

GARFIELD - PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 383⁴th Regular Meeting

June 6, 1986

VicePresident Stage called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 14 members and 2 guests attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Frank Tesh and Darner Cragin were welcomed as guests.

Future entertainments include Tibet, encased postage stamps, the 906 club and a July 4 holiday.

Philatelic News: Norway, Canada, and UN touting new issues. A Harris sale catalogue listed some really nice bargain, unfortunately dated 1960.

Donation Auction: A full set of Linn's AMERIPEX issues brought \$8 and a Finnish souvenir item, \$1.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Ricksecker showed Dominica and Montserrat embossed envelopes.

Entertainment: AMERIPEX Re-hash. Mr. Pulver had photos. There were about 150,000 attendees, not counting kids. Dealers shoveling in the money. An abundance of uniformed and plain-clothes security. A sleeping Mr. Stager got burgled for \$500 cash. The smallest booth was \$3750. A spider press was working. Four or five seminars all the time. The ILK society had a meeting and issued a nice souvenir sheet. Susan McDonald was elected to the writer's hall of fame.

The Meeting adjourned at 9:55.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, SEc.

GARFIELD - PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 3835th Regular Meeting

June 13, 1986

VicePresident Stage called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 12 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Forthcoming entertainment will feature encased stamps, the 906 Club, and no meeting on July 4.

There was no old nor new business.

Philatelic News: Everyone seems to be resting up from AMERIPEX. GP received a nice plug in the new "In Touch" magazine.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Morris had an objectionable stamp cover from Iran, "failure of U.S. military aggression". Mr. Ball showed a nice packet boat item. Mr. Reid had the largest, a charge account on an outdated express mail cover. Mr. D'Allesandris, an early Sott to dealer; and Mr. Underwood several attractive corner cards.

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March Party Items: The AMERIPEX frames we ordered have arrived, with a screwdriver.

News of Members: Mr. Bianchi has been promoted to Chicago; in process of moving.

Future Entertainments: Mr. Ball reminded us of that we could enjoy a program on the 906Club, no meeting on July 4, and a good slide show on July 11.

Philatelic News: Belgium has dogs and tourist attractions. A complete set of 2¢ reds is offered by Standard Oil for \$75.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Underwood is now the proud possessor of a complete set of Readers' Digest first day covers -- cost original owner \$3.95 each -- bound, written up, certified, etc. Mr. Ball had, on loan from the Western Reserve Historical Society, a registered cover with a block of 8 \$1.

Entertainment: Mr. Ball introduced, from the Western Reserve Historical Society, Kermit Pike. With the aid of good slides, he took us through the Society's collection of encased postage stamps, small currency substitutes from the Civil War era. There is one of the premier collections. Mr. Pike gave a lively program, enhanced with anecdotes of Society leaders. A general discussion followed.

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Minutes of the 3837^a Meeting, June 26, 1986

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There was no old or new business; nor was there any special March Party news.

Under news of members it was noted that Bill Boggs, owner of New England Stamp and frequent attendee of recent March Parties passed away on June 16.

Under philatelic news Justin Underwood passed around a couple of announcements and then proceeded on kind of a "Covers of the Week" mini-talk, showing some very unusual material he had picked up at AMERIPEX. Key item was an 1858 embossed envelope which he sent to be inspected by expert Dr. Haller. The good Dr. answered that it was "A splendid find, authenticated and duly recorded".

The Reader's Digest First Day Cover Find was not further discussed.

C. I. Ball noted that AMERIPEX was gone but not forgotten. He showed a souvenir card sent with CAPEX '87 Bulletin #1 which was an overprinted "leftover" from CAPEX 78. Didn't think it could be rare since it bore Serial # 11, 657.

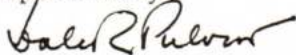
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It was noted by several G-P members that this was one of the most unusual and entertaining philatelic talks we have ever had the pleasure of hearing.

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July 11, 1986

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March Party Items: The Apfelbaums will give a 30 minute presentation on protecting a collection from fire and theft. Fliers are available.

Philatelic News: Mr. Underwood called our attention to the July 4, 1984 cancels on the PerryScope mailing. Canada and Australia offering numerous items.

Future Entertainments: We anticipate being treated to Canada's maple leaf issue, George Ball's Toledo strip, the Waghorn story, and Ken Koller's U.S. possessions.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Parler had a nude mother's day. Mr. Ball showed a problematic strike on an item from New York in 1942, a U.S. Atlantic Fleet, White House corner cover from 1909, and a packet boat, Port Said.

News from the Virgin Islands: The mail is slow.

Swedish Auction: Covers brought \$4.50.

Special Presentation: Mr. Parler discovered some priceless items in his recent trip to Maine --bathroom statinery featuring fortune telling and classic art.

Surprise Entertainment: Mr. Stager had the distinct pleasure of introducing the distinguished philatelist, C. I. Ball who gave us pleasure with his "Wastebasket Philately". We were shown how to affix stamps with tape or staples, to seal envelopes with stamps, band-aids, or selvage, to put stamps in all positions, front and back. His covers displayed crazy explanations to post office minions who probably never read them and a nice mix of political and patriotic outbursts. It was good fun and no wonder the Youngstown club keeps getting him back for re-runs.

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July 18, 1986

Mr. Stager called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 14 members attending.

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Philatelic News: Un-cancelled stamps, in Australia, are called "clean skins." The Mahoning Valley show, scheduled for early September, sent prospectuses. There is some dispute on the matter of the 1984 cancels on our recent PerryScopes. Mr. Ball got equal time for rebuttal on a different matter.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Morris had a Christmas card which had triggered a bomb scare. He also had the scarce World Refugee cancel depicting an open hand, which, together with a machine head stamps could show the Queen cooking a snoot.

News of Members: Nice obituary for Don Goertz in recent CLEVELAND magazine.

Entertainment: With a technical crew of Messrs, Morris and Ball, readings by the literate and sonorous Mr. Stager, we were treated to a slide show of the maple leaf issue of Canada, 1897-8. Attractive material, well presented courtesy of APS and Royal Phil. Society.

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Minutes of the 3840th Regular Meeting

July 25, 1986

Mr. Stager called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 11 members and 1 guest attending.

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The real Mr. Ball was introduced.

There was no old nor new business.

Future Entertainments: Ken Koller, August 8; slide show, Aug. 15; and no meeting, Aug. 22.

Philatelic News: Noted a copy of journal "Postal History U S A", which includes news of Fourth Class Cancellation Club. New dies will be used on transportation series.

Covers of the Week: Flawed Trinidad and Tobago on cover. Nice fake on 1849 Cleveland cover. Railway local post of Waterville, Ohio, 1974.

Entertainment: Mr. C.I. Ball introduced Mr. George Ball (no relation) of Oregon, near Toledo. He gave us a quick sketch of the Toledo Strip controversy 1835-8 and showed slides of nice covers from small postoffices in the contested area. Well researched and a lively presentation.

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