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NEXT MEETING: Thurs., Dec. 8th.

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

TIME: Business meeting at 8 p.m.

BOURSE: 7 to 10 p.m.



YOUR TIME IS RUNNING OUT - PAID YOUR DUES?

THANK YOU TO THE MANY MEMBERS WHO HAVE PAID THEIR DUES SO PROMPTLY. EACH DAY THERE ARE A FEW MORE IN THE MAIL. THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE NOT YET PAID STILL HAVE UNTIL DECEMBER 31ST. IF YOUR DUES ARE NOT RECEIVED BY THE MAILING DATE OF THE JANUARY NEWSLETTER, NO PHILA-QUAD WILL BE SENT TO YOU. CHECK THE MAILING LABEL ON THIS ISSUE. IF THERE IS A RED CHECK MARK NEXT TO YOUR NAME, YOUR DUES HAVE NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED.

Stampless Covers

George Wolters will be giving a slide program on his collection of stampless covers for the December meeting program. The covers are from Iowa and Illinois. Many of them are territorial covers. A stampless cover is not one that lost its stamp in transit, rather, a letter sent through the mail before we began issuing stamps. Most of us are fortunate to have even one of the prized covers. We are very fortunate to have a member who, not only has a good collection of them, but is also prepared to share the information with us by way of a program.



PLEASE PAY YOUR QCSC CLUB DUES BY DECEMBER 31, 1988.

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* This month's PHILA-QUAD
* was mailed from
* Dundee, IA 52308

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* County: Delaware

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* Population: 164

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* Post Office Established: 1887

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* Post Office Class: 3rd

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* Precancel Permit Number: 1

Membership Campaign

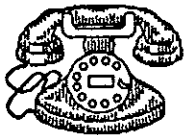
Well, one cannot really say that it was a rousing success, but we did acquire four new members with the effort. We also had four members who proposed new members. Can you follow the complicated math on that? We will have the drawing at the December meeting to award the gift certificates. Those in contention for the prizes are: Jim Mehrer, Myrtle Sheets, Bob Verhaeghe and Bob Neff.

Meeting Newszzzzzz...

A large number of members attended the tour of the Rock Island Post Office. They saw a video first and then saw the post office in action. Some of us did not go and we went down to the hall to wait. Some of us arrived at 7:30 and others thereafter. As 8:30 approached we began to have our doubts. Finally the group began arriving close to 9:00. We then hustled through a brief meeting and sped equally as fast through the auction.

CALLING ALL MEMBERS...

BOURSE



...VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.

WE ARE IN NEED OF A COMMITTEE OF PERHAPS THREE TO SEE TO THE SETTING UP OF OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOURSES. IT IS FELT THAT A BETTER JOB CAN BE DONE IF WE GET SOME FRESH HELPERS. THE BOARD WILL ASSIST AND WILL PROVIDE PAST RECORDS FOR THE NEW STANDING COMMITTEE.

PRECANCEL MAILER

WITH CLETUS JUST RECENTLY OUT OF THE HOSPITAL AND STEVE AVAIL-
ABLE ONLY OCCASSIONALLY, WE NEED HELP. IF WE INTEND TO CONTINUE
WE MUST HAVE SOMEONE WHO CAN STEP IN AND HELP, NOW!

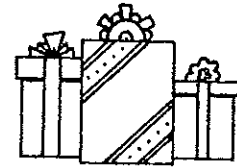
PRICES REALIZED - NOVEMBER

1. \$2.75	8. \$ 4.00	15. \$ 4.50	22. \$11.00	29. \$ 8.50
2. \$.25	9. \$ 3.50	16. \$ 7.00	23. \$ 6.50	30. \$11.00
3. \$.25	10. \$ 1.50	17. \$10.00	24. \$ 2.75	31. \$ 7.00
4. \$3.00	11. \$ 1.25	18. \$ 2.00	25. \$ 5.50	
5. \$.50	12. \$.50	19. \$ 9.00	26. \$18.00	
6. \$.50	13. \$ 2.50	20. \$ 9.50	27. \$19.00	
7. \$.50	14. \$22.00	21. \$20.00	28. \$17.00	



Cloisonne Pins

There are still some cloisonne stamp pins left for sale. We have now sold enough to cover the costs, so any sold from now on will be profit for our treasury. One would make a nice Christmas gift. Look them over at the December meeting.



*Get well wishes from us
all to our friends who
were...*

HOSPITALIZED

This fall has been a bad one for several of our members. Cletus Simon had a light heart attack and is home recovering. Bob Verhaeghe spent some time in the hospital in traction for a hurt back and now is home but undergoing therapy. Dick Castner is still in serious condition in the hospital with complications from a serious heart attack. He is still not being allowed any visitors.

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BOURSE - FEB 19

St. Ambrose Univ.
Davenport, IA



AUCTION - MAR 12

Jumer's Castle Lodge
Bettendorf, IA

QUAD-CITY STAMP CLUB BOURSE

It is also time to begin looking forward to our next bourse. This will be at the same place and time slot as the past events. We will be needing people to sit at the Club information table as well as the people mentioned on p. 2 to help with organization and publicity. The board has a difficult time doing everything themselves. Jim Mehrer finds with his 10 to 12 hour work days that he just does not have the time to devote to contacting possible dealers as he would like. More can be done with television and radio to get the word out to collectors and we need someone to see to it that mailing are done to area APS members and Clubs. If several people did something...

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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 1989 U.S. STAMP PROGRAM

The first of the new America issues will be released in 1989. On October 12 in San Juan, Puerto Rico the two stamp set - one air mail and one domestic will be issued. Also in October will be a block of four featuring prehistoric animals that will be the focal point of the National Stamp Collecting Month campaign. Another joint issue, this one with France, will be held in July. Other features of the year will be 5 statehood commemoratives, 4 constitution and related historical commemoratives and additions to several series. No transportation coil stamps have been announced. Below are the first few issues for the year:

Jan 13	15¢	Desert postal card, Tucson, AZ 85726
Jan 15	25¢	Montana Statehood, Helena, MT 59601
Jan 23	15¢	Healy Hall postal card, Washington, DC 20066
Feb 3	25¢	A. Phillip Randolph (Black Heritage), undeter.
Feb 21	25¢	North Dakota, Bismarck, ND 58501
Feb 23	25¢	Washington Statehood, Olympia, WA 98501

LOT #	COUNTRY	SCOTT #	DESCRIPTION AND CONDITION	VALUE
1.	UNITED STATES	938,42,48(2)50,54,57,81	8-3 & 5Sht FDC no cachets U VF	(17.75)
2.	UNITED STATES	951,5,75,80,1072,88,1105,57	8-3&4¢ FDC no cachets U VF	(8.65)
3.	UNITED STATES	1121,38,45,61,67,70,72	7-4¢ Commem FDC no cachets U VF	(6.25)
4.	UNITED STATES	926,45,53,60,65,1066,84,92,4,1128,32,53	12-FDC Nocach.UVF	(16.20)
5.	ARGENTINA	622-4	1952 Communications Conference (3) MOG NHVF	5.10
6.	ANGUILLA	199,204a	1974 U.P.U. single & strip of 5 MOG NHVF	4.30
7.	LUXEMBOURG	B174-9	1953 Welfare issue (6) MOG NHVF	13.99
8.	MONACO	274-5, 306-11	1951-4 Scenes (2) & Relig.Soc.(6) MOG NHVF	10.20
9.	UNITED STATES	71	1861 Orange(cork cancel)(ctrd.bottom) U F	65.00
10.	IOWA Revenue	--	1962 Iowa Trout Revenue stamp M NG VF	???
11.	UNITED STATES	RW38	1971-\$3 Duck & Calif.Duck stmp on license U VF	4.00++
12.	UNITED STATES	233	1893 - 4¢ Columbian used U VF	6.00
13.	UNITED STATES	276A	1895 \$1 black watermarked Type II U F	135.00
14.	UNITED STATES	375	1910 2¢ Washington SL wmk. (dist. gum) MOG F/VF	7.00
15.	UNITED STATES	816//828	1938-11,12,14,16,18(2)20&24¢ prexies MOG NHF/VF	21.10
16.	UNITED STATES	1446-74	1972 Commem. mint set (28) MOG NHVF	5.60+
17.	UNITED STATES	1475-1508,C36	1973 Commem.mint set (33) MOG NHVF	6.24+
18.	UNITED STATES	1505-6,1525-57	1974 Commem.mint set (29) MOG NHVF	5.80+
19.	CANADA	252//B2	1943-81 13 Diff.Reg.&Commem(879-82 insc.blk) MOG NHVF	6.05++
20.	SOUTH AFRICA	236	1927 - 3p red & black perf 14x13½ U F/VF	3.25
21.	KENYA,UGANDA&TANZ.	68a	1941 - 30¢ blue & black perf 14 U VF	7.50
22.	GERMANY	712	1954 30 pf. blue regular issue U VF	3.50
23.	IRELAND	72	1922 5p deep violet U VF	10.00
24.	CROATIA	var.	70 different on pages M U	15.72
25.	HUNGARY	B130	1941 souvenir sheet (pinhole LL) MOG VF	5.00
26.	PORTUGAL	641a	1945 souvenir sheet (paper adhering) MOG VF	12.00
27.	VATICAN CITY	155a	1952 stamp centenary(stagecoach) Souv.Sht.MOG NHVF	100.00
28.	VATICAN CITY	520a	1972 Venice UNESCO souvenir sheet MOG NHVF	5.00
29.	UNITED STATES	155	1870-90¢ carmine white wove paper U F	175.00
30.	UNITED STATES	718-9	1932 3 & 5¢ Olympics block of 4 (2) MOG NHF/VF	21.00
31.	UNITED STATES	769a,797	1935-7 1¢ Parks imp.gut.pr & 10¢ SS MOG NH VF	8.25
32.	UNITED STATES	R91c	1862 = .5 Mortgage revenue perforated U F	15.00

December Raffle 1974 10¢ Christmas (precancel) Pane of 50 Cat. \$12.00+
 Junior Auction - 5 lots U.S. & Foreign

DEADLINE FOR JANUARY IS TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27TH.

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