

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4174th Regular Meeting

January 14, 1994

VicePresident Skinner called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 10 members present.
Minutes of the previous meeting were approved unani-

News of Members: Today is Norm Townsend's birthday. Jack Whitelock, at age 88, is wondering whether he can keep up with his current girl friend, nearly 82. It was a slow week for philatelic news.

Covers of the Week: From Mr. Parker, a very recent stampless Christmas card, bearing notation "Evidence Postage was Affixed". Mr. Skinner had a cover from 1724, Kingston to Northgate, New Hampshire. Mr. Underwood showed a post

Observations Auction: A nice lot of covers from dealer brought \$3.00.

Future Entertainments: A surprise, then Bill Barker; then another surprise, Vince Lucas, the 6 cent Garfield, Roger Gilbert's remarkable show on Aerophilately.

Entertainment: Mr. Pihler showed a selection from a bundle of slides which Mr. Bianchi had taken at March Services in the era 1980 to 1986. It was quite

The meeting adjourned at 8:55.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Ugan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4175th Regular Meeting

January 21, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 11 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Jack Whidbey will hold February 14. George Mayer has 50 years in APS - will get award at the next March Party.

Philatelic News: From the UN, yet another Funeral Amit Cachet. Wrong picture on a country stamp has forced USPS to a \$1.2 million recall.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Truh had Garfield stamped envelopes with some class additional postage, Columbians, etc. Mr. Pidder showed an APS wrapper, Cleveland dated in red. Mr. Parker showed a fairly recent cover with the Mother's Day stamp in the nude.

Committee Reports: Mr. H. reviewed Library, Installation of Officers, and Mr. Lyons announced Lake Superior.

Entertainment: A surprise presentation by Mr. Springer of three collections in the making included (1) STAMPS of New Zealand, (2) covers to foreign destinations, and (3) New Hampshire hotel covers. Very interesting.

The Meeting adjourned at 9:15.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eyer, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4176th Regular Meeting

January 28, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 10 members present.
Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Miss Corman has moved to an apartment but is now doing well.

Philatelic News: Slick catalogues of new issues, etc., from Australia, CLIPPER new wrecker, Toledo show, February 3-7. Mr. Townsend had a surprising letter from a fellow containing a facsimile citation from The People's Republic of China -- apparently thanking him for running over and drinking his stuff.

The Mailer Cleaning committee, consisting of Janice Underwood and Sharon Pihl, reported that the 1994 Postal will consist of Alien, Tiger, Leo, Phoebe, Gemini, Sagittarius, Tish, and Townsend.

Domestic Auction: Material mostly from Mr. Townsend, gathered a total of \$9.

Future Entertainments: Around Lake Superior with Vince Fazio, then Roger

March Party items. Mr. Allen had a supply of flairs as well as club stationery. Payment is figured up and considered.

Entertainment: Bill Becker gave us a quick tour of what can be seen on restored covers from WW I and WW II. It was informative and interesting material. Good

The meeting adjourned at 9:30

Respectfully submitted

Joe Figer, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4177th Regular Meeting

February 4, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 11 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Jack Whittlesey will wed on February 14.

The membership application of Steven Wilson was duly noted.

Philatelic News: Mr. Sawyer, having visited the Postal Museum in Washington, gave rare reviews. In his talk has referred us to one Del Johnson, who claimed that his father (Frank Johnson) was a Charter Member of Garfield-Perry.

Correspondence of the Week: Mr. Ricknecker showed the round stamp of New Zealand. Mr. Birnchi franked his Christmas card to Father with 'Sleepy Hollow' (his residence), 'Robert Fulton' (collecting interest), and Liberty Bell to a total of 28 cents (cheapskate).

Donation Auction: Items from Mrs. Townsend and Whittlesey brought us \$7.

Future Entertainments: We enjoyed with pleasure a tour of Lake Superior, a round table discussion on care and storage of philatelic material, Roger Gilchrist's Aerophilately, and a trip to Costa Rica.

Our officers gave brief annual reports. We had a pretty good year. Average attendance at meetings is down a bit. A seeming small decrease in our net worth is attributable to the purchase of a large inventory of stock for the show.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe Eger, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4178th Regular Meeting

February 11, 1994

VicePresident Swanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 15 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: The Jack Whiteley regional is still on for Valentine's Day.

The membership application of Shawn Wilcox was date reviewed.

Publicity News: Mr. Perry showed the new Canadian do-it-yourself stamp. The recent Liver's showed a WW II airmail letter to Cd'. Mr. Jones reported that there are now over a hundred different in the Machin-head issues. EUPLEX report -- good show, Parker, Pulver, and Stanger judged, crowded on Saturday, Holland took the grand award.

Cover of the Week: Mr. Pulver found at EUPLEX, a "package letter" from Mexico, 1941, with nice markings.

Donation Auction: Mr. Gogoski's marathons brought us \$4.

March Party Stamps: The hospitality room is back where it belongs. Czechs are invited for 1996.

Entertainment: Mr. Lucas took us around Lake Superior. His slides were high quality and the presentation fresh and knowledgeable.

The meeting adjourned at 10:07.

Respectfully submitted

Jax Tigar, Secy.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4179th Regular Meeting

February 18, 1994

President Pucher called the meeting to order at 7:53 with 13 members attending.
Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Mr. Parker stated that the upcoming Morning meeting is "Collections and Lots", but not like we used to see a "Bulky Lot". Mr. Allen presented a copy of "Committee of Stamp Show Organizers News". The Magazine section of the "Star Bazaar" had a nice feature on FDR's.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Weiss showed an 1898 cover with some interesting NY markings dealing with inadequate address. Mr. Pucher received a letter mailed via California, owing to a misread zip. Mr. Morris, back from Europe and Asia, has acquired some 30 year old GP cachets.

Future Entertainments: Dick Jones' Costa Rica, then March Party.

March Party Items: Publicity is popping up. American Bank Note has printed some scenarios. Frajola's catalogue is being distributed.

Entertainment: Mr. Pucher, with the aid of a few nice slides gave us a lot of good advice in a fairly short time about cleaning, spreading, and preserving covers and covers. Careful use of such common things as liquid detergent, acetone, and even bleach can be worthwhile. Round predators feature regular, while ring and related PVC's can be destructive in the long haul.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eger, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 418th Regular Meeting

March 4, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 15 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: At the Toledo show -- Gordon Wean took the top award and Dick Parker second. Ohio Postal History Society beat out their Michigan equivalent.

Philatelic News: The US will have the first day ceremony for endangered species issue at our March Party.

Donation Auction: Items from Mr. Parker brought \$2.50; Mr. Townsend, \$4.00; and Mr. Whipplesey, \$5.00.

Stamps/Covers of the Week: Mr. Morris brought some blank stamps from a vintage mailing machine in Singapore. Mr. Parker found some nice covers at Toledo -- 1829 Newark and 1832 Portsmouth. Mr. Tracy Cunifield included a 21 cent overprint from 1958 due to Mexico, and 1940 in from the long way.

Future Experiments: Two weeks of March Party, then Ken Johnson.

Entertainment: Mr. Jones gave a great slide show on Costa Rica -- scenery and nature study. Fine photography and, as always, most knowledgeable in presentation.

The meeting adjourned at 9:40.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egur, Secy.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB
Cleveland, OH

Minutes of the 4182nd regular meeting
March 11, 1994

Members convened in room 1825 surprisingly close to the appointed hour. President Townsend called the meeting to order with the notice that although the regular secretary was absent, a proper signup sheet for this meeting had been left by Egar and all was needed was someone to record brief minutes. After a certain amount of good-natured wrangling the undersigned agreed to record if only to keep the meeting moving.

No minutes were available from the previous meeting but it is expected they will be read when Joe returns.

President Townsend noted that Michael Laurence refused to comment on a Wall Street Journal squib he had sent Mike on how Czech postal clerks failed to notice that some stamps passing through the mail pictured nude men. Laurence wrote that he would miss the March Party this year because he promised his wife a trip to New York to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

Underwood announced new Canadian stamps.

Vince Lucas, having just returned from a vacation trip to Mexico, reported that complete sets of the new definitive stamps (tourist sites) could not be found. He did pass around a sheet of the Michoacan stamp, which features a picture of the Monarch butterfly. He commented that millions of them are now wintering in the pine forests there but that peasants continue to cut wood (illegally) which diminishes their natural habitat.

Under "stamps and covers of the week", Bob Toth showed a scarce usage of the 2 c. brown Garfield stamp of 1887. His cover was much travelled, touching at more than a half dozen cities in search of its addressee, a roving naval officer, and even bore Brazilian stamps applied by a forwarder. Eventually it found its way to the U.S. Navy Department in Washington.

Coming entertainment was reviewed; a letter from a resident stamp collector of the correctional institution at London, OH was read. A stamp club there is seeking help from an organized club to improve their approach to the hobby. The undersigned agreed to consider a suitable answer on behalf of G-P.

The balance of the meeting was spent discussing details of the March Party. All seems to be well in hand. Tom Allen noted that specialists group meetings and seminars would occupy nearly all the time the show is open on Saturday and Sunday, leaving only Friday for serious shopping.

Meeting adjourned at 9:20 PM.

Respectfully,



GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4184th Regular Meeting

March 25, 1994

VicePresident Swager called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 15 members present.

Motion of the previous meeting, carried by Mr. Thaler, were gratefully accepted.

New of Member: Mr. Underwood, recovering from leg surgery, has been pronounced fit 3 weeks.

Philatelic News: Mr. Reid called our attention to a recent article in *Linn's* on a radio interview with APS President Don Jorgenson, SD just ago.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Parker got in the show a Leland Corners and Monroeville. Mr. Johnson showed one from a very early GP member. Mr. Todd's Garfield included a triple rate to Germany and non-UPU rate to Australia.

Dealers Auction: Dealers' covers brought \$1.50 and Mr. Cullen's, \$2.00.

Guest Entertainer: Party Re-hash, there Roger Cidwell's wife's.

There was no old nor new business.

March Party Items: Mr. Adams sent out the call for all bills, ASAP.

Entertainment: Mr. Kent Johnson showed a fine knowledge of covers showing use of the postal marking devices made by the K. & S. Miller company. These were bought by postmasters whose traffic was so small that they had to get their own canceling devices.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15.

Respectfully submitted

Don Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4185th Regular Meeting

April 8, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 18 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Membership applications from Mrs. Wilson, Frank and Lawrence were voted.

Philatelic News: A FAMOUS ARTIST cachet from the UN. Goodies from Australia and Canada -- the latter having run out of do-it-yourself designs. Programs are available for the one-frame show in Indianapolis in June. Other show news neglected.

Stamp of the Month: Mr. Lucas showed Sherlock Holmes making three different types of British cancellations. Mr. Parker probably won't buy the "Ohio Fair, Ohio" cancel he showed. Mr. Wilson had a nice cork cancel in a wrong color 1861, the consensus being oxidation.

Future Entertainments: Roger Hibsch, Favorite or Strangest Philatelic Award (May 30) Dryer and Doubleday.

There was no old nor new business.

Duey return covers brought \$6 at auction.

Entertainment: March Party Re-launch. Attendees total was 2317 with 885 covers filled out. Sales of \$781 included bonus offerings. Dealer were loaded in reasonably but we were very short-handed getting them out. Some activity at the youth table -- at least provided sitter service. Banquet was fine. Wine and cheese was the best yet. Too many "visiting dealers" at \$20 apiece. Security was good this year, but we're worried about next. Promised balance is on the order of \$2700 to the good.

The meeting adjourned at 10:16.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egger, Secy.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4186th Regular Meeting

April 15, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 9 members and 1 guest present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Membership applications from Mrs. Frank and Lawrence were noted.

Philatelic News: A few show covers are still available. Plymouth show April 23-24. Indianapolis one-frame show will be June 17-18. INDIYPSX, September 16-18.

Newsletter News: To use the bathroom tonight, one should go across the hall, where there are free cookies.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Parker, from some recent lots, had a Black River, 1818, and a Hunn, 1819. Mr. Lucas' recent acquisitions included stampless and stamped "Poni Tobacco, Maryland," 1829 . 1865 and a Tobacco, Kentucky, and a Pipestone, Michigan, and a Clarendon, New York.

Donations Auction: Dealers folder, Jimi Mr. Parker brought \$4.50 and items from Mr. Whitedeney, another \$3.00.

Future Entertainments: Changing Faces of Mexico and Tom Allen.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: Roger Gilchrist showed the capsule program he has prepared for distribution by the American Airport Society. It is very well organized and professionally done survey of the richness and variety of airmail collecting from balloon post to space shuttle. Most enjoyable.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45.

Respectfully submitted
for Egir. Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4187th Regular Meeting

April 24, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 13 members present.
Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Mill Comman (and daughter) showed up for his 85th birthday
gala. Newlywed Jack Whistelley is doing OK.

Membership Applications from Mrs. Finch and Lawrence were noted.

Philatelic News: A few covers from the show are still available. Boston show next week. 399 frames. Columbus show report - great people make fair business. Rochester show - nice show. Dan Walker took the grand award. Stranger got a gold. There was an article in STAMPS about our recent (14) First Day ceremony.

Covers of the Week: From George Mayer, via Huber, for Lucas, a couple of unusual advertising covers, including one by Clipper 1937, from Marseilles.

Future Entertainments: Vince Lucas' Mexico, A Surprise, T. Allen's private.

There was no old nor new business.

Subscription Auction: A copy of STAMP NEWS brought \$1.25.

Entertainment: "My Favorite or Strangest Philatelic Award". Participants included (1) Gwen Dyer and Mill Comman - his plaque for 53 years of continuous membership in GP (1990).
(2) Norm Townsend - in a red box from China, a silver block purporting to say what a great guy he is.
(3) John Reid - 50 year award from APF, had the envelope signed it.
(4) Duke Fisher - (Strangest) from the Dayton show, a top award, about 3 feet tall, that looks like a bowling trophy. (Nice ones) - a tray with inlaid Kachina figure from ARIFEX and EXFILMEX (74).

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 418th Regular Meeting

April 29, 1994

Former President Smith called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 9 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Mr. Daugler is at the Boston show. Mr. Parker is in Kentucky.

The membership applications of Mrs. Frank and Laurence had a final reading.

Philatelic News: Boston and WESTPEX shows this weekend. Mr. Lucas judged at the Plymouth show last week -- Washington's Patriotic book the grand award.

Donation Auction: From Mr. DeSimone, a nice Curacao river boat brought \$1.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Lucas had the Hopkinsville anti-smoking stamps, actually used on cover. Mr. Trenker showed a rare range of new or registered postal markings.

Future Entertainments: (May 6) A Surprise Civil War Federal Prints, Thuner and Doubleday; then No Meeting on Memorial Day Weekend.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: Mr. Jurasz gave a dramatic slide show of his recent Mexican trip. He covered a lot of territory - Xochimilco, Tenochtitlan, and more monarch butterflies than anyone could imagine -- with excellent photography and a wealth of knowledge.

The meeting adjourned at 9:50.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egger Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4189th Regular Meeting

May 6, 1994

President Tommervik called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 12 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Philately: Newy Char shown program book a silver award. Postcard show tomorrow w/ Laura Park. Canada's 100th birthday makes cataloguer fixative another do-it-yourself issue. WCN offers a FAMOUS ARTIST racket. Farbora show report -- Crosses and Machine Canals societies gathered. Pader and Stanger won gold awards. Morris won a silver for a premature showing. Richard Dene (fledgling of March Percy) won the grand, alleged pro comedians nearly spilted the budget.

Donation Auction: A memento from day ceremony over, from Mr. Timmsen, generated \$2.

Conversations of the Week: Mr. Pader had a Mexican endpapered species issue featuring a lithograph printing of a quetzal. Mr. Parker showed a Vermilion example from 1816.

Future Entertainments: Civil War Federal Prison, Drueher and Doubleday; Memorial Day (no meeting), Show and Tell.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: SURPRISE! We had a good general discussion on the dual problems of recruiting new members and activating the loyal active members to enjoy the benefits of the club.

The meeting adjourned at 9:10.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Exar, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 41st Regular Meeting

May 13, 1934

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 14 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Stangos will leave for China Tuesday. One of Mr. Tresser's sketches (valued at \$1000) was sold at auction for WVIZ.

Philatelic News: Mr. Underwood showed a slogan cancel from Fiji "Drive safely, dip your headlights, keep to the left."

Cover of the Week: Mr. Tresser's cover of a strange marking -- it was probably an MUO multi-use cancel device. Mr. Loh had Garfield's car registered to Germany. Mr. Wilson had a post card that apparently went from London to Czechoslovakia without a stamp. Mr. Smith showed an April 6, 1917 cover from Victory, Vermont, with patriotic cachet.

Future Entertainments: Darker and Doubleday, No Meeting for Memorial day; Show and Tell, then Garfield's go Around.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: With the aid of the club's fancy overhead projector, Mr. Allen showed a most interesting mix of covers in and from Confederates in Federal prisons, 1862-5. Nine mix of history and philately.

The meeting adjourned at 9:34.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eiger, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4191st Regular Meeting

May 20, 1994

Mr. Allen called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 12 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

Philatelic News: Mr. Reid advised that the Grey-Lor show will have to change their show date, because of a schedule conflict.

Cover of the Week: Mr. Reid showed how a wrong zip code can cause one to wonder.

Future Entertainments: Show and Tell, Curiously An Abnormal Farming in the 19th Century, then Re-Cycling Nite.

There was no old or new business.

Entertainment: Banister and Doubleday: Mr. Doubleday, a most adept story teller took us through some of the intricacies of "The Mountain Murders", in which he played a peripheral role in solving. In a nutshell, the production and sale of fake letters relating to early Mountain history culminated in murder by pipe bomb for two and wounding of the victim. Events of the 1980's and a rousing good tale.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Respectfully submitted

Bob Stamps opened meeting w/a discussion of cheques.

Opening comments

Justin had philatelic news re: "Col, show + Canadian new issues

Kent Johnson sat + showed some classic US + Hong Kong regular issues

Dick Parker discussed upcoming programs of G.P.
" " also discussed annual picnic @ his home on Aug. 14, 1974.

Tom Allen provided interesting evening of entertainment of Norwalk, Ohio postal history -

Xerox + real material

- Tom's Hometown

Tom's exhibit shows how thorough + interesting a small town exhibit can be.

A Board of Trustees meeting followed.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 14th Regular Meeting

June 10, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 8 members present.

Motion of the previous meeting were received as read.

Number of Members: The Singers are back from China. The Porkers are in Regent. Mr. Pulver was recruited this week by the Naval Reserve.

Philatelic News: The new British/French joint issue, celebrating the alleged opening of the "Channel" is in competition for the year's exhibit. Mr. Parker took two gold medals at ROMFEX, for one exhibit. *Parker*

Picture Entertainment: Forwading 19th Century Mail, Boxcar Night, and no party for the July 4th weekend.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: Mr. Tuth, aided by the club's overhead projector, showed us some of his "Garfield go Around". With careful attention to the legitimate uses of 20 cent Garfields, he skinned more or less every animal and a good variety of unlikely destinations. It was, in all respects, a fine show.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eggar, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4194th Regular Meeting

June 17, 1994

President Townsend called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 16 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as corrected.

News of Members: A teleless postcard was received from the otherwise fine family of Stotts. Tomorrow is Mr. Philiver's birthday.

Philatelic News: Fliers from Japan showing 3 new issues. Visual proof was offered of the ugliness of "Chancery issues from Britain" and France.

Donation Auction: An item from Mr. Townsend brought \$4.25.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Smith had two problematic items from the late 19th century -- Cleveland advertising with "LXL" on them. Mr. Fish had a darkly forwarded one with older Clarendon. Mr. Philiver showed a hand-painted PNC of 1979 and a postal card from an outstanding Mexican collector, 1922.

Future Entertainments: Bourse Night, then no meeting for holidays.

Entertainment: Ken Schreier with photographs of, or with as, the material, and an interesting story of registration and varieties of post office forwarding in the 19th century, almost entirely Ohio material.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4199th Regular Meeting June 24, 1994

President Stanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 18 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Philatelic News: New offering from Japan. The UN with "Natural Disaster Reduction"; "U.S. Postal Stamps 1877-1993" is now available; Mr. Parker is taking orders.

Donation Auction: The club got \$1 for Mr. Stanger's literature price list

Cards of the Month: Mr. Turner had a Canadian do-it-yourself card with butterfly also a Japanese card with another.

Future Entertainment: No meeting for Independence Day weekend. Picnic at the Parks on August 14

Entertainment: The club bounce was comparatively active and generally enjoyed.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe Eger, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4197th Regular Meeting

July 15, 1994

VicePresident Stanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 15 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting, courtesy Kent Solomon, were gratefully received.

News of Members: Mr. Tahvuseini has had surgery in University Hospital.

Philatelic News: CINPEX (Cincinnati) will be Aug. 6-7.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Johnson had an advertising circular addressed to Chillicothe, Mexico, which went to Mexico, however around and finally to Chillicothe, Ohio, all for 1 cent. He also showed one from Coahuila, addressed in Spanish to Kir Larson. Mr. Wilson showed a postcard, NY to Cleveland with the center marking "City Indians".

Future Entertainments: Mr. Palmer, then APS slide show on the Canadian maple leaf issue of 1897.

There was no old news however.

Entertainment: Mr. Jones showed most excellent slides of "Springtime in the Grand Canyon". He timed his travels just right, following an unusually wet winter, so that the desert in full bloom. The cactus blossoms were especially impressive.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Honorably submitted

Sir Edgar, Secy.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 419th Regular Meeting

July 22, 1994

Former President Underwood called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 13 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

Mr. Elwyn Doubleday was a welcome visitor.

News of Members: Norm Townsend is out of hospital in good spirits. Jack Whittlesey sends regards. Millie Underwood has had surgery and it helps.

Philatelic News: The Ohio Postal History Society will meet at CINPEX, Aug. 6-7.

Benefit Auction: Indices for American Philatelist courtesy Mr. Parker brought \$5.50.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Lucas had (1) Irish pipe fancy cancel from Bondville, Illinois, and (2) essay of Belgian charity stamp featuring cigarettes.

Future Entertainments: Slide show, WW II show and tell, a few of Mr. Smith's classics, club picnic on Aug. 14.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: Mr. Pulver, with excellent slides, showed us the first issues of Mexico. Most entertaining and informative.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 4199th Regular Meeting July 29, 1994

Vice President Stranger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 12 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Both Perry passed away Thursday night.

Philatelic News: Mr. Hardee noted that Supertonia is ~~the postage stamp~~
~~stamp~~ - a mailing without stamps, priced by hand.

Semi-auction Auction: Six items from Mr. Johnson brought \$21.50, split 50/50 with the club.

Cover of the Week: Mr. Johnson showed a multi-colored advertising cover from the early 1860's with a grilled stamp.

Other Business: The Postal Stationery Society will meet with the '98 March Party; or sooner.

Entertainment: From the APS, thanks to Mr. Prother we were invited to a slide/topic show on the Canadian Maple Leaf issue of 1897. Good slides, fine material, well presented. Our technical crew did a flawless job.

The meeting adjourned at 9:16.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eyer, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 5000th Regular Meeting

August 5, 1994

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

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Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

Philatelic News: Mr. Pulver reported that the small seasonal post office at Weidening Station, Michigan, the sight of the world's largest weather vane, is in danger of being closed. From the UN, a very FAMOUS ARTIST cachet and some stamps.

Items in the donation auction brought a total of \$28.

Future Entertainment: Smith's jewelry, club picnic, no formal meeting, then (Aug. 26) a slide show on stamp printing methods.

Entertainment: World War II collections and nostalgia. Participants included:

Underwood - photos, documents, and postal stationery errors.
Stanger - 1931 Brazil to Tokyo cover and 1841 New Hampshire.
Hardie - photos, letters, separation papers, and ration book.
Allott - Skove letter.
Egar - patriotic cachets.
Reid - (who was wounded in France, Aug. 3, 1944) a helmet.
Treasurer - covers to and from Kenny Kolster (his uncle), badly wounded
Pulver - V-Mail.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 500th Regular Meeting

August 12, 1994

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Former President Alien called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 11 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: We celebrated Mr. Underwood's recent birthday. Don Bianchi was in town on Monday.

Philatelic News: Detroit show this weekend. CINPEX report - Johnson, Parker and Wilson went; a good local show. Quarterly bulletin from Australia with lots of things.

Books/Stamp/etc. of the Week: Mr. DeSimone showed a 1986 Olympics souvenir sheet. Mr. Parker had a Postoffice registration book of 1880-1883.

Future Entertainment(s): No meeting Aug. 19, stamp printing methods slide show, no meeting for Labor Day weekend, then 'To Smoke or not to Smoke'.

March Party items: University Club dining room is booked. Medals and forms from APS already here.

Entertainment: Mr. Smith, in his first philatelic presentation, dazzled the group. He showed the 1 cent issue of 1851 and 1857 in some detail, modestly calling it fly-speaking; but it was fine material, well studied.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 500th Regular Meeting

August 26, 1994

Vice President Stanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 14 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

News of Members: Mr. Treaster is having a one-man show in Wiloughby, thru late November. The Laguna Hills Stamp Club offers Mr. Konig for experimenting, etc.

Philatelic News: INDYPLEX Sept. 11-13. MEXPLEX Sept. 24-25. Daytime Sept. 23-25. needs exhibits. Mr. Lawer's Butterflies took a gold at StampHOW. The Lorain Colony fair still has a few of their special exhibits.

Donation Auction: Mr. Kaplan's donation brought \$2.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Stanger had an 1837 Maine Souveniramped. Mr. Parker showed a registry rates broadside for 1873 together with covers from that period. Mr. Lyons had six different Malaysia butterflies on one cover. Mr. Johnson had a strip of four of the Joens verballion on cover, an RFD Kent to Canada, an 1834 my cover to Louisiana. Mr. Puffer, the 1936 Carranza issue for a cover to George Linn and the (Mexican) 1st issue I read from a very small town, only 2-3 miles there.

Future Demonstrator: Shirley show, then Al (Irvington).

There was no off our new business.

Entertainment: A very well done topslide show from the APS surveying various methods of printing money. Thanks to Mr. Puffer.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Biggs, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 5005rd Regular Meeting

September 9, 1994

VicePresident Stanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 15 members and 2 guests attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Mr. Townsend fell on the stairs but sounds OK. Blair Sutt showed up with wife and son.

Philatelic News: Several new issues from Japan. Columbus show tomorrow. Fort Wayne show Oct. 8-9. Siegel will auction some Shove material in mid November. Mr. Lucas showed his award for best thematic at STAMPSHOW.

Auction: Mr. Johnson's items grossed \$18 for a net of \$9 to the club.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Toth's Garfields included a censored cover to West Africa, Registered to Australia, and from Cuba to Netherlands, via New York. Mr. Morris showed an Emergency Force cancel on an early UNICEF air letter and a 1934 Japanese Babe Ruth card. Mr. Purver had Mexican TB seals - 50 pesos. Mr. Graydash had a round-the-world zeppelin cover and French military post with JQ4 postage due.

Old and New Business: Archives now reside with Mr. Smith.

Future Entertainments: Al's Hadberg, clothesline, then Bill Harms' Finland.

Entertainment: 'To Smoke or Not to Smoke' was a cleverly done and well presented slide show of a thematic, courtesy APS and Mr. Purver.

The meeting adjourned at 9:40.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egar, Sec.

G-P Meeting #

September 16, 1991

At 7: PM

Meeting called to order by President Norm Townsend

News of Members:

Reg Morris here tonight b/c soon to be on the road again

Philatelic News:

Justin Underwood was pleased to announce that Canada is continuing with new issues.
Dick Parker gave dates of next b/c stamp shows.
Reg Morris announced that Mrs. Morris is a dangerously close to becoming a Philatelist having purchased an album of the Royal Family's Wedding pictures which feature stamps.

March Party News:

Frajna will conduct an auction at the 1995 March Party
Barney Neil will attend.

Future Entertainments:

We need volunteers for the Fourth Quarter and beyond - Contact
Shule Pistor

Entertainment:

Dr. Al Friedberg presented a "Postal History of the Tokomae". A philatelically excellent coverage of a scandalous period of Japanese history.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the ~~Sept.~~ Regular Meeting

September 23, 1994

Former member Allen called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 10 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting, carried by Mr. Smith, were gratefully accepted.

News of Members: Mr. Townsend is returning to ~~Washington, D.C.~~ Mr.

Whittemore's new bride is running him ragged. Parkers are in Michigan and Stoggy is in Turkey.

Philatelic News: MILUX tomorrow; an ex Japanese stamp. MOPEX (Detroit), Oct. 15-16. Mr. Luce judged at NYPPX, where Harlan Stone took the grand with a Switzerland.

Benefit Auction: Mr. Smith's Scott Specialized realized \$1.⁵⁰.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Smith had a Scott Lincoln on a cover in Paris and a Scott Washington with "Egg Harbor City, NJ" cancel.

Future Entertainments: Bill Harris' Finnish Railway stamps.

March Party Items: Notice to exhibitors has been sent to relevant media. New products of silicon should be here next week.

Entertainment: Cloakroom Show-and-Tell. Participants included:

Underwood - British revenue on an 1829 marriage license.

Lucas - butterfly on cover and butterfly cancel on Souvenir.

Wilson - Human carrier on 1878 cover and embossed advertising cover.

Smith - rare red Mexico cancel on a #51.

Drester - RFD cover; printed and delivered on route in same day and
and two transatlantic registered airmails to Greece and Italy.

Puhler - part of an express package with \$26.50 insurance and liability
cancelled, then ball-point ripped.

(post script) Mr. Allen's job Cleveland to Durango, Mexico, marched by
two of Puhler's from Germany to the same address.

The Meeting adjourned at 9:25.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eger, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the ~~Sept.~~ Regular Meeting

September 30, 1994

President Thorsen called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 8 members and 2 guests attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Guests Mr. Stevenson and Bill Harris were welcomed.

Member News: Clinton show Oct. 8-9. CIVIL War July 22-23. Rubber City Nov. 12-13. Mr. Lucas will judge at Mt. Lewis show Oct. 7 & Dayton show reports. Mr. Harris judged; good turnout; minimal attendance; Peter McCann took the grand award and Mt. Alien the reserve grand. We will have a page ad in Siegel's next auction catalogue for the club's two books.

Devotional Auction: Mr. Thorsen's China Society items realized \$2.50.

Cards of the Week: Mr. Jones had two butterflies making up a small set from the Netherlands. Mr. Jones had Hyder, Alaska, postmark -- a place you can't hardly get to from anywhere.

There was no old or new business.

Entertainment: Bill Harris showed a really fine collection of Finnish railway postal stamps, revenue tax stamps, and private (Finnish) parcel receipts -- 1871 through 1922. Not issued by the postal authorities, these are generally rare and quite attractive items. It was a most impressive presentation.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25.

Respectfully submitted

Tom Fyhr, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 5807th Regular Meeting

October 7, 1994

Former president Simich called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 9 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Word has come that Mr. Whittlesey called attention to the APS having listed a wrong date for the Rather City show.

Philatelic News: Christmas card from Australia with catalogue of many new offerings. Free "Movers' Grades" available now at post offices. cost covered by Ms. LeTourche auction tomorrow.

Donation Auction: Items from Larry Colby and Mr. Smith brought \$3.

Future Entertainment: Sparked by donation items from Mr. Whittlesey, members will have a flea market, proceeds to the club.

Miscellany: Mr. Beyer is offering plate blocks of face.

March Party Items: Requests from potential exhibitors are starting to come in. Mirror Room is reserved for banquets. The '95 party will be March 77-78.

Entertainment: Mr. Pinner's Surprise. He showed some of his fine collection of advertising covers showing themes related to woodworking. Most entertaining and informative.

The meeting adjourned at 9:10.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 5006th Regular Meeting

October 14, 1991

Vice-President Stenger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 11 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

News of Members: Greetings received from Fred Nemecek and John DesPrez. Mr. Hornby is back home from facial surgery.

Philatelic News: GP took a silver award from APS for our show program nice certificate to Mr. Smith. Nice flyers from Japan. UVA quarterly bulletin is full of wonders to behold. CUYLOR show next week. "Cleveland Stamp Fair" will be Nov. 5-7.

Curios of the Week: Mr. Tuck's Garfield - the one \$1K on a cover from Bradenton to Penn.

Future Entertainments: Tom's domestic Garfields, APS slide show on Naval cancells, Booksellers' Alaska trip, Classic Air Mails, then Bob Patterson's reveries.

There was no old nor new business.

March Party Items: Checks are mailing by for the banquet, as are exhibitors' applications.

Entertainment: Christmas Auction. A variety of items donated by members were auction for an interesting total of \$125.50.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egger, Secy.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 500th Regular Meeting

October 21, 1944

VicePresident Strong called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 10 members and 1 guest attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were received.

News of Members: The Biunckes were at the St. Louis show, where his Hudson-Fairfax took a gold medal. Norm Townsend went to MidPhil.

Membership applications from Avery, Collier and Treado were duly noted.

Philatelic News: City Lot stamp fair weekend. The Slove collection will probably be auctioned in January.

Donation Auction: Items from Maxx, Treasurer, Smith, and Stronger brought a total of \$4.50.

Future Entertainments: Naval amateur slide show, Rucksochers' Alaskan journey, Classic Art Fair, then Bob Hartman's lectures.

Memorabilia: Mr. Tuck, with the aid of our fancy overhead projector, showed us a dramatic view of Garfield's. Some truly scatter material, well organized and presented!

The meeting adjourned at 10:00.

Respectfully submitted

Tom Byar, Secy.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 50th Regular Meeting

October 28, 1994

VicePresident Stangler called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 13 members and 2 guests attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

Guests Michael and Lev Piersky were welcomed.

Membership applications from Messrs Collins and Sivak were voted.

Philatelic News: The US Postal Service has problems and is starting to notice that there is a market in collectors. UN is offering a **140th ANNIV** series and will have a first day of issue at the March Party Akron show Nov. 12-13.

Donation Auction: The club realized \$12 from Mr. Johnson's 50% auction plus a check for an item from Mr. Smith.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Treanor's international return receipt raised the question whether it came inside or outside of the envelope. Mr. Stangler had 11.4M radio cards from New Hampshire.

Future Entertainments: APS slide show of early exhibits, Bob Farnum's reversion, no meeting over Thanksgiving, then Bill Barker on "synopsis page."

New Business: Allen, Underwood, and Egan will be a nominating committee.

March Party honor judges will be McCann, Schlesinger, Messer, Gault, and Phillips, with Laddie as alternates.

Entertainment: The APS slide show on Maritime Mail, 1907-1980 was well-crafted, informative, and enjoyable.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Respectfully submitted

Tom Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 50th Regular Meeting

November 4, 1994

Mr. Stenger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 13 members and 1 guest present.

News of Members: Mr. Townsend passed away Thursday morning

Membership applications from Harry Collier and Tricia were duly noted.

Private News: Special thanks from Australia offering more new things, even triangles. CEFCON show -- took judges. Stenger exhibited in room of honor.

Concert/Stamp of the Week: Mr. Boyer had a used block of #114, probably the more common blue cancel. Mrs. Ricksecker had three post card views of very early Anchorage. Mr. Lewis showed Finnish postal stationery featuring tobacco.

Future Conventions: Bob Patterson's memorandum regarding for Thanksgiving from Bill Fluker.

Business: The nominating committee submitted a slate with Allen, Egger, Frazee, Koenick, Lucas, Morris, Parker, Smith, Stenger, Fish, Townsend, and Wilson from which to choose new board members.

March Party Details: From the APS we have 771 address labels for members in NE Ohio.

Entertainment: A very nicely coordinated team presentation by Grant and Marie Rockeneker of details of their five-week tour around southern Alaska.

The meeting adjourned at 9:52.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egger, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 50th Regular Meeting

November 11, 1994

Vice President Stanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 12 members attending.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as read.

Membership applications from Messrs. Collins and Tressler were noted.

Philatelic News: 75th Anniversary Rubber City Show tomorrow. Worthington Show over Thanksgiving weekend.

Auction: Mr. Johnson's son's donation auction brought the club \$6.75.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Lucas had a cancel showing Norman Rockwell smoking a pipe and a pack of cigarette tubes with tax stamp. Mr. Tressler showed a registered RFD with nice marks.

Future Entertainment: Bob Petrie, no meeting for Thanksgiving, then Bill Barker.

There was no old nor new business.

Entertainment: The APS tape/slide show of the first five years of airmail stamps, from Keith Wagner's collection was very professionally done and most entertaining.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Eyer, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 34th Regular Meeting

November 18, 1994

VicePresident Stanger called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 13 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Mrs. Fulver is under the weather.

Philatelic News: Akron show -- Mr. Stanger was a judge; Ken Abbe's French Cuivre won the grand award. Black River show tomorrow; Worthington next week.

Auction: Mr. Johnson sold an 1854 copy of the Slave Dredger for \$12.50, half to the club.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Johnson had a Middlebury Library from 1834. Mr. Park showed two registered covers with Garfields. Mr. Stanger had two Charmonet NH book double struck.

Future Exhibitions: After Thanksgiving Mr. Barker will discuss title pages for exhibits.

There was no old nor new business.

March Party Items: There was extensive discussion on our response to the invitation to have STAMPSHOW in 1998.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Egan, Sec.

GARFIELD-PERRY STAMP CLUB

Minutes of the 5014th Regular Meeting

December 2, 1994

Former President Allen called the meeting to order at 8:00 with 15 members present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted.

News of Members: Mr. Barker is the new editor of the *Older Postal History Journal*.

Philatelic News: Money from Japan. The Postal Service has a 800 number for buying stamp 1-800-STAMPS.

Auction: Mr. Johnson's 50% auction raised the club \$3.50.

Covers of the Week: Mr. Reid showed a souvenir cover from the Washington show. Mr. Lucas had a slogan (postage) meter from Costa Rica. Mr. Toth had a Scenic Garfield, NY to Paris with 'TOO LATE' marking. Mr. Barker called our attention to the exploding field of spray-oncellography, e.g., "THE DRIVER" from Chicago and "professor alpinus" from Columbus worth top dollar.

Future Entertainment: Kickbug Miler (APS slide show), show and tell, then the December 27 Christmas party.

March Party Items: AAPC seminar is scheduled (Anne Triple). First draft of post card reminder. The APS representative will be here February 17 to talk with us about a 1999 STAMPSHOW. Nell's new book should be available in time for March Party. Frajola will emcee.

Entertainment: Bill Barker gave a most informative informal talk on how to help judges with one's approach paper.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00.

Respectfully submitted

Joe Tegge, Secy.

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The meeting was called to order at 8:015 by President Stanger. Members present were; Dick Parker, Bob Toth, Thomas F. Allen, Frank J. Knurek, John W. Reid, Gene C. DeSemione, J. David Lavey, Dick Jones, Justin A. Underwood, Robert A. Stanger, R. Treaster, Richard Graham and Shawn Wilson.

News of Members:- Dale's wife, Chris has been moved to a rehab home. Bob Hardie is finishing his treatments this coming week. He will be moving to Omaha in the spring. Frank Knurek will obtain a card for Bob and members can sign it at the Christmas Party.

Philatelic News:- John Reid highlighted the past postal stamps honoring WW II and advised that the 1995 version will be changed.

Tuesday, Dec. 27th will be our Christmas Meeting with Dinner by 6PM, upstairs for a social period and gift exchange. If you bring a gift, you will join the exchange.

Auction:- The ballot envelopes were auctioned. Sold to Shawn for \$3.00.

Voting results for trustees:- A total of 54 ballots were cast (Most ever).

1-	Dale Pulver	Alternates:-
2-	Tom Allen	
3-	Joe Egar	10- Shawn Wilson
4-	Dick Parker	11- Frank Knurek
5-	Bob Toth	12- Vince Lucas
6-	Tony Smith	13- Dick Jones
7-	Bob Stanger	
8-	Dick Treaster	
9-	Reg Morris	

The Skove sale:- Tom Allen and Kent Johnson attended the sale. Many items exceeded the estimate but the Cleveland Boxes sold cheap or did not sell.

Show-and-tell program:- Ten of the members participated in the show-and-tell program. Subjects were varied and ranged from Christmas cards by Creighton Hart, to historical SFL's with unusual War rates, fun covers with slogans, Christmas stamps &/or cards used throughout the world, to books. Richard Graham highlighted the new USPCS book by Jim Cole on fancy cancels. John Reid reminded us the Post Office has given us all a present by raising the postal rate from 29c to 32c.

Meeting closed at 9:55 PM.



Dick Parker, Secr. Protom.