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NEXT MEETING: Thursday, March 11

ARE YOU HERE?

PLACE: Moline Township Hall
620 18th Street
Moline, Illinois

Myrtle Sheets has done a study of the 1981 attendance registrations. She found that for the 11 sheets (April somehow was misplaced) we had a total recorded attendance of 515, an average of 46 per meeting. Listed for every month were Ray Wilden, Bob Verhaeghe and George Holmes. Be sure to sign in, please.

TIME: Business meeting at 8 p.m.

BOURSE: 7 to 10 p.m.

PROGRAM: Speaker on Exhibiting

Philatelic Vernal Equinox

Did you have to get out your dictionary to decipher that one? A philatelist always needs one of those handy anyway doesn't he? You may recall from high school that that is the technical way to refer to the first day of spring, commonly on or close to March 21st. We are all aware that spring is a time of revitalization after a long dreary winter; this year if we are not suffering from cabin fever it is probably because it has been replaced by frostbite.

What better day to schedule the Fifth Annual Cancer Auction. Not only will we have a place to get out to, but also a chance to experience that good feeling that comes only from helping someone else. Many of you have again come forth with generous donations and again we remind you that the task is not completed yet. Let us not treat the auction itself as something anti-climactic. Please be there to join in this worthwhile activity. The sun is sure to shine on you a little brighter as you walk out the door after the auction is over.

Lots should be ready for viewing and the program available at River City Stamps by the March meeting. Please stop by the office, 1630 State Street, Suite 8, Bettendorf, Iowa if you would like to have time to examine the lots in detail. Lots will be set out for viewing at the auction sight, Jumer's Castle Lodge, Spruce Hills Drive and Utica Ridge Road, Iowa Exit 1 on Interstate 74, Bettendorf, Iowa, beginning at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday the 21st. The auction will begin at 1:00 p.m. and hopes to conclude by 5:00 p.m. See you there?

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February Meetings

Well, we were without a program again tonight. The person in charge of obtaining a projector got one that could not be used for slides. We will try to get that program on Art and Philately some other time. Dale announced that Myrtle Sheets had volunteered to fill the unexpired term of Director for us. Curtis Kerschinski won the monthly raffle. We had more than the usual number of participants in the annual stamp popularity poll - 44. Perhaps the fact that we walked around and gave them to each person and then collected them had something to do with that. Usually they are left out on a table for those who would be interested in voting. The result of the vote is found on page 5.

The Board meeting dealt mainly with the upcoming show. We accepted two new members: Kurt Kuehnhackl, East Moline, U.S and Germany; John Drap Jr., Muscatine, Varied Investments (Postmaster). More on the show on page 3.

INSIDE STORY - Chuck Maki

I was born of second generation Finnish-American parents in the upper penninsula of Michigan in 1938. I served nearly four years with the USAF, most of that time spent in Turkey and Germany. I then worked in the post office until I went to school and completed work on a B.A. at Augustana in 1965. I received an M.A. from Western Illinois University in 1972. I have completed over 16 years of service in the schools of western Clinton County, Iowa.

My main philatelic interest is with Turkey, the Ottoman Empire period. I have speciality interest with the Turkish ray of light series which was issued in 1905. Other interests include pre-republic Finland, postcards and covers. I am a member of the APS and of the Turkey and Ottoman Philatelic Society. I am also a member of the Board of the Club.

Juniors

The Juniors need you. They need people to volunteer to work with them each month to help them learn the fundamentals of stamp collecting. Volunteers report to Myrtle Sheets. Juniors be sure to check in with Myrtle at the Juniors table each month to see what is new. Do you like the special auction lots? Write me a note and tell me what we can help you with. Editor

1982 Iowa and Illinois Spring Philatelic Calendar

- March 14 The Annual Stamp and Coin Show and Bourse, LaSalle County Farm Bureau Building, on Route 23, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile North of I-80 on your left, Ottawa, Illinois - Hours 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Donation 50%. Cachet cover featuring 1st Lincoln-Douglas Debate. Order from: LaVerne Kohrt, 484 Pine Street, Marseilles, IL 61341 (SASE #10 envelope, \$1.00@)
- March 27-28 Rockford '82 held at Clock Tower Inn Convention Center, I-90 and Business 20, Rockford, Illinois. Sat. 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Sun. 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Cachet to feature 20th Anniversary Project Mercury. Available from: Everett Thelen, 2027 22nd Street, Rockford, IL 61108. This is an APS qualifying exhibition.
- April 17-18 Cedar Rapids Stamp Club Annual Spring Show, IBEW Hall, 1211 Wiley Blvd. SW, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Only info. available is that they are planning a cachet featuring the U.S.S. Hornet and the B-52 bomber.
- April 17-18 North Central Iowas Philatelic Society Show, Holiday Motor Lodge, Hwy 18 and 35, Clear Lake, Iowa.
- June 11-13 CIAPEX '82, Show sponsored by Des Moines Clubs, Howard Johnson Motel, 4800 Merle Hay Road, Des Moines, Iowa. Information from the prospectus and entry form will be printed in April newsletter.

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October 8-10 at the Davenport Masonic Temple, Host to TMPS

The hours for our show have been tentatively set for Friday from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Saturday and Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The cancellation featuring the Fort Armstrong block house is being prepared by Joan Pritzlaff. We are planning three cachets about the 150th Anniversary of the Black Hawk War. One will feature a map of the war; another will have the four presidents who participated, several as soldiers; and a third that will hopefully show the scene of the signing of the treaty. Do you have access to any pictures to help with this venture? Eight dealers have reserved space and plans are underway for a banquet at the Black Hawk Hotel. We are in dire need of a volunteer to take on the task of publicity. What can you do to help? Do not wait until the September meeting to come forward!

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Apr. 20 Philately Week
May 15 10th Anniversary of the Reversion of the Ryukyu Islands to Japan
May 22 Land Afforestation Campaign
May 24 16th International Congress of Dermatology
Jun. Modern Western-Style Architecture Series No. 5
Jun. 23 Inauguration of the New Tōhoku Railroad Line
Aug. Modern Art Series No. 13
Sep. 400th Anniversary of the Boys Mission to Rome in the Period
of Tensho
Sep. Modern Western-Style Architecture Series No. 6
Oct. 2 37th National Athletic Week
Oct. 6 International Letter Writing Week
Oct. 12 Centenary of the Central Bank System
Nov. Modern Art Series No. 14
Nov. Inauguration of the New Jōetsu Railroad Line
Dec. 1 New Year's Greeting Stamp 1983

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1. Whitney Moore Young	2	2	2	0	6	0
2. Flowers (4)	1	0	0	0	1	0
3. American Red Cross	1	0	1	4	2	4
4. Savings and Loans	1	3	0	1	1	0
5. Space Achievements (8)	7	0	7	0	7	0
6. Professional Management	0	9	3	6	0	13
7. Wildlife Habitats (4)	6	1	15	0	12	0
8. International Year of Disabled Persons	0	7	0	0	0	4
9. Edna St. Vincent Millay	0	5	1	2	0	2
10. American Architecture (4)	0	1	1	1	2	0
11. Babe Didrikson Zaharias	6	0	1	0	3	1
12. Bobby Jones	3	1	2	0	1	0
13. Frederic Remington	3	0	3	2	1	0
14. James Hoban (18c)	0	0	0	1	3	0
15. James Hoban (28c)	9	0	0	0	1	0
16. Yorktown / Virginia Capes Battles (2)	1	2	0	4	0	2
17. Botticelli Madonna & Child (Christmas)	1	2	1	0	0	2
18. Teddy Bear (Christmas)	1	2	2	1	0	0
19. John Hanson	0	0	0	14	0	14
20. Desert Plants (4)	0	1	0	0	0	0
21. Write-in <i>Alcoholism</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0
22. Write-in <i>C Stamp</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Deadline for ballots is March 1. Mail to: Linn's Stamp Poll, Box 29, Sidney, Ohio 45367.

LOT #	COUNTRY	SCOTT'S #	DESCRIPTION and CONDITION	VALUE
1.	U.S.	#782	Full sheet - Arkansas Centennial.	Very fine Harris \$13.16
2.	U.S.	#783	" " - Oregon Territory.	" " " \$13.16
3.	U.S.	#1158	Matched set of plt. blks. Mint	" " C.V. \$2.00++
4.	U.S.	#797 & 948	(2) Souv. sheets. Mint	" " C.V. \$3.50
5.	U.S.	#1274	Plt. blk of 4 with (2) plate #'s.	" " C.V. \$15.00
6.	U.S.	#644	Used 1927 2¢ issue with lt. cancel.	Fine C.V. \$3.25
7.	U.S.	#664	Used 6¢ with Kansas overprint.	Very Good C.V. \$12.00
8.	U.S.	#664	Same as above lot #7	" " C.V. \$12.00
9.	U.S.	#679	Used & torn 10¢ Nebraska overprint.	Good C.V. \$15.00-
10.	Canada	#99	Used 1908 5¢ issue with se & close perfs.	" C.V. \$35.00-
11.	Canada	#202	" 1933 5¢ " " close perfs.	Fine C.V. \$3.00
12.	Canada	#204	" 1933 5¢ " Lt. cancel, good perfs.	V.F. C.V. \$3.00
13.	San Marino	#487-9	Mint 1961 set. Lt. hinge.	Very fine C.V. \$12.50
14.	"	"	#190-99 Mint & used set of 1942 issues.	" " C.V. \$10.30
15.	Sweden	#242-47	Used 1935 set. Perf 10 vertically.	Fine C.V. \$5.25
16.	"	#338-40	" 1943 " " 12½ horizontal.	Very fine C.V. \$5.00
17.	Tripolitania	#C-16-9	Four mint 1931 airmail set of 5. V.F.	C.V. \$3.90
18.	Nyasaland	#38-46	Cpt. mint 1934-5 set.	Excellent C.V. \$18.08
19.	France	#349	Mint n.h. sports topical.	Very fine C.V. \$6.00
20.	Finland	#B-69/113	(2) mint sets---sports topical.	Excellent C.V. \$3.25

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Auction manager

Tim Kargl

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