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TORONTO, MARCH, 1888.

OWING to lack of space we have been obliged to omit our portrait this month. Our next month's issue will contain that of Mr. F. J. Grenny.

THIS month we had intended to combine the *Niagara Falls Philatelist* and issue a double number, but learning that there was a hitch in the above company we decided to have no connection with it, so we again appear in our old form.

IN the C.P.A. Roll of Members, published in our last issue, No. 57 should read Fred. Burnett instead of T. Burnett, and No. 107, C. A. Townsend, Akron, Ohio, instead of Arkon.

AN error in our last number made the Secretary's report read "I will personally

reduce this to *me*." The latter word should have been *nil*. Quite a difference.

"THE BLUFTON STAMP SOCIETY," by "Philo" is to hand with its 70 pages of interesting matter. Young collectors will find this book very instructive.

THE address of Geo. H. Cox has been changed from 9 Dresden Row, Halifax, to Shelbourne, N.S.

—MR. FRENCH informs us that sickness was the cause of the delay in publishing the *Canadian Philatelist*.

PERU intends to burn a certain proportion of her surplus paper currency monthly until the circulation is reduced to trade requirements.

THE people of Manitoba sent over 4,000,000 letters and postcards through the mails last year. There was an average of  $21\frac{1}{4}$  to each person.

A POSTAGE STAMP EXCHANGE and Mart is shortly to be opened in Vienna. The Austrian Postoffice sells annually 8,000 florins' worth of stamps out of use to collectors. No less than 60,000 florins' worth of Eastern postage stamps are exported every year from Vienna. Cards of admission to the Postage Stamp Exchange will on no conditions be delivered to collectors under 18 years of age.

### Its English You Know.

Mr J. A. Caron, formerly of St. Luce Station, Que., informs us that on Feb. 11th, 1887, he sent a post office order to the value of \$7.00 to L. D. & J. K. Ferguson, Stamp Dealers of London, England, for 50,00 Continentals. Having written them several times and received no reply he