

May 10, 1937

The regular meeting of the Lancaster Stamp Club was held in St. John's Parish House, Marietta, Pa. by arrangement with and on invitation from the president Rev. C. E. Berghaus, who presided.

Nineteen members and eight visitors attended. Mr. William F. Meckel of Lititz, Pa. and Mr. R. W. Gabriel of Lancaster were admitted to membership. Rev. Berghaus received two other applications, the names to be submitted at the next meeting.

The Club was requested by Vincent Domanski, Jr. of Phila. Regional Representative for S. E. Pa. of the National Federation of Stamp Clubs to send a representative to an organization meeting Thursday evening, May 29, in the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia. Dr. Arthur Gearhart was selected by the Club, with E. F. Evans to act as alternate.

The communication from the Reading Stamp Collectors' Club was read concerning their Banquet to be held on May 12. The Cachet for the Wheatland dedication and arrangement for first day covers on the Adams Pick-up were discussed.

Following the meeting, Albert F. Witmer acted as auctioneer, and because of a noticeable improvement in the quality of the auction lots there was spirited bidding and good prices were received. The meeting and auction concluded, refreshments were served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Church.

E. F. Evans, Secretary, Pro-Tem