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**Notes and Comments.**

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We have laid over "Philately as it should be" till some future date, and in this issue give the first instalment of a lengthy article on "The Postage Stamps of Canada." This is considered the best article on Canadian and B. N. A. postage stamps ever published. It is from the pen of A. C. Casselman and originally appeared in the Canadian Magazine. We will include an illustrated catalogue of Canada and B. N. A. postage stamps and can safely say that this combination of history and catalogue will make the most interesting and valuable article on these stamps ever presented to the philatelic public. Send in your subscription at once and secure this article complete.

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**The Philatelic World  
In a Week.**

A sheet of half cent Canadian Jubilees sold at face in Toronto last week.

A special meeting of the Dominion Philatelic Association Officers will be held on Thursday next Nov 24th in the Philatelic Club of Toronto rooms, 29 Forum Building, to consider a number of important matters.

The Philatelic Club of Toronto held its regular meeting in Room 29 Forum Building on Tuesday Nov. 15th. Ten members were present. The constitution which had been laid over for some time was again brought up for consideration and after a lively discussion and much changing it was finally adopted. Three new members were admitted and a new Executive Committee elected;—W. D. Waste, E. Davenport and F. A. Brereton. A meeting of the Executive was held at the home of Mr. W. D. Waste on Friday evening Nov. 18th, when several important recommendations were considered. Next meeting will be held on Tuesday Nov. 22nd.

We are able this week to present reliable information concerning a number of important changes in the Postal Service of Canada.

Penny postage to Great Britain and colonies will take effect on Christmas Day, and to commemorate this it has been decided to issue a special postage stamp of the denomination of two cents. The design has not been fully decided upon but several sketches are under consideration. It is understood that the stamp will be in use for a limited period only. The reduced rates will apply on letters passing between Canada and Great Britain and Ireland, British India, Newfoundland and the following African protectorates:—British East Africa—Uganda, Zanzibar, British Central Africa—the Niger Coast protectorate and the Niger Co's territory, the rate being two cents per half ounce, instead of five cents as heretofore. It is hoped that other portions of the Empire will have completed arrangements for adopting this reduced rate at the same time or shortly thereafter. Due notice will be given to postmasters and the public from time to time as to the countries or colonies to which the reduced rate will apply.