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| Barbados, 2p slate & orange | \$0 06 |
| British Guiana, 2c on 5c | 6 |
| — 2c on 10c | 6 |
| — 2c on 15c | 6 |
| — envelopes, 2c on 5c, white p. | 6 |
| — — 2c on 5c, blue p., black s. | 8 |
| — — 2c on 5c, blue p., red sur. | 8 |
| Br. So. Africa, 1p carmine | 4 |
| Canada, 2c map, lavender sea | 5 |
| — 2c map, green sea | 8 |
| — 2c map, blue sea | 4 |
| — 2c map, set of 3 shades, used | 5 |
| — 5c with two numerals | 6 |
| — 2c on 3c numerals | 4 |
| — 2c red | 3 |
| — envelopes, 2c on 3c of 1877 | 25 |
| — — 2c on 3c of 1898. | 10 |
| — — 2c red. | 3 |
| — wrappers, 1c green on straw | 2 |
| — postal cards, 1c green on buff | 2 |
| — — 1c + 1c black on buff | 3 |
| — letter cards, 2c on 3c of 1893 | 10 |
| — — 2c on 3c of 1898. | 6 |
| Ceylon, 6c on 15c olive green | 8 |
| — 6c rose and black | 5 |
| Gibraltar, 2p purp. brown & blue | 6 |
| — 4p orange brown and green | 12 |
| — 6p mauve and red | 18 |

NEW AND RECENT ISSUES.

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| Angra, 15 reis, green . . . | \$o 03 |
| — 25 reis, carmine . . . | 5 |
| Brazil, 20 on 10 reis of 1891 | 2 |
| — 50 on 20 reis of 1892 . . . | 5 |
| — 100 on 50 reis of 1890 . . . | 8 |
| — 200 on 100 reis of 1889 . . . | 12 |
| — 200 on 100 reis of 1890 . . . | 12 |
| — 300 on 200 reis . . . | 15 |
| — unpaid, 100 reis, red . . . | 6 |
| — — 200 reis, mauve . . . | 12 |
| Br. So. Africa, 6 pence, lilac | 20 |
| — 1 shilling, bistre . . . | 40 |
| Cochin, 3 pies, blue . . . | 2 |
| — ½ puttan, green . . . | 3 |
| — 1 puttan, rose . . . | 5 |
| — 2 puttans, purple . . . | 8 |
| Colombia, 1c red on yellow . . . | 2 |
| Ceylon, 75 cents, black & red | 40 |
| Crete, 10 paras, blue . . . | 5 |
| — 10 paras, brown . . . | 3 |
| — 20 paras, green . . . | 12 |
| — 20 paras, carmine . . . | 6 |
| Cuba (on U. S.), 1 cent, green | 2 |
| — 2 cents, carmine . . . | 4 |
| — 2½ cents, carmine . . . | 12 |
| — 3 cents, purple . . . | 6 |
| — 5 cents, blue . . . | 9 |
| — 10 cents, brown . . . | 18 |
| — special delivery, 10c blue . . . | 20 |
| Dhar, ½ anna, carmine . . . | 3 |
| — 1 anna, red lilac . . . | 5 |
| Duttia, ½a black on blue green | 3 |
| — 1 anna, black on white . . . | 5 |
| — 2 annas, black on yellow . . . | 8 |
| — 4 annas, black on carmine | 15 |
| France, 5 centimes, yell. green | 2 |
| Funchal, 15 reis, green . . . | 3 |
| — 25 reis, carmine . . . | 5 |
| Gibraltar, 1s bistre & carmine | 35 |
| Gr't Barrier Isl'd, 1s blue, used | 15 |
| — 2nd issue, 1s blue green . . . | 40 |
| Hawaii, 2 cents, rose . . . | 4 |
| Hayti, head, 1 cent, blue . . . | 2 |
| — 2 cents, yellow . . . | 3 |
| — 3 cents, green . . . | 5 |
| — 4 cents, red . . . | 6 |
| — 5 cents, carmine . . . | 8 |
| — 7 cents, gray . . . | 10 |
| — 8 cents, rose . . . | 12 |
| — unpaid, 2 cents, blue . . . | 3 |

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| Horta, 15 reis, green . . . | \$o 03 |
| — 25 reis, carmine . . . | 5 |
| India, 3 pies, carmine . . . | 2 |
| Las Bela, ½a bl'k on blue, used | 12 |
| Malta, 4½ pence, sepia . . . | 14 |
| — 5 pence, red . . . | 15 |
| Mauritius, 6 cents on 18 cents | 5 |
| — 15 cents on 36 cents . . . | 12 |
| Morocco Agencies, Lond. pr., 5c | 2 |
| — 10 centimos, carmine . . . | 4 |
| — 20 centimos, olive green . . . | 6 |
| — 25 centimos, ultramarine . . . | 8 |
| — 40 centimos, orange brown | 12 |
| — 50 centimos, lilac . . . | 15 |
| — 1 peseta, bistre and blue . . . | 30 |
| Nepal, ½ anna, black, imperf. | 8 |
| — 1 anna, blue, perforated . . . | 6 |
| Newfoundland, 5 cents, blue. | 7 |
| New South Wales, ½p green | 2 |
| — 2½ pence, dark blue . . . | 8 |
| Paraguay, 10c on 15c . . . | 5 |
| — 10 centavos on 40 centavos | 6 |
| Peru, Scott 170, inverted surch. | 15 |
| — 2 centavos, scarlet . . . | 4 |
| Philippines, local issue, 2c pink | 3 |
| Ponta Delgada, 15 reis, green | 3 |
| — 25 reis, carmine . . . | 5 |
| Porto Rico (on U. S.), 1 cent | 2 |
| — 2 cents, carmine . . . | 4 |
| — 5 cents, blue . . . | 9 |
| — 10 cents, brown . . . | 18 |

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| Travancore, ½ chuckram | o 4 | 2 0 | |
| " " 1 chuckram | o 3 | 1 6 | |
| " " 2 chuckrams | o 8 | 4 0 | |
| Alwur, ¼ anna | o 6 | 3 0 | |
| Cochin, 1891, ½p yellow | 1 0 | 6 0 | |
| " " Aug., 1898, ¼a blue | o 6 | 3 6 | |
| " " " " ½p gr'n | o 8 | 4 6 | |
| Deccan, ½ anna | o 3 | 1 4 | |
| Gwalior, Jhind or Patiala, | | | |
| ½ anna, Service | o 4 | 2 3 | |
| 1 anna, Service | o 6 | 3 4 | |
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| Portugal, 15 reis, green . . . | \$o 03 |
| — 25 reis, carmine . . . | 5 |
| Queensland, 6p green, used . . . | 4 |
| St. Lucia, 2p ultram. & orange . . . | 8 |
| St. Vincent, 3p on 1p light lilac . . . | 9 |
| — ½ penny, lilac & green . . . | 2 |
| — 1 penny, lilac and carmine . . . | 4 |
| — 2½ pence, lilac and ultram. . . | 8 |
| — 3 pence, lilac and olive . . . | 10 |
| — 4 pence, lilac and orange . . . | 12 |
| — 5 pence, lilac and black . . . | 15 |
| — 6 pence, lilac and brown . . . | 18 |
| — 1 shilling, green & carmine . . . | 35 |
| Samoa, 2½p on 1p green . . . | 10 |
| — 2½ pence on 1s, black sur. . . | 12 |
| — 2½ pence on 1s, red sur. . . | 12 |
| San Marino, 2c brown . . . | 1 |
| — 5 centesimi, orange . . . | 2 |
| — 10 centesimi, rose . . . | 4 |
| — 25 centesimi, blue . . . | 10 |
| Siam, 1 on 12 atts . . . | 2 |
| Sirmoor, head, 3a pale green . . . | 15 |
| — 4 annas, yellow green . . . | 20 |
| — 8 annas, deep blue . . . | 40 |
| — 1 rupee, vermilion . . . | 75 |
| — elephant, 3a yellow green . . . | 15 |
| — 4 annas, dark green . . . | 20 |
| — 8 annas, deep blue . . . | 40 |
| — 1 rupee, vermilion . . . | 75 |
| Straits Settlements, 4c on 8c . . . | 6 |
| — 4 cents on 5 cents, rose . . . | 4 |
| Switzerland, 5 centimes, green . . . | 2 |
| Tunis, 5 centimes, yellow green . . . | 2 |
| — 20 centimes, red on green . . . | 8 |
| Uganda, 1 anna, carmine . . . | 5 |
| — 2 annas, lilac brown . . . | 10 |
| — 3 annas, gray . . . | 15 |
| — 4 annas, green . . . | 20 |
| — 8 annas, olive . . . | 35 |
| Uruguay, ½c on 1c Suarez . . . | 5 |
| — ½c on 2c blue . . . | 5 |
| — ½c on 7c green . . . | 15 |
| — 5 milesimos, rose . . . | 3 |
| Virgin Islands, ½ penny, green . . . | 2 |
| — 1 penny, red . . . | 4 |
| — 2½ pence, ultramarine . . . | 4 |
| — 4 pence, purple brown . . . | 12 |
| — 6 pence, violet . . . | 18 |
| — 7 pence, deep green . . . | 20 |
| — 1 shilling, orange . . . | 35 |

BARGAINS IN SINGLE STAMPS.

This list has been carefully revised, and supersedes all former lists. The commonest 1c. and 2c. used stamps are not quoted here, as the cheapest way to procure such is in packets or sets. I can supply most of them, however, on receipt of want list, at lower rates than other dealers.

This list was begun in No. 21 of the MESSENGER, and will be completed in four or five issues.

The numbers refer to Scott's 58th Catalogue and Supplement.

(*) Unused; (†) penmarked. Envelopes and bands are entire unless otherwise described.

Great Britain and Colonies.

Poonch *13 4c, *24a 4c, *37 8c, *44 12c, *101 3c, *102 6c, *103 10c, *104 18c.

Prince Edward Island 1 \$1.50, 1 on envelope \$2.00, 6 35c, 6 on envelope 50c, 6 two on one envelope \$1.10, 7 50c, *11 12c, *12 15c, *13 15c, *16 15c, *17 15c, 18 \$1.50, 18 on envelope \$2.00, *19 18c, *20 15c, 20 \$3.00, *21 15c.

Queensland 58 12c, 83 4c, 103 5c, *124 3c, 124 2c, 126a 3c, 128a 3c, 131 5c, 131b 20c, 132 3c, 133 3c, 134 3c, 138 4c, *140 8c, 141 12c, 154 3c, 351 6c, 352 12c, 353 25c.

Rajpipla *1 5c.

St. Christopher *8 6c, *9 6c, *25 10c.

St. Helena *10 20c, *38 8c, *39 3c, *40 5c, *41 10c, *42 15c, *43 18c, *44 6c, *45 12c, *46 45c, *47 2c, *48 4c, *49 7c, *50 9c, *51 18c, *52 33c.

St. Lucia *48 18c, *50 2c, 50 2c, *51 3c, 51 2c, *52 8c, 52 3c, *53 9c, *54 12c, *55 35c, *201 8c, *251 3c, *252 5c.

St. Vincent *42 3c, 42 3c, *44 5c, 44 3c, *56 12c, *58 18c, *63 12c, *64 8c, *65 15c, *66 9c, *101 8c, *151 3c, *152 5c.

Sarawak *2 8c, *3 20c, *4 8c, *5 12c, *6 15c, *7 25c, *9 8c, *10 6c,

BARGAINS IN SINGLE STAMPS.**Great Britain and Colonies.**

*11 12c, *12 8c, *14 18c, *15 15c,
*16 18c, *17 30c, *21 3c, *24 2c,
*25 3c, *26 6c, *27 8c, *28 12c.

Selangor *24 2c *25 3c, *26 8c,
*27 5c, *28 6c, *31 4c, *32 6c, *33
10c, *34 12c, *35 25c, *36 50c.

Seychelles *1 2c, *2 3c, *3 9c, *4
10c, *5 12c, *6 15c, *9 4c, *10 12c,
*11 13c, *14 3c, *15 10c, *16 12c,
*18 15c, *20 14c, *21 27c, *22 60c.

Sierra Leone *28 6c, 28 3c, *31
3c, 31 3c, *32 10c, *33 \$1.00, *34
25c, *36 18c, *37 25c, *38 70c, *42
2c, *43 4c, *44 6c, *45 8c, *46 10c,
*47 12c, *48 15c, *49 18c, *50 20c,
*51 40c.

Sirmoor *4 2c, *5 3c, *6 5c, *7
8c, *9 3c, *10 3c, *11 2c, *12 3c,
*13 5c, *14 8c, *51 5c, *52 8c, *53
12c, *54 20c.

Soruth *18 3c, *19 12c, *24 3c,
*25 8c, *26 3c, *28 8c.

Straits Settlements *42 12c, 43
3c, 44 4c, 46 3c, 47 2c, *67 15c, *68
10c, 68 5c, *70 3c, *71 8c, *73 3c,
73 5c, *75 3c, 75 4c, *77 2c, 78 8c,
79 10c, *80 5c, 80 3c, *81 6c, *82
10c, 82 2c, *83 15c, *84.

Sungei Ujong *24 15c, *32 8c,
*33 6c, *34 4c, *35 10c, *38 5c.

Tasmania †12 6c, †43 5c, *49 30c,
*72 45c, *80 25c, *85 35c, *87 4c,
*89 8c, *91 30c, *93 25c, *94 8c,
*95 5c, *107 2c, *108 10c, *109 18c,
*110 20c, *111 40c, *116 15c, *117
30c.

Tobago *16 12c, *19 4c, *21 6c,
*22 25c, *23 35c, *24 60c.

Tonga *5 10c, *7 15c, *16 8c, *17
12c, *28 12c, *32 8c, *38 12c, *41
10c, *45 3c, *46 5c, *47 8c, *48 10c,
*49 12c, *50 15c, *51 18c, *52 20c,
*53 25c, *54 33c.

Transvaal (So. Afr. Republic) *85
10c, *86 18c.

Travancore *1 5c, *7 2c, *8 3c,
*9 6c, 9 4c, *10 6c, 10 4c, *11 12c,
11 8c.

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