

a stamp paper in the near future. Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and the western provinces have not been represented as yet. At least not to my knowledge.

According to the "Daily Stamp Item", "Stamp-Lore" for June has just appeared. It is to be run hereafter by the Pritchard Pub. Co.

THE PREMIUMS.

We have decided to let the Premium Offers hold good until Dec. 31st. Do not let the chance slip of getting an International album free. We have added several more premiums to the list. For full particulars see page 8.

Associate Editor.

NO OCTOBER NUMBER.

OUR readers will be surprised to note that this issue is November and last issue was September. We are not skipping anything, but we have decided to issue this paper on the first of the month instead of the 25th, as our foreign subscribers complain that they do not get the paper until the next month. This makes the paper seem old. Subscribers will not lose anything. All who subscribe before Nov. 31. will get the paper until Jan'y 1898 for 25c.

THE U. S. AHEAD.

Although we mailed an equal number of sample copies of our first issue to Canada and U. S., over 80 per cent of the subscriptions received were from the U. S. This shows where the most enthusiastic collectors are. Hurry up boys! Don't let the U. S. get so far ahead.

TO OUR EXCHANGES.- RE-PRINTS.

We invite our exchanges to clip and reprint articles contained in the P. A. but, as most of our articles are original, we ask, as a favor, that credit will be given us.

Articles of one column or over must not be re-printed without special permission from the publishers.

RECEIVED IN OCTOBER.

We acknowledge the receipt of the following:- The "Philatelic West" for Oct. This paper is full of interesting matter.

The "American collector" for Sept. Amongst other good articles is one by C. S. Gilman on the "Old Lakeport (N. H.) Philatelists."

Revenue List No. 2 from Joe F. Beard, Muscatine, Iowa.

The "Western Stamp." This paper was published semi monthly but owing to second class rates being refused it will be issued monthly.

The "Philatelic Free Lance" for Oct. This no. contains an interesting history of "The Evergreen State Philatelist" from its inception, 1894, until the present time.

STRAÏ THOUGHTS.

"Those who live in glass houses should not throw stones." I read an article in a philatelic journal criticizing the typography of another stamp journal. The critic's article, containing eleven lines, had only five typographical errors.

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