

Wholesale Department . . .**Discontinued.**

(See first column of last page.)

Any business man understanding stamps can at once begin a very profitable business with these alone. It is not necessary to enter into a general wholesale or retail business in order to reap the benefits of our offer, as dealers will be only too glad to supply quantity and quality desired in exchange, or to pay cash when price is reasonable. We can supply addresses of several well known wholesale dealers in Europe who have lately written us offering to take large quantities of the common assortments at \$1. to \$3 per 1000. These orders we will not fill as they do not send cash in advance, and all our future wholesale purchases will be made only on commission and against cash deposit.

On receipt of any sum from \$20 (a third of the minimum annual purchasing money and which can be used to try our plan) upwards, we will at once proceed to fulfill our agreement, and will forward a box of stamps by parcel express as soon as purchases justify it.

Under this minimum purchasing deposit we cannot limit our services to any one person, but our well known reputation should be sufficient guarantee that we will not undertake more than we can fulfill to the satisfaction of all concerned. We shall be pleased, however, to hear from any person wishing the exclusive supply, and who can back it up with sufficient funds, about \$250 quarterly.

In conclusion: We have explained all pertinent points and it will be useless to ask us to deviate from these terms. Under no circumstances will we buy for any dealer's account until we receive the purchasing money or equivalent in approved rare stamps. On our part we assure *prompt* and *reliable* services.

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