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NEXT MEETING: Thursday, April 12

Clothesline Exhibit

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

When it is the time of the year to start hanging the sheets outside to dry, it is time for the annual Clothesline Exhibit. Bring a page or two from you collection to hang on our line. It could get you a prize. Rules on p. 3.

TIME: Business Meeting at 8 p.m.

BOURSE: 7 to 10 p.m.

Seventh Annual Cancer Auction

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>LOTS</u>	<u>PROFIT</u>
1978	275	\$1750
1979	387+	\$2106
1980	393	\$3718
1981	248	\$4300
1982	354	\$7200
1983	275	\$4626
1984	275	\$6464

My what a difference 7 years makes! Would you have imagined that 275 lots would bring the amount of 1978 PLUS an additional \$4714 in 1984? Someone from Muscatine got a nice \$1200 birthday present in the form of a U.S. #245. And to think, I usually am happy with a dinner at a good restaurant on my birthday. The big winner, however, was our local chapter of the Cancer Society.

A brisk bidding got underway shortly after 1:00 p.m. on the first Sunday of spring. Speaking of BRISK... Jack Wills somehow either does not know his own strength or had a terrible stroke of back luck. Jack gave the gavel a tap and suddenly pieces of gavel were zipping thither and yon. Jack was left holding the handle while the mallet was rolling on the floor. Now that is really STAMPING OUT CANCER. Wonder what we should do about making repairs or providing a replacement?

Jack had recently moved to Des Moines but made a special trip back today to serve as one of our two auctioneers, Warren Power was the other. Jack has changed hairstyle, lost his beard and mustache and discarded 170 pounds since I saw him last.

Door prize winners at this year's event were: Emma Jean Russell, Jack Lorimor, Dan Morgan, Barbara Laleman, Mark Schroeder and Monica Hierseman.

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A. P. S. Circuit Books

The Circuit Books have currently been undergoing a 6 month trial period; only 2 more remain before a decision is to be made by the Board. On the basis of the first 2 months one might conclude that this was wasted effort. The 3rd month was acceptable and the 4th can be deemed a great success. Have you checked out the books Bob Ofner has to offer from the A.P.S.? Do so soon so we will be assured of an adequate test. Tell Bob what you are interested in if you do not see it there.

BITS AND PIECES

WHITE ELEPHANT AUCTION DONATIONS NEEDED - MORE ON THIS NEXT MONTH.

Welcome to new member Don Smith, Princeton, IL. His interest is Mint U.S. stamps.

Constitution Review Committee: We will meet at 7:30 p.m. the Thursday after the regular Club meeting.

My Approach to Stamp Collecting: Vera Griffin will be sharing with us her secrets and shortcuts in April. Juniors this program is for you.

March Meeting

Tim Kargl died just a few days before our March meeting. The Cancer he fought so valiantly for over three years finally won the last round. The Secretary-Treasurer gave \$25 from the Club as a memorial.

The nominating committee was finally named after twisting a few arms before and during the meeting. Butch Lee, Bob Ofner and Dale Cady will have a slate to announce at the meeting.

George Holmes won the raffle tonight then turned around and put it in the auction. His additional lot netted the Club \$5.

I have created somewhat of a Civil War by asking for a reporter to note meeting business. Call in the troops; I plan to opt for a tape recorder.

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CLOTHESLINE EXHIBITION RULES

1. Not more than TWO album pages may be entered in any category, page size 10" by 11" or smaller.
2. Exhibitors may enter as many different categories as desired.
3. Judging will be by popular vote or by a judging panel, as appropriate.
4. An award will be given in each category.
5. Please put your name on the back of each sheet to aid in their return.
6. If you have plastic page protectors, please use them. If not, the club has some you may use.
7. Enter your exhibit the evening of May 10, prior to 8 p.m.

CATEGORIES - Rated by 3 Judges

- A. United States Stamps - Postal Issues
- B. Foreign Stamps - Postal Issues
- C. Best Coverage of Any One Stamp of Set of Stamps
- D. Best Presentation of Any Country of Non-Postage Items

- Rated by Popular Vote

- AA. Most Attractive Commercial Page and Contents
- BB. Most Attractive Non-Commercial Page and Contents
- CC. Best Presentation of a Topical Subject
- DD. Juniors Only - Any Area

REMEMBER: The winner in each category, as well as any other interested participant, is invited to have his or her entry put on display in the exhibit cases maintained by the QCSC in the lobbies of the Davenport and Rock Island Post Offices. We are beginning our 12th year of continuous display before the public. It is only through your support that this can continue.

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FIRST DAY FACTS

Here are a few details on the 20¢ stamp that will be issued July 2nd in Des Moines to mark 50 years of Federal Wildlife (Duck) Stamps. The First Day of Issue ceremony will be held at 12 noon in the Marriott Hotel in downtown Des Moines. Anyone may attend this event. Blue will be the single color of this stamp. More details will be forthcoming as they become known. sjb

While this is not a eulogy to Tim Kargl per se, it is proper that we remember one phase of his collecting. For almost ten years now this Club has maintained a display in the Davenport and Rock Island Post Offices. Many a time Tim was asked to lend part of his collection for two months as part of this project. Not once did he turn us down. There was always something Tim could find to show others about stamp collecting. And Tim wanted us to have different topics each time so the variety of philately could be shared with all. What an example for us to follow. sjb

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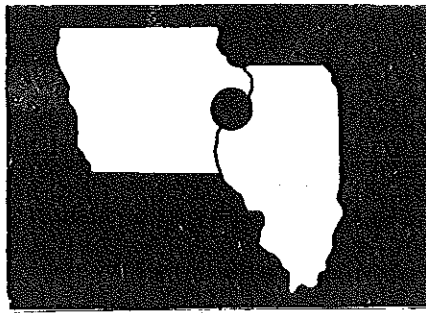
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March 22, 1984

John L. Bromley
Postmaster
Rock Island, IL 61201-9998

Dear John,

At our March Board of Directors meeting, a motion was made, seconded and carried that the Quad-City Stamp Club extend to you its very best wishes on the occasion of your forthcoming retirement.

The Quad-City Stamp Club has greatly appreciated your action of allowing us to maintain a rotating philatelic display in the lobby of your Post Office for nearly ten years. We feel this has been mutually beneficial by not only enhancing the appearance of the lobby area but also by attracting new persons to stamp collecting and our organization.

The name of Rock Island is known far and wide for having one of the best philatelic windows in the country. The Bi-State Stamp Dock has been a success from the opening day. We take pride that one of our members is clerk at this unit. Your support for the establishment and continued operation of this facility for stamp collectors has been truly valued.

owing postal reorganization, there have been to stamp collectors and the Postal Service ceased to say that there has been a general or philatelists during your tenure as Postmaster.

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Philatelically yours,

QUAD-CITY STAMP CLUB

Helen M. Stays

President

Gene D. Bohman

Secretary-Treasurer

LOT #	COUNTRY	SCOTT #	DESCRIPTION AND CONDITION	VALUE
1.	UNITED STATES	953	1948 - 3¢ G.W. Carver mint sheet of 70	M OG VF 7.10+
2.	UNITED STATES	1288c	1978 - 15¢ Holmes booklet on Artcraft FDC	U VF 4.00
3.	UNITED STATES	1775-8	1979 - 15¢ Penna. Tolaware on (4) Artcr. FDC	U VF 2.60
4.	BOLIVIA	429-32, C223-6	1960 Rotary Intl. set of 8 complete	M OG NH VF 6.60
5.	RUSSIA	3016, 3040, 3801	(3) Space & Communications Souv. Sheets	U VF 7.25
6.	NORWAY-SWEDEN	337-9; 474-6	1955 Stamp Centenary Sets (6)	M OG NH VF 3.60
7.	UNITED STATES	261	1894 \$1 Perry type 1 Unwatermarked str. edge top	U VF 225.00
8.	UNITED STATES	297	1901 5¢ Niagara Falls Bridge tiny corner crease	U VF 18.50
9.	GREAT BRITAIN	#1	1840 Penny Black	U F 180.00
10.	BRAZIL	1144-1145	1970 Pele-Soccer Player single & Souv. Sht.	NH M OG 8.25
11.	HONDURAS	C369-76	1965 Missionary Centenary Set (8)	M OG NH VF 8.75
12.	HONDURAS	C407-13	1966 United Nations Anniv. Overprints (7)	M OG NH VF 10.30
13.	FRANCE-MONACO	2N11-20; 259	1945 Allied Occ. (10); Ranier hi value	MU F/VF 5.09
14.	UNITED STATES	E 17-19	1944-51 -13, 17, 20¢ Rotary Spec. Dely.	M OG NH VF 8.65
15.	UNITED STATES	RV30, RW21-1944	\$5 Mtr. Veh; 1954 \$2 Duck Stamp	M/U VF 7.50
16.	HAWAII	35, 39, 43, 44	1875-83 2¢, 5¢, 2¢, 10¢ Reg. Issues (4)	U FVF 10.25
17.	UNITED STATES	1760-3, 1764-7	- 1978-9 Owls & Trees Blk. (2) Artmaster FDC	VF 4.00
18.	UNITED STATES	1770-3-1979	R.F.K, M.L. King, Child, Steinbeck (4) Artmast. FDC	VF 2.60
19.	UNITED STATES	1778-82, 1783-6-1979	Architec. & Flora Blk (2) Artmaster FDC	VF 4.00
20.	UNITED STATES	1388D, F	- 1977 Carter-Mondale Inaug. (3) Artcraft Covers on pages???	
21.	UNITED STATES	C21	- 1937 20¢ China Clipper on each cover from Honolulu	VF ???
22.	NEWFOUNDLAND	85, 192-1899	5¢ George V & 1932 6¢ Princess Eliz (5¢ Hinge)	MOG VF 28.00

APRIL RAFFLE - Sheets of 1 & 3¢ Lincoln #1113-4 Cat. \$8.18+

Junior Auction - 5 lots U.S., U.N. & Foreign

PRICES REALIZED - MATCH

1. \$10.00	7. \$ 1.25	13. \$12.00	19. \$ 1.50
2. \$ 2.25	8. \$ 1.50	14. \$11.00	20. \$ 2.25
3. \$.75	9. \$ 2.00	15. \$18.00	21. \$ 2.25
4. \$ 2.50	10. \$22.00	16. \$ 5.00	22. \$ 7.50
5. \$ 2.00	11. \$ 7.50	17. \$ 7.00	23. \$ 8.00
6. \$ 1.00	12. \$ 4.75	18. \$ 1.25	24. \$ 2.00

BIDDING INCREMENTS	
0 - \$5	25¢
\$5 - \$10	50¢
\$10 - \$30	\$1
\$30 & up	\$2

Donated raffle prize: \$5.00

Deadline for May is Monday, April 23rd.

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