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EDITORIAL

In an earlier Specialist we mentioned that a complete collection of the Czechoslovak Specialist was sold at a Colby auction and we wondered what these volumes brought. A letter from member Klozar of Cleveland informs us he bid on all items and succeeded in getting only volumes 7 to 9 for \$3.50. We surmise that the first two volumes brought in much more than the estimated \$4.00 valuation placed on the lot by the auctioneer. We thank Mr. Klozar for the very fine letter accompanying the above information.

In many previous issues we stated that the Specialist is your paper. We are anxious this publication helps you to obtain material you need and dispose material which may gladden the heart of another collector. Member Rud. Novy of Dallas has been helped before and is again in need of assistance. He is looking for the following items: Scott #296, both types of the Stefanik stamp; #367, without comma at the end of the second line; #368, type II, dash 3.1 mm and finally the 3K Gottwald re-engraved, closed collar. Can you be a friend indeed?

A member writes she has been receiving 2 copies of the Specialist while she subscribes for only one. An error of this sort can easily creep into the work when preparing envelopes by the addressograph. This valuable machine is not the property of the Society and when we use it we usually prepare 3 or 4 sets at a time. A common error is one where the member receives two issues one month and no issue the next month. Your editor will gladly correct the situation if you write to him. If you get two copies each time just discard one copy, or better yet, send the extra copy as a sample to a collector friend and thus help in obtaining another member.

You may have noticed that our vocabulary is nearing completion. Corrections will be made where necessary and the entire job will be run off and printed on a finer paper stock than is used for the Specialist. Your editor was of the opinion that a printing of 500 copies would be sufficient but at a meeting of the Chicago group some expressed a desire for more than one copy. To make a more careful estimate we request our members to inform us how many copies they'd want either bound in cloth or paper covers. The sooner this information reaches your editor the better. This information will also give us an idea of the cost of this publication.

Our sales manager, Mr. Fritsche, wrote us recently that a member sent him several books with material priced so high that he refused to circulate it. This same member bid at our last auction so low that his bids were not even considered. We do hope that members see the fallacy of such actions;

the surest way to kill our circuit which has operated so successfully all through the life of the Society, is to abuse the features which brought it into being: To give members an opportunity to dispose of their duplicates and to obtain material otherwise unobtainable. Dealers cannot have everything nor have they the time to look for plate varieties or certain cancellations. While we are on the subject of the circuit, if you have duplicate Czecho material, mount it in our sales books and help out others.

Last month we mentioned the International Philatelic Exhibition which will take place in Praha, Sept. 10-25, 1955. The Ministry of Communications has named František Smolík president of PRAGA 1955 Exhibition and about 40 other functionaries on various committees. It is interesting to compare the statement about his show published in FILATELIE and translated for our March editorial with a statement published in The Mercury Stamp Journal (March, 1955), from which we quote: "It is supported but not patronized by the F. I. P. As the first international exhibition held behind the "Iron Curtain", this show should allow an interesting study of philatelic conditions in the Soviet-satellite countries."

From the same publication permit us to quote:

"Only twelve months separate us from the day, when the FIPEX 1956, the International Exhibition New York 1956, will open its doors to the public. It will be a great event in any case, because the show will be one of the initial features at the opening of the Coliseum, the big new exhibition building now under construction at the Columbus Circle site. The combination of a great international philatelic exhibition and the opening of the world's most modern exhibition palace will guarantee a great public interest in the show and will be of immeasurable propaganda value for philately. On the other hand, the international exhibitions, organized in this country since 1926 at ten-year intervals by the Association for Stamp Exhibitions, have proven to be most attractive to the best and most important collections all over the world. Only once in ten years have collectors an opportunity to show the pride of their collecting activities in the metropolis of the New World, which having meanwhile become the seat of the United Nations, is also the capital of the world. Response to the preliminary announcements of the 1956 show has already been so great that the success of the show in respect to international participation can be considered assured. Conditions in this country are somewhat different from those in Europe, with a much closer relationship between collectors and dealers in all philatelic societies and ventures. The preparations for the big show are running smoothly, thanks to perfect teamwork of all philatelists concerned with them. The Post Office Department has pledged full support and will give any possible assistance. The rules and regulations contain a number of innovations, mainly to facilitate and improve the judging of the show. The first prospectus, which is scheduled for release in March 1955, will reveal all the work which has been done and will give a vivid picture of the most modern and efficient facilities for showing the philatelic treasures of the world to the largest philatelic audience in the world."

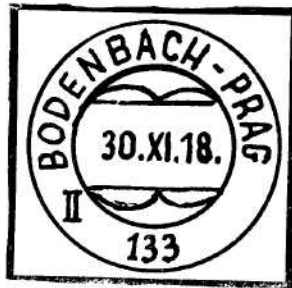
We wonder how many of our members plan to attend our International next year in New York. We recall the meeting we had in 1947 when our New York Group was host to visiting members of the Society and two visitors from Czechoslovakia, member Kvasnička, most active contributor to our publication and Mr. Jan Burián. A meeting and possibly a dinner should be arranged by our New York group.

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SEQUEL
to last month's Kvasnička article.

While your editor was resting in a hospital the editorial throne was occupied by our treasurer, George Kobyłka. George had access to our "Specialist drawer", but only your editor understands the arrangement. This arrangement is very simple. As items we may or may not publish in the Specialist reach our hands, we place them in this compartment. When the time comes to work on the Specialist, we sort the whole "shebang" making such piles as: Editorial material, Parade of New Issues, Society matters, New members, Changes of address, Feature articles, etc. Then we choose the material most likely desirable, assemble same, type it with our special two finger system, send to the printer and pray the submitted conglomeration meets with the approval of the members. And so it happened that for the Kvasnička article appearing in last month's Specialist the herewith illustrations were omitted. We hope you'll pardon us.



MEETING OF THE CHICAGO GROUP

A very well attended meeting of the Chicago group took place Sunday, February 20, in the home of our National Secretary, John Velek. A discussion of our next show disclosed that it is impossible to get a good hall in the spring and due to lack of sufficient publicity it was decided to postpone our show to the fall season. A suggestion that the show celebrate the liberation of Czech-

oslovakia at about the time of the anniversary, October 28, and that we feature the trio responsible for this re-birth of a Nation, met with instant approval. Several Halls were proposed and our International Secretary, August Hrivnak, promised to furnish details to the General Chairman of the Exhibition, Mr. Paul Marusic, Sr. Committee is empowered to lease a suitable Hall and editor, Frank Kovarik, is requested to begin his publicity campaign as soon as preliminary details are made known to him.

In a discussion about the Vocabulary which has been appearing serially in the Specialist the editor mentioned that several Czech collectors in various parts of the world were most anxious about this our venture and promised to help. One of our collaborators wrote that "ribbon" is not to be translated "pentle, pentlička", merely "stuha". All of the attending members ventured the suggestion that the Germanic "pentle, pentlička" has been used so much by the American Czechs that "stuha" is unknown to most of them. These colloquialisms should remain and proper mention made in the foreword.

The March meeting of the Chicago Group will take place in the home of member Peter Kreisler, 251 W. 108th Pl., Sunday, March 20 at 2:30 P.M. The April meeting is scheduled in the home of member Frank Kovarik, 2502 S. Kedzie Ave., April 17. The May meeting is to be held in the home of member Gus Hrivnak, 174 Addison Rd., Riverside, May 15 and the June meeting in the home of member Doc Matejka, 614 N. Elmwood Ave., Oak Park, June 19. All Chicagoland members are urged to attend and all members are cordially welcome.

After the meeting closed, the members repaired to Velek's stamp room where more Hradčany were shown than can be found in another room of that size anywhere on God's green earth.

REVIEWS

Some time ago we received Billig's Handbook No. 17 which deals with the stamps of Bohemia-Moravia. It is a compact listing and price list of these issues which are, at the moment, definitely taboo in Czechoslovakia.

We recall, when we took the editorial chair of the Specialist, that we tried to outlaw all stamps produced by the maniac Hitler. We did concede, however, that a postal history continuity for the territory of the Republic of Czechoslovakia must be maintained and so we listed the issues as they came to our notice.

Soon after the liberation of Czechoslovakia which was started by General Patton and very belatedly completed by the glorious Red Army, the legitimate government returned to Praha, there to remain up to the unfortunate suicide of Jan Masaryk who jumped out of a closed window without breaking the glass and the resignation of Dr. Eduard Beneš who relinquished the presidency to a wine-bibber who happened to be a willing tool of Moscow's Uncle Joe. (He followed Joe to his grave as a Hindu mama used to follow her Hindu papa.) It is again our wish to follow the postal history of the land of Václav, Charles IV, Masaryk, Beneš and Stefanik. So we continue to list even the obnoxious issues.

The Billig listing includes all the stamps of Czechoslovakia valid in the territory which comprised the puppet state Bohemia-Moravia. It enumerates the stamps of the first republic which remained valid from the time of the entry of the Nazi hordes to December 15, 1939 when all the old stamps were demonetized and the Protectorate stamps became mandatory. It lists and prices tabs and covers. Every collector of these stamps will want this listing even if he must buy the complete volume which includes U. S. Numeral cancels, Naval postmarks, Bahama, Fiji, Prince Edward Island and Trinidad

postmarks, Ireland and Japan cancels, etc. The list price for the volume is \$5.00 and can be had from member Fritz Billig, 168-39 Highland Ave., Jamaica 32, N. Y.

KOBYLKA'S ALBUM FOR BOHEMIA-MORAVIA

We had the pleasure of reviewing the Kobyłka Album for the second Republic of Czechoslovakia; we now have before us the Bohemia-Moravia section which is as good and in some respects better than his first venture. Your editor has long identified himself as one opposed to collecting stamps in this stereotyped manner. But lack of free time and the piling up of stamps and covers in envelopes and shoe boxes has taught us that this kind of collecting has its merits and that the merits far outdistance any possible demerits. Needless to say, we are looking forward to the Slovakia section and to the stamp section of the First Republic. With the purchase of blank pages matching those of the Album we are easily enabled to store away our oddities, covers, blocks, etc. We are especially pleased with the listing of plate numbers, which will enable us to know what to look for in this more or less specialized material. We congratulate Mr. Kobyłka on a job well done and we hope he doesn't lose the courage so ably displayed. May he long continue to publish albums to satisfy the needs of all Czecho collectors.

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vymazatí	to delete, to erase	výsadný, výsadní	immune
výměna	change, exchange	výše	up, above, on top
výměnek	settlement	vyšetřování	investigation,
vyměněný	changed		inquiry
vyměnění	to exchange	výška	height, elevation
výměr	area	vyškrabati	to rub out, to
vymezený	well defined		erase
výminek	exception	výškrtnouti	to strike out, to
vymínění	reserve		erase, to delete,
výminka	exception		to cross out
vymoci	to acquire	výzkumec	explorer
vymyslitel	inventor	vyslanec	courier, envoy,
vynález	discovery,		minister
	invention	výslech	examination,
vynálezce	inventor,		hearing
	discoverer	výsledek	effect, product,
	omitted		issue
vynechaný	to leave out, to	vysoce umštěno	placed high
vynechati	delete, to omit,	vysočina	elevation, height
	to erase	vyšoký	high, tall extreme
	conspicuous	výstava	fair, exposition
vynikající	to pay	výstava pamět-	exhibit of souvenir
vyplácti	paymaster, cashier	ních aršíků	sheets
výplatník	to fill	výstaviště	fairground,
vyplnití	reckoning		exhibition hall
vypočítání	relief	výstavní vstupné	admission to the
výpomoc	to wash		exhibition
vyprati	expedition	výstavní aršík	exhibition
výprava	expedition		souvenir sheet
vyprázdnění	evacuation	vystavovati	to exhibit
vypůjčiti se	to borrow	vyst'ehovalý	moved
vypuklá práce	relief	vystoupení na	landing
vypuklý	embossed	břeh	
vypuklý tisk	embossed print	vystoupiti	to rise, to get out
vyřadění	grouping	vystřihnouti	to cut out
vyradýrovati	to erase, to rub	vysvědčení	certificate, school
	out		card
vyražený	punched out	vysvětlení	explanation,
vyrazití	to get out, to issue		illustration
		vysvětliti	to explain, to clear
vyřítiti se	to issue, to run out		up, to clarify
vyříznutý	cut out	vytahovák	corkscrew
výroba	production,	vytápěný	heated
	manufacture,	výtečně	eminently, very
	fabrication		fine
výrobce	producer	výtečný	eminent, excellent
výrobek	product	vytisknutý	printed
vyrobiti	to produce,	vytopený	heated
	fabricate	vytřítí	to rub out, to
výrobní způsob	production method		brush out
výročné	anniversary	vytržení	disorder
výroční	annual	výtržnost	interruption
výrok	sentence,	vyučovati	to instruct
	expression	vyvážení,	export
výrovnání	compact,	vyvážka	
	settlement	vyvážnouti	to escape
vyrytý	engraved	vyvážnutí	escape, flight
výsada	exemption		

vyvolení	selection
vyvolený	selected
vývoz	export
vyzáblý	slim, slender
vyzískati	to profit
význam	importance
významný	eminent
vyzváno	called for, summoned
vyzvědačství	espionage
vyzvednuto	called for, raised out
vzácnost	rarity
vzácný	rare, curious
vzadu	behind
vzato	taken
vzbuření	insurrection, revolution
vzdálenost	distance

z--do	from to
zabalení	wrapper
zabezpečiti	to insure
zabývání	employment
záblesk	glimmer, gleam
zablesknouti	to gleam
začáteční písmeno	initial letter
začátek	beginning, start
zachovati	to preserve
zachrániti	to save
záchranný člun	life boat
začínati	to start, to date
začítí	to start, to inaugurate, to open, to enter
žačka	schoolgirl
záclona	screen, shade
zacloněný	shaded
začnouti, začítí	to start
zacouvaný	backed
žádaný	claimed
žádati	to claim
zadní	last
žádost	request, claim
zadržení	check, reserve
zahájiti	to open, inaugurate
zaháletí	to idle
zahradnický	horticultural
zahrnouti	to take in
zahrnutý	involved
záhuba	destruction, ruin
záhyb v desce	album cover hinge
alba	
zájemný,	interesting
zaj.mavf	

vzdálený	far, distant
vzducholod'	dirigible
vždy	always
vzhled	appearance
vzítí na se(be)	to assume
vzítí v úvahu	to take into account, consideration
vzítí z oběhu	to withdraw from circulation
vznešeně	eminently
vznešený	eminent, high
vzniklý	sprung, thriving
vzor	pattern, standard, sample
vzorek	specimen, pattern
vzorní velikost	standard size
vztah	relation
vztažné	relative

Z

zajisté	certainly
Zajordání	Transjordanía
žák	schoolboy
zákazník	customer
základ	principle, foundation
základní	principal
základnice	basis
zkladní kámen	corner stone
základní různost	principal variety
základní stanice	main station
základní barva	principal color, primary color
základní odstín	principal shade
zákon	law, ordinance
zákonitý	legitimate
zákopník	pioneer
zakroužený	curved
žákyně	schoolgirl
zálepka	letter card
žaloba	information, prosecution
záloha	reserve
záložný	spare
zamčený	closed, locked up
zámek	lock, palace
záměr	purpose
zaměstnání	employment
zaměstnávati	to employ
zamíchati	to mix
zamilovati si	to take fancy
zamknouti	to close, to lock up
zamračený	cloudy, frowning
zamítnutý	discarded, refused
zanechaný	dropped, left
zanechati	to leave

zanedbaný	omitted, forsaken	zátká	cork
zanedbatí	to fail, to omit	zatloukati	to drive, to hammer in
Zanzibar	Zanzibar		
zaopatřiti	to furnish, to obtain	zatočený	turned
západ	west	za to míti	to count
západní	western	zavázaný	obligated, tied up
Západní Afrika	West Africa	závazek	obligation
Západní Austrálie	West Australia	zavedení	establishment
Západní Indie	West India	závěr	conclusion
zápas	match	závěska	loop, sling
zápis	entry	zavnutý	involved, rolled up
zapisovati	to register	závitek	scroll, roll
zaplatiti	to pay	závod	firm, establishment, business, race
zaplatiti na doručení	cash on delivery		competition
záplava	flood	závodění	bar
zapletený	complicated	závora	closed
zápora	bar	zavřený	to object, to reject
zápornost	negation	zavrhnutí	discarded
záporný	negative	zavřítí	to close, to look
zapovídati	to prohibit	záznam	entry
zapřítí	to deny, to renounce	zaznamenati	to register
zapsání	entry	zbarvený	colored
zařaditi	to line up	zboží	merchandise
záře	brightness	zbytek	rest, remainder
září	September	zbýti	to remain, to be left over
zaříditi	to arrange		blackish, blackened
zářiti	to gleam	zčernalý	topic
zařízení	arrangement, establishment	zdánlivý	successful
zaříznouti	to incise, to cut in	zdárný	it appears
záruka	guarantee, caution	zdá se to	to appear
zásada	sentence, principal	dáti se	well, whole
		zdravý	to stress
zásah	hit, reach	zdůraziti	decent
zasílání	shipping	zdvořilý	ribbed
zasílatelská společnost	Shipping Co.	žebrovaný	greenish
zásilka	shipment	zelenavý	greenish blue
zaslání	shipment	zelenavě modrý	greenish brown
zasmušilý	discolored, sad	zelenavě hnědý	greenish yellow
zásoba	stock	zelenavě žlutý	greenish gray
zásobník	stockbook	zelenavě šedivý	greenish olive
zásoby	supplies	zelenavě olivový	greenish slate
zastavení	cessation	zelenavě křidlicový	greenish black
zastavený	standstill, pawned	zelenavě černý	green
zastaviti	to stand, to stop, to discontinue	zelený	green blue
zastávka	station	zeleně modrý	green brown
záštita	shield, help	zeleně hnědý	railroad, railway
zástup	crowd, multitude	železnice	turtle
zastupující	representative	želva	country, earth, land, state
za surova	engrain	země	farmer
		zemědělec	globe
		zeměkoule	zone
		zeměpás	

zeměspráva	administration	zkřížený	crossed
zemina	earth, soil	žlábek	groove
zemřelý	defunct, deceased	zlámaný	broken
zemská měna	currency of country	zlatě	golden
zemská poštovní služba	postal service of country	zlatě hnědý	golden brown
zemská vláda	government of country	zlatě žlutý	golden yellow
žena, ženská	wife, spouse, woman, female	zlatě bronzový	golden bronze
ženská podoba	figure of a woman female figure	zlatka	gulden
zevnějšek	surface	zlato	gold
zevnější hrana	outside edge	zlatý	golden
zevnější roh	outside corner	Zlatonosné Pobřeží	Gold Coast
zevnější strana	outside	zlepšení	correction, betterment
zevrubný	exact	zlomek	fraction
ze začátku	from the first	zlomení	break
zhoršiti	to impair, to make it worse	zlomený	broken
zhotovení	fabrication	zlomiti	to break
zhotovený	turned off	zlom v desce	break in plate
zhotoviti	to fabricate, to make	žlutek	yolk
zhusta	frequently	žlutavý	yellowish
zhuštěný	thickened	žlutavě hnědý	yellowish brown
zhustiti	to thicken, to condense	žlutavě šedý	yellowish gray
zhyzdění	deformation	žlutavě zelený	yellowish green
žilkovaný papír	granite paper	žlutavě okrový	yellowish ochre
Zimn. Olympické Hry	Winter Olympics	žlutavě olivový	yellowish olive
Zimní Pomoc	Winter help	žlutavě oranžový	yellowish orange
zinková deska	zinc plate	žlutavě bílý	yellowish white
žírání	etching	žlutý	yellow
zisk	profit	žlutě hnědý	yellow brown
získati	to profit, purchase, acquire	žlutě šedý	yellow gray
živá barva	bright color	žlutě zelený	yellow green
živnost	business, trade	žlutě olivový	yellow olive
život	life, existence	zlý	bad, evil, wrong
živý	vivid, alive	zmařiti	to spoil, to destroy
zjednodušení	simplification	zmatek	disorder, confusion
zjemniti	to smooth	změna	reverse, change
zkáza	confusion, ruin, destruction	změna kresby	change in design
zkaziti	to spoil, to ruin	vyměna na černém trhu	black market
zklamatí	to fail, to cheat, deceive	změněný	exchange
zkouška	trial, examination, proof	změněný	changed, modified, reversed
zkrácený	shortened, abbreviated	změnití	to modify, reduce, alter
zkrátiti	to shorten	změnití se	to vary
zkrátiti se	to contract	zmenšení	reduction
zkrátka	brief, succinct	zmenšiti	to reduce
		zmeškati	to miss
		zmírněný	diluted, relieved
		zmírniti	to modify
		zmocniti se	to reach, to authorize
		zmrzačený	mutilated
		značka	mark
		značka rytce	engraver's mark
		značka umělce	artist's mark
		znak	symbol, emblem

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To propagate the First National Spartacist Games 1955 the Ministry of Communication issued on January 1955 the first part of the series of postage stamps consisting of two stamps. The design of the first stamp depicts a symbolic topic of a woman holding a torch in her hand, the second, propagating the winter Spartacist Games, depicts a skier.

Both the designs are the work of Mario Stretti, graphic artist. The denominations and colors of the stamps are as follows:

1. The symbolical topic, 30 hal. value, the colour of the recess-print, red.
2. The skier, 45 hal. value, the color of the photogravure blue, color of the recess-print, brown grey.

The topic of the first stamp was engraved by Jindra Schmidt, the engraving of the second is by Jiří Švengsbír. The bicolored print, a combination of the photogravure with recess-print was executed by the Post Printing Office in Prague on the WIFAG Press by rotary photogravure and recess-print process in sheets of 50 copies. The dimensions of the stamp picture are 23 by 30 mm.

Validity for postage from 20th January 1955.

The First Day Cover for this issue was designed by the author of the stamps and engraved by Jiří Švengsbír.

New Issue of Commemoratives Honoring the 35th Anniversary of the Foundation of the Comenius University in Bratislava.



The Ministry of Communications commemorated the foundation of the Comenius University in Bratislava by an issue of two commemorative postage stamps of 60 hal. and 75 hal. denominations.

60 hal. stamp shows the building of the University after the design by Pavel Sukdolák, engraved by Bedřich Housa. The color of the stamp is green.

The second stamp represents a portrait of John Amos Comenius (Komenský) made after the medal by professor Otakar Španiel, with an ornamental

decoration, designed by Jiří Běhounek, graphic artist. The engraving is by Ladislav Jirka. The color of the stamp is brown.

Both stamps are recess-printed by the Post Printing Office in Prague by the Wifag Press in sheets of 70 copies. Dimensions of the stamp picture are 30 by 23 mm.

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