

the largest users of pre-cancelled stamps. Other users are agricultural implement firms and large mail-order seed houses.

The following clipping may be of interest to collectors:—

#### NEW POSTOFFICE SWINDLE.

A device for swindling the post-office has just been discovered at Brussels. It consists in pasting a piece of thin transparent paper over postage stamps after these have been affixed to the letters. The transparent paper receives the post-mark. When the letter reaches its destination the transparent paper is removed by damping, and there is the stamp unused and ready for further employment. The practice has been extensive with respect to stamps of high value.—Chicago Record.

### EDITORIALS

Advt. must be in before 15th of each month.

Look up Ross' Advt. on page 4, it will pay you.

Mr. A. R. Magill has informed me that he will get out a Stamp Magazine in January 1901.

You may look for the 4c and 7c stamps now that the Laurier Government is sustained.

There will be eight Stamp papers in Canada in 1901.

As this is the first time The Jubilee took book form, I hope it will please the public at large.

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### REVIEW.

The following magazines were received this month:—

The Canadian Philatelic Magazine, Vol. v, No. 2.

The Philatelic Advocate, Vol. ix, No. 51.—U. S. Minutes conducted by Usona.

The Philatelic Bulletin, Vol. xxiv, No. 2—

The Stamps of Saxony by Lacus Viridis.

The Princely Palm, by A. Lloyd Jones.

Review, Amy L. Swift.

Weekly Philatelic Era, Vol. xv., No. 6.—Notes from New Jersey, Notes from Australia, Chicago Notes and Canadian Notes.

The Adhesive, Vol. i, No. 11.—Estray Notes on Sheets of Stamps, Across our Albums, by Amy L. Swift, From Over the Sea, The New Catalogue.

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