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NEXT MEETING: Thursday April 9th

10th Annual Cancer Auction

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

\$ 6500⁺

The above total is how much we made at this year's event. There was not enough time to print more information in time to meet the printing deadline. Come to the meeting to find out.

TIME: Business meeting at 8 p.m.

BOURSE: 7 to 10 p.m.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

This month we will have another in our series of programs from the APS. This month we will learn about detecting forgeries.

Next month we will have two programs. We will have our last APS presentation called Stamp Printing Methods, Illustrated and Identified. We will also have our annual Clothesline Exhibit. the rules for this are on p. 3 so you can begin now to consider what you will be entering.

Remember that the winner in each category of the Clothesline Exhibit, 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 15th year of continuous display before the public. It is only through your support that this can continue.

We encourage all of you to contribute 15 to 18 pages of your collection when ever you can to help maintain these displays, It is hard for Steve to keep asking month after month for this many years. Take it upon yourself to volunteer now and then to make the job easier. A formal exhibit is not necessary, just a few album pages would be acceptable. Remember, this is the public you are addressing, not a panel of trained APS judges.

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Population: 2141

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Post Office Established: 1844

Precancel Permit Number: 25

March Meeting

My March notes are sparse, but I do remember that our President was on hand again to conduct the meeting. I think we all must show him our appreciation for the fine job he has done considering the many and long hours he works. He has put forth much more effort than the average member to see that things get done.

A visitor to our Club won the evenings raffle. His name was Ewold Mathey. We hope he returns and joins our happy group.

It is nominating committee time again. My notes show that Cletus Simon and Ted Ubbelohde are the nominating committee, but I fear that may not be correct. It seems to me that a third person is on the committee, or replaces one of the two. Anyway, to make a long story even longer, when someone from the nominating committee taps you on the shoulder and asks for your help, we hope you will seriously consider lending us a hand. It is always so difficult getting officers. I understand your excuses; I've used some of them myself on occasion. Please, remember, you may have said no before, but this year may be the time to say yes.



This space has not particular purpose this month, and I have no particular motive in writing this article but to fill up the space - sometimes you have to do that in this job. But I must let you all know that I really enjoy this job even when there is unreserved space to fill. I want to thank all of you who are so encouraging every month. It seems not a one goes by but one of you nice people says "Well done." While I may dispute just how well the job is done, I am indeed grateful for the good things you say. I can surely say that the main reason I have stayed in this Club and at this job is because of the many fine people who belong to the Quad-City Stamp Club.

Susan Hayes, Editor

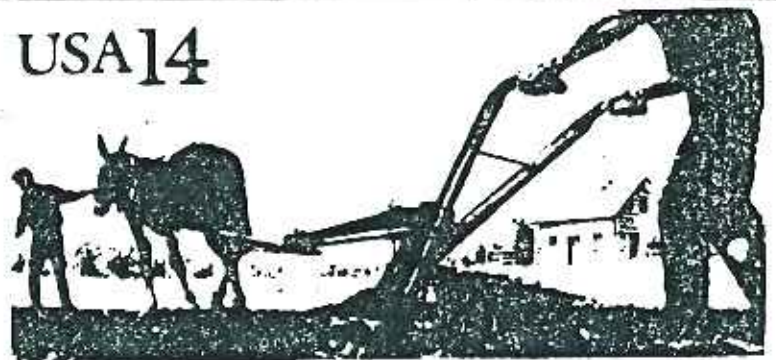
SELF-SCOURING STEEL PLOW POSTAL CARD TO BE ISSUED
IN HOMETOWN OF TOOL'S DEVELOPER, JOHN DEERE

The 14-cent Self-Scouring Steel Plow postal card will be issued May 22 in Moline, Illinois, hometown of John Deere, who developed the revolutionary farming tool in 1837, the Postal Service has announced.

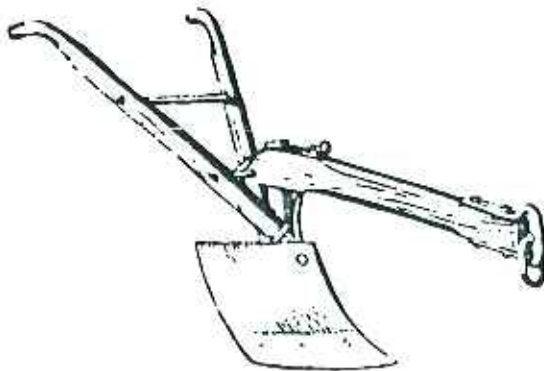
The postal card celebrating the 150th anniversary of the self-scouring steel plow will be available for sale at some other post offices the following day, and at most post offices and Philatelic Centers across the nation beginning May 25.

The dedication ceremony for the postal card will be held at 11 a.m. in the Deere & Company Administrative Center.

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Self-scouring steel plow, 1837



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The Quad-City Stamp Club has been verbally promised 100 programs to the First Day ceremony by a Postal Service employee in Washington, DC. If you would like to receive one of these, contact President Butch Lea at our next meeting or write him at 1624 - 24th Street, Moline, IL 61265.

May Program - 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 9TH, 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 or 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

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3. \$ 6.50	9. \$3.50	15. \$ 2.00	21. \$ 7.00	27. \$ 5.00
4. \$ 1.75	10. \$6.00	16. \$17.00	22. \$ 9.00	28. \$ 4.25
5. \$ 2.00	11. \$6.00	17. \$ 6.00	23. \$ 2.25	29. \$15.00
6. \$.75	12. \$4.25	18. \$16.00	24. \$ 3.00	

* JUNIORS *

Mike Hayes and Denise Laughlin won the door prizes in March. April door prizes will be your choice from a group of stamp packets. Door prizes donated by Dick and Jane castner, Quad-City Stamp Shop, Bettendorf.

Denise earned 25 PM (philamarks) for her work soaking stamps from paper. Others worked on word searches, puzzles and so on. Remember that taking part in announced activities earns 25 PM.

For April we will continue stamp soaking, collage making and a new activity. The new activity will be to make up displays that show the various ways stamps are separated. In addition to earning 25 PM for this newest activity, entries will be judged and awards of 50 PM will be given for displays that win in each class. Classes are set by school grades: 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, and 11-12 are the classes.

Remember that juniors can earn 25 PM by bringing in some part of their collections and telling other juniors about it. This is a good way to start thinking up an article so that you can earn even more PM. Bring a pair of small scissors if you want to start a collage out of damaged stamps.

Donations received for '87 are from George Holmes, Dick and Jane Castner and Mr. Anonymous. Thanks for your support!!

Chuck Maki, Juniors Advisor 786-2528

S T E R L I N G S T A M P S

Joe Burian Franklin Grove, IL 61031

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5-12-19

WATCH FOR AUCTIONS

CIAPEX '87



This event will be May 16-17 at the Belton Inn, South, 1101 University Ave., Des Moines, Iowa. It is sponsored by the Des Moines Philatelic Society and the Iowa Women's Philatelic Society. There will be a nineteen dealer bourse and an exhibition. The hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. A special cancel and two different cachets will be available: one depicting the Bicentennial of the constitution and the other the 50th anniversary of the Hindenberg destruction. They will sell for \$1.00@ and are available from Robert J. Lambert, 3301 Ross Road, Ames IA 50010.

P.S. SAVE MAY 22 FOR THE FIRST DAY CEREMONY OF THE SELF-SCOURING STEEL PLOW 14¢ POSTAL CARD. MORE DETAILS ON THIS NEXT MONTH.

1987 New Issues

- May 25 14¢ Constitutional Convention postal card, Philadelphia, PA 19104
- Jun 13 22¢ American Wildlife, pane of 50, Buffalo, NY 14240
- Jul 18 22¢ Morocco/U.S. Diplomatic Relations, Washington, DC 20066
- Aug 14 22¢ Lacemaking, block of 4, Ypsilanti, MI 48197
- Aug 25 \$5 Bret Harte (Great Americans), Twain harte, CA 95383
- Aug 28 22¢ Constitution booklet - 5 designs in @ of 4 panes, Washington, DC 20066
- Sep 17 22¢ Constitution, Philadelphia, PA 19104
- Sep 21 22¢ Certified Public Accountants, New York, NY 10001
- Sep 25 22¢ William Faulkner (Literay Arts), Oxford, MS 38655

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2.	UNITED STATES	1345-54	1968 6¢ Historic Flags-Colorama FDC cards(10)	UVF 40.00
3.	ICELAND	B1-4	1933 Semi Postal Set (4)	MOG F/VF 8.00
4.	JAPAN	685//1132	1960//73 New Years Stamps on First Day Covers(6)	UVF Est. 3.00
5.	SAN MARINO	257A-F,257G-I,C511-K	1947 F.D.Roosevelt set (12)	MOG NHF/VF 5.63
6.	UNITED STATES	1230-41	1963 Commem 5¢ Plt. Blox (12)	MOG NHVF 7.20
7.	UNITED STATES	1242-60	1964 Commem 5¢ Plt. Blox (16)	MOG NHF/VF 12.70
8.	UNITED STATES	620-1	1925 2 & 5¢ Norse American (2)	U F/VF 27.50
9.	UNITED STATES	J85-6, J92-3, J97	1931 4,5,10,50 & \$1 Post Due S&Blx(32)	U F/VF 2.84
10.	UNITED STATES	Q2, Q7	1912 2 & 15¢ Parcel Post Q7 Chgo Precancel(2)	U F 12.00
11.	UNITED STATES	303	1903 4¢ Grant	M OG F 45.00
12.	UNITED STATES	R56c, R57c, R59b	1862 - 3 Diff. 50¢ revenues	U F/VF 10.50
13.	UNITED STATES	R125	1871 - \$3 second issue Revenue	U F/VF 30.00
14.	JAMAICA	113-5, 150-1, 155-8	1937-55 Coronation, Scout & Anniv Sets(9)	MOG VF 4.07
15.	UNITED STATES	63, 68	1861 1¢ blue & 10¢ green (2) clipped perfs	U F 45.00
16.	UNITED STATES	76	1863 5¢ Jefferson brown s/e right	U F 50.00
17.	UNITED STATES	214	1887 3¢ Vermilion jumbo copy tiny tear right	U F 37.50
18.	UNITED STATES	307	1903 10¢ red brown s/e top	MOG F 60.00
19.	UNITED STATES	286	1898 2¢ Transmississippi ctrd. top	MOG F 25.00
20.	UNITED STATES	298	1901 8¢ Pan American tiny thin	U F 75.00
21.	UNITED STATES	571	1923 \$1 Lincoln Memorial gum stain	M OG F+ 50.00
22.	UNITED STATES	E3	1893 10¢ orange Spec. Dely. ctrd top	U F 14.00
23.	UNITED STATES	RW13, 15	1946 & 48 \$1 Duck Stamps ctrd. right, creases	U F 15.00
24.	UNITED STATES	RW18	1951 \$2 Black Duck Stamp gum missing right	MPG F 45.00
25.	ANDORRA	188-9, 196-7	1969-70 Europa Issues (4) ☺	MOG NHVF 15.25
26.	FINLAND	1934 Kivi & 1935 Kalevala	sets (4)	U F/VF 8.00
27.	NORWAY	154-7, 181-3	1932 Ejornson & 1938 Reg. wkld (7)	U VF 10.45
28.	TONGA	1950 Friendship treaty	set on one First Day Cover	U VF 5.60++

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Deadline for	*	BIDDING INCREMENTS	
MAY	*	0 - \$5	25¢
	*	\$5 - \$10	50¢
	*	\$10 - \$30	\$1
Tues., Apr 28th	*	\$30 & up	\$2

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