

checking and be more satisfactory in many ways.

I shall be glad to have orders for these rubber stamps without delay.

For the protection of members I would suggest that stamps be priced always in ink. Some members use pencil and this has proved itself to me to be a very dangerous practice.

Small report sheets will in future be enclosed in every circuit to be used by members in reporting and remitting for purchases.

Several circuits lately have taken a long time to get round, and although I have not enforced the fines, I shall be compelled to do so to cover expense of extra correspondence to members having stamps on circuit, as they naturally get impatient for the return of their stamps.

H. SMITH,
Sales Superintendent.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

I desire to acknowledge the receipt of the following donations for the Library:

From W. J. Wurtele.....	100
“ R. I. Ellis.....	4
Previously acknowledged....	133
Total	237

I am anxious to secure the first five numbers of the Montreal Philalelist in order that the Library may have a complete file of the official organ of the Society. Will members please look through their papers and see if they have any of these which they can spare, as I have a number of good duplicates in the library which I would be pleased to give in exchange for them

A. R. MAGILL.

REVIEW OF THE VARIOUS PUBLICATIONS ISSUED BY SOME OF OUR ADVERTISERS.

Wm. V. d. Wettern's latest price list has reached our office. It contains thousands of good stamps offered at very low prices. Mr. Wettern answers all letters by return mail, and for the convenience of customers accepts unused stamps (in good condition), in payment. The price list will be sent free to those applying for it.

“Hints on Card Collecting.” This attractive little pamphlet published by A. Lohmeyer, tells all about the introduction of postal cards in 1896, the difficulty this useful piece of card board met with, when

first introduced etc. For to encourage the collecting of cards, in America Mr. Lohmeyer appends a small list at cheap prices. Sent free on application.

A. C. ROUSSEL'S ALBUM FOR THE REVENUE STAMPS OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

We know that a great many readers of the M.P. collect these pretty and interesting stamps. To add to their beauty, this album was got up. It is artistically designed and sells for 75c., but Mr. Roussel gives it away free for 14c. postage on a purchase of 50c or over, look up his ads.

Stanton's Philatelic Index.— This handy work of reference, published by J. Stanton, 918 4th Ave., Detroit, Mich., should be in the hands of all collectors who take interest in the hobby. We congratulate Mr. Stanton on the success of his venture, in the way in which he has classified the different articles published in the Philatelic press.

The *New York Philatelist*, is doing good work, by exposing, every month, the evil transactions of the “stamp frauds.”

If you are looking for really good stamps (no rubbish) look up the ads of the following dealers :

International Stamp Co.

A. C. Roussel.

T. S. Clark.

F. B. Filsinger.

F. R. Ginn.

Stanley Gibbons, Ltd.

Scott Stamp & Coin Co., Ltd., or any other advertiser in this paper. Remember only reliable dealers are admitted to its columns.

Milwaukee, Wis., U.S.A.,

Oct. 22nd, 1900.

W. James Wurtele,
118 St. James St.,
Montreal, Canada.

Dear Sir :—

Please renew my subscription for the “Montreal Philatelist,” beginning Nov. 1st, 1900. Enclosed please find amount for subscription.

Hoping to receive as much pleasure from the M. P. this coming year as I did in the year past, I remain,

An interested reader,

GEO. C. SULLIVAN.