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A TRIBUTE

SUSAN M. McDONALD
1918 - 1992



Since our last Perryscope, we have lost a good friend and fellow collector. After a lengthy battle with cancer, Susan M. McDonald passed away on March 17, our Club's anniversary date, in Canton, Ohio. In 1986, following a change in the bylaws, Susan was elected the first lady member of our Club. Her husband Clark, who passed away in 1984, had been a member of G-P since 1960. They frequently attended Club events and Susan spoke at our Friday meetings on numerous occasions.

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NEW MEMBERS

We extend a warm welcome to the following new members of the Garfield-Perry Stamp Club. We hope your association will be a long and worthwhile experience, and we look forward to seeing you at our meetings and special events.

#1534	George Daniels, Pepper Pike, OH	Active	Collects U.S.
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#1540	Raymond A. Gaydash, Beaver Falls, PA	Active	
#1541	Kenneth R. Nilsestuen, Akron, OH	Assoc.	Fr. Africa, Algeria, &c.

NEWS OF MEMBERS

We have quite a few items to pass along this time:

On a somewhat sad note for those of us who regularly attend the Friday meetings and enjoy their fellowship, Denise and Jay Stotts will be leaving the Cleveland area because of Jay's job relocation. Sometime soon, probably in September of October, the Stotts will take up residence in the Houston, Texas area where Jay's group is being moved. Both have been hard workers and loyal members of G-P, rarely missing a Friday meeting. Denise had just assumed the position of program chairperson, doing a bang up job at it we might add, and Jay had taken over the post of exhibits chairman at the last March Party. Jay is also a trustee and vice president of our Club. We will miss them very much, certain that our loss will be a big gain for the Houston philatelic community.

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ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE FOR THE NEXT QUARTER

Unless noted otherwise all meetings convene at 8 PM in the Holiday Inn - Lakeside, Lakeside Avenue at E. 12th Street. Ask at the desk for the room number -- usually it is on the 18th floor, frequently Room 1825. The dinner group meets in the restaurant at 6 PM and all are welcome to join us! Food is moderately priced and very tasty. Our regular waitress, Leia, will make sure you are well served.

- Jul 17 Reg Morris - "British First Day Covers"
- Jul 24 Ken Nilsestuen - "Madagascar" A slide presentation from one of our newest members.
- Jul 31 Jay Stotts - "The Quest for U.S. Multi-colored Stamps" Hear from one of our most knowledgeable members how the process for producing multi-colored stamps evolved at the BEP.
- Aug 7 An APS slide show - "The First Five Years of Government Issue Air Mail Stamps of the World"
- Aug 14 Clothesline Exhibit - Membership participation
- Aug 21 Dale Pulver - "A Japanese Memory" Dale will show slides of art, architecture, and scenery taken during his service tour - '55/'56.
- Aug 28 STAMPSHOW Weekend - No formal program planned, but members will meet for dinner followed by informal stamp talk in our regular meeting room.
- Sep 4 NO MEETING - Labor Day Weekend
- Sep 11 Justin Underwood - "Advertising on Postal Stationery" Justin has a fine showing of illustrated advertising envelopes and cards which he will share with us on that evening.
- Sep 13 SUNDAY - G-P's annual picnic at the Townsend Farm in Windsor, OH Details elsewhere in this Perryscope.
- Sep 18 Bourse Night - Start your fall philatelic season by swapping or selling some of your unwanted duplicates with fellow members.
- Sep 25 Another APS slide show - "Errors, Varieties, Freaks, and Oddities on U.S. Stamps"

SUSAN McDONALD...

Susan was a consummate philatelist and her many accomplishments were detailed in the philatelic media following her death. She won the prestigious APS Luff Award in 1986 and the CC of NY Lichtenstein Award in 1989. Her work with the U.S. Philatelic Classics Society was recognized several times with their Cup Awards. She served that organization for nearly 20 years as editor of The Chronicle and was also president. Perhaps her greatest achievements were in the field of philatelic literature where she authored and edited several definitive reference works.

Her collecting interest was mainly postal history and she worked for several years on two exhibit themes: Treaty Mails (U.S. - Europe) and Cross-Border Mails (U.S.- Canada). Both have been shown in March Party competition, winning high awards here and at national and international exhibitions as well.

Susan was buried on Sunday, July 26, in Belrose Cemetery, Tobermory, Ontario, where the McDonalds had had a summer home for many years. We mourn the loss of a good and true philatelic friend.

NEWS OF MEMBERS, Concluded...



On July 1, Norm Townsend joined the ranks of the retired persons, at least from Judson Retirement Community where he had worked for the past 19 years. Whether he will enjoy unlimited time to work on his stamps is still in doubt. We have heard that he is swamped with requests for part time service to various agencies in the field of aging, Norm's specialty. Still, we hope he will find time on Fridays to attend our meetings, even if he has to apply for a "barn" pass from wife Marge. Incidentally, Norm's employers and fellow workers staged a rather elegant "roast" in his honor at the Garden Center on June 27. Several G-P members attended. The artwork shown at left was the program cover for that event. Good likeness, no?

Norm also told us that the employees of the Windsor postoffice, all three of them (plus spouses), threw a retirement party for him July 27. They gave him an old-fashioned brass P.O. box with combination dials mounted in an oak case. Nice gift!

Richard Treaster, a professional artist who specializes in watercolor still lifes, had some of his work featured in an article on "Board Room Art" in a recent Sunday section of the New York Times. We're proud of you, Dick, and hope the write-up will lead to some lucrative commissions!

Dick Parker and wife Loretta have decided to feature Stampshow '92 as the centerpiece of a 35 - 40 day driving tour of the U.S. They left Westlake the week of August 3rd for a leisurely trip west, expecting to arrive in Oakland about the time the show opens on August 20. They will then head back towards Cleveland after the show by a different route visiting friends and relatives along the way. Dick says that while he has seen much of both ends of the country he has not seen what's in between, especially the plains and Rocky Mountains. Have fun, folks!

Sometime in September or October, Linn's Stamp News will publish Linn's Introduction to the Stamps of Mexico, an anthology of articles written for Linn's by your Perryscope editor, Dale Pulver. This will be the third book in their current "Handbook Series". The second book, United States Postal History Sampler, written by our good friend, Dick Graham, made its appearance early this year and appears to be moving quite well.

Hey! you out-of-town members... Want to see your name in print? Send the editor some news bits on what you've been up to in the stamp world. We'll be happy to run them in the next Perryscope.

MARCH PARTY NEWS

The March Party Committee, ably headed by Bob Toth, has had several meetings already in planning for the 1993 show. We feel fortunate that the Masonic Auditorium facility will again be available to us for our bourse and exhibition scheduled for the weekend of March 19 - 21. Mark those dates on your calendar and let's hope that we don't have a late season "snow blow" like we did Sunday morning this year.

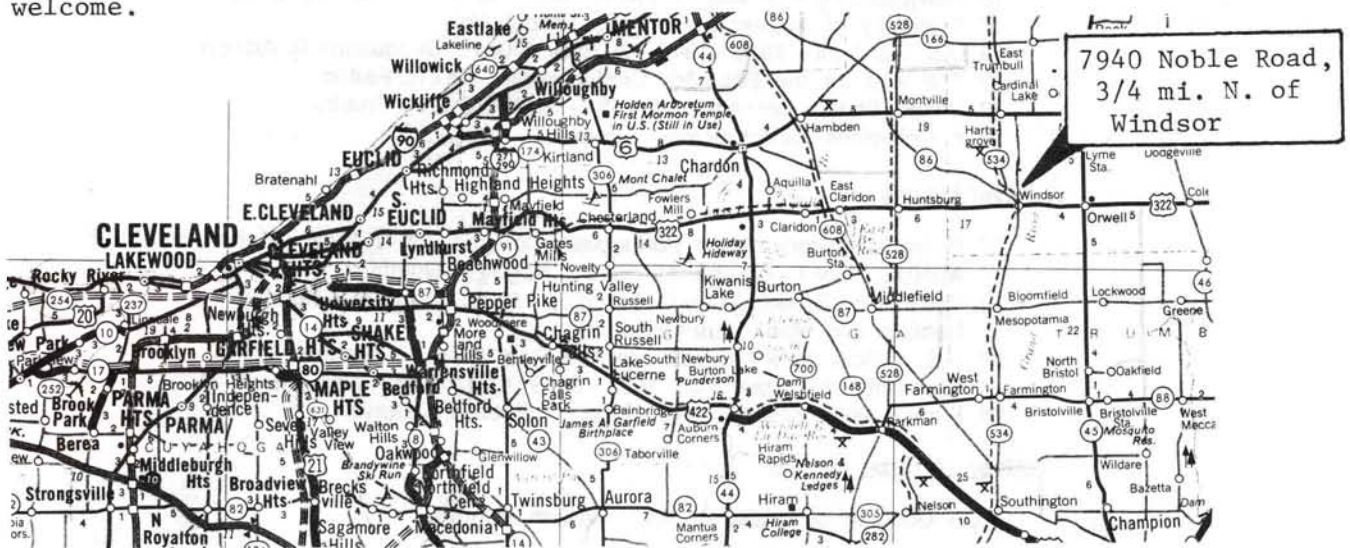
For those of you who might be interested in exhibiting, the prospectus and application form will be available by the time you receive this Perryscope. Write to: Dale Pulver, 7725 Beaver Creek Drive, Mentor, OH 44060-7121 for your copy. (Yes, I'm back in the saddle again as exhibits chairman.)

A final note: The Ohio Postal History Society will join us for their annual meeting, and probably bring some exhibits with them. Also, there is some chance the Machine Cancel Society will be here. Apparently, they had such a good time with us in 1989 that they want to come back.

THE ANNUAL G-P PICNIC

On Sunday afternoon, September 13, Marge and Norm Townsend will throw open their barns and yard on the farm in Ashtabula County for our annual picnic (is this the fourth one of the modern era?). This has become a much-looked-forward-to event and has proved to be a lot of fun for those who find they way to this well-hidden location. But if you can read a map, the one below should lead you there without trouble. Just remember that Windsor, Ohio, where the Townsends live, is due east of Cleveland, about halfway to the Pennsylvania border.

Activities will start about 3 PM and there will be a modest charge (about \$5 per person) to help defray the costs of beer and "eats". Also, please call or tell Tony Smith if you plan to attend so we can get some idea of how much food to provide. His phone no. is (216) 933 5500. All members and their families are welcome.



EDITOR'S NOTE... Sorry this issue is late again; I've had too much to do this spring and summer and I guess my work habits are deteriorating! But I'll try to get back on track with the next issue in October.

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A BACKWARD GLANCE AT MARCH PARTY '92

Since we have not had a Perryscope since the close of the March Party we should provide you with a wrap-up, even if it's old news. Below and on the following page are reproductions of the palmares lists (Jay Stotts' computer work!) for the medals and special awards. Overall the committee felt it was another successful show. We had some great exhibits, another excellent bourse, good attendance, the usual fun-filled parties in the hospitality rooms, and broke even financially with a little bit to spare. Thanks to all who participated, especially to the many loyal members who helped during the set-up and tear-down of the show. Without your help staging a March Party of this scope would be impossible.

Garfield-Perry's 1992 March Party Palmares

Grand Award

27. United States Fancy Cancellations John L. Robertson, MD

Reserve Grand Award

28. VENEREAL DISEASE: Gonorrhea, Syphilis & Aids Phillip J. Stager

Gold Medals

8. Street Fighting - New York City Carrier and Local Mail 1841 - 1861

Thomas C. Mazza

14. Erie Co. Postal History to 1899 Richard H. Parker

18. Cleveland, Ohio Postal Markings 1869 - 1900 Thomas F. Allen

21. A Study of the One Cent 1902 Series - Scott's Number 300

Douglas J. Uzakewicz

23. U.S. Playing Card Tax Stamps Martin Richardson

25. The Liberated Areas of North China 1937 - 1942 Norman W. Townsend

27. United States Fancy Cancellations John L. Robertson, MD

28. VENEREAL DISEASE: Gonorrhea, Syphilis & Aids Phillip J. Stager

29. Mexico - Hídalgo's of 1874 - 83 Ralph S. Herdenberg

32. Detroit Postal History Howard J. Selzer

33. FRANCE: Military Campaigns 1823 - 1913 Stanley J. Luft

34. One Design Served All William H. Waggoner

Vermeil Medals

9. German East Africa John C. Olson

15. Heligoland - British Administration 1867 - 1890 William H. Martin

17. A History of Ancient Egypt C. David Eeles

19. U.S. Air Mail - 1918 - 1948 - A Rate Study Jacqueline R. Adkins

22. The War for the Southern Confederacy Rex H. Felton

30. United States Cancellations 1851 - 1900 Joe H. Crosby

31. A Columbus Retrospective Joseph F. Frasch, Jr.

Silver Medals

10. Philatelic History of the Portuguese Company of Nyassá Robert Fruehauf

11. AUNUS: July 7 - October 15, 1919 Roger P. Quinby

12. The French Expeditionary Corps 1861 - 1905 Robert T. Kinsley

13. Rabbits and Man Bunny Kaplan

20. U.S. Official Mail (as used by the Post Office) Erich G. Sopp

24. Experimental Rocket Mail 1932 - 1939 Gerhardt Kaufmann

26. French West Africa (1943 - 1958) George C. Mayer

Silver - Bronze Medals

16. A Glimpse of Louisville, KY William Skinner

Youth Silver - Bronze Medal

1. Art and Artists in Stamps Diana Bolton



WINNERS! Kneeling: Robertson, Townsend, Stager, Waggoner, Stotts; Standing: Richardson, Mazza, Allen, Uzakewicz, Herdenberg, Parker, Selzer.

Special Awards

A.P.S. Medals of Excellence

Pre 1900 - 8. Street Fighting - New York City Carrier and Local Mail 1841 - 1861

Thomas C. Mazza

1900 to 1940 - 21. A Study of the One Cent 1902 Series - Scott's Number 300

Douglas J. Uzakewicz

Post 1940 - 25. The Liberated Areas of North China 1937 - 1942

Norman W. Townsend

Research Medal - 33. FRANCE: Military Campaigns 1823 - 1913 Stanley J. Luft

Bureau Issues Association Medal

23. U.S. Playing Card Tax Stamps Martin Richardson

U.S. Philatelic Classics Society Medal

32. Detroit Postal History Howard J. Selzer

U.S. Cancellations Club Award

18. Cleveland, Ohio Postal Markings 1869 - 1900 Thomas F. Allen

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors Awards

- 9. German East Africa John C. Olson

- 17. A History of Ancient Egypt C. David Eeles

American Topical Association Medals

First - 28. VENEREAL DISEASE: Gonorrhea, Syphilis & Aids Phillip J. Stager

Second - 31. A Columbus Retrospective Joseph F. Frasch, Jr.

Third - 17. A History of Ancient Egypt C. David Eeles

Garfield-Perry Awards

Garfield-Perry Award for an Outstanding U.S. Exhibit -

27. United States Fancy Cancellations John L. Robertson, MD

Donald W. Goertz Award for an Outstanding Foreign Exhibit -

29. Mexico - Hídalgo's of 1874 - 83 Ralph S. Herdenberg

C.I. Ball Award for an Outstanding Postal History Exhibit -

33. FRANCE: Military Campaigns 1823 - 1913 Stanley J. Luft

Garfield-Perry Award for an Outstanding Thematic Exhibit -

28. VENEREAL DISEASE: Gonorrhea, Syphilis & Aids Phillip J. Stager

Garfield-Perry Award for the Best Exhibit by an Active G-P Member -

8. Street Fighting - New York City Carrier and Local Mail 1841 - 1861

Thomas C. Mazza

Single Frame Awards -

First - The Post Offices of Dover Township, Cuyahoga Co. Richard Parker

Second - Dayton Ohio Jet Spray Postmarks Dr. Frank L. Shively

Single Page Award -

Norman W. Townsend

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