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We have appointed Mr. B. Wright our Special Agent for Great Britain. He is authorised to receive subscriptions and advertisements for the ECHO. His address is 33 St. Paul's Road, Camden Square, London, N. W. England.

ADVERTISERS!! ATTENTION!!

Wishing to increase our subscription list as quickly as possible, we have decided to issue a SPECIAL EDITION of the May number of

3000 COPIES.

Advertisers will readily see the advantage of having their announcements appear in the May number of the "ECHO." The THREE THOUSAND COPIES of that number will be carefully circulated among the *buying class* throughout the Dominion of Canada and the United States. Remember our exceedingly low rates:—5 cents per line; 50 cents per inch; \$3.00 per column; \$5.00 per page.

We intend that every advt. in the May number shall pay the advertiser well and we shall circulate the whole 3000 COPIES to the best possible advantage.

We also call your attention to the Dealers' Directory. Every advertiser should send his card for insertion in that department.

Send us an advertisement at once for insertion in the May number. You will not regret it.

All advts. for insertion in May number must be in by May 20th.

We will accept Canada and U. S. postage stamps (if clean and unused) in payment for subscriptions and advertisements if in sums less than one dollar.

WE want every stamp, coin, and curiosity dealer to send us a trial advt. for insertion in the May number of the ECHO. We shall send a large number of copies to collectors all over the world. Send us an advt. at once.

WHEN writing to any firm whose advertisement appears in this paper, please say "I saw your advt. in the MONTHLY ECHO."

PUBLISHERS finding this notice marked are invited to exchange papers regularly.

Advertisers!! Note!! 3000 Copies of the May "Echo" to be circulated.

WE should like every one to subscribe and compete in the Word Hunt. In it we offer you a chance to win many times, the subscription price by taking a little trouble in making up a list. If you are not already a subscriber, don't forget to enclose 4 3ct. stamps with your lists and get the ECHO one year.

EDITORS desirous of suspending their papers would do well to write to us; as we wish to increase our circulation as rapidly as possible, we will fulfil their subscription lists at very low rates.

OUR WORD HUNT.

The word this month is,
MINERAL,

and for the largest list of words made from it, we will give the following prizes: 1st, "Myron Holley," 328 pp., bound in cloth, price \$1.50; 2nd, "A Tramp Abroad," by Mark Twain; 3rd, "Camp Life;" 4th, "Tricks and Diversions with Cards;" 5th, 100 Nice Foreign Stamps. To the next five, a nice chronos.

CONDITIONS.

Only words found in Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, latest edition, without the Supplement to be used

All lists must be arranged in alphabetical order and be numbered. No proper names, abbreviations, contractions, prefixes, suffixes, or obsolete words are to be used. No letter to be used twice in the formation of a word. Competitors must be Subscribers to the ECHO; subscriptions may be sent in with the lists, however.

All lists must be in by May 30th. Names of prize-winners will appear in the June number.

The prizes offered in our February number were awarded as follows:

- 1st. Mrs. H. W. Hamilton, Robella, Pa. 119
- 2nd. D. Judson, 7 Clinton St. N. Y., 117
- 3rd. E. W. Lane, Hill, N. H., 112
- 4th. Hattie A. Boggs, South Hope, Me., 105