

Selling Out.

I intend to retire from the stamp business and wish to close out my entire stock at once. I have taken all my stamps from sheets and packets and mixed them well and have put them up in packets of 100 each. Have priced them only **75c per packet.**

Special.

In order that every purchaser may be satisfied with stamps sent, I will send free with each packet a good stamp catalogued at from 15 to 30 cts. The mixture is made from stamps picked out at random.

No Ghances.

If packet is not satisfactory return it and you will receive your money, with no questions asked.

I also have 650 common European to sell for 15c. All postpaid.

S. A. NICHOLS,
926 Forest St.
RACINE, WIS.

WE BUY STAMPS

And old Collections for Cash.
What can you offer us?

STANDARD STAMP Co.
INCORPORATED
4 NICHOLSON PLACE, ST. LOUIS, MO.

A SNAP.

For every Newfoundland 6c deep pink; or 10c black, used, or Canada 15c blue gray, (fine specimen) I will give 10 varieties unused Cuban and 3 Venezuela stamps cat. value 60c.

**WILL CARR, 16 Fountain St
ROCHESTER, N. Y.**

D P.A. Membership Contest. Over \$10 in Prizes.

In order to greatly increase the membership of the D. P. A., I have decided to offer the following prizes to the persons securing the most members before Sept. 1st. 1897.

- 1st Prize.**— Half column adv. in PHILATELIC ADVOCATE 3 times, value \$4.05
2nd Prize.— Foreign Stamps to catalogue value (good) \$4.00
3rd Prize.— 1 inch adv. in PHILATELIC ADVOCATE, 3 times \$1.35
4th Prize.— 1 inch adv. in Halifax Phil. Magazine 3 times value 75

The premiums have been donated by different parties who are always looking out to do everything possible for our Society.

Only members of the Association can compete. If you are not a member send in your application and it will be counted as one for you.

The Sec'y will keep a strict account of all applications sent in and prizes will be awarded according to his decision.

Application blanks may be obtained from the Sec'y or the undersigned.

For further information address

R. G. WIDDICOMBE,
ST. CATHARINES, Ont.

Canadian JUBILEE Stamps

Until further notice we will send a complete set of unused Jubilee stamps, post free and registered, for only \$17.25. These stamps will soon be worth double the money.

Send at once as the issue may soon be exhausted.

We wish to purchase used specimens of this issue. Send for prices.

Star Stamp Co.,
C. S. Applegath, Mgr., (D. P. A. 208.)
6 Market Sq. Hamilton, Ont.

Notice!

Read Mrs. A. H. Hall's adv. on the Bargain Page if you wish any good BRITISH COLONIALS. That special packet she is offering is worth double the money -- All good stamps.