## Local Items.

Jubilees bring a very slow price at present.

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The new issue has not appeared higher than the 10c value.

Auction sales seems to be the best way of disposing of stamps for the dealers here.

Collectors here are getting a stock of the present 1-2c stamps in expectation of a change.

Nearly all the D.P.A. members expect to attend the convention at Hamilton on July 1st, and 2nd.

Mr. W. K. Hall asserts in a letter to the Advocate that he did pay \$35.) for a "mint" copy of the 12d. Canada.

Mr. William Nicholson a stamp dealer and collector here, left the other week rather suddenly for the American side, to join the army.

The demand for 1-2c stamps here is greater than the supply. The result is that for week or more each mouth those stamps cannot be obtained.

Vote for the Stamp Reporter for D.P.A. official organ.

Notice the publishers ad. on front cover it is of interest to advertisers.

## Death of Joe. F. Beard.

It is with great regret that we chroncile the death of Mr. Joe. F. Beard, one of America's best known philatelists, which occured on May 6th. The deceased was one of the first subscribers to this magazine and was known the continent over.

Our sincerest sympathy is with the bereaved widow and family,

## Convention Notes.

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Come for one day, if not for two.

Remember "Grant" for Librarian.

Vote for "Matches" for auction manager.

Vote for the Stamp Reporter, Canada's best.

Your vote is solicited for the Stamp Reporter.

The Y.M.C.A. hall has been secured for the meet.

Break up the ring rule that now exists in our association.

Mark your ballot for the warhorse, "Muirhead," as President.

The Hamilton Stamp Club extends a cordial invitation to all.

Remember the Stamp Reporter when marking your ballot for official organ.

All wishing billets kindly drop a card to R. S. Mason, 207 James St., S. Hamilton.