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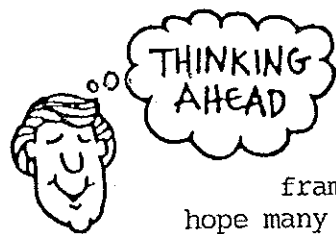
May 1990

NEXT MEETING: Thursday, May 10

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

TIME: Business meeting at 8 p.m.

BOURSE: 7 to 10 p.m.



We are making plans for our October 28th show at the Rock Island Masonic Temple. We plan a members only, one frame (6 page) exhibit. We hope many of you will plan a frame on your favorite subject. Remember, there is no charge and \$60.00 in prizes!!!!

1990 U.S. Stamp Program

- Apr 26 25¢ Lighthouses booklet (5), Washington, DC 20066
- May 15¢ Isaac Royall House postal card(Historic Preservation), Medford, MA 02155
- May 4 25¢ Flag sheetlet (12) for use in ATMs, Seattle, WA 98109
- Jun 1 \$2.00 Bobcat (?????), Arlington, VA 22210
- Jul 6 25¢ Olympians (5), Minneapolis, MN 55401
- Jun 1 25¢ Rhode Island Statehood (Constitution), Providence, RI 02904
- Sep 6 40¢ Claire Lee Chennault (Great Americans), Monroe, LA 71203

John MacLeod, Iowa City, IA - WW to 1965,
Chile, Germany, Peru

Carl Creger, Rock Island, IL - U.S.

Wally Nefiodow, Bettendorf, IA - WW,
especially Venezuela



WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS - WE HOPE YOU ENJOY THE QCSC

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OUR ANNUAL CLOTHESLINE EXHIBITION IS COMING UP IN MAY. PRINTED BELOW ARE THE RULES SO YOU CAN BEGIN TO PREPARE YOUR PAGES. ALL ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE. PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO WINNERS.

May Program - Clothesline Exhibition

Our May program requires the participation of willing club members. This will be for our annual Clothesline Exhibition. We print the rules here in the April issue to give you time to plan. If you have any questions regarding the exhibition, be sure to ask at the meeting.

§§ 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. 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 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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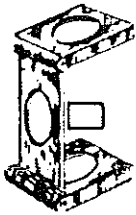
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2. \$4.25	9. \$2.75	16. \$2.75	23. \$ 5.00	30. \$7.50
3. \$3.75	10. \$2.00	17. \$2.00	24. \$ 5.00	31. \$8.00
4. \$2.25	11. \$1.50	18. \$2.00	25. \$11.00	32. \$4.00
5. \$3.25	12. \$2.25	19. \$4.25	26. -----	
6. \$3.75	13. \$3.00	20. \$4.75	27. \$ 2.75	
7. \$4.00	14. \$2.50	21. \$4.00	28. \$ 7.50	



The object at the left is a linen tester, a type of magnifying glass. This was one of the items shown at the April meeting for the program. The idea was great and the information shared interesting; too bad we had so few members participate. You know it takes a group of active people to make a Club. Perhaps we will try it again some time.



**Nominating
Committee**

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE HAS COMPLETED THEIR TASK. THEY COULD HAVE REPORTED LAST MONTH AS SCHEDULED, BUT THOUGHT THEY NEEDED ONE MORE DIRECTOR. THE WHOLE PROCESS HAS JUST BEEN DELAYED ONE MONTH, BUT THE SYSTEM SEEMS TO PROVIDE FOR SUCH.

THE NEW OFFICERS WILL BE: BOB NEFF, VICE PRESIDENT; MYRTLE SHEETS AND GEORGE PETTIGREW, DIRECTORS. THERE WILL BE NOMINATIONS ALLOWED FROM THE FLOOR IF THE NOMINEE HAS GIVEN HIS/HER CONSENT IN ADVANCE. NOMINATIONS WILL BE CLOSED AFTER THE SLATE HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED AND ANY OTHER NOMINATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE FROM THE FLOOR. THE ELECTION WILL BE IN JUNE INSTEAD OF MAY AND THE OFFICERS WILL TAKE OFFICE AT THE CLOSE OF THE JUNE BUSINESS MEETING. THERE WILL BE A JOINT MEETING OF THE OLD AND NEW BOARDS AT THE JUNE BOARD MEETING.

CLOTHESLINE EXHIBITION

The May program will be our annual Clothesline Exhibition, which is for those of you who do not know, just what it sounds like. Each member is encouraged to bring at least one entry (see rules on p. 2). You may enter several categories if you choose. We hope you will all enter a page or two. We are interested in seeing what each member collects.



There will be a prize for each first place winner as customary; however, we will be offering prizes this year for every participant. You can not lose - no entry fee and a prize for merely entering.

MEMBER NEWS

We announced the hospitalization of current VP Virginia Lorimor at the April meeting. We understand she has been released from the hospital and we hope she feels well enough to join us at the May meeting.

George Gersib, club member from Des Moines, and his wife are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary this spring. George also informs us that he is retiring from his stamp business, the Stamp Corner, and is looking for a buyer. More on this in the June newsletter.

PHILATELIC LITERACY

"MIDAPHIL hosts SIP and SOSSU" boasts the headline. "MNH to HH to heavy X, hi CV," trumpets the classified ad. More than any fields of interest, philately relies on abbreviations and acronyms. Can you give the original words for the philatelic shortcuts below? Answers to appear in June issue.

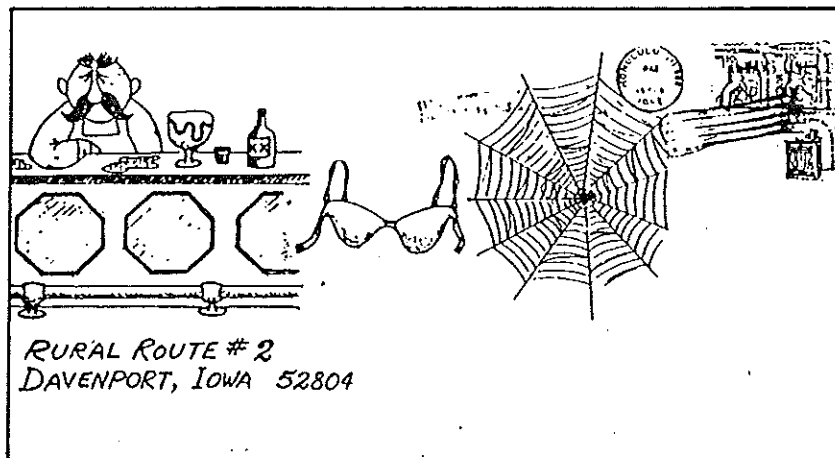
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| 1. ABNC | 5. ASDA | 9. CCKC |
| 2. APRL | 6. ATA | 10. CDS |
| 3. APS | 7. BEP | 11. COMPEX |
| 4. ARA | 8. BOB | 12. COPO |

Guess what? This is only part of the list. More to follow!

STILL ALIVE & ILLEGAL

George Pettigrew found this in a May 1982 issue of Stamp World.

Prior vignettes in Stamp World have carried two examples of rebus letters: those that had the address written in the form of a puzzle. Those short writings pointed out that this was an oldtime practice that has now gone by the boards. Along comes reader Mark Hanus, a postal employee in Omaha, NB to, to prove us wrong. The puzzle address shown was received by Dan Foley, postmaster at Davenport, IA. It was delivered -- in spite of postal rules to the contrary -- to the lady for whom it was intended.



LOT	COUNTRY	DESCRIPTION AND CONDITION	CAT
1.	Barbados 152-9	½p-lsh Seal of Colony M OG VF	\$ 18.00
2.	Cayman Islands 1-2, 45-6	1903-13 2QV & 2KGV M OG F/VF	8.90
3.	Cayman Islands 89-93	1935-6 ½p-lsh pictoral (6) M OG VF	22.02
4.	Czechoslovakia 707-10	1955 Regional Costumes (4) M OG NH VF	22.00
5.	U.N. 48//124	37 different M OG VF	5.13
6.	U.N. 145//200	23 different plus 1 s/s M OG VF	5.69
7.	U.N. 201//C12,UXC1	12 reg., Air, 1 s/s & 1 Air post M OG VF	5.04
8.	U.S. 909-21	1943 5¢ Overrun Countries Blk of 4 M OG NH VF	9.64
9.	U.S. 910,912	1943 5¢ Overrun Countries Insc. Blk M OG NH VF	4.25
10.	U.S. C37	1938 5¢ Carmine Air coil line pr. M OG VF	7.50
11.	U.S. 844,848	1939 4½¢ Horiz. & 1¢ Vert. coil line pr. M OG NH VF	5.25
12.	West Berlin 9N542-48	2 Bklt. panes Used VF	4.50++
13.	Bolivia C147a-149a	Founding of LaPaz Anniv. s/s M NH VF	3.00
14.	Finland 26,32,64,178	1881-1930 4 different Used F/VF	11.65
15.	U.S. C63,C115	1961 15¢ St. Lib, 1985 Ch. Clpr. Pl. Blk M OG NH VF	4.50
16.	Portugal, Azores, Madeira	1702-2a Europa s/s & sgl. M OG NH VF	18.65
17.	U.S. 482	1916 2¢ Wash. Imperf. Vert. Line Blk M OG NH VF	4.00
18.	U.S. 637	1919 3¢ Victory M OG NH VF	6.25
19.	U.S. R124	1871 \$2.50 bicored rev. cut cancel Used F	18.00
20.	U.S. 383	1911 1¢ Franklin Imperf Pl. Blk 6 w/crease U VF (Mt.	37.50)
21.	White Ace Flip Cover Album,	holds 100 U VF (NEW	24.95)
22.	U.S. 807	1938 3¢ Jefferson, Exper. Elec. Eye Pl. Blk 6 M OG NH VF	20.00
23.	U.S. C25-31	1941-4 6-50¢ Airmail set (7) U F/VF	4.95
24.	U.S. O17	1873 3¢ Interior Dept. Official M OG VF	25.00
25.	Canada 532-42	1971 10 different Commem. M OG NH VF	3.46
26.	Vatican City 551/C52	11 Commem. 1 Air, 6 Dues(18) M OG NH VF	5.00
27.	Switzerland 585	1974 Inter. Stamp Show s/s M OG NH VF	6.00
28.	Canal Zone 142-45	1949 Gold Rush Cent. (4) M OG NH VF	7.50
29.	Canal Zone C7//C52	1931-72 13 different Airmail M OG NH VF	13.80
30.	Canal Zone C36-41	1964 50th Anniv. Canal (6) M OG NH VF	16.70
*31.	Aitutaki 103A, 130A, 159A	1974-77 3 s/s M OG NH VF	9.50
*32.	Tokelau 103	1984 Copra Harvesting, strip of 5 M OG NH VF	3.25

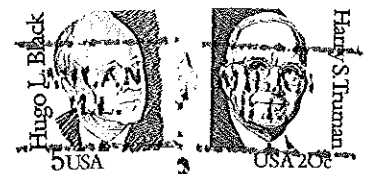
*White Elephant

5 Junior Lots

Raffle Panes of 3¢ Wisconsin and 3¢ Coast Guard

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