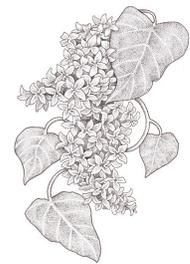


The Lilac Hinge

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January 25, Clothesline Exhibit

Program

Bring a favorite philatelic item, mounted on a page, and briefly talk about it for five minutes or less. It can be a philatelic item that is new, unusual, or a lucky find. Anything will do. (Note: At the start of the meeting, please let President J Palmer know that you brought an item to talk about.)

Auctions

We will have both silent and live auctions with lots of new material. Please come early if you are bringing items for sale in the live auction.

2022 Dues Reminder

A few people still owe 2022 dues (\$10 per member or \$14 for a family). If you receive your newsletter by mail, check your address label. Labels with "2021" still need to be paid.

February 8, Board Meeting and Stamp Mixture Night

Purchase stamps from mixtures and worldwide collections that the club continues to buy. This includes a new batch of albums and material to sort through. This is a great way to purchase stamps at very reasonable prices!

Congratulations to Ken Owens, Philatelist of the Year!



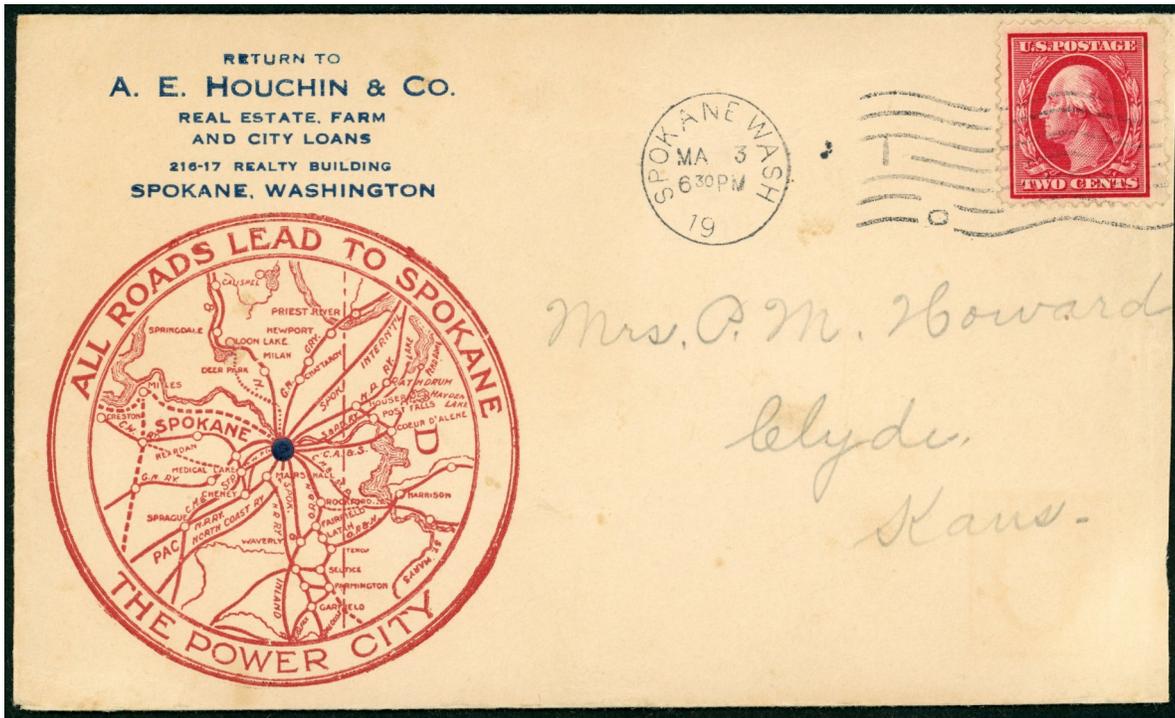
Ken is a Board member, volunteers at shows, prepares lots for club auctions, and is always willing to help wherever he can. Ken "sure enjoys being part of the club," and says that he "has a blast" with his volunteer activities. Ken is a longtime member and recalls attending his first meeting in the County Courthouse over 50 years ago.

Ken collects Germany and colonies—all except DDR, and German revenues. He also collects Russia, early USSR, and worldwide stamps.

Congratulations, Ken, and thanks for your service to the club!

Coming Events...

- February 8, Board meeting and stamp mixture night
- February 22, IEPS meeting
- May 7, Weekend in Wallace
- March 26-27 Apple Blossom Show: The show has been cancelled because the Eagles has an event that weekend
- August, Rendezvous in Ritzville
- September 24-25: Apple Harvest Show at the Eagles



“ALL ROADS LEAD TO SPOKANE, THE POWER CITY”: This May, 1911 cover from Spokane has a popular cachet and slogan that was used to advertise Spokane. The map shows the many railroads that passed through Spokane (Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Union Pacific, Milwaukee Road, Spokane International, etc). The cachet was first used by the Spokane Chamber of Commerce in 1909, and for a few years after by local businesses.

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