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WEBSITE www.salemstampsociety.org

July 16th Meeting

We had about 30 members attending the meeting and 3 called in on Zoom. The main event of the evening was the Members' Auction. Nearly 2/3 of the lots were sold for a total of \$940. Club lots made \$140 and, together with strong raffle sales, nearly \$200 was raised for the club. Some of the lots attracted lively bidding eventually going for 4 or 5 times the reserve. Four lots were sold to bidders on Zoom and two to members who had called or mailed in bids ahead of time to Bob Reynolds.

President Lisa Janz gave members an update on the health of Lucien Klein and Steve Dulaney who have both been poorly of late.

Lisa also asked members for suggestions of new books for the Society's library.

GASS August 14-17 2025.

The newsletter editor asked any members that are attending GASS in August to consider writing a short report + photographs on their experiences at the show for the newsletter.

August 20th Meeting.

This month's program features a presentation by **Gary Tiffin** and **Ted Shepard** on local postal history in the late 19th and early 20th century. It is titled "1875—1920 Mails to Turner and Aumsville" and details the early development of the Rural Free Delivery service in Oregon.

The August Bid Board has 60 varied and interesting lots which are listed and illustrated in this newsletter and on our web site. Bob Reynolds is asking for volunteers to help with this month's Bid Board. Please contact him if you are willing and able to help.

Local Shows and Meetings.

Our Fall STAMPEX takes place on **Sunday September 21st** at the Scottish Rite Center on Commercial St S in Salem. The show hours are 10am to 4pm and Gary Tiffin reports that he has a full complement of dealers attending. He will provide more details closer to the date but please mark your calendar and tell friends and family. Volunteers to help set up, tear down and sit at the welcome desk would be appreciated.

Later in the year, our Christmas Party is confirmed for **Wednesday 3rd December** at the Scottish Rite Center starting at 6pm.

The **Salem Coin and Stamp Show** scheduled for **December 20—21** has moved to a new location this year. It will be held at the Polk County Fairgrounds off S. Pacific Hwy, Rickreall, OR 97371. More details in the flyer (over) or from Danny Bisgaard.

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PIPEX 2026

Club member and PIPEX Committee Chairman Dave Epps has recently reported some good news concerning PIPEX 2026.

"This Morning, I received some very good news from Niko Courtelis. David Markowitz of Uptown Stamp Show and Cherrystone Auctions will work together to put on an auction, at the Monarch Hotel, during our show in 2026. Some of us have been searching for an auction house to step forward, so it is great to see this happening. As a committee, we will need to put the word out that PipeX will have an auction and that Cherrystone is looking for quality auction lots.

Below, I have added the email that Niko (from Uptown Stamp Show) sent to me. We appreciate their efforts and will support them in any way we can."

Dave Epps

"Cherrystone Auctions and Uptown Stamps are holding a stamp auction featuring collections and large lots on May 3, 2026, at the Monarch Hotel, in a room across the courtyard from the PipeX Stamp Show.

We will set up on Thursday, April 30, viewing on Friday and Saturday May 1-2, and the auction will commence Sunday morning, May 3. **Consignments are being accepted now through February 1.** By April 1, our catalog will be available on the Cherrystone website, Stamp Auction Network, and a printed catalog will be distributed. We believe that with Cherrystone's decades of national auction success and Uptown's local presence and personnel, combined with support from Bob Beall, we will present a successful large lot stamp auction for West Coast consignors and buyers.

Niko Courtelis

This will be a great addition to next year's PIPEX show and a rare opportunity to experience the excitement of an international auction so close to home..... and another good reason to attend! It is also a great opportunity for any of our members who have quality large lots or collections that they wish to place in such an auction. Niko or another representative of Uptown Stamp Show will be at our Fall STAMPEX in September to answer any questions you might have about the auction.

SALEM COIN/STAMP SHOW

DECEMBER 20 & 21, 2025

NEW DATE

POLK CO. FAIRGROUNDS – BLDG. A
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NEW LOCATION

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HOURS: 12/20- 10A TO 4:30P 12/21- 10A TO 3:30P
EARLY BIRD BOTH DAYS @ 9A FOR \$50

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OVER 80 TABLES – COIN AND STAMP DEALERS
FROM AROUND THE U.S. /A.N.A. & P.N.N.A.
INFORMATION – ANACS REP. TO SLAB COINS

TYPE AND PROOF COINS/GOLD AND SILVER/
MINT AND PROOF SETS/TOKENS/CURRENCY/
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EXHIBITS/HOURLY AND END OF SHOW RAFFLES/
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PIPEX 2026

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**August 2025 Bidboard
Salem Stamp Society**

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LOT #	COUNTRY	DESCRIPTION	SCOTT #	CAT		NOTES
				VALUE	MIN BID	
1	United States	1868 3 cent Washington, Used	94	\$12.50	\$3.00	
2	United States	1869 3 cent Pictoral, Used	114	\$16.00	\$4.00	
3	United States	1870 6 cent Lincoln, Used	148	\$22.50	\$5.00	
4	United States	1873 6 cent Lincoln, Used	159	\$18.00	\$5.00	
5	United States	1873 10 cent Jefferson, Used	161	\$25.00	\$5.00	
6	United States	1879 10 cent Jefferson, Used	187	\$40.00	\$8.00	
7	United States	1893 1 cent Columbian, MNH	230	\$32.50	\$10.00	
8	United States	1893 8 cent Columbian, Mint no gum	236	\$47.50	\$8.00	
9	United States	1898 4 cent Lincoln, Mint no gum	280	\$30.00	\$5.00	
10	United States	1902 1 cent Franklin, Mint some gum	300	\$12.00	\$3.00	
11	United States	1902 2 cent Washington, MNH	301	\$15.00	\$6.00	Nicely Centered!
12	United States	1902 5 cent Lincoln, Mint HR, clipped corner	304	\$60.00	\$6.00	
13	United States	1904 5 cent Louisiana Purchase Issue, Used	326	\$22.50	\$7.00	Nicely Centered!
14	United States	1912 1 cent Washington Coil Pair, MNH	410	\$32.50	\$8.00	
15	United States	1918-22 (4) Different Coils, MNH	490//496	\$27.00	\$7.00	
16	United States	1920 2 cent Washington, Type V, Mint LH	527	\$18.00	\$5.00	
17	United States	1920 1 cent Washington Imperf, Mint LH	531	\$12.00	\$4.00	Nicely Centered!
18	United States	1920 2 cent Washington, Type IV, Mint LH	532	\$37.50	\$10.00	Nicely Centered!
19	United States	1920 Pilgrim Tercentenary Set, Mint LH	548-50	\$38.75	\$10.00	
20	United States	1923 10 cent Monroe, MNH	562	\$30.00	\$8.00	
21	United States	1922 15 cent Statue of Liberty. MNH	566	\$35.00	\$10.00	
22	United States	1922 25 cent Golden Gate, Mint LH	568	\$13.50	\$4.00	
23	United States	1924 10 cent Monroe Coil, MNH	603	\$16.00	\$5.00	
24	United States	1924 Huguenot-Walloon Set, Mint LH	614-6	\$38.75	\$10.00	
25	United States	1929 6 cent Kansas Overprint, Mint LH	664	\$25.00	\$5.00	
26	United States	1929 9 cent Kansas Overprint, Mint LH	667	\$14.00	\$3.00	
27	United States	1929 10 cent Kansas Overprint Mint LH	668	\$22.50	\$5.00	
28	United States	1932 Washington Bi-Centennial Set, MNH/Mint LH	704-15	\$ 21.00	\$5.00	
29	United States	1987 10.1 cent Oil Wagon red precancel imperf Pair	2130b	\$ 15.00	\$5.00	
30	United States	Lighthouse Stockbook w/100's of used stamps			\$7.00	
31	Australia	1988 Living Together Set, MNH	1053-78	\$ 28.50	\$7.00	
32	Bahrain	1955 Surcharge Set, Mint LH	96-8	\$ 28.00	\$7.00	
33	Barbados	1897 1sh Badge type, Mint HR	100	\$20.00	\$5.00	
34	Barbados	1912 George V 1sh, Mint HR	124	\$17.50	\$4.00	
35	Belgium	1912 5fr King Albert, Used w/tab	102	\$25.00	\$5.00	
36	Bermuda	1893 1sh Victoria, Mint LH	25	\$19.00	\$4.00	
37	Bermuda	1935 Silver Jubilee Set, Mint LH	100-3	\$16.80	\$4.00	
38	Canada	1915 1 cent George V Coil, MNH	131	\$14.00	\$4.00	
39	Canada	1921 3 cent George V Coil, MNH	134	\$25.00	\$8.00	
40	Canada	1933 5 cent government Buildings, MNH	202	\$18.50	\$6.00	
41	Canada	1935 King George Partial Set, MNH	214-6	\$ 34.00	\$7.00	
42	Canada	1938 20 cent Fort Garry Gate, MNH	243	\$ 24.00	\$7.00	
43	Gold Coast	1884 2p Victoria, Mint LH	14	\$50.00	\$10.00	
44	Great Britain	1873 3p Victoria, Mint LH	61	\$ 50.00	\$10.00	
45	Great Britain	1887 6p Victoria, Unused, no gum	119	\$40.00	\$8.00	
46	Hong Kong	1978 & 1990 Misc MNH Coil Strip of 5 and 2 gutter pairs	347,8 509b	\$ 11.60	\$3.00	
47	Ireland	1953 Irish Harp Set, Mint LH	147-8	\$27.25	\$5.00	
48	Ireland	1956 Statue of John Barry Set, Mint LH	149-50	\$ 40.50	\$8.00	
49	Ireland	1948-65 First and only airmail Set, MNH	C1-7	\$ 35.35	\$8.00	
50	Italy	1992 Set of 6 Columbus 500th Anniversary S/S, MNH	1883-1888	\$28.25	\$6.00	
51	Niue	1938 Scenes Set, Used	73-5	\$ 43.50	\$10.00	
52	Nyasaland	1921 4sh King George, Used	35	\$ 45.00	\$10.00	
53	Rhodesia	1896 5sh Coat of Arms, Mint HR's	38	\$ 65.00	\$15.00	
54	Australia	3 Different 1988 Sets, MNH		\$37.20	\$10.00	
55	Guernsey	1970's Collection 25 sets & 4 Sheets		\$60.00	\$12.00	
56	Guernsey	1987-89, 3 Different Booklet Panes, MNH	373-4 a,b	\$ 18.25	\$4.00	
57	Isle of Man	1980's-1990's 9 MNH S/S's		\$ 31.00	\$5.00	
58	Jersey	Misc 1970's-1980's MNH Sets		\$ 79.50	\$16.00	
59	San Marino	1970's 6 Different MNH Sets		\$ 8.20	\$2.00	
60	Switzerland	1969-82 mini MNH Collection		\$ 16.30	\$4.00	

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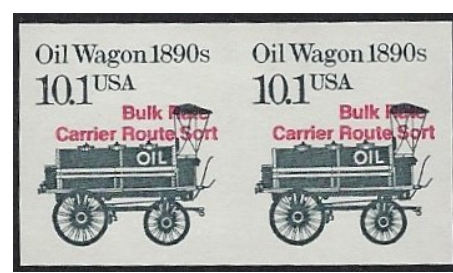
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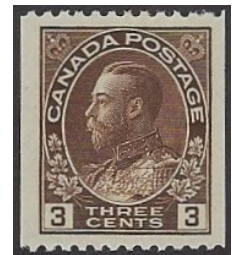
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Meetings

**All meetings held at the Scottish Rite
Masonic Temple,
4090 Commercial St. SE, Salem, OR.**

Wednesday 20^h August 2025.

Starts at 7pm, Doors open at 6pm.

**Program: Gary Tiffin & Ted Shepard, "1875
-1920 Mails to Turner & Aumsville", Bid
Board**

Wednesday 17th September 2025.

Starts at 7pm, Doors open at 6pm.

**Program: Peter Gatehouse, "Tin-Can Mail"
Bid Board**

ADVANCE NOTICE!

Wednesday 3rd December 2025

Christmas Party, Starts 6pm

Pacific NW Stamp Shows and Bourses 2025-6

Local Events

Salem Stamp Society Fall STAMPEX,

Sunday 21st September, Scottish Rite Center, Salem

Salem Coin & Stamp Show, December 20-21

Polk County Fairgrounds, Rickreall, OR

Repetitive Events:

Oregon Stamp Society: Rose City Stamp Fair -

2nd Saturday of the month at OSS clubhouse

4828 NE 33rd Ave., Portland 9:00am-3:00 pm

**Collectors Corner - 4th Saturday of the month
at OSS clubhouse 9:00 am.- 3:00 pm**

2024-25 Major Shows:

GASS Aug 14-17 2025, Schaumburg, IL 60173

PIPEX 2026, May 1-3 2026, Monarch Hotel, Clackamas, OR

**BOSTON 2026 World Expo, May 28-30 2026 at the Boston
Convention Center**