2s. (2s. 6d. in the case of the 5th edition), but no leather-bound copies, not interleaved, of these editions are known to us, nor any interleaved copies of the large-paper 5th edition. If such copies exist they were never sold, but were merely prepared for the author's private use.

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amplification of the list of United States stamps and of those of the Confederate States, the latter being transferred to the letter "S" under the remarkable heading of "So-called Southern Confederacy." Kline's addition of cross-references may have been an improvement on Mount Brown's Catalogue, but not so his arrangement of the titles beginning with "Saint," which Brown had in their proper order.

An equally remarkable proof of the popularity of Brown's work was afforded by the appearance of a "Catalogue of nearly Two Thousand Varieties of British, Colonial, and Foreign Postage Stamps."—By a Collector. Gloucester: 1863.* This was simply an almost *verbatim* reprint of Brown's third edition; and it is noteworthy that the printer rendered himself liable to a penalty by not appending his name. This curiosity of literature was the anonymous publication of a Mr. W. H. Wright; it was suppressed at the instance of Mr. Brown, and is consequently very scarce.

The names of Booty, Brown, and Gray exhaust the list of catalogue-writers of 1862; but another small manual that must be mentioned is "On the Falsification of Postage Stamps: or a General Nomenclature of all the Imitations and Forgeries, as well as of the various Essay Stamps of all Countries."—Translated by E. Doble, from the French of J. B. Moens. Falmouth: 1862 (see Plate II). This may be looked on as the forerunner of Lewes and Pemberton's work published in the following year. The latter writers, in their preface, pronounced M. Moens's work to be worse than useless, since "from the vagueness of the

* This work was reviewed in the *Stamp-Collectors' Review* (Vol. I, p. 60, see also advertisement on p. 64), and the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine* (Vol. I, p. 93). For an illustration of the wrapper see *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* of 1908 (Vol. I, No. 3).

descriptions, both of the forgeries and genuine stamps, many persons testing stamps from them would select the forgery as genuine, and *vice versa*." A review of the English translation in the *Stamp-Collectors' Review*, signed "Nisus," but probably from E. L. Pemberton's pen—remarks: "If the original is worthless, what shall we say of the translation? . . . Mr. Doble's genius soars above the minds of most men, and cannot be confined within the narrow limits of his mother tongue. . . . We consign his book to oblivion, and himself to his English and French dictionaries and grammars."

In *All the Year Round* for July 19th, 1862, appeared a short sketch, "My Nephew's Collection." This will be found reprinted in the *Stamp-Collectors' Review* (Vol. I, p. 31), the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine* (Vol. I, p. 19), and *Once a Month* (new series, Vol. I, pp. 82, 97, 113). In the *Youth's Magazine* for September, 1862, (p. 340, etc.), "B.K.C." wrote an article, "Postage Stamps on 'Change.'" As this does not appear to have been reprinted, the following extract may be of interest to our readers:—

" . . . But "going on 'Change" has lately assumed a new aspect. I can count up a dozen or more young lads whom I know well, all of whom tell me they "go on 'Change" after business hours . . . Birchin Lane, Change Alley, and round about that quarter, these boys congregate, and quote their prices of Russian, Brazilian, Mexican, Chilian, Italian, American, Egyptian stock. . . I very naturally ask my young friend, whom I shall call Rothschild, junior, what he means by "going on 'Change?" and that young gentleman replies, "Postage stamp business, of course" . . . I inquire whether he is engaged in collecting a million for the purpose of getting somebody or other (according to the popular fallacy) into a public school? or whether he proposes papering a room with them, as I remember a friend of mine doing seven years ago? To this young Rothschild shakes his head, and says, "Look here, I am making a collection of all the postage labels (speci-

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mens of each, you know) in use all over the world—hundreds of other people are doing the same. Some of us correspond, buy, beg, or borrow all the labels we can get, and some of us meet in the evening down in the City, and exchange with one another the labels thus obtained. Some stamps are valuable, others are common; you have to exchange a great many common stamps for one rare specimen. That is the way we do the business, and the result is that in course of time we make up a complete collection.

"When he had told me thus much, he put his hand into his pocket, and brought out an envelope, out of which he took several postage labels, and laid them on the table before me. "This," said he, pointing to a blue and white stamp bearing the profile of the Emperor Napoleon III., "this is a twenty-cent. postage label of the French Empire—that is common. "This," pointing to a green stamp bearing a full-face portrait of Washington, "is a ten-cent. postage label of the United States—common. This," pointing to a pink triangular label with a figure of Hope engraved on it, "this is from the Cape of Good Hope—rarer, but rather common. But this," and he pointed out a circular stamp printed in black and white, about the size of a penny, "is a gem. It is the postage label used by the Russian Telegraph Company; you observe that it bears the double-headed eagle crowned, holding in one claw the sceptre, and in the other the orb, and inscribed in the Russian character with words which our foreign corresponding clerk tells me signify "Principal Telegraph Station." Here is a Neapolitan stamp, worth ever so much because worth nothing. Of course there is a new stamp with the new government, and then the old ones become rare and more valuable to collectors. Well, now, to collect all the stamps in the world, and make up a complete picture of the world's postage, is what we are doing on 'Change; I have made great success already."

". . . There have been about 1,400 different stamps issued by various countries, provinces, and colonies since the introduction of the postage label. The value of these stamps represent a sum of twenty-six pounds; but as some of them are out of date, and, consequently, difficult to procure, their conventional value is considerable in advance of their original income, and in

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stating six-and-twenty pounds, we give the price which they cost when first issued.

"The collection of English, colonial, and foreign postage stamps is entirely modern . . . but it has been taken up with avidity. There are collectors not only in England, but in many parts of the Continent, and correspondents in all the four quarters of the globe. The manufacture of postage label albums has become an important branch of trade in Paris . . . Books are also issued for the guidance of collectors: "Catalogue des Timbres-Poste créés dans les divers Etats du Globe"; "Aid [*sic*] to Stamp Collectors, being a List of English and Foreign Postage Stamps in circulation since 1840"; and many others. It engages the attention of studious and laborious men, who, in seeking the most reliable information, place themselves in communication with all the postmasters "of the universe." It assumes a dignity which at the outset was not to be accorded to it, and stamp collectors assert their right to rank with other indefatigable collectors of "things new and old." "

With this article may be compared the following paragraphs which appeared in the *Stationer* of 1862, in its issues of April and July respectively.

"POSTAGE STAMP EXCHANGE.—It is well known that a mania prevails for the collection of postage stamps, but it may be news to many that this mania has recently increased to such a degree as to have led to the formation of a Postage Stamp Exchange, its locality being that scene of the South Sea and many a subsequent mania, Change Alley. There every evening some fifty boys, and some men too, may be seen industriously and gravely exchanging new or obliterated stamps, which, as a bargain is struck, are torn from books, occasionally perforated, in which they are arranged according to their origin or scarcity—for there are stamps, as a collector informed us, which are very rarely seen and are esteemed accordingly. It is singular that the stationers of England should not have turned this mania to account. In the Continental cities, and especially in Brussels, used-up stamps may be seen in the stationers' shop windows, stuck on sheets to invite the collector's attention; and we have

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been assured that very considerable profits are occasionally made. Perhaps some of our readers may improve the hint."

"THE FOREIGN POSTAGE STAMP EXCHANGE is now nearly abandoned, or is transferred from 'Change Alley to Finsbury Square, and other localities. Originating with the younger clerks in our mercantile houses, who daily met to exchange the numerous stamps that had franked the letters received by their respective employers, in order to form collections, the market was soon invaded by outsiders, who sought only to make money by the sale of stamps either expressly imported for that purpose, or, in some instances, not so legitimately obtained. We have heard that some time ago our merchants' letters were very frequently *stampless* when delivered; that postmen, in private dress, made their appearance on the evening exchange with well-filled books, containing nothing but the rarest stamps; and that the Post Office authorities, alarmed at the probable consequences of the manipulation to which most valuable enclosures were being thus subjected, issued an order forbidding their *employés*, under pain of dismissal, from removing the stamps on letters intrusted to them for delivery. By such and other means the market has been glutted, prices have rapidly declined and the "bulls" have suffered serious losses. We have no doubt, however, that the collection of postage stamps will still go on among the younger branches of the community, to whom it affords both amusement and instruction. We have heard many youths discoursing most learnedly of nations and dynasties, of which they avowedly knew nothing until the rage of this collection set in; and in our opinion, it will ultimately form part of the stationer's vocation to furnish the means for this new branch of education, as it already does to supply those for almost every pre-existing one."

To these paragraphs we may further add a note in the *City Press* of April 19th 1862, as follows.

"THE POSTAGE-STAMP EXCHANGE.—The mania for the collection of foreign postage-stamps seems to grow by what it feeds on. The business of the exchange is, for the present, conducted in Birchin-lane, the police being very careful to keep Change-alley free

from the operators. It is in vain to speculate upon the purpose for which postage-stamps are collected. It is sufficient to say that people do collect them. . . . The newspapers, by giving publicity to the existence of the postage-stamp exchange, are answerable to some extent for its increasing proportions. People are attracted to the spot by the novelty, and shall we say the absurdity, of the existence of an institution for the sale and transfer of obliterated postage-stamps. From mere lookers-on, they are unconsciously, as it were, drawn into the vortex and soon become active participators in the operation of the "exchange." Birchin-lane is almost deserted by its regular frequenters after six o'clock, so that the "bulls and bears," "outsiders," "jobbers" and others concerned in the negotiation of old stamps, have full scope for the carrying on of their peculiar business. Considerable shrewdness is displayed in nightly operations on the exchange, and bargains struck that would not disgrace the "other house." A boy exhibited a stamp, the other night, for which he demanded 2s. 6d.; and we saw an individual with a book containing an assortment of 108, for which he had the conscience to ask 25s.! We shall probably hear some strange stories about the fabulous sums scarce stamps realize, as the desire for their accumulation ceases to exist. In the meantime, bankers, merchants, and others, reckon among their regular correspondents persons at every point of the compass, who write polite letters, enclosing stamped envelopes, with addresses, and requesting, with stereotyped apologies for the trouble they give, that a few foreign postage-stamps may be sent to them when convenient."

The prepared stamp album, like the catalogue, had its origin in France, and the only example that falls to be considered at present is the English reproduction of the well-known *Album Lallier*. Both French and English first editions were published in Paris in 1862, the preface being dated August of that year. This publication, in spite of many errors that were persistently left uncorrected notwithstanding much adverse criticism in the English journals, long retained a hold on public

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favour. Twelve editions, both in French and in English, appeared during the years 1863-75. The fourteenth, revised by Pierre Mahé (publisher of the *Timbrophile* and the *Gazette des Timbres*), dates from 1876, and was, we believe, the last. The gravest fault of Lallier's Album, in the eyes of the present-day philatelist, is the fact that the spaces marked out for envelopes and such adhesive stamps as the "octagonal" Ceylon and Van Diemen's Land were drawn to the shape of the stamp, so that collectors cut such specimens to fit the spaces and so irretrievably destroyed their value. It may be interesting to note that unused copies of the first English edition of Lallier are preserved in the libraries of the Royal Philatelic Society and the British Museum. We should also add that in 1862 (probably at the end of the year) there appeared a small English Album of pocket-book shape and size with title-page inscribed "The Postage-Stamp Collector's Pocket Album. With a complete table of all the known Stamps. London: Johnson & Rowe, 17, Warwick Square, Paternoster Row. (*Entered at Stationers' Hall.*)" It consisted of 40 plain ruled leaves prefaced by 6 pp. of a somewhat inaccurate "Table of the number of Postage Stamps issued by the different Countries, States, &c." A copy of this album is in the British Museum Library. A second edition was advertised in March 1863 as "containing a complete list of all the Postage Stamps issued of each country, state, or city," but whether it appeared or not we do not know.

III

ENGLISH PHILATELIC LITERATURE OF 1863-65.

In Britain during 1863-5 the stamp-collecting mania, as distinguished from the scientific study of philately which has now taken its place, reached its highest development. The most remarkable

literary feature of the movement was the extraordinary number of English periodicals started to promote the knowledge of stamps, and to bring together the dealer and the collector.

In France the same three years gave birth to Maury's *Collectionneur de Timbres-Poste* (Paris: 1864, etc.), and Mahé's *Timbrophile* (Paris: 1864-72); in Belgium to Moens's *Timbre-Poste* (Brussels, 1863-1900); in Germany to Zschiesche & Köder's *Magazin für Briefmarken-Sammler* (Leipzig: 1863-67), Roschlau's *Allgemeine Deutsche Briefmarken-Zeitung* (Coburg: 1864), Reichel's *Börsenblatt für den Briefmarken-Handel* (Kaufbeuren: 1864), Windisch's *Briefmarken-Sammler* (Nuremberg: 1864), and Spiro's *Deutsche Briefmarken-Sammler* (Hamburg: 1864-5); and in America to Taylor's *Stamp Collector's Record* (Montreal, Albany, and Boston: 1864-76), Stewart's *Stamp Collector's Monthly Gazette* (St. John, N.B.: 1865-7) and Craig's *Stamp Argus* (St. John, N.B.: 1865.) But in Britain the titles of no fewer than twenty-five periodicals fall to be chronicled. Most of these were of a very ephemeral character, several not attaining a second number.

Earliest and best was the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine*, published at Bath, by Stafford Smith & Smith, afterwards Alfred Smith & Co. The first number (see Plate III) of this magazine appeared in February, 1863, the last in December, 1874; and its twelve handsome volumes, with an aggregate of 2,296 pages, constitute the largest contribution to English philatelic science in the first two decades of its history. Its contents were described with great fulness in the columns of the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* (see Vol. II, pp. 56, 68; also supplementary notes, Vol. II, p. 81; IV, pp. 53, 77). A *Monthly Circular* was issued by the same firm in 1863-4 but consisted merely of the firm's advertisements.

An advertisement-sheet called the *Stamp-Collector*

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was announced by C. Gloyn, Manchester, ("Alpha") as to appear in February, 1863.* In September of the same year Gloyn, afterwards Gloyn, Alley & Gloyn, undoubtedly published *Once a Month; or, the Stamp Collector's Advertiser*, five numbers of which saw the light, all printed on thin paper. Nos. 1-3 contained advertisements only, but with No. 4 (see Plate IV) the size was increased to large 8vo., and some reading matter, including "A Review of Rare Postage Stamps," by "M.F.N.S.," was introduced. On March 15th, 1864, a new series† with the same title was begun by C. & H. Gloyn, the size being changed to small 4to., each number having a coloured wrapper (see Plate V) to which, in the case of Nos. 5-7, was attached an india-proof engraving of some stamp. The first number contained a reprint of some of the matter in the first series, including the "Review of Rare Postage Stamps" which was continued in this and subsequent numbers; it is of interest at the present day, as giving the market values and supposed relative rarity of the *desiderata* of that period. The chief contributor was "J.N." whose articles treated of South American, West Indian, and Italian stamps, while other writers were J. H. Burn on "The Prince Albert Essays"; T. W. Kitt, "A Review of French Colonial Stamps and the countries issuing them"; and Dr. Gray on "Some new stamps from Mecklenburg-Strelitz. Though creditably produced, and containing much readable matter, *Once a Month* did not survive after the issue of the ninth number (December 20th, 1864).

On May 1st, 1863, was published No. 1 of the *Liverpool Stamp Advertiser*, edited, and pre-

* *B.O.M.*, January, 1863. In the February and March numbers, H. G. Smith, Manchester, advertises as agent for the *Stamp Collector*.

† Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. I, p. 76.

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sumably owned, by F. G. Jones. No. 1 (see Plate VI) contained little more than advertisements. With No. 2 the paper was enlarged to eight pages, and the literary contents include an article on "Rare and Obsolete Stamps," by J.M.R. The Editor, in his "Jottings," called attention to the fact that "Whymper's series (as his beautiful proofs on India paper are named)" had reached the 35th stamp of the series. In No. 3, J.M.R.'s article was continued, and there is a curious letter from a correspondent who expressed his belief in the genuineness of the "punched hole" Western Australian stamps, although when he first met with two varieties he was "rather suspicious of the hole in the centre, particularly as I got them from a shoemaker."

With No. 4 the "copywright" (*sic*) was transferred to Messrs. Stamp & Co., "the eminent and enterprising stamp dealers of Newport, Mon.," and the title became the *Liverpool and Newport Stamp Advertiser* (misspelt "*Adcertiser*" in Nos. 4-8), the paper being printed in the latter town. It died with No. 14, June, 1864. E. L. Pemberton contributed to its pages "The Collection of Essays and the Inconsistency of our Catalogues" and a series of articles on "Swiss Stamps."

The *United Kingdom Postage Stamp Advertiser** was published by George Spencer, bookseller, of Tavistock, Devon, and printed by him at the *Gazette* office in that town. Two numbers were issued, No. 1 appearing on June 1st, 1863, and No. 2 on July 1st. Tiffany ("Philatelic Library" p. 48) speaks of this paper as advertised in 1864, but this is an error. No. 1 consists only of advertisements and an introductory article, "To our Readers," which pointed out that though other such publications already claimed "the attention

* Illustrated in *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society*, Vol. II, No. 2.

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and support of Collectors and Advertisers" these monthlies "failed to meet the requirements of persons at a distance, particularly so far west as Devon and Cornwall." A similar introductory article to No. 2 stated that the publisher's experiment had resulted in "the fulfilment of anticipations" which had "been but feebly entertained. . . . So large, indeed," he wrote, "was the demand from all parts of the country that we were obliged to publish a *second* and even a *third edition*." It is just possible, therefore, that copies of No. 1 may exist in different impressions. No. 2 also contains the first instalment of an article on "Postage Stamps" in which the writer advanced the theory that "the only result of the collection of stamp labels for benevolent purposes" had been, not the befriending of the orphan or the gift of "a hundred guinea piano" to "a young lady in her teens," but "to drain the *country* of stamps, to fill the albums of *London* collectors, and to create a stock for the Metropolitan dealers to export to France and other foreign countries."

Of the *Stamp Collector's Journal*, Hartlepool: E. C. Hall & Co., only No. 1, dated July 1st 1863, appeared (see Plate VII). In size and typographical setting it was a somewhat slavish imitation of the *Stamp Collectors' Review*. The contents include a notice "To our Readers" in which it was stated that "a number of monthly publications has been commenced, and it may be considered that they are sufficient for the purposes required; the periodicals that are issued are, however, in the Southern or South-Western portions of the country, and circulate principally in those localities. A want has been felt for a Journal specially adapted for Stamp Dealers and Collectors, for the Northern District." A brief list of new issues is followed by "a glance at the Postage Stamps of South America," in which

reference was made to the circular British Guiana stamps; "they are extremely rare" we read, "for they certainly were only used a very short time, and only one catalogue, that of Dr. Gray, has ever mentioned them. We doubt not that many have had a laugh over the 'green paper Guiana,' and chuckled at the belief that the Doctor had been taken in, as he was with the Iceland stamps, but they have chuckled too soon." The proprietor of this paper, Edward Corner Hall, died in 1865, at the early age of 18 years, as we learn from a short obituary notice in the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine* of that year.

Of the *London & Provynclal* (sic) *Stamp Advertiser*, London: A. Murray, only No. 1, dated July 1st, 1863 (see Plate VIII), is known to have appeared, though a second number was advertised as issued. For a detailed description of this publication the reader is referred to a note in the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* for 1908 (Vol. I, p. 57).

In the same month was started a bi-monthly—the *International Postage Stamp Review: an Illustrated Journal of Postage Stamp Literature and General Information*, London: Thomas Wilks. No. 1, August 1st, 1863 (see Plate IX). This was a publication whose contents hardly fulfilled the promise of its title, the use of the word "International" being explained by the publisher's statement that he had "among our numerous Correspondents, obtained the service of two very eminent men, one in France, and the other in Prussia, and we have no doubt," he continued, "their letters will prove interesting to our readers." This promise was fulfilled only in as far as Doctors Max and Gustav Joseph, of Breslau, forwarded communications; the "one in France" was, perhaps, M. E. Nicolas, whose name is advertised as Paris agent for the *Review*. The first series consisted of three numbers, including an adver-

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tising supplement to No. 2, and its principal feature of philatelic importance was "A complete Catalogue of Postage Stamps issued since 1840"; this was continued throughout the second series, and contained the countries of Europe from "Belgium" to "Germanic Confederation (Wurtemberg)". Although Thos. Wilks, bookseller and publisher of London House Yard, St. Paul's Churchyard, E.C., published the first series and the earlier numbers of the second series, probably the real owners of the paper were the printers, Welfare & Co., of Tooley Street, S.E., who afterwards published it, and the editor was Mr. Maurice Welfare, author of a novelette in Nos. 1-3, and engaged, if we may judge from a note to the "gentle reader" at the end thereof, as a city clerk. As regards general references to stamp collecting, we find it stated (August, 1863), that "it is now more than two years since the same found its way into England." That scientific philately had not yet arisen is evident from such remarks as that "it is a pleasure for us to record that some of the *Elite of fashion* are striving collectors, and it is now usual to find in fashionable homes a Postage Stamp Album lying on a table alongside the Photographic Album," the idea presented to the "Stamp Aspirants of Europe" being a promise that if they "will but strive and be diligent, they will obtain an album so fitted out with different and rare stamps, that in time to come, children will look back with pleasure on the works of their fathers, and joyfully fill up the place [spaces?] left vacant by them. Thus the Postage Stamp Collection will become a family relic, and be handed down to posterity."

On September 15th, 1863, the size was reduced "in consequence of the universal desire of our numerous circle of readers" to that of the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine* and a "New Series"* began;

* Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. III, No. 1.

in No. 5 we learn that the issue was henceforth to be monthly "in consequence of the great increase in our commercial pursuits," but only one other number (December 15th) would seem to have been published. As stated above, the Catalogue was continued in the new series, in which there also appeared an article by Dr. G. Joseph on "Stamp Collecting as the means of Education." His remarks on the rise of stamp collecting in Germany will be of interest to our readers.

"The origin of Stamp Collecting does not date very far back, it is still fresh in the memory of very young Collectors; but to attempt to give the accurate date, would be simply a matter of impossibility. Who can tell when the first impulse was given? I remember having seen a collection of 260 stamps as early as 1859, but there may and there no doubt have existed certain individuals who collected long before this; yet it did not become general until the year 1860. To what circumstance we owe the originating of Stamp Collecting is an enigma, which many a Collector and dealer have striven hard to form a solution, but in vain. There are certainly various stories and anecdotes current, but none, of course, bear the stamp of probability, and all what can be said in their favour is 'Si[sic] non e vero, e bene trovato.' . . . Thus has collecting found its way from Belgium, where it first appeared, to England, France and Germany, nay, over the whole continent of Europe and America. Most recently we heard of large imports of European stamps being sent out to Cuba and other of the Antils [sic]."

Another magazine, whose beginning dates from August, 1863, is the *Weymouth Stamp and Crest Advertiser*, D. Dean, (see Plate X) with six (?) subsequent numbers in September (?), October, November (?), and December, and in January 1864. This was a sheet of 4 pp., of which, in the case of No. 1, pp. 3 and 4 were left blank. The January number consisted of 8 pp. with coloured wrapper, and its rather vulgar contents were scathingly reviewed in the *Stamp-Collector's*

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Magazine of the following March. This was followed by a new series of four numbers, February to May, 1864, containing little more than a series of articles with the curious title "The Abuse [*sic*] of Stamp Collecting vindicated," various "Stamp Adventures," puzzles, and the like. It was then transformed into the *Stamp Collectors' Miscellany*: Weymouth, same publisher; eleven numbers, July, 1864, to May, 1865 (see Plate XI). A feature of this magazine was the introduction of highly sensational tales: "The First Martyr to Stamps," by Lisle Arcadine: "Fearless Frank; or, Can it be Genuine?" and so forth, but as regards its philatelic contents it was a decided improvement on the *Advertiser*, having a fair number of illustrations, with a chronicle of new issues, and articles on "How to detect Forged Stamps," by the publisher, Daniel Dean.

The *Continental and Colonial Stamp Advertiser* was a 4-page advertising sheet, of which only No. 1, dated October 1st, 1863, appeared (see Plate XII). It was published at Eccles, Manchester, by James Gregson. For further particulars see a note in the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society* of 1908 (Vol. I, p. 34).

In November, 1863, Mr. Boel advertised himself as London agent for the *New York Postage Stamp Magazine*,* "circulated throughout the United States." This does not appear to have really existed, and was probably an anticipatory mention of the following publication.

The *London and New York Stamp Collectors' Review*. Editor and Proprietor, John George Boel, London; Assistant-Editor and Manager for the United States, William P. Brown (see Plate XIII). Only two numbers, for January and February, 1864; although printed and published in London, the price of the paper and its subscription rate, to-

* *Int. P.S. Review*, November, 1863.

gether with the publisher's quotations for stamps, were given in American currency. Beyond the first instalment of "A Review of Rare Stamps and the cause of their rarity," by the editor, it contains little original matter. Mr. Boel appears again as at one time editor of the *Stamp Collector's Examiner*, a periodical published at Leamington in 1865.

The *Newcastle & Gateshead Stamp Advertiser and Review*, Newcastle: John Burrell & Co. (see Plate XIV). Three numbers appeared—in January, February, and March, 1864—after which it was incorporated with the above-mentioned *Liverpool and Newport Stamp Advertiser*. Its contents consist of little but advertisements and the usual twaddling story, in this case "The Life of a Stamp" by H. H.

The *National Postage Stamp Express*. London: R. Evans & Co (see Plate XV). Of this, seven numbers appeared—January 15 to July 15, 1864—the reason alleged for its cessation being a dissolution of partnership. Here again we meet with sensational fiction—"The Doctor and his Patient; or, Where is it?" "Our Firm, a Stamp Novelette," etc., although the Editor in his farewell address states that "it does not boast of so many stories as we could wish." The same publishers seem to have issued a *Monthly Circular** during several months of 1863.

The *Northumberland and Durham Stamp Advertiser* appeared on February 15th, 1864 (see Plate XVI). Nos. 1 to 4 were published by D. James & Co., Newcastle-on-Tyne, and the rest (Nos. 5 to 11) by R. Chambers, Gateshead. The contents of the last three numbers are headed by the words "Great success. Circulation 1,500 warranted," and the circulation was stated to extend to "France, Belgium, all the German

* S.-C. *Review*, September, October, 1863; *Int. P.S. Review*, November, 1863.

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States, Denmark, Russia, Italy, Spain, Portugal, the United States of America, and almost all the British Colonies," but after the issue of December 20th, 1864, this publication ceased to appear. The publishers, indeed, announced their intention to continue it under the title of the *Stamp Collectors' Journal*, but, as far as we are aware, the promised new series never saw the light. An advertisement in No. 7 states that "the first half yearly section . . . consisting of the first six numbers, bound in a paper cover, price 7d.," was "now ready." The contents of the series include monthly notes on new issues, and articles on Swiss stamps (by N. Wilton), Brazil, and United States Locals. With No. 5 was given a "facsimile" of the 3kr. Baden "Landpost," and a genuine postage stamp with Nos. 8 to 11.

The printer of this magazine—J. W. Chater, Northern Journal Office, Newcastle—also advertised the *Stamp Dealer's Universal Register*, "a Monthly Trade Circular," as to appear August 1st, "or as soon after as possible," and afterwards as to appear January 2nd, 1865. This seems not to have been issued.

The *British and Foreign Stamp and Coin Advertiser* (see Plate XVII) was published in Manchester by A. J. Johns, and issued gratis, although it contained as much reading matter as some of its small competitors. Eight numbers appeared, from May 2nd to December 15th, 1864. In the last number it was announced that "on the 1st of January next will be commenced the new magazine *Our Own*, in which the *British and Foreign Stamp and Coin Advertiser*, the *North of England Stamp Review*, and other interests will be united," but the magazine in question would seem to have been an unrealized project.

The *North of England Stamp Review and Advertiser* (Barnard Castle: Thomas Dalston), referred to in the foregoing paragraph, ran a course

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of five numbers (see Plate XVIII). First series, July and August, 1864; second series, September, October and November of the same year. The publisher, described to us as being "a solicitor's clerk, afterwards a play actor" was also the author of "How to detect Forged Stamps": Gateshead, 1865, and at one time editor of the *Stamp Collector's Examiner* (Leamington, 1865). The Barnard Castle journal contains little original matter, but the following paragraph extracted from an article "On Stamp Collecting" signed "Cheth," in the last number, may be worth reproducing.

"It is now four years since I began the collection which I am now making. I was at a large public school, and there was only one collector in it besides myself at that time; we used to exchange our surplus stamps one with another, and our collections amounted to about twenty or thirty specimens, in fact I remember making a little book for mine which I could carry in my pocket, a page of which I proposed to allow to each stamp; but as time rolled on our collections increased, and the number of collectors among our companions increased also. . . . At that time we had very few opportunities of increasing our stock, for there was only one stamp dealer then known to the school; and his name and address were only known to very few, and they kept it secret, for what reason I do not exactly know; I believe that they had some idea that there were only a few specimens of some stamps in existence, and that they were in the possession of this particular dealer, and therefore if he was generally known to all, these would be taken by those who were lucky enough to have money to buy them with, and that none would be left for the original discoverers."

In some respects the most promising of all was the *Universal Stamp Gazette*.* (London: Charles Langton Howard), a well-printed and well-arranged pamphlet of seventeen pages, filled with readable matter, and seven pages of advertisements (see

* Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. II, p. 173.

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Plate XIX). In general get-up it closely resembled the *Stamp-Collector's Magazine*. In spite, however, of the *Gazette's* coming out under the auspices of "The London, Provincial, Colonial, and Continental Stamp Company, Limited," and securing the services as editor of a gentleman rejoicing in the equally resounding name of Lourenço Edye de Almeida Portugal, no number appeared save the first, issued in September, 1864.

The *Collector's Herald* (Hull: J. Cheeseman) first appeared in January, 1865.* It ran for the five months to May, and again for the five months, January to May, 1866, but was only partially philatelic.

The *Liverpool Stamp Collector's Journal*† (Liverpool: J. C. Wroe) was issued in April, May and June, 1865 (see Plate XX). Of No. 1 we find two editions, the first printed on toned paper with the word "quarterty" for "quarterly" on p. 8, and the second on the same white paper as the following numbers, and having the word in question correctly spelt. The contents of this periodical are unimportant, as are also those of its successor, the *Stamp Dealer's Advertiser*, a gratis publication issued in July and August, 1866.‡

The sole number of the *Stamp Collector's Pocket Companion*§ (Manchester: Thorpe & Burns), a gratis publication, is dated April, 1865 (see Plate XXI).

Three numbers of the *Stamp Collector's Examiner* (Leamington: A. Parsons & Co.), are numbered 1, May, 1865||; new series, 1 and 2, July, August (see Plate XXII).

The *Bath Stamp and Coin Gazette and Advertiser*

* Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, p. 93.

† Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, pp. 78, 92.

‡ See note in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., p. 78.

§ Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, p. 77.

|| Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, p. 125.

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was published by G. E. Lansley & Co. (see Plate XXIII), and according to W. D. Atlee (*Philatelist*, July, 1867), had two numbers dated June and July, 1865; but no copy of No. 2 is known to exist.

Another Bath publication was the *New Curiosity Times*, a pseudo-periodical advertising pamphlet, published as a miniature imitation of the *Times* newspaper, by Stafford Smith & Smith, on 15th December, 1865 and described in the *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society*, Vol. II, p. 59.

W. D. Atlee's Stamp Circular (London) (see Plate XXIV), certainly ran from 10 September 1865, to 1 May 1866 (eight numbers), and, according to Mr. Atlee himself a year later (*Philatelist*, July, 1867), was still published occasionally.

The *British, Continental, and American Stamp, Coin, Crest, Autograph, and General Curiosity Collector's Magazine and Journal of the Bridlington Amateur Association* (Preston Curiosity Society)* October, 1865 (see Plate XXV); continued as the *Curiosity Collectors' Magazine and Journal of the Bridlington Amateur Association*, November, 1865; and by the *Amateur* (Bridlington Amateur Association), January, 1866, was only partly devoted to stamps.

Industria & Co., stamp merchants, Preston, issued a monthly paper, the *Collector's Circular* (see Plate XXVI), from December, 1865, to November, 1866. It was purely philatelic in character and although each number consisted of four pages only it was creditably produced, the contents including an illustrated and fairly copious chronicle of new issues. In No. 3 the editor noted the disappearance of the stamp mania, but he added "Although we do not hear half so many enquiries for cancelled stamps, so much talk about them, or see so many juveniles with paltry specimens pasted in dirty memorandum

* Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, p. 172.

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books, still this is no sign of the decadence of stamp collecting. No, certainly not! for the number of collectors is now double the former number, and amongst that number are many distinguished persons. It is now a very common occurrence to meet with a fine collection of stamps on the drawing-room table, and it seems to be a favourite pursuit with ladies. The great pressure for stamps which was formerly the indication of the popularity of collecting, has, we must admit, ceased to be felt, but this is owing to the development of the trade, to the increase of dealers, and consequently the reduction in price of those stamps which were, during its infancy, so difficult to obtain."

We have already referred to the following periodicals announced to appear in 1863-5, but presumably never issued, viz., the *Stamp Collector* (Manchester), the *New York Postage Stamp Magazine* (New York), the *Stamp Dealer's Universal Register* (Newcastle), and *Our Own* (Manchester). To these we may add the *Stamp Collector's Herald and Monthly Advertiser*,* advertised by R. P. Harley, Glasgow—No. 1 to be ready December 15, 1863; the *North British Postage Stamp and General Advertiser*,† advertised by A. R. MacKay & Co., of Glasgow—No. 1 to be ready January 1st, 1864; the *International Stamp Advertiser*‡ "published every month" by B. York & Co., London; the *Stamp, Coin, and Autographic Advertiser and Collector's Chronicle*§ (Fulham: Pro Omnes); the *New Stamp Magazine*|| (Glasgow: Lennox); an unnamed "new maga-

* *S.-C. Mag.*, December, 1863.

† *B.O. Mag.*, November and December, 1863.

‡ *London and N.Y.S.C. Review*, January, 1864.

§ *S.-C. Review*, June, 1864; "ready 1st July."

|| *S.-C. Mag.*, January, 1865. Cf. *B.O. Mag.*, December, 1864.

zine"* (Newcastle-on-Tyne: C. C. Paley & Co.); the *Stamp Collector's Journal* (Liverpool: Furness & Williams);† and the *Stamp Collector's Review* (Liverpool: —?) ‡

Passing now to the consideration of the stamp catalogues of 1863-5, we need only refer to the editions of Mount Brown and Dr. Gray, previously described. A new candidate for public favour, which long outlived either of the above, was the "Catalogue of British and Foreign Postage Stamps," by Edward A. Oppen, appended to his Album, and also published in a separate form (see Plate XXVII). Two editions were issued in 1863.§ Thereafter the editorship was transferred to H. Whymper, under whose superintendence three editions succeeded rapidly (1864-5). The revision for the 6th edition was undertaken by Dr. C. W. Viner, who continued to act as editor until that favourite album and catalogue "for beginners" ended its existence with the 30th edition (1891). All editions of the "Catalogue" appeared in the quarto size of the album; the 4th edition (1864) was also reprinted in an octavo form.||

In the beginning of 1864, a flourish of trumpets heralded the approach of the "Standard Guide to Postage Stamp Collecting"¶ by H. J. Bellars and J. H. Davie. London: John Camden Hotten. The authors of this book (see Plate XXVIII) introduced a new feature, in endeavouring to assign the degrees

* *Newcastle and Gateshead S.A.*, February, 1864.

† *Nat. P.S. Express*, June, 1864.

‡ *Collector's Herald*, March, 1865.

§ A dealer's advertisement of June, 1863, gives the price of the Catalogue alone as 2s. 6d., the Album 3s. 6d., and the two together 5s.

|| Illustrated in *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society*, 1910 (Vol. III., No. 1).

¶ Reviewed in *S.-C. Mag.*, Vol. II, p. 15, and by Pemberton, *S.-C. Rev.*, Vol. II, p. 26.

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of rarity of the different stamps. The attempt was but partially successful, and such indications could have at most but a temporary value. According to a review in *Once a Month*, the sale of the first edition was considerably augmented by the announcement, made in advertisements soliciting orders, that the work would include "An account of the Mormon stamp, issued by Brigham Young in 1852." Towards the close of the year a second edition* appeared, which was re-issued, with a new title page, in 1865.

A much more valuable addition to English stamp literature was Moens's "Postage Stamps illustrated"† (being a translation by Dr. Viner of "Les Timbres-poste illustrés") printed in Brussels but published by Grumel & Michel, London, in 1864 (see Plate XXIX). The illustrations were lithographed and are in most cases wonderfully close reproductions of the stamps themselves, though in the English edition the impressions, being much later in date than those of the original issue, give an imperfect idea of their primitive excellence. It was reissued as "Illustrations of Postage Stamps" in 1867, (but dated "1864") by Stafford Smith & Co., Brighton.

Mr. Pemberton's "Forged Stamps: How to detect them" (nominally by Thornton Lewes and Edward Pemberton) has been already mentioned. It was printed and published in Edinburgh,‡ in 1863, by Colston & Son (see Plate XXX). Revised editions were begun in the *Philatelist*, 1866, and in the *Philatelic Journal*, 1872 and 1875. As a writer on forgeries Mr. Pemberton was followed in 1865 by

* Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. II, p. 109.

† Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. II, p. 157. For some notes on this publication see *Journal of the Philatelic Literature Society*, 1908, Vol. I, pp. 10, 58.

‡ Lewes, we are informed, was then at the High School of Edinburgh, under Dr. Schmitz.

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Thomas Dalston ("How to detect Forged Stamps."* Gateshead: R. Chambers), and J. M. Stourton ("Postage Stamp Forgeries, or the Collector's Vade Mecum."† London: Trübner) (see Plates XXXI, XXXII).

Among general magazine articles on philatelic subjects appearing in 1863-65 may be noted the following:—

Leisure Hour: January 31st, 1863, "Postage Stamps" (Reprinted in part in *S.-C. Review*, Vol. I., p. 19). Ditto, August 1st, 1863, "Rare and Curious Postage Stamps." These articles were written by Henry Whymper and were illustrated with engravings made by his father (see *S.-C. Mag.*, Vol. I., p. 29.)

Beeton's Boy's Penny Magazine: February, 1863, "A Complete List of Danish Stamps"; ditto, July, 1863, "A Complete List of Würtemberg Stamps."

Beeton's Boy's Own Magazine: May, 1863, and October, 1864, Letters, etc., on Collecting.

Saturday Review: March 21st, 1863, "Softening of the Brain."

Chambers's Journal: June 6th, 1863, "The Stamp Mania." (Reprinted in *S.-C. Review*, I., pp. 83, 95.)

Every Boy's Magazine: July, 1863, "Postage Stamps," by Henry Whymper.

Once a Week: August 8th, 1863, "Timbro-manie." (Reprinted in *Once a Month*, I., p. 35).

Beeton's Boy's Monthly Magazine: August, 1864, "List of United States Postage Stamps."

London Society: January, 1865, "Cœlebs in Search of a Mulready Envelope: A Liverpool Romance in three Chapters," with two sketches by Du Maurier.

* Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, p. 157.

† Reviewed in *S.-C. Magazine*, Vol. III, p. 189.

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Blackwood's Magazine : January, 1865, "A Hint to Postage Stamp Collectors." By Cornelius O'Dowd (Charles Lever).

Routledge's Magazine for Boys : December, 1865, "The Stamp Dealer's Business." (Reprinted in *Stamp Lover*, Vol. II. p. 208.)

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LE MAGASIN PITTORESQUE (1862-6).—CASSELL'S ILLUSTRATED FAMILY PAPER 1862-7.—DER BAZAR (1862-4).

Le Magasin Pittoresque, Paris [M.P.]. ("Les Timbres-Poste de tous les États du Globe: recherches faites par M. Natalis Rondot") 1862, June 21; July 12; August 9, 23; September 6; October 4; November 8, 29; December 20. 1863, January 31; February 28; April 11; May 9; June 20; July 11; August 8; September 12; October 10; November 28. 1864, February 20; March 12; April 9, 23; May 14; June 4; July 2; August 13; September 10; October 8, 15; November 12. 1865, February 11; March 18; April 8; May 20; June 17; July 22; August 19; September 9; October 14; November 11; December 9. 1866, February 10; March 17; April 21; May 19; June 16; July 14; August 11; September 22; October 27; November 17; December 8. Fifty-three articles with 457 illustrations. At the end of the last (xxxiv, 392) is the usual note "La suite au prochain volume" [not "numéro," as given by M. de Bosredon, *Bibl. Timbr.*, p. 38]; but no continuation appeared.

Cassell's Illustrated Family Paper, London [C.]. ("Postage Stamps") 1862, July 26 (Introduction); August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; September 6, 13, 20, 27; October 4; November 8, 15; December 13, 20. 1863, January 10, 17; August 29; September 12, 19, 26; October 10, 17, 24, 31; November

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7, 14, 21, 28; December 5, 12, 19. 1864, August 6, 20; October 1. 1866, March 31; April 7, 21, 28; May 5, 12, 19, 26; June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; July 7, 14; August 4, 11, 18, 25; September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; October 6, 13, 20, 27; November 3, 10, 17, 24; December 1, 8, 22, 29. 1867, January 5, 19; February 2. Seventy-four articles, with 447 illustrations.

Der Bazar, Berlin [B.]. ("Briefmarken und Briefmarken-Sammlungen.") 1862, October 1, 15; November 1, 15; December 1. 1863, January 1, 15; February 1; March 1, 15; May 1; June 15; August 1, 15; September 1, 15; October 1, 15; November 1; December 1. 1864, February 1, 15; March 15. Twenty-three articles, with 213 illustrations.

ANTIGUA. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1866, November 24.

ARGENTINE CONFEDERATION. *M.P.* 1866, December 8. *C.* 1867, February 2

AUSTRIA. *M.P.* 1864, April 23, May 14. *C.* 1863, November 14, 21. *B.* 1863, September 1, 15.

BADEN. *M.P.* 1862, December 20. *C.* 1863, January 10, 17. *B.* 1863, August 15.

BAHAMAS. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1862, August 30; 1866, November 17. *B.* 1862, November 1.

BARBADOS. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1862, August 30; 1866, November 24. *B.* 1862, November 1.

BAVARIA. *M.P.* 1862, November 29. *C.* 1862, December 20. *B.* 1863, June 19.

BELGIUM. *M.P.* 1863, January 31. *C.* 1863, October 24. *B.* 1863, October 1.

BERGEDORF. *M.P.* 1862, August 23. *C.* 1862, September 27. *B.* 1863, January 15.

BRAZIL. *M.P.* 1866, November 17. *C.* 1866, December 29.

BREMEN. *M.P.* 1862, August 23. *C.* 1862, October 4. *B.* 1863, February 1.

BRITISH COLUMBIA. *M.P.* 1865, December 9. *C.* 1862, August 30. *B.* 1862, November 15.

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- BRITISH GUIANA. *M.P.* 1866, October 27, November 17. *C.* 1862, August 30 ; 1863, September 26 ; 1866, December 22. *B.* 1862, November 15.
- BRUNSWICK. *M.P.* 1862, November 8. *C.* 1862, December 13. *B.* 1863, March 15.
- BUENOS AIRES. *M.P.* 1866, December 8. *C.* 1867, January 19.
- CANADA. *M.P.* 1866, February 10. *C.* 1862, August 23 ; 1866, August 18. *B.* 1862, October 15.
- CAPE. *M.P.* 1865, May 20. *C.* 1862, August 16 ; 1866, May 26. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- CEYLON. *M.P.* 1865, July 22. *C.* 1862, August 16 ; 1866, June 9. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- CHILI. *M.P.* 1866, December 8. *C.* 1867, January 19.
- COLOMBIA. *M.P.* 1866, October 27. *C.* 1866, December 8.
- CONFEDERATE STATES. *M.P.* 1866, June 16. *C.* 1866, October 22 ; (locals) November 3.
- CORRIENTES. *M.P.* 1866, December 8. *C.* 1867, January 19.
- COSTA RICA. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1866, November 17.
- CUBA. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1866, December 1.
- DANISH WEST INDIES. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1866, November 24.
- DANUBIAN PRINCIPALITIES. *M.P.* 1864, June 4. *C.* 1864, August 20. *B.* 1864, March 15.
- DENMARK. *M.P.* 1862, August 9. *C.* 1862, September 20 ; 1863, January 17 (illustrations include the two essays of 1852, and the suppositious "three thiele" stamp of 1856). *B.* 1863, January 1.
- DUTCH INDIES. *M.P.* 1865, December 9. *C.* 1866, August 4.
- FINLAND. *M.P.* 1862, June 21. *C.* 1862, September 6. *B.* 1862, December 1.
- FRANCE. Not represented in any of the series. In the *Mag. Pitt.* for 8 April, 1863, is the note : "La notice des timbres de la république française et de l'empire français sera placée à la fin de la série des articles sur les timbres poste."
- FRENCH COLONIES. *M.P.* 1865, April 8. *C.* 1866, May 19.
- GREAT BRITAIN. *M.P.* 1863, August 8, September 12, October 10. *C.* 1862, August 2 ; (essays) 1863, August 29, September 5 ; (Mulready's and imita-

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- tions) September 12, 19, November 28, December 5, 12, 19; (telegraphs) September 26. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- GREECE. *M.P.* 1864, July 2. *C.* 1864, August 20. *B.* 1864, March 15.
- GRENADA. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1862, August 30. *B.* 1862, November 15.
- HAMBURG. *M.P.* 1862, August 23. *C.* 1862, September 27 (illustrations include the "Interpostal" of 1862, and two of the "Institut Hamburger Boten," stamps.) *B.* 1863, January 15.
- HANOVER. *M.P.* 1862, September 6. *C.* 1862, November 8 (illustrations include the two "Bestellgeld-frei" envelopes). *B.* 1863, March 1.
- HOLLAND. *M.P.* 1863, January 31. *C.* 1863, October 24. *B.* 1863, October 1.
- HONGKONG. *M.P.* 1865, July 22. *C.* 1866, June 16.
- INDIA. *M.P.* 1865, June 17. *C.* 1862, August 16; 1863, September 26; 1866, June 16. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- IONIAN ISLANDS. *M.P.* 1864, July 2. *C.* 1863, September 26.
- ITALY. *M.P.* 1864, November 12. *C.* 1866, April 28, May 5.
- JAMAICA. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1862, August 30; 1863, October 17; 1866, November 17. *B.* 1862, November 1.
- LIBERIA. *M.P.* 1865, April 8. *C.* 1862, August 16. *B.* 1862, October 15.
- LOMBARDO-VENETIA. *M.P.* 1864, October 8. *C.* 1866, April 7.
- LUBECK. *M.P.* 1862, August 9. *C.* 1862, September 20. *B.* 1863, February 1.
- LUXEMBURG. *M.P.* 1862, December 20. *C.* 1863, January 17. *B.* 1863, August 15.
- MALTA. *M.P.* 1864, July 2. *C.* 1862, August 30. *B.* 1862, November 15.
- MAURITIUS. *M.P.* 1865, June 17. *C.* 1862, August 16; 1863, October 17; 1866, June 2. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN. *M.P.* 1862, August 23. *C.* 1862, October 4. *B.* 1863, February 1.
- MEXICO. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1866, November 10.

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- MODENA. *M.P.* 1864, September 10. *C.* 1866, March 31. *B.* 1863, December 1.
- MONTE VIDEO. *M.P.* 1866, November 17. *C.* 1867, January 5.
- NATAL. *M.P.* 1865, May 20. *C.* 1862, August 16 ; 1866, May 26. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- NEVIS. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1866, November 24.
- NEW BRUNSWICK. *M.P.* 1866, February 10. *C.* 1862, August 23. 1866, August 18. *B.* 1862, November 1.
- NEW CALEDONIA. *M.P.* 1865, September 9. *C.* 1866, June 30.
- NEWFOUNDLAND. *M.P.* 1865, December 9. *C.* 1862, August 30 ; 1866, August 11. *B.* 1862, November 15.
- NEW SOUTH WALES. *M.P.* 1865, October 14. *C.* 1862, August 2, 9 ; 1863, October 10 ; 1866, July 7. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- NEW ZEALAND. *M.P.* 1865, September 9. *C.* 1862, August 9. *B.* 1865, October 1.
- NICARAGUA. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1866, November 10.
- NORWAY. *M.P.* 1862, July 12. *C.* 1862, September 13. *B.* 1863, January 1.
- NOVA SCOTIA. *M.P.* 1866, February 10. *C.* 1862, August 23 ; 1866, August 11. *B.* 1862, October 15.
- OLDENBURG. *M.P.* 1862, October 4. *C.* 1862, November 15. *B.* 1863, March 15.
- PAPAL STATES. *M.P.* 1864, September 10. *C.* 1866, March 31. *B.* 1864, February 15.
- PARAGUAY. *M.P.* 1866, November 17. *C.* 1867, January 5.
- PARMA. *M.P.* 1864, October 8. *C.* 1866, April 7. *B.* 1863, December 1.
- PHILIPPINES. *M.P.* 1865, August 19. *C.* 1866, June 23.
- POLAND. *M.P.* 1862, July 12. *C.* 1862, September 13. *B.* 1862, December 1.
- PORTUGAL. *M.P.* 1865, April 8. *C.* 1866, May 19. *B.* 1863, November 1.
- PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND. *M.P.* 1865, December 9. *C.* 1866, August 11.
- PRUSSIA. *M.P.* 1862, October 4 ; November 8. *C.* 1862, November 15 ; December 13. *B.* 1863, May 1.

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- QUEENSLAND. *M.P.* 1865, October 14. *C.* 1862, August 9. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- REUNION. *M.P.*, 1865, May 20. *C.* 1866, June 9.
- ROMAGNA. *M.P.* 1864, September 10. *C.* 1866, March 31. *B.* 1864, February 1.
- RUSSIA. *M.P.* 1862, June 21. *C.* 1862, September 6. *B.* 1862, December 1.
- ST. HELENA. *M.P.* 1865, May 20. *C.* 1866, May 19.
- ST. LUCIA. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1863, October 24; 1866, November 24.
- ST. VINCENT. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1862, August 30. *B.* 1862, November 15.
- SAN DOMINGO. *M.P.* 1866, August 11. *C.* 1866, December 1.
- SANDWICH ISLANDS. *M.P.* 1865, August 19. *C.* 1866, June 30.
- SARDINIA. *M.P.* 1864, October 8. *C.* 1866, April 21. *B.* 1864, February 15.
- SAXONY. *M.P.* 1862, November 8. *C.* 1862, December 13, 20. *B.* 1863, June 15.
- SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN. *M.P.* 1862, August 9. *C.* 1862, September 20.
- SIERRA LEONE. *M.P.* 1865, April 8. *C.* 1862, August 16. *B.* 1862, October 15.
- SOUTH AUSTRALIA. *M.P.* 1865, November 11. *C.* 1862, August 9; 1863, October 10; 1866, August 4. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- SPAIN. *M.P.* 1865, February 11, March 18. *C.* 1866, May 5, 12. *B.* 1863, October 15.
- SWEDEN. *M.P.* 1862, July 12. *C.* 1862, September 13. *B.* 1863, January 1.
- SWITZERLAND. *M.P.* 1863, November 28. *C.* 1863, October 24, 31, November 7. *B.* 1863, October 1.
- TAHITI. *M.P.* 1865, August 19. *C.* 1866, June 23 (illustration of the "7 Hatus" stamp. "This stamp is very rare, but from its primitive character, deserves a conspicuous position in the collection of the curious, and as such we give it a place in our pages.")
- TASMANIA. *M.P.* 1865, September 9. *C.* 1862, August 9; 1866, August 4. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- THURN AND TAXIS. *M.P.* 1862, November 29. *C.* 1862, December 20; 1863, January 10. *B.* 1863, August 1.

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- TRINIDAD. *M.P.* 1866, September 22. *C.* 1862, August 30 ; 1866, November 24. *B.* 1862, November 1.
- TURKEY. *M.P.* 1864, June 4. *C.* 1864, August 6.
- TUSCANY. *M.P.* 1864, September 10. *C.* 1866, March 31.
- TWO SICILIES. *M.P.* 1864, August 13 (illustrations include the Tiberius and Mars essays). *C.* 1864, Oct. 1. *B.* 1864, February 1.
- UNITED STATES. *M.P.* 1866, March 17. *C.* 1866, August 25, September 1, 8, 15.
- UNITED STATES LOCALS. *M.P.* 1866, April 21, May 19, January 16. *C.* 1866, September 22, 29 ; October 6, 13 ; (caricatures) October 20.
- VENEZUELA. *M.P.* 1866, October 27. *C.* 1866, December 1.
- VICTORIA. *M.P.* 1865, October 14, November 11. *C.* 1862, August 9 ; 1863, October 10 ; 1866, July 14. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- WEST AUSTRALIA. *M.P.* 1865, November 11 ; December 9. *C.* 1862, August 9 ; 1863, October 10 ; 1866, August 4. *B.* 1862, October 1.
- WURTEMBERG. *M.P.* 1862, December 20. *C.* 1863, January 10. *B.* 1863, August 1.

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PRICE LISTS OF 1862-1865.

NOTE.—We give herewith a catalogue of the Price Lists issued by the stamp dealers and collectors of Great Britain up to the end of 1865. So few of these ephemeral lists have been preserved that our record is based almost wholly on advertisements of that period, and we therefore offer it less as a bibliography than as a graphic indication of the commercial side of the widespread "stamp mania" of the early sixties. Although some of the lists thus advertised may never actually have seen the light, and others (chiefly among those of earlier date) were merely manuscript lists, we are of opinion that such exceptions were comparatively few and that our catalogue represents substantially an accumulation of printed matter. We have not thought it necessary as a rule to give the price of the lists; many were issued gratis (but generally with the condition "on receipt of stamped envelope") and the price of the remainder varied as a rule from 1d. to 3d., the "gift" of some "rare stamp" being sometimes offered as an inducement to the purchaser. In many of the earlier advertisements we find the word "lists" used; we have preserved the orthography, although we think that in nearly every case a single list was meant. The dates given represent the earliest advertisement or advertisements we have been able to trace. In those cases where the mention "appears as a dealer as late as 1873" occurs, the reference is to Werninck's Directory of that year; most of these entries were repeated in Nunn's Directory of 1880, but were simply copied from Werninck's book without authentication.

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REFERENCES.

- B.F.S.C.A. *British and Foreign Stamp and Coin Advertiser* (1864)
 B.J. *Boy's Journal* (1863-5)
 B.M.M. [Beeton's] *Boy's [Penny] Monthly Magazine* (1863-5)
 B.O.M. [Beeton's] *Boy's Own Magazine* (1862-5)
 C.C.M. [British...] *Curiosity Collector's Magazine* (1865)
 C.C.S.A. *Continental and Colonial Stamp Advertiser* (1863)
 C.H. *Collector's Herald* (1865)
 E.B.M. [Routledge's] *Every Boy's Magazine* (1862-5)
 I.P.S.R. *International Postage Stamp Review* (1863)
 L.N.S.A. *Liverpool [and Newport] Stamp Advertiser* (1863-4)
 L.P.S.A. *London & Provynicial Stamp Advertiser* (1863)
 L.S.C.J. *Liverpool Stamp Collector's Journal* (1865)
 M.I. *Monthly Intelligencer* (1862-3)
 N.D.S.A. *Northumberland and Durham Stamp Advertiser* (1864)
 N.G.S.A. *Newcastle & Gateshead Stamp Advertiser* (1864)
 N.P.S.E. *National Postage Stamp Express* (1864)
 O.M. *Once a Month* (1863-4)
 S.C.J. *Stamp Collector's Journal* (1863)
 S.C.M. *Stamp-Collector's Magazine* (1863-5)
 S.C. Misc. *Stamp Collectors' Miscellany* (1864-5)
 S.C.R. *Stamp-Collectors' Review [and Monthly Advertiser]* (1862-4)
 U.K.P.S.A. *United Kingdom Postage Stamp Advertiser* (1863)
 U.S.G. *Universal Stamp Gazette* (1864)
 W.S.C.A. *Weymouth Stamp and Crest Advertiser* (1863-4)
 Y.E. *Young England* (1862-5)

A

- A., E. F.; 8 Acomb Street, Greenheys, Manchester.—
 List. (B.O.M., November, 1862).
 ACKERLEY, W. B.; 6 Prince Edwin Street, Liverpool.
 —List. (B.O.M. October, 1862)
 ADAMS, Henry; 1 Grove Hall Terrace, Fairfield Road,
 Bow, London, E.—List. (B.O.M. October, 1862)

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- AITCHESON, W.; 19 Cumberland Street, Glasgow.—
List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1864)
- AKHURST, William Edward; at Mr. Brothers, chemist,
Ashford, Kent.—Lists. (*S.C.R.* February, 1863,
where the name is printed "Aklewist" in error.
See "Home and Colonial," *infra*)
- ALPHA; J. Knowles & Co., Bradford.—Printed list.
(*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- ALPHA; Box 197, P.O., Glasgow.—List of 700 stamps.
(*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- ALPHA; 249 Great Homer Street [and 102 Myrtle
Street], Liverpool.—[Printed] list. (*B.O.M.*
March, April, 1863. See also R. Dundas, W.
Perris & Co., and D. R. Walker, *infra*.)
- ALPHA [or A. B.]; 39 Bloom Street, Liverpool.—
Printed lists. (*B.O.M.* May, June, 1863).
- ALPHA; Great Jackson Street, Hulme, Manchester.—
—Printed list. (*E.B.M.* April, 1864)
- ALPHA; Acomb House, Manchester.—See Gloyn,
infra.
- ALPHA; P.O., Burlington Street, Manchester.—Cata-
logue. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
- ALPHA; 34 Northbrook Street, Newbury, Berks.—
Wholesale list ["of rare stamps"]. (*B.O.M.*
February, 1863. *S.C.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* May, 1863)
- ALPHA; c/o W. Robinson, 11 South Parade, York.—
Lists. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)
- ANONYMOUS & Co.; 76 Hanover Buildings, Sheffield.
List. (*B.O.M.* May 5, 1864)
- ANTIGUA; 57 West Street, Brighton.—List. (*L.P.S.A.*
July, 1863) J. [or T.] W. BENNETT, advertises
later from this address
- ARENSBERG, S. [& MAYER]; 36 Cross Street [afterwards
9 Britannia Buildings, Strangeways], Manchester.
—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1864; *B.F.S.C.A.* May,
1864). See A. Mayer, *infra*.
- ARMSTRONG & TUCKER; 42 Park Street, Plymouth.—
List. (*O.M.* August, 1864)
- ARMSTRONG, C. J., jun.; Hall Place Collegiate School,
Bexley, near Erith, Kent.—"List of foreign
stamps, also the prices." (*B.O.M.* July, 1862)
- Ditto.—Printed lists. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)
- ATKINSON [& MORTON]; 13 Regent Street, Stockton.
—List (*I.P.S.R.* October, 1863)

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- ATLEE, W. Dudley; 32 Ellington Street, Barnsbury Park, London, N.—List. (*N.G.S.A.* March, 1864)
 *** Publisher of *W. D. Atlee's Stamp Circular* (1865-6), and well-known as a philatelic writer.
 ATLEY, R. J.; W. Nüsch & Co., Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)
 AUSTIN, George; 103 Aldersgate Street, London.—List (*S.C.M.* February, 1864)

B

- B., A.; 25 Albion Street, Darlington.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
 B., A.; P.O., Buckland, Dover.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
 *** Mr. A. Perris identifies this advertiser with W. F. Cooke, *infra*.
 B., A.; 39 Bloom Street, Liverpool—see Alpha, *supra*.
 B., A.; at 59 Vernon Street, Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
 B., A.; 2 Bartholomew Street, Newbury, Berks.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
 Ditto.—Wholesale and retail lists. (*M.I.* January, 1863)
 B., A. [or T.C.]; 7 Charles Street, York.—Printed list. (*S.C.M.* March, 1863; *B.O.M.* March, 1863)
 B., J. W.; 47 Hunter Street, Liverpool.—List of "a most beautiful selection of facsimiles from the continent." (*B.M.M.* December, 1864)
 B., W. H.; Magnetic Telegraph, Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)
 BACON; see Capagni, *infra*.
 BALLS, Chas.; 14 Burton Street, London, S.W.—List. (*O.M.* January, 1864)
 BANKS, Henry; c/o Mr. J. O. Rees, Ivy Cottage, Military Road, Dover.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
 BARBER, Herbert; 44 Douglas Street, Deptford, London, S.E.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
 Ditto.—New price list. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
 Ditto.—New price list to be issued on March 3rd. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
 Ditto.—Sixth edition to be issued on April 6th. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)

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Ditto.—Seventh edition to be issued in first week of May. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863.) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.* Vol. IV, No. 4.)

* * In November, 1861 (*B.O.M.*), Barber announces that he has above 400 foreign postage stamps for sale, but it is not until December, 1862, that he offers "Price lists forwarded on application." Mr. A. Perris informs us that Barber was a collector in 1861, and a customer of his; "he broke up his collection and became a dealer, I should think a year after I had started to import unused stamps." A copy of the seventh edition of Barber's list is in the Crawford Library.

BARBER, R. A., junior; Whitworth Terrace, London Road, Leicester.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* November, 1863)

BARCLAY, A.; Withy Grove, Manchester.—Printed list. (*B.M.M.* December, 1863. Succeeded by J. Dickson, *infra*)

BARLOW, Billy; P.O., Watling Street, London.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)

BEALE, H. E.; Grove Lodge, Mount Sion, Tunbridge Wells.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)

BEDDALL, Albert; 38 Lime Street, London, E.C.—List. (*S.C. Misc.* July, 1864)

* * Beddall was a cigar merchant at the address given.

BEDWELL, F.; 114 Queen's Road, Dalston, London.—List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)

DE BELMONT, Eugene; 116 Porter Street, Hull.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)

BENNETT, J. [or T.] W.; 57 West Street, Brighton. See Antigua, *supra*.

BENSON, A.; Throston Street, Hartlepool.—"List of hundreds of used and unused stamps. . . . No larger or cheaper list to be had." (*S.C.M.* June, 1863; July, 1863)

* * A copy given in 1877 by M. Berger-Levrault to the Société Française de Timbrologie. (*Bulletin*, I., p. 215)

BETA; at Mr. Pearce & Co.'s, Manchester.—List. (*B.M.M.* October, 1863)

BETA; 12 Pembroke Street, Glasgow.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* November, 1864)

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BISHOP, E.; 24 Wellington Place, Stepney, London.—List. (*B.M.M.* August, 1863)

BLACKMAN, Thomas, & Co.; 10 St. Martin's Place, Dover.—List. (*S.C. Misc.* July, 1864)

* * Mr. Blackman informs us that he had no lists printed.

BOLTON, George; 16, Spring Street, Hull.—List[s]. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862. *S.C.R.* January, 1863)

BOWERS; 29 Pudding Lane, London, E.C.—List. (*B.M.M.* January, 1864)

BRAY, G. W.; West Hartlepool.—List. (*O.M.* December, 1863)

BRIGGS, William; Pauls & Co., Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)

BROWN, John; 8 Surtees Street, West Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)

Ditto.—Printed list, second edition. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)

* * Advertises that he is "the only collector in West Hartlepool who receives the unused Hamburg, etc., direct, and other collectors in Hartlepool having them for sale buy them through him."

BROWN, Mount; 124 Cheapside, London, E.C.—"Priced lists of unused stamps." (*B.O.M.* January, 1863. The first edition of his well-known "Catalogue" had been advertised in May, 1862)

Ditto.—"New priced list of unused postage stamps just issued." (*S.C.M.* April, 1863)

Ditto.—Supplementary List Postage Stamps for sale by Mount Brown . . . June, 1863. 4 pp., 20×12cm. Pp. 1 and 2 contain a price list; p. 3 has advertisements of the 4th ed. of the "Catalogue," etc.; p. 4 is blank.

Ditto.—"New priced list just issued." (*B.O.M.* July, 1863; September, 1863)

Ditto.—"New price list for *October." 4 pp. (*S.C.M.* October, 1863.) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV, No. 4.)

Ditto.—Supplementary list of postage stamps for sale.*† (2) pp. [December, 1863]

Ditto.—"Price list for *† March." 4 pp. (*S.C.M.* March, 1864)

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Ditto.—"New price list for July." (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)

* * Editions marked * in Crawford Library and † in Royal Philatelic Society's Library.

BUCHANAN, R.; 1 Weymouth Terrace, Paisley Road, Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)

BULLOCK, Alfred H.; 55 Oldfield Road, Salford.—Lists. (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)

Ditto.—July list. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863)

Ditto.—New price list [about 1,000 varieties]. (*S.C.M.* February, 1864; *B.J.* April, 1864)

Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* March, 1865)

* * "H. Bullock" of the above address appears as a collector as late as 1897. in the "British Stamp Directory"

BURRELL, John, & Co.; Box 162, P.O. [afterwards at J. G. & W. Hill's], [later, 30 Clarence Street, Shield Field], Newcastle-on-Tyne—Wholesale and retail list. (*L.N.S.A.* September, 1863)

* * Publisher of the *Newcastle & Gateshead Stamp Advertiser*.

BUTTERWORTH, Robert, & Co.; West Rosamond Street, Manchester.—"New and descriptive price catalogue for December." (*B.O.M.* December, 1864)

* * See also *S.C.M.* December, 1865, where Butterworth is described as being an alias of W. Whittaker, *infra*.

C

C., T.; 7 Charles Street, York.—See A. B., *supra*.

C., W. F. [or W. H. C.]; 1 York Square, Brixham.—List. (*S.C.R.* March, 1863; *S.C.M.* June, 1863)

* * Mr. A. Perris thinks this is one of W. F. Cooke's addresses.

CALLENDER, James; Callender Bros., Liverpool.—[Printed] list. (*S.C.R.* April, 1863; *L.N.S.A.* May, 1863)

Ditto.—"New list just issued." (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)

CALLEY, C.; Quay, Brixham.—List. (*S.C.R.* February, 1863)

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- [CAPAGNI, Señor], Bacon's Library, [63 Chalk Farm Road], Haverstock Hill, London, N.W.—List. (N.P.S.E. January, 1864)
- CARDER, Eugene; 9 Market Place, Dover.—Catalogue of 800 stamps. (S.C.R. March, 1863)
- CARRUTHERS, R.; 34 Shamrock Street, Glasgow.—List. (B.M.M. March, 1864)
- CHAMBERS, R.; 115 High Street, Gateshead.—List. (Tiffany, "Phil. Library," p. 87, says "adv. 1864." Where?)
 *** Publisher of the *Northumberland and Durham Stamp Advertiser*.
- [CHAPMAN, C., junior]; Ramsgate Foreign Stamp and Crest Depôt, 2, Queenbro' Villas, Ramsgate.—List. (N.P.S.E. May, 1864)
- CHATER, J. W.; 89 Clayton Street, Newcastle-on-Tyne.—List. (Tiffany, "Phil. Library," p. 87, says "Price list adv. 1864." Where?)
 *** Advertises, S.C.R. April, 1864, that he "has a large and attractive front shop in one of the principal streets of Newcastle, and in his window are displayed Stamp Magazines and Foreign Stamps of all kinds." Chater was printer of the *Northumberland and Durham Stamp Advertiser*, and, according to Mr. A. Perris, "also publisher of a sporting circular."
- CHEAP STAMP Co.; Preston. See Preston, *infra*.
- CITY STAMP DEPOT; 27 Farringdon Street, London, E.C.—List (I.P.S.R. December, 1863)
- CLARK, C. H.; Liverpool.—Catalogue of foreign postage stamps for sale (1862 [?], Crawford Catalogue, col. 80.) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.* Vol. IV., No. 4.)
 Ditto.—No. 2 (1863, *ibid.*, and S.C.R. May, 1863)
 *** Complaint against, in N.D.S.A. March, 1864. Mr. A. Perris informs us that this was C. E. Moore (*infra*), trading under his mother's maiden-name. Copies in Crawford Library as noted above.
- CLARK, R. S., & Co. [Clark, Moy & Co.]; 2 Florence Terrace, South Lambeth, London, S.—List. (B.O.M. February, 1865; B.J. March, 1865)
- CLARK, Thos. Sidney; Royal Asylum of St. Anne, Brixton Hill, London, S.—List. (B.O.M. June, 1862)

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- CLARKE, Edward [later, Clarke & Rawll]; 32 Wood Street, Kennington Cross, London, S. [also 16 Mark Lane, E.C.]—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* May 1863)
 * * See also H. Thomas, *infra*. The firm, though it has not carried on business continuously, still exists as "Clarke & Co."
- CODLIN, William T.; 1 Russell Terrace, Norfolk Street, Hull.—List. (*L.S.C.J.* April, 1865)
- COELS, C., & NIX; 4 Upper Rupert Street, Leicester Square, London.—"Price current." (*S.C.M.* December, 1864)
- COLLIER, Edward; Hyde Lane, Hyde, near Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1864)
 * * Collier's name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.
- COLONUS, A.; 18 Blackheath Hill, Greenwich, London, S.E.—Price list. (*W.S.C.A.* January, 1864)
 Ditto—Wholesale list of Colonials. (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)
- CONSTABLE, W., & Co.; 6 Everton Road, Liverpool.—Printed catalogue. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
- CONWAY & BADHAM; 63 Mid Abbey Street [afterwards 19 Adelaide Road], Dublin.—List. (*O.M.* October, 1863)
- COOKE, William Frederic; 6 Buckland Terrace, Dover [in 1864, address, 22 Oxford Terrace, Clapham Road, London, S.]—Lists. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
 * * Advertises in 1863, "Mr. Cooke has no connection with petty dealers, but imports his own stamps direct from the Continent," and also states that his correspondents include "exalted and illustrious persons, among our own as well as among the foreign nobility." See also A.B. and W.F.C. *supra*.
- CORDY, Edward C.; High Street, Malmesbury.—List. (*N.P.S.E.* February, 1864)
- COULTHARD, J. I.; P.O. Box 28 [afterwards Queen Street], Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1862)
 * * Coulthard's list is the earliest we have been able to trace; we are informed, however, by Mr. A. Perris that it "was simply a small written list." In *S.C.M.* June, 1863, he describes himself as successor to James J. Woods, *infra*. Mr. Perris writes, "Coulthard was a customer of mine

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in 1861-2, and I think one of the projectors of our magazine."

COULTHURST, Henry; 13 Moorgate Street, London, E.C.—Lists. (*C.C.S.A.* October, 1863)

CRANSTON, W.; Southport.—List. (*S.C. Misc.* July 1864)

CREBER, Theophilus [& Co.]; 15 Navy Row, [also Ford], Devonport.—"January price list just issued." (*O.M.* January, 1864)

Ditto.—"Enlarged price list (for March)." (*N.G.S.A.* March, 1864)

Ditto.—"New and enlarged price list of nearly 2,000 varieties." (*O.M.* July, 1864)

Ditto.—List of 2,000 varieties. (*S.C.M.* March, 1865)

* * A copy of one of T. Creber & Co.'s lists is in the Crawford Library.

CROSS, W. R.; 6 Walker Street, Hessle Road, Hull.—Printed list[s]. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862; *S.C.R.* February, 1863)

CROSSKEY, William H.; 30 Terminus Road, Brighton.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)

* * Crosskey's name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

CULLUM, William; stationer, 5 Abney Park Terrace, High Street, Stoke Newington, London, N.—Retail list. (*S.C.M.* January, 1864; *O.M.* May, 1864)

Ditto.—"Illustrated list." (*S.C.M.* May, 1865)

Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*S.C.M.* January, 1864)

Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*C.C.M.* October, 1865)

* * Cullum's name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

CURNICK, H.; 42 Kingsdown Parade, Bristol.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)

Ditto.—List of 600 varieties. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)

D

D., P.; P.O., Townwall Street, Dover.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)

DAVIS, S.; 18 Granby Street, Leicester.—List. (*S.C.M.* May, 1863)

* * Copy given in 1877 by M. Berger-Levrault to the Société Française de Timbrologie. *Bulletin*, Vol. I., p. 215)

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DEADMAN, C. W. ; 26 Adelaide Square [afterwards 2 Victoria Road], Windsor.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)

DEAN, Daniel, [& Co.]; South Hope Street, Hope Square, Weymouth.—List. (*O.M.* September, 1863)

Ditto.—"Large catalogue of stamps with prices." (*B.O.M.* June, 1864)

* * * About September, 1865, the business was temporarily carried on as "Marsden & Dean," 7 South Parade, St. Mary's, Manchester, but was re-transferred to Weymouth (see *E.B.M.* September, 1865; October, 1865)

* * * Publisher of the *Weymouth Stamp and Crest Advertiser* and the *Stamp Collectors' Miscellany*. Dean's name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

DECROIX (Charles) [& SQUIER]; 21 Snargate Street, [Wellington Bazaar], Dover.—"New list." (*S.C.M.* May, 1863)

Ditto.—List. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863; *S.C.M.* July, 1863)

* * * *B.O.M.* March, 1863, gives the name as "Carlo Decroix of Paris." Decroix, we are told, resided with the proprietor of the "Bazaar," having come to England to learn the language. Another informant states that he gave up the stamp business about 1866, and died a few years ago.

DIAMOND, W. G. ; [Rifle House], 13 Westbourne Grove, London, W.—List. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)

* * * "W. Diamond, Rifle House, Bayswater, London, I remember had some very finely executed imitations of Pony Express" (Letter from S. A. Taylor, 1904). Diamond's name appears as a dealer (at 54 Westbourne Grove) as late as 1873.

DICKSON, James [& Co.—also various initials]; 11 Oldfield Road, Salford.—List. (*B.O.M.* December 1863. In *B.M.M.* April, 1864, he describes him self as successor to A. Barclay, *supra*)

* * * Dickson's name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

DIXON & NAISH [also Dixon, Naish & Dixon]; 12 Powis Square, Brighton.—List. (*B.M.M.* May, 1863)

Ditto.—August list. (*B.M.M.* October, 1863)

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- Ditto.—"New and enlarged list." (*E.B.M.* December, 1863)
- DOBLE, E.; 4 Upper Brook Street, Falmouth.—Printed list[s]. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863; *S.C.M.* June, 1863)
- * * Doble was the translator and publisher of the English edition of Moens's "Falsifications."
- DOUST, W. W. W.; High Street, Peckham, Surrey.—"Cheapest price list ever issued." (*B.O.M.* March, 1863; see *Roma*, *infra*.)
- DOVER, George, & Co.; 107 Brunswick Road, Liverpool.—"Comprehensive and moderate-priced list." (*E.B.M.* November, 1863)
- DUFF & Co.; 18 Edinburgh Street, Great Homer Street, Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- DUFF & WEST; 50 Potter Street, Everton, Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- DUNDAS, R.; 247 Great Homer Street, Liverpool.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
- * * Mr. A. Perris informs us that this was the same person as "Alpha," 249 Great Homer Street, *supra*.
- DUNLOP & PORTUGAL; 33 King Street, Cheapside, London.—Wholesale list, 1,200 varieties. (*U.S.G.* September, 1864)
- * * This firm suspended payment in October, 1864. See *S.C.M.* Vol. II, p. 175.
- DUNN, F.; 191 Upper Street, Islington, London.—List of unused stamps. (*L.N.S.A.* August, 1863)
- Ditto.—Second edition: "and on the first of every month after." (*S.C.R.* September, 1863)
- Ditto.—List of 1,450 varieties. (*S.C.M.* June, 1864)
- * * Mr. A. C. Emerson informs us that he well remembers Dunn as having, in the windows of his stationer's shop in Upper Street, what was in those days a remarkably good display of stamps.

E

- E., C. T.; 153 Cheapside, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
- E., J.; 64 Tyne Street, North Shields.—List. (*N.G.S.A.* March, 1864)

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- E. & M. ; 70 Seacombe Street [also 143 Great Oxford Street, North], Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863, where they also advertise as "P. & D.").
- ELLIS, S. B. ; 76 Hanover Street, Sheffield.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)
- ELLIS, T. H. ; 97 Borough Road, Southwark, London, S.E.—List (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)
- EMERY, William ; St. Neots, Hunts.—List. (*B.M.M.* December, 1863)

* * Mr. Emery informs us that this list was only a manuscript one.

- ENTWISTLE, C. [or E.] ; Box W. 47, P.O., Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- EVANS, Oswald ; The Village Cross Lane, Salford.—List. (*S.C.M.* February, 1865)
- EVANS, R., & Co. [Evans Brothers] ; 20 Parkside, Knightsbridge, London.—List. (*S.C.R.* August, 1863)
- Ditto.—Monthly circular. (*S.C.R.* September, 1863 ; *I.P.S.R.* November, 1863)
- Ditto.—Catalogue (Tiffany, "Phil. Library," p. 87, says "adv. 1864." Where ?)

* * Publishers of the *National Postage Stamp Express*.

F

- F., A., & Co. ; 1 Ardmoulin Place [afterwards 3 Eglinton Place], Belfast.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—Second edition. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- F., C. ; 20 The Square, Stockton-on-Tees.—List. (*B.O.M.* July, 1862)
- FARBRIDGE, F. G. ; Mr. Smith's, 11 Eastcheap, London, E.C.—Printed catalogue. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
- Ditto.—Wholesale list (*M.I.* January, 1863)
- FLEET, O. ; 6 Meeting House Lane, Peckham, London.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
- FLEET & JACKSON ; Peckham, London.—"List of clean continental stamps." (*S.C.M.* May, 1863)
- FLETCHER, Edward ; 41 Stanley Street, Pimlico, London.—Lists. (*M.I.* September, 1862). See also *N.M.*, *infra*.
- FLINTOFF, T., & Co. ; Box 74, Post Office, Newcastle-on-Tyne.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* September, 1863)

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- FORD, Stephen Plant; Sutherland Place, Penn Fields, Wolverhampton.—List. (*C.H.* April, 1865)
- FOREIGN STAMP DEPOT; Preston. See Preston, *infra*.
- FORMAN, J. T.; *Daily Guardian* Offices, 14 Long Row, Nottingham.—Lists. (*S.C.R.* February, 1863)
- FORSBROOK, W.; Cambridge Crescent, Gough Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham.—List. (*S.C.M.* June, 1864)
- FOSTER, R. Le Neve; East Hill, Wandsworth, London.—List. (*S.C.R.* July, 1864)
- FOULKES, A.; Regent Road, Salford, Manchester.—Catalogue of 100 stamps. (*B.O.M.* April, 1864)
- FOX, John; 196 King Edward's Road, Birmingham.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1864)
- FULLER, Thos. B.; St. Stephen's, Norwich.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1863)
- FURNESS & WILLIAMS [afterwards T. Williams & Co.]; 10 Hardy Street, Liverpool.—List. (*S.C.R.* April, 1864; *S.C.M.* July, 1864.)
- FURNESS, Charles; Higher Tranmere, Birkenhead.—List. (*B.O.M.* July, 1864)
- FURNESS, S.; Apple Grove, Higher Tranmere, Birkenhead, Cheshire.—List. (*B.M.M.* July, 1864)

G

- G., C.; Acomb House, Manchester. See Gloyn, *infra*.
- G., E. See G.F.N., *infra*.
- GARBUTT, W. N.; 90 Scarbro' Street, West Hartlepool [afterwards Ann Street, Sunderland].—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863; *B.M.M.* May, 1865)
- GARNETT, James ["Omega"]; 14, Phoebe Anne Street, Everton, Liverpool.—List. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
- Ditto.—"List of many hundreds of varieties" gratis. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863; *S.C.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—Wholesale list, 1d. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—New list. (*S.C.M.* May, 1863)
- Ditto.—"Disposing of stock, list just published." (*S.C.M.* September, 1864)
- * * * E. L. Pemberton (*L.N.S.A.* 1864, p. 63) wrote: "A dealer's opinion of a stamp, as a rule, is worth next to nothing, for very few have been collectors themselves. There are exceptions—

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- 'Omega,' of Liverpool, being a most striking one." We are indebted to Mr. A. Perris for the identification of Garnett with the "Omega" referred to. He describes him as being "English and writing master at Liverpool College. He had a very fine collection, and was a correspondent of Moens." Doubtless he was the "Arithmetical Master, Upper School, Collegiate Institution, Liverpool," who in April, 1861, wrote to the Sydney postal authorities asking for used postage stamps. (See Houston's "New South Wales," p. 104).
- GASKIN, W.; 7 Pittville Lawn, Cheltenham.—List. (*B.O.M.* July, 1862)
- GEM, Jacob; 71 Brunswick Road, Liverpool.—"List which embraces all the Continental and Colonial Stamps now in use." (*S.C.M.* June, 1863)
- GIBBONS, Edward Stanley; 17 Treville Street, Plymouth.—Price list [800 varieties]. (*S.C.R.* June, 1864; *S.C.M.* July, 1864; August, 1864)
- Ditto.—Price list of 1,000 varieties. (*O.M.* August, 1864)
- Ditto.—"Just published, new price list of 1,000 varieties." (*S.C.M.* December, 1864)
- Ditto.—New list [November?] of over 2,000 varieties. (*S.C.M.* November, 1865)
- Ditto.—New list for December, "large size," 20pp. (*S.C.M.* December, 1865. Thereafter advertised monthly. In September the firm becomes "Stanley, Gibbons & Co.")
- *** The editions of November and December, 1865, are in the Crawford Library: they differ only in the date on the wrapper. In the 1870 prospectus of this firm they claim to have been "established six years" and in a later prospectus of 1871 to have been "established eight years." The firm still exists as "Stanley Gibbons Ltd."
- GIBSON, G., & Co.; Temperance Hall, Preston.—"Continental list" and "Colonial list." (*S.C.R.* June, 1864)
- GILBERTSON, H. G.; Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863)
- GLOVER, H. F.; 8 Church Street, Stoke Newington, London, N. [afterwards Avenue Road, Clapton, New Town, N.E.].—Printed catalogue, second edition. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)

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- GLOYN, C. [& H.]; Acomb House, Manchester.—
 "Printed catalogue of 200 for 1d., and also of 800 for 8d. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
 Ditto.—"Price list of several hundred varieties, 4d." (*S.C.M.* February, 1863)
 Ditto.—Set of price lists, containing prices of several hundred varieties, 6d." (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
 Ditto.—"Sixth edition of priced list will be ready on May 1st, and seventh edition on May 27th." (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
 Ditto.—New list. (*B.O.M.* August, 1863)
 Ditto.—"Enlarged price catalogue, No. 1, now ready." (*O.M.* November, 1863)
 Ditto.—"All collectors should send 3 stamps for No. 2 of enlarged price catalogue of rare stamps, published on the 1st, 12th, and 20th of each month." (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)
 Ditto.—"No. 5 will be issued on January 15." (*B.M.M.* January, 1864)
 Ditto.—No. 7. (*O.M.* January, 1864)
 Ditto.—List, 1d. (*S.C.M.* September, 1864)
 Ditto.—"New illustrated list," 1d. (*B.O.M.* February, 1865)
 * * * Publishers of *Once a Month*. "C. & H. Gloyd were in business in the West U.S. Wm. P. Brown told me one of them called to see him . . ." (Letter from S. A. Taylor, 1904). Their name appears as dealers as late as 1873.
 GOLDBERG [Goldburgh], E.; 88 Grosvenor Street, Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)
 Ditto.—"Wholesale and retail list." (*B.O.M.* January, 1864)
 Ditto.—"New list just issued. (*B.O.M.* April, 1864)
 GRANT, C.; 15 Edge Vale, Smithdown Lane, Liverpool.—
 —"Printed list and circular of terms." (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
 GRANT, James; 29 West George Street, Glasgow.—
 List of about 600 stamps. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
 Ditto.—List of 800 stamps. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
 * * * A copy of Grant's list given in 1877 by M. Berger-Levrault to the Société Française de Timbrologie. (*Bulletin*, Vol. I., p. 215)
 GRAY, W.; 2 Crown Court, Philpot Lane, London, E.C.—List. (*B.M.M.* February, 1864)

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- GREAVES, W.; Rowley Green, Arkley, Barnet.—List. (*M.I.* May, 1863; *S.C.M.* February, 1864)
- GREAVES, BRESIDON, & KIRCH; 32 Great St. Helens, London, E.C.—List. (*B.M.M.* September, 1863)
- GREEN, T. N., & Co.; 53 Eden Street, Cambridge.—List. (*E.B.M.* February, 1864)
- GREGSON, James, & Co.; 6 Park Road, Manchester.—List of nearly 1,200 varieties. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863)
- *** Publisher of the *Continental and Colonial Stamp Advertiser*.

H

- H[AMMOND ?], A.; 62, St. George Street, Ipswich.—List. (*W.S.C.A.* January, 1864)
- H., E.; Box 25, P.O., Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
- H., S.; P.O., Broad Green, Liverpool.—See Stockall, *infra*.
- HACKING, C.; 147 Boundary Street, Liverpool.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- *** Mr. A. Perris writes, "This was a youth, son of a foreman at North Shore Mills, Boundary Street."
- HALL, Edward C. [& Co.]; Mount Pleasant [also c/o Hodgson & Todd], Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1862)
- Ditto.—Second edition. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)
- Ditto.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)
- Ditto.—List. (*S.C.M.* August, 1864)
- *** Publisher of the *Stamp Collector's Journal*.
- HALL, J.; 1, Camden Place, Cambridge.—List. (*M.I.* March, 1863)
- HALL, James; 117 Eglinton Street, Glasgow.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* July, 1863)
- HAMMOND, [F.] A.; [Vine Cottage] 62, Globe Lane, Ipswich.—List. (*W.S.C.A.* January, 1864; *S.C. Misc.* July, 1864.) See also H., A., *supra*.
- HAMMOND, G.; Strawberry Dale, Harrogate.—Wholesale list. (*B.M.M.* April, 1864)
- HAMPSHIRE, H.; 17 Austin Friars, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- HARLEY, R. P.; 14 Gloucester Street [afterwards 18 South Hanover Street], Glasgow.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)

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- Ditto.—"March list [second edition] of upwards of 600 varieties." (*B.O.M.* February, 1863; *S.C.M.* March, 1863)
- Ditto.—"April [third edition] . . . about 800 varieties." (*B.O.M.* March, 1863; *S.C.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—"May . . . 900 [850] varieties." (*S.C.M.* May, 1863; *B.M.M.* May, 1863; *B.O.M.* gives May list as 800 varieties and published by "Harley, Ross & Ross")
- * * An editorial note, *B.O.M.* March, 1864, reports Harley as having "left that town."
- HARRIS, A. T., & Co.; c/o Mr. C. Garbutt, bookseller, Silver Street, Stockton-on-Tees.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* October, 1863)
- * * Business transferred to T. Williams & Co., Grammar School, Norton, near Stockton-on-Tees (*N.D.S.A.* April, 1864)
- HARRISON, Joseph; Flowergate, Whitby.—List. (*M.I.* February, 1863)
- HASLAM, J. P.; Lark Hill, Bolton.—Printed lists. (*O.M.* March, 1864)
- HEAD, Benjamin G.; 39 Coburg Street, Leeds.—Printed list[s]. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862; *S.C.R.* December, 1862)
- Ditto.—List of 500 varieties. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863)
- HEDLEY, George, & Co.; 16 St. Mary's Place, Newcastle-on-Tyne.—List. (*S.C.R.* October, 1863)
- HENRY, James; Chemical Laboratory, 68 Corporation Street, Manchester.—"Collector's list." (*B.O.M.* June, 1864)
- Ditto.—"Wholesale list." (*B.O.M.* June, 1864)
- HENSTOCK, F. W., & Co.; 24 Butler Street, Greenheys, Manchester.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)
- HERBERT & Co.; at Mr. Pyne's, King's College Road, Hampstead, London.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* December, 1863)
- HILL, C. H.; 425 Argyle Street, Glasgow.—Printed list [of 600 stamps]. (*M.I.* January, 1863; *S.C.M.* March, 1863)
- Ditto.—List of used, and list of unused. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—May list [700 varieties]. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863; July, 1863)
- Ditto.—Winter list. (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)

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- Ditto.—New list of 1,000 varieties. (*B.O.M.* March, 1864)
- Ditto.—Wholesale list of facsimiles. (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)
- *.* S. A. Taylor mentions Hill as among the earliest English dealers with whom he had commercial relations. His name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.
- HILLCOAT, A.; 16 Grafton Street, Glasgow.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)
- HIME BROTHERS; 20 Canning Street, Liverpool.—List [of Brazil stamps?] (*S.C.M.* June, 1864; July, 1864)
- HINE, E.; Mr. Lockhart's, Dunstable.—List of used continentals. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
- HOARD, Wm. C., & Co.; 47 Richmond Terrace, London, S.—List. (*S.C.M.* October, 1865)
- HODGSON & DAWSON; 105 High Street, Stockton.—List. (*S.C. Misc.* July, 1864)
- HOLMESTED, E. A.; c/o R. Harrison, Esq., Stowe Park, Bungay.—List. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
- HOME AND COLONIAL FOREIGN P.S. Co.; 41 Blackman Street, Borough, London.—Lists. (*L.N.S.A.* May, 1863; communications were to be sent to Mr. William E. Akhurst at the above address)
- HOOPER, J. [afterwards Hooper & Forward] 24 Bow Street, London, W.C. [also 1 Hanover Court, Milton Street, E.C.]—Pricelist. (*S.C.R.* February, 1863)
- Ditto.—New [fourth] edition of priced catalogue, about 1,000 varieties. (*S.C.M.* March, 1863. *S.C.R.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—List for August. (*S.C.M.* August, 1863)
- Ditto.—List for September. (*S.C.M.* September, 1863)
- *.* In *S.C.R.* February, 1863, advertisements of "J.H." and "J. Hooper" appear from different addresses. Our authority for the identification is Mr. A. Perris.
- HOOPER, R. P. W.; 18 Bedford Circus, Exeter.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
- HOPKINSON, J.; Manningham Academy, Bradford, Yorks.—["Descriptive"] price list. (*B.M.M.* January, 1864; *N.D.S.A.* February, 1864)

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- HOWARD, John ; Messrs. Hall & Jones, Liverpool.—
Advertises "20 foreign stamps and a printed sheet
of foreign addresses for Baden, Luxembourg,
Prussia, etc." (*B.O.M.* June, 1864)
- HOWARD, W., & Co. ; York.—List. (*S.C. Misc.* July,
1864)
- HUDSON, Thomas ; Green Terrace, Seaton Carew, West
Hartlepool.—List of unused. (*M.I.* May, 1863)
- HUGHES, Arthur R. ; 1 Poplar Grove, Cross Lane,
Salford, Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1863)
Ditto.—New list. (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)
Ditto.—"Newly issued descriptive price catalogue
of over 2,000 stamps, 2d." (*B.O.M.* April, 1865)
Ditto.—"New monthly price catalogue." (*B.J.*
July, 1865)
Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* April, 1865)
- HUNN, H. ; The Quay, Topsham, Devon.—List.
(*E.B.M.* April, 1863)
- HUNTER, William E. ; Seymour Street, Lisburn.—
List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1863)
- HURLEY, E. C. ; 17 Acre Lane, West Brixton, London.—
List printed for, in September, 1863. (see *W.S.C.A.*
January, 1864)
- HYAMS, George ; 19 Walcot Buildings, Bath.—List.
(*B.M.M.* May, 1863)

I

- INCH, James ; 3 Buckingham Terrace, Bonner's Road,
[afterwards Robinson Road, Victoria Park],
London.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- IRVIN, John ; Box 26, P.O., Hartlepool.—List.
(*B.O.M.* January, 1863)

J

- J., W. ; Mrs. Botterill's, 12 West Hilary Street, Leeds.—
List of upwards of 300 stamps. (*B.O.M.* January,
1863)
- JACKSON, U. B. ; 31 Bucklersbury, London, E.C.—List.
(*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
- JACKSON & Co. ; Cornhill, Bridgwater. — List.
(*L.N.S.A.* July, 1863)
- JAMES, D., & Co. ; 42 Quayside, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
—List. (*O.M.* December, 1863)
*** Publisher of the *Northumberland and Durham
Stamp Advertiser.*

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- JARVIS, E. ; 59 Trinity Square, Borough, London, S.E.
[afterwards 5 Grenville Street, South, and 37
Mersey Street, Liverpool].—List. (*O.M.* November,
1863)
Ditto.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1864)
- JEEVES, C. B. ; 46 Ashburnham Grove, Greenwich.—
List. (*S.C.M.* May, 1863)
- JOHNS, Anthony John ; Cavendish Street, Manchester.
—List. (*O.M.* January, 1864)
. Publisher of the *British and Foreign Stamp
and Coin Advertiser* and printer of *Once a Month*.
- JOHNSON, W. ; Market Place, Dover.—List. (*S.C.M.*
May, 1863)
- JOHNSTONE, R. W., & Co. ; 91 Hanover Street, Glasgow.
—Lists. (*M.I.* January, 1863)
- JONES, C. K. ; 59 Barlow Street, Ardwick, Manchester.
—"Newly issued price list." (*I.P.S.R.* November,
1863)
Ditto.—"New and revised list, over 900 varieties."
(*B.M.M.* February, 1864). See H. Steinau, *infra*.
- JONES, C. K., & Co. (late Steinau, Jones & Co.) ; 9
Corporation Street, Manchester.—"Now issue on
the 1st of every month their large and descriptive
price catalogue, 8vo., 36 pages." (*B.O.M.* August,
1865)
Ditto.—"Large [monthly] illustrated wholesale and
retail price catalogue, 8vo., 42 [44] pages."
(*B.O.M.* October, 1865 ; *S.C.M.* November, 1865)
. Their name appears as dealers as late as
1873. C. K. Jones, 95 Percival Street, Temple
Street, Manchester, appears as a collector in 1897
(*British Stamp Directory*). In the *London Philate-
list* of 1895 (Vol. IV, p. 79), is noted "his decease
a few weeks since, of consumption, in London, at
the age of 53."
- JONES, F. G. [& Co.] ; 87 Roscommon Street, Everton,
Liverpool.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
Ditto.—September catalogue. (*B.O.M.* September,
1863)
Ditto.—Enlarged ["enormous"] price list. (*S.C.M.*
May, 1864 ; July, 1864)
Ditto.—List of over 2,000 varieties. (*B.O.M.*
November, 1864)
. Publisher of the *Liverpool Stamp Advertiser*.

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- JONES, R. T. ; 23 Lonsdale Street, Windsor, Liverpool.
—List. (*B.M.M.* September, 1863)
JONES, Thos. Llewellyn ; 47 Upper Beau Street,
Liverpool.—List (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)
JONES, W. H. L., Linden Cottage, Lower Sydenham,
London.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* December 1862)
Ditto.—April list. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
Ditto.—May list. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
JUBB, W. H. ; 36 Commercial Road, Leeds.—List of
500 stamps. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)

K

- KENNEDY, J. R. [also Kennedy, McDermid & Co.] ; 79
George Street, Edinburgh.—List of foreign and
colonial stamps, [16pp., 8vo.] (*S.C.R.* June, July,
1863)
Ditto.—Catalogue for November. (*S.C.R.* Novem-
ber, 1863 ; *S.C.M.* November, 1863)
KITT, Thos. Wm. ; 30 Cloth Fair, London, E.C.—List.
(*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
Ditto.—Descriptive list of stamps required. (*S.C.R.*
September, 1863)
*** T. W. Kitt has been mentioned above as
originating the publication of the first philatelic
journal. In later years he was well known as a
numismatist, his collection of coins being sold at
Sotheby's not long since.
KNOWLES, M. R. J., & Co. ; Bradford.—List. (*B.O.M.*
October, 1862)

L

- L., F. W. ; 13 King Street, Cheapside, London, E.C.—
"The most genuine price list in the trade."
(*B.O.M.* April, 1863 ; *B.M.M.* May, 1863)
LAING, J. T. ; 6 Regent Street, Stockton-on-Tees.—
List. (*I.P.S.R.* October, 1863)
LANCE, Mr. ; 15 Brunswick Parade, Barnsbury Road,
Islington, London, N.—List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
LANG, A. S. ; 34 St. Andrew's Street, Glasgow.—List
of packets. (*B.O.M.* August, 1864)
*** "A. S. Lang was another Glasgow dealer
I did business with. I have his portrait yet."
(Letter from S. A. Taylor, 1904).
LEA, J. [& Co.] ; 11 Danube Street, Liverpool.—
"Printed list of many hundred varieties" [1,600
varieties]. (*B.O.M.* June, 1864 ; September, 1864)

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- LENNARD, John M., junior; Linthorpe, near Middlesborough.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1862)
 Ditto.—Printed list. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
 Ditto.—Fourth edition. (*S.C.M.* March, 1863)
 LENNOX, H. M.; 18 Newhall Terrace [afterwards 52 Renfield Street], Glasgow.—List of genuine. (*S.C.M.* July, 1864; *S.C. Misc.* August, 1864)
 . A copy of "Price list of foreign and colonial postage stamps sold by H. Lennox, 18 Newhall Terrace" (Glasgow, n.d., 10.5×8.4in. Pp. 4) is in the Aberdeen University Library.
 Ditto.—List of facsimiles. (*S.C. Misc.* August, 1864)
 . S. A. Taylor, mentioning Lennox as one of the earliest English dealers with whom he had commercial relations, writes: "I still have a photo of him taken by G. Cumming, 108 West George Street."
 LIDWELL, Henry; 1 Berkeley Crescent, Gravesend.—"List just issued." (*B.J.* January, 1864)
 LIGHTBOWN, James; Cross Lane, Salford.—List. (*S.C.M.* June, 1864)
 LIGHTBOWN, Robert S.; 6 Highfield View, Cross Lane, Salford.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1863)
 Ditto.—List. "My brother is now trying to outsell me." (*B.O.M.* June, 1864)
 Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* March, 1864)
 . A copy of one of R. S. Lightbown's lists is in the Crawford Library. His name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.
 LINCOLN, C.; c/o C. Müller, Esq., Middlesboro'-on-Tees.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
 LINCOLN, William, junior; at W. S. Lincoln & Son's, 462 New Oxford Street, London, W.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
 Ditto.—"Priced catalogue of . . . stamps" 34+(2) pp. [1864]. (Crawford Catalogue, col. 230.) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., No. 4.)
 Ditto.—Ditto [new ed.] 23+(1) pp. [1865]. (Crawford Catalogue, col. 230)
 . Copies in Crawford Library as noted above. The firm still exists as "W. S. Lincoln."
 LINDSAY, Jas.; c/o Robert MacIndoe, 133 West George Street, Glasgow.—List. (*S.C.M.* July, 1863)

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- LOGAN, J. ; 5 Morris Place, Monteith Row, Glasgow.
—List. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)
LOSEBY, G. G. ; Francis Street, Leeds.—List. (*B.M.M.*
January, 1864)
LUXTON, H. ; Tavistock.—List. (*S.C.R.* March, 1863)

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- M., C. A. ; See Menlove Brothers, *infra*.
M., E. ; Pocklington, Yorkshire.—Lists. (*B.O.M.*
October, 1862)
M., J. ; Post Office, Guernsey.—List. (*B.O.M.* January,
1863)
M., J. C. ; Cromwell House, Highgate, London, N.—
List. (*B.O.M.* September, 1862)
M., N. ; 41 Stanley Street, Pimlico, London.—List.
(*B.O.M.* June, 1862). See also Fletcher, *supra*.
McAULAY, John ; 13 Cambridge Lane, Glasgow.—
Printed list of 600 varieties. (*B.O.M.* January,
1863)
Ditto.—List "just issued." (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
McCHEANE, H. ; 38 Old Broad Street, London, E.C.—
List. (*U.S.G.* September, 1864)
McCLEERY, Claremont, Belfast.—List. (*B.M.M.* July
1863)
McCORKINDALE, D. ; 70 George Square and 37 Abbots-
ford Place, Glasgow.—Printed list, about 500
varieties. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)
Ditto.—February ["Spring"] list of 600 varieties.
(*S.C.M.* February, 1863 ; *B.O.M.* March, 1863)
Ditto.—June [Summer] list. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863 ;
S.C.M. June, 1863)
MacKAY, Alexander R. [& Co.] ; 25 Hope Street [also
3 Edwin Place, Surrey Street and 48 McAslin
Street] Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
. The name of "W. B. Mackay, 3 Edwin
Place, Glasgow," appears as a dealer as late as
1873.
MacKAY, J., & Co. ; 77 Booth Street West, Manchester.
—List. (*B.O.M.* July, 1864)
Ditto.—"List for this month." (*B.O.M.* July, 1865 ;
November, 1865)
. Their name appears as dealers as late as
1873.

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- McKNIGHT, Angus W. ; 13 Exchange Square, Glasgow.
—List of 800 varieties. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- McLAREN, Alexander ; 16 St. Andrew's Square,
Glasgow.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- MANN, A. O. ; 23 Ledbury Road, Bayswater, London.
—List. (*I.P.S.R.* December, 1863)
- MANNERS, T. ; 10 Chester Place, Kennington Road,
London.—List (*M.I.* December, 1862)
- MARSDEN, — ; 33 Bridge Street [afterwards 12 Islington
Square, Salford], Manchester.—List. (*S.C.J.*
July, 1863)
Ditto.—"New price list." (*S.C.R.* December, 1863)
Ditto.—List of 1,000 varieties. (*N.G.S.A.* February,
1864)
Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)
- *.* This firm traded under various initials, but
an advertisement-notice, *S.C.M.* December, 1865,
mentions two partners, S. H. Marsden and W. F.
Marsden, the former being described as under age.
- MARSH, James, & Co. ; 90 London Wall, London, E.C.
—List of unused. (*S.C.R.* December, 1863)
Ditto.—List. (*S.C.M.* March, 1864)
- MARSHALL & Co. ; 46 Clarence Street [afterwards 7
Danube Street, Smithdown Road, Edge-hill],
Liverpool.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* September,
1863 ; *E.B.M.* July, 1864)
- MATHER, R. ; 7 Meller Street, Broughton, Manchester.
—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1864)
- MAY, Frederick, & Co. ; 44 Stokes Croft, Bristol.—
(Tiffany, "Phil. Library," p. 88, says "adv. 1863."
Where ?)
- MAYER, A. ; 36 Cross Street, Manchester.—List.
(*B.O.M.* March, 1864). See Arensberg, *supra*.
- MELDRUM, Robert ; 160 West George Street [and
other addresses], Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* August
1862)
Ditto.—Printed list of about 700 varieties. (*B.O.M.*
March, 1863)
Ditto.—Printed list of nearly 800 varieties. (*B.O.M.*
April, 1863)
Ditto.—"Two lists" [? facsimiles and genuine].
(*B.O.M.* August, 1864)
Ditto.—Wholesale list of facsimiles. (*S.C.M.* Decem-
ber, 1864)

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Ditto.—Retail list of [200 different] facsimiles. (S.C.M. December, 1864; B.O.M. December, 1864)

*** A copy of one of Meldrum's lists given in 1877 by M. Berger-Levrault to the Société Française de Timbrologie (*Bulletin*, Vol. I., p. 215). His name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

MENLOVE BROTHERS, [J. & A.]; 22 Upper Baker Street, London, N.W. [afterwards 39 Manchester Street, Manchester Square, London, W.].—List [8 pp.]. (S.C.R. June, 1863; S.C.M. July, 1863; I.P.S.R. August, 1863).

"C.A.M." of the above address advertises printed price list, S.C.M. June, 1863.

MILLAR, Frank E.; 166 Queen's Road, Dalston, London, N.E.—List. (B.O.M. December, 1862)

Ditto.—"New list, published 1st February." (B.O.M. February, 1863)

Ditto.—"Will in future publish an entirely new large and comprehensive price list on the 1st of every month, and will forward the same to any address on receipt of 2 stamps for the postage: no envelope is required. No. 1 is now ready." (B.O.M. March, 1863)

Ditto.—"No. 2 is now ready." (B.O.M. April, 1863)

Ditto.—"List for May now ready." (B.O.M. May, 1863. So for June, July, August, September)

*** Business acquired by George Prior, q.v. (S.C.M. December, 1863). S. A. Taylor, in a letter of 1904, mentions Miller as one of the earliest English dealers with whom he had commercial relations.

MILLER, W.; 8 Culford Road, Kingsland, London.—List. (B.O.M. November, 1863)

MILLS, G.; Post Office, Camberwell Green, London, S.—List. (B.O.M. August, 1865)

MILLS, W.; 6 Cambridge Terrace, Southsea, Hants.—List. (B.O.M. December, 1863)

MOORE, C. E.; 62 Clarence Grove, Everton, Liverpool.—List. (B.O.M. December, 1863.) See also C. H. Clark, *supra*. (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., No. 4.)

MOORE, Edward, & Co.; Liverpool.—Printed list.* (B.O.M. December, 1862). (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., No. 4.)

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- Ditto.—Monthly catalogue, second edition.* (S.C.R. January, 1863)
 Ditto.—Third edition, including 130 U.S. Locals, 5d.* (S.C.R. March, 1863)
 Ditto.—New illustrated catalogue, including 145 U.S. Locals, 4d.* (S.C.R. May, 1863)
 Ditto.—Descriptive catalogue, fifth edition for May, 3d.* (S.C.R. May, 1863)
 Ditto.—Sixth edition for June. (S.C.R. June, 1863)*
 Ditto.—Seventh edition for August. (S.C.R. September, 1863)
 Ditto.—Eighth edition for December. (S.C.R. December, 1863)
 Ditto.—Ready 1st February (S.C.R. January, 1864)*
 Ditto.—Ready 1st March. (S.C.R. February, 1864)
 Ditto.—Ready 1st April. (S.C.R. March, 1864)
 Ditto.—List for June. (B.O.M. June, 1864)
 Ditto.—Separate list of U.S. Locals, 70 kinds, 2d.* (B.O.M. February, 1863)
 Ditto.—Catalogue of 120 U.S. Locals, 3d. (B.O.M. March, 1863)

. The editions marked with an asterisk are in the Crawford Library. The partners in the firm of Edward Moore & Co., were C. E. Moore, *supra*, and Alex. Perris, *infra*. The firm was dissolved in June, 1864 (S.C.R. June, 1864), when Perris took over the business. Publishers of the *Stamp-Collectors' Review*.

MOORE & EDEN; 21 Custom House Arcade, Liverpool.
 —Descriptive price list [1,600 varieties] 16 pp. (S.C.R. June, 1864; B.O.M. July, 1864) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., No. 4.)

. A copy is in the Crawford Library, Moore & Eden wrongly describe themselves as successors to Edward Moore & Co.; the true successor was Alexander Perris.

Moss, G., & Co.; Higher Tranmere [afterwards 301 Mill Street, Liverpool]—List. (B.O.M. March, 1864)
 Moss, Stephen; 66 Fargate Street, Sheffield [also East Markham, Notts].—[Illustrated] lists. (U.K.P.S.A. July, 1863; S.C.M. July, 1863; I.P.S.R. August, 1863.) Advertises later as Mark Moss.

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N

N., G. F. [or E.G.]; c/o Mr. Marsh, jun., [c/o J. Warde, jun.] [1] Catherine Cottage[s], Kender Street, New Cross, London, S.E.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* September, 1863; *B.M.M.* February, 1864)

* * Mr. A. Perris thinks the name was G. F. Nye.

NATALI, Alfred; 57 Great Prescott Street, Goodman's Fields, London.—List. (*N.D.S.A.* April, 1864)

* * Mr. Natali informs us that he believes no printed list was issued by him.

NATHAN, P.; 190 York Street, Cheetham, Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1864)

NEVIS; 16 South Hanover Street, Glasgow.—Printed list of 600 varieties. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)

NEWTON, G. F.; Burton House [also 4 Crescent, and Weston House], Sutton, Surrey.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* October, 1863; *I.P.S.R.* October, 1863)

NICARAGUA & Co.; 108 Argyle Street, Glasgow.—List of 1,000 varieties. (*B.O.M.* January, 1864)

NOCKOLDS, A.; Saffron Walden, Essex.—List. (*M.I.* January 1863)

NOTTON, H. T.; Milton House, Harmer Street, Gravesend.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* May, 1864)

* * The name of "H. O. Notton, Gravesend," appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

NUNN, Thos. C., & Co.; 18 Ironmonger Lane, Cheapside, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1864)

Ditto.—July list. (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)

* * T. C. Nunn was a lithographer and draughtsman.

O

OGAN, A. W.; Church Street, Hackney, London, N.E.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)

OMEGA; Everton, Liverpool.—See James Garnett, *supra*.

OMEGA; Southport.—List of addresses. (*O.M.* July, 1864)

OMEGA; Post Office, Kingstown, Dublin.—List. (*S.C.M.* September, 1864)

P

P., A.; Box M. 47, Post Office [afterwards 237 Great Homer Street], Liverpool.—See Alexander Perris, *infra*.

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- P., F.; King Street, Dover.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- P., W.; Box 34, Post Office, Hartlepool.—List (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
- P. & D.; see E. & M., *supra*.
- PALMER, John, & Co.; 22 Queen Street, Belfast.—“Full price list.” (*Y.E.* September, 1864)
- PARKER, James [F.]; Box 25 [53], Hartlepool.—List (*B.O.M.* November, 1862; *S.C.R.* March, 1863; *S.C.J.* July, 1863)
- PARKIN, W., junior; Crown Steel Works, Sheffield.—List. (*N.D.S.A.* June, 1864)
- PARNARY, J.; Dover Street, West Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863. The name is given in error as “Parnaly,” *S.C.M.* June, 1863)
- PARRY, Thomas, & Co.; [Messrs. Beneke & Co.], 285 Scotland Road, Liverpool.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)
- PEGG, R. W. [& Robert REILLY]; 11 Holles Street, Dublin.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- Ditto.—December list. (*S.C.M.* December, 1863)
- * * The name is given as William Pegg in *B.O.M.* May, 1863, and as C. Pegg in *O.M.* Sept. 1863. Pegg & Reilly appear as dealers as late as 1873.
- PEMBERTON, Edward L.; Beaufort Road, Edgbaston, near Birmingham.—Priced list. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)
- Ditto.—Printed price list of 850 varieties. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)
- * * A copy of the latter is in the Crawford Library. Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, 1910 (Vol. III, No. 2), where there is an account of his philatelic publications. See also J. J. Woods, *infra*.
- PERRIS, Alexander; 2 Drury Lane [afterwards 237 Great Homer Street], Liverpool.—“Printed price list [over 500 varieties] and circular of terms forwarded on receipt of 2 postage stamps.” (*B.O.M.* October, 1862; November, 1862). Compare the Crawford Catalogue, col. 308, where a copy is mentioned dated “September, 1861,” in pencil; the inscription, however, is incorrect, as we find that the paper is watermarked “1862.”

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- Ditto.—Illustrated list of 8 pp. (*S.C.R.* June, 1864. Crawford Cat., col. 308.) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., No. 4.)
- Ditto.—Illustrated price catalogue for July, of about 1,600 varieties, fcp. 4to, 16pp. (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)
- Ditto.—Price catalogue for August, 1,600 varieties. (*S.C.M.* August, 1864)
- Ditto.—New and revised list [October], nearly 2,000 varieties. (*B.O.M.* October, 1864; *E.B.M.* October, 1864)
- Ditto.—New and revised list [November], nearly 2,000 varieties. (*B.O.M.* November, 1864; Crawford Cat., col. 308)
- * * Copies in Crawford Library as noted above.
- Mr. Perris was managing partner in the firm of Edward Moore & Co., *supra*.
- PERRIS, W., & Co.; 237 Great Homer Street, Liverpool.
- [Printed] list.—(*S.C.R.* May, 1863; *B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- * * A younger brother of Alexander Perris who "dabbled in stamps for a while." An editorial note in *B.O.M.* June, 1863, states that he advertised also as "Alpha," of 249 Great Homer Street, and 102 Myrtle Street, but Mr. A. Perris informs us that there was no connection.
- PICKUP, W.; Post Office, Salford.—List. (*B.M.M.* March, 1864)
- PLATT, J.; Akbar, Birkenhead [afterwards Thornham, Royton, Oldham].—List. (*O.M.* December, 1863)
- Ditto.—"New and revised price catalogue [third edition] illustrated with engravings of new and rare stamps." (*S.C.M.* March, 1864)
- * * Platt's stock was sold to W. Cullum. (*S.C.M.* January, 1865). Mr. A. Perris writes, "Platt was a large buyer from me. The illustrations were from stereos borrowed from me."
- POPPELWELL, F. [& BRO.]; 8 Bank Place, Salford [afterwards Seedley, Pendleton], Manchester.—List. (*O.M.* November, 1863)
- [PRESTON]. CHEAP STAMP Co., Preston.—List. (*S.C.M.* May, 1865)
- PRIOR, George; 48 Fenchurch Street, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)

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Ditto.—“Mr. Prior, having felt the want of a periodical price list, has determined to issue one regularly on the 1st of every month; and as No. 1 has been prepared with very great trouble and expense (it containing several hundred varieties) he trusts it will fully meet the wishes of his numerous customers. The March list is now ready . . .” (*B.O.M.* March, 1863). So with lists for April, May, June, July, August, September, October. The June list is advertised as being forwarded “with one of his private envelope stamps.”*

Ditto.—“Published on the 1st December.” (*S.C.M.* December, 1863)

Ditto.—“New stamp list for January.” (*S.C.M.* January, 1864)

Ditto.—“Price list for March now ready.” (*S.C.M.* March, 1864)

Ditto.—“Price list for May.” (*S.C.M.* May, 1864)

Ditto.—“July list now ready.” (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)

Ditto.—“August list now ready.” (*S.C.M.* August, 1864)

* * * S. A. Taylor mentions Prior as one of the earliest English dealers with whom he had commercial relations.

R

R., M.; J. Knowles & Co., Bradford.—List. (*B.O.M.* September, 1862)

Ditto.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)

Ditto.—List, fifth edition. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)

R., W.; 7 Charles Street [afterwards 11 South Parade], York.—List. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)

Ditto.—“Printed lists.” (*E.B.M.* March, 1863)

RAMSGATE STAMP DEPOT; See C. Chapman, *supra*.

RAWLL, George J.; 139 Leadenhall Street, London, E.C.—List. (*S.C.M.* October, 1863)

* * * Rawll was afterwards in partnership with E. Clarke. (*S.C.M.* November, 1864)

* This was the ordinary rd. embossed envelope, with the stamp surrounded by a ring of the same colour bearing the advertiser's name and address. (See Philbrick and Westoby, p. 198). Similar envelopes were used by F. E. Millar, *supra*.

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- REED, J. T.; Mr. Wheatley's, Butterson, near New-castle-under-Lyme.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
- REGIO CAPITO; 149 Howard Place, Hanley, Staffs.—["New"] printed list. (*S.C.M.* March, 1863; May, 1863)
- RIDDELL, T. L.; stationer, at 10 and 12 Bell Street, City, Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- RICHMOND, G.; Collegiate School, Stockton-on-Tees.—List. (*B.M.M.* October, 1863)
- RIZZIO, Henri; 39 Fore Street, London, E.C.—List. (*S.C.M.* November, 1864)
- ROBERTSON; Hoe Park House, Plymouth.—List[s] for stamped envelope. (*S.C.R.* July, 1863; September, 1863)
- ROBINSON, J. B.; 65 Grafton Street, Dublin.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- ROBINSON, James, [& Co.]; 153 Crown Street, Liverpool.—"Printed Catalogue." (*S.C.R.* February, 1863)
- Ditto.—New list, over 800 varieties. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—"Monster list," over 1,200 varieties. (*S.C.R.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—June list. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- Ditto.—July list. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863)
- Ditto.—List [1,600 kinds].—(*B.O.M.* March, 1864, May, 1864; *S.C.M.* May, 1864)
- Ditto.—"Wholesale list now ready." (*L.N.S.A.* May, 1863)

*** Condemned in *B.O.M.* October, 1863, as "unworthy of trust" and excluded, June, 1864. Mr. A. Perris, however, writes, "He was no cheat but was not always prompt in executing orders. He was a customer of mine and did a fair business. I bought his stock some time in 1864. He was intimate also with Young, Stockall, C. K. Jones, and others. I last saw him a few years ago, but have since lost sight of him altogether." According to S. A. Taylor, "the type, style and size of Robinson's catalogue was copied by Brennan, of New York, but the prices were filled in with a pen." A copy of Robinson's "Wholesale and retail price list" [first edition?] is in the Crawford Library.

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- ROBINSON, W. & J. T. ; [address not given].—Printed list of over 500 varieties. (*B.O.M.* September, 1863 ; *B.M.M.* September, 1863)
- ROE, G. ; Tickhill Priory, Rotherham.—“ Cheap price lists.” (*E.B.M.* May, 1863)
- ROGERSON, M., junior ; 39 North Parade, Bradford, Yorks.—Printed list. (*M.I.* November, 1862)
- ROMA ; c/o Doust, tobacconist, High Street, Peckham, Surrey.—List. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862). See Doust, *supra*.
- ROSS, John S., junior ; 136 West Graham Street, Glasgow.—Printed list. (*S.C.R.* January, 1863)
- Ditto.—Second edition, 850 varieties. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- Ditto.—New [June] list, [upwards of] 900 stamps. (*B.M.M.* May, 1863 ; *S.C.M.* June, 1863)
- ROSS, R. ; 68 St. Vincent Street [afterwards c/o Wm. McKenzie, 33 Buchanan Street], Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- RUMSEY, J. E. ; 165 Aldersgate Street, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* November, 1864)
- RUSSELL, Harvey M. ; 42 King's Road, Chelsea, London, S.W.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* December, 1863)

S

- S. ; St. George's Place, Leamington.—List. (*B.M.M.* May, 1863)
- S., G. R. ; 18 Portland Street, Kingsdown, Bristol.—Printed list. (*S.C.R.* April, 1863)
- S., J. ; 30 Biggin Street, Dover.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- S., J. [H.] ; 21 Islington Street, Salford, Manchester. See W. Shorrocks, *infra*.
- SANDFORD, Archibald ; 34 St. Andrew Street, Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- SCHMIDT, Robert, & Co. ; 5 Clarence Place, Belfast [also Brunswick, Germany].—List. (*S.C.M.* August, 1864)
- SCHOFIELD, A. [& H.] ; Tweedale Street, Rochdale.—List. (*S.C.M.* July, 1865)
- SCHROEDER, A., & Co. ; foreign booksellers. 12 North Bank Street, Edinburgh, [afterwards 12 Sauchiehall Street, Glasgow].—List. (*S.C.Misc.* August, 1864 ; *L.S.C.J.* April, 1865)

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- SHELTON, James; Great Grimsby.—List [of 500 stamps]. (*S.C.R.* February, 1863; *S.C.M.* March, 1863)
- SHEPPARD, R., junior; 13 Albion Terrace, Horsham.—List. (*B.M.M.* October, 1864)
- SHIELDS, J.; c/o Reichman & Co., Middlesborough.—List. (*L.N.S.A.* June, 1863)
- SHORROCKS, W., junior; 21 Islington Street, Salford, Manchester.—List. (*C.C.S.A.* October, 1863. Also advertises as "J.S." and "J. H. S. & Co." *B.M.M.* March, May, 1864)
- SHUTTLEWORTH, J. W.; 31 Portsmouth Place, Lower Kennington Lane, London, S.—List. (*O.M.* September, 1863)
- SIMS, Edward T., junior; 1 Windsor Terrace, Southampton.—List. (*B.M.M.* July, 1863)
- SINCLAIR, John; 1 Princes Square [afterwards at Mr. Slater's, 33 Buchanan Street], Glasgow.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- SKELTON, Charles; 11 Crofts, Rotherham.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- SLEMAN J.; Abbey Mead, Tavistock—"Catalogue." (*M.I.* April, 1863)
- SMITH, A.; Freedings [Weedings?] Hall, Polmont, Falkirk.—List. (*S.C.R.* May, 1863)
- SMITH, H. G.; 44 Rumford Street [afterwards 10 Chestnut Street, Waterloo Road, Manchester].—List[s], "wholesale and retail." (*B.O.M.* January, 1863; *S.C.M.* March, 1863; April, 1863)
- Ditto.—List, fourth edition. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- SMITH, Robert; 308 [306½] St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.—List. (*B.O.M.* January, 1864)
- SMITH, [Henry] Stafford [& SMITH]; 13 George Street [afterwards Queen Square House], Bath.
- * * In 1862-5 this firm issued three unnumbered price-lists on single sheets of foreign note-paper, followed by a quarto catalogue, three editions numbered "3rd." "4th (1864)" and "4th (1865)". For a full account of these and later catalogues of this firm, reference may be made to an article on "The Philatelic Publications of Alfred and Stafford Smith" in the *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, 1909-10 (Vol. II, pp. 57 etc., and supplementary

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note, Vol. III, p. 11), where the third issue of the price-list is illustrated. The firm still exists as "Alfred Smith & Son."

SMITH, Thomas; Hutchinson's Coffee-house, Coleman Street, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)

SMITH, W. H.; 89 Hillgate, Stockport.—List. (*B.M.M.* June, 1865)

SOMMERVILLE, J. R.—99 High Street, Poplar, London.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)

SQUIER, H.; Arcade, [afterwards Wellington Hall] Dover.—List. (*S.C.R.* May, 1863)

*** A contemporary advertisement states "no connection with Decroix & Squier." Mr. Squier writes to us as follows: "The list I issued was not a printed one, and all records of the business I did in stamps were destroyed many years ago. The collectors in Dover I have long since forgotten—the only incident I remember is that I sold the bulk of my collection to an American dwarf, Charles Stratton, commonly known as General Tom Thumb, and then took little further interest in stamp matters." In 1864 Mr. Squier advertised as having "conducted business in stamps since 1861."

STAMP & Co.; 6 Ruperra Street [afterwards 12 Park Street], Newport, Mon. [also Wrekinton, near Gateshead].—List. (*S.C.R.* December, 1862)

*** Publishers of the *Liverpool and Newport Stamp Advertiser*. The business was advertised to be disposed of by J. H. A. Stamp, Steam Flour Mills, Chepstow, Mon. (*S.C.M.* October, 1864, January, 1865.) Mr. A. Perris writes, "Stamp was a customer of mine in 1861 and one of the subscribers who joined in founding our magazine."

STEINAU, H.; 61 Faulkner Street, Manchester.—"German or English list" (*B.O.M.* July, 1863; *S.C.M.* September, 1863)

Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*S.C.R.* June, 1863)

Ditto.—"Price list, wholesale and retail." (*W.S.C.A.* October, 1863)

Ditto.—"New price list just issued." (*B.O.M.* January, 1864)

*** See also C. K. Jones, *supra*.

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- STEINAU, JONES & Co. ; 61 Faulkner Street [afterwards 29 Corporation Street], Manchester.—“New price list of over 1,200 varieties, 3d. A smaller list post free for 2 stamps.” (*B.O.M.* February, 1864 ; *O.M.* March, 1864 ; *S.C.M.* June, 1864)
- Ditto.—List, 1,400 varieties. (*B.J.* May, 1864)
- Ditto.—List of over 1,500 varieties. (*S.C.M.* July, 1864)
- Ditto.—List “now issued on 1st of every month.” (*B.O.M.* March, 1865)
- Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* February, 1864)
- *.* In August, 1865, Steinau, Jones & Co. became C. K. Jones & Co., *supra*. Three editions of Steinau, Jones & Co.’s lists are in the Crawford Library.
- STEWART, W. E. ; 179 Borough, London, S.E.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- Ditto.—“June list of 300 sorts.” (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
- STOCKALL, J. J. H., & Co. [also “S. H.”]; Broad Green, near Liverpool. Printed list [about 400 varieties] (*S.C.R.*, December, 1862. *M.I.* January, 1863.)
- Ditto.—“Printed list of 600 varieties.” (*S.C.R.* January, 1863)
- Ditto.—“New list of over 800 varieties.” (*S.C.M.* February, 1863. *E.B.M.* February, 1863, adds “and a supplementary list on the 1st of every month”).
- Ditto.—“Entirely new list of nearly 1,000 varieties (*S.C.M.* April, 1863)
- Ditto.—“Entirely new and revised price list, describing . . . nearly 2,000 [?] varieties.” (*I.P.S.R.* August, 1863)
- Ditto.—“New list of about 1,300 varieties. (*S.C.M.* January, 1864)
- Ditto.—“New list of 1,500 varieties, 16 pp., in a new form.” (*S.C.M.* April, 1864)*
- Ditto.—Wholesale list. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- *.* A copy of the list marked (*) is in the Crawford Library. In May, 1864, the firms of J. J. H. Stockall & Co. and W. Young & Co. were amalgamated as Young & Stockall (*infra*). In 1874 the latter firm informed Mr. Tiffany (“Phil. Library,” p. 54) “we commenced business in

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July, 1862, when we issued a large priced catalogue, in two sheets, describing about one thousand varieties, which we retained, with alterations, until the early part of 1864, when we commenced to issue catalogues in their present form." We cannot, however, trace an earlier advertisement than that of December, 1862, quoted above, where Stockall advertises not in his own name but as "S.H." For the information that this was an alias of Stockall's we are indebted to Mr. A. Perris, who says "his father was station-master and his mother postmistress, I believe." He adds, "Stockall was a cousin of Young's. Early in 1864 a partnership was arranged of Mr. Young, Mr. Stockall, Mr. Jas. Robinson, my partner Moore, and myself as manager, but it fell through at the last moment, owing to Stockall's being a minor and his father objecting. I was the only one who could give my whole time to the business, all the others being employed in merchants' offices during the day."

SWAYSLAND, George, junior; 4 Queen's Road, Brighton
—List. (*B.O.M.* October, 1862)

Ditto.—Second edition, 500 varieties. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)

Ditto.—Third edition. (*S.C.R.* January, 1863)

. A copy of one of Swaysland's lists is in the Crawford Library.

SYDENHAM, R.; 178 Great Colmore Street, Birmingham.
Lists. (*M.I.* November, 1862)

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T., G.; Post Office, Newcastle-on-Tyne.—List.
(*I.P.S.R.* November, 1863)

T., W. F.; 10 Pembridge Villas, Bayswater, London,
W.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1863)

TABOR, W.; William Street, Hartlepool.—List. (*Y.E.* July, 1863)

TATE, W.; 77 Woodville Terrace, Breck Road, Everton,
Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1862)

Ditto.—"New summer list [just printed]" (*S.C.M.* April, 1863, June, 1863)

TAW, C.; 57 Joy Street, Belfast.—Lists. (*S.C.M.* June, 1863)

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- TAYLOR, G., & Co.; c/o Mr. H. Tomlinson, King's Place, Nottingham.—List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- TAYLOR, James, & Co.; 150 New Cross Road, London, S.E.—List. (*O.M.* March, 1864)
- THIRKELL, William; 8 Henry Street, Hartlepool.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* July, 1862)
- THOMAS, H.; 16 Mark Lane, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- *.* Apparently a trade-name of E. Clarke, *supra*. (See *S.C. Misc.*, August, 1864)
- THORPE & BURNS; Brown Street, Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1865)
- Ditto.—List of addresses of 50 foreign correspondents. (*B.M.M.* May, 1865)
- *.* Publishers of *Stamp Collector's Pocket Companion*.
- TREVOR, A.; Arborfield, Streatham Hill, London.—List[s]. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862, January, 1863)
- TURNER, W.; 33 Halliford Street, Islington, London, N.—List. (*B.M.M.* January, 1865)
- TYNEMOUTH, J., junior; Albert Street, West Hartlepool.—List. (*B.M.M.* June, 1863)

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- UPJOHN, Edward; bookseller, 24 Bow Street, London, W.C.—Illustrated list. (*S.C.J.* July, 1863)

V

- VIALET, S. ["de Paris"]; 32 Maze Pond, Southwark, London.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* December, 1863)
- VICTOR, Henry Ruthven; 59 Ormeau Terrace, Belfast.
- *.* For a full account of the six editions of Victor's Catalogues, the first of which appeared about August, 1862, see a note by P. J. Anderson in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, 1910 (Vol. III, p. 48, and supplementary note, with illustrations of the 3d. and 6th eds., p. 57.) Victor's name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.
- VINCENT; 328 Box, Post Office, Bradford.—Printed list. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
- VITTERY, A.; Fore Street, Brixham, Devon.—List. (*S.C.R.* January, 1863)

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- W., A. J. ; 18 Melville Place, Liverpool.—List. (*E.B.M.* April, 1864)
- W., D. K. S. ; Everton, Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
- W., J. ; c/o W. Miller, 25 Brownlow Road, Dalston, London, N.E.—List. (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
- WALKER, D. R. ; 247 Great Homer Street [afterwards 2 Mona Street and 8 Melville Place], Liverpool.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1862)
- Ditto.—September list. (*B.O.M.* September, 1863)
- ** Mr. A. Perris informs us that this was the same person as "Alpha," 249, Great Homer Street, *supra*.
- WALLACE, W., & Co. ; 11 Lee Crescent, Edgbaston, Birmingham.—[Printed] list. (*B.O.M.* July, 1863 ; *M.I.* September, 1863)
- WARBURTON, Percy ; Cross Lane, Salford, Manchester.—List. (*E.B.M.* March, 1865)
- WASHBOURN, W. ; Nailsworth, Stroud.—List. (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)
- WATKINS, H. C. ; 24 Dove Street, Kingsdown, Bristol.—List[s]. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863, April, 1863)
- WATT, J. W. ; St. Hilda Street, Hartlepool.—List. (*B.O.M.* June, 1862)
- WEIR, John [& Co.] ; 14 East Nile Street, Glasgow.—Lists [of genuine and facsimiles]. (*S.C.M.* August, 1864, December, 1864)
- WELFARE, Maurice ; 49 Tooley Street, London, S.E.—List. (*I.P.S.R.* October, 1863)
- ** Editor of the *International Postage Stamp Review*.
- WELFARE, Stephen ; 66 St. James Street, Brighton.—List of 600 varieties. (*B.O.M.* May, 1863)
- ** In *B.M.M.* July, 1863, he advertises as the European Postage Stamp Company, and offers "H.R.H. the Prince of Lemon's List," post free, 2d., Stafford Smith & Smith having described themselves as "Foreign stamp sellers to H.R.H. the Prince of Orange."

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- WELLINGTON, F.; 12 Belgrave Square, Belgrave Street, Birmingham.—List. (*O.M.* July, 1864)
- WHITE, E. [or W.].—15 Philpot Lane, Fenchurch Street, London, E.C.—List. (*B.M.M.* May, 1863; *I.P.S.R.* September, 1863; *S.C.M.* December, 1863)
- WHITMORE, S. W. [& Co.]; 89 Bridge Street, Manchester.—List. (*B.O.M.* December, 1863)
Ditto.—“Catalogue of prices” (*B.M.M.* April, 1865)
- WHITTAKER, Henry Foulkes; Winchester Terrace, Regent Road, Salford.—List. (*B.O.M.* April, 1863)
Ditto.—April list. (*S.C.M.* May, 1863)
Ditto.—Fourth edition, upwards of 600 varieties. (*B.O.M.* June, 1863)
Ditto.—Catalogue of 1,200 varieties. (*B.O.M.* October, 1863)
*** Complaint against this firm in editorial note, *B.O.M.* April, 1864.
- WHITTAKER, Walter B. [& Co.]; Winchester House, Regent Road [also Howard Street, Infantry Barracks], Salford.—List. (*B.O.M.* September, 1863)
Ditto.—New monthly list for October. (*B.M.M.* October, 1863)
Ditto.—[“New published” ; fourth edition, “4to demy tinted folio,” upwards of 1,500 varieties. (*S.C.M.* May, 1864, June, 1864, December, 1864) (Illustrated in *Journal Phil. Lit. Soc.*, Vol. IV., No. 4.)
Ditto.—“Fifth edition now ready.” (*B.M.M.* May, 1864)
Ditto.—“Now ready, a new and reduced price catalogue of 2,000 stamps” (*B.M.M.* July, 1864)
*** A copy of the fourth edition is described in the Crawford Catalogue, col. 413, but is marked [“1863”] in error. In *B.O.M.* May, 1864, this firm disclaims connection with H. Whittaker, although in *B.M.M.* October, 1863, they advertise from the same address. An advertisement in *S.C.M.* December, 1865, describes W. Whittaker as being under age.
- WHITTLE, Henry S.; 4 Hamilton Terrace West, New Cross, London, S.E.—“List of rare stamps.” (*B.O.M.* November, 1862)

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- Ditto.—“New list just issued.” (*B.O.M.* December, 1862)
- Ditto.—“Much enlarged list.” (*B.O.M.* February, 1863)
- * * Mr. A. Perris writes, “Whittle was a customer of mine in 1862. His list of November 1862 was a written list.”
- WILKINSON, G. W.; 2 Wolsey Terrace, Mildmay Park, Islington, London, N.—Lists. (*M.I.* September, 1862)
- Ditto.—Printed price lists. (*B.O.M.* January, 1863)
- WILLIAMS; c/o Mr. Kino, tailor, 164 Fenchurch Street, London, E.C.—List. (*B.O.M.* March, 1863)
- WILLIAMS, Edward; c/o Mrs. Snelling, 329 Old Kent Road, Surrey.—List. (*B.O.M.* November, 1863)
- WILLIAMS, M.; 28, Barford Street, Birmingham.—List. (*M.I.* April, 1863)
- WILLIAMS, T., & Co.; 10 Hardy Street, Liverpool.—See Furness & Williams, *supra*.
- WILLIAMS, W., & Co.; 12 Percival Street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester.—List for July. (*L.N.S.A.* July, 1863)
- WILSON, J. C.; bookseller and publisher, 93 Great Russell Street, London, W.C.—List. (*U.S.G.* September, 1864)
- WILSON, S.; 7 Arden Street, Darlington [afterwards 9 Railway Street, York].—Lists. (*B.O.M.* June, 1862)
- Ditto.—“Printed list of some hundreds.” (*M.I.* November, 1862)
- Ditto.—“Corrected list” [upwards of 500 varieties]. (*B.O.M.* December, 1862; *S.C.R.* December, 1862)
- WOODMAN, J.; 16 Bedford Circus, Exeter.—List. (*B.O.M.* August, 1862)
- Ditto.—Printed list. (*B.M.M.* March, 1863)
- WOODS, James J. [& PEMBERTON]; c/o R. Steenberg, Esq., [afterwards Olive Street and Regent Street], Hartlepool.—Lists. (*B.O.M.* April, 1862)
- Ditto.—“List of 400 varieties ready March 1st.” (*S.C.R.* January, 1863)
- Ditto.—List for May. (*S.C.R.* May, 1863)

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Ditto.—List for June. (S.C.M. June, 1863)

*** E. L. Pemberton's partnership with Woods seems not to have lasted longer than for the first half of 1863. In September, 1863, Woods announces that he has added to his stamp business that of dealer in coins and from that date advertises a monthly list, presumably of coins and stamps. His name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

WROE, John C.; 10 Fairclough Lane and 3 India Buildings, Liverpool.—List. (S.C.M. January, 1865)

*** Publisher of the *Liverpool Stamp Collector's Journal*. His name appears as a dealer as late as 1873.

WYLDE, J. O., Junior, & Co.; 2 Upper Brook Street, Manchester.—List. (B.F.S.C.A. May, 1864)

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YORK, B., & Co.; foreign booksellers, 60 City Road, London, E.C.—“Will shortly publish a new edition of their catalogue, containing about 1,000 varieties.” (S.C.R. February, 1863)

Ditto.—“New price list.” (N.P.S.E. January, 1864)

Ditto.—“Just published, price list, third edition” [about 1,000 varieties]. (B.O.M. May, 1864; S.C.M. January, 1865)

*** Mr. A. C. Emerson tells us that York & Co. had a shop at the address given, near Finsbury Square. The business was that of a bookseller, but the windows were almost wholly devoted to a fine display of stamps (including those of the old German States) on original envelopes as received by the firm.

YOUNG, W.; 1, Kent Street, Glasgow.—List. (M.I. February, 1863)

YOUNG, W., & Co.; Aintree [afterwards 15 Ogwen Street, West Derby Road], Liverpool.—List of over 800 varieties. (B.O.M. May, 1863)

Ditto.—List of [upwards of 900] 1,000 varieties. (B.O.M. June, 1863; L.N.S.A. July, 1863)

Ditto.—List of [over] 1,500 varieties. (S.C.R. December, 1863; B.J. January, 1864)

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YOUNG & STOCKALL ; 34 South John Street [afterwards
17 South Castle Street), Liverpool.—[Monthly]
list of over 1,600 varieties. (S.C.M. June, 1864,
July, 1864)

Ditto.—[Monthly] list of about 2,000 varieties.
(S.C.M. December, 1864)

Ditto.—[Monthly] list of over 2,000 varieties.
(S.C.M. February, 1865)

Ditto.—[Monthly] list of about 2,500 varieties.
(S.C.M. September, 1865)

* * Editions for December, 1864, and January
and December, 1865, are in the Crawford Library.
See J. J. H. Stockall & Co., *supra*. Young &
Stockall's name appears as late as 1873 (address,
26 Lord Street, Liverpool).

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Z., Y. ; Moorgate, Rotherham, Yorks.—List of 800
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TO OUR READERS.

POSTAGE STAMP collectors and dealers have long felt the want of a publication which should devote itself entirely to their interests, and serve as a medium for their advertisements. To supply this want in some measure has been our aim in publishing the MONTHLY ADVERTISER, and we hope to be favored with the support of all whom it is designed to benefit. We shall be happy to receive original articles on the subject of Postage Stamps, and early information of rare varieties or new issues, not to be found in existing Catalogues, which shall be inserted in our following numbers. We shall also be glad to afford any assistance in our power to Collectors through the column devoted to Correspondents, though we cannot undertake to answer enquiries through the post.

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LIVERPOOL.

THE COLLECTION OF POSTAGE STAMPS.

BY FRED. ROBERT.

IT is curious to see how much public opinion has been modified lately upon the subject of stamp collecting. Some two or three years ago, when collectors were to be numbered by units, (they are now numbered by hundreds) they were looked upon as hopelessly, but harmlessly, insane on the subject; and their friends and acquaintances were willing to gratify their mania, for after all they only asked for "old postage stamps," of no possible use to any one excepting themselves. If those same sneerers could now see the really beautiful books which the more tasteful, fortunate, and persevering collectors possess, they would be obliged to acknowledge that there is a latent beauty even in a disfigured postage stamp. The books themselves, in their gay, album-like bindings, which are now to be obtained of almost every stationer, are no unpleasing objects; but when ornamented on the left-hand page, as I have seen them, with gay illuminated borders which surround the arms, flags, crown, and cockade of the respective countries, with the appropriate stamps on the right side (which is also surrounded with a light illum-

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OR, A GENERAL NOMENCLATURE

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POSTAL CHIT-CHAT.

'HAVE you a yellow Saxon?' 'I want a Russian.' 'I'll give a red Prussian for a blue Brunswicker.' 'Will you exchange a Russian for a black English?' 'I wouldn't give a Russian for twenty English!' Such were the exclamations that saluted our ears two years or so since, when waiting for an interminable line of vehicles to break sufficiently to allow us to cross Chesapeake. The singularity of the conversation attracted our attention and excited our curiosity. The last phrase particularly surprised us, and we turned round in expectancy of seeing some mallow foreigner's countenance, but found the remark, so disparaging to our national

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vanity, proceeded from an unmistakably English face, on the neck and shoulders of a true John Bull of a boy, one of a score or more youths just poured forth from a noble educational institution in the neighbourhood. Now we had heard of fair Saxons, but never of yellow ones, and of the then celebrated black Brunswickers of the Royal Academy, but a blue one was a strain upon our imagination.

Having an objection to trust ourselves under the horses' legs, or be jammed between two carts, we had abundance of leisure to take note of what was going on, and found each of the juvenile locusts was provided with a small book studded with dark patches, which a closer examination discovered to be postage stamps of all nations.

Further inquiries initiated us more deeply in its mysteries, and a very brief time saw us regularly enrolled as a votary of what a special English appellation is wanted for, but which the Belgians and French appropriately term *THIRBOMANIE*.

The now prevalent, — we had almost written fashionable, — furore in question, is of by no means such modern growth as many suppose; for, some eight or nine years since, we re-

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OR

THE STAMP COLLECTOR'S ADVERTISER.

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TO OUR READERS.

THE publishers of "ONCE A MONTH" have to acknowledge the continued support with which their friends, and stamp collectors in general, have favored them in bringing out the first four numbers of this paper; and can assure them, that no pains shall be spared on their part, to merit a continuance of the same. Arrangements have been made to have Engravings of new and rare stamps, Articles on Postage Stamps, Correspondence, &c., in this and the succeeding numbers; and the publishers hope that these additions will be advantageous to all engaged in collecting Foreign Postage Stamps.

A REVIEW OF RARE POSTAGE STAMPS.

(To be continued Monthly.)

SECTION A.—EUROPE, (IN FOUR PARTS.)

PART I.—*Italian States, (including Kingdom of Italy, Parma, Romagna, Modena, Tuscany, and Two Sicilies.)*

(NO ERRATA WILL BE MENTIONED.)

KINGDOM OF ITALY.—The only stamps of any rarity of the numerous ones mentioned in catalogues, are those of the 1851-52-53 issues. And of these the 20c. of each issue and the 40c. 1853, can now be obtained at a very low price, but the 1851 5c., black, 40c. rose, 1852 5c. green, and 1853 5c. green, 40c. red are rare; and more especially the 40c. of 1851 and 5c. of 1853, which two stamps are seldom found in collections.

PARMA.—The rarer of these stamps are: (Basil. Parma, coloured in green) 5c. yellow, 15c. scarlet; (Dix. di Parma) 15c. pink, and (Provisional Government) all; and especially the 5c. green, 5c. carmine, 5c. blue, 40c. red, and 50c. orange. Many forgeries of the Provisional Government stamps are in circulation, and the collector should be sure of the authenticity of those he may purchase. For his guidance, in the genuine Provisional stamps, the "I" in "contadini" is a figure 1, and not an "I" as in the forgery; also the screws are formed of slightly curved lines in the original, whilst they are straight in the fac-simile.

ROMAGNA.—All these stamps are difficult to obtain, and especially the 1, 5, and 50c.; but here also forgers have produced so many imitations that a collector is very apt to purchase one of these at the price for which he would have bought a genuine one.

* (A full description of the genuine and imitation stamps of Romagna, as well as those of several hundred other stamps, may be seen in "Foreign Stamps," how to detect them," published by Mr. Edward Pocher, Birmingham. Price 2s., or post free, 2s. 6d.—Ed.)

MODENA, (Duchy).—The only rare stamps of this country are 5c. B. G. violet, 15c. brown, 15c. violet, and 1 lire white; and of these, the two last named are seldom met with even in choice collections. All the Provisional Government stamps, with the exception of the 20c. blue, are very rare, and more especially the 15c., 40c., and 50c. In the genuine Provisional stamps, the cross divides the shield into four equal, and in the forgery into unequal parts.

TUSCANY.—The 1gr. black, 1 soldo orange, and 40 cressie (on white and blue paper), the 3 soldo and 3 lire stamps of this country are not uncommon as rarities, and more especially the 1 soldo (on white paper) and the 3 soldo, specimens of which are greatly sought after by collectors.

THE TWO SICILIES, (Naples).—Of the 1857 issue, the 5gr. is one of the rarest stamps in existence; I have only heard of two copies being seen, and these were sold at a very high price. The 1 and 50gr. are also rarities, the former especially. The 1 tornese blue 1860 (green) is peculiar, and the same stamp (with cross in place of cross), of which we give an engraving, is of great value, (when genuine).



(SICILY.)—The 1gr. and 50gr. are rare, and I may also mention that there are five distinct colours of the 5gr. viz.: brick red, lake, carmine, orange, and orange-red, and of these the carmine and orange-red are seldom met with in collections.

THE NEW ITALIAN STAMPS.

A NEW series of postage stamps for the Kingdom of Italy was issued on the 1st of December last. The stamps eight in number, are: 1 (un) centesimo olive green, 5c. (cinque) slate green, 10c. (dieci) yellow-brown, 15c. (quindici) light blue, 20c. (venti) chocolate, 40c. (quaranta) rose, 50c. (cinquante) blue, 1 lire (due) scarlet. The 1c. which is used for newspapers, is beautifully executed, and we give an engraving of it. [We intended making it a coloured engraving, but find it impracticable.] The other seven are of the same design, head of King Victor Emmanuel II. to left in oval. The 5 lire has flowers in each pandrol, and the inscription is in colour; also the arrangement in the pandrol of the other six is different in each. These stamps are decidedly a great improvement on all the former issues of Italy, although we prefer the design of the stamps last offered to the Italian Government, which was rejected on account of the exorbitant price asked by the engraver.

In next month's number, a space will be devoted to Correspondence. We shall be glad to receive any communications for this part of our paper, and will answer all questions proposed to us, so far as lies in our power.

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TO OUR READERS.

The very liberal support which has been rendered to the first number of THE LIVERPOOL STAMP ADVERTISER by our advertising friends demands our warmest acknowledgments, and we gratefully offer them. It is a fair presumption that such a publication is wanted, that if honestly conducted it may meet with a continuance of public favor, and that both dealer and collector will avail themselves of it as a medium of communication with each other. There are doubtless many among the former, who may shrink from the trouble and expense of preparing price lists, to whom this simple monthly means of advertising their stocks will be a great boon, and we feel confident that our periodical will be welcomed by many collectors who would not otherwise care to write to the numerous dealers for the information which we are enabled to place before them without cost. The unexpected demand upon our advertising space has, however, rendered an enlargement of our size indispensable, for

the insertion of a variety of interesting matter which we have been reluctantly compelled to exclude this month. THE LIVERPOOL STAMP ADVERTISER will therefore next month contain eight pages of matter instead of four; and to meet the additional expense which will be thus incurred its price will be One Penny per copy, or Two-pence post free. And with a view to the increase of our circulation and the promotion of the interests of our patrons, we shall be glad to add to the number of our agents, and allow them a commission of 12½ per cent. on the advertisements with which they may be able to favor us. Our scale of advertising is at the following moderate rates, viz. :—

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" 60 ..	1	9
" 80 ..	2	3
" 100 ..	2	9
" 150 ..	3	9
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Our correspondents and agents will much oblige us by sending their contributions and advertisements not later than the 20th of each month.

THE
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No. 1.

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PRICE 1D.

TO OUR READERS.

The rapid advance of the Trade in Postage Stamps, and the many individuals who have launched into this business, has called forth publications adapted to meet the pressing wants of dealers, and to enable them to dispose of their stamps to those who take delight in completing collections, and to interchange with each other.

A number of monthly publications have been commenced, and it may be considered that there are sufficient for the purposes required; the periodicals that are issued are, however, in the Southern or South-western portions of the country, and circulate principally in these localities. A want has been felt for a Journal specially adapted for Stamp Dealers and Collectors, for the Northern district. To meet this want we issue this our first number of the "Stamp Collector's

Journal," fully assured that it will be useful to both dealers and collectors; and that the success of this number will warrant us in our intention to increase our outlay so as to secure the most reliable information on Stamps; information that will be both useful and valuable to all interested. We feel thankful to our friends for their support, and for their further promised offers of assistance.

We are led to believe, from the support at present received and tendered, that a paper like the present is much wanted, and will be found to be both useful and instructive to our patrons and friends. It will be our endeavour to make the "Stamp Collector's Journal" a useful publication, and we hope by a judicious arrangement and classification of articles to supply all the information that is necessary to Dealers, the want of

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TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

IN submitting the First Number of our Journal to Collectors and Dealers, we desire to tender our grateful acknowledgements to our advertising friends, for their kind support they have accorded us.

Such a Publication is much wanted in London, and we trust our Friends will show their appreciation of it, by continuing their patronage, which it will be our study to deserve.

We shall be happy to receive Original Articles on the subject of postage stamps, and early information of rare varieties, or new issues not be found in existing Catalogues, which shall be inserted in our following Numbers.

The large demand on our Advertising space will however compel us to enlarge the size of our Second Number, which will therefore contain 8 pages instead of 4, and to meet the extra expense, the price will be One Penny, or Two-pence post free.

In order to extend the circulation of our Journal, we shall be glad to increase the number of our Agents, to whom we



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To our Readers.

In commencing our new career, it is usual to state upon what grounds we have entered the field of Postage Stamp Literature, and what we intend doing to meet the approval of the public.

The daily increase in the number of Stamp Collectors and Dealers renders it necessary that they should possess an organ, which, by its price, quality and quantity, will prove of sufficient merits, to meet not alone their wants, but be also amusing and instructing to them. The stamp trade is becoming polluted with men, who practising on the simplicity of the inexperienced, endeavour to sell them at high prices, stamps, well known to be forgeries. There are in London at the present time men of acknowledged respectability dealing in these base labels; and it will be our principal aim, so protect the Collectors, so that their albums may not be stained with imitations and worthless colored engravings.

Our plans will be seen more to advantage as we proceed. While stating what our lines will chiefly contain, we assure the readers that these promises will be faithfully kept, and we have no hesitation in saying, the longer we live the more great and universal will be the endeavours to give satisfaction. To commence, all new issues of stamps will be treated on: a small part of the Review will be confined to a series of Articles, by which the public will be made acquainted with the stamps that are becoming rare, as also their nominal price in the market.

The leading article will be left in the hands of our Editor, who will fearlessly and boldly treat all matters of importance, bestowing praise where praise is due, and denouncing the base impostures now being perpetrated on unassuming buyers.

Our lines will be open to all, and we shall with pleasure answer any question put to us. Postage Publications will occasionally be reviewed.

We are also pleased in announcing that we have, among our numerous Correspondents, obtained the services of two very eminent men, one in France, the other in Prussia, and we have no doubt their letters will prove interesting to our readers. Our columns will at different times be enlivened by anecdotes and miscellaneous remarks, and we shall publish the value of different money, by which every person will know the current value of his unused stamps.

In conclusion, we intend presenting our readers with a Catalogue, compiled by first-class authorities, which will be annexed to each number, until completed. And in leaving the INTERNATIONAL POSTAGE STAMP REVIEW in your hands, we trust our efforts will be crowned with success. Our motto is "PLEASE ONE, AND ALL."

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TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

We offer our sincere thanks to our advertisers, &c., for the kind support they have already given to the first number of the "WEYMOUTH STAMP AND CREST ADVERTISER," and beg a continuance of the same, which shall always meet with our prompt attention. A periodical for stamp announcements is very useful, especially if well circulated, and the charges for advertising low. We shall make it our study to promote its circulation that our advertisers shall be repayed by applications, and will insert advertisements at the following low rates

20 words	0 8
50 "	1 3
80 "	1 9
150 "	3 0
250 "	5 0
30 "	1 0
60 "	1 6
100 "	2 0
200 "	4 0
300 "	6 0

Advertisements must be sent as early in the month as possible—but in no case later than the 22nd. We find the best way to circulate our paper is by agents; we have already received 9, and shall be glad to increase from that number to 100, the terms being very liberal. As we wish to enlarge our succeeding number by short articles on the stamp trade, we shall be greatly obliged for any submitted to our notice, and if satisfactory shall have insertion. We shall devote a column each month for answers to correspondents, and will give them any information which may lay in our power. We shall for the information of our readers devote a space for a list of new issues of stamps, and shall be obliged to any person who will acquaint us every month with a list of

STAMPS NEWLY ISSUED.

LUNCK has just issued 5 adhesive stamps, and 5 envelopes. We have only seen the adhesive ones, which



The Stamp Collectors'



Miscellany.



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TO OUR READERS.

IN making our bow to the public, we must not depart from the time-honored custom of announcing our intentions. Our aim will be to make the "Stamp Collectors Miscellany" worth double the price charged, so that on each recurring month our patrons will welcome it as "a guest that best becomes the table."

Our correspondence pages, with the motto at its head, "Open to all, influenced by none," will be found capacious.

DISHONEST Parties will have our especial attention. We shall open such a battery upon them, that, as with those slimy garden pests when lime dusted, they will "curl up."

INTERESTING matter will be illustrated by appropriate engravings of new and rare stamps. The Prize Lottery System will be put in motion, and a drawing take place every six months of which due notice will be given. The cheques will be found attached to the middle of each number.

To get to work, we knock away the dog shores which restrain our barque, and in the perspective we see the Miscellany, floating gallantly on "Public Opinion."



The Continental and Colonial Stamp Advertiser.

No. 1.

OCTOBER 1, 1863.

GRATIS.

COLLECTIONS OF COLONIAL STAMPS post-free, 20 varieties, 2s. 6d.; 50, 6s. 6d.; 100, 20s. 6d. No European stamps sent unless desired. D.L. having an extraordinary large stock of Colonial stamps, wants Agents in all parts of the World, particularly in schools and colleges. Dealers liberally treated with. Can correspond in German or French, if necessary. Colonial stamps bought to any amount. D. LIGHTDOWN, Cross-lane, Salford, Manchester.

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Austandische Briefmarken in allen Sorten, zum Verkauf bei. H. STEINAU, Faulkner-street, Manchester. Deutsche Preis-liste gegen Erstattung des Portos, welches in ungestempelten Briefmarken von kleinen Werthen einge sandt werden kann. Alte und abgestempelte Continental Marken gekauft.

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TO OUR READERS.

IN presenting the first number of this Publication to our Transatlantic cousins, we beg to impress upon them that every effort will be made to render it worthy of their esteemed and valuable support. No expense will be spared to enable us to give the earliest notices of New and Rare Stamps, illustrations of which will be given, executed in the best style, by Mr. Edward Whymper, the eminent London engraver. A column will be specially devoted to Correspondents, whose queries shall be promptly attended to.

Our Agents and Subscribers are earnestly requested to use every exertion to induce others to subscribe to this Magazine, which we shall endeavour to render as interesting to our readers as possible.

MOURNING STAMPS.

A FEW days since, a female entered the post office in Pekin, Illinois, for the purpose of mailing a letter to a friend who is in the army. Calling for an envelope, and while depositing the document therein, she gravely informed the postmaster that it contained very bad news,—no less than the decease of a beloved nephew. As she dilated upon the melancholy theme, her feelings became very much excited, and, the epistle being duly sealed and superscribed, she in sorrowing tones inquired, "If the gentleman would be kind enough to place a *black postage stamp* upon it, that her friend might know there was a death in the letter before she opened it?"

Notwithstanding the mournful tone in which the question was propounded, the Government official could not restrain his risibilities, and was compelled to answer that "Uncle Sam had not yet furnished his deputies with any postage stamps especially adapted to mourning purposes." This announcement seemed very much to surprise the good woman, who was also equally shocked at the want of feeling displayed by

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EDITORIAL COLUMN.

WE have to thank our friends and the public generally for the support they have hitherto rendered us, which makes us think our Magazine is well appreciated. For this indeed we can speak, having received no less than seven letters all congratulating us on our success, and expressing entire satisfaction at the number of answers they have received to their advertisements. This naturally makes us proud to see so many parties, some strangers, spring up around us, and we herewith beg to heartily thank them one and all. To benefit our advertising friends, we have forwarded our paper to France, Germany, and several other Continental towns, which we hope will produce a correspondence with those dealers who wish to make a connection out of Great Britain. It is our intention shortly to commence an Enquiry Branch, when all questions will be confidentially answered, and all communications received treated as strictly private. Tales from month to month will be issued, and will we hope prove both interesting and amusing to our readers.

MONTHLY LINES.

Things this month have been very quiet, though large stocks of stamps have been purchased by some new dealers. Ionian Isles are still to be got at a reasonable price. The remark was made to us by a shrewd dealer that many parties made far too much noise about the necessity of getting in some sets, and that it was only to get rid of their large stocks; be that as it may, we consider every collector should have a set in his album, and every dealer a few on hand. Some parties are quoting them at 2s. per set, but they can be purchased at half that. "Facsimiles" are rather dull, and collectors are getting wary. So they may indeed when some of the very best firms sell forgeries of Confederate states, &c. Those most prevalent are Romagnas, old Spanish 1850, Argentine, Confederation, Modena, old Norwegian, &c. Among the above are some very clever copies, and in some instances you are obliged to take a microscope to detect any differ-



THE NATIONAL POSTAGE STAMP EXPRESS.

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Price 1d.

TO OUR READERS.

IN presenting this, the first number of *The National Postage Stamp Express*, to our readers, we beg to inform them that it will always be our study to render it as useful as possible to Dealers as well as Collectors. For this purpose we have devoted a column for answering any question on the subject of Postage Stamps which may be put to us, and our readers are requested to use this column with the greatest freedom. They may be assured that we shall pay the utmost attention to their questions, and answer them all to the best of our ability.

We shall enlarge the size of the paper and insert fac-similes of rare and new stamps, if we receive that support which we hope for, and which will be necessary to meet the increased outlay we shall unavoidably experience by so doing. Hoping our advertisers

will be satisfied with the answers they receive to their advertisements, we beg to conclude our first address with thanks to our patrons for the support they have already accorded to us, and we hope to merit a continuance of the same.



IGNORANCE IN POSTING LETTERS.

Some remarkable cases of ignorance are of almost daily occurrence in connection with the transit of letters through the post. An extraordinary instance of this occurred lately, to a friend of ours. He received a letter to which the sender had actually attached a penny receipt stamp, thinking it would equally answer the same purpose as the usual stamp. Of course our friend had to pay two pence, the authorities obliterating the receipt stamp. We suppose this was a legal act, but it does not appear so to us.

T. G.

THE
NORTHUMBERLAND AND DURHAM
Stamp Advertiser.

No. 1.

FEBRUARY 15, 1864.

PRICE 1D.

A Short Address.

In presenting this our first number of the "Northumberland and Durham" Stamp Advertiser to the public, we take the opportunity of directing the attention of Dealers in Stamps to the peculiar advantages of this paper.

Our terms for advertising are very moderate as may be seen from the following scale:—

10 words3d.

40 "1s.

and 2d. for every succeeding ten words.

Our Paper has a good Circulation. For the benefit of our advertising friends we have secured a number of Private Agents (besides those mentioned on our list) in Schools and elsewhere.

In our next number we will have a space for Correspondence, any questions will be answered to the best of our ability; we also hope to have our next number enlarged.

We will use our utmost endeavours to make our Paper all that can be

desired. We must thank our friends for the support we have already received, and hope for a continuance of their favours

With these few remarks we beg to conclude.

Review.

The Stamp Trade continues brisk. Large quantities of the New Italians have been imported, they can now be got at very low prices.

Fac-similes are prevalent, we have met with the following:—

Ionian Islands.

Isle de la Reunion.

Modena.

Argentine Confederation.

Confederate States.

Old Spanish (dated.)

and many others; any fresh fac-similes we meet with we will give a list of.

Collectors should be careful to examine stamps closely before purchasing, as many of the fac-similes are very well executed.

GRATIS.

THE
BRITISH AND FOREIGN
STAMP AND COIN
ADVERTISER.

PUBLISHED ON THE FIRST OF EVERY MONTH.

NOTICE.

To parties whose Communications have not been attended to, the Editor would beg to offer the following excuses:

Advertisements not inserted, one of two, viz.: either Too Late, or Non-payment.

Communications not answered: No Stamp for reply. All others have been promptly attended to.

Some persons have requested us to forward copies when out, but have forgotten to send Stamps for Postage.

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TO OUR READERS.

In presenting the first number of this paper to our readers, we trust that our efforts to profit both Collectors and advertisers will be successful, and our friends may rest assured that we will do all that lies in our power to forward their interests.

In addition to a good local circulation we have secured private and public agents in several of the principal Towns and Schools, for its distribution, and we will guarantee a circulation of nearly 1000 copies.

This magazine will therefore be found to be an excellent medium for advertising, and in order to give our advertising friends every advantage, we will insert advertisements at the following low rates:—12 words 6d, and 3d for every succeeding 10 words.

All advertisements and communications to reach us as early in the month as possible, but in all cases before the 20th.

POSTAGE STAMP COLLECTING.

(By a Collector.)

What is the use of Postage Stamp Collecting? Is a question which will no doubt often times be asked of Collectors, and which ought to be readily answered. It is no idle or useless labour collecting these labels as is sometimes represented. Mostly the Postage Stamps are gems, as regards engraving, and artistic beauty; the most skilful Artists and eminent Engravers are employed over them, and the utmost attention is paid to their final execution. So therefore simply as works of art and ingenuity they ought to be classed amongst the curiosities of our modern civilization. They aid us in the study of Geography and History, and give us a knowledge of Foreign currency; they also lead to a cultivation of taste in colour, and design and judgment to show them to advantage when arranging them in our albums, as it frequently happens that the tints of one colour will kill another.

In looking at a collection of stamps it will be seen that nearly every issue has something curious connected with it, which indicates political changes. To illustrate this, take the Stamps of France. The first issue was under the Republic, and was in circulation from 1849 to 1850; when Louis Napoleon was made president, another Stamp was adopted, bearing the head of the President. On Napoleon II. being made Emperor, the inscription was

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ADVERTISEMENTS for insertion in THE UNIVERSAL STAMP GAZETTE should reach the office not later than the 15th of the month, addressed to C. L. HOWARD, 23, KING STREET, CHEAPSIDE, LONDON, E.C.

The charge for Advertisements is 6d. per line. Arrangements can be made with the Editors for columns or pages.

E. CLARKE, 32, Wood Street, Kensington
 Gros, London, 5, has for sale: Antigua, 1d. 21 each; Argentine Republic head, 1s. per set of 2; Austrian Italy (new issue, 2 each, 2d. 3 each, 5d. 7 each); Baden, 1 kr., black, 1d. 1 kr., head post, 1d. each, 10d. per set; id. Hannover, 2d. each, 1s. 3d. per set; Green Holland, 1d. each, 1s. 3d. per set; Bremen, 1 kr., yellow, 1d. each, 7d. per set; Brazil, 10 reis, 2d. each, 1d. per set; British Guiana, 1 c., black, 2d. each, 1s. 3d. per set; Brunswick, 3 sh. 1d. each, 8d. per set; id. green, 1d. each, 10d. per set; Chili, 1 centavo, 3d. each, 3s. 6d. per set; Colombia, 10 centavos, 9d. 20 centavos, 1s. 3d. each; Confederate States, 2 c., red, 6d. 2s. per set; Costa Rica, 1 real, 5d.; Denmark (new issue), 4 sh. 2d. 2s. 6d. per set; French Colonies, 1 c. id., 6d. per set, 3s. 2d. 1s. 2d. per set, or 1s. per set of 4; German Confederation, 5 c., 5d., 10 c., 1s. 3d., 20 c., 2d. 2s.; Great Britain envelopes, 1, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260, 270, 280, 290, 300, 310, 320, 330, 340, 350, 360, 370, 380, 390, 400, 410, 420, 430, 440, 450, 460, 470, 480, 490, 500, 510, 520, 530, 540, 550, 560, 570, 580, 590, 600, 610, 620, 630, 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IN presenting this our first number of the Stamp Collector's Journal for the patronage of collectors, we feel that a few words are necessary.

We have great pleasure in acknowledging the kindness of those friends who have patronised our pages so liberally, and hope to receive a continuation of their favours.

Our Correspondence columns will be open to all who desire to make any observations upon the subject of Postage Stamps. It shall be our pleasant duty to collect all possible information which we think may be interesting to collectors. In conclusion, we beg to state that no exertions shall be spared upon the part of the proprietors to make this Journal as acceptable as possible, therefore we hope to receive some share of public patronage, which it shall be our pride to merit.

THE WEST INDIA ISLANDS.
Antigua.

This Island has been a British Possession since the year 1632, and has an area of 47 square miles; the population in 1861 was estimated at 37,125: the capital of the Island is St. John; the coinage in use is the same as in Great Britain. Only two stamps have been issued for this Island, these are 1d., red; 6d., green, bearing the profile of Queen Victoria to left.

Bahmas.

The Bahmas consist of a number of low flat islands; the population in 1861 was 35,287, the coinage as in Great Britain.

In 1860 these islands first issued labels for postal purposes, in that year two values were introduced, the values were 4d., rose; 6d., grey. In 1862 another value was added, for intersingular postage, 1d., lake, bearing the diademed head of Queen Victoria.

In 1862 another value made its debut, 1s., green: profile of Queen



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A CALIFORNIAN POST OFFICE

By BAYARD TAYLOR, Esq.,

*Secretary of Legation to the United States of
 America.*

A DAY or two after my arrival in San Francisco the steamer Unicorn came into the harbour, being the third which had arrived without bringing a mail. These repeated failures were too much for even a patient people to bear; an indignation meeting in Portsmouth Square was called, but a shower, heralding the rainy season, came on in time to prevent it. Finally, on the last day of October, on the eve of the departure of another steamer down the coast, the Panama came in, bringing the mails for July, August, and September, all at once!

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Thirty-seven mail-bags were hauled up to the little Post Office that night, and the eight clerks were astounded by the receipt of forty-five thousand letters, besides uncounted bushels of newspapers. I was at the time domiciled in Mr. Moore's garret, and enjoying the hospitalities of his plank-table; I therefore offered my services as clerk-extraordinary, and was at once vested with full powers, and initiated into all the mysteries of counting, classifying, and distributing letters.

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Brunswick 1 sh.	..	2 0
Canada 1 penny, used	..	4 5
Confed. S. of America, 2c. cerise, used	..	2 5
.. " 5c. blue, used	..	2 5
.. " 10c. blue	..	2 5
.. " 5c. green	..	0 0
Denmark, 1859, set of 5	..	7 5
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TO OUR READERS.

We have much pleasure in presenting this, our first number, to our readers of "THE BATH STAMP AND COIN GAZETTE, AND ADVERTISER," and we hope that they will see in us a desire to do all we possibly can in furthering stamps collecting, and giving information, which will meet the wants of stamp collectors. And we shall give a concise description of the various denominations of coin in each succeeding reign, from the Norman Conquest to the present time.

Also we shall commence a series entitled "A Review of the Postage Stamps of all Nations," which we think will be very acceptable to collectors, for we shall endeavour from month to month to describe the form, value, and colour of almost every stamp in the world, which we think will prove both interesting and instructive even to the non-collector.

We recommend our readers to look out, on the 1st of July, for No. 2 of the New Series, which will contain—

A PRESENT FOR EVERYBODY.

In conclusion, we beg to state that no exertions shall be spared upon the part of the proprietors to make this Gazette and

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W. D. ATLEE'S STAMP CIRCULAR, October 10th, 1865.



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The last month has been very fertile in new issues, of which a list is below, viz:
 BERMUDA.—Head of Queen to left, above, BERMUDA, below value in words, Rect, white paper, 1d. Red, 6d. Lilac, 1s. Green.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—Similar design to the above, 5 cents. Red, 10 cents. Blue, Rect.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.—Within an oval band inscribed BRITISH COLUMBIA, POSTAGE THREE PENCE, is a letter V, surmounted by a gothic crown, the angles filled in with plaid, in colour Blue on White glazed paper.

DENMARK.—Same design as present issue, 2s. Blue, perforated, as are also the 4s. and 16s.

SCHLESWIG HOLSTEIN.—In an oval is the legend SCHLESWIG HOLSTEIN, in the centre, figure indicating value. Rectangular;

1½ Schilling	—	1s. gr.	Blue.
2 Schilling			Blue.
3 Schilling	—	3s. gr.	Bistre.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.—Next month we may expect to receive three new Stamps to complete the rectangular series for this colony, the colours are to be;

One Penny,	Red.
Fourpence	Blue.
Sixpence,	Lilac.

COLUMBIA.—In my next will give a description of three new Stamps for this country.

HANOVER.—A few of the old "Bestellgeld-frei" hand stamped, blue envelope stamps on yellow paper have been discovered, and are fetching about Four Shillings each.

Stamps of new issues in good demand, but little doing in the commoner kinds.

Dealers sending their price lists, magazines &c. will receive this circular monthly.

W. D. ATLEE.

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