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STAMP TUDY SOCIETY The meeting was opened at 2:15 P.M. by President Jerry Fenwick. As we had not been together since early December a special welcome was extended to each of the 26 members present. Those who could not attend today were missed. Please ref

not attend today were missed. Please remember our February meetings - Saturday the 13th and the 27th.

Covers for the drawing today were given by Tom Morrissey and Ron Schultz. The cash was won by Stefan.

Dick Dreiling is defenitely moving from Fallon. At present he is in Hampton, Virginia. A show Chairman is <u>desperately</u> needed. It will take all of our membership to make NEVPEX the success that we wish it to be. Let us each come forth and help with our special talent.

Ron ask again for items for Mr. Casteel who works with the schools on stamps. If you have items bring them to the next meeting.

Our General Auction is now set for February 27th. Get your lots, no more than 10, to Ruthe by February 10th so she will be able to make up the listings.

Kay brought the refreshments today. February 13 Phil Cross will bring them and February 27th will be Richard Piekarski's turn! Tom Morrissey will have the program on the 13th.

Jerry conducted the Mini-Auction this afternoon. There were 51 lots posted and 16 were returned to owners after the fun bidding.

Larry Scott explained the insured and registered mail policy of the Postal Service. From his recent experiences it is not a very satisfactory method of sending mail. Ask Larry to explain!!

The meeting adjourned at 3:245 P.M.

Let us all keep Walt Sommer in our thoughts and prayers as he enters the hospital on Monday, January the 25th. Cards may be sent to his home address: 3005 Scholl Drive, Reno, 89503.

Kay Williamsd Secretary

Happy February Birthday is wished for the following:

Ron Schultz

Chuck Clipper

Dr. Sande

Tom Morrissey

Tuesday the 2nd

Sunday the 7th

Sunday the 21st

Tuesday the 23rd.





NORTH JERSEY FEDERATED STAMP CLUBS

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This story first appeared in the <u>United States Mail and Post Office</u>

Assistant, No. 57, of June 1865. A newly appointed postmaster in Fulton County, Ills. read his instructions, found he had to send a "quarterly report" and mailed the following.

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mr. james Buckanin president of united States

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