



# Nevada Stamp Study Society Post Boy



N.S.S.S. meets the 2nd & 4th Saturday of each month at 10:00 am in the NNMC at 1855 Oddie Blvd. in Sparks

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## Editor's Byline

*August Heat Wave!*

**Casey Macken**  
Secretary/Editor

I am not going to write a lot about this month because we have the picnic- barbecue on the 11<sup>th</sup> and the breakdown of the Stamp Show. I started working on the Post Boy with all good intentions. We know where that leads... Anyway, after trying to fit in the time to complete the newsletter and issues at work, I have given up and here is what it is. I printed the pages, gave them to my family to mail and hit the send button. I will be making an appointment with John Walter to figure out how to resize the pictures for September. Does anyone else have more time for the Post Boy? Focus, Focus, ah the activities of August.

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Judge Larry Crain reviewing exhibits



Award Dinner 1



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Display at So Reno Library

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### REGULAR MEETING

NNMC

AUGUST 11<sup>TH</sup> 10:00 AM

10:00AM

Auction meeting

NNMC

AUGUST 25<sup>TH</sup> 10:00AM

Consignment Sales with Presentation

### Stamp Shows

**One the Road Course**

August 16-19 Sacramento

**APS STAMP SHOW**

August 16-19 Sacramento

**WINEPEX**

Oct 5-7 San Rafael

**EAST BAY COLL CLUB STAMP SHOW**

Oct 27-28 East Bay

**FILATELIC FIESTA**

November 9-11 San Jose

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### Driving directions to 2301 Oddie Blvd, Reno, NV 89512

**A** 1857 Oddie Blvd  
Sparks, NV 89431

**1. Head west on Oddie Blvd toward Sullivan Ln**

Destination will be on the right

**B** 2301 Oddie Blvd  
Reno, NV 89512

I have tried a dozen times to get this to go in and it just does not work.



Kay Williams Gone July 26, 2012

Our dear friend, Kay has passed away. She was a big part of NSSS and will be missed.



So Reno Library 1

Lot pictures can be viewed at:

[www.walter-us.net/stamps](http://www.walter-us.net/stamps)

Lot	United States	MB
1	# 150 used. Nice, rich color. Perfs are all intact and centering is VF. The only notable drawback is a pen cancel, sparingly applied. In my opinion, it adds 18th century character to the stamp. SCV: \$35.00	\$7.00
2	# 156 used. Beautiful ultramarine color. Good perfs and well centered with perfs almost touching at the bottom. (This one could possibly be #182 which catalogs at \$4.50.) SCV: \$6.00	\$1.50
3	# 156 used. The print is flat as if the plate was worn. The color is light and the paper is toned reddish. The centering is beautiful with even margins all around. This one would likely rate a 90 or 95 on the PSE scale. No thins or tears and all the teeth are present. Killer bar oval cancel. SCV: \$6.00	\$1.00
4	# 158 used. Good color. F/VF centering. Has a short perf at the right side, bottom. Has a bend at the bottom left corner and a corner crease. Nice fancy cancel. SCV: \$1.00	\$0.50
5	# 161 used. Nice color but a little sparse in the light areas. Short perfs on the bottom and a small corner crease at bottom left. The stamp has been thinned at the top of Jefferson's head. Great centering on three sides and a "wing" (jumbo margin) on the left. SCV: \$25.00 + \$2.00 for magenta cancel.	\$4.00
6	# 178 used. Nice stamp with strong vermilion color and F/VF centering. There are perf faults on the left side with two pulled perfs. Nice fancy cancel. SCV: \$15.00	\$3.00
7	# 179 used. Very strong color, fine imprint and no perf faults with extra fine centering. Small thin behind Taylor's hair and on the right side behind perfs next to "cents". May be a number cancel. SCV: \$25.00	\$4.00
8	# 182 used. Good, clear imprint with strong color. Has a short perf at the top right. Very fine centering. Good number cancel that reads "13". SCV: \$6.00	\$1.25
9	# 183 used. Good color, good print. Has a short perf at the bottom left that may have been cut. Fine, very fine centering. Nice CDS cancel that is dated "Sept 25", can't read the rest. SCV: \$5.00	\$1.00
10	# 184 used. Centering is a little low on this otherwise well centered stamp. Perfs are good and no thins or creases. The cancel is non-descript but not invasive either. A sound stamp. SCV: \$ 1.00	\$0.40
11	# 185 used. Another eye-popping five cent Taylor stamp with strong color and good (at least F/VF) centering. No noticeable faults and a light cancel. SCV: \$17.50	\$4.00
12	# 205 used. Not as well centered as some of these stamps but no faults that can spot. A good sound stamp with multiple and light cancels. SCV: \$12.00	\$3.00
13	# 207 used. A very well centered Washington three cent with no short perfs or thins. Another sound stamp with a "Bullseye" cancel. SCV: \$ 0.80	\$0.30
14	# 209 used. A Jefferson ten-cent with color and jumbo margins. Centered a bit low and to the right but well within the perfs. Perfs are clipped at the top left. Has a light "Bullseye" cancel. SCV: \$6.00	\$1.50
15	# 210 used. A beautifully centered stamp with a light killer bar, oval cancel with a star in the middle (Texas). It has one short perf. A great stamp for anyone's collection. SCV: \$ 0.75	\$0.30
16	# 211 used. A strong print with rich blue-green color. Centering is F/VF. SCV: \$27.50	\$6.00
17	# 212 used. Centering is off to the right, almost touching the perfs. Nice, light numeral cancel with a "7." SCV: \$2.50	\$0.60
18	#213 used. Very well centered stamp with no apparent faults other than a light, but slightly smudgy, cancel. SCV: \$0.60	\$0.25
19	#214 used. Nice color and centered well on three sides with the perfs just biting into	\$10.00

	the print at the bottom. Clear New York oval cancel. SCV: \$67.50	
20	#215 used. Very well centered stamp, very fine or better with strong color. No thins, no missing perfs, but two short ones at the bottom. It is heavily canceled and there is a pinhole in Jackson's ear (so he could hear better?) SCV: \$27.50	\$5.00
21	# 216 used. F/VF centering. Good color but has a smudgy cancel. Also a short (pulled) perf on the right side near the top. SCV: \$17.50	\$4.00
22	# 740-49 used. Perforated National Parks complete set of 10 stamps. SCV: \$6.80	\$1.00
23	# 2419 used. VF condition with wavy line cancel. SCV: \$2.00	\$0.50
24	# 2543 used. VF condition with light red cancel. SCV: \$1.75	\$0.50
25	9"x12" green stock book with 30 double-sided linen pages with glassine interleaving between pages. Inside cover with pen writing.	\$5.00
26	9"x12" Lindner green stock book with 24 double-sided black pages and acetate holders & glassine interleaving. Has cardboard protector box. (Purchase price label of \$34.95)	\$5.00
27	Red Showgard cover album with 26 pages and black inserts. Can hold 104 covers back-to-back.	\$4.00
28	Polyethylene cover sleeves for #6 envelope. Sealed package of 100.	\$1.80
29	Polyethylene cover sleeves for #6 envelope. Sealed package of 100.	\$1.80
30	Polyethylene cover sleeves for #6 envelope. Sealed package of 100.	\$1.80
31	Green dealer sales cards #102 size. Red storage box included with about 800 cards.	\$8.00

All the auction lots can be viewed on the web at: [www.walter-us.net/stamps](http://www.walter-us.net/stamps) click on the auction hyperlink.

Thanks to Howard Grenzebach for the older stamp photos and the lot descriptions.

SCV = 2013 Scott Catalogue Volume 1 (A-B).

MB = Minimum Bid.

Minimum bids start as low as 25 cents. There is something for everyone starting with 19th century classic U.S. stamps, couple 20th century stamps, and some collecting supplies. Come to the picnic with a few dollars to participate in the auction and enjoy a great barbeque. Don't forget to visit the member's bourse tables where a good variety of items can be found.

For the first time, this picnic auction will be a **Silent Auction**. Just go to the auction table to view the item and put your name and bid on the list. You may bid as often as you want. Tentatively, the bidding will stop at noon and the winners announced.

The silent auction format will allow maximum time for families to visit and chat and enjoy the barbeque and other goodies.



The most delicious cake 1

**Reno Stamp and Cover Show**  
**July 21-22, 2012**  
**National Bowling Stadium**  
**Reno, Nevada**  
**Palmaris**

**Greater Reno Stamp and Cover Show**

**Grand and Gold**  
**Reno, Nevada**  
**Richard Dreiling**

**Gold**  
**German Third Reich Kinder Kartes**  
**Stan Cronwall**

**Vermeil**  
**The Condor Legion and the Blue Division**  
**Stan Cronwall**

**Silver**  
**DDR (Deutsche Democratic Republic) World War II Remembrance and Memorial Issues**  
**Stan Cronwall**  
**The First Residents of Northwest Nevada**  
**Richard Dreiling**  
**The Race to the Moon**  
**Richard Dreiling**  
**The Chinese New Year**  
**Jean E. Johnson**

**Silver-Bronze**  
**Atlantic Flights**  
**Frank Fey**  
**Philatelic Phun and Profit: A New Paradigm phor Stamp Collecting**  
**Nadiah Beekun**  
**USPO and USPS Stamps and Souvenir Sheets Commemorating Philatelic Exhibitions**  
**Robert Martin (also Novice Award)**

**Silver State Challenge**  
**Gold**  
**The Penguin – Fact and Fiction**  
**Terri Edwards**

**Judge**  
**Larry Crain**



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**Wanted;** the 1949 Silver Wedding issue. Have you seen this stamp? There are several like it from other British colonies. I need about half of them to complete my collection. Contact Howard at (775) 677-7143 or [artfulputz@aol.com](mailto:artfulputz@aol.com)



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WANTED - US Aerogrammes addressed and used to overseas locations. Needed: UC42, UC44, UC44a, UC46, UC49, and UC52 to UC62, UC63a and UC64 Paying up to 100% of SCV John Walter [john@walter-us.net](mailto:john@walter-us.net)

## Post Boy Quiz-First Day Covers

August-\_\_\_\_\_

Your Name

1. What is the design called that is often found on the left hand side of a first day cover?  
A. Cachet                      B. Drawing                      C. Imprint
2. In what year did the US first identify first day covers with a distinctive cancellation?  
A. 1950                      B. 1929                      C. 1937
3. What is the name given to covers using one or more stamps of different designs, not se-tenants?  
A. Cover                      B. Combo Cover                      C. Specialty Cover
4. What is the name of the collector group specializing in first day covers of the US?  
A. First Day Asso      B. Amer First Day Cov Soc                      C. Amer Phil Soc
5. Who created the first modern first day cover by printing a cachet consisting of three lines of type on the Harding Memorial issue?  
A. HE Harris                      B. Don Sundman                      C. George Linn
6. How can early first day covers be identified when they have no distinctive cancellation?  
A. Date                      B. Topic                      C. City
7. What US stamp was the first to receive the "First Day of Issue" cancellation?  
A. NW Territory Ordinance 1937                      B. Fleet of Columbus 1893                      C. Indian  
Hunting Ground 1898
8. What options does a collector have in getting first day cancels through the US Postal Service?  
A. Ordering                      B. Buying or affixing                      C. Trading
9. When a first day cover is damaged in the mail, what recourse does a collector have?  
A. Return for credit                      B. No recourse                      C. File a complaint
10. What is the rule if a stamp of a denomination less than the first class rate is submitted for first day cancellation?  
A. Add correct postage                      B. Not needed if FDC                      C. Add 5 cents

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