

U. S. Notes

No 1 of Philatelic Puck is out.

The Model Stamp Co. of Valpariso, Ind. has failed.

The Chicago Philatelist has changed hands, Mr. Ferris will hereafter be the editor and publisher.

P. M. Wolsiffer has been elected treasurer of the Chicago Philatelic Society.

It is reported that a boy in Palmyra Wis, has collected a million stamps.

The New England Stamp Co. of Boston are newcomers, but evidently intend to get a good share of trade.

The Columbus number of the Pennsylvania Philatelist has not appeared yet.

Rogers Philatelic Blue Book has at last made its appearance.

It is almost impossible to procure the high values of the Columbian issue in the used condition, except to buy them unused and send them through the mail.

The A. P. A. Convention will be held in Chicago from August 14 to 19. The S. of P. will hold their convention soon after that of the A. P. A.

A recent issue of the New York Herald devoted the greater portion of a page to an illustrated article about G. H. Watson's collection of postal cards.

The Sons of Philatelia are preparing to publish a souvenir which is announced to be ready in July, it will contain matter especially concerning the society, 1000 copies will be printed.

Large Collection Sold

M. Berchutt, a prominent French collector of Havre, recently disposed of his collection for a little over \$10,000. to another French collector. This is believed to be the largest collection that has changed hands, intact in France since Messrs Calillebolles sold their large collection for \$35,000. some years ago.