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MEETINGS, 2ND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

LANCASTER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY CENTER

Columbia Ave., Lancaster, PA

Next Meeting - Wed., JUNE 13, 2001

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK --

Well I finally have at least some of the stamps I purchased, at our stamp show, affixed in my album and some of the aches and pains, from moving all those frame boxes, have dispated. It was a good show and I want to thank everyone who had a part to play in its success. As you know or found out if this is your first show, it takes a lot of planning and coordination to make this show work. As far as I know there were no major problem areas but if you know of something that needs changed, please let Jim Boyles or me know so it can be corrected.

I have not had an opportunity to look at our register we kept at the front door, but I wonder how many of those that attended our show were from Lancaster County. And if they were from Lancaster County I wonder why they are not members of our club? I know that some people are just not joiners, but what about the rest.

I know that we philatelists do not go around with a stamp affixed to our foreheads for identification. If you see someone in a store looking at stamp materials or go to an auction and have people bidding against you that you do not know, do

not be afraid to identify yourself as a member of our club and offer information about us. Some people do not like trying an activity unless they know someone who is a member. Even though it may be only a casual contact it may be enough to at least have them come and check us out.

Dick Shaefer

JUNE HOST

Hopefully JIM BOYLES has not exerted himself too much as co-chairman of the annual LANCOPEX show and still has a bit of energy left to be our Host for the June meeting. JIM, it looks like you are "on tap" for the goodies for June.

JUNE PROGRAM

The June program will consist of a WASHLINE EXHIBIT.

All members are asked to exhibit something of their collection that is of particular interest to them and exhibit it on our "washline".

This will be a sharing time for everyone and should prove to be very exciting. ALL members are asked to exhibit something. Those who do not exhibit will be fined 25 cents.

A TRIBUTE TO TWO ACTIVE CLUB MEMBERS WHO ARE NO LONGER IN OUR MIDST

We wish to celebrate the life of KATHERN MAINE AND HARRY S. RAPP.

The presence of these two members of the LCPS will leave a great gap in our club. They were both active members and appreciated by all who knew them.

KATHRYN was a school counselor and a teacher at the high school levels. She was a member of the First Methodist Church in Millersville and was a very civic-minded person. Her list of memberships and achievements are unending.

In the literary area she enjoyed writing one-act plays. She was a world traveler.

ALLEN WHEELER, an LCPS special friend of hers, told this reporter the story of her 76th birthday party where her grandson played the violin for his grandmother as his "special gift" to her. KATHRYN was positively elated over this gift!

All you had to do was talk to KATHRYN five minutes and you knew from her lovely accent she was from the South (Tennessee) and was one child in a family of ten children.

The APS will be sent a donation in loving memory of KATHRYN J. MAINE by the L.C.P.S. KATHRYN was 78 years old.

"I'M JUST WILD ABOUT HARRY" could have been the theme song for our stamp club. Everyone loved to hear the stories HARRY would share with other club members at our meetings.

Like KATHERN, HARRY lead a very colorful life. He traveled widely and has always lived life to the fullest wherever he resided.

HARRY was in show business which added to his many experiences and tales he would share.

As a sergeant in the U.S. Army during WWII, he returned from serving his country and became very active in the American Legion. His patriotism for his country was without question.

HARRY was a collector of all kinds of collectables. In the <u>June 1991</u> issue of our club newsletter we did a special article about Harry and his colorful life. The article was entitled "Packrat Harry" and it tells of HARRY'S colorful life in detail. Anyone wanting a copy of this article, please let the editors know and we will send it to you.

A special memorial will be sent to the APS by our club in memory of HARRY S. RAPP, 88 years old. HARRY was the last surviving member of his family.





SPECIAL THANKS TO BEATRICE KILLOUGH!

The estate of BEATRICE KILLOUGH donated some of her stamps to the club for sale at our May Auction. We realized a profit of \$51.00 for the club from this gift. We thank t estate and extend our appreciation to her family, William and Robert Killough.

LANCOPEX 2001

Philatelic Exhibition and Bourse

of the

Lancaster County Philatelic Society

Lancaster, PA April 28-29, 2001

Gold

William F. Rapp

"Canadian Postal Stationary"

Richard Colberg

"Mexico Postal Cards"

Glenn Blauch Gordon Miller "Lebanon County Postmarks"
"Stamps of the Azores"

Rev. Edward J.

"Air Mail from Vatican City"

Mullowney

James Boyles
John Hufnagel

"Postmarks of Lancaster, Pa 1785-1899"

"Kansas/Nebraska Overprints"
"Bloods"

Norman Shachat

Silver

Richard Colberg

"Postal Wrappers of Mexico"

Richard Colberg

"Manuscript and Handstamped Markings up to the Time of the Official Spelling Change from Litiz

to Lititz"

James Boyles

"Postal Markings of Columbia, Pa 1818-1900"

Bronze

David Robbins

"Olympics" "Reptiles"

Joshua Galloway
David Galloway

"Adventures in Space"

Karen Aller, Melissa Yezdimir, Bryan Aller, Glenn Aller, DD Shirley

received Certificates of Participation

Special Awards Grand Award

Postal History Certificate "Air Mail from Vatican City"

Rev. Edward J. Mullowney

Reserve Grand Award

Gordon Miller

"Stamps of the Azores"

Lancaster County Philatelic Society Award

Richard Colberg

"Mexico Postal Cards"

AAPE Pins

Richard Colberg James Boyles "Postal Wrappers of Mexico"

"Postal Markings of Columbia, Pa 1818-1900"

American Philatelic Society Award

"Postmarks of Lancaster, Pa 1785-1899"

PA Postal History Society Single Frame Award

Norman Shachat "Bloods"

Youth Topical Award

Joshua Galloway

"Reptiles"

New Junior Exhibitor Award

Glenn Aller

James Boyles

"Prehistoric Animals"

Apfelbaum Novice Award

Karen Aller

"Domestic Cats"





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Everyone is encouraged to make these new members feel at home in our club. Extend your philatelic hand of friendship to these members.

We are also happy to report we now have <u>five junior members</u> in our club. We hope this number continues to grow each year!

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JACKPOT UPDATE

At the April club meeting there were 27 members present. The jackpot drawing was won by DAVE YORK.

At the May club meeting there were 29 members present. We were so busy attending to "affairs at hand" we forgot to having a jackpot drawing.

Therefore, the June jackpot drawing will advance to \$10.00 this month. Be sure to attend -- YOU MAY BE THE NEXT BIG WINNER!!!!

The best labor saving device a woman can have is a husband with money.

MEMBERSHIP LIST AVAILABLE

The list of stamp enthusiasts belonging to the Lancaster Philatelic Society has been updated as of June 1, 2001. Copies of the listing will be made available at the June meeting. If you are not in attendance and wish a copy, please inform the editor of the newsletter and we will send you a copy.

