

NO END TO STAMP COLLECTING.

Once You Get the Habit you go on to Eternity.

Nine millions is the figure at which a reliable English paper estimated the number of devotees of stamp collecting...

France probably comes next to Germany, and is estimated to have more than a million stamp collectors.

Although stamp collecting is one of the youngest of leisure pursuits, its followers have multiplied so rapidly that they now dwarf the multitude of devotees of any similar hobby.

Stamps collected advance all kinds of arguments to justify their hobby, the chief being that it results in the collector acquiring an intimate knowledge of the history and geography of the world...

"Once a collector, always a collector," is a favorite saying among stamp enthusiasts.

First he asks questions and becomes interested in the high prices brought by rare varieties. Then he will buy one or two stamps here and there...

There has also been a great similarity of design in the American stamps; they have borne the portrait of Emperor Francis Joseph for the last forty-six years.

The United States leads the world in the number of stamps issued, there being more than 900 varieties.

When stamp collecting was in its infancy a collection comprising 1,000 varieties was thought to be fairly complete.

Another collector, not content with accumulating ordinary varieties, goes so far as to collect forgeries and counterfeits, and pays a great deal of attention to minor details which escape the notice of the average collector.

But there is really no such thing as a complete stamp collection, for the reason that there are so many directions into which the hobby may branch out that it becomes illimitable.

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The Czar's Many Houses.

A prominent and distinguished member of the large Russian colony in Paris, writes my Paris correspondent, has been giving a French interviewer amusing accounts of the magnificent possessions and properties of the Czar.

In the many stables are some 5000 horses, while the heads of cattle may be placed at 50,000; but even the distinguished members of the Paris Russian colony hesitates at stating the number of inhabitants of the Czar's kennels, the dogs being entirely innumerable.

Are Soldiers Great Smokers? If recent statistics are to be relied upon the number of men—high placed officers—in both services who do not smoke would bear out the theory that smoking is going out of fashion in the British army and navy.

Mizard's Liment Cures Distemper. "Once a collector, always a collector," is a favorite saying among stamp enthusiasts.

OULD DUMB FRIENDS. Don't tease the dog. Even the cat has feelings. Give them some rest. Only painstaking ones should keep caged pets.

Life of a Child in China. At birth it is supposed that many spirits, both good and evil, attend the Chinese child.

Cocoon Oil for Toothache. Mr. Consul Werner's report on the train of Kanchow for 1903 says with regard to cocoon oil it may be used as a specific for toothache.

Homeopathic Power. Natrum muriaticum, a homeopathic remedy, is common table salt. But in the process of dynamization, homeopathically, its particles are sub-divided till they approach the infinity.

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Cut Glass advertisement for Pyrie Bros. featuring a diamond hall and Toronto location.

Living Expenses in Japan. Japan is no longer the land of cheap living. Rents have advanced from 200 to 300 per cent.

INDURATED FIBRE WARE EDDY'S advertisement with an image of a product can.

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STATISTICS OF THE NEGRO.

Death Rate in this Country Nearly Twice That of the Whites.

The final census bulletin on the negro population shows that there are 9,244,631 negroes in the United States, including Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico.

At present fully 90 per cent. of the negroes live in the southern states and 77 per cent. of them reside upon farms.

The largest numbers of negroes living in compact masses are found in certain urban counties, several of which lie outside the great cotton-growing states.

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"Pure soap!" You've heard the words. In Sunlight Soap you have the fact.

SUNLIGHT SOAP advertisement with a large graphic of a soap bar.

The Corean Flag. The Corean ensign and merchant flag is a white flag bearing the great monad in blue and red.

Lever's Y-Z (Wine) Head Disinfectant Soap. Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

To Care for Plants in Winter. Give plants all the fresh air you can. Open doors and windows at some distance from them on pleasant days.

Like Tearing the Heart Strings. "It is not within the conception of man to measure my great sufferings from heart disease.

A Question of Age. How old are you? The adage says that some are old as they look and some are old as they feel.

FLORIDA AND THE SUNNY SOUTH. Winter excursion tickets now on sale by the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Matrimony and Longevity. The ancient minstrel joke as to why married men live longer than bachelors is really not in a spirit of fun.

Where Doctors do agree! Physicians no longer consider it catering to "vaquetry" if recommending to practice so meritorious a remedy for Indigestion and Nervousness as South American Nerve.

THE CLOTHES BUSINESS. The effect of advertising on many different kinds of business has been noted by a well-known writer.

ENGLISH SPAVIN LINIMENT. Removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses, blood spavin, curbs, splints, ringbones, stifles, sprains, cures sore and swollen throat, coughs, etc.

Question of Politeness, Not Opinion. Representative Cooper, of Texas, tells a story about Gen. Sam Houston, of his State, and a practicing physician, who did not like the old General, being strenuously opposed to him politically.

Mizard's Liment Cures Diphtheria. Due Precaution Taken. "I should think you'd be afraid to let your little boy run round with a diphtheria, wouldn't you?"

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Small Winslow's Balm for Children's Coughs. Always be used for Children's Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough and is the best remedy for Bronchitis.

LADIES' \$1.00 Fall Balm and up to \$2.00. Small Winslow's Balm for Children's Coughs.

Butterflies and Moths. Though butterflies and moths are found widely distributed all over the globe, they are by far most abundant in the tropics.

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for anyone who can furnish the name of the person who has been the most successful in the world in the last year.

A Birthday Mystery. Here is a strange little puzzle, which has the same answer, independent of the fact that no two people solving the puzzle were born the same year and consequently use the same figures.

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Mizard's Liment Cures Garget in Cows. A Laughing Plant. Travellers from Arabia tell us of a plant which grows there called the laughing plant on account of the peculiar property of its seed.