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Columbia—The 5c now comes red-brown on salmon [Antioquia]. Every stamp in the entire new set comes in two colors.

Cyprus—The 2 pi. of the new two color series has appeared.

Ecuador—The 50c has been surcharged "Diez Centavos." The last issue has been surcharged for official use. The Commemorative set has appeared.

French Colonies—[Zanzibar] The current 5 fr. is now surcharged 50 francs for use in Zanzibar [Madagascar and Dependencies]. The 1c, 2c, 4c, 20c and 30c have appeared.

Hawaii—A series of official stamps are expected to appear from this Republic soon.

India—[Gwalior]. The 2a 6p, 1r, 2r 3r, 5r of India are surcharged for use in this state; there has also been surcharged for official use. [Jhindh]. The 1r India has been surcharged for official use [Chamba]. The 1a 6p, 2, 3 and 5r India have been surcharged for use in the state.