

GARFIELD - PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 3957th Regular Meeting

Feb. 3, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:15 with 20 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

There was no old nor new business.

Benefit auctions: Swedish items brought \$6.00, China Society envelopes, \$5.00, and several items from Mr. Whitteley, \$25.50.

March Party Items: Scott's will have a roundtable discussion on Saturday. The bourse is one table over full.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Lucas had some nice coffee cancels and Mr. Morris had a rare whiskey-promotion mailer.

Future Entertainments: We'll have some.

Entertainment: Club bourse. Fairly brisk action.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15,

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3958th Regular Meeting

February 10, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:15 with 15 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

There was no old nor new business.

News of Members: Greetings from Simine Short. Life Members C. H. PRESTON has resigned. Greeting from Phil Stager.

March Party Items: We have a contract for the hall.

Future Entertainments: Packet stuffing, trip to China, and March Party count-down.

Philatelic News: Topicals and thematics are gaining prestige.

Donation Auctions: With 35 dollars from Mr. Whitteleseey's items, the club treasury garnered a total of \$41.50.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Allen had an early Cleveland box cancel, a Berlin Center, and a Kent.

Entertainment: At 9:17, Mr. Ball rose to explain why there wasn't going to be any entertainment. Then he showed a few highlights from his SOHIO wastebasket philately and it was really quite entertaining,

The meeting adjourned at 9:49.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3959th Regular Meeting

February 17, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:15 with 13 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted with minor modification.

News of Members: Phil Stager will be exhibit chairman for next FLOREX.

There was no old nor new business.

March Party News: A signup sheet for workers was circulated. There will be first-day ceremonies on Friday for a new 25¢ philatelic envelope. We are going to sell lots of cards and covers and cachets and cancels.

Future entertainments include a trip to China and get ready for the March Party.

Catalogue of the Week: Sotheby's REpublican catalogue looked like a 6 digit Spencer Gifts.

Proof of the Week: Mr. Stanitz had a small die proof of the 1869.

Entertainment: We stuffed gift envelopes, stamps for kiddies, to be passed out at the show.

The meeting adjourned at 9:40.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

Meeting of the
Garfield-Perry Stamp Club

February 24, 1989

The meeting was called to order at 8:10 P.M. by President Richard Parker.

Because the Secretary was not in attendance, there were no minutes read. It was rumored that the Secretary was seen at the corner of Ninth and Euclid with a tin cup hoping to obtain sufficient funds for a new pencil and a piece of paper.

There was no news of members.

There was no Old Business.

It was announced that Vince Lucas has been appointed the new Librarian.

Publicity for the March Party was discussed. Also, it was noted that members have received engraved invitations to the First Day Ceremony, from the Postmaster General.

It was reported that the Springfield, Ohio Stamp Club has now been discontinued.

Future entertainment was outlined.

There was philatelic news of Japan and Canada.

With great fanfare, John Stanitz presented a new feature - the Stamp of the Week. Actually, John presented a large block of stamps so we should really call it Stamps of the Week. This presentation was so outstanding that John promised to continue this feature each week.

Concerning Covers of the Week, both Reg Morris and Dick Park had fine examples to show.

There was an Auction of the Whittlesey material that resulted in significant revenues for the Club's treasury.

For the Entertainment of the Evening, Norm Townsend gave an outstanding presentation of his philatelic trip to Mainland China during the Summer of 1988. This trip was at the invitation of the Chinese Government in celebration of the 110th Anniversary of the Establishment of the Postal System.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 P.M.

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Minutes of the 3961st Regular Meeting

March 3, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:15 with 21 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting, courtesy Norm Townsend, were gratefully accepted.

News of Members: Mr. Stager sent some real butterflies from Florida to Mr. Lucas.

There was no old nor new business.

Mr. Ball warned us of future entertainments.

Philatelic News: Mr. Ball reported on the Toledo show -- Jay Stotts took the grand award, Denise the reserve grand, and Mr. Ball ate too much.

Stamps of the Week: Mr. Stanitz had a small die proof of 1850 issue and a vertical pair of #1.

Auctions: Friedberg material brought \$11, Whitteley's \$19.

Entertainment: The annual Get Ready for the March Party Roundtable Publicity is well in hand. We have paid for 1500 FDC's of the new "philatelic mail" envelope. Otherwise all seems ready.

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Minutes of the 3964th Regular Meeting

April ¹⁴~~21~~, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order of 8:12 with 17 members and 1 guest attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting, courtesy Mr. Smith, were warmly received.

Membership applications of Mssrs. Albrecht, Bayer, BEach, Friedberg, Harvey, Leszak, Tesch, ~~AND DESIMONE~~

were duly noted.

There was no old nor new business.

March Party 1990: We have a tentative "no" from the Bureau of Printing and Engraving. It will be a 4-day show -- Thursday noon through Sunday.

Future entertainments include British Empire Exhibition, Clothesline Night, U.S. Revenues, Trans-Mississippi Covers, and Dr. Freidberg.

Philatelic News: A current auction catalogue features material from the collection of our recent judge Siskin. COLOPEX -- a nice show, grand award to a Danish West Indies collection, reserve grand to Dr. Gene Scott's Uganda, five (actually 3) frames of boobs distracted Mr. Ball, Jay Stotts did his last apprentice work.

News of Members: Mr. Cornman says he hasn't been able to come to meetings since Bruce has moved in with him.

Stamps of the Week: Mr. Townsend brought a coil pair (auctioned for \$2).

Cover of the Week: Mr. Smith had a fine cover from the wandering Stager, Grand Turks or some such.

Donation auctions garnered \$36.25 (Whittlesey 33, Stager 3.25)

Entertainment: Mr. Ball introduced BOB Boyer with "Mail to and from Cities that have bee Capitals of Ohio". Namely, Chillicothe, Zanesville, and Columbus. It was most impressive, ranging from vintage Northwest Territory to 1900. Truly top-drawer material, well researched rate study.

The meeting adjourned at 9:50.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3965th Regular Meeting

April 21, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:08 with 16 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

There was no old nor new business.

News of Members: Mr. Cornman and daughter have birthdays within the week. Mr. Kiraly has returned from Florida. Susan McDonald won the Leichtenstein medal.

March Party '90: A list of activities and assignments is circulating.

Philatelic News: Weil's stock (reportedly worth about 15 million) is to be auctioned by Christie's.

Stamps of the Week: Mr. Stanitz showed his recently acquired #19 (9214), a good impression.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Ricksecker showed a nice mix from Dutch islands in the Caribbean. Mr. Morris brought "waste from work", including big airmail labels from Australia/NewZealand, green ink on British cancels, and military service sticker on express mail.

The auction of some of Mr. Whitteley's donation material brought in \$29.25.

Entertainment: Mr. Morris (alone) carried us through part III of the Wembley Exhibition, 1925, showing cards, labels, stamps, and postmarks. Some of the material was quite rare; all interesting.

The meeting adjourned at 9:23.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3966th Regular Meeting

April 28, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:11 with 13 members and 1 guest attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Greetings from George Mellor, now in San Francisco. Justin will wed tomorrow.

There was no old nor new business.

Future Entertainments: We look forward to U.S. Revenues, Trans-Mississippi on cover, Dr. Friedberg, no meeting on May 26, then Bourse Night.

Philatelic News: From the Ohio Historical Society Archives -- two 5¢ 1847 covers, first sighting of 1847 Perrysburg straight line, two 1814 Lebanons. Mr. Ball judged at WESTPEX -- a fine show, Errors, Freaks, and Oddities meeting, 14 gold and 17 vermeil medals in 41 exhibits, 71 dealers, Grand award to Hotchner's separations, Reserve for 1868 issue. Mr. Lucas reported on ROPEX -- he got a gold, a GERmania took Grand, and Wales (recently here) took the Reserve. Mr. Stanitz uses Mr. Estati as an expertizer.

Cover of the Week: Mr. Stanitz found a nice 1848 cover in a book from Cleveland Public Library -- auctioned for \$5.

Entertainment: Clothesline exhibit, participants included:

Ball (1901 Hong Kong), Knurek (electronic cancel on post card), Lucas (Greek coffee advertising cancel), Parker (3 covers from same postoffice with different names), Hardy (USS Pennsylvania covers), and Ball (YouBet, Cal., cover).

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3968th Regular Meeting

May 12, 1989

Former President Pulver called the meeting to order at 8:16 with 12 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

There was no old nor new business.

News of Members: Letter from Mr. Stager, now residing in Florida -- He took the reserve grand award at recent Ft. Lauderdale show, is scheduling a big new show the same weekend as March Party. Mr. Stanitz is in Rochester, Parker is on his way to Vermont, Allen is stuck on an airplane.

Auction: From the Whitteleseey holdings the club realized 32.50.

Future Entertainments: We look forward to Dr. Friedberg, (no meeting on the 26th), bourse night, and 1990 March Party gala discussion.

Entertainment: Mr. Ball introduced Gordon Wean, who showed Trans-Mississippi issue on cover. It was a high-quality assembly of a hard luck issue that is very hard to get, yet he had a most impressive array of foreign and domestic rate useages.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35.

REspectfully submitted

Joe Eggar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3973rd regular meeting, June 23, 1989:

Reg Morris called the meeting to order at 8 PM with 15 members present. And it really was 8 o'clock; service in the dining room was unusually quick that evening!

There were no minutes; our regular secretary was spending time with relatives in W. Va., ostensibly on vacation.

No new or old business. John Stanitz reported under "News of Members" that he had attended the Christie's sale in NY June 11 and was able to snare 2 of the five lots he bid on. He reported that prices seemed to be quite good for better grade material.

Under March Party news, it was noted that all the committee chairmen were hard at work and that one of the judges, Ernst Cohn, had confirmed in writing that he would be happy to work our show. MP flyers were passed around. They were printed on a remarkable colored paper; Milt Cornman, who has a good eye for colors, called it "neon chartreuse". They will attract attention.

Philatelic news - Justin Underwood said, "Nobody wants to unload anything this week".

There were no covers of the week but John Stanitz circulated one of his purchases from the Christie's auction, a beautiful block of four of the 3¢ '51 imperforate (Scott 11), with a perfectly centered large Plattsburgh, N.Y. circular date stamp.

Future programs were reviewed: no meeting June 30 (July 4th weekend); Denise Stotts on Japanese Art on Stamps July 7; "Other Hobby Night July 14; John Stanitz on Rare Books (part II) July 21; And finally, Bob Pateta on Tax Stamps on Bank Checks July 28.

Special mention was made of the G-P picnic at Norm and Marge Townsend's on July 16. The sign-up list was lost twice, while being circulated, both times in front of our V-P, Reg Morris.

John Stanitz provided the entertainment for the evening, telling us about his collection of early, and rare, books on science which were sold in a one man's collection auction by Southeby's in 1984. John used slides to show us some of these unusual items, many of which dated back to the late 1400's and early 1500's. Noteworthy were books written by Pliny, Ptolmy, Bacon, Huygens, Newton, Descartes, Galileo and Kepler. It was really a very interesting program, especially for us engineering types, and we eagerly look forward to Part II.

Meeting adjourned at 9:20 PM.

Respectfully,



DRP

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Minutes of the 3975~~th~~ Regular Meeting

July 14, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 19 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting, courtesy Mr. Pulver, were gladly accepted.

News of Picnic: Thirty people have signed up -- optional hay ride, swimming, fishing.

Future Entertainments: Highlight Part II of Rare Books, Tax on Bank Checks, Egypt Revisited.

Semi-philatelic News: Canada is starting a kids' club. Twenty-four coins at \$50 each can be had from Marshall Islands.

Cover of the Week: Mr. Stanitz, who says he really has it, showed a color xerox of Sperati's offering of some forgeries, 1949.

Auction: The above item benefitted the club \$2.75.

Entertainment: Nearly a dozen of our members displayed some of their quite varied "Other Hobbies":

- (1) DeSimone - boat and ship models, showed a nice dinghy
- (2) Lucas - butterfly references, very technical
- (3) Parker - postcards of postoffices and RFD vehicles
- (4) Pulver -- antique tools, all quite useable
- (5) Hardy - family history to 600B.C., ceramic pubs, photography
- (7) Ball - autographs of British prime ministers, had Disraeli and Gladstone, showed ~~oppies~~ of many.
- (8) Stanitz - very old manuscripts, e.g. Descartes.
- (9) Jones - miniatures of southwest Indian crafts, Papago, Navajo, and Zuni
- (10) Underwood - Royal Daulton china, heavy German plate
- (11) Mrs. Richseker - clever needlework and weaving.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35. ~

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3976th Regular Meeting

July 21, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 9:03 with 15 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Today is C.I. Ball's birthday, big 70. Joe Mach is in Cleveland Clinic, recovering from aneurism surgery, feeling O.K. Mrs. Townsend is recovering from gall bladder surgery.

There was no old nor new business.

March Party News: Committee assignments have been sorted out. Room reservation cards should be available in 2 weeks. Classics Society will meet with us.

Future Entertainments: Tax on Bank Notes, Egypt Revisited, Nicaragua on Cover, clothesline night.

Philatelic News: Canada is honoring mushrooms and wildlife habitat.

Entertainment: John Stanitz' "Rare Books, Part II" . He showed slides of a few of the truly rare books he used to have in his collection, with anecdotes of their acquisition and sale. Highpoints were first editions of Newton's OPTICS and PRINCIPIA, as well as DeCartes SUR LE METHODE. Wow!

The meeting adjourned at 9:46.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

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Minutes of the 3977th Regular Meeting

July 28, 1989

President Parker called the meeting to order at 8:09 with 16 members and 3 guests attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Mrs. Stotts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percha, were welcomed. He invited us to come to FLOREX the first week in November.

News of Members: Mr. Townsend's goats were weaned on Tuesday. Reg Morris is in Japan doing what he's gotta do.

The membership application from Mr. Doubleday had a final reading.

New Business: Mr. Lucas proposed (1) that we pay (reimburse) frame fee for grand award winner and (2) that we set up an award for the best program of the year. The Board promised ~~serious~~ ^{due} consideration.

March Party News: Masonic Hall has been for sale for 6 months -- a contract is currently pending. Mr. Allen is soliciting 19th century Cleveland material, markings, rates, useages, for a publication to be issued in conjunction with our 100th anniversary.

Future Entertainments: Egypt revisited, Nicaragua, clothesline, then Pan-American Exposition.

Philatelic News: Detroit show, August 11-13; slick new issue publicity from Japan; Canada is now publishing a magazine for their new issues. Mr. Lucas got a letter from Philex France -- thematics did well, he got a vermeil for butterflys.

Stamp of the Week: Mr. Stanitz just this week acquired #36 12¢ Washington. Mr. Lucas, as of 4:30 today, got a revenue with tobacco theme overprinted with a war on cancer slogan.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Lucas recently found a postcard from British American Tobacco -- perfin BAT on stamp. Mr. Stanger had a freight/money letter -- bulk mail from Philadelphia to France via England. Mr. Richsecker got a computer-generated postcard from Philex France.

Auction: A GP memorial plastic letter-opener garnered \$6.50.

(We finally got around to)Entertainment: Mr. Ball introduced Bob Patetta with "Philatelic Aspects of Civil War Tax on Bank Checks". Special revenue "bank check" stamps were issued, but demand generally greatly exceded supply; so all sorts of revenue and even postage stamps were used to cover the (usually 2¢) fee. In the latter stages revenue stamped paper was issued on which the checks were printed. It was attractive material and well-presented. Worth waiting for.

The meeting adjourned at 9:55.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.