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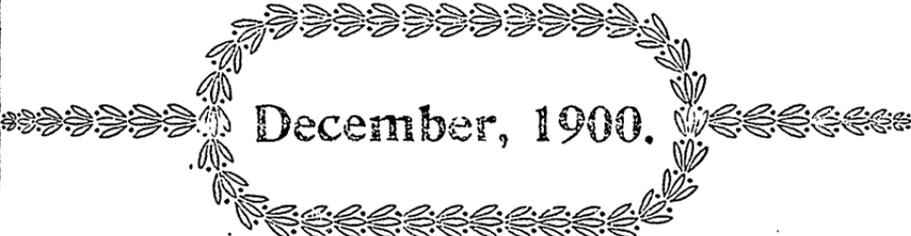
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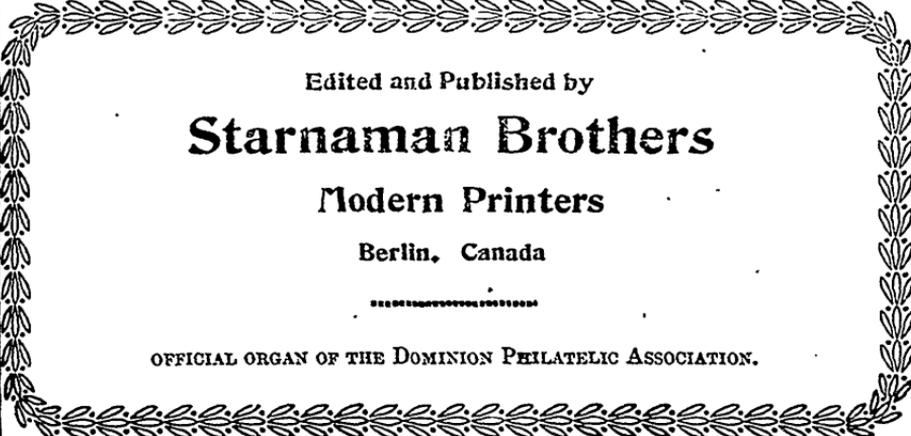
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**THE
PHILATELIC
ADVOCATE** . .



December, 1900.



Edited and Published by
Starnaman Brothers
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Berlin, Canada

OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE DOMINION PHILATELIC ASSOCIATION.

Bargain Page

Notices on this page 1c a word, 3 insertions of same ad for price of two. No ad. taken for less than 10c, Four figures count as one word. No charge for address.

212 GOOD FOREIGN (few U. S.) stamps cat 1 to 10c. Send at once. John Pelz, Arlington, Minn. 52

STAMPS. 300 varieties 50c. C. Wrigley, 167 Richmond St. W, Toronto, Ont. 52
50 VAR. U. S. 15c. 1000 mixed 44c. 121 var. 10c. Agents 50%. Chas. F. Harris, 7 Chadwick St., Worcester, Mass. 52

PHOTOGRAPHS of the Rocky Mountains and California 10c, 3 for 25c. They will please you. J. M. Chandler, Nordhoff, Ventura Co., California. 52

INDIAN Native States' stamps 12 var. 16c; 25 for 50c; 50 for \$1.28; 75 for \$2.25; 100 for \$3.52; 150 \$9.60. Price list free. Exchange desired with all countries, in sets on sheets for Indian Native States stamps. Basis Scott or Gibbons. C. S. Iyer, Attungal, Travancore, India. 52s.

Dec. 15, 1900

That is the date all copy must be in for our Holiday Number. If you do not send payment with your ad it will not be inserted.

Beautiful Photographs

of Southern California (Orange ranch, Santa Baraba Mission, Ojai Valley, Conons Mountains, Valleys, etc.)

Only 10c Each, 3 for 25c
postpaid.

J. M. CHANDLER, Nordhoff, California.

Wanted * * * * *

I would be pleased to receive on approval, stamps not in my collection of

* * * * * South Africa
especially Transvaal and Orange Free State at a discount from Scott's 59th.

R. F. WRIGLEY,
293 King St., Toronto, Ont.

Amateur photographers, I have 4x5 Southern views, and 3 1/2 x 3 1/2 New York views, on Velox, for sale and exchange. Send 6 to 20 permanent prints, and receive same number from me. Will sell 10c each 3 for 25c, postage extra (silver). Address Henry Hirsch, Ama, La. 52

ADS. in this column cost 1c a word, three insertions of same ad (once each month) for price of two.

A FINE line of stamps in splendid condition, will be sent on approval at 50% against good reference. Geo. J. Geary, 33 Clayton Ave., Medford, Mass. 52

TRY James Bros., Waterford, Ont., for stamp albums in exchange for Can. stamps used and unused. 59

FIVE unused stamps free to everyone sending good reference for selection of stamps on approval at 50 per cent. Thos. R. Johnston, Saltsburg, Pa. 53

"WHAT the High Grass Hid." "Adventures of a Corset Model." Postpaid 10c. each. Two warm stories. Address Johnson Co., 150 H. P. Sta., Des Moines, Iowa. 53

STAMP PAPERS.

10 different for 12c. 25 different for 20c
50 different for 35c.

Approval sheets, containing 25 stamps cat at from 50 to 75c per sheet 10c, or 3 for 25c. Price List free.

E. G. Koch & Co.,

Box 497, PEORIA, ILL.

2000 STAMP PAPERS

To Exchange for stamps. Many good ones and complete volumes. In 500 lots for \$5.00 catalogue value in stamps, no stamp to catalog under 4c.

HIRAM E. TUTTLE,
1017 Free St., Osage, Iowa.

Why Not send for our stamps on approval at 50% when you can receive a selection by sending us a good reference.

Send for Price List.

The Globe Stamp Co.,
2002 Prairie Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

The Philatelic Advocate.

A MONTHLY FOR STAMP COLLECTORS.

VOL. 9. NO. 6.

BERLIN, ONT., DECEMBER, 1900.

WHOLE NO. 52

Reprints.

BY J. W. HAMMOND.

In a former issue of the *ADVOCATE*, the old subject of Reprints and All Stamps are Guaranteed Genuine is again brought up. It would seem that this subject had been thoroughly discussed in the past, but as it again appears, I should like to say a word concerning reprints.

I do not think any one will deny but that reprints are almost a necessity, for in most collections, to quote the very original words of the editor of one of our new magazines, they "fill a long felt want."

The only trouble, is with the collector who in his ignorance buys reprints thinking they are originals; in that case he is very liable to put them in a class all by themselves as Satan's own invention.

Now is it necessary for any collector to make this mistake? Let us see what safeguards we have. In the first place his catalogue will in most cases explain the difference between the original and the reprint, so that by a careful examination the reprint is quite easily detected.

Secondly: Reprints of valuable stamps are stamped on the back with the word, "Reprints." There may be some sold not so stamped but not many.

Thirdly: The price of a reprint will always be much below the value of the original if offered by a responsible dealer.

Perhaps the best point is of all to require

a written guarantee from the seller. All dealers are willing and offer to give such a guarantee. In view of the above facts, I do not think it is the reprint that causes trouble but the fact that young collectors do not know the difference between reprints, reissues and remainders.

If the boys would learn that remainders and reissues are not reprints, although in the case of the former, sold far below face value, much trouble would be avoided.

Now as to the statement on all approval sheets "All stamps are Guaranteed Genuine."

It must be understood, and it is by most, that reprints and reissues are genuine stamps, that is made from the original dies or plates. Therefore, why should they not be placed on sheets so guaranteed?

If on the other hand the guarantee read "All stamps are Guaranteed Genuine Originals, then of course these stamps would be barred.

United States Minutes.

CONDUCTED BY USONA.

"Fruit Fair and Fall Festival" is the advertisers postmark of Houston, Texas.

Many auctions are in progress, and even Washington, D. C. is to have one. Washington, a suburb of Ohio, makes all the stamps, but has few collectors in active life, no societies, and no magazine.

The Buffalo Exposition stamps will not

be issued till May 1, 1901.

The 60th catalogue is receiving its due amount of write up, and the sales are very good.

The Postoffice Department has issued a circular stating that contributions for the relief of the sufferers by the Galveston storm who are in the postal service will be received and receipted for by the Hon. J. A. Merritt, postmaster at Washington, D. C.

The Department directs that all mail, other than letters in the usual form, for the Yukon territory, be withheld by the public until about May, 1901: as it will not be forwarded until then.

Stamp Statistics.

BY STOKES.

The pleasure of inspecting a general collection of six or seven thousand is not to be had every day, and to some people it is quite a revelation to find that so many varieties exist. But when we consider the number that has been issued, and what might be gathered, seven thousand varieties would not appear so extraordinary.

The total number of postage stamps, envelopes and cards issued by all countries in the world is over fourteen and one half thousand—a collection that would stretch the binding of our wedged albums.

It is interesting to know what countries help most to make this aggregate. A complete collection of British Colonies numbers over four thousand alone, which leaves ten thousand to be accounted for by the rest of the world. For a single country the United States leads the world with 295 varieties of postage stamps, with another issue in sight; a fact which we will leave

our United States friends to feel proud of or not; but, by the way, how they attempted to ridicule Canada for having three issues in two years, although our total is only a shade over one-third of theirs. Next to U. S. comes Spain with 282 varieties and is followed by Nicaragua with 262 varieties, and Salvador with 230. Then comes Uruguay, Mexico, Cuba and the Philippines.

With but one exception the above mentioned countries are American, so you may readily suppose that America leads other continents; which it does with a total of 4795 varieties; Europe comes next with 3565, Asia 2775, Africa 5466, and Oceania with 1027.

In comparing last year's issues Europe leads with 206 new varieties, Asia next with 202, Africa 146, America 139, Oceania 122; making the total of last year's issues 315.

Stories in the Youth's Companion

In the 52 issues of the year THE YOUTH'S COMPANION publishes more than 200 stories, yet so carefully are they selected that they prove inexhaustible in variety, unailing in the power to delight. The stories already in hand for THE COMPANION'S 1901 volume show that this feature of the paper will be as strong as ever.

Among the groups of stories will be one of "Old Settler's Day Tales"—stories actually told at some of the gatherings of pioneers in the West. There will be four stories "Tales of Our Inland Seas," picturing the adventures of the sailors on the Great Lakes; and there will also be four true tales from the Zoos, told by keepers and trainers of wild beasts.

We shall be glad to send Illustrated Announcement of the volume for 1901 with sample copies of the paper free to any address.

YOUTH'S COMPANION, Boston, Mass

The Philatelic Advocate.

With which is consolidated
The Philatelic Messenger,
The Ontario Philatelist,
and the Stamp Reporter.

Official organ Dominion Philatelic Ass'n

Our Motto. "Eis dat qui cito dat."

Subscription Rates.

25 cents per year to any part of the world.

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Price for one insertion.

1 inch, 40c. 2 inches 70c. $\frac{1}{2}$ page \$1.00.
 $\frac{1}{4}$ page \$1.50. 1 page \$2.00.

Reduced Rates.

12 inches of space given for \$2.00, or 36 inches for \$5.00. On receipt of remittance checks good for one inch will be sent to cover amount. These checks may be used at any time, and can be transferred as often as desired. 2 checks equal 2 in ad, 3 equal $\frac{1}{2}$ page, etc. Ads and checks *must* be paid in advance. U. S. Revs. not accepted.

All ads. set in brevier body type.

Forms close on the 20th and all copy must reach us **BEFORE** that date to ensure insertion.

U. S. Advertising Agent
 S. J. Petree, Russellville, Ala.

If this is marked it signifies that, your ad. reached us too late for this no.

Cash did not accompany your order.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by correspondents.

X We will exchange one or two copies with any paper published.

Address all communications to,

STARNAMAN BROS.,

Box 104, Berlin, Ontario, Canada.

52 If this number appears on your wrapper it signifies that your subscription has expired. Please renew.

Copy for Advertisements for JAN. issue must reach us before the 15th of DEC. or it will be too late.

EDITORIALS.

Mr. A. R. Magill, of Montreal, has purchased the *Philatelic Spectator*, of Berlin, and will consolidate it with his new paper, the *Philatelic Record*.

We receive numerous inquiries from persons wishing to be ad and sub agents. To these we wish to say that our lowest rates for ads are 12 inches for \$2.00, 36 inches for \$5.00, or 84 inches \$10.00. You buy space in these quantities (at about 12 to 16 cents an inch) and sell it at whatever you like. On subscriptions our coupon system is the only method allowed except to publishers. We send you a number of coupons to distribute and for each one returned with a subscription we allow 5c cash.

By reference to the D. P. A. columns, it will be noticed that C. E. A. Holmes, of Montreal, has been expelled, from the society for fraud.

D. P. A. Prizes. In order to increase the membership of the D. P. A. we have donated several prizes to be given to members who secure new members. Any persons wishing to donate anything as prizes, are requested to notify us before Dec. 15th as the list will appear in next issue.

Sid. Wood, of Winnipeg, Man., writes that a stamp club has been formed there. He reports that business is poor so far.

From present appearances, the sale of 60th catalogues will exceed all previous issues. Order now and be sure of yours. 58c postfree, or 65c with a year's subscription.

Send Your Copy Early

Judging by the number who notified us that they desire space in our 20th Century Number, it will be a hummer. The best positions will be given to those whose ad

are received earliest. Don't wait until the last day to send copy. Remember it must be in Berlin by Dec. 15th 1900 and accompanied by payment or it will not be inserted. Unused 1c and 2c stamps of U. S., or Canada taken, but silver, bills, or Express or Postoffice Money Orders preferred. Please do not send bank cheques unless 15 cents extra is added for exchange.

From 324 illustrations in 1894 to over 1600 in 1900 are the figures which denote the numerical growth and development of the pictorial features in the Ladies' Home Journal in six years. The reading public now insists upon illustrations, and in meeting that demand it is safe to say that the pictures printed in the Journal in 1900 exceed in number, size, quality and cost, those published in all the leading magazines ten years ago. 10c a copy at all bookstores.

From 1st of December the Orange River Colony will be included among the British Colonies enjoying Imperial penny postage with the United Kingdom,

The *New York Philatelist* contains a "Fraud Reporter" each month which is supposed to give the facts regarding frauds. The publishers should be particular to see that what they insert is correct before insertion. In the last issue, a list by L. T. Brodstone is given and apostscript is added that "the last five are D. P. A. members." This statement is false. Two of them were never members of the D. P. A., and two, Robinson and Lowe, were suspended some time ago. One of the list is a member but no intelligible complaint has ever been made to the Trustees. We trust the *New York Philatelist*, will make due correction in next issue.

It is not improbable that the majority of

the persons this Brodstone terms "frauds," are some who tried the "pulling qualities of paper" and did not make enough to "pay on receipt of bill." Why not demand cash in advance and there would be no "frauds."

Trading stamps. We are still buying Dominion Trading stamps (blue). We give 100 foreign stamps for 5 stamps
100 all different foreign stamps 15 "
20 word ad on Bargain Page 8 "
1 year's sub to this paper 10 "

Or we will accept them as cash at $\frac{1}{2}$ c each for anything we advertise.

We have just received the "Chinese Special" of *Mekeel's Weekly Stamp News*. This is undoubtedly the finest number of a stamp paper ever issued. It contains 32 large pages and cover—equal to about 144 pages of an ordinary sized philatelic journal. The cover which is printed in four colors was designed by Mr. Mekeel and is a piece of work that any artist might be proud of.

My little exchange notice in the *Advocate* has been a great success. It clearly shows the advertising strength of the *ADVOCATE*.—E. G. Brisley, Toronto, Ont.

Enclosed find 25c for one year's subscription to the *ADVOCATE* and premium No. 9. I may send the bargain notice later, but you give enough for the money without that.—C. H. Nye, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Our next number will be an apology for this small number.

Scott's catalogue will have 100 more pages this year than last, and the price is the same. It is the recognized standard for the world, and no collector can afford to be without it, 58c post free, or 65c with the *ADVOCATE* one year. 10c extra to foreign countries.

A SET OF FINE STAMPS.

Mr. W. H. Schmalz, Berlin, has received from a private correspondent in the Tonga Islands, a complete set of their new postage stamps. The Tonga or Friendly Islands constitute a small kingdom near the Fiji Islands in the South Pacific, and their stamps are recognized by the philatelic authorities as the most handsome in existence. The complete set consists of thirteen stamps, ranging in value from a half penny to five shillings. The engraver has certainly produced beautiful work, and Mr. Schmalz is justly proud of the latest acquisition to his large and valuable collection.—*Berlin News Record.*

Have you sent your ad for next number?

Dominion Philatelic Association.

Organized Sept. 1, 1894.

OFFICERS.

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Secretary's Report.

NEW MEMBERS.

547. Dame D. Gaudrey, Montreal, Que.
 548. Ralph V. Rich, Onancock, Va.

549. Mrs. F. Gough, Montreal, Que.
 550. Joseph Dubolt, Olpe, Kans.
 551. B. M. Billingsley, Columbus, O.
 552. D. A. Brown, N. Y. City.
 553. Harold Woodal, Deseronto, Ont.
 554. Carl H. Neiman, Des Moines, Iowa.
 555. Max Fenster, Troy, N. Y.
 556. W. E. Barker, Sheffield, England.
 557. Carl Pochrant, Bass Ave., Akron, O.
 The above will receive their membership card and Handbook on receipt of dues to Jan. 1st 1902 amounting to 28c.

APPLICATIONS.

G. S. Dickenson, 7 Cedar St., Worcester Mass. Age 36, real estate. Refs. W. Russell Brown, Herbert Gile.

Chas. S. Dube, Riviere du Loup Sta, Que, 19, clerk, Starnaman Bros., Dube & Fils.

Thos. L. Hosmer, 3415 7 St., Des Moines Iowa, 15, student, A. F. Wicks, Hawkeye Lasper Co.

W. R. Waldron, 754 Main St., Woburn, Mass. 20 clerk, Starnaman Bros.

A. Harold Brown, 455 Euclid Ave., Toronto, Ont. 14. A. Grigg, Chas. Holcraft.

W. D. Simpson, Anderson, Anderson Co S. C. 42, Capitalist and Stamp Broker. Starnaman Bros., H. B. Fant & Co.

Chas. A. Bodell, 322 William St., East Orange, N. J. 17, clerk. H. C. Buchholz, Fred L. Collins.

J. Douglas Pettigrew, Norwood, Ont. 20, student. Starnaman Bros, W. K. Hall

Thos. D. Manson, c/o Noxon Mfg. Co., Ingersoll, Ont. 22, Implement expert. P. T. Coburn, Jas. Ellwright.

Abraham Drolet Jr., 161 St. Olivier St., Quebec, Que. 32, civil clerk. Arthur Pouliot, Starnaman Bros.

Geo. Guevara, Street Esmeralda 65, Valparaiso, Chili. 18, Merchant. Hiram E. Tuttle, Y. Page.

Jno. H. Jost, 98 Wellington, Halifax, N. S. 26, Accountant. R. F. Wrigley, Geo. E. Davenport.

Samuel J. McGaughy, Pembroke, Ont. 15, student. Gordon L. Cockburn, Henry G. Thorpe.

Edgar Fortier, 51 Esplanade, Quebec, Que. 15, student. Arthur Pouliot, Geo. W. Starnaman.

The above will be admitted to member-

ship Dec. 15th providing no objection is filed with the Secy before that date.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

100. A. Grigg, 522 Bathurst St., Toronto.

554. Carl H. Neiman, 1161 19th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

493. F. A. Brereton, 25 Admiral Road, Toronto,

SUSPENDED FOR NON PAYMENT OF DUES.

515 Clarence A. Huestis, Brookline, Mass.

514 Herbert Fryer, Collingwood, Ont.

512 H. R. McCabe, Toronto, Ont.

502 C. M. Christy, Bockford, Ill.

EXPELLED BY TRUSTEES.

367 C. E. A. Holmes, Montreal, Que.

CORRECTION.

Eden Kinzie, Bcn., 98, Berlin, Ont.

PAID UP MEMBERSHIP.

Paid up last report..... 386

Paid up since..... 11

Expelled..... 1

Total paid up..... 396

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Balance on hand, last report..... \$33.27

Received for dues, etc..... 2.87

36.14

Paid Official Organ..... 4.93

" postage..... .05

Balance on hand..... 31.16

36.14

For application blanks and full information address the Secretary-Treasurer

GEO. W. STARNAMAN, Berlin, Ont.

Auction Mgrs Report.

Hamilton, Nov. 17, 1900.

Dear Friends,

I regret being unable to have a sale in last month's **ADVOCATE**. As most of you probably saw, I have been laid up; but am pleased to be able to be with you again. Will have a sale ready for next issue. Yours faithfully,

R. S. MASON.

Report of Supt of Sales

Fellow Members:—Would like to have more of your names on my list. Have already sent out five circuits and sales are satisfactory.

W. RUSSEL BROWN,

Trustee's Report.

Fellow Members:—

Two complaints have been received. One from E. L. Shove against C. E. Holmes, Montreal, who removed over \$23.00 worth of stamps from books in the Sales Dept. and did not settle for same. The other complaint is from L. Blankmeir claiming that E. J. Stephenson secured money by false misrepresentation.

In the first case time was lost in a fruitless attempt to locate Holmes. Failing in this his father was communicated with. He at first seemed inclined to settle in order to keep his son's name from publicity but when he found out the amount of the claim he refused to answer. The laws of Quebec do not hold parents responsible for the debts of a minor except for goods purchased by their consent. As no settlement can be reached we recommend (1) that C. E. A. Holmes be and is hereby expelled from the Association. (2) That the Sales Supt be notified to pay, from the Insurance Fund, each member interested. If there are not funds enough the balance shall be paid from the General Fund and be returned as soon as the Insurance Fund is sufficient. (3) On account of the laws of certain states and provinces, the following rule is to be added to the Sales Dept.: All members under 21 years of age wishing to be placed on circuit must furnish the consent of their parents or guardian.

The case of E. J. Stephenson is being investigated.

W. A. Starnaman, Chairman
Henry A. Chapman,
Arthur R. Butler.

Philatelic Fun

Will tickle your oesophagus. Send 10c for 6 months subscription and get 1000 Omega hinges. 10 blank approval sheets, and a pants button FREE

Ad Rates 10c per inch.

reach 1500 to 2000 readers.

Philatelic Fun Company,

36 Church St., BERLIN, ONTARIO.

Our 20th Century Number

Will be issued about Jan'y 15th. We expect the number will contain 100 pages.

Advertisers

We have secured a large list of names from ads in papers devoted to young people, such as "American Boy," "The Star," etc. Many of these have never seen a stamp paper before, so those who advertise in this number will be the first to secure their trade.

1 inch 40c. 3 inches \$1.00. 1 page 2.00.

2 inches 70c. $\frac{1}{2}$ page 1.50. 3 pages 5.00.

If you do not wish to use all the space at once, we will give 12 inches for \$2.00, or 36 for \$5.00 and balance can be used any time desired.

No ads inserted without payment with copy.

All copy must be in by Dec. 15th 1900

 **Unused U. S. or Can. 1c & 2c stamps taken**

in payment for any amount, but Express Orders preferred for amounts of \$5.00 or over. 84 inches for \$10 cash in advance

STARNAMAN BROS. PUBLISHERS, BERLIN, ONT.

SCOTT'S 60th CATALOGUE

Out Dec. 10th.

58c postfree. With this paper one year 65c postpd.

Keep up-to-date by ordering now.

It will contain about 700 pages and between 3000 and 4000 illustrations of stamps with value of each.

There is a store of information in this catalogue for the collector, and as a guide for the beginner or advanced collector, there is no better similar work published. In its general make up it corresponds exactly with the last edition of this work, with the addition of new issues and newly discovered varieties, as well as the correction of prices up to time of going to press.

Order to day and the Catalogue will be mailed as soon as we receive them

We give the catalogue and a year's subscription to the PHILATELIC ADVOCATE for only

65 CENTS, POST FREE.

If you are already a subscriber we will extend your subscription or will send paper to any address desired

STARNAMAN BROS., BERLIN, ONT., CANADA.

Canada Surcharge

2c on 3c numeral.

10 for 12c, 25 for 20c, 50 for 35c
60c per 100 all postfree.

Scott's 59th

Catalogue

A few left which I will clear at
45c postfree.

Watch for big sale next
month.

MARY E. BISH, WATERLOO, ONT.

Back Numbers

OF

This paper.

For 25c we will send

25 different back numbers

If there are any numbers you specially
desire let us know and we will send them
if in stock.

Or we will give 25 diff. back numbers for

60c worth of stamps

(our selection) from your sheets.

Papers will be mailed with our next
issue. If wanted at once add 10c for post-
age.

STARNAMAN BROS.,
BOX 104, BERLIN, ONT.

A nice Xmas Gift

to a collector would be Scott's 60th
catalogue and a year's subscription to
this paper; to any address 65c post
free. **Starnaman Bros., Berlin, Ont**

CASH paid. Will pay cash for old
stamps and collections. Stamps that cat-
alogue under 3c not wanted. Send what
you have. Will furnish best of references
on application. J. C. Sawin, Winthrop,
Mass. E



SILK

WE are selling a sam-
ple package of the most
beautiful silk pieces for
Cushions or Quilts for
ten cents. Each lot will
make one block eigh-
teen inches square. Our
lists and two quilt pat-
terns free with each order. We also have a lim-
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fifteen cents. Send for some before all are sold.
**HOME CIRCLE SUPPLY CO., Yonge St.,
Toronto.**

I want to buy or exchange

for stamps cancelled with names of cities
(pre-cancelled).

I want to exchange

stamps with foreign collectors. Send me a
selection. References, the publishers.

I want to sell

Stamps from approval books sent
for good reference.

Postmarks, 300 var. 50c post paid.

Honduras, 1896 8 var complete .17

Labuan, 1896 6 var 1 to 8c .17

ARTHUR R. BUTLER,
8 & E Sts., N. W., Washington, D. C

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