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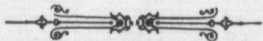
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Literary Review.

[All philatelic publications received are reviewed under this heading in a fair and impartial manner. Exchanges are requested to send two copies.]

The *Chicago Stamp News* contains some Chicago notes, society matter, and matters relative to the publishers' business.

The *Detroit Philatelist* contains the usual supply of choice matter and brevities. Published by A. H. Crittenden, Detroit, Mich.

The *Ottawa Philatelist* is announced to appear from the Canadian capital on or about June 20th, by Messrs. Chevrier and McDougall.

The *Philatelic Sun* is before us; it hails from Brushton, N. Y., and is the official organ of a small society called the "Stamp Collectors' Union."

The *Numismatist* is the best coin journal that we have seen. No coin collector should be without it, as it is ably edited by Dr. Geo. F. Heath, Monroe, Mich.

The *Postal Card* is before us, and is an excellent representative of the card collectors of America. Messrs. Geo. Watson and A. Lohmeyer are at the helm.

The *Electric Philatelist* has again hustled into our sanctum, this time, however, improved by the size of the paper, and the quality and quantity of the reading matter.

The *Country Youth* is not a Philatelic periodical, but contains a fair supply of notes of interest on that subject, as well as on other interesting matter for boys and girls.

The June No. of the *Philatelic Monthly and World* is received, and is mostly filled up with its chronicle, short notes and items, editorials and publishers' matter.

The *Washington Philatelist* has with No. 3 increased to 12 pages and cover, and has become the official organ of the United Philatelic Association.

From across the big pond comes the *Philatelic Chronicle and Advertiser*, one of the best and newest magazines we have yet seen, and all filled with well selected articles and interesting matter to the collector.

The *Eastern Philatelist* is "up to date," containing the usual supply of matter and editorials that Bro. Pinkham can so well arrange. This is one of the best coming from the East, and one that is always welcome here.

The *Philatelic Journal of Great Britain* is as good as ever, containing many spicy readable articles, and a well taken half-tone portrait of H. Stafford Smith.

The *Post Office* again contains a long article for amalgamation, expressing the views and ideas of some of our prominent collectors. Besides this there are other interesting matter and editorials, making up a good number.

The *Eagle Philatelist*, as usual, comes to hand with clock-work regularity, and shows a marked improvement by the joint efforts of Bros. Greene and Swanbeck. With the last number, J. R. Hooper's article on Canadian stamps began.

The *Philatelic Fraud Reporter* is filled with the usual long list of Philatelic beats and frauds, which makes it the most useful of all contemporaries. The number before us is also filled with editorials and other notes. Guy, W. Green, Strongsburg, Neb.

The *Dominion Philatelist* is before us, and contains C. P. A. reports and a chronicle. But say, Uncle K., are your subscribers again affected with illness? If so, better give them more philatelic matter and not chemical advertisements. It is a sure cure, and you should try it.

The *Pennsylvania Philatelist* inspires us with a few reminiscences of the hardships encountered in attempting the publication of a Philatelic journal. It mentions the grave fact that its last six numbers were published at a dead loss to the publishers. However, the number before us is excellent.

The *Missouri Philatelist*, with its tasty appearance and artistic typography, might be ranked with our best journals, if the publishers would only be kind enough and relieve the long-suffering readers by a discontinuance of that so-called Philatelic story adorning its otherwise very interesting pages.

The initial number of the *Toronto Journal of Philately*, hailing from the Canadian Queen City, is before us, and, with the exception of the double review, is not far behind the standard. But as a change of ownership is to be made, as we are personally informed, better matter is predicted.

The *Southern Philatelist*, though published in the interests of the Southern Stamp and Publishing Co., is fast reaching to the front, and is the representative of our friends down South. Bro. Luhn's witty reviews, editorials and comments, and a few readable articles and correspondence, make up a very good number.

Last, but not least, we mention the *Philatelic Era*, in our opinion the best American journal for the price. Not a month passes without Bro. Jewett effecting more modern and useful improvement, and the success it meets with shows the appreciation of its readers. Published at Portland, Me.

RE AMALGAMATION.

BY J. BERNSTEIN, JR.

Brother Philatelists! We have not yet fully recovered from our previous discussion when we are again confronted by a serious and momentous subject, which needs not a little forethought and consideration on the part of each and every adherent to Philately. A short period ago, one of our Philatelic magazines, the *Post Office*, of New York, edited and published by Messrs. Alvah Davidson and Henry Gremmel, respectively—too well known to the public for further explications—came forth with a leading item, having for its object the amalgamation and consolidation of the numerous Philatelic organizations of North America into one large union or body, under the wings and patronage of America's leading and national organization, the American Philatelic Association. This bright idea, which reflects not a little credit upon its inventors, has, to my knowledge, found favor with the majority of our most prominent philatelists, and has been reechoed and resounded by the Philatelic press—the representatives of Philatelists—until at present there is no doubt of this agitation leading to vast results, which will certainly tend to the welfare and general advancement of Philately. Such is also my opinion, however on a different basis from that pursued by our amalgamationist friends of the present. Let us—my worthy readers and my humble self—examine and inspect the utility or inutility of such a serious move, as, undoubtedly it is a topic that commands every one's utmost attention, consideration and counsel. Let us carefully and watchfully study and revise all the arguments brought forward upon this occasion, and then each and all shall decide either *pro* or *con* as the advisability may counsel them. I see proper, according to my own views, to tender the initiality to our anti-amalgamationist disputants. They have, thus far, brought forward *two* questionable objections to this scheme, that are worthy of note. I shall attempt, to the best of my ability, to enlighten the numerous readers with the contents, in accordance to merits. They complain and object upon, *firstly*, THE BENEFITS THAT THE A. P. A. AFFORDS TO THE AVERAGE MEMBER; and, *secondly*, THE EXORBITANCE OF THE A. P. A.'S DUES AND FEES, AS AGAINST THE LOW ONES OF THE OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. I shall attempt to criticise them singly and jointly. I regard the former of these con-

tradictory sentiments as foolhardy and absurd. I am personally not a member of the A.P.A., but if hearing counts for anything, the allegation in the first indictment is untrue and exaggerating, but as I said, I am unacquainted with the affairs of the Association, and therefore will grant this argument to those who profess to know at regards this. What then? We come to the conclusion that the benefits afforded by the A. P. A. are questionable, whether it be verified or not. But what of that? There is no reason whatever to suppose, that because the A. P. A. is not seemingly now, that a large body under that name would be equally as unseemly. I am forced to think contrarily, for, to my mind, if allegations be founded upon reality, nothing will so tend to improve same, as a large roll of membership, and more means to carry on improvements to extremes. How can you meet this sound argument, my disputant *anonymous* or *pseudonymous* friends? Your initial objection was sense-lacking, so we shall proceed to your next, and trust for something sounder than previously. Yes, the second objection commands consideration. We must admit the impossibility of the young organizations with low payments to cooperate with the A. P. A. with its exorbitant fees. I fully believe that this is the only and serious drawback in this scheme. But as there is some balm as a cure, it is amendable. However, as I have an object in view, I will leave this at present, and turn to the benefits derivable from the effects of a successful and grand union. How commendable would it be to see the Consolidated Philatelic Society, the Western Philatelic Union, Sons of Philately, United Philatelic Association, Philatelic Society of America, New York State Philatelic Association, United States Philatelic Society, Ohio Philatelic Association, Iowa Philatelic Association, Nebraska Philatelic League, Southern Philatelic Society, New Jersey Philatelic Society, Rhode Island Philatelic Society, Oregon Philatelic Society, Columbian Philatelic Association, Michigan Philatelic Society, Canadian Philatelic Association, Philatelic Society of Canada, American Philatelic Association, and the other three score and ten, affiliate. We would be able to be reckoned by the thousands, and would command the due respect of the non-collecting world, as do our noted organizations all over the world. Who can doubt then the advisability of amalgamation? Absolutely no one. And now we advance to the question of under whose protection it is more ad-

visible to consolidate? I do not hesitate to say, that the strongest and most solid is the worthy one to fill that vacancy. Glance over my list, and you cannot fail to note that those commanding attention are the two largest and only incorporated bodies, the A. P. A. and the P. S. of C. Compare these and note the benefits afforded by each individually. The A. P. A., the much older of the two, offers, "advantageously, a perfect library, a beneficial exchange department, an invaluable sales department, a useful official organ, and indeed, every minute benefit of momentous importance. The P. S. of C., organized not long ago, now flourishes with equally as perfect a library, a masterly exchange department, a worthy organ, and benefits only equalled by its American friendly rival. And, while the *former* is the organization in the United States of America, the *latter* is adequately professed to be the one in British North America. Thus, and in numerous other ways, we may parallel them, but only *thus far*, for hence each takes a wide stretch into opposite directions. This is the exact state when we consider the one's exorbitant fees and dues to the other's low ones. What is the cause? You cannot but at once conclude, that either the A. P. A. *over-estimates its value*, or the P. S. of C. *under-estimates its worth*. I shall leave the decision to the readers, and will turn to the effect of monetary difference in the nature of the collectors of North America. Every sensible reader must admit that this matter must be one of vital importance to the average collectors, if we reflect upon the progress of the P. S. of C., and other societies with same lowness of fees, and the immense number of patronizers of same, as against the very small amount of patronage adorning those associations with high fees. This, to my mind, is a very convincing fact of the vitality of such an object to the average collectors. Hence, amalgamation of associations of both exorbitant and low payments is impossible, and not probable, at this systematic juncture, and amalgamationists must turn to some other means of accomplishment. Can any of my readers make any favorable proposition, or shall I try my hand at it? I will place four propositions before the Philatelic public, and every individual may exercise his mental ability and decide according as to advisability. The four are the only ones that present themselves to my mind, and if any of my more intelligent readers will be kind enough as to further any other and more appropriate prop-

osition, they would receive the thanks of every son of Philately. But now I shall hasten to impart my own propositions, which I trust will be acceptable:

1st. The A. P. A. and its sister organizations lower their membership dues and fees to the standard of the P. S. of C. and its sister societies' dues and fees.

2nd. The P. S. of C. and its sister societies raise their dues and fees to the exorbitant standard of the A. P. A.'s.

3rd. The A. P. A., etc., lower fees and dues to \$1 per annum, and the P. S. of C., etc., raise theirs to same altitude.

4th. The A. P. A. and P. S. of C., etc., amalgamate and affiliate under the leadership of a grand governing body composed of the most prominent of the members of the union. These will form the order, from which will branch two districts, under the leadership of the A. P. A. and P. S. of C. respectively, each having the same aim in view, and adhering to the regulations of the constitution, yet at liberty to attend same with additional ones individually. The A. P. A. may leave its dues as at present, and the P. S. of C. correspondingly. The result would be that the Philatelist wishing to pay exorbitant dues will join the A. P. A. branch, and the ones wishing to pay low dues will cleave to the P. S. of C. Each branch may adopt its own departments and organ, and may hold individual conventions annually, and a joint one biennially, or at other intervals. The respective branches would be responsible to the Grand Governing Officers, and on such other bases as the organizers may see fit to accomplish their object.

Here brethren, have I bared before you four routes of accomplishments of amalgamation, and will now examine and select the most advisable. But, although I have displayed four means of accomplishment, yet do I credit only one. Carefully pursuing the initial one, we discern the impossibility, or rather the improbability, of such a route by the A. P. A., etc. Passing to the second, the same obstruction meets us, but this time on the part of the P. S. of C., etc., which is equally improbable. The third means is more probable, yet we may be sure that general dissatisfaction would result on the part of both parties. Hence only remains the last, which, undoubtedly and with an excellent organizing corps, can and must be worked to perfection. This proposition is rather new and modern, yet I believe it to be the best course before us. What a grand

step towards Philatelic advancement and civilization this would afford. If this novel idea happens to find favor with our prominent amalgamationists, this should form the chief topic at the large conventional assemblies nighing, and should so be discussed as to give every member his proper share of counsel in exercising his liberty in casting his vote or voicing his sentiments. As an organizing, governing and arranging committee, we have such trust-worthy gentleman as Messrs. Tiffany, Hooper, Corwin, Mekeel, Scott, Wolsieffer, Ketcheson, Calman, Davidson, Walton, Bradt, Albrecht, Holton, Staebler, Selschoff, Aldrich, Van Derlip, Cameron and other worthy Philatelists. Here you have a number of our trust-worthy brethren, *good and true*, why not trust them, as they are certain of doing their utmost for all concerned. Are these not worthy of your support? Let these counsel for you, and follow their well-faring advice. Bear in mind, however, that this is a matter concerning every Philatelist, and should receive your closest attention. Philatelists, let this form your chief topic. Organization Officers, tender your opinions. Philatelic Press, voice the sentiments of your readers and age—let all express their views, and we shall not yet fail to witness the advancement that Philately will make before the end of 1892.

MONTREAL NOTES.

BY SANA.

Where is the Montreal Jubilee set?

Who's going to be the Manager of the proposed "Montreal Stamp Lottery?"

Mr. Richard Bernard, an old stamp collector, well-known by the firms of Scott and Co. and Durbin and Hanes, decided to leave us for the beautiful town of Sorel. A part of his collection was bought by a party of Frenchmen visiting North America two years ago. He was the only one on this Continent that owned a complete set of the rare Lette sheets of Sardinia, 1819, on original watermarked paper.

Mr. Ant. R. Vallee resigned his position at the Great North Western Tel. Co'y on account of sickness. He will devote most of his time to stamp collecting and dealing.

Our friend, Mr. Geo. H. Holland, is going to enjoy a three months' vacation out in the country.

Mr. De Beaujeu is the publisher of a book entitled "The Canadian Antiquarian and Numismatic Journal," now in its third year of existence. This book

is very interesting to coin and old relic collectors, but we find nothing about stamps. Many have refused to renew their subscription for this year. Mr. De Beaujeu will be in Ottawa sometime this month in order to get more advertisements and subscribers. He has a fine collection purchased from Dr. Leroux, which he left entirely aside for last six years.

We should recommend *Father Canadensis* to meet the long lost child and bring him on the right way.

NEW YORK ITEMS.

Some of the readers of this journal dropped the suggestion that a few items *re* New York dealers might prove acceptable to the readers of this journal.

At 90 Nassau Street, up on the 5th floor, in room 52, I found the newly established firm of Attrich & Witt. The above gentlemen are two genial Germans, and, although new dealers, are doing a very good business. Old German stamps are their specialty, of which they possess some nice stamps.

A few doors down Nassau is Mr. Enquist's new office, and although I called repeatedly, I could never see Mr. Enquist.

A little room on the second floor of No. 80 contains Mr. Gremmel and his stock in trade. Mr. Gremmel is among the leading New York dealers and finds trade brisk, inasmuch that he and his six assistants are kept moving. There was only one thing made "ye editor" smile. *The Post Office* is not a paying investment.

Mr. Ed. Krassa, successor to Krebs Bros., is situated opposite to Mr. Gremmel and carries on a large trade. Local only.

The great J. W. Scott, at 163 Fulton Street, does not seem to be doing much business, at least it appears so.

The Scott Stamp & Coin Co. have just entered their new quarters at 28 East 23rd Street. The new offices are the finest and largest in the city and consist of two flats. Messrs. Collins and Calman, the managers, report business brisk. The coin department of this firm occupies the basement and the stamps the first floor. The firm have some 40 clerks in their employ. Their branch store on Broadway has also been removed to better quarters.

Mr. A. R. Rogers of 75 Maiden Lane, is busy with his new U. S. catalogue, which Mr. Rogers informs us has been a great financial success. Mr. Rogers is a collector only, not a dealer, as some suppose.

Mr. Henry Clotz, one of New York's foremost collectors, also holds out on Maiden Lane, a few doors from Mr. Rogers'. Mr. Clotz's collection is one of the finest in existence and is well worth inspection. Mr. Clotz is always disposed to spend an hour or so to chat on philately, his knowledge of which is most proficient, he being a leading expert in the detection of forgeries.

ENGLISH NOTES.

BY C. J. COX.

Messrs. Thompson and Co., of Bishop, Auckland, have been successful in their tender for the remaining stock of the stamps of Antigua, Dominica, Montserrat, Nevis, St. Christopher and the Virgin Isles, the price offered being between £5,000 and £6,000. This firm of dealers purchased the stock of Fiji stamps some time ago.

The late prosecutions which have been causing such a stir in all Philatelic circles, has now assumed a different aspect, the society which took the steps for the extermination of the forgers is now asking for donations for the amount of the expenses, which are over £500.

A Newfoundland 6d. stamp, orange, 1857, realized £1, 1, 0. at an auction sale recently.

A new post card has been issued, value 1d., slightly smaller than the old issue, and is, no doubt, a nice change, as it has not got the head of Queen Victoria as usual, but a full length portrait of Her Majesty, similar to the type of the 3d. card. Color, red on buff.

The latest part that Philately takes is on the boards of the theatrical stage. A piece is now being performed over here in which an ardent collector takes the life of a lay figure belonging to a friend, an artist, for the sake of securing a rare blue Mauritius.

A box recently sent through the post was thought to have something inside alive, and upon being opened was found to contain four young alligators, alive; the parcel had come from Egypt.

A new set of Cost. Rica has been issued, which do great credit to the printers: Messrs. Waterlow and Sons, of London.

Correspondents' Column.

[This column is open to all, and we hope you will take the opportunity to express yourself on any Philatelic question. Those who want any information should send in their queries, which will be published in the following number.]

C. P. A., Winnipeg.—The *Quaker City Philatelist* of Philadelphia is the official organ of the society you refer to. For particulars regarding officers, write for simple copy, address as above.

E. H. J.—Should like to have matter by 12th of each month.

J. C. E., New York.—Your Nova Scotia sixpence is genuine. Your Saxony 3 pf. is a forgery.

A. B., San Francisco.—The A. P. A. convention is held at Niagara Falls the first week in August, immediately after the C. P. A. hold their convention.

E. O. R., Halifax.—(1), 2500; (2), No. 311849.

Clippings.

All Clippings from newspapers thought by the Editor to be of interest to Collectors will be published in this column. Subscribers are invited to send clippings, which always prove acceptable.

From "The Stamps of British North America."

BANCROFT'S MONTREAL CITY EXPRESS.

This stamp I found for the first time, the month of issue of this catalogue, and my information regarding it is limited. The stamp is finely engraved, and printed in blue on white paper. In design it consists of the head of, I suppose, Mr. Bancroft, a white space above and below this head. In the space above, the word "Bancroft's," below the head the words "City Express." In each upper and lower corners of the stamp was the figure "5"; across the top, in a straight line, the words "five cents." Down the left-hand side were the words "43 Gt. St. James St." On the right-hand side two small stars and the word "Montreal"; across the bottom the words "five cents."

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
660	(?)	5 cent	blue		

THE G.N.W. TELEGRAPH CO. FRANKS.

There has been but little known of these stamps, which, as far as beauty goes, are quite equal to those in use by the Telegraph Companies of the United States. They are all the same in design, the only difference in the varieties is that they are printed in a different color each year, and the date on the stamp is changed. In design they consist of "Great North-Western Telegraph Company," in a half circle; inside this, a little lower, the words "of Canada"; below this, in two straight lines, "Frank," "No"; and below this again a blank space, in which is printed the registered number. In a curved line across the bottom, "Complimentary"; above this a facsimile signature of H. P. Dwight, the Vice-President and General Manager; at the top in each corner the date; between the two dates the word "the." The groundwork of the stamp is composed of fine engraved lines.

No.	Date.	Color.	New.	Used.
661	1890	blue		.25
662	1891	carmine		.35
663	1892	olive green		

C. P. R. TELEGRAPH FRANKS.

The design of the C. P. R. Franks is a unique one. It consists of a map of North America in a circle, around which are the words "Canadian Pacific Railway" above, and "Telegraph" below; half of the date at each side of the map. Below the circle was the signature of the manager, and below this, in one straight line, the word "Complimentary"; at the top of the stamp the word "Frank," and below this the registered No. in red.

My list of these stamps, I am aware, is not complete, and should feel grateful to any readers of this catalogue who can furnish me with correct information of the whole set.

No.	Date.	Color.	New.	Used.
664	1887	black		
665	1888	black		
666	1889	black		
667	1890	black		

The Philatelic Society of Canada.

ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER, 1891.

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SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Members P. S. of C.:-

My report this month is necessarily a long one, owing to an increased interest in the Society. I feel assured that the attendance at our convention will be very large, as I have already answered very many inquiries as to date, fare, etc. I trust to see a very large number of our members there. I beg to submit the following new members.

NEW MEMBERS.	
No.	
277	John Purdy, 127 Leinster-St., St. John, N. B.
278	O. W. Briggs, Paw Paw, Ill.
279	C. T. Metcalf, Greenfield, Ill.
280	S. M. Graves, Summerside, P. E. I.
281	E. St. John Mallock, 5 Mackenzie-Ave., Ottawa.
282	K. Baulch, Box 145, St. Catharines.

APPLICATIONS.

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W. WEATHERTON, 13 Peter-St., Toronto, Ont.	Reference—Wilson Wilby and E. J. Philips.
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DR. C. M. GODSOE, 34 S. side King Sq., St. John, N. B.
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RESIGNATIONS.

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All of which is respectively submitted,
Yours in P. S. of C.,

L. M. STÆBLER, *Sec.-Treasurer.*

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

To the President and Members of the P. S. of C.:

Since my last report I have received from Thos. O. Pardoe, of Ingersoll, Ont., a donation of 90 pieces; and from the publisher of the *Western Philatelist* two copies of the June number.

After my predecessor had handed over the library, and before I took charge of it, a number of donations were received and not acknowledged. In my next report I will give an account of them as correctly as possible.

Yours in P. S. of C.,

ED. JAQUES, *Librarian.*

Be sure to attend the convention at Ottawa the second week in August; most of the officers have signified their intention of being there. We expect to have the largest convention of Philatelists ever held within the borders of Canada. Nominations are now in order. Send your "ticket" for our next issue.

Our Sister Societies.

[We desire the Secretaries of all Societies to send us *brief* reports of their meetings each month, and such will be published free, and we trust that Societies will not be slow in taking advantage of this privilege.]

The Sons of Philately are making great preparation for their convention, which is to be held shortly. This Society is quite an item of power among the younger collectors. R. M. Miller, of New Chester, Pa., is the Secretary, to whom all correspondence should be addressed.

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The Philatelic Society of South Australia, which holds its meeting in Adelaide, is one of the most powerful organizations on the Australian continent. The President is Rev. P. E. Raynor, M. D., one of Australia's well-known collectors.

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The Annual Dinner of the London Philatelic Society was held in the Café Monico, on May 27th. The attendance was very large, and the dinner was one of the most successful ever held by the Society.

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The Société Française de Timbrerie are now busily engaged in preparing for a monster Philatelic Exhibit, to be held in Paris shortly. They have our best thanks for the prospectus sent.

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All the talk about stopping the resignation in the A. P. A. seems to be of no avail, as they still continue.

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We have not heard much of the W. P. U. of late, owing to the fact that its official organ, the *Quaker City Philatelist*, has failed to visit us.

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The C. P. A. has become the *quietest* organization on the face of the earth. It is asleep, and all Canada can't wake it up—apparently.

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A number of large local societies in the United States are closing up for the summer months. This shows how far the interest of the members goes.

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The United Philatelic Association has been at a standstill of late. Their *latest* Official Organ is the *Washington Philatelist*. No convention will be held this year.

Auction Department.

[Matters relating to Auction Sales, and prices realized, will be published in this department each month.]

At Cheveley & Wilson's 28th sale, an original "Connel stamp" brought £20.

The stock of Mr. Millard F. Walton, the ex-Philadelphia dealer will be sold by the Bogert & Hanes Co., at New York, on June 22nd and 23rd, at 7.30 o'clock. It is thought that there will be a large attendance, and that the prices realized will be good.

The magnificent collection of coins, medals and paper money of Mr. H. E. Deats, of Flemington, N. J., was sold at auction in New York, on June 3th and 9th. Messrs. Geo. Leavitt & Co. were the auctioneers.

The \$5 State stamp of the United States is advancing very rapidly in price. It sold for \$37 at a recent New York sale.

Mr. Hadlow, the prominent English auctioneer, held his last sale of the season on Thursday and Friday, May 12th and 13th. A pair of "V.R." Great Britain sold for £16.16s.

It is not altogether improbable that a large auction sale will be held at the C. P. A. convention; at least we are led to suppose so by "Canadensis."

Mr. C. H. Holden reports his three first sales great successes. He will continue them throughout the summer months.

San Francisco has of late loomed up an auction centre. Some large sales have been held there recently, and the prices realized were quite as good as in New York sales.

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Fraternally, L. B. CORNWELL.

Mr. Morton Webb, of Petroia, Ont., paid for an ad. four months in advance, but at the end of two months he writes:—"Please discontinue my ad. It has brought me so many answers that I cannot begin to attend to them."

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EDITORIAL.

We are a little late this month, owing to a rush of spring trade. Never before has the stamp business been so brisk at this season of the year—at least so say the oldest dealers.

We have to thank one of our correspondents, Messrs. B. E. Watts, of Wellington, New Zealand, for a specimen of the new Queensland stamp not heretofore chronicled. It is of the old design, value 3 pence; color, rich brown.

In my recent trip to New York I had the pleasure of inspecting some very unique stamps in the line of a rarity, it being the property of the Scott Stamp and Coin Co. The stamps in question consisted of a beautiful unused, unsevered pair of Canada 12 pence black on wove paper. Another feature in connection, which was probably as unique as the stamps themselves, was the price, which was only \$1000.00! It is not improbable that there are proofs.

Our columns are always open to the readers of this journal for the discussion of any subject of interest to Philatelists in general.

A large number of P. S. of C. members have announced their intention of attending our first National Convention, which is to be held at Ottawa early in August next. We are going to have a big time, and hope that every member who can possibly spare the time will be there. Make it a point to take your holidays first and second weeks in August, then go to Ottawa and enjoy yourself. President Hooper informs us that the Ottawa members will do their full duty as hosts.

In our last issue we noted a paragraph in regard to the two-cent *brown* bill stamp of 1865, stating that it was said only 200 were issued. Some of our readers have written us giving the number of these stamps they have in stock, and already the aggregate is very high, showing that a very large quantity must have been issued.

We have been asked a good deal of late for an album for Canadian stamps only, with places for both postage and revenue stamps. We have decided, after some consideration, that we will undertake the work if we can obtain 100 subscribers for it at \$2.50 each. The work will be made in the style and size of *Scott's International Album*, and will contain spaces for every kind of Canadian stamp. Spaces will be arranged to correspond with our catalogue, "*The Stamps of British North America*." We will begin work as soon as the necessary 100 subscriptions have been secured. Send your name on at once. Money need not be sent till book is completed. A valuable and well got-up work is promised.

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We are informed that Mr. J. R. Hooper, President of the P. S. of C., has been seriously ill for some time back.

Our Handbook, No. 1, "*The Stamps of British North America*," is selling fast. You should secure a copy at once, if you have not already done so. We commence the addenda to the same in our next issue.

We regret to chronicle the death of one of our oldest correspondents and subscribers, Mr. H. H. Clements, of Milton, N.H., who has just died at his home, at the age of 21. Mr. Clements was an enthusiastic collector, upright and honorable in all his dealings.

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We have a number of very interesting articles on hand for publication, and we feel confident that the best thing you can do, if not already a subscriber, is to forward us your subscription at once.

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Many parties send ads. for our exchange department without cash, asking to have marked copy and bill sent to them. We would state that the terms of this department are strictly cash, and no adv. can be inserted unless accompanied by cash.

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The publisher of this journal made two large "Auds" lately; among them was a quantity of Mulready envelopes, Canada 6d. perforated, rare U.S., etc., etc.

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Mr. E. E. Raub, of Hyde Park, Mass., favors us with his new price-list.

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Mr. H. F. Ketcheson, of Belleville, Ontario, has our thanks for a copy of his new catalogue on Canada. The book is neatly gotten up, and is of a convenient size. Mr. Ketcheson catalogues about 650 varieties, some of which are not really distinct enough to occupy a place in a catalogue of that nature. He minutely deals with the distinctive (?) differences between thin, thick and *medium* wove paper, also soft, thick and spongy wove paper. This is going into matters too minutely for a general catalogue. The unperforated bill stamps of the 1865 issue are omitted. Mr. Ketcheson catalogues the 1869 set of bill stamps on ribbed paper. This set was never issued on ribbed paper. He omits the 1869 set on pelure paper; the \$10, \$20, and \$30 Quebec Laws, C. P. R. and G. N. W. Telegraph stamps. The various local stamps of Canada are all omitted. Notwithstanding this, Mr. Ketcheson's work is one of value to the Canadian specialist. Published by Mr. H. F. Ketcheson, Belleville, Ont.

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All subscriptions to this paper must commence with current number; back numbers are very scarce, and can only be supplied at the following prices: Nos 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8, are 10c. each; No. 7 is 20c. These numbers are only supplied to our subscribers.

Amalgamation being the favorite topic over the border, we have been successful in obtaining for our U.S. readers a well-written article on this subject, which we trust will be appreciated.

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In the June *Metropolitan Philatelist*, Mr. Wm. C. Stone inquires if the Great North-Western Telegraph Stamps exist with the dates 1891 and 1892, as well as 1890? Yes, Bro. Stone, both varieties exist—the 1892 issue being *olive* green in color, and the 1891 carmine.

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The Alamo City Philatelic Society, now in its second year, has, by its select membership, progressiveness and general excellency, acquired an influence in philatelic matters probably unequalled by any other local society in the United States. Its sales department is in fine working order, and its library contains several thousand books, pamphlets, etc. All members receive the official journal, *The American Journal of Philately*, free of charge. The dues for active members are \$3.00 per annum, together with an initiation fee of \$1.00, and for corresponding members \$1.00 per annum (no initiation fee). All applicants must be over 18 years of age. For application blanks and descriptive pamphlets address the Secretary, Charles H. Huberich, P.O. Box 640, San Antonio, Texas.

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It must not be considered that the editor is in favor of amalgamation of the P. S. of C. with because that thought is expressed in an article in this issue. His views are decidedly opposed to this. The P.S. of C. has nothing to gain and everything to lose through such a step. It's no more reasonable to consider than would be the amalgamation of the two countries, U. S. and Canada.

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Mr. W. S. Smart, of Brantford, informs us that the publication of the first number of the *Ontario Philatelist* has been postponed until the fall.

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