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Stamp Collector's Chronicle.

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No. 1.

IT had been our most earnest intention to issue a handsome 16-page journal, in the interests of Philately, under the above title, on or about the first of this month; and it is now with the most sincere regret that we announce to our friends and the Philatelic public generally, that, for obvious reasons, we are unable to do so at present. It had been our intention to illustrate it handsomely with cuts of new emissions, but we find it impossible to procure any fair specimens in the Dominion, unless at exorbitant prices, which we would not be justified in giving. However, as we have had a handsome heading cut for our new magazine, it is not at all improbable, that, should we find ourselves better able to do so a few months hence, we shall publish it. For the present we shall issue this sheet quarterly, or monthly, as occasion may require, and shall endeavor to give as complete and concise a list of new emissions as we possibly can, more especially for the information of our younger patrons. We have now been in the trade eight years, and by our strict integrity and prompt attention to our patrons, have won for the 'Foreign Stamp Depot' a name unsurpassed by that of any in the trade in America. The collection of the Foreign Stamp Depot now numbers 2,460 varieties, all genuine, and about two-thirds of them unused. To our friends who have kindly, voluntarily, and gratuitously contributed to the STAMP COLLECTOR'S CHRONICLE, we tender our most sincere thanks, and to our paid contributors we would say, that as they are in no wise responsible for our inability at present to issue the magazine, we shall retain their manuscripts for future use, and shall at once remit them for same.

STAMP COLLECTOR'S CHRONICLE.

The majority of the Stamps classed in the following list we have imported direct from the issuing countries, and think we can safely say that they cannot be bought at cheaper rates of any existing dealer, unless they be *bugus*.

CHEAP SETTS.

*Those marked thus * are unused sets.*

No. 1.	*Alsace and Lorraine, set of 6	\$0.30
" 2.	Austria, 1850, - - -	5 16
" 3.	Antigua, - - -	3 15
" 4.	*Angola, - - -	2 20
" 5.	Argentine Republic, " 3	30
" 6.	*Azore Islands, - - -	5 50
" 7.	Bahamas, - - -	3 15
" 8.	*Bremen, - - -	5 25
" 9.	*Bavaria Return Letter " 4	16
" 10.	Belgium, 1866, - - -	5 18
" 11.	*Bolivia, - - -	2 30
" 12.	Brazil, - - -	6 20
" 13.	Brunswick, - - -	6 10
" 14.	Bermuda, - - -	4 40
" 15.	Canada, - - -	10 12
" 16.	Ceylon. 1872, - - -	6 24
" 17.	Cape of Good Hope, " 5	10
" 18.	Cuba, - - -	5 20
" 19.	*Cashmere, - - -	3 1 00
" 20.	Confederate States, " 4	16
" 21.	*Drontheim, - - -	3 15
" 22.	Dutch Indies, - - -	5 18
" 23.	Egypt, - - -	10 25
" 24.	*Fiji Islands, - - -	3 25
" 25.	*French Republic, 1871," 5	12
" 26.	Finland, - - -	5 15
" 27.	*Gambia, - - -	2 50
" 28.	Greece, - - -	7 12
" 29.	*Hamburg, - - -	9 40
" 30.	Helsingfors, - - -	2 10
" 31.	*Heligoland, - - -	4 40
" 32.	Hong Kong, - - -	9 20
" 33.	*Japan, - - -	4 30
" 34.	*Liberia, - - -	3 75
" 35.	Luxemburg, - - -	5 10
" 36.	*Mexico, - - -	5 35
" 37.	Modena, - - -	4 20
" 38.	Natal, - - -	4 25
" 39.	Naples, - - -	6 24
" 40.	*Newfoundland, - - -	7 1 00
" 41.	*New Granada, - - -	2 10
" 42.	Norway, - - -	5 10
" 43.	*Oldenburg, - - -	5 20
" 44.	*Orange Free States, " 3	65
" 45.	Parma, - - -	3 25
" 46.	*Prussia, - - -	5 15
" 47.	Prince Ed. Id, <i>obsolete</i> " 7	75
" 48.	Queensland, - - -	5 15
" 49.	*Romagna, - - -	9 50
" 50.	Russia, - - -	6 15
" 51.	*Saxony, - - -	6 20
" 52.	" - - -	6 10
" 53.	South Africa, - - -	4 24
" 54.	*Sicily, - - -	7 45
" 55.	Turkey, - - -	10 30
" 56.	Tasmania, - - -	6 24
" 57.	*Tark's Island, - - -	3 65
" 58.	Trinidad, - - -	4 20
" 59.	*Virgin Islands, - - -	4 70
" 60.	Victoria, - - -	7 20

FOREIGN STAMP DEPOT

PACKETS OF FOREIGN STAMPS.

No. 1	contains 20 used stamps, no duplicates, - - -	\$0.15
No. 2	contains 25 obsolete foreign stamps, including old Ceylon, Saxon, &c.,	0.20
No. 3	contains 50 mixed Continentals, no duplicates, - - -	0.25
No. 4	contains the complete set of Hamburg Boten, 116, - - -	0.30
No. 5	contains 20 used and unused, including Mexico, St. Christopher, Chili, &c., &c., - - -	0.35
No. 6	contains 100 varieties used and unused Foreign stamps, - - -	0.40
No. 7	contains 20 varieties, including Japan, Fiji Islands, &c., - - -	0.50
No. 8	contains 25 varieties Foreign stamps, including Natal, Egypt, 1872, Servia, &c., - - -	0.50
No. 9	contains 35 varieties, including Finland, Levant, Livonia, &c., - - -	0.50
No. 10	contains 50 varieties, including Alsace, Hong Kong, Spain, &c., - - -	0.50
No. 11	contains 40 obsolete stamps, including Naples, Peru, Tasmania, Italy, Roumania, Cuba, &c., - - -	0.75
No. 12	contains 20 unused Foreign stamps, including Newfoundland, P. E. Island, 1872, Denmark, 1872, Gautemala, Ceylon, &c., - - -	0.75
No. 13	contains 100 used Foreign stamps, well mixed, - - -	0.75
No. 14	contains 50 Foreign stamps, including Sarawak, Kustendjie, &c., - - -	1.00
No. 15	contains 200 mixed stamps, including Tuscany, Malta, Cernawoda, Turkey, &c., - - -	1.00
No. 16	contains 25 rare obsolete stamps, including Shanghai, Bolivia, &c., - - -	1.00
No. 17	contains 80 rare unused stamps, including Oldenburg, Malta, Nova Scotia, St. Thomas, &c., - - -	1.50
No. 18	contains 25 very rare and obsolete, including Suez Canal Co., &c., - - -	1.50
No. 19	contains 100 used and unused, including Martinique, Guadaloupe, Pacific Steam Navigation Co., &c., - - -	2.00
No. 20	contains 250 used and unused Foreign stamps, no duplicates, including some of all in the preceding Packets, - - -	5.00

We have now ready a very fine stock of Mixed Continentals, at 1.50 per 1000. We have also an assortment at \$0.90 per 1000, *postage extrz.*

NEW ISSUES IN 1872.

The following list has been prepared expressly for those of our younger patrons who may not subscribe for any of the stamp periodicals. There are several other coun-

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tries which have issued single stamps or post cards, not chronicled below, but we have given the principal emissions.

BRAZIL.

Portrait in Oval.

300 reis, Green and Violet.

CASHMERE.

On glazed foreign paper.

4 annas, Green.
8 " Red.

CEYLON.

Head of Queen to left.

2 cents, *rect.*, Light Brown.
4 " " Grey.
8 " " Chrome-yellow.
16 " " Light Mauve.
24 " " Green.
36 " " Light Blue.
48 " " Carmine.
96 " " Ash-brown.

CHILI.

POST CARDS.

2 Centavos, Black.
5 " Red.

ENVELOPES.

2 centavos, Bronze.
5 " Vermillion.
10 " Blue.
20 " Green.

DECCAN.

$\frac{1}{2}$ anna, *rect.*, Red.
1 " " Faded Purple.
2 " " Light Green.
4 " " Dark Grey.
8 " " Deep Brown.
12 " " Azure Blue.

EGYPT.

*Pyramid in centre, Sphinx to left.
in oblong oval.*

5 paras, *oblong*, Light Brown.
10 " " Mauve.
20 " " Prussian Blue.
1 piastre, " Red.
2 " " Chrome-yellow.
 $2\frac{1}{2}$ " " Purple.
5 " " Emerald Green.

FIGI ISLANDS.

Crown above C. R. Fine thin paper.

1 penny, (2 cents) *rect.*, Bright Blue.
3 " (6 cents) " Green.
6 " (12 cents) " Rose.

FIGI "TIMES EXPRESS."

1 penny, Black on Rose-Tinted Paper.
3 pence, " " "
6 " " " "
9 " " " "
1 shilling, " " "

GERMAN EMPIRE.

Embossed Arms in circle in centre.

$\frac{1}{2}$ groschen, *rect.*, Mauve.
 $\frac{1}{3}$ " " Green.

$\frac{1}{2}$ groschen, *rect.*, Orange.
1 " " Rose.
2 " " Blue.
5 " " Bistre.
10 " *oblong*, Slate.
30 " " Blue.
1 kreuzer, *rect.*, Green.
2 " " Orange.
3 " " Rose.
7 " " Blue.
18 " " Bistre.

ENVELOPE STAMPS.

1 groschen, Rose.
3 kreuzer, "

NEWSPAPER BANDS.

$\frac{1}{2}$ groschen, Green.
1 kreuzer, "

HOLLAND.

Head to left.

5 cents, *rect.*, Blue.
10 " " Carmine.
15 " " Bistre.
20 " " Green.
25 " " Mauve.
50 " " Chamois.

JAPAN, 1871.

Oriental Designs.

$\frac{1}{2}$ tempoe, *square*, Brown.
1 " " Blue.
2 tempoes, " Vermillion.
3 " " Green.

MEXICO.

Juarez in profile, to left.

6 centavos, *rect.*, Yellow-green.
12 " " Blue.
25 " " Pale Red.
50 " " Yellow.
100 " " Lilac.

MADERIA.

50 reis, *rect.*, Orange-green.
80 " " Orange.
120 " " Blue.

NICARAGUA.

1 centavo, *oblong*, Brown.

NEW ZEALAND.

Same design as former issue.

1 penny, Pale Brown.
2 pence, Vermillion.
6 " Blue.

NORWAY.

3 skilling, *rect.*, Rose.
4 " " Violet.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Head Queen to left, in various designs.

1 cent, *rect.*, Orange.
2 cents " Blue.
3 " " Rose.
4 " " Green.
6 " " Purple.
12 " " Black.

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RUSSIA.—LOCAL STAMPS.

Tamboff, 3 kopee,	Black on White.
do. 5 "	Lilac on White.
Ivni, 3 "	Crimson.
Soumma, 5 "	Red on white
Kolonna, 5 "	Vermillion.
Borovitchi, 5 kopee,	Black and Crimson on White.
Rjeff, 3 kopee,	Black and Red.
Bogorodsk, 3 kopee,	Black.
Charkoff, 5 "	Red.
Berdiansk, 10 "	Green and Black upon Blue Ground.
Cherson, 10 "	Red and Black.
Valdai, 2 "	Black on Lilac.
Belozersk, 3 "	Black on White.

POST CARDS.

3 kop,	Red-brown on Grey.
5 "	Sea Green.

SWEDEN.

3 ore, <i>rect.</i> ,	Brown.
5 " "	Green.
6 " "	Lilac.
12 " "	Ultramarine.
20 " "	Red.
24 " "	Chrome-yellow.
30 " "	Dark Brown.
50 " "	Rose.
1 rik-daler,	Blue and Buff.

SIERRA LEONE.

1 penny, <i>rect.</i> ,	Crimson-Red.
3 pence, "	Yellow.
4 " "	Blue.
1 shilling, "	Light Green.

UNITED STATES.

7 cents, <i>rect.</i> ,	Rich Vermillion.
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ENVELOPES.

7 cents,	Vermillion on Lemon.
7 " "	" " White.

We would call especial attention to our New Catalogue, just out. It has been compiled and priced especially for us, and is handsomely illustrated with over 100 engravings. Sent to any address, postage paid, for 15 cents.

A CHOICE assortment of Mixed Continentals just received, about 200 varieties, selling at \$2.00 per 1000.

COMPLETE Sets of Obsolete Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island at low rates.

NOTICE! Collector's desiring an Agency will do well to send for our terms, we allow twenty-five per cent. *cash* on our sheets.

ALBUMS. We have a large and choice stock of Stamp Albums on hand, at all prices, ranging from \$0.50 to about \$12.00.

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The P. E. Island Stamps.

We notice that considerable *favora* has been made by the different Philatelic publications in reference to the existence of a 10 cent Prince Edward Island, and a 1d surcharged 2 cents. For the information of those still in doubt, we beg to announce that we have postal authority for stating that no 10-cent stamps have been issued, or are in contemplation, and that the surcharged 2 cents that are afloat are *bogus*, and never emanated from the Department, as the supply of 1d. were nearly exhausted when the new stamps arrived, and we have concluded arrangements to purchase the remainder.

We have a few of the old New Brunswick and Nova Scotia 1 shilling stamps on hand, which we offer at \$3.00 each. Also, a few genuine Banerott "Locals," 5 cents Blue, which we think should have a space in every Philatelic Album: the opinions of the English Philatelic Press to the contrary notwithstanding.

On hand,—a few genuine New Brunswick Connell 5 cent stamps, at \$2.00 each,—*Cash*.

To Foreign Correspondents and Agents.

Ar. B. P.—Constantinople.—Please drop us a line at your earliest convenience. Since writing you some seven months ago, we have received no communication from you.

T. W.—Victoria, Australia.—Wrote you, enclosing order, about three mouths since, have had no answer as yet.

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