

Lancopex '86



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Lancaster County Philatelic Society

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Saturday, April 19, 1986 10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 20, 1986 12:00 noon - 5:00 p.m.

P R E S I D E N T ' S M E S S A G E

It is my pleasure on behalf of the officers and members of the LANCASTER PHILATELIC SOCIETY to welcome you to LANCOPEX '86.

I want to thank the exhibitors, dealers, U.S. Postal Service, Park City and the members of the society for their cooperation in making our first exhibit a success.

Please accept my invitation to join us at our regular monthly meetings. I sincerely hope your visit today will be enjoyable and that we will see you next year at LANCOPEX '87.

James G. Boyles

S O C I E T Y M E E T I N G S

The LANCASTER COUNTY PHILATELIC SOCIETY meets the second Wednesday of every month, (except August) at the Stauffer Mansion, 1241 Lititz Pike, Landaster, PA. Meetings start at 7:30 p.m.

Guests are always welcome and membership is open to all stamp collectors regardless of expertise.

Information may be obtained at the Courtesy Table or by mail at P.O. Box 982, Lancaster, PA 17603.

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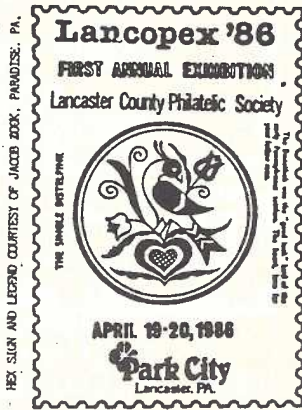


E X H I B I T S

- 1 Private Die Proprietary Medicine Stamps
-- James G. Boyles
- 2 Czechoslovakia - New York World's Fair
Ovrprints 1939-1940
-- M. L. Vondra
- 3 Canada R.P.O.'s - Canadian R.P.O.
Cancellations - An overview.
-- Richard Colberg
- 4 Maximaphily - Maximum Cards From Various
Countries
-- Jerry Laconis
- 5 Queen Mother's 80th Birthday Commemoratives
-- Marilyn Shirley
- 6 Authgraphs of Masons on Masonic Covers
-- Stanley R. Longenecker
- 7 Frog & Toad Trivia. A Philatelic Miscellanea
of Frogs and Toads
-- Joan Bleakley
- 8 A Universal Philatelic Salute to The Artistic
Legacy of Walt Disney (1901-1966)
-- Ralph S. Mills, Sr.
- 9 The Art of Fencing - Explaining the basic
positions, offensive and defensive moves,
strategies and techniques in all three
fencing disciplines.
-- Ilse I. Buchheit
- 10 Scouts - Individual stamps from countries of
the world.
-- David Strayer
- 11 Curriculum Vitae Martin Luther - The Life of
Martin Luther, Not Reformation
-- Trudy Innes
- CLUB Selected pages from the albums of club members
(non-competative)

ABOUT OUT CACHETS

LANCOPEX '86 is The First Philatelic Exhibition By L.C.P.S. in many years. To commemorate the Lancaster County event we selected a Distlefink—the early Pennsylvania settler's "good luck" bird.



John Wise (1809-1879) Lancaster, Pa. pioneer aeronaut. Completed 462 balloon ascensions between 1836-1879. His aeronautical contributions were ahead of the times. Most successful Lancaster flight May 7, 1836. Lancopex '86 honors Mr. Wise and his ascension 150 years ago.

Jupiter". August 16, 1859. In 1842 during the Mexican War, Mr. Wise suggested a plan to "bomb" Vera Cruz from a balloon anchored to ships in the harbor. His last flight at age 71 ended the career of John Wise. His body was never recovered from Lake Michigan.

Our Cachet depicts an April 15, 1836 advertisement for John Wise' May 7, 1836 successful flight in the "Meteor" from the Common near the head of West Orange and Chestnut Streets. He landed at Bel Air, MD. His balloon was accidentally ignited by a lantern and was destroyed.

LANCOPEX '86 honors Mr. John Wise and his ascension 150 years ago.

"Our children will travel to any part of the globe without the inconvenience of smoke, sparks, or seasickness and at a rate of 100 miles per hour"

-- John Wise - 1850

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THE LANCASTER, PA POSTAL SERVICE for their attendance at the Show and Cancellation Service.

The LEBANON STAMP COLLECTORS CLUB for the assistance and use of exhibit frames.

JACOB ZOOK HEX SIGNS, Paradise, PA for assistance with Hex designs.

The L.C.P.S. Members who donated their time and efforts to make LANCOPEX a success.



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