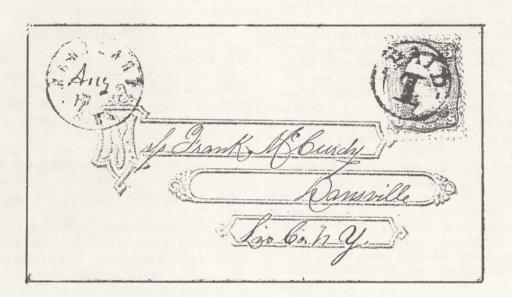


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A "PAID 1" marking tying Scott #65 to a Hartland, Michigan cover mailed Aug. 17, 1868. In The Paid Markings on the 3¢ U.S. Stamp of 1861 George Linn did not list any PAID 1 types nor did he list any PAID cancels emanating from Hartland, Michigan.

Robert Schoen informs me that Hartland was and still is a small town in Livingston Co., established in 1837. He adds that the postmasters did carve some fancy cancels with the letter H. Thus, this could be a PAID with an H on its side just as easily as it could be a PAID 1.

Does anyone have any other ideas or information about this cancel?

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393 Robert H. Miller, 915 Wallace Ave., Chambersburg, Pa. 17201

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RESIGNED

862 Dana K. Ball

DUES FOR 1973

As has been the custom for several years we ask you in our November issue to pay the dues for next year now. This effects a considerable saving in time for the Sec'y and in postage for the Club. So please send in your dues for 1973 now while it is on your mind. The amount still is only \$4.00. Those members whose dues for 1973 have already been received, should get their membership cards before this reaches them. Those who have material in the sales department stock may have dues charged. This will be done sometime before Jan. I as a matter of course unless dues received before.

The January NEWS will be sent to all of you but the March issue will go only to those members whose dues for 1973 have been received.

AMONG OUR MEMBERS

Hubert C. Skinner (#632) is the new Vice-President of the Crescent City Stamp Club of New Orleans. William H. Bauer (#834) is the new Sec'y, permanent Chairman of Exhibition Committee and has served twice as President. Nicholas G. Koutroulis (#978) is the Treasurer and Charles Yuspeh (#842) is a member of the Board.

Paul Wolf (#743) won the Grand Award at the Spokane, Wash. Interstate Fair Stamp Exhibition for his "Patriotic Covers of the Spanish American War".

At BALPEX in Sept. at Hunt Valley, Md. Daniel C. Warren (#912) and Gilbert L. Peakes (#608) received Gold Awards. Charles Yuspeh (#842), and Gayle Foster (#958) had Silver awards. Bronzes went to Seymour B. Stiss (#330) and Ted L. Kilish (#741).

Edith R. Doane (#847) is the Author of Billig&s Handbook #31, "UNITED STATES COUNTY AND POSTMASTER POSTMARKS".

As President of the American Philatelic Research Library, Edward L. Willard (#125) took a prominent part in the dedication of the new APS building at State College, Pa. including a speech and an exhibit, "The Postal History of the 2¢ Red Brown of 1883". Othermembers who exhibited were: Alton M. Gaumer (#909) "Postmasters' Fancy Cancels", Joseph D. Hahn (#734) "El Salvador 1796-1889, Selected Pages of Pre-adhesive Covers and the Pre-Seebeck Issues, Chester M. Smith (#881) "The Postal History of Centre County, Pennsylvania" and William C. Walker (#499) "United States Twentieth Century Fancy Cancels on Cover". Although Exhibits were not judged each exhibitor received a handsome special award with appropriate notations.

Charles J. Reiling (#717) received a First at SOCOPEX for his Exhibit of 6ϕ Bank Notes on Cover with NYFM Cancellations and also a First and a Special President's award at REDPEX for an Exhibit of 6ϕ Bank Notes on Cover with General Cancels.

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1-5-6-10-12-18-26-29 Feb:

2-4-7-9-14-15-20-21-24-28-31 Mar:

1-3-8-10-13-15-20-25 Apr:

8-18-19-20-26 Mav:

1-12-14-17-19-22-24-29 Jun:

Jul: 5-11-27-28

Aug: 8-11-12-25-26

Sep: 3-5-8-10-24-25-27-30

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KENNETH R. LAURENCE 13005 Keystone Terrace North Miami, Florida 33161

WANTED FOR EXHIBIT

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BOND BOOKS

The books on Machine Cancels by Arthur Bond (#505) are selling very well. The BARR-FYKE Book is all sold out. Non-members who order it now are being sent the three issues of the NEWS in which the articles first appeared. The HAMDEN Book still is available @ \$1.00. The BARRY Book by Mr. Bond and Mr. Funk also is available @ \$3.50 to members of USCC and @ \$4.00 to others. Not a very accurate record was kept of cost of the BARR-FYKE and the HAMDEN Books but one has been kept of the BARRY Book and enough have been sold so that we are now in the black in that account.

Incidentally, since the Club's finances are in a healthy state we might be considering taking on another project of some sort. Suggestions wel comed.

At the Federation of Iowa Stamp Clubs exhibit held in Sioux City in April the USCC Certificate was awarded to Dr. A. E. Cook for his showing of lowa Covers.

Also, at that show Ruth Grissman (#667) received an award for "U.N. EUROPEAN OFFICES".

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Chester M. Smith (#881) was the winner of the Grand Award, the APS Certificate and a DeLuxe Copy of the APS Book by Raoul de Thuin for his exhibit of "Center County Postal History". Joseph D. Hahn(#734) received a Gold Medal and Alton M. Gaumer (#909), a Silver Medal. Milton Mitchell (#279) was one of the Judges.



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ARIZONA TERRITORIAL POSTMARK CATALOGUE

by Sheldon H. Dike Ph. D. (#434)

This looks to your editor like a complete listing with illustrations of these interesting Postmarks also with considerable information about all of them including the earliest and latest known dates of use, Killers, Owners of Covers and estimated values along with copious notes.

Pages are $8\frac{1}{2}$ x II inches and bound to lie flat when open. Not all pages are numbered but there must be about 100 of them of which about 35 contain numbered illustrations.

This must have consumed years of research and work and it may be secured from the author, S. H. Dike PhD, 142 Carlisle Blvd., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87110. Price of \$15.00 postpaid seems to your editor most reasonable.

We take the liberty of reproducing a page of the illustrations on page 46.

BILLIG'S PHILATELIC HANDBOOK Vol.33

This volume of the Billig series is also the fourth in a series of Books on "19th Century United States Fancy Cancellations" begun in 1947 by Mons. Michael Zereski, continued in 1951 by Herman Herst, Jr. (#452) and in 1963 by Mr. Herst and E. N. Sampson (#28) and now in 1972 Mr. Herst and Mr. Sampson have collaborated again to produce the most complete listing thus far published. It includes markings on Stampless Covers as well as on those which used adhesive stamps.

This 288 page book adds considerable to the information contained in the three previous ones including up to date cash values. Estimated values run from "A" (up to \$1.00) to "J" (over \$100.00) and are shown, along with other pertinent information on the page opposite that which contains the illustration. We show a double page from this book on page 48.

The price is \$7.50. It may be secured from your local dealer or from the publisher, HJMR Co., P.O. Box 308, North Miami, Florida 33161 and also from Robson Lowe Ltd, 50 Pall Mall, London, England.

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The USCC Certificate was awarded to Lewis K. Foster Jr. (#365) for his exhibit of "New York Foreign Mail Cancellations on U.S. Banknote Issues". This exhibit also received the "Federation Plaque" and the first award in the United States Section.

A Gold Medal in the United States Section went to Dr. Joseph F. Rorke (#831) for "Cancellations on Black Jacks".

A Silver Medal in the same section was awarded to Gayle A. Foster (#958) for "Characteristic and Fancy Cancellations on U.S. Postal Cards".

Charles J. Reiling (#717) received a Bronze read: 841
Medal for "Errors and Unusual Aspects of US 1934 Parks sues".

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INTERPHIL 76

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INTERPHIL '76 ELECTS OFFICERS AIMS FOR REGIONAL PARTICIPATION

Robert J. Stets has been re-elected chairman of Philadelphia International Exhibition, Inc., sponsors of INTERPHIL 176, the International Exhibition to be staged at the Philadelphia Civic Center, May 28-June 6, 1976.

Named at the same time for 3 year terms as directors were: Alfred H. Kessler, Irving Weinberg and Edward J. Whiting. William N. Mead will fill the unexpired term as director for the late Judge Vincent Carrol. Other directors are Martin L. Apfelbaum, Al D. Bluver, Judge Ethan Allen Doty, Wylie H. Flack, John W. Hacker, David Stump and Edward L. Willard, General Council is Julius H. Tolson.

Selected to work as laison with the Association For Stamp Exhibitions, under whose auspices the show will be held were: John J. Britt (Florida) Dr. James Matejka (!linois); and Philip Silver (New York). Ezra D. Cole will act as Laison with the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission.

Plans are underway to include many top philatelists within the framework of the organization. Initial action will provide for active participation by philatelists on a state-by-state basis. An advisory board of distinguished American philatelists is now being formed. These leaders will join with INTERPHIL '76 committees in plans to establish 100 plus regional representatives throughout the United States. The regional representatives are expected to arouse grass roots support and interest for the International Exhibition on a local level.

Soon to be chosen will be leaders to head a group of International representatives, as well as top-ranked philatelists to work with INTERPHIL.

76 committees in various capacities.

Directors of !NTERPHIL 76 welcome suggestions and support from all segments of the philatelic fraternity. President Robert J. Stets said, "With four years remaining until the exhibition, officers of the group are still tediously laying the groundwork. "With full co-operation and participation by all philatelists the 1976 affair will exceed in quality and quantity, all previous U.S. Internationals," he said.

Direct all communications to INTERPHIL '76 Secretary, Alfred H. Kessler, 7934 Pickering St. Philadelphia, PA 19150.

Plan now to join in on the celebration marking the 200th anniversary of our nation's birth at Philadelphia in 1976,

-- Irving Weinberg.

ERROR

In the Sept. NEWS we listed under "Changes of Address" 841 A. L. Prescott, This should have read: 841 A. L. Tobias. Our apologies to both.



Three more interesting Covers from the collection of C. R. Moyer (#969):

TEMECULA STATION, CAL. JUL/31/MAY (inverted)
Backstamped Downey, Cal. Aug. 1, 1886

Payson, Yavapai Co. Arizona, Apr. 12, 1886 Star cancel

AZUSA, CAL. 1885/1/Jan. Maltese Cross Cancel.