

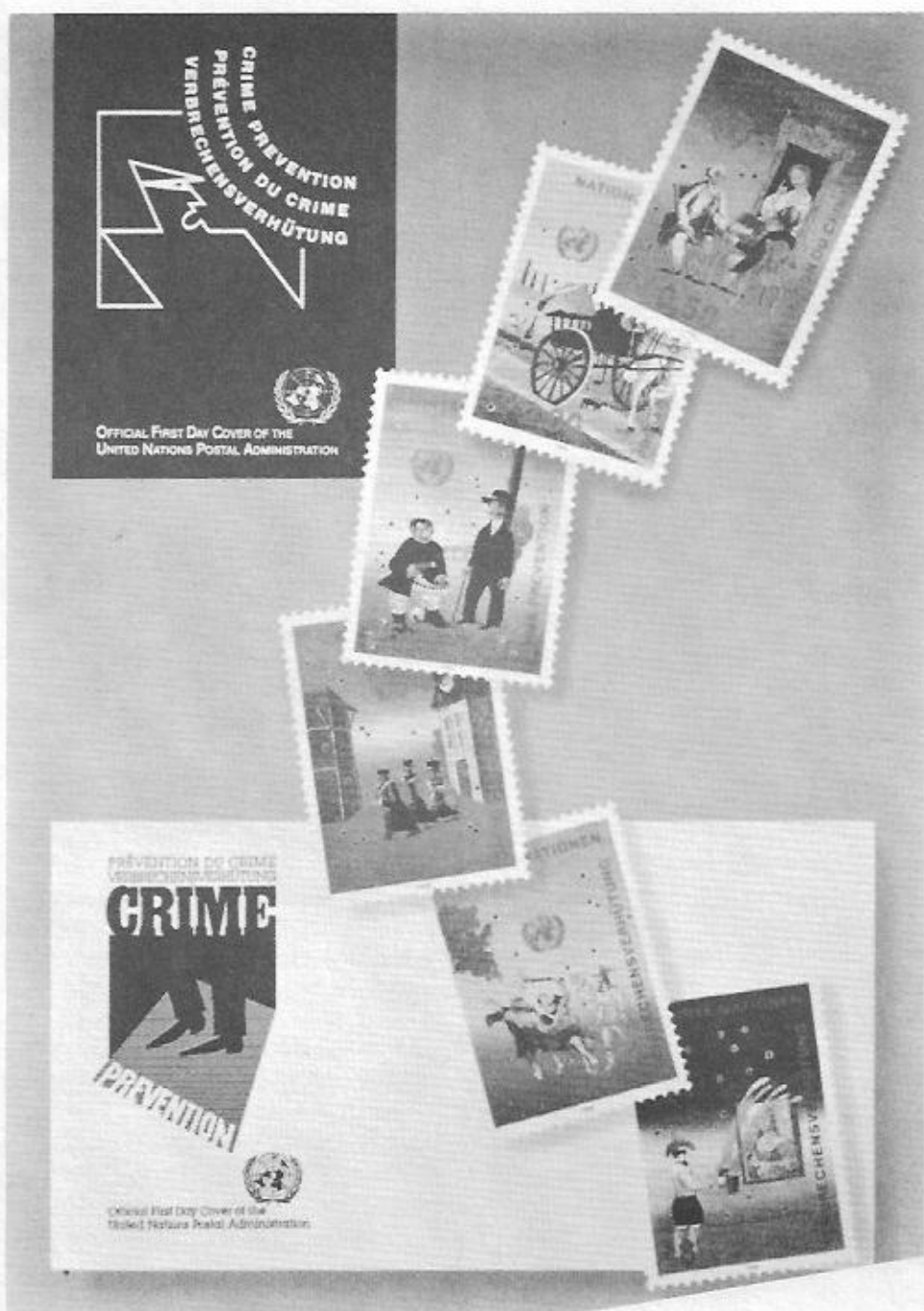
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## COVER DESCRIPTION

**OUTSIDE FRONT:** Publicity flyer for the new UNPA issue "Crime Prevention" showing the new stamp issues and the first day cover design.

**OUTSIDE BACK:** Auction results from UNP Mini Auction 1990B and UNP Premier Auction 1990C.

## EDITOR'S CORNER

I understand the August issue is out and surprise! No problems! The answer: Gremlin Off. Actually, I bribed them with my copies of the #38. I mean, at the prices these things are selling for, who cares!

I hate to continue hammering you people out in collector-land, but we are experiencing an acute shortage of writers and columnists for this publication. When I have to resort to writing a column myself, convincing the President to do one, and recruiting a member of the UNSG in Great Britain, we're in trouble as an organization.

Consider writing a column. One or two typed pages is all that is involved, less if you include a nice picture or two. If you are embarrassed, use a byline (fictitious name), but consider writing a column or even an occasional article.

I would like to make a special mention of our members comprising the UN Collectors Club of Chicagoland who, while doing all they can for the UNP, found time to donate \$500.00 to the APRL Building Fund. Good show, people!

I would also like to thank Mr. Bernie Kosmoski of United Nations Collectors for graciously agreeing to place advertising in the Journal on a regular basis. I have dealt with Bernie for years and he is one of the best sources of material for beginning and advanced collectors. Try him!

The Premier Auction is over. I am sure everyone will be pleased with the results - over sixty percent of the lots sold at almost \$5,000.00 in gross sales.

Nice selections of material continue with the auctions in the August and present issue of The Journal. But, we need more material to keep the quality and quantity up for the members. There's no better place to get rid of United Nations, U.N. Worldwide, UPU, or related material than right here in our club's publication!

Finally, in the August issue we noted that all the winning bids can now be paid, on a permanent basis, by CREDIT CARD. This remains true, except that American Express and Discover cards are not currently acceptable.

## THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE

By Clayton Wallace

Last issue I mentioned the relative financial health of our organization. For those of you who have not been with us for more than a few years, our club was having a hard time paying the printing costs of The Journal. Several members were asked to pay their next years dues in advance to cover those expenses. This enabled the club to survive until the next fiscal year and normal dues collections could take place.

Now we are financially healthy through the actions of several hard working members, and we owe them a vote of thanks. The previous Board of Directors made several difficult decisions that have left the club in the position to move forward.

First, they changed The Journal to its present size. It is much more costly to print in the smaller format. Some members have asked for a return to the small format, but adding more pages to achieve the same amount of space is, frankly, a waste of resources.

One product that was eliminated, but will be restored starting with this issue, is our yearly monograph. These were a big expense, but I am very happy to be able to start producing them again (not withstanding that the first one was done by me).

The other product, our auctions, is providing an additional steady source of income. The June "Premier" auction raised about \$500.00. Mark and I are constantly striving to improve this vehicle by attracting more and better material and upgrading the presentation. By next April's issue the "Premier" auction will be a wonderful, finished product.

Finally, we owe a debt of gratitude to our hard working Chicago group, The U.N. Collectors Club of Chicagoland. They have donated numerous resources such as time (getting The Journal printed and mailed) and quite a bit of money. Recently, they forgave our UNP pin debt.

The last Board of Directors wanted to continue watching the finances and have introduced several new classes of membership, such as the Sustaining and Contributing memberships. An extra donation above your dues payment will be gratefully acknowledged in the pages of a future issue of The Journal. Please take the time to look over the back cover if you have not yet renewed.

We have several wonderful ideas to attempt with the extra resources at our disposal. For example, we are looking at ways to reach our goal of five hundred members. Another idea has been proposed for a children's U.N. stamp album to be handed out at the various shows throughout the United States. I will spend more time on the various ideas in future issues.

Help your club and U.N. collecting - recruit a new member!

#### LETTER FROM BRITAIN

By Bill Barnes  
(Former President UNSG)

Iraq: I don't want to begin by infuriating any of you with my own distinctive brand of uniquely factual, objective and moral reasoning, so, for this issue at any rate, I'll not say too much about Iraq/Kuwait/and the U.N. But I must say that, in company I imagine with all informed, genuinely peace-loving and sane U.N. supporters, I was delighted with the immediate and unanimous response of the Security Council in imposing mandatory economic sanctions. To the extent to which the nations of the world continue to act under the U.N. umbrella. We shall, I believe, see the re-birth of the U.N. functioning as its inspired architects intended. But if the nations act in any other way, it is my belief that the U.N. will die as the League of Nations died - at a time of great need and great opportunity - for want of simple good sense and support from the international community - and you can fold up your stamps and silently slide away - to your nuclear shelters.

London is still one of the best (probably the best) philatelic centers in the World and I am fortunate enough to live only some fifteen miles from it's centre. There are still dozens of stamps shops, lots of auctions and several regular stamp fairs that attract nearly as many dealers as do large stamp exhibitions. It's a happy and generally

very honest business with a lot of very friendly dealers. Those of you who know London well remember that many of the stamp shops and dealers are to be found in out-of-the way alleys or up several flights of stairs in buildings that have often seen better days. But, make no mistake about it, many of them carry a small fortune in stock. One small tip that may well work just as well over there as it does here - when a dealer offers you something that you know is worth a lot more than he is asking for it, buy it - then tell him it's value and insist on passing over a few more bills. You will still have a bargain and you will have made a friend for life - Just the sort of chap who will put things on the side for you!

Perhaps there are not as many stamp shops and dealers in London as there were, but it is still a philatelist's dream - boxes and boxes of "junk" - and somewhere within their dark depths are those wonderful League and U.N. items you have been looking for years. Well, one can always hope...and look: sometimes I think that more than half the fun of stamp collecting is just looking.

The U.N., The U.K. and Crime Prevention: You may well have heard about the prison riots in Britain earlier in the year. Some of us have taken the opportunity to remind the Judge who is conducting the official inquiry into the riots, that the U.N. is concerned and active in such matters and could provide constructive assistance. But I wonder how many U.N. stamp collectors (even now looking forward to the UNPA's first Crime Prevention issue) are aware of that U.N. concern and activity and the long history of international involvement that preceded it (dating back to 1878, when an International Prison Congress was held in Stockholm, Sweden)?

The U.N.'s first Congress on the Prevention of Crime and Treatment of Offenders was held in Geneva, Switzerland in 1955: it adopted a set of standard minimum rules for the treatment of prisoners. Similar Congresses are held every five years. Between Congresses, U.N.I.C.R.I. (the United Nations Inter-regional Crime and Justice Research Institute - formerly U.N.S.D.R.I.) collects and exchanges world-wide information in the field.

Crime presents an opportunity for a small but fascinating U.N. related collection. I have two post cards (c. 1934/5) addressed to Professor Simon v. Der AA the Secretary-General of the Commission Internationale Penale et Penetentiaire, menu cards for banquets given to delegates to the International Prison Commission meetings in London in 1914 and 1925 (I doubt whether any U.N. meeting would get meals like that now!) and "corner cards" (as you call them) for U.N.S.D.R.I. and U.N.I.C.R.I. A beginning anyway, and I have just acquired from Germany a copy of a U.N.S.D.R.I. cover with a nice meter.

Prices in Britain: the price of earlier issues of U.N. stamps

(and FDC's) everywhere tends to vary according to the current local popularity of the U.N. itself, which, in these days of over-heated political climates, waxes and wanes according to the political whims and desires of the Misery Making Media. But the prices of the 1951 first issues and a few later varieties and errors tends to provide some stability.

Prices of historically significant League and U.N. covers and items remain high and keep pace with inflationary trends everywhere.

There are differences between British and American prices. Those popular "United Nations London 1945" slogan covers are a little cheaper in Britain than they are in the U.S.A., and prices of early (45/46) official N.Y. U.N. covers seem to be higher in the U.S.A. than I'd expect to pay. Generally however I think that U.S. and U.K. prices are more or less on a par. But I get the impression that in parts of Europe (notably Germany and Holland) that unsatisfied demand for rarer items (especially historically important League and U.N. items) continues to force up prices there.

Cooperation With Other U.N. Stamp Clubs: I like your Editor's idea for an annual combined magazine (though the language differences might create some problems). In addition, or as an alternative, how about a combined membership fee sufficient to cover all expenses. I belong to four clubs (UNSG, UNP, U.N.O.P., and VN-VE) and much enjoy their magazines and auctions and the contacts they create - but the aggregate of the four membership fees makes it an expensive indulgence.

Editor's Note: It is my intention to place before the UNP's next Board of Directors meeting a proposal to do both of the above suggestions for implementation in 1991. Please forward your comments on the proposals to me, in support or against, so that they may also be presented to the Board. Should the Board approve the proposal, negotiations with the other three U.N. clubs will begin immediately.

## BOOK REVIEW

By Mark Steven Corrinet

Although we are primarily an organization centered around the acquiring, collecting, and researching of postal items relating to the United Nations, etc., we are also, by the nature of the entity we collect, interested in the United Nations itself and the concept for which it stands.

Recently a book was published by Viking Press, written by Shirley Hazzard, entitled Countenance of Truth: The

United Nations and The Waldheim Case worth reading.

Although the title would lead one to believe the book dealt primarily with Kurt Waldheim, it in fact deals with all the Secretaries-General, the concept and implementation of an international civil service, the massive and continual interference by nation-state governments and several other topics of interest. In fact, the case against Waldheim comes off more as a foot note than anything else.

Which may be the way one should look at Waldheim's war time service. The strongest accusation that Ms. Hazzard, or anyone else I have read, can level against Waldheim is that he lied about being in the German army under the Nazi regime. To the best of my knowledge no evidence has been produced that he was directly, or even heavily indirectly, involved with acts constituting a war crime.

People seem to forget that large portions of the German Army had nothing to do with the war crimes of the Nazi regime. Don't misunderstand. I am not defending the actions of the German nation-state under Nazi rule. But, I do have understanding for a man's ambition to pursue a career in international diplomatic circles and his choice, to say "color the truth", regarding his service in the German army.

This is Ms. Hazzard's greatest problem. Her only real case against Waldheim, in the specific, is his lying about his war record. Her accusations against him as Secretary-General are always in the general, never the specific.

We who profess a belief in internationalism must lead the way beyond "label branding" and learn to judge each person or government on an individual basis. This is the biggest problem I see in Ms. Hazzard's book, she tends to resort to convenient labels, particularly of a derogatory sort, when she finds herself with an unconvincing argument.

Even with this fault the book is a treasure trove of interesting, behind the scenes, views of international power politics and some of the reasons why the United Nations has had such a difficult time living up to the hopes and dreams of the people of the world.

One final note, in reading a review on the book in a publication put out by the World Affairs Council in San Francisco, California the reviewer stated that entire problem with the book was Ms. Hazzard's "belief in the United Nations as some super-national organization." Even today, within an organization focused on international affairs, one finds people who seem to have great difficulty in believing there is life after the nation-state.

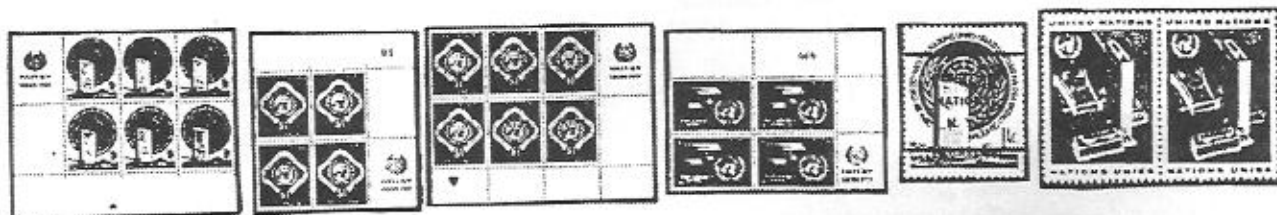


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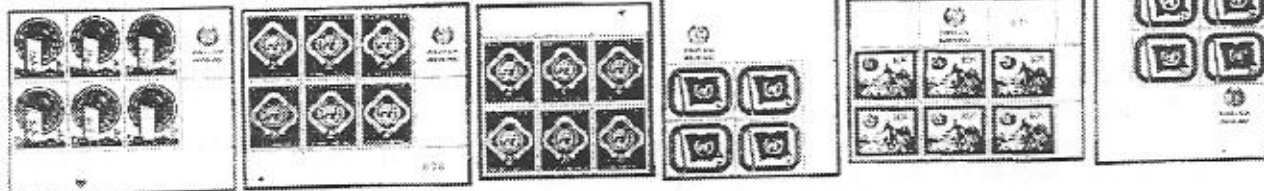
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## CLAY'S UN COVER CORNER #3

By Clayton Wallace

This particular column is not so much about a particular cover, as it is about an unfounded collecting prejudice that exists in the minds of many European collectors.

Look closely at the two covers in figures #1 and #2. You may have a slight preference for one or the other if you had bid on them in any particular auction. Perhaps you would enter an 'or' bid to maximize the possibility of acquiring one or the other. I am assuming that we are not collecting the .33 cent air mail rate from New York to California.

Look again at the figure #1 cover. It is a U.S. stationery envelope to which stamps have been added. In Europe, the use of this type of stationery indicates some sort of official government involvement or sanction, i.e. this cover is non-philatelic and the other cover (figure #2) is probably philatelic.

This is completely unfounded. The use of this type of

stationery rarely, and almost certainly not in this case, indicates that the government printed the corner cards. In fact, each is an equally legitimate use. Neither would be construed as a 'philatelic' usage in the United States.

Unlike their European counterparts, the U.S. government rarely prints non-governmental corner cards. The reason is because having the U.S. government print your corner cards would be prohibitively expensive and require large minimum quantities vs. using a private printing firm. Most likely, for figure #1, blank stationery was simply handed to a private, non-government printing firm to add the corner card information.

Europeans need to realize that they are letting several choice U.S. League and forerunner covers slip away because of a belief that their postal system is identical to ours. U.S. collectors should also be careful about making assumptions about other postal systems. As always, superior knowledge will find the real bargains.



Figure #1 (Corner Card w/pre-imprinted postage)

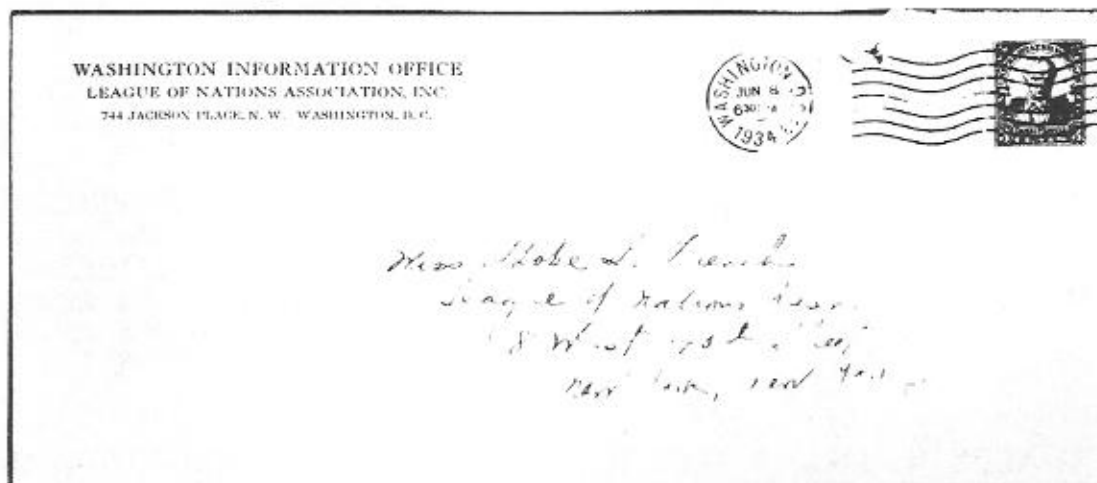


Figure #2 (Corner Card w/o pre-imprinted postage)

## CONFERENCE NEWS

By B. Clement Jr.

The 77th session of the International Labor Conference was held in Geneva, Switzerland from June 6 to 27, 1990. Figure #1 shows the special postmark used at the conference post office. Note that the date is June 5th, one day before the conference actually opened.



Figure #1 (Int. Labor Conference)

The 17th Plenary Assembly of the CCIR, the International Radio Consultative Committee of the ITU, was held in Dusseldorf, West Germany from May 21st to June 1, 1990. Figure #2 shows the postmark used for the conference.



Figure #2 (CCIR Conference cancel)

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1962	\$11.75	1980	\$04.50	1978	\$04.75
1963	\$09.75	1981	\$05.50	1979	\$05.50
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## UNPA PRESS RELEASE

### CRIME PREVENTION ISSUE

The United Nations Postal Administration issued a set of six stamps and a souvenir card in recognition of the United Nations programme for crime prevention. The stamps were issued on September 13, 1990, one week after the conclusion of the Eighth UN Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders. Our cover shows representations of the stamps and souvenir card.

Quantities of stamps issued were as follows:

US\$ 0.25	800,000
US\$ 0.36	700,000
S.Fr. 0.50	700,000
S.Fr. 2.00	700,000
S 6.00	900,000
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### NEXT ISSUE

The next series of stamps to be issued by the UNPA will have as their theme "Human Rights." The series scheduled to be issued on November 16, 1990 will have six different designs and the following values: S.Fr. 0.35 and 0.90, US\$0.25 and 0.45, and AS 4.50 and 7.00.

This issue of stamps is part of the five year program depicting the articles of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. The illustrations for this and the coming issues are being drawn from existing works of art from leading museums around the world.

Standing order collectors are reminded that as this Human Rights series is considered as a mini-sheet, all subscribers to mini-sheets in general will receive the series automatically as part of their subscription. Special Note: UNPA policy states that collectors are under no obligation to accept the sheets.

### WITHDRAWAL OF STAMPS

August 23, 1990 was the last day of sale of the commemorative series "United Nations Office at Vienna - 10th Anniversary."

September 21, 1990 will be the last day of sale of the "Flag Series" 1989.

### ATTENDANCE AT STAMP SHOWS

The UNPA will be represented at the following stamp shows:

October 12-14, 1990 - SESCAL  
Cincinnati, OH

October 13-14, 1990 - CHELMPEX  
Chelmsford, MA

October 14, 1990 - AMERICAN FESTIVAL  
Meriden, CT

October 26-28, 1990 - MIDAPHIL  
Kansas City, MO

November 1-4, 1990 - NATIONAL '90  
New York, NY

November 3-4, 1990 - SACAPEX  
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November 9-11, 1990 - CHICAGOPEX  
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November 24-25, 1990 - CHECOPEX  
Cheektowago, NY

December 1-2, 1990 - U.W.M.P.S.E.X.  
Milwaukee, WI

### EDITOR'S REQUEST

I would like to ask our members their opinions regarding this section of The Journal. Should this section be retained? Should it be expanded? If so, how and in what areas?

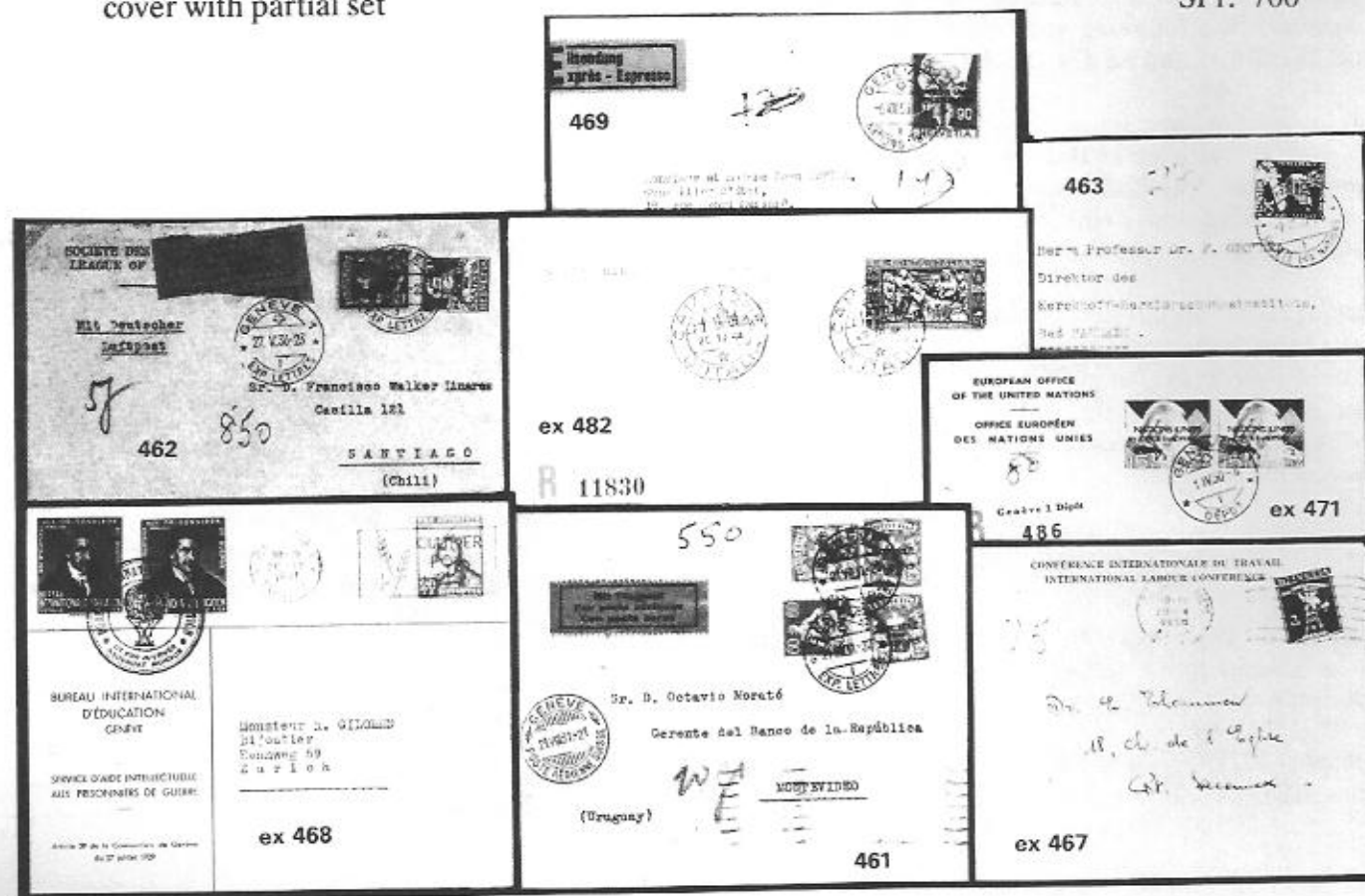
Our club has lost a number of fledgling United Nations collectors in recent years because of too much specialization. But what is the best approach for us to serve the beginning collectors, without losing the advance collectors, and visa-versa.

# IMPRESSIVE AUCTION PRICES FOR U.N. PHILATELY IN RECENT ZURICH SALE

By Richard Powers

The 1989-1990 Auction season in Zurich closed with some impressive prices knock down for United Nations-related lots at the auction held by Hans R. Schwarzenbach in his company offices on June 15th and 16th. Since prices at Swiss auctions have a strong influence on United Nations-related material, the prices paid in Zurich for good material often portends the prices of tomorrow in other markets. Below I have listed a few prices of lots containing United Nations forerunner material. The indicated winning prices are in Swiss Francs (US \$1.00 is currently about SFr. 1.41) and do not include the 18% commission!

Lot	Description	Price
0461	Scott Switzerland #2032(x3), #2023(x1) on plain cover to Uruguay	SFr. 430
0462	Scott Switzerland #2034, #2013 on service cover to Chile	SFr. 400
0463	Scott Switzerland #2039 on service cover to Germany	SFr. 310
0464	Scott Switzerland #2067(x12), #2033(x2) on service cover to USA	SFr. 1800
0466	Lot of 54 League of Nations service covers	SFr. 1800
0467	Lot of 21 International Labor Organization service covers	SFr. 850
0468	Lot of 7 covers with the eight International Bureau of Education forerunner vignettes	SFr. 450
0469	Scott Switzerland #7013 on non-service cover	SFr. 300
0472	Scott Switzerland #601(x1), #607(x9) on large cover to IRO office in Paris	SFr. 300
0473	Scott Switzerland #601(x1), #607(x7) on large cover to IRO office in Paris	SFr. 240
0474	Scott Switzerland #602(x1), #607(x6) on large cover to IRO office in Paris	SFr. 320
1446	UPU Congress 1906: One Congress postcard with Congress postmark and one cover on Congress stationery with Congress cancel (Mailed)	SFr. 1100
1447	League of Nations 1929 Conference in Madrid registered official cover bearing 14 Conference commemoratives and cancel plus second registered cover with partial set	SFr. 700



CALL FOR CONSIGNMENTS OF UN/UPU/AND RELATED MATERIAL FOR  
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Consignments are currently being accepted for UNP Mini Auction #1991A. Lots will be accepted until January 5, 1991. The Auction lots will be listed in the February issue of The Journal. No more than 75 lots will be accepted for this Auction. Lot space will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve, basis. No consignor may place more than twenty lots in any particular Mini Auction. Any material received after January 5, 1991, will be held for inclusion in the next Mini Auction. No lots will be retained for more than two auctions.

The following rules will apply to all UNP Mini Auctions:

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BIDDING RULES

1. All bids are per lot as numbered in the listing. Please check your bids. Bidders are responsible for their mistakes. All bids will be confidential.
2. The highest bidder shall prevail. Lots will be sold at one advance over the second highest bid. If only one bid is received, the lot will be sold at the minimum bid. In the event of identical bids on the same lot, the lot will be awarded to the first bid received. No bids below the minimum level will be accepted.
3. The right is reserved to remove any lot from this sale.
4. Photocopies of lots are available for .25 cents for each lot, except for bulk lots. When more than one photocopy sheet is required for a lot, the charge is .20 cents after the first sheet. A SASE is also required for return of the photocopies.
5. Catalog numbers are Gaines unless specified otherwise.
6. Bidding increments are as follows:

\$ .00 to \$25.00.....\$1.00	\$ 50.00 to \$100.00.....\$ 5.00
\$25.01 to \$50.00.....\$2.00	\$100.01 to \$250.00.....\$10.00
\$250.01 and up.....\$25.00	

Bids not conforming to these increments will automatically be reduced to the appropriate level.

PAYMENT

7. Successful bidders will be notified by mail and must remit in full before any lots are sent. Buyers are expected to remit payment immediately upon receipt of the notice. Payment must be sent to the Auction Chairperson, payable to him. Failure to remit payment will carry UNP membership penalties.
8. Payments may be made by CHECK or CREDIT CARD in U.S. dollars only.
9. All postage costs for mailing lots, including insurance and registration, plus a .50 cent handling fee, will be charged each successful bidder.

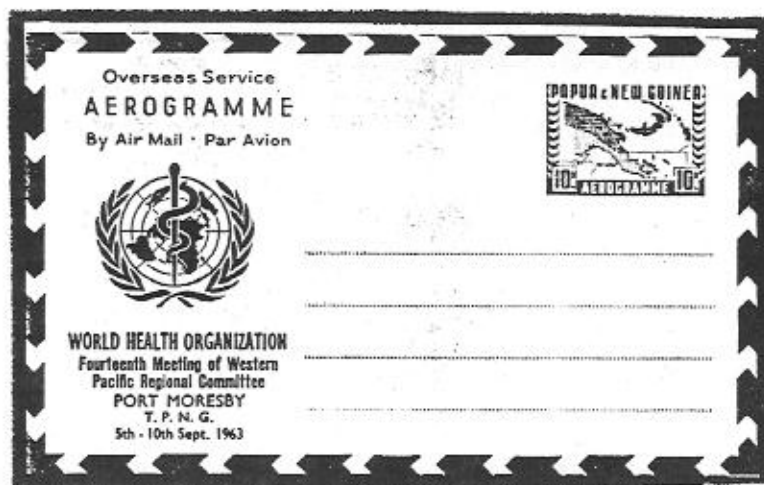
AUTHENTICITY

10. To the best of the Chairperson's ability, every effort has been made to ensure that all lots are correctly described. Any bidder contesting the description of a lot must do so within five days of their receipt of the questioned lot.
11. The placing of a bid shall constitute acceptance of the foregoing conditions of sale.
12. Prices realized will be published in a subsequent issue of the The Journal.

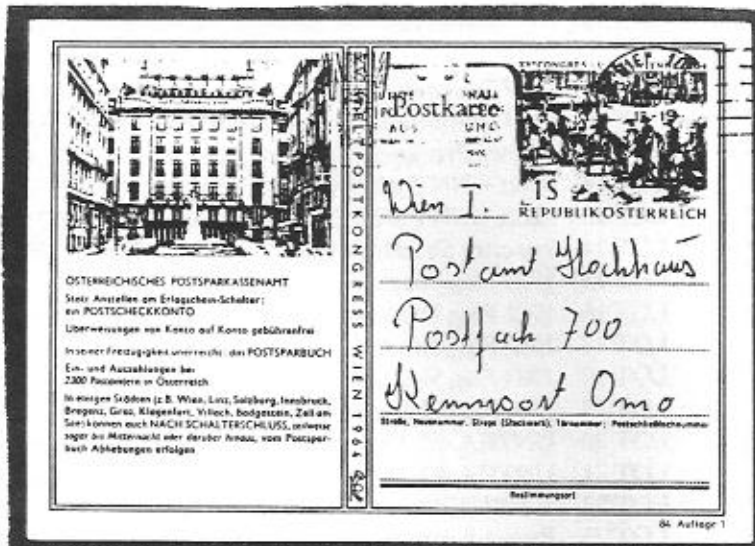
AUCTION 1990E LOTS

- LOT 01 Souvenir Card Bonanza - NY #1-24 Mint, NY #2-24 FD cancel, Geneva #2-24 FD cancel, Vienna #17-24 FD cancel, plus Paris Art Card (Gaines \$250+) - Min. Bid \$75.00
- LOT 02 Geneva #1-14 FDC, blks of 4, Mixed Artcraft/Artmaster covers - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 03 Geneva Blue Cards #44-129 (1977-1983 Complete) (Excellent Run) (Gaines \$325+) - Min. Bid \$100.00
- LOT 04 Vienna White Cards #1-34 (1980-1983 Complete) (Gaines \$85.00) - Min. Bid \$30.00
- LOT 05 Gaines UNNY #17b & #18a (Margin Perf. Varieties) - Min. Bid \$20.00
- LOT 06 UNNY MI4 #65-130 MNH (1959-1964) Missing #85,109,120,123-124 & 126-128 - Min. Bid \$15.00
- LOT 07 1967 Swiss Caravan (Aug 15 - Sept 3, 1967) (7 Different Postal Cards) - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 08 1967 Spanish Caravan (Sept 13 - Oct 4, 1967) (5 Different Covers) - Min. Bid \$12.00

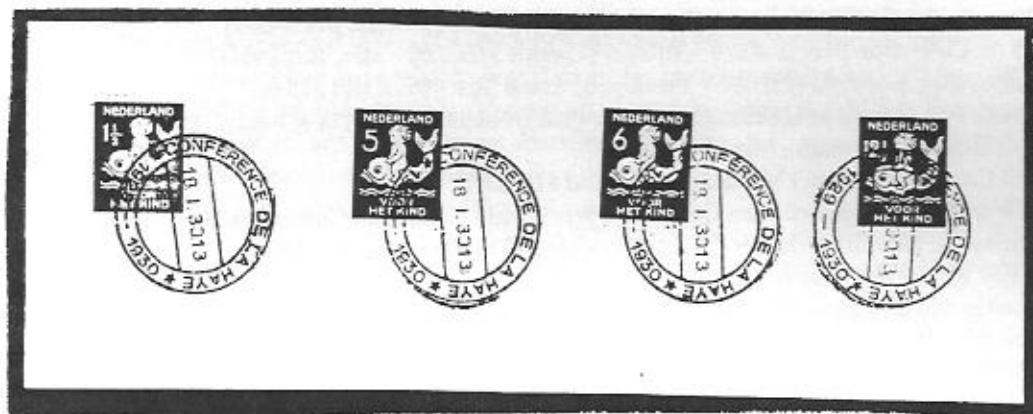
- LOT 09 1967 Saarlouis Caravan Cachet on UXC5 Post Mark UNPO/NY 6/5PM - Min. Bid \$11.00
- LOT 10 1967 Saarlouis Caravan Cachet on AM Envelope UNPO/NY June 8 PM - Min. Bid \$11.00
- LOT 11 Gaines Precancel Cover #1(nc) w/contents & APS Cert. - Min. Bid \$60.00
- LOT 12 Scott UNNY #27-28 M14 Upper Right Plate Number Blocks - Min. Bid \$12.00
- LOT 13 Scott UNNY #31-311 & Geneva #84-85 (IYC Sheetlets) MNH - Min. Bid \$21.00
- LOT 14 Forestry Sheetlets (New York/Geneva/Vienna) MNH - Min. Bid \$60.00
- LOT 15 1980 Flag Sheets (4) MNH - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 16 1981 Flag Sheets (4) MNH - Min. Bid \$12.00
- LOT 17 1982 Flag Sheets (4) MNH - Min. Bid \$13.00
- LOT 18 1983 Flag Sheets (4) MNH - Min. Bid \$14.00
- LOT 19 1984 Flag Sheets (4) MNH - Min. Bid \$22.00
- LOT 20 UNTEA #1-19 (1st Printing) MNH - Min. Bid \$60.00
- LOT 21 UNTEA #1-19 (2nd Printing) MNH - Min. Bid \$50.00
- LOT 22 Scott UNNY #170-174 (World's Fair) Full Sheets of 50 VFMNH - Min. Bid \$25.00
- LOT 23 Papua & New Guinea Aerogramme (Higgins & Gage #FG5) "WHO 14th Meeting of Western Pacific Regional Committee" Cachet (Mint) (Rare) - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 24 Five Used Post Cards for 15th UPU Congress in Vienna, Austria (Different Cancels) - Min. Bid \$15.00
- LOT 25 Scott Swiss (BIE) #4029-4039 on Collection Sheets #121-122 Mint (Gaines \$90.00) - Min. Bid \$45.00
- LOT 26 Scott Swiss (ILO) #3083-3093 on Collection Sheets #119-120 Mint (Gaines \$100.00) - Min. Bid \$50.00
- LOT 27 1982, 1983 & 1985 United Nations Flag Booklets (Privately Produced) Small Size - Min. Bid \$15.00
- LOT 28 UNESCO Gift Stamps (2 Sets GS 1-9, 14 both in UNESCO Coupon Plan Booklets), Also GS #1-8,19,21-23, 28-29 MNH & Several Official Documents - Min. Bid \$20.00
- LOT 29 WHO Charity Seals (1952-1953 Complete <23>) VFMLH - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 30 WRY (1959-1960) Collection/Worldwide Rights of Man Collection/Worldwide UNESCO Collection in Hingeless Linder binder w/slip case MLH-MNH (Est. Scott Value \$350.00) - Min. Bid \$50.00
- LOT 31 Scott ITU stamps (17T1 & 17T3) VFMNH - Min. Bid \$8.00
- LOT 32 Early League Cancels - Paper strip w/4 stamps w/cancels "1929 -- 1930 \* CONFERENCE DE LA HAYE" & 3 stamps on pieces canceled "sGRAVENHAGE \* VOLKENBONDSTENTOONST - Min. Bid \$25.00
- LOT 33 Scott Netherlands ICJ #016-019 (2nd Printing) Used - Min. Bid \$26.00
- LOT 35 Geneva Exhibit Imprint #5 PERIGUEUX on Geneva Post Card - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 36 Type 4 UN Military Stationery (Gaines Pg. 1753) Legitimate usage by Nepalese Infantryman to Nepal from UNIFIL mission - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 37 Official UN Force in Cyprus #10 cover used by Denmark Personnel on UNFICYP mission - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 38 ONUC Cyprus Mission Stationary cover to Sardinia (Gaines Pg. 1890) - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 39 UNFICYP mission (2 Swedish Large Envelope Cover Fronts 1964) - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 40 Scott Swiss Official #501-505 MLH - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 41 Scott India #M44-M55 Korean Overprints MNH - Min. Bid \$20.00
- LOT 42 Scott UNNY #146-149 M14 MNH (#149 "Bundesdruckereiberlin" imprint) - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 43 London Slogan (Stockwell S.W.9) on cover - Min. Bid \$12.00
- LOT 44 London Slogan (South Kensington S.W.7) on post card - Min. Bid \$12.00
- LOT 45 Post Card from French Command Office for French Forces in Poland at the Request of the League to Paris, France (1919) - Min. Bid \$50.00
- LOT 46 League of Nations Service cover w/Scott France #173 & Paris Cancel (French League Office) - Min. Bid \$25.00
- LOT 47 Official Stationery of the Dominican Republic Delegation to the League of Nations registered cover to their League office in Switzerland - Min. Bid \$35.00
- LOT 48 ILO 1928 Conference w/official cancel on cover - Min. Bid \$25.00
- LOT 49 Belgium (467-476, C15-20) (Complete VFMNH) - Min. Bid \$10.00
- LOT 50 Mystery Lot (Covers/Stamps/Swiss Officials) (Est. Scott Value \$150+) - Min. Bid \$25.00
- LOT 51 UNICEF Signed & Numbered Proof Edition by Peter Max of USA Proof for the Flag Series - Min. Bid \$50.00
- LOT 52 WFUNA Lithograph by Chaim Gross for 1980 Flag Series w/WFUNA cert. - Min. Bid \$50.00
- LOT 53 UNICEF Flag Series 1980-1986 Materials (Listed Below) - Min. Bid \$250.00
- A) 1980-1986 (Complete) Country Written Materials in Seven UNICEF Edition Binders;
  - B) Official Proofs: 1980 (Madagascar not FD), 1981-85 (Complete), 1986 (Missing Lao PDR, Bukina Faso, Iceland, Angola, Romania, Togo - 2nd half of year);
  - C) Official FDC: 1980-85 (Complete), 1986 (Missing same issues as Proofs);
  - D) Sheetlets: 1980, 81, 84-85 (Complete), 1982 (Missing #382-385), 1986 (Missing #477-480, 489-492).



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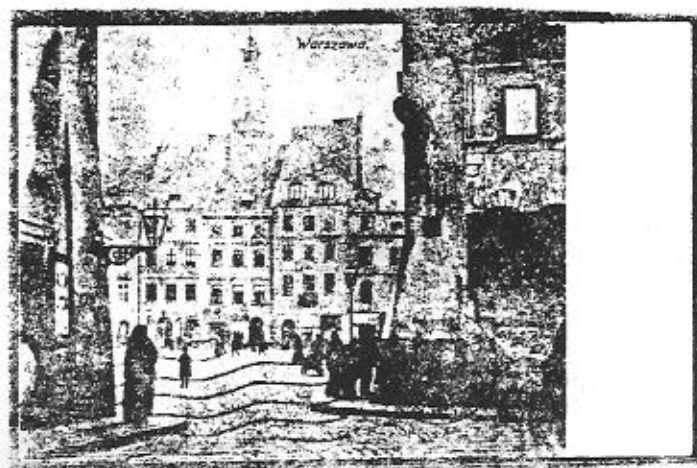


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LOT #45 (FRONT & BACK)

UNITED NATIONS



NATIONS UNIES

FORCE IN CYPRUS



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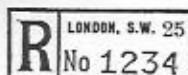
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SOCIETE DES NATIONS - LEAGUE OF NATIONS

County National Bank and Trust Company

SANTA BARBARA

LOT #46 -&gt;



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Señor Dr. Viriato Figueredo Lora,  
Consejero de la Delegación Dominicana ante la Sociedad de las Naciones,  
Case Stand 121,  
Geneve  
Suisse.

DELEGACIÓN PERMANENTE  
DE LA REPÚBLICA DOMINICANA  
ANTE LA SOCIEDAD DE LAS NACIONES

LOT #47

BUDDI BAL TAMANG (CPL.)

20667 NEP BATT (B. COY)

POST BOX NO. 3540

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26 JUL 1978

INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON

AÉROGRAMME • AIR LETTER • PA

JIT BANADUR TAMANG

1ST. NO. 1. DOLAL GHAT

G.A. PAM. SHAE A. GHAT

WY. NO. 4

DADA

KATHMANDU

(NEPAL)

LOT #36

LOT #48 -&gt;



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Mr. J. J. J. J.

# UNP MINI AUCTION #1990B PRICES REALIZED

0001	\$ N/B	0002	\$ N/B	0003	\$ N/B	0004	\$ N/B	0005	\$ 11.00
0006	\$ N/B	0007	\$ 11.00	0008	\$ 11.00	0009	\$ 21.00	0010	\$ 11.00
0011	\$ N/B	0012	\$ N/B	0013	\$ N/B	0014	\$ 10.00	0015	\$ N/B
0016	\$ 7.00	0017	\$ N/B	0018	\$ N/B	0019	\$ N/B	0020	\$ 32.00
0021	\$ N/B	0022	\$ N/B	0023	\$ 25.00	0024	\$ W/D	0025	\$ 15.00
0026	\$ W/D	0027	\$ N/B	0028	\$ 12.00	0029	\$ N/B	0030	\$ 55.00
0031	\$ 15.00	0032	\$ N/B	0033	\$ N/B	0034	\$ N/B	0035	\$ 20.00
0036	\$ N/B	0037	\$ N/B	0038	\$ 15.00	0039	\$ N/B	0040	\$ N/B
0041	\$ N/B	0042	\$ N/B	0043	\$ N/B	0044	\$ N/B	0045	\$ N/B
0046	\$ N/B	0047	\$ N/B	0048	\$ N/B	0049	\$ N/B	0050	\$ 10.00
0051	\$ 11.00	0052	\$ N/B	0053	\$ 30.00	0054	\$ N/B	0055	\$ ---

TOTAL NUMBER OF LOTS SOLD:	EIGHTEEN (18)
PERCENTAGE OF LOTS SOLD:	33.30%
TOTAL SALE VALUE:	\$322.00
TOTAL UNP PROCEEDS:	\$64.40

# UNP PREMIER AUCTION #1990C PRICES REALIZED

0001	\$100.00	0002	\$ N/B	0003	\$ 94.00	0004	\$ 95.00	0005	\$ 85.00
0006	\$ 70.00	0007	\$ 70.00	0008	\$ 70.00	0009	\$ 55.00	0010	\$150.00
0011	\$ N/B	0012	\$120.00	0013	\$ N/B	0014	\$110.00	0015	\$110.00
0016	\$ N/B	0017	\$ 75.00	0018	\$ 65.00	0019	\$ N/B	0020	\$220.00
0021	\$ N/B	0022	\$100.00	0023	\$ N/B	0024	\$ 70.00	0025	\$ 80.00
0026	\$ N/B	0027	\$ N/B	0028	\$ 50.00	0029	\$ 50.00	0030	\$100.00
0031	\$ 80.00	0032	\$ N/B	0033	\$ N/B	0034	\$ N/B	0035	\$ N/B
0036	\$ N/B	0037	\$ N/B	0038	\$ N/B	0039	\$ 32.00	0040	\$140.00
0041	\$ N/B	0042	\$ N/B	0043	\$ 55.00	0044	\$110.00	0045	\$ 70.00
0046	\$ 85.00	0047	\$ 80.00	0048	\$ 90.00	0049	\$850.00	0050	\$ 50.00
0051	\$ 50.00	0052	\$ N/B	0053	\$ N/B	0054	\$ 85.00	0055	\$ N/B
0056	\$125.00	0057	\$ N/B	0058	\$ N/B	0059	\$ 95.00	0060	\$ N/B
0061	\$ N/B	0062	\$ N/B	0063	\$ N/B	0064	\$ N/B	0065	\$ N/B
0066	\$ 80.00	0067	\$125.00	0068	\$ 85.00	0069	\$350.00	0070	\$ 65.00

\* LOT 8A \$ 95.00

TOTAL NUMBER OF LOTS SOLD:	FORTY TWO (42)
PERCENTAGE OF LOTS SOLD:	60.00%
TOTAL SALE VALUE:	\$4,736.00
TOTAL UNP PROCEEDS:	\$473.60