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17. Newfoundland, 1887-92, set of 6	24
18. *Newfoundland, 1897, set of 3	26
19. *Newfoundland, 1898, set of 5	—
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25. *U. S., env., 1883, 4c. green (1494)	30
26. *U. S., env., 1883, 4c. green (1496)	30
27. 100 varieties foreign, good value	—
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* means unused. Subscribers outside of Canada, U. S. A. and Newfoundland must remit **12 cents extra**. Canadian subscribers will please remit by **postal note or in silver**; all others in current unused stamps, well centred and full gum.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICES.

Since the last MESSENGER appeared, we have been deluged with offers of Canadian stamps of the Jubilee and first maple leaf issues. Not being engaged in the wholesale business, we are already overstocked in some of the values and do not want any more of those values even in exchange.

We will, however, accept the stamps mentioned below, at the prices quoted, in payment for subscriptions and advertisements only, and only to the amount of \$2 from one person. All stamps must be perfect, lightly cancelled and well centred.

Jubilee Issue.

- ½c. black, unused, 15 cents each;
- 2c. green, used. 10 cents per 10;
- 5c. deep blue, unused, 6 cents each;
- 5c. deep blue, used, 35 cents per 10;
- 6c. brown, used or unused, 40c. each;
- 8c. violet, used or unused, 10c. each,
- 10, 15, 20 50c. and \$1.00 at face.

1st Maple Leaf Issue.

- 2c. purple, used, 25 cents per 100;
- 5c. dark blue, used, 6 cents per 10;
- 6c. brown, used, 5 cents each;
- 8c. orange, used, 20 cents per 10;
- 10c. plum, used, 6 cents each.

For the current Canadian stamps we will allow the following prices in exchange for advertising until further notice: 2 cents, 10c. per 100; 2 cents Imperial, 25c. per 100; 5 cents, 5c. per 10; 6 cents, 10c. per 10; 8 cents, 8c. per 10; 10 cents, 25c. per 10; 15 cents (1882-93), 5c. each; 20 cents, 8c. ea.; 50 cents, deep blue, 20c. each. Not more than \$1.00 worth of current Canadian can be accepted from one person.

The following prices will be allowed for used Omaha stamps. Per 10: 4 cents, 15c.; 5 cents, 20c.; 8 cents, 35c.; 10 cents, 20c. Each: 50 cents, 25c.; \$1.00, 50c.; \$2.00, \$1.00.