THE BAY PHIL

The Bay Phil December 2018

VOLUME 49, NUMBER 3 321

DECEMBER 2018

The Bay Phil is a publication of Friends of the Western Philatelic Library, Inc.

The Friends of The Western Philatelic Library, Inc. is an organization of philatelists assisting in the growth and maintenance of the Western Philatelic Library.

INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

Thank you	2
Summary of Board Actions	3
List of Board Members	4
Remember When?	5
Tear Sheets for Sale	6 7
Volunteer?	I



ABOVE IMAGES:

SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS to the Library.

Thanks to the generosity and foresight of the Friends of Western Philatelic Library Safety Committee, a number of upgrades have been made to the building including 1) emergency push bars, locking mechanisms and springs for the doors 2) upgraded exit signage 3) new efficient lighting in various locations for a better work environment and 4) upgraded electrical work in several places. More to come!

LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE & LIVE AUCTION !

Saturday April 13, 2019

A Free OPEN HOUSE, LIVE PHILATELIC MATERIAL AUCTION & BOOK SALE

TO BENEFIT THE LIBRARY will take place on **Saturday, April 13, 2019** at Western Philatelic Library 3004 Spring Street (@ 2nd Avenue), Redwood City, California 94063

Open House & Viewing at 10:00 am

Auction begins at 11:00 am

See description of Live Auction items at www.fwpl.org posted by Sunday, March 17, 2019

Note: Bidders must be present to bid and pick up the lots. No mail bids will be accepted.

See map on back page for Directions

PAGE 2



Bob Gordon, Editor

Editors Corner

Come greet old friends

and make new ones!

DON'T MISS the Open House, Live Auction of philatelic items and books at the Library on Saturday April 13, 2019!

Doors open at 10am. Auction begins at 11am.

Before you come, you can do some homework. Auction lots will be listed on our www.fwpl.org web site by March 17.



Want to connect with us?

- I) Call 650-306-9150
- 2) Email libry@att.net
- 3) Visit www.fwpl.org

Directions to the Library are on the Back Cover.

Thank you to our donors

We are grateful to the following for their recent donations to The Friends of the Western Philatelic Library, Inc!

Doug Gary (Campbell) Peter Hausknecht (Cupertino) George Hellrich (La Honda) Mr. Zs Stamps (Burlingame) Robert A. McCully (Mill Valley) James Oerding (Capay) Marsha Schmitz (San Jose) Hugo Vargas (Danville)



Summary of Board Actions

THE FRIENDS OF THE WESTERN PHILATELIC LIBRARY, INC.

SUMMARY OF BOARD ACTIONS NOVEMBER 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

November 10, 2018:

Treasurer's Report: Nestor Nunez presented the Financial Statements, including a detailed report of all Cash Receipts through October, 2018, copies of which were distributed to members of the Board of Directors. Highlights include the refund of Property Tax (paid during the Library's tax-exempt status suspension) received from San Mateo County. Ed Jarvis moved to thank Nestor Nunez for getting the Property Tax refunded, seconded by Roy Teixeira and passed unanimously.

WPL Operating Instructions, Corporation Documents, Additions and Updates:

Nestor Nunez said that the **FWPL's** filing with the **Registry of Charitable Trusts** has been approved. **Roger Skinner** showed a letter received from the **Franchise Tax Board** confirming that it has been so notified.

Board Meetings of The Friends of Western Philatelic Library, Inc. are open to all.

January 12, 2019:

Open House, Auction and Book Sale: The **Open House** will be held on **Saturday April 13, 2019** starting at 10:00 am with an **Auction** at 11:00 am. The listing of Auction Items will appear on the **Website** beginning on **Sunday March 17th**. The Open House will also feature a Book Sale, as well as free Literature and Accessories. **Ed Jarvis** mentioned that he and **Judy** will sponsor coffee, tea, and cookies for the event.

<u>Fence and Gate Repairs</u>: Ed Jarvis announced that he has secured funding for this project and it will hopefully be finished before the **Open House** in April.

<u>New President of the FWPL</u>: Stu Leven reiterated his wish to resign his position as **President** in 2019, but said he would like to remain on the **Board**.

The next Board Meeting will be held at 10:30 am on Saturday March 16, 2019.



Board Members, Western Philatelic Library APS Chapter 836

Library Board Members

President:	Stuart Leven
Vice President Aquisitions:	Roger Skinner
Vice President Membership:	Richard Clever
Secretary:	Nestor Nunez
Treasurer:	Nestor Nunez
Board Members at large:	Edward Jarvis

Volunteers:

John Corwin	Proofreader		
Bob Gordon	Editor		
Wally Jolliff	Auctioneer		
Ken Lewetzow	Auctioneer		
David McNamee	Consultant to Board of Directors		
Dave Moore	Webmaster		
Jerry Mix	eBay Sales		
Ian "Russ" Samuels	Recording Secretary		

Roy C. Teixeira





Image left: Improvements to the Library

New storage shelving for bankers boxes, with new energy-efficient lighting overhead!

A peek at the post office, 58 years ago

Remember When?

BELOW: 1960 busy Christmas season, Minneapolis post office employees donate time to fix letters with insufficient postage. From <u>An American</u> <u>Postal Portrait</u>, available in the Library.



Tear Sheets for Sale

To order, call 650-306-9150 or email libry@att.net

AUSTRALIA

	AUSIKALIA					
16581	Air Mail. Europe to Australia. (Dec. 1927)		2pp		1927	1.00
16553	Australian Olympic Athletes Postal Cards.	McMahon, I.	2pp	ill	1996	1.00
16554	Australian Scenic Postal Cards & Lunar New Year Issues.	McMahon, I.	8pp	ill	1996	4.00
16582	Company Used Camels. (Coolgardie Cycle Express)	Williams, L.N.	1pp	ill	1989	.50
16567	Gold Fever Led to Coolgardie Cycle Express Stamps. BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE	Williams, L.N.	1pp	ill	1989	.50
16522	Bechuanaland Protectorate. Scott J 7-8. Size of Surcharges. BRITISH HONDURAS	Brunskill, J.R	1pp	ill	Unk	.50
16555	Experiment Produces Rarities. Scott 26a & b. BURMA	O'Keefe, D.	1pp	ill	1985	.50
16568	Japanese-Occupied Burma, Overprints 'Fun'. CANADA	August, K.	1pp	ill	1977	.50
16586	A Philatelic Tour of Canada.	Obojski, R.	2pp	ill	1978	1.00
16583	Another New Air Mail Route in Canada. (Aug 13, 1927 Corr					
	Lake-Cold Lake Manitoba)		1pp		1927	.50
16556	Book Review. The Admiral Issues of Canada, by George C.	Marler.Sellers, F.B.	3pp		1986	1.50
16584	Canada.	Hedley, R.P.	1pp	ill	1946	.50
16571	Canada's Precancels Show Many Variations.	Postlewait, D.D.	2pp	ill	1989	1.00
16570	Canada's Straightedge Stamps of 1968-70.	McInnis, L.	2pp	ill	1988	1.00
16569	Die Varieties. Canada. Queen Victoria. Scott 77 & 77a.	Brunskill, J.R.	1pp	ill	Unk	.50
16585	Heritage Artifact Printings Hard to Find.	McInnis, L.	1pp	ill	1989	.50
	CEYLON	,				
16557	Die Varieties. Ceylon. Scott 202, 202a, King George V. CHANNEL ISLAND	Brunskill, J.R.	1pp	ill	Unk	.50
16552	Rare Locals Exist From Manx P.O.W. Camp. FIJI	Williams, L.N.	1pp	ill	1987	.50
16523	Fiji Definitives Offer Many Varieties. GIBRALTAR	Shaw, R.L.	2pp	ill	1986	1.00
16587	Gibraltar Label Advertises Powder. GREAT BRITAIN	Williams, L.N.	1pp	ill	1990	.50
16517	BPO Booklets Vary in Design & Content.	Hill, C.W.	2pp	ill	1984	1.00
16531	BPO Reluctantly Issued Stamps for PUC.	Collins, P.	2pp	ill	1983	1.00
16529	Britain Plays a Taxing Card Game.	Champion, P.G.	2pp	ill	1979	1.00
16549	Britain's Rare Abnormal. (1867-80 10d Plate 2)	O'Keefe, D.	1pp	ill	1985	.50
16545	Britannia on Stamps, Coins, Medals.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1976	.50
16550	British Jubilee Momento Becomes Rarity.	O'Keefe. D.	1pp	ill	1987	.50
16579	British Once Tolerated 'College Stamps'.	Herst, H.	1pp	ill	1983	.50
16548	British Publication Helps Postmark Buffs. (Post Offices in th		1pp	ill	1984	.50
16580	British Stamp Printers. Walsall Security Printers.	Lewy, E.	1pp	ill	1989	.50
16527	Choice Items Waiting to be Found.	Benjamin, A.W.	2pp		1982	1.00
16544	Cities Jealously Guard Their Coats of Arms. Scott 1043.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1984	.50
16546	Coffeehouse Services Become Obsolete.	Hill, C.W.	1pp 1pp	ill	1976	.50
16537	'Coinage Head' Stamp Depicts Monarch.	Hill, C.W.	2pp	ill	1970	1.00
16508	Collecting Made Easy. Machins.	11111, C. W.	2pp 1pp	ill	2007	.50
16538	De La Rue Printed Unpopular Unified Series.	Hill, C.W.	2pp	ill	1986	1.00
16535	De La Rue Produces Halfpenny Adhesives.			ill	1980	
16535		Hill, C.W.	2pp 2nn	ill	1978	$\begin{array}{c} 1.00 \\ 1.00 \end{array}$
	Decimal Era Brings Regional Series. Die Varieties, Great Britain. Scott 072-083, Edward VII Issu	Hill, C.W.	2pp			
16510			1pp	ill	Unk	.50
16528	Die Varieties, Great Britain. Scott 88-89, Victoria 1881 Issue		lpp	ill	1987	.50
16559	Die Varieties. Great Britain. 2 Penny Machin Head. Scott496		1pp	ill	1989	.50
16560	Dogs Fare Better Than Masters. (Dog Licenses)	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	Unk	.50
16518	Free Franks for Government Mail.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1975	.50
16532	George VI Low Values Attract Interest.	Collins, P.	2pp	ill	1985	1.00
16562	Great Britain Enters Into Espionage.	Pugh, K.W.	2pp	ill	1978	1.00

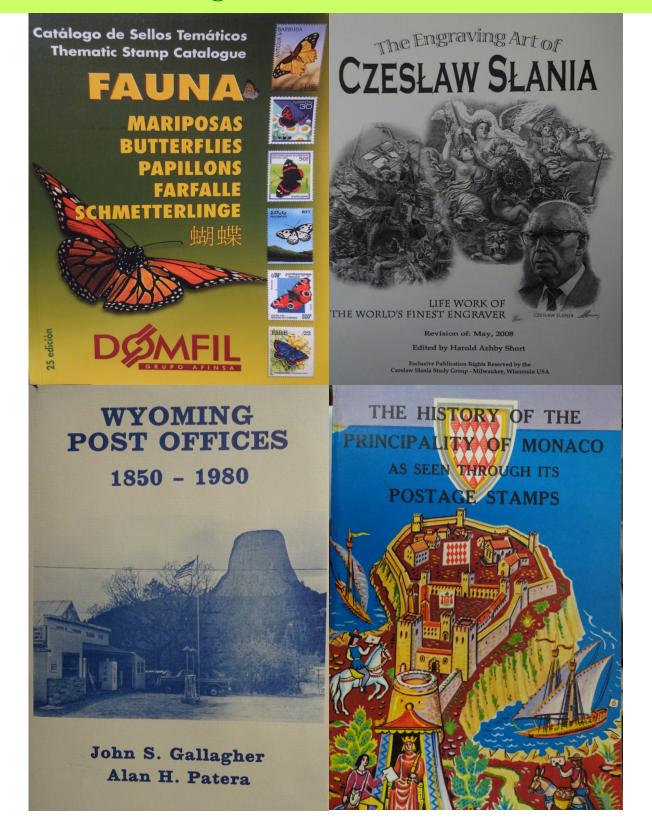
THE BAY PHIL DECEMBER 2018

Tear Sheets for Sale

To order, call 650-306-9150 or email libry@att.net

	GREAT BRITAIN (continued)					
16533	Great Britain's Booklets Span 80 Years.	Collins, P.	2pp	ill	1984	1.00
16511	Last Stamps of Britain's Edward VII.	Collins, P.	2pp	ill	Unk	1.00
16534	Mulready Envelopes & Their Caricatures.	Hatton, W.	3pp	ill	1986	1.50
16542	New Stamps Devoted to English Heraldry. Scott 1040-1043.		1pp	ill	1984	.50
16547	News & Post Office Historically Linked.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1985	.50
16561	Our Cousin Queen Elizabeth II of England.	Porath,J.H.	1pp	ill	1953	.50
16516	Overprinted British Officials Scarce.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1984	.50
16564	Penny Black Reflects on 'The Good Life'.	Small, P.	2pp	ill	1977	1.00
16519	Penny Posts in Outlying Provinces.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1976	.50
16514	Portrait Stamps of King Edward VII.	Hill, C.W.	2pp	ill	1978	1.00
16521	Postage Dues of Great Britain Cinderellas of Philatelic World		1pp	ill	1978	.50
16578	"Posted Since 720 Last Night" Cancellation.	8	1pp	ill	1956	.50
16520	Postmarks, Labels of Parcel Post.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1976	.50
16530	Preliminary Negotiations Leading to the Anglo-French Posta					
	Convention of 1843.	Cohn, M.	13pp		1961	5.75
16563	Security Printers Produce Counterfeits.	Pugh, K.W.	2pp	ill	1978	1.00
16541	Small Size Decimal Definitives Uses.	Hill, C.W.	2pp	ill	1979	1.00
16543	Stamp Portrays Earl Marshal Emblem. Scott 1042.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1984	.50
16551	The British Post Office Records Room.	Stringer, K.E.	21pp		1973	7.75
16509	The Postal History of Woolwich.	Bathe, P.J.	21pp	ill	1980-2	7.75
16512	Three Distinct Types of Penny Reds Exist.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1985	.50
16536	Three Firms Produced Edwardian Series.	Hill, C.W.	2pp	ill	1978	1.00
16515	UPU Prompted British New Value, Color.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1986	.50
16539	Valuable Mail Gives Problems.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1982	.50
16513	Venetian Red's Watermark Makes Headlines.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1977	.50
	HONG KONG	,	11			
16588	Cancels Mark Hong Kong As A Crossroads.	Rogers, M.	2pp	ill	1990	1.00
16572	Hong Kong Commemorative Cards. The Tamar Puzzle.	Spaulding, R.M.	11			
	Hong Kong. The first 2 Months.	Askins, .L.	11pp	ill	1973	5.25
	INDIA	,	11			
16589	Stamps Depict Ancient Monuments. Scott 207-222.	Bantwal, L.	1pp	ill	1978	.50
	IRELAND					
16573	Philately Recalls Ireland's Easter Rising.	Collins, P.	2pp	ill	1987	1.00
	ISLE OF MAN					
16566	Catalogs Do Not List Calf of Man Issues.	Hill, C.W.	1pp	ill	1977	.50
16565	Uncommon Aerogrammes Isle of Man.	Dacosta, F.M.	2pp	ill	1998	1.00
	MALAYA					
16574	"Malayan Union" Proper Designation.		1pp		1946	.50
	MONTSERRAT					
16505	The Third & the Half. (provisional Bisect on Cover. 2/26/188	84).	1pp	ill	1968	.50
	NEW ZEALAND					
16575	Die Varieties, New Zealand, Postage.	Brunskill, J.R.	1pp	ill	1989	.50
16590	New Zealand Railway Stamps Appeared on Newspapers, Fre	eight				
	& Parcels.	Collins, P.	2pp	ill	1983	1.00
	NIGERIA					
16558	British Influence Evident in Nigerian Issues.	Pateman, R.	2pp	ill	1984	1.00
	PAKISTAN					
16524	Die Varieties Pakistan. 1961-70 Regular Issues.	Brunskill, J.R.	1pp	ill	Unk	.50
16526	Die Varieties Pakistan. Scott 468 1978-81 Definitives.	Brunskill, J.R.	1pp	ill	Unk	.50
	PALESTINE					
16525	Palestine Revenue Stamps From 1917 to the End of the					
	British Mandate. (1948)	Sugar, S.	5pp	ill	1985	2.50
	SEYCHELLES					
16506	Tiny Desroches Island Has Postal History.	Pendleton, S.	1pp	ill	Unk	.50

Looking for Materials to Borrow?



59th Annual Stamp Show WESTPEX 2019

San Francisco Airport Marriott Waterfront Hotel April 26 -28, 2019

Schuyler Rumsey Auctions of San Francisco

WESTPEX 2019



The Extraordinary John W .Geary 200th Anniversary of Birth Youth Area

Boy Scout Merit Badge Program

Over 50 Meetings and Seminars

<u>Hosting</u> United States Stamp Society Military Postal History Society American Society of Polar Philatelists Universal Ship Cancellation Society Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society



A World Series of Philately Exhibition with 5000+ pages in 280+ frames



WWW.WESTPEX.ORG

WESTPEX[®] 2019 Stamp Show Details & Call for Exhibits

The exhibitor's prospectus is now available for the fifty-ninth annual WESTPEX show April 26-28, 2019 at the San Francisco Airport Marriott Waterfront Hotel, 1800 Old Bayshore Highway, Burlingame, CA, just a mile south of the San Francisco International Airport. The exhibitor's prospectus and entry forms are available from Ross Towle 400 Clayton Street, San Francisco CA 94117 or at www.westpex.org.

This World Series of Philately open exhibition will feature over 280 frames of exhibits, including participation by the United States Stamp Society, Military Postal History Society, American Society of Polar Philatelists, Universal Ship Cancellation Society, and the Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society. The Ryukyu Philatelic Specialist Society will be celebrating its 50th Anniversary at WESTPEX 2019. This is a World Series of Philately exhibition with the Grand Award winner eligible for the Annual Champion of Champions competition at the American Philatelic Society Stamp Show in August 2019.

The show's bourse includes seventy-five national and international dealers in stamps, postal history and stationery along with a four-day auction by Schuyler Rumsey Auctions of San Francisco that will fill the bourse with items for the general collector, the specialist and exhibitor.

Numerous specialty societies, clubs, and study groups will hold more than fifty meetings and seminars during the three-day event. There is a WESTPEX sponsored Youth Area with free stamps and supplies for young collectors. On Sunday April 28, a Boy Scout Merit Badge program is scheduled, which was a sell-out last year.

A United Nations Postal Administration First Day of Issue ceremony will take place on Friday April 26. The theme for the first day is "Endangered Species" and the stamps will be available.

The American Philatelic Society in conjunction with WESTPEX will conduct a special pre-show "On-the-Road" course titled "Competitive Thematic Exhibiting" taught by retired philatelic judge Phillip J. Stager on Thursday April 25. See the APS website stamps.org for details and required pre-registration.

Arizona Philatelic Rangers and the Collectors Club of San Francisco dinner Friday, April 26, 2019 at the Terrace Café, 1100 El Camino Real, Millbrae.

Continuing the tradition of a local show theme, WESTPEX 2019 will be celebrating the 200th anniversary of the birth of the extraordinary John W. Geary, Postmaster of San Francisco and San Francisco's first and youngest mayor. WESTPEX will offer a special Cinderella souvenir sheet as well as cachet covers. The show will officially open at 10 AM, Friday April 26 and you will not want to miss this 59th WESTPEX Stamp Show. Complete show details, reservations, schedules, and theme story available at www.westpex.org.

Volunteer for the Library

Since the Western Philatelic Library is operated entirely by volunteers, please consider lending some of your time and talents to support the Library.

There are many different types of opportunities (or feel free to come up with your own):

- \cdot Answering phone and/or email inquiries and researching requests for information
- · Sorting and cataloguing new and/or donated materials and preparing them for display on the Library shelves
- · Writing reviews of recently acquired materials for use on the Library web site or in The Bay Phil journal.
- · Writing up duplicate material for sale on eBay, WESTPEX or the Library website
- \cdot Helping maintain and update the website
- \cdot Providing technical support for the Library computers and other equipment

Perhaps your stamp club or society would like to hold a meeting once or twice a year at the library.

Your members could bring in lunch, help sort items, and then have your meeting.

While visiting and helping at the Library, you'll be surprised at what you might discover.

For more information, visit The Friends of the Western Philatelic Library website at http://www.fwpl.org/volunteering

Or call the Library at 650-306-9150, or email at libry@att.net.

Library Lending Policies

Search for a book: Did you know that the Western Philatelic Library is part of the Philatelic Union Catalog, a data base with library holdings from 13 of the largest philatelic libraries in the world?

Be sure to take a look at http://catalog.stamplibrary.org/InmagicGenie/opac.aspx

Interlibrary Loan is available as well. For assistance, contact the Library at 650-306-9150 or by email at libry@att.net.

Lending policies: Most of the materials of Western Philatelic Library can be checked out for a period of two weeks.

The Library is open to the public, and you need not be a Member to borrow from the circulating collection, request assistance on research, or to come in and do the research yourself.

Postal (out-of-area) borrowers are responsible for postage and insurance both ways, and all borrowers are financially responsible for the books they borrow. Non-circulating materials may only be used on-site.

In person or from afar, feel free to make use of your Western Philatelic Library!

The Friends of the Western Philatelic Library, Inc. P.O. Box 7063 Redwood City, CA 94063- 7063

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

Telephone: 650 306 9150 Email: libry@att.net Website: www.fwpl.org



Visit the Western Philatelic Library

