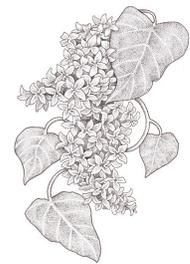


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April 26 Meeting

Program: Identifying Stamps

What do these two stamps have in common? They are examples of worldwide stamps that can be difficult to identify. At left is a stamp from the German "Germania" issue, and at right a US Washington-Franklin issue. Varieties of paper, perforations, watermarks, gum, die varieties, etc. can be challenging and require study, and can determine whether a stamp is a common issue or a scarce variety.



Do you have stamps that you have difficulty identifying? Or do you specialize in issues where you are knowledgeable about the varieties of a particular issue and can share that knowledge? For our April meeting, either email a scan of one or two stamps to Bill Ailes (Billailles1@comcast.net) or bring them to the meeting. Bill will put them into a PowerPoint presentation so that we can view, discuss, and try to identify them. Come early if you bring stamps to the meeting. **The cutoff is 6:45 PM**, to allow time to scan and put them into PowerPoint slides.

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.

Weekend in Wallace

May 7, 2022 at the Wallace Inn (100 Front Street, I-90 exit 61)

Joint meeting at 12:30 PM with the Garden City Stamp Club of Missoula, MT

Meet other club members from Missoula and have a great time, including presentations by Mike Zak from the Missoula Stamp Club and J Palmer from IEPS. The meeting includes a lively auction. An optional dinner will follow the meeting. The meeting plus dinner (turkey, gravy, potatoes, vegetable, salad, desert and coffee) is \$25, or \$9.00 to attend the meeting only. Contact Ken Rehfeld at kenrehfeld@comcast.net or 509-924-6375 to make a reservation.

Registration at the meeting begins at 12:30 PM, with the meeting starting at 1:00 PM. Your bidding/selling # is the one that is on the sign up sheet.

You can also spend the night at the Wallace Inn (208-752-1252) or the nearby Brooks Hotel (500 Cedar Street, and slightly cheaper, 208-556-1571). Contact either hotel for prices and to make reservations.

Club Auction Lots for the April 26 Meeting

Lot #	Description	Catalogue value	Minimum bid
7641	Andorra, Scott 23-27, 65-69, 70, 121, J1-3, J16-17, J32-35	\$29.40	\$6.00
7642	Sweden Officials O13-20, O22-24	\$118.00	\$20.00
7643	Christmas Island, 13 stamps	\$21.80	\$4.00
7644	Guadeloupe, Scott 14-15, 17, 19, 27-37, 39-40, J15, J20-23	\$120.15	\$20.00
7645	French Guiana, Scott 32-33, 37, 39, 42, 51-57, 59-60, 94-96 used	\$28.85	\$5.00
7646	Sweden, Scott 28-29, 31-36, used	\$72.00	\$10.00
7647	Canada selection	\$44.00	\$8.00
7648	Canada country collection on pages	\$200.00 +	\$10.00
7649	Romania, country collection on homemade album pages	\$400.00 + [\$25.00
7650	Poland country collection on Vario pages		\$3.00
7651	French colonies on Vario pages	\$400.00	\$25.00
7652	Austria country collection on Vario pages		\$14.00
7653	Australia country collection on Vario pages, plus "A" countries		\$13.00
7654	Croatia, Scott B3-5, B56-59, B49-51 overprints	\$11.50	\$3.00
7655	North German Confederation	\$16.55	\$4.00
7656	US plate blocks, \$14.52 face		\$8.00
7657	Thurn and Taxis, Scott 27, 30-31 mint, 46 used, 60-62 mint	\$30.00	\$6.00
7658	Memel, Scott N4 mint, N18-23 mint, N47 and N49 used	\$34.45	\$7.00
7659	New Zealand, Scott 101 mint	\$35.00	\$7.00
7660	58 Golden Cover replicas	\$80.00 +	\$8.00
	Vario pages, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8-rows in 10-packs		\$5.00 each
	Canadian and Australian first day cover assortments		\$1-5 each

Coming events...

- **May 10 Board meeting and stamp mixture night, 6:30 PM:** 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!
- **May regular meeting:** Changed from May 24 to **Monday, May 23** because of a scheduling conflict at the Eagles

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