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This paper takes the adver-

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We hope to have better success

This paper will become the official organ of any Philatelic Society and furnish all members with copies free of charge.

We will give good exchange for any articles on stamps, or cigarette card collecting. Writers, write to us for our terms and it will be to your advantage.

See the great bargain on the first page.

Next month we hope to add two extra pages to our paper.

The circulation of this paper is 800 copies per month.

All Philatelic papers please send 2 copies to us and will send the same.

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Next month there will be an interesting article on how cigarette cards were introduced at first, and the names of all series ever published.

This is a sample copy to you. We never send but one sample copy to the same person—take the hint and subscribe.

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Owing to the large demand for Cigarette Card catalogues we have run entirely out of them. By next month there will be a new edition, containing all the new issues. The price will remain the same as formerly, 10 cents.

Owing to the large number of subscriptions we received during the first month of our existence, we are enabled to enlarge our paper to six pages, as you will see. If we continue to receive as large number of subscribers this month as we did last, you will find us sporting eight pages next month.

REVIEWS.

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The Agent's Slip, of Berlin, is the neatest little paper out.

The American Stamp Journal comes as usual, with fine contents.

No. 4 of the Stamp World contains nothing much but clippings.

The Eureka Philatelist comes out with a cover, and makes a fine appearance.

The Philatelic Express, published by J. H. Lyons, is a very neat sheet, and hails from Portland, Maine.

Bro. Watson's Post Card is certainly a dandy. For January he issued 4 nos. Let's see some of the larger journals beat that.

We have received Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of the Yankee Phil. from Barre, Vt. It is the spiciest paper out. Edited by Messrs Goldsbury & Grant.

The Boys and Girls News, published by Allen W. Ward, of Avon, N. Y., is one of the new arrivals, and full of entertaining news. Success to you, Bro. Ward.

The Golden Weekly is certainly boosting Philately. At first they offered a package of 50 all different Foreign postage stamps for 10 of their coupons, cut from the top of the paper each week. Now, as they have been issued, they offer a beautiful stamp album with the names of all countries, their ruler and population, with spaces for 2000 stamps. They have running in their paper at present, a continued story, entitled "Bob Baxter, the young Stamp Collector, or \$1000 from \$1. Besides this they have articles on philately each week by prominent writers.

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— CANADA FISCALS. —

BY CANADENSIS.

Increased interest is being taken in Canadian revenue stamps. The Gas and Weights and Measures stamps have had recent laws passed which will make it more difficult to procure them. The following is the law regulating the same:—

“Every owner of weights, measures, and weighing machines, when paying moneys to Inspectors of Weights and Measures for verification fees, is entitled to, and is specially requested to demand from the officer who makes the inspection, an official certificate properly filled out and stamped, and also at the same time to carefully ascertain whether or not the stamps attached to such certificate present exactly the value the amount of cash paid. Traders are requested to bear in mind that certificates of verification are of no value whatever unless stamps covering the full amount of fees charged are attached. Owners and holders of these official certificates are specially requested to keep them carefully for two years, and in order to secure their safe keeping it would be advisable to placard them in their places of business in the manner in which ordinary license certificates are done, for it must be distinctly understood that all traders who are unable to produce their properly stamped certificates, when asked to do so by an inspector may, in all probability, have to pay over again their verification fees.”

It will thus be seen that the stamps cannot be removed until two years have expired, unless the party wishes to run a risk. The Gas stamp regulations are somewhat similar.

— JUSTICE TRIUMPHANT. —

There is now no doubt but that at the next meeting of the A. P. C. Patrick Chalmers' claims will be thrown overboard and Rowland all once more placed on the pedestal of fame. Our readers who have not seen the Jan. and Feb. Philatelic Beacon should write for a copy and see what all the leading philatelists of America have to say on the subject. If Chalmers really was so sure of the question being in his favor he would have taken it before a proper tribunal, where Mr Pearson Hill has challenged him to appear for years past.

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—For this season it is said that there have been more philatelic papers started than ever before.

—Six numbers of the Post card were issued for January, instead of four as we stated last month.

—Commencing with next month, April, we will issue our paper on the 1st of the month, instead of the 15th, as heretofore.

—Next month we will start a Black List. We would be pleased to have all dealers and publishers send their lists of the same.

—Next month we will start a very interesting continued story (Philatelic) by Noname, entitled Ruth's Luck. Don't fail to read it will be a fine one.

—Mr W. W. Jewett has bought out the entire interest in The Stamp Collectors' Dictionary and Guide from J. N. Lyons, and will hereafter conduct the business alone.

—When you are answering advertisements, please mention the paper, as it lets the advertiser know which paper to give credit to and if he receives a goodly number he tries it again.

—If you subscribe this month you will receive post free a dozen hidden name cards with your name on, or if you wish plain cards we will give you a dozen with your name and address on.

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Philatelic Literature Taken As A Hobby.

BY L. BRIGHAM.

Stamp collecting was known to exist as far back as 1860, but the subject which I am writing about was paid little if any attention to in those days, perhaps on account of the scarcity of philatelic journals. It is one of the most amusing, interesting and instructive of the hobbies which occupy the attention of the hundreds and thousands of collectors of the present time. I have often had people ask me what benefit there was to me in stamp collecting, and I answered very quickly and easily. The same question has probably sprung to the minds of hundreds of young collectors, and undoubtedly some of the advanced collectors as well. The question might be asked of philatelic literature, and it can be answered as quickly and easily as the first question. The benefits derived from being a collector of philatelic literature are many indeed. The first thing to do is to form a collection that would not be sneezed at even by advanced collectors, and by doing so you are fast bringing your name to the front as a collector. In forming a collection of this kind great care should be exercised to procure neat and whole specimens. The collector should also bear in mind that it adds greatly to the value of his collection to add to it as many clean and whole publications, that bear a far back date, as he can. A very excellent way of increasing a collection in quality and quantity is to correspond judiciously and largely with collectors of the same hobby, for mutual benefit. There are hundreds of persons scattered over the continent of North America who interest themselves to some extent in philatelic literature, but how few of them care much about it. A philatelic literature collector in order to look forward to the time when his or her hobby will be placed on a par with the standing, equal to that of any of our numerous hobbies, should unite their efforts with those whose purpose it is to advance this instructive hobby, or more properly speaking, pastime, and labor hard for the prosperity which this important pastime so well deserves. By working hard I do not mean to over-do the mark, by any means, but simply to make it a pleasure to advance the collecting of philatelic literature, by numerous ways, as the collector thinks best.

The Boodle Phil has at last started to enlighten the philatelic world as to what its name signifies. That cut of a ——— you had in our last issue is very striking. Where did you get it made?

A PIECE OF LUCK.

BY S. B. BRADT.

Every now and then, at short intervals, we are informed of some wonderful "find" of rare stamps. As a general rule an "old hair trunk" is the medium through which the discovery is made; or if not that, then a disused attic is brought into service. And by way of variation sometimes both are worked in. These stories usually border somewhat on the marvelous—whether to a greater or less degree than the one I am about to relate I shall leave to my readers to decide.

Not long since I happened in at an auction sale of unclaimed express packages, where hundreds of packages of every size and description, which had remained uncalled for in the hands of the express company for the length of time required by law, were about to be offered at public sale to the highest bidder. Curiosity induced me to linger for a time, and it was not long before I caught the buying fever. I had seen a number of packages "knocked off," some of them proving to be bargains to their purchasers, but the greater number turning out worthless. Rather by instinct, I imagine, my attention became riveted on a particular package that was steadily working up to its turn. It was an oblong package, about seven by twelve inches in size, and neatly tied up. When it came under the hammer I saw that it was addressed to George Burtringer, Bryon Block, Chicago. It had very much the appearance of being a stamp album, and I was once determined to buy it if possible. A man at my elbow offered ten cents, which I at once raised to twenty-five. The hammer fell and secured the coveted package. As usual the crowd pressed around me to see it opened, but I tucked it under my arm and sought a secluded spot in which to examine my purchase all by myself. As I removed the wrappings you may imagine my delight upon beholding what I had hoped for, a postage stamp album. Yes, there it was, an old edition of Scott's Common Sense Album, in a faded red cloth binding. And what more to the point, it was fairly bursting, so full was it of stamps. In my joy I leaped to my feet, grabbing up the album and thereby causing a multitude of loose stamps to be scattered over the floor. These of course at once became the subjects of my first care and attention. As I proceeded to gather them I straightend up in surprise at the first that came to my hand. It was an entire sheet of the Providence Post Office Stamps! Imagine that, for a twenty-five cent investment!

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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✂ CARD NOTES. ✂

Allen & Ginter, for this month, have issued two new sets, Animals and pirates, each set having 50 cards.

Kinney Bros. also issued a series of animals last month, but they are not near so fine as Allen & Ginter's.

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Chas Welen, 87 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill. One philatelic paper for every match or medicine stamp; also one cigarette picture or one certificate for every stamp not in my collection. Send sheets.

W. A. Duncan, 6 Jefferson St., Ann Arbor, Mich. A volume of St Nicholas for six pounds of long primer, brevier, or nonpareil type. Will give good exchange for 4x6 or larger press and other printing material.

The Philatelic Express has been enlarged to 8 pages this month and promises to stay so. With the March number Mr W. w. Jewett takes charge of the entire advertising department.

The American Stamp Journal came last month in an enlarged form, and had the finest contents of any of our exchanges.

The Western Philatelist came out in fine form for last month, but a trifle late.

The Figaro is the finest, largest and best of our phil. exchanges.

The Nebraska Philatelist for last month had a very interesting continued story for philatelists. The Old Timers' Club, by Mr T. J. Mitchell Let's see a few more of our stamp papers start articles of the same sort.

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