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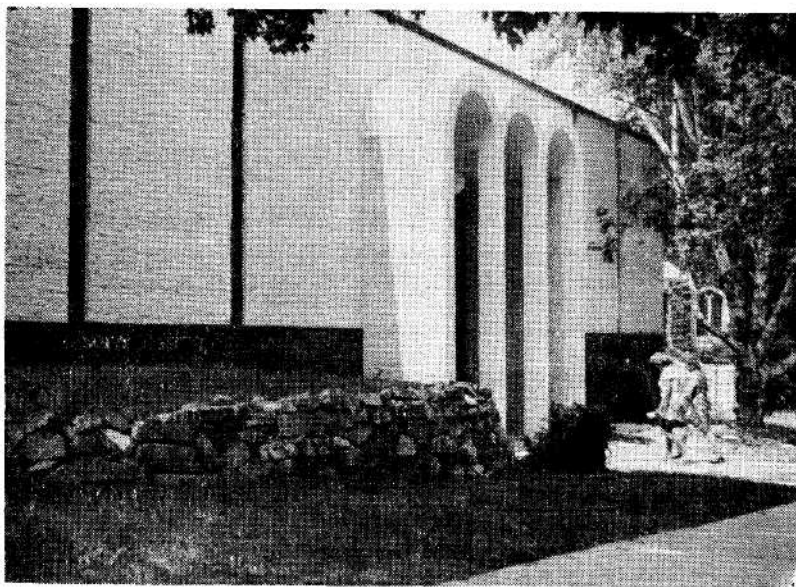
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NEW HOME FOR CZECHOSLOVAK PHILATELIC SOCIETY LIBRARY

By Mirko L. Vondra, President, CPS

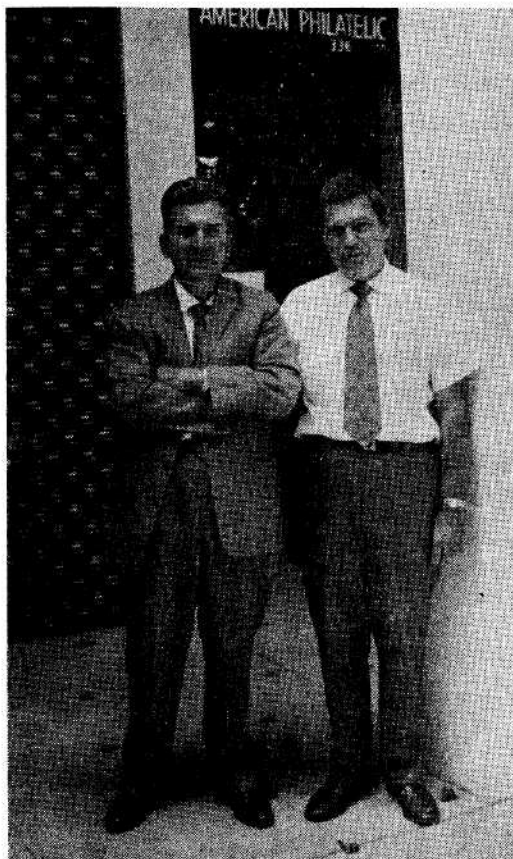
Ed Willard looked at me across the table, smiled, and said, "I think we have come to an agreement on a matter that should be of benefit to all parties concerned." The place was the conference room of the American Philatelic Building at State College, Pa. The time was noon of Monday, August 14.

But the story begins much earlier than that. It goes back to April when I called a meeting of the advisory committee at my home. We discussed the proposed amendments to the Constitution, including an amendment to the By-laws placing our library on a circulating basis and expanding its facilities to all members as well as certain non-members. I announced tht Frank Kosík



American Philatelic Building; home of the American Philatelic Research Library and Headquarters of the American Philatelic Society.

had resigned as librarian and that we would have to find a suitable replacement. This brought up the subject of housing the library. At this point, Henry Hahn, editor of the "SPECIALIST," recommended we explore the pos-



Mr. Jesse Boehret, assistant executive secretary, A. P. S. (right)
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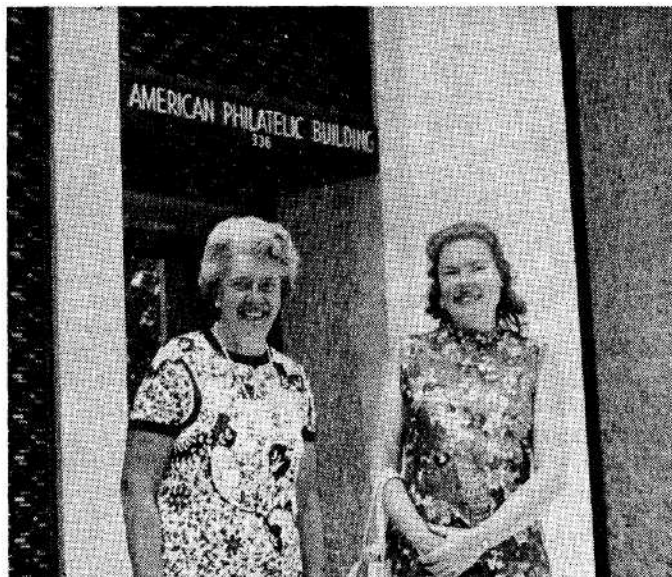
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sibility of having the library quartered in the new building of the American Philatelic Research Library at State College, Pa. The recommendation was adopted. Ed Lisz, our secretary, said he would initiate the preliminary steps by writing to A.P.S. There followed an exchange of correspondence between him and James DeVoss, the A.P.S. executive secretary, and this developed into a further correspondence between Col. DeVoss and myself. The preliminaries were cleared and a conference was set for Monday, August 14.

My wife and I were met by Jesse Boehret, the assistant executive secretary, who promptly apologized for the absence of Col. DeVoss, who had been called out of town. He introduced us to the A.P.R.L. librarian, Nancie R. Wall, with whom my wife struck a common chord. While the two of them talked shop, Boehret took me on a tour of the new building and introduced me to A.P.R.L. president, Edward L. Willard. The three of us then sat down to business. Out of our discussion emerged the following agreement:

Our library will be shipped to the A.P.R.L. at our expense and will be placed on the shelves adjoining the other library books but not comingled with them. We will catalog our library material and furnish Mrs. Wall with a duplicate thereof. Requests for books on a loan basis will be sent to our librarian, Jay T. Carrigan, 12448 Over Ridge Road, Potomac, MD 20854, together with the required deposit fee. He will forward a copy of the request to Nancie Wall, who will then mail the requested book to the proper party. The party will return the book to her at the end of the loan period and she will notify Jay Carrigan of the return. In this manner, we will retain control of the bookkeeping operation, including the financial aspects thereof, while A.P.R.L. at State College will maintain physical possession. Each party will keep records of its own transactions.

While this may result in a certain amount of duplication, it will also provide us with a system of checks and balances. This system is necessary if we are to circulate our books the way we do our exchange circuits and do so in an



Mrs. Nancie R. Wall, A. P. R. L. Librarian (left) and Mrs. Vondra

orderly fashion without loss or damage to their contents.

Getting back to our conference, the session ended on a harmonious note. We agreed on the basic aspects of our new relationship: the library would remain the property of the CZECHOSLOVAK PHILATELIC SOCIETY. It would be housed at the A.P.R.L. building but not comingled with other libraries. Its contents would be available to our own members as well as members of other organizations belonging to A.P.S. Meanwhile, neither A.P.S. nor A.P.R.L. will assume any responsibility for losses to all or any portion of our library other than such losses as are covered by the insurance policy on the building and its contents.

We further agreed that our new librarian, Mr. Carrigan, will deliver the bulk of our library material to State College sometime this fall. He will then sit down with Nancie Wall and work out the details of a program under which the plan outlined above can be put into operation. As soon as this is completed, an announcement will appear in the SPECIALIST that the library is open for use. Similar announcements will appear in other major philatelic publications throughout the country.

I personally feel indebted to Henry Hahn for proposing this idea. I believe that now for the first time, we will be able to offer our members the kind of use from a specialized library that they deserve. Furthermore, we will do our utmost to expand the contents of our library which has been somewhat neglected. Obsolete or unrelated material of little value has already been discarded. Loose but related pamphlets and periodicals will be bound wherever possible. Recent publications of specialized interest and significance will be added. There will soon be published in the SPECIALIST a complete list of our current library material as compiled by Jay Carrigan and members of the Washington Branch.

For those who may not have available the new Bylaw to our Constitution which relates to the operation of our library, it is quoted below as follows:

"Section Seven—A member in good standing may borrow any single book from the library and may retain such book up to ten weeks at the rental fee of ten cents per week. If another member or non-member requests the same book while it is out on loan, the person having possession of the book will be notified by mail and will return the book at the end of the fifth week, or immediately if the book has already been held five weeks. Non-members may borrow any single book from the library provided they identify themselves as members in good standing of a recognized philatelic club and are residents of the United States. Non-members may retain any borrowed book up to four weeks at the rental fee of twenty cents per week. All borrowers must pay the cost of postage both way. Any person who fails to pay the replacements cost of any book lost, destroyed or mutilated while in his possession will be disqualified from borrowing further books from the library. All persons borrowing books from the library will deposit with the librarian one dollar with every request for a book. This deposit, less the rental fee and the cost of postage to mail the book to the borrower, will be refunded when the book is returned to the library."

I have stipulated in my meeting with the A.P.S./A.P.R.L. officers that the phrase "recognized philatelic club" in the new Bylaw will mean those clubs that belong to the American Philatelic Society.

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For those of us who missed PRAGA '68, too bad—for there may never again be anything like it. But for reasonable consolation, our readers may be interested in another upcoming major international stamp event, held under FIP patronage, which will be "POLSKA '73" in Poznan, Poland, between August 19 and September 2, 1973. The event will coincide with Poland's festivities on the occasion of the 500th anniversary of the birth of Nicholas Copernicus. We have an inkling that honorary member and former editor of the SPECIALIST, Dr. William Reiner-Deutsch, and possible other illustrious members of our society will be there. The U.S.A. commissioner is our International Secretary, George Blizil, 5208 Jackson Street, Hollywood, Florida 33021 from whom applications for the exhibit may be obtained.

Our spy network in Chicago reports that our friends, the Chicagoland Czechoslovak Philatelic Society, have initiated their regular season of meetings. Their first meeting took place on September 10th at the Lincoln Federal Savings and Loan Association Building with members' presentations of new acquisitions made over the summer. Best wishes for a successful season!

Linn's Stamp News of Monday, September 18, 1972 reports that the international Asiago prize for "tourism-philatelic art" has been awarded to Czechoslovakia and Cyprus. Czechoslovakia won for its 1971 30h salute to the 50th anniversary of the Slovak Alpine Edelweiss Organization (Scott 1750).

Praga '68 gold medal winner and frequent contributor to the SPECIALIST, Jaroslav J. Verner, writes from Kabul, Afghanistan, that while he will be with us at NOJEX in spirit, he will unfortunately not be there in person. He writes that he has sprained his ankle, but is looking forward to attending Poznan '73 and exhibiting. It's a long walk from Kabul to NOJEX, particularly with a sprained ankle, so we'll simply have to grin and bear his absence and wish him luck at Poznan.

It gives us particular pleasure to once again welcome to active membership Mr. Ray Van Handel, Jr. Our National Secretary, Edward Lisy, reminds us newcomers (with membership numbers nearing 1,000) that not only is Mr. Van Handel an "old timer" with membership number 295, but that he was instrumental in designing the mast head of the SPECIALIST. In addition, he contributed his art to the Society's publication, "The Bohemian-Moravian Handbook," and his collection has won many awards and honors.

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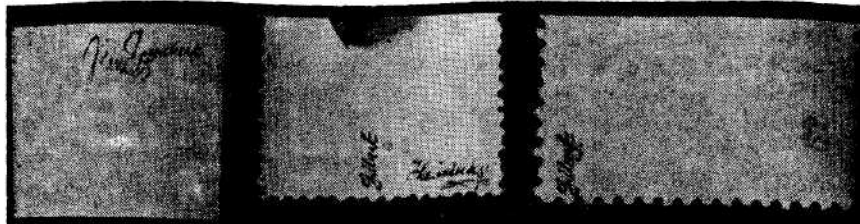


Fig. 1

Fig. 2

Fig. 3

Several months ago, I received a postcard from Dr. Otakar Kutvirt, asking if I could identify two "expertization marks" he had noticed on some of his stamps. At that time I was not able to help him, but in my answer to him I noted that such a study would be an interesting topic for this column, and I immediately began the investigation necessary.

Coincidentally, in the June 1972 issue of the SPECIALIST, there appeared the translation by Mr. Huml's from *Filatelie*, "The First Experts." Certainly this is a timely subject.

Currently, the two most well-known and most reliable experts are Professor Rudolph Gilbert and the late Jan Mrňák. Their expertization marks are illustrated in Fig. 1.

Jaroslav Lešetický was a very popular and influential Czech official, who, more or less, appointed himself as the philatelic expert of the early period of Czechoslovak stamps—from 1918 to 1920. I have come across no less than four different expertizing marks of his. Fig. 2 shows the written name "J. Lešetický" along with Prof. Gilbert's mark. Fig. 3 shows a simple "Lý" along with Prof. Gilbert's mark. Fig. 4 shows a fancy monogram that Lešetický developed, accompanied by Prof. Gilbert's mark, on the Special Delivery



Fig. 4

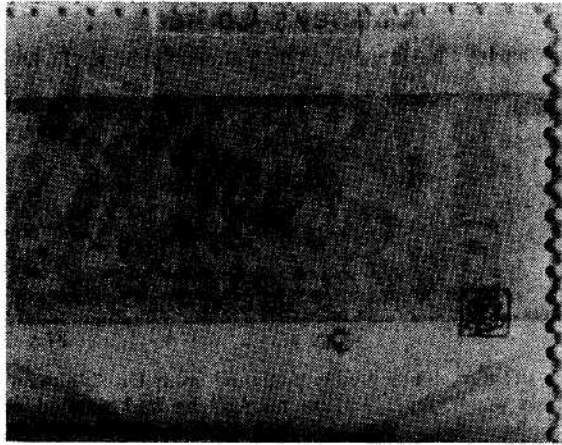


Fig. 5

"Pošta 1919" series, and Fig. 5 shows the same monogram design enclosed in a square. The same Fig. 5 also shows the mark of Vilem Ekstein—Ev—a noted stamp dealer during the First Republic; the third mark on the far left of the same figure, "IB" I cannot identify. Can anyone give me aid on this one?

Jaroslav Lešetický, as Huml's article noted, "placed himself, without reservation, on a pedestal of infallibility." There are forged overprints of "Pošta 1919" that bear his expertization marks. In his defense, however, most of the material that he expertized, and that I have seen, is genuine.

Jaroslav Šula, a prominent stamp dealer in later years, and Erwin Hirsch, a publisher, saw some of Lešetický's erroneous methods. There was quite a ruckus between Hirsch and Lešetický, but Šula did not enter into the arguments. But those of us who seek early air mail covers, especially those franked with Scott C-1 through Scott C-9, are indebted to Mr. Šula who had the foresight to prepare some covers, and send them on the mail flights; otherwise there would now be a lot fewer of them available.

Šula had only one mark that he used, and, then, only on stamps he himself sold. As shown in Fig. 6 and Fig. 7, its design consisted of a crown placed over the letter "A".

Quite clearly these early experts had no definite pattern or location for placing their expertization marks on stamps, as Gilbert and Mrňák did. But this is only the beginning of this study; there will be more of this matter later. See you next month.

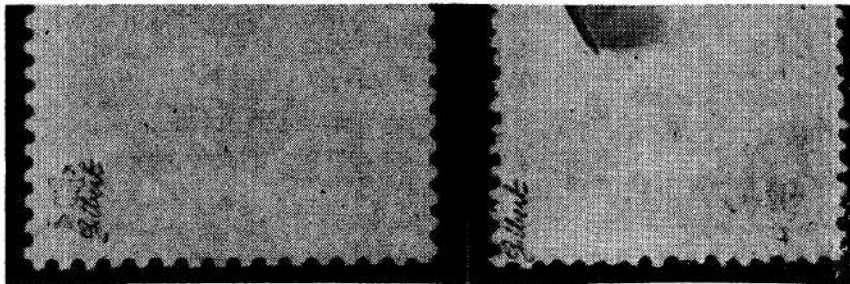


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	Mint	Used	FDC
1971—Interkosmos 1720A (1) -----	.25	.08	.39
Graphic Art 1727-32 (6) -----	.95	.60	1.25
Churches 1733-41 (9) -----	7.50	.55	—
Coat of Arms 1742-7 (6) -----	.50	.20	.85
Unesco 1748-9 (2) -----	.35	.15	.45
Alpine 1750 (1) -----	.05	.04	.15
Singerchoir 1751 (1) -----	.05	.04	.15
Castle 1752-3 (2) -----	1.00	.90	1.25
Castle block of 4 -----	4.00	—	—
50th Anniversary 1754-7 (4) -----	.40	.15	.50
Congress 1758-9 (2) -----	.15	.05	.20
Hunting 1760-5 (6) -----	1.20	.75	1.85
CKD Prague 1766 (1)1 -----	.05	.02	.15
Federation 1767 (1) -----	.05	.02	.15
Highway 1768 (1) -----	.15	.08	.25
Bienalle 1769-71 (3) -----	.60	.25	.70
Pharmacy 1772-7 (6) -----	1.25	.70	1.35
Paintings 1779-83 (5) -----	1.45	1.25	1.65
Paintings block of 4 -----	6.00	—	—
Krompachy 1784 (1) -----	.15	.05	.20
Unicef 1785-90 (6) -----	1.75	.95	1.85
Unicef block of 10 -----	15.00	—	—
Olympics 1791-4 (4) -----	.95	.55	1.10
Stamp Day 1795 (1) -----	.20	.10	.30
Flower—DUE 5.40 J95 (1) -----	.95	.10	—
1972—Sapporo 1796-9 (4) -----	.65	.40	.75
Terezin 1801 (1) -----	.10	.02	.15
Lidice-Ležaky 1800,2 (2) -----	.15	.07	.35
I. Flag 1803 (1) -----	.10	.03	.15
Unesco 1804 (1) -----	.15	.04	.25
Bohumin 1805 (1) -----	.05	.03	.25
Graphic Art 1806-10 (5) -----	.90	.90	1.25
Graphic 1810 block of 4 -----	2.50	—	—
Hockey 1811-2 (2) -----	.45	.25	.65
Olympics 1813-6 (4) -----	1.15	.60	1.25
Castle 1817-8 (2) -----	1.15	1.25	1.35
Castle block of 4 -----	4.50	—	—
Hockey overprint (2) -----	—	—	—
Cultural (6) -----	.40	.20	.55
Congress (1) -----	.05	.02	.15
Churches 5K, 10K (2) -----	2.50	.35	—
Pinker Craft (5) -----	1.05	.75	1.25
Churches 3K, 20K (2) -----	4.00	.50	—
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Stumped On Stamps

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This month's question concerns the postwar Czechoslovak 1949 airmail issue, the revalued overprints listed as Scott C-28 to C-35, or as Pofis 25 to 32. The set was issued as a group of provisionals by overprinting the 1946-47 issue (Scott C19 to C27, omitting C25; Pofis 17 to 24). The new values were printed on all 100 (or 50) stamps of the smaller format (Scott C28 to C31), and only on seventy stamps (7x10) in the center of the full 100 stamp format, yielding twelve coupons on the post office sheet of the larger format; we shall concern ourselves only with the stamps of the larger format.

The upper and lower margins consisted of 15 stamps and 6 coupons each; they were cut off in such a way that 7 stamps on each margin were destroyed. The photograph shows the full overprinted sheet of 70 stamps as issued. On all the sheets the cut-off line for the upper margin is so placed that the word **ČESKOSLOVENSKO** appears in full. On the lower margin about twice as much space remains (about 1/3 of the stamp), showing the old value without



the overprint. This confirms the fact that the overprint was applied to the center part of the original sheet.

Pofis lists and prices stamps from this larger format of overprinted stamps "with margins", as K-29 to K-32, suggesting that the coupons are the cut-off portion of the lower and upper stamps. There are seven lower and seven upper margin stamps for each overprinted sheet.

There is no problem with the lower margin stamps because the value of the cut-off stamp is not overprinted, clearly an indication of its proper position on the sheet. But how about the upper margin? There is no way of being sure that two regular overprinted stamps from the middle of the sheet were not taken and cut with scissors or a paper cutter, leaving the ČESKO-SLOVENKO, i.e. "manufacturing" stamps with upper margins for profit, as soon as the price for the marginal copy exceeds the price of two regular stamps.

Can this be prevented? Is there any way to recognize true upper margins? Is it necessary to collect vertical strips of ten stamps with the upper and lower margins attached to prove the authenticity of the upper margin? German philatelists collected strips of eleven stamps to show that their stamps came from a coil and not from a sheet; this becomes very cumbersome and expensive.

All Czechoslovak stamps with coupons are equally priced for the attached coupon, upper or lower, right or left, with only one exception, the Battle of Arras commemorative (Scott #206-7; Pofis #289-90); Pofis lists these with the upper coupon as worth four or five times as much as the stamp with the lower coupon.

So let me close with one more puzzler: why?

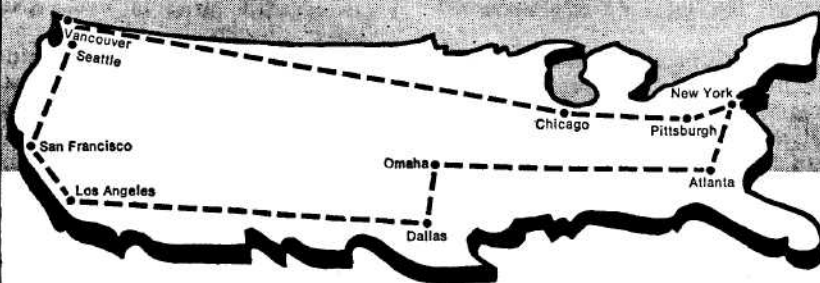
NEW ISSUE: POSTAGE DUES

(Courtesy of Linn's Stamp News)



The third and final portion of the new series of Postage Dues featuring stylized flowers are illustrated. Released on July 11, the set contains 10h, 80h, 1.20 Kcs, 2 Kcs and 3 Kcs. Others in the set include the 5.40 Kcs, released November 21, 1971, and 20h, 30h, 60h, 1 Kcs, 4 Kcs, and 6 Kcs added during April 1972.

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1934

- Praha 1—Mistrovství Evropy v Krasobruslení dam a dvojic—27.28.1. also in French (European Figure Skating Championship for Women and pairs, black)
- Chrudim 1—Divadlo K. Pippicha—18.11. (Pippich Theatre, violet)
- Praha 14—Autosalon 1934—6.15 IV. (Automobile Show 1934 a, b, black)
- Praha—B. Smetana 1824-1884—A. Dvořák 1841-1904 Festival pěvecké obce ceskoslovenske 1.V. (Festival of the Czechoslovak Singing Societies, blue and black)
- Praha—IV. éme Réunion du Ccít 1934, 21.V.-3.VI. (IV. Ccít Meeting, black)
- Kouřim—500 let Lipan 26.-28.V. (500 Years Lipan, green)
- Český Brod—500 let Lipan 26.-31.V. (500 Years Lipan, green)
- Kolín 1—50 let dorostu a sokolské župy Tyršovy 2., 3., 9., 10. VI. (50 Years of Tyrs Sokol District, green)
- Praha 73—Slet orelské župy Pospíšilovy—16.-17.VI. (Pospisil Districts Orel Congress, blue)



- Turnov 1—Střed Českého raje—50 let Čs. odb. školy—17.IV. (Center of Czech Heaven—50 years Czech Trade School, blue)
- Kutna Horá—Župní sjezd junáků skautů—17.IV. (Boy Scouts District Congress, black)
- Litoměřice 1—Leitmeritz 1—Týden brannosti—Wehrhaftigkeitswoche 17.VI. (Military Preparedness Week, black and green)
- Opava 1—Krajský slet Sokolstva 1934, 17.-30.VI. (Regional Sokol Congress, green—also red)
- Vimperk—Sokolský slet a 50 let M. odb. N. J. P. 23.24.VI. (Sokol Congress and 50 Years of Matice Branch of N. J. P. green)
- Ústí nad Labem—Krajský slet sokolský—24.VI.-8.VII. (Regional Sokol Congress a, b, black)
- Jičín—Valdštejnská výstava—24.VI.-22.VII. (Valdstejn Exhibition, black)
- Frýdlant v Čechách—Friedlant in Böhmen—Valdštejnské pamětní slavnosti—Wallenstein Gedenkfeier 25.VI.-1.VII. (Valdstejn Memorial Celebration, black and blue)
- České Budejovice 1—20 let praporu p. pl. 1 Mistra Jana Husi—29.VI.-1.VII (20 Years Flag of the 1st Infantry Regiment, Master Jan Hus, blue)

- Nový Bydžov**—Výstava kraje novobydžovského—29.VI.-15.VII. (Novy Bydzov Regional Exhibit, black)
- Praha**—III. dělnická olympiada československá—1.-9.VII. (III. Czechoslovak Workers Olympics, a, b, c, d, violet and black)
- Litomyšl**—Výstava B. Smetany—3.VI.-30.VII. (Smetana Exhibition, blue)
- Frenštát pod Radhostem**—Krajinská výstava Pobežkydi—5.VII.-15.VIII. (Bezkydy Regional Exhibition, black)
- Banská Bystrica** XII. svetový tábor skautskej esperatskej ligy 16.-31.VII (XII. World Jamboree of Scout Esperanto League, green) (in esperanto)
- Hořice v Podkrkonoší**—Výstava odboje—22.VII.-19.VIII (Resistance Exhibition, violet and black)
- Rychnov nad Kněžnou**—Oslavy F. M. Pelcla—29.-31.VII. (Pelcl's Commemoration, blue)
- Nové Město pod smrkem**—Neustadt an der Tafelfichte—350 roku, 350 Jahre, 11.-21.VII. (350th Anniversary, black)
- Strážnice**—300 let založení gymnasia—12.-15.VIII. (300th Anniversary of the Founding of the Gymnasium, a, b, c, d, e, f, blue)
- Hronov—Morava a Slezsko**—Jiráskvi—19.-25.VIII. (Moravia and Silesia to Jirasek, green)
- Pardubice 1**—VI. zlatá přilba Československa—2.IX. (VI. Golden Helmet of Czechoslovakia, yellow)
- Bratislava 1**—1. jubilejná a propagačná výstava pošt. známok—25.-30.IX. (1. Anniversary and Publicity of Postage Stamp Show, black)
- Brno 2**—Masarykův okruh—27.-30.IX. (Masaryk Ring, blue and green)
- Praha 10 Hrad**—20 výročí Založení Čsl. Armády 1914-1934—28.IX. (20th Anniversary of the Founding of the Czechoslovak Army, a. b. gold)
- Děčín**—20 výročí České Družiny—28.-30.IX. (20th Anniversary of the Czech Družina, blue)
- Opava 1—Troppau 1**—1434-1934 Obchodní gremium Handelsgremium—29.-30.IX (Trade Meeting, black)
- Semily**—70 let ochotnického divadelního spolku—29.-30.IX (70 Years Theatrical Amateur Society, blue)
- Pardubice 1**—Velké pardubické steeple chase 1864-1934, 60 let—14.X. (60 Years Great Pardubice Steeple Chase, green)
- Bor u České Lípy**—Haida—XV. sjezd německých filatelistů—13.14.X. (XV. German Philatelists Day, green)
- Praha 10 Hrad**—J. K. Tyl F. Skroup 1834—Kde domov můj—1834. (J. K. Tyl F Skroup 1834 "Where is my Home" a, b, c, d, 1.-31.XII blue—21.XII red)

1935

- Moravská Ostrava 1**—V lyžařsky přebon KČST v Bílé v Bezkydách (V. KČST Ski Competition in Bila in Bezkydy Mt. 1.-18.1. black—19.-20. blue)
- Starý Smokovec**—Jub. mezinár. lyžařské závody FIS—1.-20.1. also in French (Anniversary of International FIS Ski Championship, blue)
- Štrbské Pleso**—same (black)
- Tatranská Polianka**—same (black)
- Tatranská Lomnica**—same (black)
- Frýwaldov—Freiwaldau**—1. závod o stříbrnou jesenickou lyži KČST—3.-4.III. (1. Jesenice Silver Ski Competition, blue)
- České Budejovice 1**—Výstava díla Masarykova 3.III.-14.IV. (Exhibition of Masaryk's Work, blue—red on 7.III.)

- Praha 10 Hrad—TGM—1850—T. G. Masaryk—1935 (Masaryk's 85th Birthday Celebration a, b, c, d, e, f, gold)
- Praha 1—same (a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l m o—red)
- Praha 28 Senat N. S.—same (a, b, red)
- Praha 29 Poslanecka Snemovna N. S.—same (a, b, red)
- Praha 30 Ministerstvo Post a Telegrafu—same (red)
- Banská Bystrica—same (a, b, red)
- Bratislava 1—same (a, b, c, d, e, red)
- Brno 1—same (a, b, c, d, e, red)
- Česke Budejovice 1—same (a, b, red)
- Čejč—same (red)
- Čejkovice—same (red)
- Hodonin 1 added Rodiště T. G. Masaryk's Birthplace)—same (a, b, red)
- Hustopeče u Brna—Auspitz—same (red)
- Horní Dvořiště—Oberheid bei Kaplitz—same (red)
- Košice 1—same (a, b, c, red)
- Lány—same (red)
- Moravská Ostrava 1—same (a, b, c, d, red)
- Nitra—same (a, b, red)
- Opava 1—Troppau—same (a, b, c, red)
- Pardubice 1—same (a, b, c, red)
- Plzeň 1—same (a, b, c, d, red)
- Turčianský Svätý Martin—Bystricka—same (a, b, red)
- Topolčianky—same (red)
- Užhorod 1—same (a, b, red)
- Valašské Meziříčí—same (red)
- Žilina 1—same (a, b, red)
- Židlochovice—same (red)
- Praha 1—10 let Spolku neodvislých filatelistů—Propagacni vystava snamek, 9.10.III. (10 Years Society of Independent Philatelists—Promotional Stamp—Exhibition, green)
- Banská Štiavnica—Národné plachtarske závody Gen. Štefánika 1.IV.-12.V. (Gen. Stefanik National Glider Competition, blue)
- Pardubice 1—Výstava díla Masarykova—21.IV.-19.V. (Exhibit of Masaryk's work, blue)
- Moravska Ostrava—1—Výstava československých poštovních známek—25.IV.-5.V. (Exhibition Czechoslovakia Postage Stamps, green)

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