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STAMP NEWS.

By "Stampy."

Perhaps the greatest rarity turning up the past year was a pair of two-cent circular stamps of British Guiana issued in 1850, and they are probably worth upwards of \$3,000.

It is well known that plate 89 is one of the hardest numbers to find, the latest one we have seen being held at \$100.

The biggest registered letter ever mailed in the United States was a box containing the testimony and exhibits in a recent suit concerning the chloride process of extracting gold. The postage was \$187. It was sent from New York to South Africa.

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THE DOM.

As seen through heated glasses,
By The Devil.

Well fellers we're here.

"Scrapps" has been refused second class rates and the probabilities are, that it will die. Too bad.

That bright(?) and versatile kid, the editor of "Our Gopher," has been calling "us down." Stow your gab Stully. You'r N. G. So's your paper.

Gene.- We're not Baron DeClub. Haven't the honor of his acquaintance.

The U. B. O. A. is practically "busted up."

"The Journalist" is late, very late.

Ye former "King of Clubdom" is practically hidden in the "veils of obscurity."

By the way, Which Clubite claims to be "King of the Dom."

Friend Swartout is editor of the Club Department in "Monthly Scrap Book". Echo whispers

Ye editor is a member of the U. A. P. A.

What have you got to say against the Loud Bill.

We are a few days late this month but hope to do better next time. "Better late than never."

An interesting story, written for "The Eagle" by H. Kay, entitled "The Granville Robbery," will begin next month. Better subscribe now.

Besides the above we wish to say, that, we have engaged with several good writers during 1897, who all promise good stories.

Remember, the premium offer made last month still holds good.

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STAMP NEWS.

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Through the kindness of a friend a few Cuban stamps were sent us for which we extend our thanks. We would advise all our readers to start a collection of Cuban stamps at once, if they have not done so already. They are worthy of a conspicuous place in any one's album. Also to keep in mind the brave struggle which the plucky Cubans are putting up in order to throw off the Spanish Yoke.

In the way of rarities there has recently been a little book made up, which, in a short time will probably cross the sea sea. It is the property of a prominent New York collector, and contains stamps to the value of about \$20,000. It is to be sent to the London Philatelic Exhibition.

Liberia has come to the front with a new issue of adhesives.

The much-talked-of conventions of two largest philatelic associations of Canada have met, and have agreed to disagree.

MISCELLANEOUS MENTION.

We would like to hear from some reliable subscription agency to represent this paper.

We would be pleased to receive a few good original stories from the pen of some amateur writer.

When answering advertisements always state that you saw it in THE EAGLE, by so doing you will receive prompt replies and oblige the editor.

We wish to state that hereafter we will not X ad. space.

The ad. of the Middlesex Stamp Company on another page of this issue is worthy of everyone's attention as the watch they offer is real value, no trash. Also rubber stamps; everybody needs rubber stamps, why not patronize experienced and reliable people.

Our Stamp Editor has resigned. Who can fill the position?

The treadles put on pianos for Chicago girls are eighteen inches apart.

OUR EXCHANGES.

Our Advertiser, Black Imp Our Baby, Modern Bulletin, Stray Facts, Guide, A. M. A. News Keystone Advertiser, White Rose, Herald Exch Pleasant Moments, Critic Magazine, American Amateur, Leader, Philtelic West, Parker's Monthly, Mailer, Penny News, Boomerang, Agent's Fad, Badger Advertisdr, Philatelic Nebraskan, Agent's Friend, Wayside, Monthly Scrap Book, Kentucky Philatelist, Our Mutual Friend.

Answers To Corrospondents.

Boy.- There is no premium on the coin you mention; CC stands for the Carson City, where it was coined.

Inquisitive.- The stamp you submitted is a counterfeit. We have sent stamp to you to-day.

Spart.- The publication you mention is published by the Shortstory Pub. Co., Boston.

Jack.- The questions you asked are too for publication.

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