



STAMP
STUDY
SOCIETY

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Meetings are held the second and fourth Saturdays of each month in room 203 of the Physics Building, University of Nevada, Reno, Everyone is Welcome!

On April 11th a Board Meeting was held before the regular meeting. 8 members attended.

The regular meeting opened at 2:15 P.M. with 19 present. Nadra Boiadjiev, Stephens mother, was a guest. She helped furnish the refreshments today along with Ray Ely.

Jack Barriage is still in the hospital in San Francisco. He is doing fairly well and is now waiting for a kidney transplant. Cards are still welcome.

If you have not returned the membership form please do so very soon.

Some very interesting covers today were given by Lee Graybeal, Walt Sommer and Ron Schultz. If anyone has items to contribute for the drawing they are very welcome. Dot Geiger won the cash.

Larry Scott had attended Frespex in Fresno, California and he gave a very interesting report on their show. 200 frames were displayed. Larry won a gold ribbon and an attractive paperweight for his display.

The Board voted today to cancel NEVPEX '92 due to lack of exhibitors as there are many shows in the area this year. Special efforts will be made to have a larger show in '93. Ruthe and Dick will take care of cancellations and making reservations for 1993.

On May 23rd a general auction will be held with a limit of 10 lots per person. 10% of the sales will be given to the club. Items will be given to Ruthe for recording. The club will not be responsible for condition or value of auction items. If a member feels the value of his auction item is great he may give Ruthe a photo copy of it and bring the items to club on the day of the auction.

The mini auction was held today with 19 items being sold out of 28.

If someone has the club's copy of Scott's #3 catalogue would they please return it.

Gus reviewed Linn's Stamp News showing how much valuable information is in the publication. A big thanks to Gus for his efforts and the interesting programs he has been able to present.

The April 25th meeting was held with 16 members present and a guest of Carol McCabe's from Idaho. Ron gave covers for the drawing and the cash was won by Ray Ely.

A letter was read from Jack Barriage, his condition is improving slowly and he has a new address:

Jack Barriage #338
Garden Campus
2750 Geary Street
San Francisco, Calif. 94118

NEVPEX

The Holiday Hotel has returned our deposit for 1992 and a contract for 1993 will be signed and returned, the same provisions apply.

Bill Brew is still expecting information on the cost of Scott's 1993 Catalogues.

Forms for the May 23rd auction were passed out to members. If you did not get yours contact Ruthe. Each member may have up to 10 lots. Let each one find items for this special auction and make it a fun day.

Clarence Doucette brought good cookies today which we all enjoyed with our coffee.

13 items were upon the auction board today and 12 sold. There were really some good buys!

A very interesting program on tagging was given today by Bill Brew. The purpose of tagging is to activate sensors which control sorting and cancellations of mail. Information was taken from "Handbook on U.S. Luminescent Stamps" by Alfred G. Boergen.

We hope each member will be able to attend the May 23rd meeting and participate in the auction.

NEXT MEETING WILL BE: May 9th 2:15 P.M.

Refreshments for May 9th: Dr. Sande Program: Stephan Boiadjiev

Refreshments for May 23rd: Larry Scott Program: AUCTION

May Birthdays - "May the coming year begin with a beautiful today!"

Catherine Cole 5/2
Ruthe Dreiling 5/10

Stephan Boiadjiev 5/11
Philip Cross 5/29

STAMP TRIVIA ANSWERS

- 1- Arthur E. Summerfield
- 2- Winton M. Blount
- 3- John Wanamaker
- 4- James A. Farley
- 5- J. Edward Day
- 6- Samuel Osgood
- 7- Albert S. Burluson
- 8- Lawrence O'Brien
- 9- Walter F. Brown
- 10- Robert E. Hannegan



HOW MANY DID YOU GET???



"I find them much more effective than that stupid gavel."

A Bit of Humor . . .

The insurance salesman was explaining all of the finer details of *his* insurance policy and why Mr. Fitzwild should buy the life insurance coverage from him and not his competitor.

"Our coverage is so complete, Mr. Fitzwild, that if you fall from the eighty-fifth story of the Empire State Building, just for argument's sake, and if you hit the ground, we'll pay you \$1,000 a week for as long as you live. AND... payments start from the time you leave the window so that you're making money all the way down."

April 23, 1992

HI MEMBERS.....GOOD NEWS

May 23rd NSSS meeting is going to be **ALL PHILATEL-
IC ACTION.**

All members are encouraged to check your stamps,, covers and cards, pick out your duplicates and get them ready for sale.

Auction sheets with description space are available from RUTHE. Pick them up at the next meeting (April 25th) or stop by 29 East Gault Way, Sparks. Phone 359-2030.

Limit ten (10) lots per member.

Due to expense of postage, auction sheets etc., NSSS will retain 10% of total sales as a handling fee.

Official **REQUIREMENTS & REGULATIONS** are attached. Mail bids will be accepted.

Don't miss the fun, get involved and turn your duplicates into cash at the same time..

April 23, 1992

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Auction of the year. Requirements and Regulations

By the submission of a lot (lots) to NSSS for auction on May 23, 1992, the owner indicates total acceptance of these Requirements and Regulations.

By the submission of a bid, buyers indicate total acceptance of these Requirements and Regulations.

1. Owners may submit no more than ten auction lots each. All lots must be mounted on pages supplied by NSSS.
2. All lots must have minimum bids supplied and shown by owner.
3. Owner assumes total responsibility for the safety and handling of their individual lots. Neither NSSS nor its individual members have any responsibility to the owner except for the forwarding of 90% of the **hammer** price to him.
4. NSSS will retain 10% as a handling fee.
5. Owner is solely responsible for the complete and accurate description of all lots including condition.
6. All unsold lots will be returned to the owners at the end of the sale. There is no handling fee on unsold lots.
7. All lots are guaranteed to the buyer by the seller to be genuine, unless otherwise noted, and as described. If expertizing becomes necessary, the buyer agrees to bear the cost if the lot is genuine and as described, otherwise the seller agrees to reimburse the buyer for the expertizing and the **hammer** price, if the lot is returned to the seller as purchased. NSSS will retain its 10% handling fee in any case.
8. Auction lots or photocopies (advised, if lot has a high value and owner would prefer to keep in his possession until date of sale) of all lots offered for sale must be sent or delivered to RUTHE DREILING, 29 East Gault Way, Sparks, Nv. 89431 no later than May 9, 1992. NSSS reserves the right to refuse to include in the sale any lots and/or photocopies which are received after this date. Photocopied lots must be delivered to RUTHE before 1:30 PM on the day of the sale.
9. Bids on any lots may be sent to RUTHE anytime before May 22, 1992. Bids received after midnight May 21, 1992 may be rejected at the sole discretion of the auction committee.
10. The size of bid incremental increases are at the sole discretion of the auctioneer.
11. The winning bid on any lot will be at one incremental step over the previous highest bid.
12. All lots sold must be completely paid for and picked up on the day of the sale. All successful mailbids from buyers not in attendance must be paid for within ten days of invoice or the lots will be returned to the owner as unsold. The buyer is free to make other arrangements with the seller but "sold" lots will not be delivered to the buyer or seller until 10% of the **hammer** price is paid to NSSS.