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NEXT MEETING: Thursday, October 13, 1983

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

TIME: Business meeting at 8 P. M.

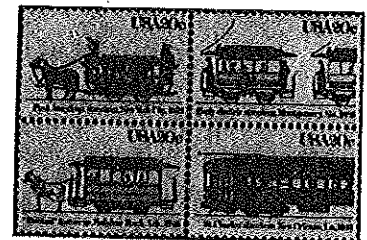
BOURSE: 7 to 10 P. M.

This month's PHILA-QUAD was mailed from Malden, Il. 61337

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# OCTOBER IS STAMP COLLECTING MONTH.



BE THERE - WHERE?

AT OUR NEXT MEETING, OF COURSE! :

SEE YOU THERE

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WANT LIST FILLED!!

"Mother always told me there would be days like this," is what is said when the day has been less than what you hoped for. What do you say when more happens than you ever dreamed of? THANK YOU, is what I and all of you should say to the five wonderful volunteers who have taken on jobs for us.

Genevieve Wilcox is our new editor. She has done the job in years past and we are happy to have her back.

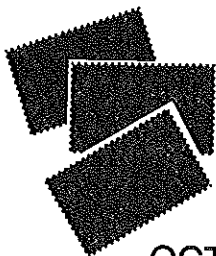
Bob Ofner is taking over the task of the APS Circuit Books. Be Looking for them at either the October or November meeting.

Jean Gustafson has volunteered to help with the Juniors. Also, after the meeting, new member, John Albee asked if he might help! JUNIORS, your ideas are needed, so look for these two people at the Juniors Table.

Dale Walline has agreed to be our Publicity Chairman whose job will be letting the media know about our meetings.

We give a THANKS to Vera Price for making the coffee each month. She can always use donations of cookies and doughnuts at each meeting. This 'snack' is always enjoyed at all of our meetings and we are lucky to have a meeting place that allows us to do so!

Susan Hayes, President



**DISCOVER THE  
HOBBY OF A  
LIFETIME!**

OCTOBER IS NATIONAL STAMP COLLECTING MONTH

NEW MEMBERS

"1172	Wally Nefiodow	Bettendor, Iowa
1173	Ann Van Veen	Muscatine, Iowa
1174	Stanley Vskavitch	Moline, Illinois
1175	Eric Ward	Davenport, Iowa
1176	John Albbe & family	Davenport, Iowa

We extend a welcome to these new members.

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A GOOD BOOK AT ONE-THIRD OFF

The serious collector of U.S. Stamps might be interested in a good reference book at a reduced price. "United States Postage Stamps" is published by the Postal Service. It is issued in loose-leaf format and is updated periodically.

A recent list from the government Printing Office shows this book and supplements through 1980 to be priced at \$25.00. The usual price is \$38.00. (Supplements for 1981-1982 have not been issued yet)

"United States Postage Stamps" will be available for your perusal at the October 13th meeting.

See Steve Bahnson for ordering information.

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Bob Ahlstrom, our program director is planning a fine program too.  
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FROM THE PRESIDENT TO JUNIORS

This month be sure to stop by the Juniors' table for three good reasons.

First, stop by to meet Jean Gustafson and John Albee who have volunteered to help with programs for you. While you are there, be sure to meet each other. Why not wear a name tag to the meeting and also put on it what you collect?

Second, come play Stamp Bingo. It is not the regular kind, but a version of All About Stamps made by the USPS. The game will start around 7:15 and continue until the business meeting at 8:00 p.m.

Third, put your name in for a special drawing. At the December meeting we will draw a name. The winner will be awarded a 1982 U. S. Commemorative Issues set with mint stamps, mounts and folder. Each meeting that you come to, you may put in another slip with your name, on it. So if you come October, November and December, you will have three chances to win. There is no charge like there is for the raffle-it's free! !

Fourth, remember the 'Penny Boxes' provided by the Quad city Stamp Club and managed by Bob Verhaege. All stamps sold for the small sum of 1¢.

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Plate Blocks  
ZIP and Mail Early

STOP BY OUR TABLE IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

Merwin & Lois Gale

We should stop by Merwin and Lois's table and sing "Happy Trails to you."

ADLETS Again, as a new editor, I would like to remind the members of adlets. This is a very short advertisement of an individual member's need to buy or sell. There is no charge. Each adlet runs once. You are entitled to one a year. Please write your own copy, limiting it to two lines. Include you address for the adlet and phone number for the editor's use. Thanks.

AUCTION Page six of the Phila-Quad generally has our monthly meeting auction list. All items are on display ahead of time so that members may look them over. A person does not really have to be an expert to judge both grade and quality of a stamp. However, the auction list does have a grading of each lot sold, when possible. The grading can range for Poor (P) to subperb. Average (Ave) would designate that the perforations would cut into the stamp design slightly. Fine (F) to Very Fine (VF) designates how well the design is centered in relation to the perforation. The auction is open to anyone present at our meeting. This month's list contains many fine items.

Again, Anyone wishing to sell material through the auction should give his lots to George Wolters, Auction Manager. Please refer to last month's Phila-Quad for further suggestions on submitting your material.

I have requested that the results of the auction be provide the number of the lot and the price it refer to your previous Phila-Quad for the des- . George Wolters, our auction manager, will the necessary information. The results of a is as follows.

2	6.25	Lot #9	3.50	Lot #17	2.00	Lot # 25	1.75
3	20.00	10	2.00	18	5.00	26	1.25
4	5.50	11	1.50	19	6.00	27	2.25
5	2.25	12	8.50	20	24.00	28	1.50
6	4.25	13	3.50	21	15.00	29	3.75
7	6.00	14	3.00	22	8.00	30	2.50
8	5.00	15	4.00	23	1.00		
		16	4.00	24	3.00		

LOT #	COUNTRY	SCOTT#	DESCRIPTION AND CONDITION	VALUE
1.	SCOTT	Volume III Catalog	(G-O countries) VF	\$ ??? } 100
2.	SCOTT	Volume II Catalog	(A-F Countries) VF	\$ ??? } 100
3.	UNITED STATES	1760-3	1978 American Owls on 4 Artcraft FDC VF	2.60+120
4.	UNITED STATES	785-9	1936-7 Army Plate Blocks (5) M OG F/VF	31.60 } 35.00
5.	UNITED STATES	790-4	1936-7 Navy Plate Blocks (5) M OG F/VF	31.60 } 35.00
6.	UNITED STATES	945	1945 3¢ Thomas Edison sheet of 70 M OG VF	9.50+625
7.	AUSTRIA	B286	1953 Stamp Day single M OG VF	7.50 200
8.	AUSTRALIA	263-5	1953 Tasmania Sesquicentennial comp. M OG VF	15.70 300
9.	BELGIUM	427-9	1954 Anniversary of Rotary complete M OG F/VF	2.75 100
10.	RUSSIA	1787A	1955 Moscow University souv. sheet M OG VF	6.00 275
11.	UNITED STATES	1551	1974 Christmas Sleigh Pl.Blk. of 12 M OG VF	2.60 275
12.	UNITED STATES	1565-8	1975 Military Uniforms Pl.Blk. of 12 M OG VF	2.60 250
13.	UNITED STATES	1572-5	1975 Postal Service Bicent.P.Blk-12 M OG VF	2.60 250
14.	CANAL ZONE	C6-14	1931-49 Airmail Set complete M OG F/VF	20.80 950
15.	UNITED NATIONS	13-4	1952 Human Rights set complete M OG VF	4.50 375
16.	HAWAII	72	1893 50¢ Orange - black overprint M OG F	55.00 1500
17.	UNITED STATES	497	1916-22 10¢ coil single M OG NH F	28.50 1000
18.	UNITED STATES	735	1934 Byrd Souvenir Sheet issued w/o gum MVF	40.00 2100
19.	UNITED STATES	750	1934 3¢ Parks APS souv. sheet M OG VF	60.00 2800
20.	UNITED STATES	751	1934 1¢ Parks TMS Souv. sheet M OG VF	25.00 1400
21.	UNITED STATES	859-93	1940 Famous Americans set comp. M OG NH VF	39.25 2100
*22.	SCOTT	1980 U.S. Specialized Catalog	VF	???
*23.	SCOTT	1979 Volume 4 Catalog (P-Z countries)	VF	???
*24.	SCOTT	1977 Volume 2 Catalog (A-F countries)	VF	???
*25.	United States	15 Covers & cards	some cacheted F/VF	???
*26.	UNITED NATIONS	1951 - 2¢ first issue pair on FDC	no cachet VF	???
*27.	UNITED STATES	C41,43,45	1949 6¢ coil, 15¢ UPU, Kittyhawk Artcr.FDC VF	6.60 225
*28.	PHILIPPINES	597,617	1954-5 20¢ Lapu-Lapu, 5¢ Marian Year FDC cach. VF	???
*29.	CANADA	10 commem. on Souv. Card & #387 FDC	cacheted (stamps stuck)	4.00+ 225
*30.	UNITED STATES	978,980	1948 Gettysburg & J.C.Harris FDC no cachets	3.00 175

\* Donation lots - proceeds to QCSC

OCTOBER RAFFLE - #772 - 1935 Charter Oak sheet of 50 - Cat. \$7.52+

JUNIOR AUCTION - 5 lots

Deadline for the November PHILA-QUAD is Tuesday, October 25

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