STAMP CORNER

By JAMES MONTAGNES

New Empire air mail Southwest African stamps and first coronation stamp from Papua which issues four values, 1d, 2d, 3d and 5d, for sale May 12th.
—Stamps courtesy Stanley Gibbons Ltd., London, Eng., and Papuan Chief Postmaster

In the last year there have been a number of notable stamp auctions of big collections. Stamp auctions are bringing good sums for collections, some having to be sold for estate purposes, others because stamp collectors want to cash in on old and recent stamps which have gone up in value. Notable among this year's auctions is that of the famous English collector, Michael Stephens, whose recent death placed his collection on the market. It is especially of interest to Canadians since the collection contains some of the scarcest of Canadian stamps.

Among the Canadian stamps in this sale is the 12 penny black of Queen Victoria, of 1852 on wove paper. This stamp is catalogued at $3,000. There are other 1850 stamps, including the six penny sterling 1857 "Canada Packet Postage," Queen Victoria, $300 unused; Jacques Cartier's 1855 ten pence, valued at $250, and Prince Consort Albert's perforated six pence of 1858 catalogued at $250.

From Canada's provinces when they issued their own stamps before Confederation, this sale includes a cover from Nova Scotia showing the high rate of postage then necessary between two points in the empire. This envelope is addressed to India and carries three stamps of 1851 issue, two of a shilling each and one of six pence. The trio are valued off cover at $455. With cover they are worth more. A St. John's Newfoundland 1857 shilling stamp up for auction is conservatively catalogued at $350, while a bisected eight penny stamp of that issue used as a 4 pence, is catalogued at $400 on cover.

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The United States will issue in the next few months four 3 cents stamps, each one honoring one of the United States possessions, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands. Immediately after this issue a new presidential set will be prepared, with all values from ½-cent to five dollars, featuring principally the 12 presidents who have never appeared on stamps. Seventeen presidents have been portrayed. . . . Austria's Mother's Day stamp will appear in May. . . . Bulgaria issues a 7 value set for the millenary of the Cyrillic alphabet on May 19th. . . . Newfoundland will issue in addition to the three values for the coronation in common with the other crown colonies, eleven other values (1, 3, 7, 8, 10, 14, 15, 20, 24, 25 and 48 cents), using the designs of the current issue with a vignette of George VI. . . . Spain continues to issue new stamps on both government and insurgent sides. . . . Canada will have a 3-cent coronation stamp, instead of a long set as expected. . . . Papua will have a coronation issue, 1d, 2d, 3d, 5d values.

The likeness of Adolph Hitler will first appear on a stamp in an issue commemorating the Fuehrer's 48th birthday, which is April 20. Each block of four stamps such as those pictured will bear an inscription in German which means "He who wants to save a nation can only think heroically." The words are Hitler's.

PRINCIPAL OF 1884 HONORED BY PUPILS

Grace Street Old Boys Hold Largest Reunion

Grace Street Old Boys' association held its biggest rally last night at the Piccadilly hotel, when 150 members attended coronation night. John Bennett, first principal of the school, who held office in 1884, was guest of honor.

F. G. Gardiner, deputy-reeve of Forest Hill village, and W. J. Holford were guest speakers.

Artists on the program included Jack Reid, Margaret and Billy Palmer, Larry Brooks and Sallie Miller.

EXPECTS MANY TOURISTS

London, April 10.—The Dean of Windsor, Dr. Albert Baillie, is expecting crowds to visit St. George's Chapel at Windsor this year. There will be so many coronation visitors from overseas "whom we are anxious to treat as hospitably as possible," that the dean wants English visitors to come another year. He has made a request that organizers of English parties give St. George's a miss this summer.

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