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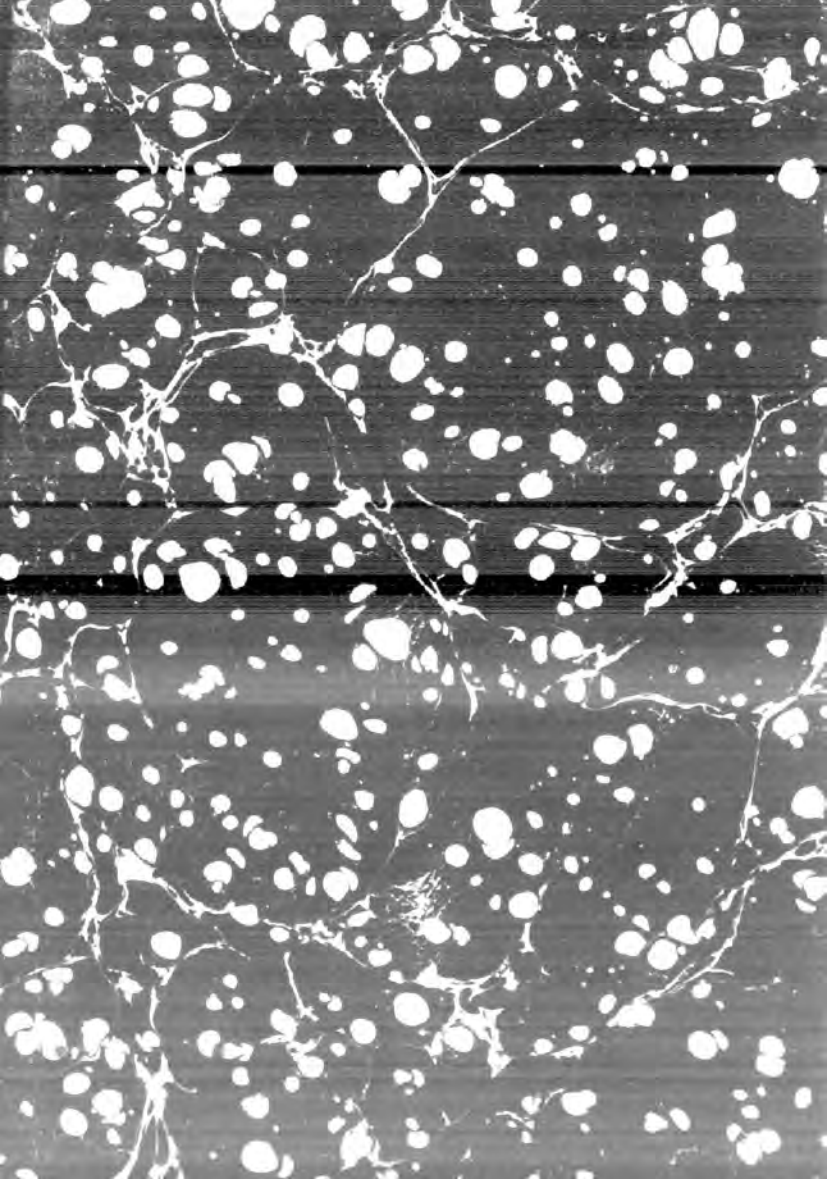


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SMYRNA, N. Y., FEB'Y, 1889.

No 31

Written expressly for this publication.

Pronunciation.

YANKEE.

WE have an idea that when the caption of this article we are now penning, shall catch the eyes of philatelists, they will say to themselves, "a queer title for a stamp paper,"—but wait!

There is a reason for all things; and there is a reason why we write this, and we think it has a bearing—and a direct one, too—on philately. How often, when in conversation with a friend, we have heard words mispronounced, and what more frequently than the name of our own science—Philately, or its kindred adjectives! So that, in presenting this article, we wish, not only to call attention to mistakes, common, but in rehearsing them, plant seeds that shall grow in our minds for good.

First let us take the word, Philately. Do we all of us pronounce it alike! And by the way, in order to make the pronunciation of each word we shall notice, more easy to grasp, we shall syllabify them. Phi lat e ly, then, is divided as given, and is accented on its second syllable. And so we find each, phi lat e list and phi lat e lie.

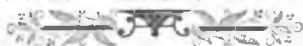
How often have we heard the latter incorrectly pronounced phil a tel ic, and accented on the third syllable ? The “phi” in each case is pronounced almost as if spelt “fe.”

And now, having correctly adjusted our name, we will take careful notice of the names of some of the countries with which we, as philatelists, are every day connected : Af ghan is tan is accented on the last syllable ; Al sace on the last and pronounced as if spelt “al sass” ; Lor raine on the last and the pronunciation is “lor ran” ; An ti gua on the second and pronounced “an te ga” ; An ti o qui a on the fourth and pronounced “an te o kee a” ; A re qui pa on the third and pronounced “a ra kee pa” ; Ba den or Bad en, either is correct and both are accented on first syllable, but in the former the “a” is very broad, while in the latter it is short ; Bo liv i a is accented on the second and is pronounced “bo leev e a” ; Bra zil on the last and pronounced “bra zeel” ; Brein en on the first and the pronunciation is apparent ; Bul ga ri a on the second and the first syllable is “bool” ; Cey lon is pronounced correctly with accent on first or last ; Cos ta Ri ca each on the first and pronounced “kos ta ree ka” ; Dec can is accented on the first ; Dom i ni ca on the third and pronounced “dom e nee ka” ; Ec ua dor on the last and pro-

nounced "ec wa dor"; En gland on the first and pronounced "ing gland" Fi ji on the first and pronounced, as it is sometimes written, "fee jee"; Ha wa ii on the second and pronounced "ha w-ee"; Meck len burg on the first and pronounced "mek len boorg"; Schwer in on the last and pronounced "shwa reen"; Strel itz on the first and pronounced "stra lits"; Mon te ne gro on the third and pronounced "mon ta na gro"; Neufch-a tel on the last and pronounced "nush a tel"; New found land on the first and pronounced "nu-fund land"; New Or le ans on first of last name and pronunciation is clearly seen; Ro mag na on the second and pronounced "ro man ya"; Rus si a on the first and pronounced "rush i a"; Saint Pierre is pronounced "sent peer"; Miq ue-lon on the last and pronounced "mik e lon"; Sa-ra wak is accented on either the second or third, correctly; Schles wig Hol stein is pronounced "shles wig hol stin" and each word is accented on the first syllable; Shang hai is accented on the last; Si er ra Le o ne is pronounced "se er-ra la o na" and each word is accented on the second syllable; Su ri nam on the last and it is pronounced "soo ri nam"; 'Ta hi ti on the second and pronounced "ta hee te"; Ven e zue la on the third and pronounced "ven e zwee la"; Y ca on the first and pronounced "e ka"; Zu rich on

the first and pronounced "zu rick".

And so ends our list. I think I can safely say that there is not one of us but that has been more or less faulty in our Pronunciation and we trust that this short epitome may prove of much value to us in the future. Selah.



Selected.

A Private Dead Letter Office.

BILL NYE

QUEER things happen to letters even when they do not get to Washington. A Wyoming postmaster used to claim that circular letters, unsealed, if not called for within a day or two, were good things to use in starting the fire. He therefore kept a coal hod near the general delivery, which constituted a little private dead letter office for his own special use. One day his children were playing tag with each other inside the postoffice and canceling each other's nose with the M. O. B. stamp, when suddenly they decided to investigate the coal hod in search of advertising cards. In each of two large circular envelopes they found a smaller sealed letter which had worked in by shoving a large mass of letters together for cancellation. The children had torn these two letters open and were playing Fourth of July and Rally Round the Flag, Boys, with a \$79 check and a \$600 draft when the old gentle-

man looked up. Justice compels me to say, however, that he spanked the children soundly for his carelessness and refused to let them have fun with his dead letter office after that.



Now, Honestly, Don't You Think

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That we show great improvement, both in our manners and our dress ?

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Quite a Queer State of Affairs.

ENGLISHMEN, at the present time, pay eight pence per dozen for their $\frac{1}{2}$ penny postal cards. This would seem very strange to Americans, but it seems that the government was caught in a "trap," and the people have to bear the consequences of it. We learn from the bright little magazine, Herdman's Miscellany, "that the Government committed the error of contracting with an eminent firm for a ten year's supply, and that the country is now paying £60,000 a year more for the cards and post office stationery than the figure at which as good articles could now be

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A Monthly Record of New Issues.

Argentine Republic—1c brown, perforated ;
½c brown newspaper wrapper.

Brazil—700 reis lilac, perforated.

Fiji—Black official stamp.

Great Britain—Black officially sealed stamp.

India—Pountch—¼ a, 1 a, 2 a, 4 a, all black, on white laid paper.

Travancore—½ a blue, 1 a vermilion, 2 a green. All perforated.

Mexico—Official stamp, brown, pin perforation.

New South Wales—1 p violet, envelope ; 1 p violet, wrapper ; 1 p violet "O S." in black surcharge.

New Zealand—Revenues used as postage, 4 £ ultramarine, 10 £ blue

Trinidad—1 £ green, perforated.

Tunis—Engraved and perforated : 1c black on white, 2c brown on buff, 5c green on greenish, 15c blue on grayish, 25c black on rose, 40c red on straw, 75c carmine on rose. Envelope : 5c green on white paper, 15c blue on blue paper.

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200 stamps, all different, for best offer of U. S. ship plasters. 165 all different for best offer of U. S. half cents. A. McFarlane, Lawrence, Ks.

Current stamps of this country for those other countries. Send good assortment and we will do same. Imperial Stamp Co., Smyrna, N. Y.

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—x—

—There are over 50,000 post offices in the U. S.

—x—

—The article by Bill Nye was never before published—in this magazine.

—x—

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—Now doth the festive echo eck—" Who's our next post-master " ?

—x—

—The New York postoffice yearly gives the government a profit of over \$3,000,000

—x—

—More mail circulates in this country than in any other in this world—orany other if the returns don't lie.

—x—

—We understand that if a woman has control of a post-office, she is obliged to sign herself the "post-master."

—x—

—We'd like to have you get " mashed " on us, then, may be, you would subscribe ! See if you cawn't, will you ?

—x—

—Post office clerk : " What would you like, my little maid " ? " Two cents worth of three cent stamps, if you please, thir," she said.

—x—

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—x—

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—x—

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A Bout With The Bhoys.

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Favor Me by Reading Every Word.

"Who steals my purse steals trash: but he that filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him, and makes me poor indeed." The following, unwarranted, malicious, and false article appeared in the last (November) issue of the United States Philatelist:

"We notice that F. J. Stanton, the fellow who runs that black-mailing sheet, the Philatelic Tribune, etc * * Confine yourself to bringing false charges against reputable dealers and always forget to send them copies of such charges, which cannot be substantiated. This is more in your line, which will sometimes settle you with a few lines and a striped suit."

Immediately on reading the above we sent the following letters:

SMYRNA, N. Y., Jan. 11th, 1889.

Friend Scott.—I have, this very evening, for the first time, read the slanderous and utterly false charges made against me and my paper, the Philatelic Tribune, in a department called "Wanderer's Corner," in your November issue. The fact of my being away from home during nearly all of the months of Nov. and Dec. accounts for my not having noticed the article before. Now I desire to publicly say through your columns that I will give the writer of that article twenty-five dollars for each and every instance wherein he will prove that I have made false charges against any dealer—reputable or not. I have written T. J. Mitchell, whom I believe to be the author, to make good his assertions or to publicly retract them in his department, or I shall brand him as he deserves to be branded, a slanderer and a falsifier. Sincerely and Fraternally, F. J. Stanton.

SMYRNA, N. Y., Jan. 11th, 1889.

T. J. Mitchell, Esq., 856 Fulton St., Chicago, Ills., D. Sir,—I have just this moment noticed your note maligning me and my paper in the November no. of the United States Philatelist. Now I must say that this article by you is a very unjust and reproachable one. I make no allusion to your slur on the "Party" but I now call upon you to prove your assertion as to "The Philatelic Tribune" being a blackmailing sheet. I will present you with twenty-five dollars for each and every instance wherein you will prove that I have ever made false charges against reputable or not reputable dealers. You allude, no doubt, to the names of those persons whom I publish in the Tribune. Each and every one of them have been notified repeatedly of their indebtedness and in my issues of June, 1888, (after giving due notice of their indebtedness in a previous issue), I published an affidavit, under charges of account, made and sworn to before a duly authorized Notary Public in this place. Every person whose name appears in that list and whose name will appear in the list in my February no. is justly indebted to me. Now Sir, in all spirit of fairness, (if you possess that attribute), now knowing the facts of this case as you do, I ask you, [in your department and by letter] to retract your slanderous and malicious charges, or, I shall publicly brand you, as you deserve to be branded, a slander-

er and a falsifier. Waiting, in all expectancy for your just retraction, I am HONESTLY, yours, F. J. Stanton.

What does this man Mitchell do, does he ask our pardon for the injury he has done us, like a gentleman? No!! In his reply to the above letter he charges us: 1, with having claimed to have published an advertisement of his; 2, with having published his name in our list of fraudulent or dishonest persons; 3, that we have removed his name from such list "giving the impression that he had paid alleged claim"; 4, that he "had the columns of nearly all the prominent papers offered him when we called him a beat, to come down on us." Each and every one of these charges are utterly and unequivocally FALSE! and we defy anyone to produce one iota of evidence that will tend towards the substantiation of them. We say to our friends and readers; 1st, That we have never had nor claimed to have had a contract with this T. J. Mitchell for advertising; 2d, That we never have nor have claimed to have inserted an advertisement for T. J. Mitchell; 3d, That we never have had nor claim to have had any dealing whatever with T. J. Mitchell; 4th, That we never have nor claim to have inserted the name of T. J. Mitchell in our list of fraudulent persons, and that, therefore, did not remove something that never existed; 5th, That we never called him "a beat"; 6th, That, after a careful scrutiny of the 80 back numbers of our paper, we can find no mention whatever of the name of T. J. Mitchell; and 7th, That to the best of our knowledge and belief we have never before received a written communication from this T. J. Mitchell. We are ready to swear to the foregoing facts. We desire every person who has a file of the Tribune, to carefully search it and see for themselves, and we ask every Intelligent, Fair Minded Philatelist, does not T. J. Mitchell stand a SELF-CONVICTED slanderer and falsifier? We regret having to force this lengthy vindication upon our readers, but none can blame us for taking the course, our reputation as an honest man having been assailed and our character blackened.

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The Black List.

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This packet is called the **A T-8** for the simple reason that it was introduced by us in 1888 and it was an immense success from its introduction. Collectors are not satisfied with a single packet, some of them buy six. It is the Finest Packet for the Money ever sold. It contains stamps worth at catalogue prices over **\$2.00**. It contains no torn stamps nor duplicates. We guarantee every stamp in it to be Genuine. Only **50c** post free. Please read the following:

I received my first A T-8 Packet to day I find it contains \$2.08 by Scott's latest catalogue, 61 stamps I did not have in my collection of 1,500, and 57 cents worth of good duplicates You may look for further orders from me A B Merrill

The A T-8 Packet is decidedly the Best Bargain in stamps I ever made There was over two dollar's worth in mine! US Rogers

I never have had so good a packet for the price as your A T-8, I have bought from Scott, Durbin, Turner, Ashfield, Dresser, and a great many others, but none were so Cheap and Good as yours. Yours, R C Daniel, Jr.

Your A T-8 packets are just Great. They go ahead of any I ever saw; I got 2.62 worth from mine You may expect another order from me before long and I will do all I can to get my friends to send for them Yours truly, S J Baker

I received the two A T-8 packets all right I have never had such good packets before Yours truly, H C Parsons

I never was so well pleased with any packet as the A T-8 in all my life. I find that mine contained 2.63 worth of stamps at catalogue rates. There are a number of boys here that will send for it and you may expect another order from me before long Yours truly, Henry B Graham

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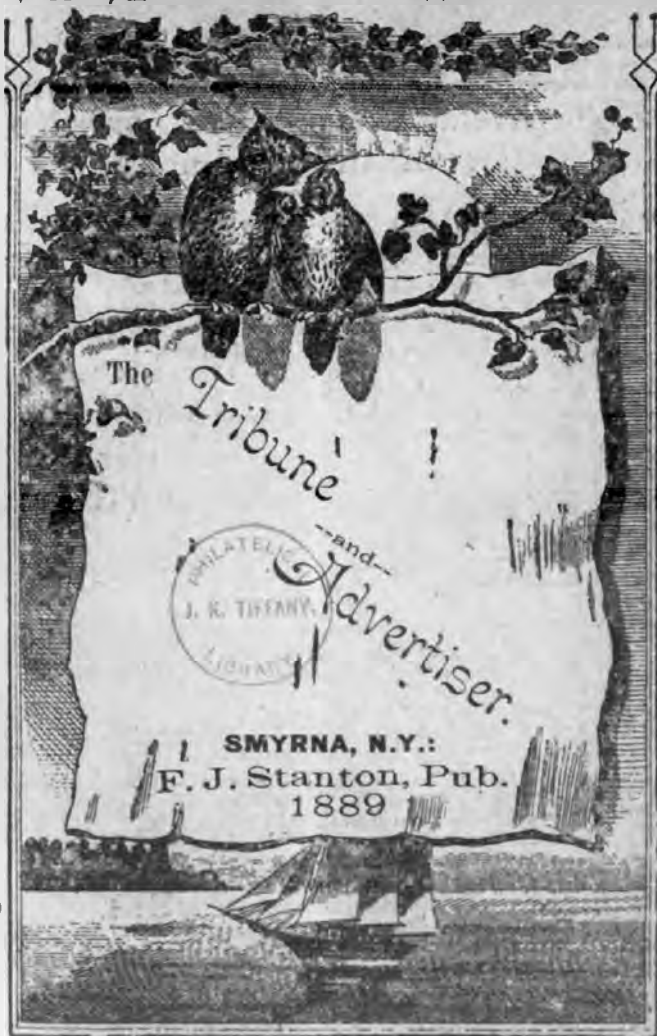
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SMYRNA, N. Y., MARCH, 1889.

No. 32

Written expressly for this publication.

Youthful Reminiscences.

I YANKEE.

I AM thinking here to-day,
Of the years now passed away ;
Of the time, when, twenty years ago—
How then with a new science
I formed a strong alliance,
One which with years continued to grow.
What was this, I hear you ask—
Well, 't will be a pleasant task,
So I'll set out and its history tell.

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You see a boy of eight,
With his school books and slate,
Who in the meshes of this "hobby" fell.
It was at our much loved school—
Where we ne'er infringed a rule—
That each a little book did own.
And in them pasted stamps,
(Though oft called "foolish scamps,")
Of countries near and far from home.
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In cellar, garret, and recess obscured,

To find the rare stamp treasures,
Which we often did—what pleasures!—

The reward that our patient search procured.

How proud we felt to go

And to companions show

The “new ones” which we now possessed ;

How they'd ask with eager speech

“Did we have more 'n one of each?”

And with them, then, we would exchange the rest.

And thus it was you know

Our collection would grow,

And our love for stamps also fondly grew.

Some English stamps we found

On a letter tossed around,

And thus a new stamp page had for review.

Then we found some stamps of France,

Which we knew at just a glance,

For on them was Napoleon's head you see ;

And that country, with England near,

To us it seemed so very queer

That the word “France” they should spell with-
[out the “e.”

Soon we had a page for Spain ;

Later, Alsace and Lorraine

Which from the French the German army won.

Then from Uruguay, S. A.,

And from India, far away,

Which firmly Britain has “under her thumb.”

Stamps from Chili and Peru,

And from Bolivia too,

And from the republic Argentine,

From Italy, and Greece, old,

And the island Iceland, cold,

In our little stamp book could be seen.

At last the little book

Such great proportions took,

With the new and old stamps that we might name,

That we looked about to get

A handsomer book, and yet

One that could not put its contents to shame.

Well, let it suffice to say,

That as I looked, one day,

Through a paper that a friend had sent to me,

What there should meet my eyes,

And give me glad surprise,

But “Stamp Albums for sale by A. B. C.”

Sure, this, was just what I sought!

So I a nice one quickly bought,

And let me say 'tis filling rapidly;

And many hours I spend,

With this truly pleasant friend,

In this Science, now called, Philately.



—We want agents for our approval sheets.

Written expressly for this publication.

The Yankee Dealer.

WM. B. HALE.

WHAT does the Foreign dealer think of the Yankee dealer? He regards him as a man of money, who will pay a treble price for his common stamps, and who will send him Justice, Executive, State, or Navy stamps at a cent each, or perhaps less if he buys largely. He expects stamps of the above to be sent on credit, unlimited credit, and no one is to refuse that reasonable (?) request. He is amazed that anyone should dare to ask him for a deposit and that they should not want common Europeans from him. He has perhaps a capital of \$5 to fall back upon and very likely hasn't anything. This is what they expect of the yankee dealer. Now I pen a description of what the yankee dealer does. First he will deal only with such prominent foreigners as have got over the above idea and who will be square with him. He will always register parcels and he will always price his own stamps reasonably and will also expect the same from his foreign cousin. The exchange is only rendered in rare stamps, (as common ones he easily gets here,) and will only ask a fair advance to the retail trade. If a collector wishes to get specimens singly he can therefore do as well here as abroad. If a small dealer wants stamps he can

do as well here as abroad. It is only the large dealer who buys large quantities at depressions in the foreign market who can do anything in the way of foreign trade, profitably. You may get a Cohns' or Gibbons' catalogue and the prices will run as high as Bogert's, Scott's or Mekeel's. You can buy as cheap in the cheap packets here as abroad but in a higher priced packet you may save a little. Only DON'T trust a dealer who is not reliable. There are standard dealers in every country but you must be careful. The foreigner finds out that the yankee dealer will not give away stamps to him or give him a fortune for his. He finds the American has use for the rare State, Executive and Justice, and will sell them at a reasonable price only. Also if he wants to sell his stamps, he must accordingly make his price reasonable. This little sketch is calculated to apply also to Americans having a mania for sending abroad for stamps merely to find them as high priced as here, or else reprints or counterfeits.



Written expressly for this publication.

Don't!
YANKEE.

Don't trim the perforations from your stamps.
Don't stick stamps tight to the album page.
Don't cut your envelope stamps otherwise than

square.

Don't use prepared mucilage as in time it will discolor your specimens. If you do not use stamp hinges or mounts, make your own mucilage of pure gum arabic and warm soft water.

Don't, as a rule, place torn specimens in your album. It is well enough to keep those slightly torn until they can be replaced by better ones.

Don't allow paper to adhere to backs of stamps.

Don't soak Russian stamps, some of those of New South Wales, nor any printed in water colors, as you will destroy or make them worthless.

Don't deal with dishonest dealers or collectors.

Don't use fictitious names for references.

Don't replace specimens on approval sheets sent you by dealers with stamps of your own as it is but a small way of stealing.

Don't promise dealers that you will return their sheets in ten days and then keep them a month.

Don't buy, sell or exchange counterfeit stamps.

Don't fail to give some some worthy stamp paper your patronage in the way of subscriptions.

Don't let anyone persuade you that stamp collecting is not a pleasant, profitable, and educational pursuit.



—The death of D. J. Hickey, of New York, former publisher of the *Mystic World*, is mentioned.

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All the following for exchange: Pocket pencil holder, metal pen holder and pencil combined, 53 photos of celebrities, 5 different loading tools for gun, a combined powder and shot measure, six brass 12 bore shells and about 150 primers, Robert Elsmere, and hundreds of other books bound and unbound, 1st 18 nos this magazine, brand new Youth's Companion and Excelsior stamp albums, 2nd hand International album contains flags arms and photographs, mad stones, 2700 agents names, "Spanish at a Glance," 2 Standard bill holders, mounted microscopic objects, Tennis playing rules, set of Drawing Articles consisting of fire board, T square, 6 pins, 2 erasers, charcoal sticks, stump, sauce, fixatif, atomizer, etc., good as new, a no. 2 hektograph, Japanese egg, tin tags, indelible pencil, marking crayon, 6 linen standing collars size 15, 3 hand some plaques, transparent playing cards, drummer's order book, satin and leatherette visiting card cases, 500 stamp wafers, German war envelopes, an odometer, trick fan, birds eggs, ice skates, post marks, a 5-shot 32 cal. revolver, good nickel watch, letter file, camp stove, hand bracket saw frame and saws, ice creepers, 50 steel engravings of celebrities, collection of moths butterflies beetles etc., 6 new engraver's tools, tambourine, negro wig, gold-mounted st lo pen, and many other articles. Want offers of exchange, but prefer copper cents, stamps, good printing material, or stereoscopic views. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

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Send for my Xchange list for stamps, guitar, etc. C. T. Rogall, Ada, O. I will give \$1.50 exchange for the 10c black '47 U. S.; 1.00 for the 12c '51; 4.00 for the 5c brown '56; 90c for the 24c lilac '60; 1.25 for the 30c orange '60; 1.50 for the 24c '69; 1.20 for the 30c '69 and 5.50 for the "post obitum" official seal stamp. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

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From the U. S. P.

Philatelia—An Acrostic.

PERHAPS it may interest you,
H aving an old story made new,
I f it is neatly placed in rhyme?
L et's begin: Once upon a time,
A dimpled, smiling babe was born.
T his, on a pleasant, sunny morn.
E veryone with joy was wild,
L owing, looking upon the child.—
I n her name is handed down
A record: Science and Renown.



Specially reported for this publication.

The P. S. of A.

The Philatelic Society of America have just held an election. The following is the list of officers: President, E. R. Aldrich; Vice President, M. V. Samuels; Secretary, H. C. Beardsley; Treasurer, T. J. Mitchell. Official Organ, The International Collector. Dues 25c and \$1. Send in your 25c admission fee and become a member. The other dues are only \$1 a year. H C. B.



—“Yankee's” advice to the young collector:
Better be Honest than possess the finest stamp
collection in the whole world.

SUPPLEMENT.

NOTES.

Since page 38 was printed, G. A. Baas, formerly of Louisville, Ky, has favored us with complete settlement of account.

See Archer's ad and get a pair of his suspenders. They are the Boss.

Jay's letter and other matter crowded out. Fine articles promised for next mo.

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The Imperial Novelty Co., of Smyrna, N. Y., in order to get a copy of their catalogue into the hands of our readers, will send a Wizard Hat Hook post free for 5c. or a False Mustache for 7c

See Important page 39 !

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YANKEE'S YARNS.

—Say, mister, can I look over your waste paper basket?

—Wonder if the different factions in Corea will issue stamps?

—The gum on the present 3c stamps of Canada is better than that on those of previous issue.

Persons answering advertisements are earnestly requested to say:
"saw your adv't in The Tribune and Advertiser. It means \$'s to us!"

—A collector named Coffin was recently arrested for stealing approval sheets. It might be said that he dug his own grave.

—A correspondent writes: "Why is stamp collecting like my girl"? Guess it's cause she's nice, Tommy, isn't it? Give us a harder one.

—The celebration of the fifth anniversary of the Netherlands Philatelic Society will occur on April 21st, 22d and 23d, at Amsterdam. An International Exhibition of the various branches of Philately will be the main feature, and various medals and diplomas will be awarded. By the tone of the prospectus, just to hand, the exhibition would seem a fore-ordained success. We trust it will prove a grand one.

—Scene, parlor; hour, 1 a. m.; characters, Susan, her awful brother, and Susan's suitor. A. b. (who rushes madly in clad in gown de chambre, and who, by the way, is threatened with the stamp fever) "Jim, why are you like a postage stamp"? James,—(who is S s., and who quickly removes his arm from around—topped table—and also who is noticeably not at all at home,) "I am sure I don't know William, why am I"? "Cause dad says if you don't keep earlier hours you'll get cornered, bear a cancellation mark, and go for home, like one cent licked." Exeunt omnes.

—The collecting of revenues seems to come up periodically for discussion. There is no more interesting branch in philately than various rev's.



A Bout With The Bhoys.

MACDUFF.

"Lay on Macduff, and damned be he who first cries"—Rats!

—The general run of editors seems to be—my taffy for your taffy.

—The lad that wrote the "drama" in the Philatelic Press has "been there." That young lady don't exist in his imagination alone.

—Deer sur send me four sheets ov stamps at not less thun 20c each. i am a membr ov the R. I. P., A. P. C, G. U. M. and White Caps.

—It's a pity to see so many typographical errors in that fine journal, the Stamp Collector. Give your proof reader a talk or a walk, Brad.

—Since George Richmond got hold of Plain Talk we talk plain when we say she's boomed, and it serves George right. There's no squarer, more straight-forward fellow in biz to day than he. We've known him, in a business way, fifteen years.

—Billy Culross is nearly dead with overwork, so he writes. He is a "jiner," belonging to no less than $42\frac{1}{2}$ different societies—the $\frac{1}{2}$ being a case where he was only $\frac{1}{2}$ initiated. His latest freak is the R. S. of G. F.—Right Set of Grand Fathers.

Our Auction Chat.

—Our monthly auction sales are becoming more and more popular each month and the bids received for our 3d sale outnumber the other sales two to one. In our 1st sale Lots 2, 6, 7, 10, were bid in to M. & B. Rosenfield; 3, 5, 8, to A. G. Bishop; 9, M. G. Bitting; 12, H. C. Beardsley. 2d sale, Lots 12, 21, 22, M. & B. Rosenfield; 14, George C. Stuart; 16, 17, 18, 20, 22, M. G. Bitting; 19, H. C. Beardsley. Report of 3d sale next month. Everyone is invited to send bids for 4th sale which may be found on page 26 of this issue. Send your bids at once.

The Black List.

We shall be glad to remove any name in this list on a settlement of account and to make due acknowledgement of same.

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We are glad to acknowledge a full settlement from J. A. Pierce, of Chicago, Ills., and to withdraw his name from above Black List. We also remove the name of R. W. Burchard, Hyattsville, Md., having realized the amount of our claim from stamps sent us.

The names of L. L. Troeder, W. O. Coleman, O. B. Flisk, J. S. Gilland, J. H. Houston, James A. Thompson, and H. E. Gaudern, with their full Addresses, will be published unless they remit by Mar. 15th.

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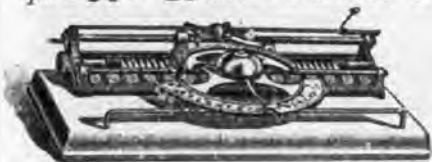
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Written expressly for this publication.

The Stamps of New South Wales.

CANADIENSIS.

PROBABLY very few collectors are aware that the colony of New South Wales issued stamped paper as far back as 1838, but it is nevertheless true that an **EMBOSSSED WRAPPER** was in use there in that year. From the official records it is found that an engraver by the name of W. Wilson engraved one plate on steel of a wrapper which was issued according to the "Gazette" notice on 1 Nov, 1838. The plate was used for twenty-three years or until 1861, and these embossed wrappers are much sought after by European and Australian collectors. Why is this wrapper not catalogued in Scott's and other standard catalogues? This wrapper must not be confounded with the 1d. red embossed issued in 1864, nor the one of same value issued in 1865 and in use to the present day. There appears to have been no expressed value of the issue of 1838, and it simply did duty for any part of the Colony. The 1d. wrapper of 1864, of which there were eight engravings on steel, was only in use for eleven months, and are comparatively rare, many

catalogues not giving a price for a specimen.

By a reference to Scott's 50th catalogue it will be seen that there are two 2d. blue stamps put down as being issued in 1851, when as a matter of fact the official records prove that one was issued on 21 July, 1851, and the other (the 2d star) in Nov., 1853. Of the large square series the 5d. and 8d. were issued 1st Dec., 1855, not 1854, as many catalogues tell us.

The 5 shillings, 10 shillings, and £1 duty stamps of 1885 were previously used for fiscal purposes and were in 1886 surcharged "Postage." They were used from 1885 to 1886 for telegraphic purposes.

The 6d. registration stamp of 1855—not 1853 as some have it—had no expressed value, but 6d was the price for it. They were supposed to be printed in red and blue, but as many can be found in orange, vermilion, yellow, and other colors. They were in use for thirteen years, yet are quite scarce, being worth from \$1 50 to \$4 00 each. All the stamps of New South Wales were printed on watermarked paper in 1854 and perforation was introduced in '60.

In Scott's catalogue is mentioned a 1d. red official envelope of '87 as a new design. A member of the Australian Society informs me that this was only a provisional issue for temporary

use and is now withdrawn. My specimen of same cost me 15 shillings, which I considered was cheap.

A peculiar instance of provisional issues is in the New South Wales watermarked wrapper paper being used for printing Victoria wrappers. Specimens of these are quite rare and I am surprised I do not find it catalogued in many catalogues professing to be "standard" A specimen of the Victoria wrapper on New South Wales watermarked paper is worth \$3 00 to \$4 00. Only a few were issued.

The longest period any plates were in use for printing stamps of New South Wales were those of the '55 5d. and 8d. which have been in use constantly since that period, 34 years ago. The 3d. diadem series of '56 has now been in use 33 years, and the 1d. wrapper 23 years.

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YANKEE'S YARNS.

Did it ever occur to you that a postage stamp was like an under dog in the fight licked? Or like the man who bet on the last election "cornered" and "stuck"?

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Philately, is the name of a new and handsome paper which appeared for the first time last month. An article, by Jos. Holmes, Jr., suggests an excellent method of treating approval sheet frauds, namely, that a list should be published monthly in the leading philatelic papers. By the way, there's not a dull word in Philately. May it live to see the science whose name it has adopted, grow and flourish in time to come as much in proportion as that science has in the past two decades.

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The collection of stamps on exhibition at the Eden Musee, in New York, must be a "sight for (philatelic) sore eyes," eh?


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"Pa," said the precocious youngster, "will they put Grover Cleveland's picture on postage stamps now?" "Why no, my son, they only to that when the statesmen are dead." "Well, I heard you say last night that 'Grover Cleveland was now politically dead.'"

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Read the advertisement of Surprise Stamp Packets elsewhere.

CANADIAN REVENUE CATALOGUE.

Some time during the next three months we shall issue the above. It will be our earnest endeavor to make it complete in every detail—a Standard Reference Catalogue and Price List. Such a work being demanded through the growing interest now being manifested in Canadian Revenue Stamps. The tax on the pocket book of the collector, for Association dues, new issues, etc., has been taken into consideration by the Publisher, and the price of the work has been placed within the reach of every philatelist, viz, 30 cents for the Cloth, and 15 cents for the Paper covers. Of course no Philatelic Library will be complete without it. **IN ORDER** that we may ascertain how many copies it will be best to issue for our 1st Edition, we have decided to ask every **REPUTABLE PHILATELIST** who may desire a copy to at once on receipt of this **SEND US HIS NAME** and we will **BOOK HIM** for the style desired. And then as soon as he receives a copy he must remit.  Already some 25 copies have been spoken for the result of the adv't in the last number of The Philatelic Tribune and Advertiser. Orders may be sent to Mr. John R. Hooper, 559 King St., Ottawa, Canada, or to the publisher,

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An International album, 600 stamps and five good books, the lot valued at 6.50. for a self-inking printing press or for money. L. G. Miller 96 Grant Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

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40c worth of fine foreign stamps for a U. S. stamp worth 25c or a foreign stamp worth 35c. B. L. Drew, 122 Oxford St., Cambridge, Mass.

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All the following for exchange; Pocket pencil holder, metal pen holder and pencil combined, 55 photos of celebrities, 5 different loading tools for gun, a combined powder and shot measure, six brass 12' bore shells and about 150 primers, Robert Elmer's and hundreds of other books bound and unbound, 1st 18 nos this magazine, brand new Youth's Companion and Excelsior stamp albums, 2nd hand International album contains flags arms and photographs, mad stones, 2700 agents names, "Spanish at a Glance," 2 Standard bill holders, mounted microscopic objects, Tennis playing rules, set of Drawing Articles consisting of free board, T square, 6 pins, 2 erasers, charcoal sticks, stump, sauce, fixatif, atomizer, etc., good as new, a no. 2 hektograph, Japanese egg, tin tags, indelible pencil, marking crayon, 6 linen standing collars size 15, 3 hand some plaques, transparent playing cards, drummer's order book, satin and leatherette visiting card cases, 500 stamp wafers, German war envelopes, an odometer, trick fan, birds eggs, ice skates, post marks, a 5-shot 32 cal. revolver, good nickel watch, letter file, camp stove, hand bracket saw frame and saws, 100 creepers, 50 steel engravings of celebrities, collection of moths butterflies beetles etc., 6 new engraver's tools, tambourine, negro wig, gold-mounted still life, and many other articles. Want offers of exchange, but prefer copper cents, stamps, good printing material, or stereoscopic views. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

Correspondence.

Mr. Hooper Writes.

Editor TRIBUNE, — There is an old adage that says "self confession is good for the soul." Now, if this be true, then public confession must be doubly so. For an apt illustration of this I refer your readers to a recent quasi-editorial news-letter in the Collector's Ledger, in which Mr. Alvah Davison attempts to justify Mr. Aue's conduct in re the Chalmers' craze. Not only does Davison show that he is entirely ignorant of the subject he attempts to speak on, but he makes such absurdly contradictory remarks in reference to myself that I can only put the effusion down as an unparalleled concoction of hatred and malice, which would do credit to the editor of Figaro, who, by the way, I see, is not a lover of the Ledger or its prompters, yet they all float together in the Chalmers' ship. Verily, birds of a feather flock together. As to Aue's assertion that Canadiensis' writings are inspired by me, he evidently does not read many papers, or he never would have got off that stale chestnut. As to the "Chicago Har's" remark that I doubted the sanity of some of my opponents, I may simply state that it is the very reason I do not care one iota for the miserable wall which was entirely uncalled for. Yours philatelically, JOHN R. HOOPER.

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A Letter From Mr. J. C. Jay.

Editor TRIBUNE, — I have been travelling all summer and on my return in Sept. found a letter awaiting me informing me of my expulsion from the A. P. A. for conduct unbecoming a gentleman. I was surprised and wondered what I had been guilty of. Then I noticed in a stamp paper that Voute had received an indecent letter from me, yet I had not written a letter to Mr. Voute at all. I wrote to S. B. Bradt telling him of the facts and that when I was through travelling I would furnish him proofs. This I did in Oct. but never heard from him. I went to Chicago to see him but he was out of town. While I was away I left my partner to attend to my correspondence: he was very skillful with the pen and imitated my hand writing almost to perfection, and if Mr. Voute does hold a letter it was written by my partner. No dealer in the United States can say I have been dishonest with him. I would like very much to regain my good name and ask you, brother philatelists, will you not help me? I am sorry for any wrong, if I have done any, and will do all in my power to help philately. Truly yours, J. C. JAY

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More of T. J. Mitchell's Mailbox.

The following appears in the February Hoosier Philatelist: "THE PHILATELIC TRIBUNE comes out in a new form. The gentleman the editor accuses with blandering him has given no proof of the same charges being made last May in the Figaro against Stanton, and which he never refuted or noticed until forced by a severe note. It looks like a scheme

to get some free advertising on the part of Stanton." In reply to the above we immediately sent the following letter which explains itself:

SMYRNA, N. Y., Mar. 11, 1889.

F. N. Massoth, Hanover Centre, Ind.,—My Dear Sir,—Are you so unkind-minded enough to accord me an equal privilege with the person who instigated the note regarding me which I have this day noticed in your February no., just received? If you are thus unprejudiced, state, [in some manner], in your next issue, that I HAVE NEVER SEEN a copy of a May "Figaro." The only copies of that paper I EVER SAW are Vol. 1, No. 1, and Vol. 3, No. 1, hence I could not have replied to nor refuted charges I had been in ignorance of. This Mitchell, who I see is to act in the capacity of associate editor of your paper, stands a self-convicted slanderer and falsifier as you can see by the enclosed. All I ask, Mr. Massoth, is that as far as you can, you see that simple justice is done me. Sincerely yours, F. J. Stanton.

The following appears in the January Figaro: " * * * Mr. Stanton's 'Black List' contains many names of reputable stamp dealers and other firms, and a movement is on foot amongst these to bring a libel suit against this young blackmailer."

To the above we wrote the following letter:

SMYRNA, N. Y., Mar 11, 1889.

E. W. Vente, Chicago, Illa., D. Sir,—During the time your magazine has been running I have received but two numbers of it: Vol. 1, No. 1, and Vol. 3, No. 1. I beg to say to you that since the event of your 1st no. my paper has been sent you REGULARLY AS ISSUED. I regret the statement you make as to my "Black List" containing the "names of reputable stamp dealers and other firms." My dear sir does a person who will not pay a JUST AND HONEST DEBT, come in under your definition of a reputable person? Each and every person whose name appears in this "List" you speak of, is justly in debt financially to me. The fact [if it is a fact] of "a movement" being "on foot" by these persons mentioned in my "List" to instigate proceedings against me for libel I know nothing about. Let me say to you that I stand ready to meet any effort or their combined efforts in that direction. I have learned that your paper, of last May, contained some sort of an article regarding me. I know not what it was never having seen a copy. Will you kindly send a copy that I may know of it? In all justice I ask you to fully investigate a matter you have brought up. You accuse me of being a "young blackmailer" but advance no proof. Either prove me such or give me the benefit of a just vindication. Sincerely, F. J. Stanton.

The above puts Mr. V. in the position where he must prove his assertions, or like a true gentleman, own that he was in the wrong and accord us a just vindication which he must know is certainly our due. As to T. J. Mitchell, through whom, as far as we know, all this talk has instigated, we have, in his own hand-writing, a letter that proves him to be one of the meanest of fabricators. We again ask the kind indulgence of our readers for the space we have here consumed.

Our Auction Chat.

The following were buyers in our 3d Auction Sale: M. & B. Rosenfield lots 25, 27, 32, 33, 38 and 44; W. R. King 26 and 36; J. R. Craigue 28, 34, 37, 40, 45 and 46; M. G. Bitting 39 and 41; A. L. Lawrence 47; and H. C. Beardsley 49.

In our 4th Sale the following persons were buyers: M. & B. Rosenfield lots 70, 79, 80 and 84; T. R. Johnston 54, 55, 56, 58, 64 and 67; W. H. Goodrich 59, 60, 61, 65, 66, 75, 76, 77, 81 and 83; Irwin L. Hartman 71; W. R. King 74; and J. R. Craigue 82.

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—J. A. Green, care University School, Petersburg, Va., (recommended by Tho's P. Martin,) returns one of our sheets after appropriating a number of stamps which we can't get a remittance for. Goodbar Backus, of Lebanon, Tenn., fails to remit or account for a sheet sent him Apr 4th, 1887.

—The Flour City Philatelist is doing a Grand Work in showing up approval sheet frauds. Let the good work go on brethren!

The Black List.

We shall be glad to remove any name in this list on a settlement of account and to make due acknowledgement of same.

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N O T E S.

Our account against H. L. Froehlich has been settled by the young man's father. Dealers should state their case to him. M. P. Beance, 24 Franklin st., Boston, Mass., is settling accounts of L. L. Troeder.

H. E. Gaudern, Elyria, Ohio, fails to keep his promises good.

J. H. Houston, the stamp dealer of Washington, D. C., owes us quite a sum for advertising and we are unable to get any kind of settlement.

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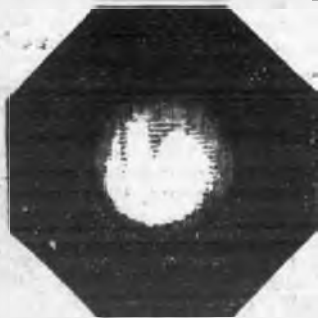
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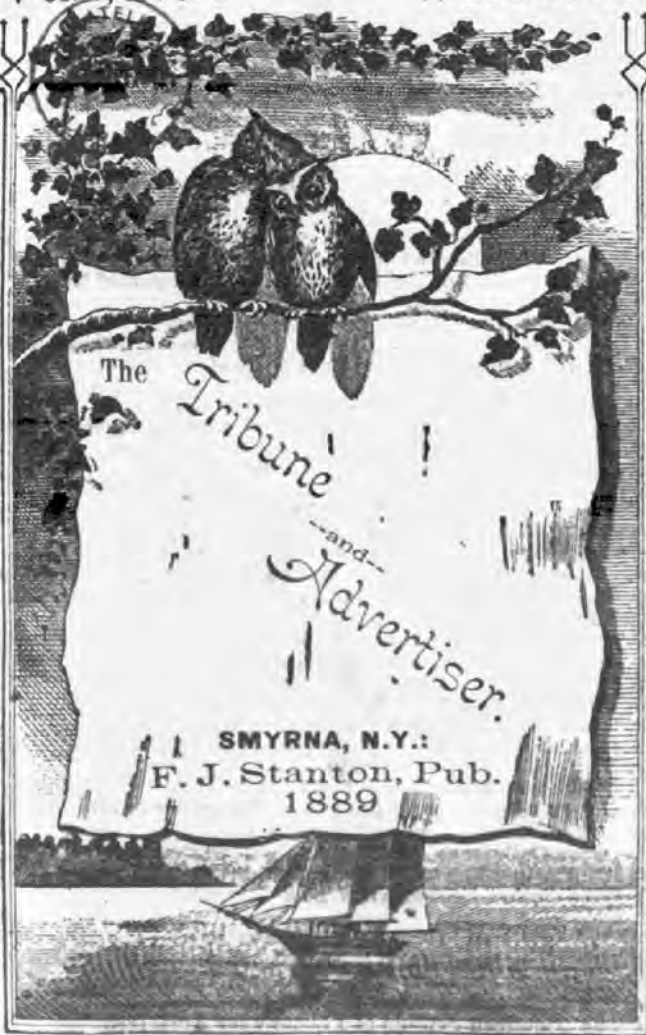
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- Lot 141 The American Journal of Philately for April 1888

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YANKEE'S YARNS.

—The first of the month the daily sale of postage stamps at Guthrie, Oklahoma, were over fifty dollars, and a thousand newspapers and about three times as many letters are delivered daily. The office has eleven clerks and a line of people a half mile long usually wait for the distribution of the mails in readiness for delivery.

—A recent article has: "Many a successful business man of to-day dates his first business venture back to the time when he bought thirty stamps for a nickel and sold them for a cent apiece realizing a small fortune of profit in the transaction." Ye gods, what language!

—Alva Bower, of West Lansing, Michigan, was sent a sheet of stamps in July, '88, and returned same in October, with a shortage of $\frac{1}{4}$ dollar, and thus far does not remit the amount.

—"Green Mt. Philatelist" has a kind word for "ye puny cuss" in the last Eastern Press and asks a hand shake. Here old fel.  and many thanks for the little effusion.

—The International Philatelic Advertiser is now said to be surely dead as dead can be.

—The Charleston Philatelist is dead.

—The appointing of postmasters is rapidly going on by the dep't.

—The Stamp will print its "Men of Stamp" every quarter hereafter.

—Counterfeit Nova Scotia and New Brunswick stamps are in circulation, it is said.

—It strikes us that for petty quarrels and jealousies the A. P. A. "takes the pastry"

—A system of insuring letters is one of the near possibilities of the Canadian department.

—The Scott Coin and Stamp Co. have again been forced to move to more commodious quarters

—Chas Burger, of New York, recently had an overcoat coat containing some \$400 worth of rare stamps stolen by a sneak thief.

—A copy of Le Courrier du Timbrophile is at hand, but its "na gude" to us, we can't read it, yet we thank M. Moens just the same.

—The P. J. of A. is not invulnerable to errors. Where is the New York paper "entirely devoted to postal cards" located, brother Mekeel?

—And now the Universal Philatelic Union is catering for favor. All these must in time detract from the first and main assoc'n, the A. P. A.

—A good deal of brain wear is going on as to whether "Canadensis" is "Canadiensis" or the two is Mr. Hooper. It seems to be as difficult of solution as "Who struck Billy Patterson"?

—There are 50,000,000,000 letters mailed yearly

—Davison has our thanks for his eulogy of us in the April Plain Talk.

—The Curiosity Collector is improving. Bartlett's efforts deserve recognition.

—Up to May 1st about fifteen hundred changes have been made in the railway mail service of this country. 3,800 changes are yet to occur.

—Philately for April contains an extended article on the Eden Musee stamp exhibit and it also sported a new dress and was enlarged to 16 pp.

—The February Figaro "whoops" it to Mr. Calman, the wholesale dealer, in a regular John L. style. We don't understand Mr. C's silence.

—Don't it make a fellow feel weary, to look back and see what Departmentals were sold for a few years ago? And then to compare the prices between the "then and now"! Oh dear!

—We have recently seen it stated that a certain prominent philatelist possesses 24,500 varieties of stamps. Our office devil says he has quit lying or he would have something to say on the subject of large collections.

—Mr. J R Hooper, Ottawa, Canada, better known as "Canadensis" and who is the champion "on this side of the pond" of the Hill claimants, states he will send Pearson Hill's pamphlets on the "Origin of Postage Stamps," etc., free to all collectors who will enclose postage:

—The Tribune and Advertiser seems to be "getting it" on all sides, a wail having reached us from the sample copy fiend of Portland, Maine.

—A valuable sheet is the Post Card. We notice its editor rigidly adheres to his imprint: "published in the interest of p. c. collectors."

—We recently received from South Australia a white envelope on which was pasted a buff penny wrapper stamp cut square. It is singular that the authorities should pass such.

—We honestly believe that the following papers owe us for advertising space, viz., American Record 2 in 3 mo, W H Robertson 1 in 3 mo, H W Keller 1 in 3 mo Young American $2\frac{1}{2}$ in 3 mo, Cha's Tarvin $2\frac{1}{2}$ in 3 mo, U. S. Philatelist 2 in 3 m, Agents Calendar 3 in 3 mo. If any of the above rendered an equivalent in their respective papers they should send marked copies to show it or else remit the cash at once.

—"Samoa" in the Curiosity Collector, writes up (?) "Revenues Used as Postage" and evidently never saw a revenue stamp with a post office cancellation mark, accusing dealers, as he does, of dishonesty in selling them as such. Another would-be writer who "bites off more'n he can chew." It is known to every at all advanced collector that Tasmania, Chili, Jamaica, and other countries have and do use them for postage.

—Order a copy of our Canadian Rev Catalogue

—The dead-letter office at Washington receives about 16,000 pieces of mail daily.

—It now transpires that E. R. Marshall did not purchase the Collector's Standard.

—Hereafter we propose to "cut" all exchanges that fail to make us a visit regularly.

—Texas is again represented in the field of philatelic journalism. The T. P. J. is resurrected.

—Did you know that there were more than fifty thousand postmasters in the United States.?

—The notes regarding McLean's coming collector's directory are getting terribly chestnuty.

—Don't be too severe in your criticisms of the smaller philatelic papers. Remember George Washington once said: "Tall acorns from little oaks grow."

—Sidney Hellier has issued the initial number of The Collector's Miscellany. The fact of there being another Miscellany in the field, it seems to us brother H would have done better had he retained the old name.

—A great many persons in sending remittances etc, send unused stamps in small amounts, and stick them by one corner or the top to their letters. It is not good taste nor do they taste good. No one cares to lick a stamp after someone else's tongue has licked a portion of it. Fact!

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The fiftieth edition of that standard, the Scott Stamp and Coin Co's Catalogue is on our desk. The work is up to the usual high standard and contains date of issue, color, shape and value with nearly two thousand illustrations of various specimens up to time of going to press. It also has as formerly, a list of document, proprietary, match and medicine stamps. It is in two parts as usual—part ii containing the illustrations. The price remains the same, twenty-five cents

"John Francis, of the Athenæum, on the Plan of Sir Rowland Hill," is the name of a pamphlet Patrick Chalmers has favored us with. It contains fresh and valuable matter relative to the Chalmers-Hill postage stamp controversy. An appendix is also added which contains many recognitions from the U. S. and other countries. The book may be had of Mr. Chalmers.

The Scott Coin and Stamp Co. held their 90th auction sale March 6th. Notice of the receipt of catalogue has been delayed until the present.

"Lon" Chamberlain recently favored us with a copy of the American Art Printer which contained a well executed portrait of himself.

Henry Gremmel has our thanks for a copy of his catalogue.

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—Some seem to think that should a postage rate of 1c be brought out by the present administration the postal card would have to take a back seat. We doubt this—the postal card is altogether too handy to be thrown aside.

—The Collector's Miscellany states that Heniker Heaton, M. P., is soon to visit the United States in the interest of ocean penny postage and the furthering of his cheap postage projects.

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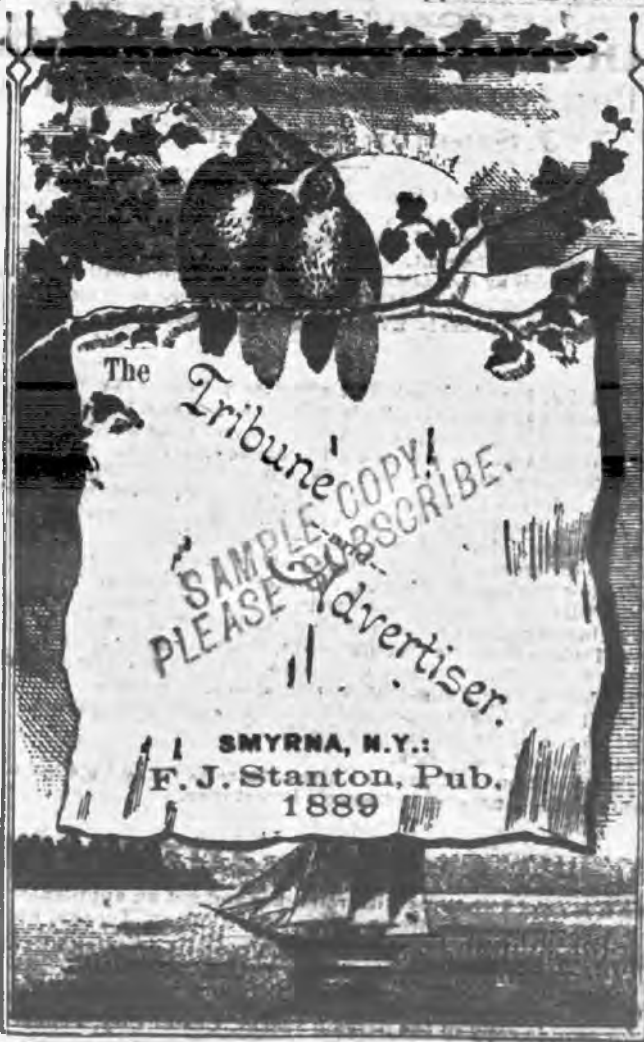
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 Lot 189 26 different philatelic papers. An extra fine collection.
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 Lot 192 Hawkeye State Collector, complete file of 15 nos.
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PHILATELIC GOSSIP.

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CANADENSIS.

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The C. P. A. convention will be held in Halifax during the Summer Carnival, beginning July 31st. There will be a big attendance of members from Canada and the United States. The carnival promises to be one of the largest events that ever took place in Canada.

Some enterprising firm in Germany got out a stamp calling it the "Boulanger essay." The 1 franc value is a very neat design in carmine and lilac showing the General in full military dress. The sale of copies was stopped by the police in Paris.

In response to an enquiry sent to the Colonial office, Hong Kong, I am informed that there are no old issues of stamps available, as they were all destroyed about four years ago.

Obsolete 2c Canada registration stamps, yellow, orange, and crimson varieties are now greatly in demand, consequent on the fee being changed to 5c for registration to all points.

Numerous "frauds" on the Canadian side are being unearthed. Dealers should beware of W. Leblau, of Ottawa. The address he gives is fictitious and the directory shows no name similar to above. The Ontario "Korresponding Klub" after being exposed two and three years ago is now cropping up again. Why! that fellow Hicks is dead and in his grave years, so the adv't must have been copied from an old stamp paper of 1879 or thereabouts.

President Hechler and Exchange Superintendent Grenny stand a good show of being unanimously re-elected for office in the C. P. A.

Mr Maxwell's letter, (extracts of which were given in the Beacon by Mr Hooper, and which the former states were garbled), has been sent to England, where it will be used against the Chalmerites.

In answer to enquiries I received the following from a government official, dated Richmond, Natal, March 29, 1889: "Dear Sir,—Yours of Feb. 10 to hand. I have been able to get you only 1d Zululand stamps surcharged on Great Britain and ½d on ½d Natal. These latter are very scarce, and I think should be valuable. I may tell you on the authority of the Postmaster at Etshowe, to whom I wrote upon the subject that ½d Natal were issued in July, 1888, and

that the issue of Great Britain came into use on the 1st May, 1888" This correspondent enclosed to me a 1 shilling Traansvaal stamp, large green fiscal, used as postage

A. A. Bartlett, of P. E. I., member of C. P. A., took in the Amsterdam Exposition Major Hechler will visit the Paris Exposition in August after the convention.



READY IN JULY.

The Complete Catalogue of the Revenue Stamps of Canada which we now have in press will be issued in July. It will be the most complete of any similar work ever issued and it is by great odds the best and cheapest. A new feature has just been added: the portraits of four philatelists specially interested in the collection of Canadian fiscals. Besides these it will contain the Shape, Color, Date of Issue, and Current Price of every known Revenue Stamp, which will include the various Law, Bill, Assurance, Gas Inspection, Weights and Measures, Supreme Court, Registration, Cigar, Cigarette, Tobacco, etc., Stamps. We would be greatly pleased to have the Order Now of every philatelist who may

read this, so that when the work is ready we can mail it at once. Remember the price is within the reach of all: 15c for paper covers and 30c for the cloth. It is handsomely gotten up and is printed on 50 lb. book paper. May we not have your order? Nearly one hundred copies have been sold in advance already! Address orders ONLY to the publisher, F. J. Stanton. Smyrna, New York.

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Address all communications, etc., to TRIBUNE, SMYRNA, N. Y. [U.S.A.]

YANKEE'S YARNS.

—And now there are grill forgeries.

—The highest value of any postal stamp issued by any government is our \$60 periodical.

—The Farrago has adopted a small newspaper form and its editor has tact, push and originality enough about him to print the most of his paper himself. In the future he will do it all.

—Remember our Exchange Department is FREE to everybody. Take advantage of it.

—McLean's Guide has appeared and it is one of the neatest stamp works yet issued.

—The Postal Card is a lively little fellow and recently made us another two-a month visit.

—The Yankee Trader is now a 4 column 8 page paper. It was recently burned out but phoenix like it is risen from the flames. We cordially congratulate its plucky editor.

—The N. Y. Philatelist states that Burger had \$4,000 worth of stamps stolen. There is a difference of \$3,600 between this new sheet and some of the old timers.

—"Write it in your hat" that when a dealer advertises to send 100 rare stamp for 10c or 5 rare stamps for 10c or 1 rare stamp for 10c, that dealer seeks your patronage by misrepresentation

—British Guiana is bound to keep up the record for rare provisional stamps. On the 20th of May last the ordinary stamps run out and while awaiting a supply the postoffice authorities at Georgetown used the 2c revenues for two days. Few were issued and were only affixed to bona fide letters by the postal authorities to prevent a rush by interested parties. As a consequence we will have another five dollar rarity catalogued the coming month.

—Please Subscribe!

—During the recent fiscal year the U. S. issued 375,000,000 postal cards

—Beardsley is conducting a philatelic department in the Exchange and Mart.

—Two new candidates—the New York Philatelist and the Nebraska Philatelist—have come out.

—The Philatelic Beacon has reached us for the first time—of course we are thankful for small favors.

—The issuing of The Universal Philatelic Advertiser and Collector's Companion—what's in a name?—has been indefinitely postponed.

—Our friend Chamberlain has been forced to enlarge his News-Letter to a 6-col quarto, a sure sign that dame Fortune is patting 'Lon on the back.

—A scheme: "Copy the above adv't and send bill." This is worked to a great extent by dealers who get a great amount of advertising and then refuse to pay. We quit inserting such ads some time ago.

—A correspondent informs us that W. S. Kinzer, of Wooster, Ohio, has been expelled from the Canadian Philatelic Association for substituting stamps on that association's exchange department sheets.

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Open to EVERYBODY for short notices FREE. Send on your copy

10 no's Boys' Home Library for \$1.50. Percy M. Bailey, Troy, Pa.

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A stamp collectors directory or a revenue catalogue for 100 square cut envelope stamps, 100 document stamps or 20 match and medicine stamps in good condition. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, New York.

—X—

Solid silver, hunting case watch, nickel plated magic lantern and 12 slides, 100 varieties of stamps, "Jack Hazard" by J. T. Trowbridge, \$25 value of all, for best offer of a type writer, World not accepted. Jesse Dana, Lewiston, Maine.

—X—

50 philatelic papers, 80 with cover, for best offer in old U. S. envelope match, document and playing cards stamps. J. A. Butterfield, Belvidere, Illinois.

—X—

Halifax Philatelist vol II no 2 for vol VI no 1 of Tribune and Advertiser. Books, papers, patterns, cards, etc. for type. Percy M. Bailey, Troy, Pa.

—X—

Philatelic paper to exchange for the same. Send list and receive mine. George H. Young, 18 Richards Ave., Portsmouth, N. H.

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450 varieties stamps valued at \$6 and a collection of 55 varieties of birds eggs valued at 3.00, for rifle, gun, watch, or other exchange. Carl H. Stempel, Fort Madison, Iowa.

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For every 100 different stamps I will send 25 tin tags, 100 post marks or 2 novels, Dick the Pilot and Swift-foot. Wess A. Rockwell, Troy, Pa.

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Books, games, puzzles, dumb bells, Indian clubs, international stamp album, stamps, tin tags, postals, entire envelopes, etc., for philatelic papers or best offer. J. L. Pender, box 934, Portsmouth, N. H.

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—X—

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Our Auction Chat.

The following were purchasers at our 6th auction sale: Nebraska Philatelic Co., lots 113, 116, 133, 140, 141, 144, 145, 148, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 156, 158, 159, 182; J. L. Pender, lots 119, 122, 125, 126, 132, 137, 138, 143, 146, 157; M. & B Rosenfield, lots 114, 115, 121, 123, 127, 134, 142, 155, 160, 166; H C Beardsley, lot 162; I L Hartman, lot 167; A L Taft, lot 171; T R Johnston, lots 120, 124, 149.

See 2d cover page and send in your bids Now!



—The current P J of A contains a biographical sketch and account of the tragic death of Mr J B Smith the prominent Springfield philatelist and editor.

—A parcel post between this country and Salvador has recently been concluded.

—J W Scott has again entered the stamp trade

The Black List.

We shall be glad to remove any name in this list on a settlement of account and to make due acknowledgement of same.

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MORE U. S. STAMPS.

It will no doubt be a pleasing bit of news for the many stamp collectors throughout the length and breadth of this big land of ours, that Uncle Sam is soon to give us a bran new set of stamps. They may be the same size as those now in use or they may be somewhat smaller—anyway we are going to have a new set. Postmaster General Wanamaker has said so and that settles it. Specifications are that if stamps the present size are determined upon their colors shall be:

1 cent, ultramarine	6 cent, dark red
2 cent, metallic red	10 cent, light brown
3 cent, vermilion	15 cent, orange
4 cent, milori green	30 cent, black
5 cent, chocolate	90 cent, carmine

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4 cent, chocolate	30 cent, black
5 cent, light brown	90 cent, orange

The Postmaster General thinks that the smal-

ler sized stamps, which would be about two-thirds the size of the present series, would be quite as useful and popular, and in reducing the size there would be a proportionate saving in cost that could be expended in more desirable colors.



MR. HOOPER WRITES :

To the Editor of the Tribune,—Sir,—In the May number of the Philatelic Gazette I notice a malicious and insulting article against me written by a would-be philatelist by the name of P. M. Wolfsieffer. This anarchistic writer pours out a volley of filthy diatribes because I choose to oppose the Chalmers “lunacy.” He tries in the most babyish ways to bolster up a bad cause, and stoops to the lowest tactics, which evidently do not belie the first syllable of his name—wolf! My reasons for not joining the A P A after I was accepted are good and they would not reflect to wolf’s credit any more if I told them. He says I put the letters A P A after my name in an advertisement. Although I am a member of the Amsterdam Philatelic Ass’n I never in any in-

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—The Prince of Wales is a collector it is said

—The Exchange and Mart has a nobby new heading

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—Henderson handles the steering apparatus of the Q C P

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—The Straus Brothers, of Cleveland, are retiring from the stamp business, now closing out their wholesale stock

—We notice that Bro Mekeel's American Stamp Catalogue is mentioned by some of our exchanges Can it be that he has overlooked the Tribune?

—The publisher of this paper has a number of stamp cuts that he would be pleased to exchange for rare stamps not in his collection This is an excellent chance for dealers

—The part that the Flour City Philatelist fills in philatelic journalism is an entirely distinct one That is, it is a departure from the well worn rut Numerous kicks are being uttered against its style While we do not advocate slang, we see nothing very bad in the mild slang used by this sheet We consider it one of the best paper now published and gladly welcome its visits to our sanctum To those shocked by it we would simply ask, why do you exchange with it?

—The fact of the letters of an association's initials being placed after the name of a collector is not a criterion of his honesty, as has been proven lately in a number of cases

—As bids in our 7th auction sale close the 15th of the present month we shall publish a report along with that of our 8th sale, lots of which are given on the inside cover pages of our present issue

—For a long time this paper stood alone in its publishing a standing black-list or list of approval sheet thieves and advertising dead beats. By most philatelists the idea was considered a good one toward ridding the country or at least checking a philatelic pest. Numerous complimentary letters came to us. By one person we were attacked as a black-mailer, and by the way we have since shown him to be one of the vilest of slanderers and falsifiers, - for publishing this list and he now comes out and in a recent item says, "we wish all papers would have a black list column." This person had not the quality of a gentleman even to own his wronging us. It is unnecessary to mention his name. We are glad to notice that Philately, the Flour City Philatelist, and other papers are following in the pattern we have set. It cannot but in time benefit the collector as well as the dealer.

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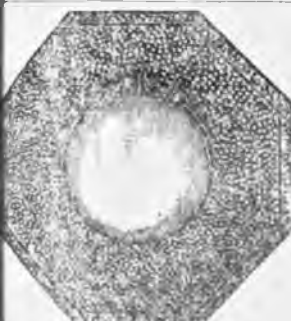
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SOME AMERICAN POST-OFFICES.

Recent post-office reports have furnished some very interesting information. The following is gleaned from a recent daily paper and we trust it may prove of interest to our readers: If post-office receipts prove anything the boast of Chicago, that it is the second city in population in the United States, is conclusively established. It was next to New York even before the recent annexations. The statement prepared by the department showing the gross receipts at thirty of the larger post offices during the quarter ending with June, 1889, gives Chicago's figures as \$696,623. Philadelphia is third, with \$599,452; Boston is fourth, with \$475,157. New York's primacy is unchallenged, the receipts of its post-office being \$1,351,804 for the quarter. Brooklyn, which ranks as the third city by the census of 1880, is seventh in postal receipts, being headed by St. Louis and Cincinnati in addition to the others named. Of the thirty cities considered the empire state holds seven, nearly one-fourth. In the list they rank as follows: 1, New York; 7, Brooklyn; 12, Buffalo; 15, Rochester; 23, Al-

bany ; 27, Syracuse ; 30, Troy. All but two of the thirty offices show an increase of business for the quarter as compared with the same period in 1888. These are Rochester and Troy. A decrease of 41.74 per cent is marked against Rochester, and of one-half of one per cent. against Troy. In 1888 during the same quarter Rochester made an increase of 42.6 over the corresponding quarter in 1887.



OUR AUCTION CHAT.

In our 7th sale the following carried off lots: Geo. H. Young, lots 183, 189, 193, 199, and 200; Irwin L. Hartman, 187, 198; J. Carroll Watts, 184; Percy M. Bailey, 188, 191; W. H. Speck, 191 duplicate, 197; Nebraska Philatelic Co., 186 192; A. Dings, 185, 194.

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—A variety of the 5c brown, Garfield, stamp, was recently noted. It consists of the lines to the left of the head being crossed diagonally instead of the horizontal lines.

—In this issue will be found an adv't of our new "Victor" stamp packet. Those having moderate sized collections will find that by purchasing this packet they can add a great many choice and scarce varieties, while those with a small collection can almost treble it. A bonanza for those who put up and sell from approval sheets

—Remember our Exchange Department is FREE to everybody. Take advantage of it.

—According to recent reports the Amsterdam Exposition, held recently, far eclipsed the Eden Musee exhibit.

—The death of George Walker, of Peterboro', Ontario, is mentioned as having occurred last month. He was vice president of the Canadian Association for that province.

—It is said that the government of Queensland derives a sum equivalent to \$60,000 from advertisements on the backs of postage stamps. We have never seen a Queensland stamp with an advertisement.

—As soon as the World's Exposition, 1892, talk begins to assume something definite, let the stamp collectors of America prepare to bring out an exhibit that cannot be equaled. It can be done if set about at an early enough date.

—The Brooklyn Philatelic Club is the only duly incorporated club having philately as its object in existence. The pursuit is receiving more and more recognition from the people. Hitherto it had been thought to be a mere hobby of small boys.

—The young men, under age, employed in the New York City postoffice service are to be removed and men of maturer years put in their

places \$200,000 worth of improvement are to be laid out on the building, and its force is to be increased by 123 additional clerks and 10 additional carriers. The mails will probably be collected with horses

—The Stamp Photo Works, of 75 Nassau St., New York, some time ago took advertising space with us agreeing to pay for the same in stamp photos. We sent photographs and the party made us a few. He fails to live up to his agreement and we cannot even get the return of any of the photographs we sent.

—Fred Smith, of Maple, Ontario, Canada, wishes us to state that the following persons have defrauded him: E. W. Devlin, Upper Canada College, Toronto, 75c; Fred Burns, 169 George street, Toronto, 49c; William Bailey, New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, \$1.27; William Black, Richmond Hill, Ontario, \$4.50.

--Lately we have noticed a good many Post Office envelopes 3 and 6c purporting to be on white paper. They have been offered at prices ranging from five to ten dollars per set. We warn collectors not to buy them as they are simply frauds, made by changing through some chemical process the yellow paper into white. The fraud can be generally detected by the absence of all gloss on the paper.—A. J. of P.

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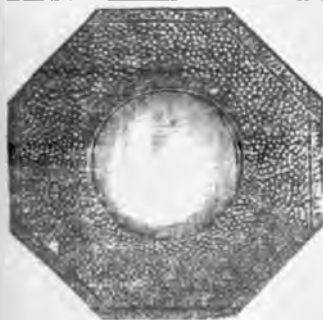
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Brazil—newspaper, 10 reis yellow, 20 r yellow, 50 r yellow, 100 r yellow, 200 r yellow, 300 r yellow, 500 r yellow, 700 r yellow, 1,000 r yellow, 20 r green, 50 r brown envelope, 300 r pink wrapper, 20 r purple, 40 r blue, 60 r brown

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British Guiana—provisionals, 2c mauve and black 2c mauve, black and red

British Honduras—provisional, 20c on 6 p yellow

Bhopaul— $\frac{1}{4}$ a black, $\frac{1}{4}$ a green, $\frac{1}{4}$ a black unperforated, $\frac{1}{4}$ a green unperforated

Bulgaria—5c green

Canada—2c vermilion registered

Congo—5c green

Costa Rica—revenue used postally, 5c red brown and 10c blue

Cuba— $\frac{1}{2}$ c and 1c "Impresos" black

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Dominican Republic—10c rose on blue

Egypt—10 pi violet unpaid, 2m green, 4 m carmine, 1 pia blue, 2 pia orange envelope, 1 pia ultramarine on blue, 2 pia orange red on blue wrapper, 1 mil brown, 2 mil green

Fernando Po—10c brown

French Colonies—envelope, 5c green on white, 15c blue on black wrapper, 1c black, 2c brown, 3c red

Gabon—25c on 5c green, 15c on 1 franc bronze green, 25c on 75c carmine on rose unpaid

French Colonies surcharged, 15c on 5c black, 25c on 20c black 25c on 10c black on violet

Great Britain—officially sealed, black envelope, 10 p blue

Greece—20 l rose unperforated, 1 l brown, 10 l orange, 20 l rose, 25 l blue

Gold Coast—provisional, 1 p on 6 p orange black surcharge

Guadeloupe—3c, 10c 15c and 25c each on 20c

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Indo China—5c on 35c black on yellow, variety of same, same red surcharge

Jamaica—1 p lilac and mauve, 2p green

Japan—officially sealed, light brown

Madagascar—25c on 40c red on straw black surcharge

Mexico—3c scarlet, ruled paper officially sealed, brown, variety of the same

Nabha State— $\frac{1}{2}$ a green black surcharge, 1 r gray black surcharge official, $\frac{1}{2}$ a green black surcharge, 4 a green black surcharge

Natal—1 p maroon, 5 shil brown

New South Wales—1 sh brown violet, 5 sh violet envelope, 1p violet O S official registration envelope, 6 p mauve O S

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Norway—1 o green, 10 o carmine

Paraguay—15c red violet

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Queensland—revenue used postally, 1 p blue

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Peru—1c green with black "horse-shoe" and red
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5 m de p dark brown provisional, 2 4 8 c
on 20c brown carmine surcharge, 2 4-8c on
10c green carmine surcharge, 2½c blue and
black

Roumania—1½ b black on bluish 3 b mauve on
bluish, 5 b green on bluish, 10 b red on blu-
ish, 10 b red on buff, 15 b red-brown on buff,
25 b blue on yellow, 50 b bistre on yellow
unpaid, 2 b green, 5 b green on yellow, 10 b
green on yellow, 30 b green on yellow

Russia—4 k rose, 10 k blue, 20 k red and blue,
50 k green and mauve, 1 r brown and orange

St. Pierre et Miquelon—5c on 2c brown on buff

Sarawak—2c purple and red, 3c purple and blue,

4c purple and yellow, 6c purple and red-brown, 8c green and red, 12c green and blue, 25c green and brown

Shanghai—provisional, 100 cash yellow surcharge black and red, 20 cash on 100 cash blue red surcharge, 20 cash on 80 green red surcharge

South Australia—wrapper, 1 p green on buff

Suriname—15c gray, 20c green, 30c brown, 40c lilac, 1 gld gray and brown unpaid, 30c lilac and black, 50c lilac and black.

Sweden—6 o lilac

Tasmania— $\frac{1}{2}$ p on 1 p red provisional, and $\frac{1}{2}$ p orange

Tobago—provisional, 1 p on $2\frac{1}{2}$ p blue, black surcharge

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Turk's Island—6 p yellow brown, 1 p on $2\frac{1}{2}$ p red brown black surcharge provisional

United States—officially sealed, black on pink

U. S. of Colombia—registered 10c red, officially insured letter black red-brown and bistre, for Bogota $\frac{1}{2}$ c

Venezuela—20 b reddish purple

Virgin Islands—1 sh brown, 1 p carmine

Wadhwan State— $\frac{1}{2}$ pice black

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- Several philatelic societies have adopted resolutions condemnatory of the Seebeck postage stamp scheme. We think they'll do little good.
- The number of postal cards estimated to be needed to meet the demand for the next four years is 500,000,000 and not 200,000,000 as we stated last month.

—Get a copy of our Canadian Revenue Catalogue.

—Proxy talk for the A. P. A. has been going on for some time.

—The next Canadian Philatelic Association convention will be held in Montreal.

—The Philatelic Journal of America published a complete list of United States envelopes in its August no.

—The crop of new and short-lived stamp papers promises to be as large as in former years. The desire for philatelic notoriety grows instead of diminishes.

—There are about seven postal cards used per capita in the United States yearly. Thus it will be seen that the estimate for the coming four years is not far out of the way.

—Brother Stone's query of "why not reduce the cost of the (postal) cards to the public when bought by the 100 or 1000"? is a pertinent one. In the face of the great saving made by the government in the present contract, we also would ask, Why not?

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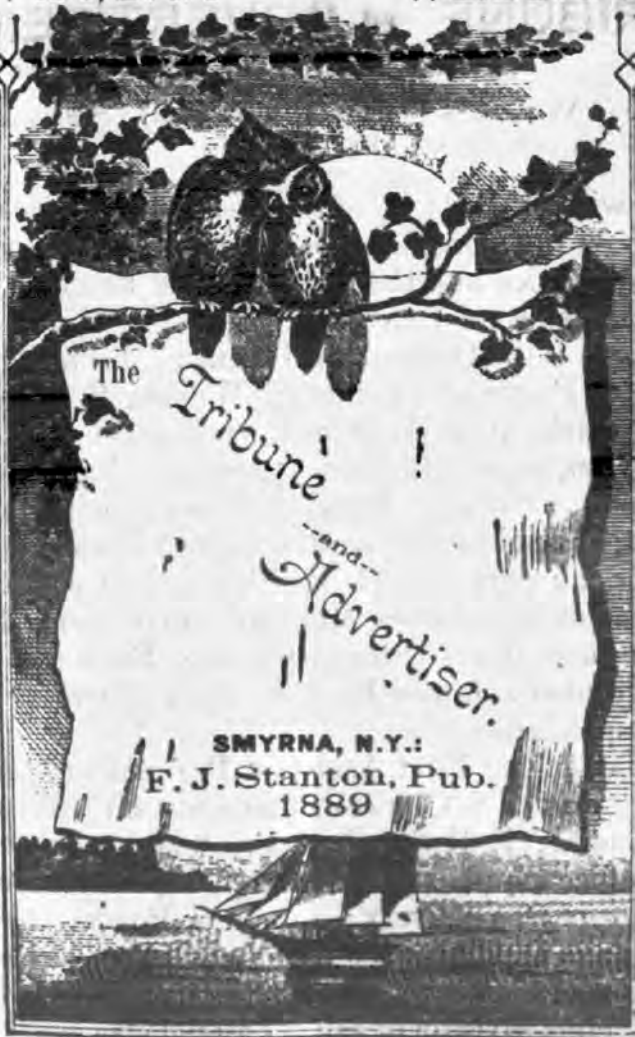
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Niagara Falls would have had a majority for the 1890 meeting if it had been on the ballot paper. Montreal got 47 votes and 65 did not vote.

The revised constitution will be printed in the official organ and voted upon as soon as possible.

Three members were present from Mass.

The Chalmers craze got another year's hoist.

The exchange department reported that \$4,345.48 value of stamps put in circulation in nine months and that \$1,053 40 were taken therefrom with 20 books to hear from.

Gus Aue seems to be dead or sleeping, anxious enquiries are made.

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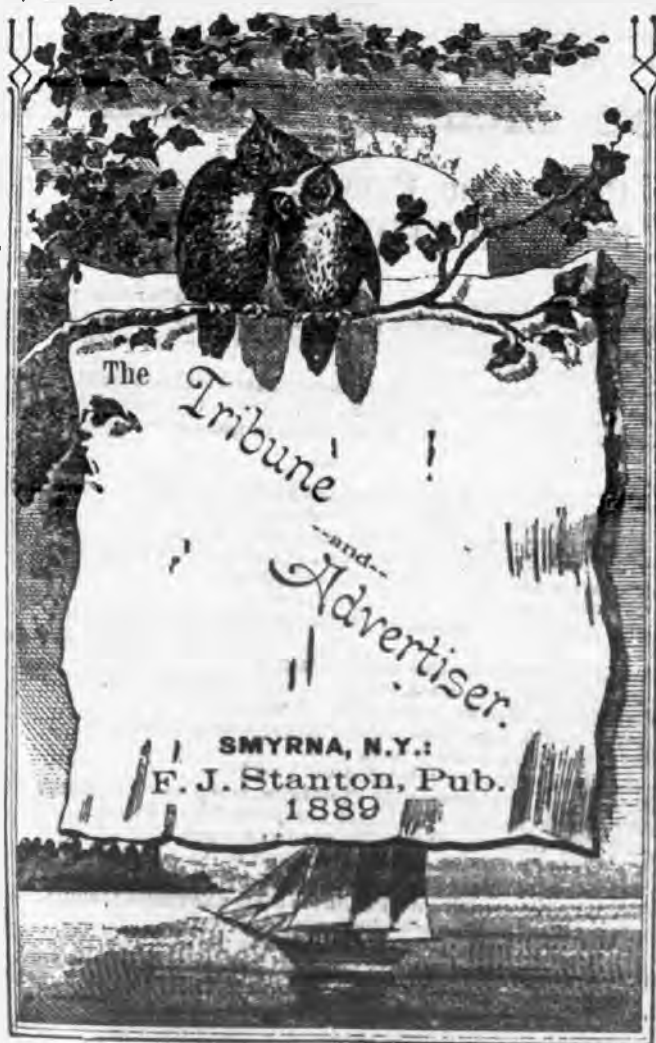
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" 10c blue 67	2	" " 1 shil brown 68	4	
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Corea 5 m red unused	10	" " official 4 p lilac 68	5	
" 10 m blue unused	6	" " official 6p blue 87	15	
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France 20c blue unperforated 70	1	Spain 1 real blue Carlist	3	
Gt. Britain 5 p black	8	Trinidad 2 1-2 p blue	3	
" 1 shil green	2	U. S. Centennial env. cut sq. red	12	
Gold Coast 1 p red	3	" " " " green	10	
Iceland 10 aur red	2	" " registered letter green	7	
Italy 1 l 25c postal packet	7	" " War dep't 8c blue env entire	5	
" unpaid 5 lire blue	18	" " ditto unused cut square	10	
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NOTES.

- This issue is an extra one.
- 40c for 20c—See last page !
- See "Slaughter in Philatelic Papers," in this issue.
- N. E. Carter, of the Badger State Philatelist, is in Europe.
- Edvard M. Rubens, Copenhagen, has kindly favored us with his catalogue.
- Some have asked us why we came out so early ? We do it rather than be behind time.
- The old chestnut of S. C. Scott's issuing an immense philatelic magazine is again going the rounds of the press
- The Curio Informant published by James McBride, 1023 South Market street, Nashville, Tenn, is a bright, wide awake collector's paper that is rapidly making itself heard. It is devoted to nearly, if not all, branches of collecting and its editor being an active philatelist, gives his readers a goodly amount of philatelic tid bits. Success to you, Informant—go on informing and winning collectors, thus becoming one of the great educators of the land.

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—A. B. Merrill, of Everett, Mass., wishes us to warn dealers against A. S. Baine, 170 St Hy polite St, Montreal, who he says is an approval sheet dead beat.

—We are sorry to learn of the death of Geo. B. Mason, of Lyndhurst, New Jersey. Mr. M. was formerly one of our esteemed correspondents and an ardent philatelist.

—The P J of A could have given the philatelic world a first report of the late convention but Mr Mekeel kindly allowed the American Philatelist a chance to mail its edition containing a report at the same time as his. Quite a courtesy on his part. Both papers had excellent reports.

—See “Slaughter in Philatelic Papers,” in this issue.

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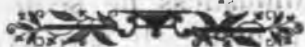
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OPEN LETTER TO P.M.WOLFSIEFFER.

In the Sept Philatelic Gazette Mr. Wolfsieffer overflows with the vilest abuse, and in language that no gentleman would lay claim to. No doubt he is stung to the heart with my truthful remarks in a recent number of the PHILATELIC TRIBUNE, for he beats all around the bush, endeavoring to create sympathy for him among the gentlemen composing the A. P. A. It will be a sorry day for for them when they rely on this man Wolfsieffer as a "defender," as he puts himself to be. The intelligent body of that honorable Association do not need any notice from me, it is such as Patrick Murphy Wolfsieffer, that I detest, and not the Association, as he seeks to imply. On the pretence of dictating to me what letters I should use to denote the societies I belong to, he stated that I put the letters A P A after my name. Now, if he is a man and not a defamer I

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THE STAMPS OF CANADA.

CANADENSIS.

Not much can be written of Canadian stamps that has been left unsaid, yet there appears to be a lack of uniformity in the comparative worth of the rare and scarce specimens in the many price lists and catalogues. From a large experience and having handled a very great number of the scarcer varieties, I have no hesitation in saying that my table as follows is correct; of course, in all cases I refer to used specimens:

- 1—12 d black, 1851, extremely rare,
- 2—6 d lilac, 1858, perforated, very rare,
- 3—7½ d green, 1857, rare,
- 4—10 d blue, 1855, rare,
- 5—1 c brown-red, on laid paper, 1870, rare,
- 6—½ d pink, perforated, 1858, very scarce,
- 7—6 d purple, on laid paper, 1851, scarce,
- 8—6 d purple, on wove paper, 1852, scarce,
- 9—3 d red, 1858, perforated, scarce,
- 10—3 c bright red, 1870, on laid paper, scarce,
- 11—½ d pink, unperforated, 1857,

12—3 d red, on laid paper, 1851, unperforated,
13—17 c blue, 1859, perforated.

Very few collections have the 12 d black, yet on looking back we find that no fixed price has been set for it since 1869. Batchelder priced one two years ago at \$40.

The 6 d perforated has sprung into sudden rarity, as it is exceedingly difficult to get even a fair specimen. In 1875, Trifet catalogues but one variety of 6 d, instead of three, and prices it at 50c. In 1879, he catalogues a 6 d as only worth 40c apiece but states no variety, giving the date of 1851 to it. In 1882, he mentions 6 d unperforated at 50c each and perforated specimens at 75c each. In 1885, both Trifet and Bogert sold the unperforated specimens at \$1.50 and the perforated at \$2 50. At a sale in Paris last year the 6 d violet-black on laid paper, unperforated, sold at \$4 00 while a 6 d unperforated brown-violet only realized \$2.00. While I have seen hundreds of the 6 d only three were perforated, and one has only to enquire the price of it to find out that it ranks next to the 12 d. One of the three specimens I met with was bought for \$10.00. I secured a specimen in Montreal (with a slight nick in corner,) for the small sum of \$5.50. I believe a good specimen is worth at least \$20.

There should be a greater difference in price

between the "wove" and "laid" varieties of the 6 d unperforated. In Toronto I recently saw one collector with fully sixty 6 d's and but half a dozen were on laid paper. The latter are fully worth 3.50 or 4.00 apiece, while a modest 2.00 should secure a good specimen of the variety on wove paper.

It is generally a good collection that has a 7½ d and the stamp is worth the price asked, 5.00, although two specimens I saw passed hands at 4.00. Trifet sold this stamp for 1.00 in 1879 and there was then plenty of them to be had at the price.

The 10 d blue is quoted at 2.50, yet I have seen it sold for 4.50 for a fine specimen. The 1 c brown-red of 1870 on laid paper, I look upon as more of an error than a regular issue, and as such there is not half the demand as there is for the 10 c. Few collectors care for it at the price asked, and it remains to be seen whether it is worth more or less. These remarks in a lesser degree are also applicable to the 3 c red on laid paper. There are hundreds of these around somewhere.

The 17 c blue is worth at least from 40c to 75c. Canadian dealers are asking 50c for only fair specimens. They are not plentiful by any means.

Written for The Philatelic Tribune.



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In the Argentine Republic are fourteen states or provinces in all and three of these, it is said, have issued postage stamps independently of the central government. The provinces thus known to philatelists are Buenos Ayres, Corrientes and Cordova, the last named being the present subject of our attention. The name of Cordova or in Spanish "Cordoba," belongs to one of the central provinces which in area is almost exactly the same size as the State of Georgia, but is of course far behind the latter in size of population and other respects. Its capital is a city of the same name. Now the issues of postage stamps for Buenos Ayres and Corrientes are of undoubted authenticity but with the supposed issue of Cordova the case is altogether different. Every-

thing about these labels is disputed. Out of a dozen catalogues examined, all give the date of issue as 1860 except Henry Collin's which says that their emission took place in 1858. Consequently their precise date is uncertain. The number of denominations comprising the set was given some years ago as six, being as follows: 5 centavos, blue (see the illustration herewith presented—Ed); 10 centavos, black; 15 centavos, violet; 25 centavos, yellow; 50 centavos, green; and 1 peso, carmine.

However no genuine specimens of the 25 centavos, 50 centavos, and 1 peso, were ever found so these are now rejected by everyone as inventions of the philatelic sharper. The English philatelists recognize only the 5, 10 and 15 centavos and the latter is thrown over by all the collectors on this side as no specimens but bogus ones are known. Our list is now reduced to the 5 and 10 centavos. The true history of these is that they are genuine stamps issued between forty and fifty years ago but as "revenue" and not as postage stamps. One dealer says they were issued in 1860 and superseded January 11, 1862, by the stamps of the Argentine Republic. However this is a fiction, for we have the statement of the Argentine Postmaster General himself that the stamps in question were never used for

postage but were local revenue like the large stamps of Buenos Ayres occasionally met within packets. Therefore the 5 and 10 centavos are the only genuine Cordovan stamps and these two are of no interest to anyone but collectors of fiscals. The 5 centavos blue is the more common of the two though it is a high priced stamp. The 10 centavos black is almost if not quite unobtainable. This disposes of the question as to the value of the Cordova issue. Being almost unknown and very scarce, some designing dealers put them before the public as a rare postal emission and added other denominations from their own brain. There is not the least thing on the face of the stamp to indicate whether it was intended for revenue or postal service and this fact probably induced swindlers to use them in the way they have. The entire sets of Cordovan and Samoan stamps, the Holte locals, the 25, 50 and 100 mons Corea, and a host of surcharged counterfeits are only a few of the bogus stamps that ought to be cleaned out of our catalogues.

For the benefit of revenue stamp collectors I will say a few words more about the 5 and 10 centavos of Cordova. The genuine are lithographed on laid paper and there are two varieties of the 5 centavos, blue and bright blue. Of

course there are no postmarked specimens. Senf Bro's, of Germany have made fine imitations of these to give away with their paper, the I. B. J. Imitations are liable to deceive revenue collectors. Instead of laid paper they are on wove and better lithographed than the real. The 5 is of wrong shade of blue however and the 10 is printed in greyish brown instead of black.



"Good by, Miss Gilliflower, I am going far away—I will not return."

"But you will write to me often, won't you Mr. Mushy?"

"Oh, may I? I did not dare to ask—Oh, Miss Gilliflower! Your feelings toward me must have changed that you permit it."

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Send me 10 3c red or 4c carmine U. S. stamps for an entire Japanese postal card. Heavily canceled ones not taken. F. J. S., Smyrna, N. Y.

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Three philatelic papers with covers for every two Special Delivery stamps. Not less than 4 taken at a time. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

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Lot of reading matter, stamp and curiosity papers, for U. S., South and Central American stamps. H. P. Simpson, Tuscaloosa, Ala.

225 varieties of tobacco tin tags for best offer of stamps. W. E. Haskell, Box 91, Perry, Ohio.

Lot of tin and paper tobacco tags, books, papers, Indian relics, etc., for new or second hand type, border, rules, stamps, and books. Send list. John S. Smith, Bethlehem, Indiana.

A stamp collectors directory or a revenue catalogue for 100 square cut envelope stamps, 100 document stamps or 20 match and medicine stamps in good condition. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, New York.

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Want to exchange with A. P. A. members having good duplicates especially match and medicine stamps. Send good lot and I will do the same. J. W. Schaefer, 887 W. Balto. St., Baltimore, Md.

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Tent, 6 1-2x6 1-2, cost \$7 and some silver ores for a good collection of U. S. or foreign stamps. Robert L. Stephens, Danville, Illinois.

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1 Harper's Young People for every stamp not in my collection, 2 for every newspaper stamp. Herbert Westfall, Terre Haute, Ind.

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Old and new issues Canada revenue, New Brunswick cent issues and other stamps for stamps not in my collection. A. Lionalis, box 957, Montreal, Canada.

Stamps and curios for same. Frank L Stone, Benson, Minn.

125 varieties good foreign stamps for every 300 common U S or Canadian postage. R. Roy, Marine Department, Ottawa, Canada.

300 foreign stamps used or 20 unused for every six Special Delivery or 100 3 or 4c present issue H. J. Collard, 238 Plane st., Newark, N. J

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Cloth-bound or other books, coins, few revenue stamps, for envelope stamps used and unused. E. Cornell, Marshalltown, Iowa.

For each mixed lot of 100 U. S. 8c red, 4c carmine, special delivery, postage due, and square cut envelope stamps, I will send a Revenue stamp Catalogue. Send now, don't wait. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

Orchestreon, plays any tune, for stamps and coins. J. E. Debnam, Spring Hope, N. C.

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Stamps, stamp papers, post-marks, rattlesnake rattles, coyote claws, etc., for Indian relics, or books on Indians. Fred Rowell, Stamford, Ct.

10 philatelic papers (with covers) for 200 square cut envelope stamps or a revenue catalogue for the same. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

Match, medicine and playing card stamps for others. Send me a sheet marked by catalogue prices. E. Cornell, Marshalltown, Iowa.

Send me 10 3c red or 4c carmine U. S. stamps for an entire Japanese postal card. Heavily canceled ones not taken. F. J. S., Smyrna, N. Y.

Good philatelic papers and U. S. stamps for U. S. and foreign stamps H. Toelke, 149 India St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Three philatelic papers with covers for every two Special Delivery stamps. Not less than 4 taken at a time. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

Stamps, minerals, magazines, photo outfit, oil paintings, banjo and case, etc., for a good watch or opera glasses. John R. Keech, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

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There is an old saying that "straws tell which way the wind blows." In the cases we are about to cite, kind words are the "straws" and the "wind" is the popularity with which our new catalogue of the Revenue Stamps of Canada is meeting. In addition to the four page circular of testimonials we publish regarding it we ask you to read the following recently received:

"I am well pleased and think it is just what every collector, especially living in Canada, should have."—J. A. Craig.

'It is as complete as can be and is just what was needed as the Canada revenue stamps are going very lively."—August Lehmann, Jr.

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PHILATELIC PENCILINGS.

—We recently saw a letter that was addressed to Serra Chious (Syracuse.)

—Our friend Hooper has our thanks for specimens of Canadian franked envelopes.

—Brother Aldrich writes me that he recently came across an oddity in the shape of a Canadian revenue stamp perforated downward through its centre the entire length.

—We have received a copy of the Stamp Collector's Vest Pocket Dictionary and Guide from the publishers, Lyons & Jewett, of Portland Me. It is a handsome little book and is brim full of interesting notes, terms, reference words, etc, for the philatelist. Nice in compilation and neatly printed, and such convenient shape, it merits the immediate attention of all. It forms Philatelic Library, number 1.

—If you have any duplicates to exchange let me know of it? Always enclose reply stamp!

—A New York professional paper is giving 50 "rare" foreign stamps to its sub's as a premium.

—S. C. Scotts writes that No. 1 of the Stamp Collector's Magazine will be issued Dec 1, and that it will consist of 32 pages and cover.

—We are not extremely well "up" on postal cards and learned the other day that they are used by the official service of South Australia, having received one with the stamp bearing the well known "O S" surcharge.

—We re-print the article on Cordova from our March, 1886, number, for the reason that in the October number of the American Journal of Philately, in "A Catalogue for Advanced Collectors," appears the following paragraph: "These stamps were used to prepay letters, etc., to places in the province which were not reached by the National postal service." It will be noticed in our article by "Topaz" that this is disputed on the grounds of the assertion of no less a person than the Postmaster General of the Argentine Republic himself. It is now in order for Messrs Collin and Calman to let it be made known on what authority they speak from and also if "there are no postmarked specimens," how they may be able to give date of emission as 1858

—Luis, King of Portugal, died on the 19th of October last, and his son now occupies the throne under the title of Carlos II. We can confidently look for a new set of stamps soon.

—The colors of our new set will be as follows: 1c ultramarine blue, 2c carmine, 3c royal purple, 4c chocolate, 5c light brown, 6c vermilion, 10c milori green, 15c steel blue, 30c black, 90c orange. The stamps will be put into circulation New Year's day and will be the same size as the present issue of the Canadian stamps.

—Santa Claus, a professional juvenile magazine of Philadelphia, offers cash prizes to the boys and girls who show the best collections of stamps, coins, etc. The points of competition are rarity, freshness, method of preservation, and completeness of sets. This ought to certainly stimulate stamp collecting and we are glad to see philately recognized by this fine magazine.

—The following persons owe us the amounts set opposite their name and we desire a remittance at once! Should they not be forthcoming by our next issue we shall consider that the parties have no intention of paying us and shall add their names and addresses to our Black List:

Wilson S. Sherman or Oregon Stamp Co. \$1 51,
James M. Stuart 42c, A. B. Vasquez 86c, Cha's
S Gill 42c.

—Has the Flour City Philatelist really and truly “gone dead”?

—C. E. Sawens has sprung another on us—this time the Philatelic Star.

—Harper’s Weekly says that George Gould, son of Jay Gould, is a philatelist.

—The Scott Stamp and Coin Co. held their 93d auction sale of stamps Nov. 20th.

—It is said that the American Bank Note Co print twenty billions of postage stamps yearly.

—The Post Card says the handsomest cards in the world are those of British North Borneo.

—The Youth’s Companion published a short article and an illustration of one of the “baby stamps” of Spain in its Thanksgiving issue.

—George T. Heath says in the P. J. of A., that the sheets of stamps of our 1869 issue consisted of 150 and not 100 as generally supposed.

—R. M. McFarland shows us specimens of the United States 1c current blue adhesive stamps, on which he has experimented with acids. In one case the color is changed to black and in another to a brownish black.

—The late A. P. A convention did one good thing if no other, and that was the motion which was speedily carried that “a committee of five be appointed to memorialize Congress to deface all dies and plates of stamps when out of use.”

—We cordially wish every philatelist a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year! May Philately increase its strides!

—Ye Boodle Philateliste is one of the latest. Its publisher truthfully says we will think it a queer name but promises to enlighten us.

—A great many collectors are taking advantage of our Big Offers: "40c for 20c" and our Philatelic Paper Packets! See the adv'ts!!!

—The recent issues of the Post Card have contained much interesting news and it's as regular as clock work. We are always glad to receive it and regret sincerely that some of its numbers are missing from our file.

—You may have noticed that we are giving useful philatelic goods as per these exchanges:

For each mixed lot of 100 U. S. 3c red, 4c carmine, special delivery, postage due, and square cut envelope stamps, I will send a Revenue Stamp Catalogue. Send now, don't wait. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

A stamp collectors directory or a revenue catalogue for 100 square cut envelope stamps, 100 document stamps or 20 match and medicine stamps in good condition. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, New York.

Three philatelic papers with covers for every two Special Delivery stamps. Not less than 4 taken at a time. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

Send me 10 3c red or 4c carmine U. S. stamps for an entire Japanese postal card. Heavily canceled ones not taken. F. J. S., Smyrna, N. Y.

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A great many collectors have lots of these stamps that they have no use for and here is a chance to get rid of them to good advantage. We have taken thousands of them and want thousands more.

—Exchanges may avoid writing the full name of this paper and address as we advise: Tribune, Smyrna, New York.

—The recent turn affairs have taken in Brazil will probably lead to the emission of new sets of stamps in the near future.

—The P. M. says that a magnificent new set is out for Costa Rica made by Waterloo, of London, who made the first issue Siamese stamps.

—Agents can get 40 per cent commission by selling stamps from F. J. Stanton's (Smyrna, N. Y.,) fine approval sheets! We advise you to send reference and apply for sheets.

—The Philatelic Nonpareil is the name of a new and nicely printed candidate for philatelic favor. If its first number is a forerunner of future issues it will take its place in the first rank.

—Walton, Bradt and Harris, are prominent candidates for the secretaryship of the American Philatelic Association. As an entirely disinterested person we should say that Walton was the right man for the place and we hope he'll get that.

—W. J. Arkell recently offered our government \$100,000 for the use of the backs of its postage stamps for advertising purposes. The offer was not accepted and probably never will be as we don't need to increase our revenue in such a manner,

—The 3d edition of Horner's Stamped Envelopes was brought out last month.

—Charleston has the one flourishing society of the South. It has 17 members.

—The Tennessee Philatelist is promised along with the usual January philatelic crop.

—Beginning Jan 1st, the American Bank Note Company will manufacture all U S. stamps.

—We supply a fine gummed hinge paper at 8c a sheet. It is of excellent quality and is very adhesive.

—The Midland Philatelist is announced to appear this month from Nebraska, with 16 pages and a cover. In advance, it has our best wishes.

—Spain has issued a series of 13 new values of stamps bearing the head of the baby king. The Spaniards evidently don't consider that 13 is a very unlucky number.

—A number of persons have not yet remitted for the copy of our Catalogue they ordered sent. If this notice is marked, you are one of them and we would like to hear from you please!

—The name of Siam's postmaster general is Somdetch Phra Chow Nong Ya Thor Chow Fa Bhaumangsi Swauguvusga Kooma Phra Bhaunbhaddaroongsee Vavadey. In sending him a postal card write nothing but the address on that side.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Written for The Philatelic Tribune.

PHILATELIC POINTS.

CANADENSIS.

Despite the efforts made to not reconsider the Chalmers "craze," I should think that the action of the A. P. A. was a "stunner" to my "friends" Wolfsieffer and Davison. What will Patrick say?

Mr. V. H. Young's photograph of the C. P. A. members is progressing. It promises to be a fine thing.

F. J. Grenny was the Canadian representative at the American Philatelic Association convention at St. Louis. We know the Major made a favorable impression of what the "Canucks" are.

The French Canadian collectors seem to be averse to joining the philatelic societies. I know fully a hundred of such who have remarkably fine collections. They depend principally on foreign correspondence for exchange.

There is a great boom in Canadian revenues.

Mr E. Y. Parker reports stamp trade to be better and larger than ever before.

The new C. P. A. official organ is a good one, and deserves success.

On dit, that "Acadia" is an A. P. A. member. Don't you believe it, brother Goodrich?

The Black List.

We shall be glad to remove any name in this list on a settlement of account and to make due acknowledgement of same.

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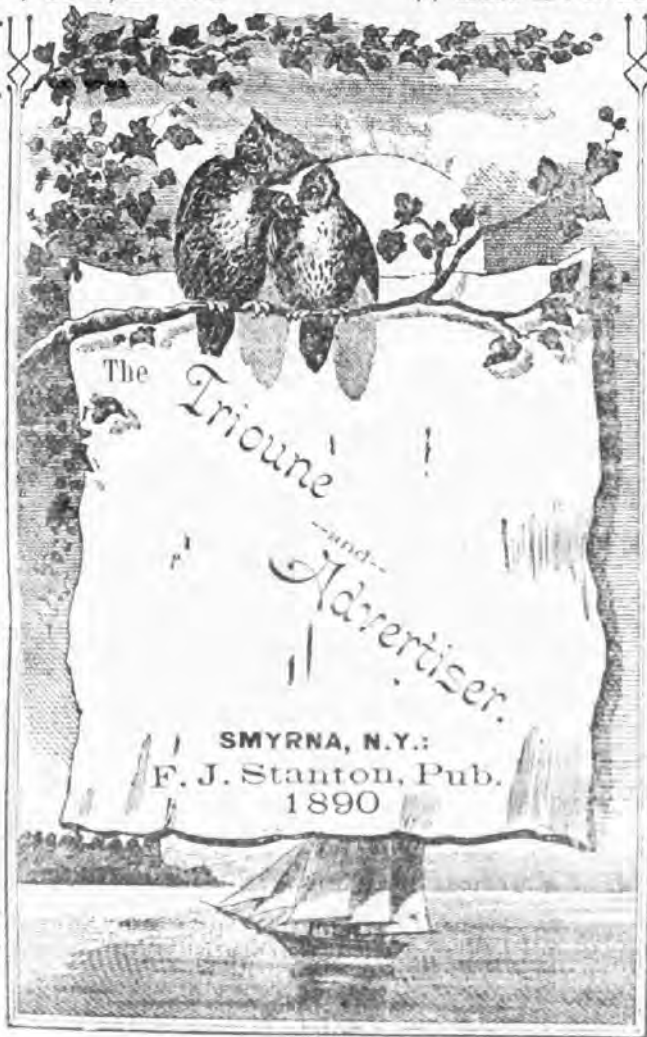
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—Don't fail to read our Bargain page !

—We offer 1000 varieties stamps for \$9 75 !

—What has become of Philately ? We sincerely hope it has not gone to the shades.

—The Orange City Philatelist will appear the present month as well as other new ones.

—The first list of stamps was compiled by Mount Brown, of London, in the year 1862.

—"My adv't in your last issue has brought me satisfactory returns"—G J McLain Try us !

—The Philatelic Express publishes a list of stamp portraits. A good idea and we wonder that such has not been attempted before.

—The average run for mail agents on the mail trains in the United States is 1,200 miles a week and this for 26 weeks of the year.

—An article in the current American Philatelist states that the backs of the stamps of New S. Wales have been let for advertising purposes.

—One of the Postoffice officials, in his annual report, advises the issue of an international card with a prepaid answer. Let us hope the suggestion will be acted upon favorably.—A. P.

—The Progressive Philatelist will make its appearance the present month.

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—"The Philatelic Tribune is a very handsome paper in its small form" Thanks, brother Pender, and let us say that the American Stamp Journal is not only nicely gotten up but one of the newsiest sheets on our exchange list.

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—Millard F. Walton was elected secretary of the American Philatelic Association. He will, in our opinion, prove an efficient officer.

—From the Universal Collector we acknowledge the receipt of a handsome Christmas card. Thanks, brother, for your kind remembrance.

—Mr. Cleo Morency will please accept our thanks for the specimen of the new issue German 10 paras green stamp sent us in a recent letter.

—It is stated that the English syndicate now in this country engaged in buying up various industries, recently offered Postmaster General Wanamaker \$1,000,000 for the use of the backs of our postage stamps for advertising purposes.

—H. B. Squier pleasantly writes that he thinks our friends on the Canada side can turn out as many oddities as their other American cousins. He has four law stamps in a block perforated diagonally, nearly from corner to corner, and a bill stamp in a similar way, also another bill stamp perforated near the right side, horizontally.

—It is somewhat exasperating to a dealer to send sheets to parties who represent that they can sell many stamps and then have the sheets come back torn and the sales something like this: stamps sold, 3c; commission, 1c; postage, 2c. This is a game practiced by a number of so called stamp agents. They catch a dealer but once

—This issue begins our 8th vol.

—Stamp trade is picking up rapidly.

—This paper is THE one for young collectors!

—There are genuine bargains awaiting you on our bargain page!

—Quite a rivalry between our friends of the "old Scott" store and the new one.

—Charlie Whitcomb of the Fitchburg Philatelist is one of our enterprising young publishers. The initial number of the new volume sports a new cover. His paper he says is a success.


—Billy Culross, the genial, is editor of a bang up new secret society paper. He is one of the genuine rushers of the Bay State and is a frequent contributor to the big Boston newspapers.

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50 var. post-marks for 100 sq. cut env. stamps. F. J. S., Smyrna, N.Y.

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15 different stamps for each philatelic paper sent us. M. & B. Rosensfield, 115 Strand, Galveston, Texas.

A stamp collectors directory or a revenue catalogue for 100 square cut envelope stamps, 100 document stamps or 20 match and medicine stamps in good condition. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, New York.

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Recipes for philatelic papers. E. Wilkinson, Broken Bow, Neb.

Send me 10 3c red or 4c carmine U. S. stamps for an entire Japanese postal card. Heavily canceled ones not taken. F. J. S., Smyrna, N. Y.

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Golden Days and Youth's Companions for coins and coin papers. Will D. Waltman, Colorado Springs, Col.

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For 50 or 100 well assorted postage, revenue or unpaid stamps of one country I will send same U. S. George P. Jacobson, Calmar, Iowa.

A hand-inking 15-8x25-8 printing press and 6 A 10 a font type for best offer stamps or philatelic papers. G. J. McLain, Persia, Tenn.

Send us 25 3c red, 4c carmine, or special delivery stamps, and we will send you our catalogue and a novelty worth 10c. The same for 2nd well assorted square cut env. stamps. Imp'l Novelty Co., Smyrna, N.Y.

6 entire War dep't 3c blue envelopes for every 10 5x8 or larger covered philatelic papers. R. M. McFarland, Box 182, Henderson, Ky.

A clear 7c Navy for Eichello match black, or any two of 1 or 2c Playing Cards, Bond bk, S C B & Co. bk, Hoyt 2, Weeks and Potter 2 bk. Exchange desired. E. S. P., 13 Westminster st., Worcester, Mass.

10 philatelic papers (with covers) for 200 square cut envelope stamps or a revenue catalogue for the same. F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N. Y.

50 foreign stamps for every philatelic paper with cover. No less than ten taken at a time. G. J. McLain, Persia, Tenn.

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50 varieties of stamps for every large U. S. cent in lots of two or more. Chas W. Peugh, Kossuth, Ind.

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The present number cuts the 43d notch in Old Time's walking stick as handled by the Philatelic Tribune. Forty-three numbers is a good many for a philatelic paper to reach—few survive after reaching their twenty-fourth and many die before they are yearlings. Don't the old time tried, storm-beaten, through-thick-and-thin philatelic papers deserve a more concentrated patronage than they are receiving? Don't those journals, which for several years, have stood as a beacon light warning the unwary of the dangers of skin dealers, dead beats, approval sheet thieves, and the like, deserve a more merited recognition? There are few of them. They can be counted on the fingers—with several fingers to spare! This paper is the paper for young collectors and those just starting! It has been their champion since it started in 1885 and it ever will be devoted to their interests. Stand by the old stand-by!

—The R. I. Philatelist has completed volume 1

—Durbin & Hanes have a \$3,000 collection on sale. W. N. Powell, of Burlington, New Jersey, has taken a place with them.

—W. A. Duncan, of Ann Arbor, Mich., writes that R. T. James, of Vernon Hill, Va., swindled him out of ten dollars' worth of stamps, etc.

—The New York World of Dec. 23d contained a well written and readable article on "Money in Post Stamps." S. J. Weisman has our thanks

—The C. P. A. Executive Committee report that one Augustus C. Bass, of New York, is an approval sheet fraud. He gives addresses at 335 Hudson st. and 18 Clark st. Pass him around.

—I will give the best exchange for the following U. S. Document stamps: 1st issue, 4c playing cards, 6c proprietary, 1 dollar passage ticket, 5 dol mortgage, 20 dol conveyance, 20 dol probate of will, 50 dol and 100 dol internal revenue. Gf 2d issue, \$1 30, 1 60, 1 90, \$10, 20, 25, 50, 200. 3d issue, \$10 and 20.

W A N T E D !

I desire several more correspondents in the U. S. and Canada who may wish to increase their collections by a mutual exchange of specimens with Scott's as a basis. If you have any scarce duplicates of ANY kinds be sure and let me hear from you.

F. J. Stanton, Smyrna, N.Y.

—W. F. Bishop, of La Grange, Ills, is again doing stamp business and publishing a Circular. Dr. G. N. Campbell, of Hopkinsville, Ky., would like to hear from him 1.50's worth and the gentle man can have his name withdrawn from our Black List if he'll become honest enough to settle his account with us.



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