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DUPLICATING WITHOUT MAKING CARBON COPIES

- Hal Wasserman -

One of the fascinating features about stamp collecting is that a collector may collect whatever interests him. No matter what the catalogue may include or not include there is no law that says what the collector must have in his album. It is his own possession to build and expand as he chooses.

It is only when the collector wishes to exhibit for competition that certain maxims come into play; then the collector loses some of the freedom he had before. Yet exhibiting need not enjoin a collector from remaining individualistic in his approach, nor does his collection have to be a carbon copy of other similar exhibits. This is especially noticeable when viewing exhibits of Olympic Games stamps.

Excluding the early Greek Olympic stamps, a collector would not find it too difficult or too expensive to put together a 'complete' collection of the basic stamps.

How, then, can an enthusiast put his individual touch on his own exhibit except through a different type of mounting?

In my opinion, there are enough unusual items on the philatelic marketplace that a collector could add for nearly every Olympiad, some expensive but many rather nominal in price, that would add sparkle to an exhibit.

All of the items mentioned below are listed in various books and guides, including Ira Seepacher's Handbook of Sports Stamps. However, I would like to point out some of these that seem to be overlooked in many of the exhibits.

1896 - Used copies of Greece which clearly show the year of use
Examples of forgeries (there are plenty of these around)
The 2 L. with the name of the engraver omitted
Gutter Pairs

1906 - (Not an Olympiad, but always included by collectors)
Cardboard proofs of Greece
Certain values overprinted for official use (sometimes classified as 'fiscals')

- 1906 - The New Year's card with reproductions of nine of the stamps (probably not completely philatelic but a spectacular item) produced by the Greek Government.

- 1920 - Covers of the Belgian issue are available
Any of the numerous varieties of the Belgian overprint which invalidates the surcharge
Inverted surcharges (rather expensive)

- 1924 - Postal card of the French 30 C.
Deluxe proof sheet of the four French values (the granddaddy of all Olympic 'souvenir sheets'; perhaps not philatelic in everybody's eyes, but an outstanding feature)
Inverted surcharges of the Lebanon and Syrian overprints
Uruguay yellow papers on presentation folder
Uruguay special cancellation (the first soccer cancel)

- 1925 - Czechoslovakia Olympic Congress issue on the special postcards, five of them, each in one of the Olympic colors, with special cancel.

- 1928 - Netherlands set on cover with the striking five-sided Olympic cancel.
Portuguese postal tax stamps on cover if they can be found
Uruguay set, punched with star or with cross (inexpensive but difficult to find)
Gutter pairs of the Uruguay set

- 1932 - Snowball variety of the United States ski jumper

- 1936 - Se-tenant varieties of the German summer set
Examples of the various cancellations used in Germany (the Olympic Bell cancel is one of the attractive ones)
Covers of the German booklet prepared for use of visitors, so that the inside can be displayed showing the four languages.

- 1944 - Polish prisoner-of-war issues (these were written up extensively in JSP)
At one time, not too long ago, these were readily available and not too expensive. They are gradually going into specialized collections of Poland, for the most part, and are disappearing from the philatelic scene

- 1948 - Imperfs of the Korea issue (expensive but rare)
Imperfs and collective sheets, etc., of Monaco (not in the price class of Korea but beautiful items)
Black proof of the Austrian stamp
Cover of the Peru set, since it had franking value for only four days

The above is not intended to be inclusive of all possible material. Many fine items, such as the 1948 Peru error, have been omitted, either because of price or unattainability. Many smaller varieties, such as the minor varieties of France 1924 were skipped with the thought that most collectors would not want these. Perhaps this brief review will kindle some new ideas of presentation and material, so that collections will be originals and not carbon copies.

FINANCIAL REPORT

September 1, 1968 - August 31, 1969

Balance on September 1, 1968 \$ 283.50*

Receipts

Members' Dues	\$ 835.71	
Donations	5.00	
Advertising Income	173.46	
Auction Income	57.23	
Proceeds of Circuit Book Sales	154.48	
Sale of back issues of JSP	25.05	
Sale of Covers, Seals, Labels	<u>42.76</u>	
	\$1293.69	<u>\$1293.69</u>
		\$1577.19

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Balance on August 31, 1969 \$ 231.58

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Leonard Eichorn
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For the sports stamp collector who supplements his collection with areas in which sports events take place, a new issue from Czechoslovakia will be of interest.

On Sept. 8, 1969, Czechoslovakia issued a set of six stamps for the 20th anniversary of the Tatra National Park.

This year it is exactly two decades since the law creating the Tatra National Park came into effect. This park embraces the mountain region of the West Tatras, High Tatras and Belany Tatras.

Here one will find magnificent land formations dating primarily from the Ice Age, recreation areas, difficult downhill runs and ski jumps and chair lifts.

The 1970 World Ski Championships are to be held in the Tatra mountains.

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JAPAN'S SMALL CANCELS

The pictorial character of the so-called 'small cancels' whose use is authorized in Japanese post offices in connection with celebrations and other local events make their collecting an appealing specialty.

Each year from 60 to 100 of these 'chiisai keshi-in' are authorized for use, usually for brief periods, in specific post offices. The designs used are essentially Nipponese in character, possessing considerable charm.

To show what is available in this field of collecting, the 'chiisai keshi-in' authorized for use during the first six months of 1965 are illustrated and described here. This article appeared in Western Stamp Collector and only those cancels pertaining to sports stamp collecting are shown.



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- 1) 14th All Japan Senior High School Skating Championship: Kitayama and Tateshima, Nagano Prefecture, Jan. 21 to 24. Design - skater and rink
- 2) Dedication on opening of Citizens Gymnasium and Sports Stamps Exhibition: Yokitsu, Shizuoka Prefecture, Jan. 23 - 24. Design - new city sports hall
- 3) 20th National Skating Championships: Kitayama and Tateshima, Nagano Prefecture, Jan. 26 - 29. Design - Mountains, figure skater and national association mark.



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- 4) 14th Annual All-Japan Senior High School Ski Meet: Uyanaka, Shiga Heights, Nagano Prefecture, Feb. 5 - 7. Design- skier
- 5) 14th Chubu Regional Skating Championships: Katsukai, Nagano Prefecture, Feb. 6-7 Design - skaters
- 6) 4th All-Japan Young Businessmen's Association Speed Skating Meet: Katsukai, Nagano Prefecture, Feb. 9 - 10. Design - Skater

Japan's Small Canceled Cont.



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- 7) 20th Annual National Athletic Ski Championships: Kanminabe, Hiogo, Feb. 14-17
Design - skier and national athletic symbol
- 8) Sightseeing Festival, Myoko Heights and Lake Nojiri area: Shinanomachi, Nagano Prefecture. Used at Myoko and Niigata cities, March 15-16. Design - Mt. Myoko, Lake Nojiri, skiing, boating and hot springs symbol
- 9) 37th All Japan Senior High School Baseball Finals: Nishinomiya, Hiogo, March 27-April 3. Design - baseball players

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Shown here is the special cancellation put in use by Greece to commemorate the Ninth Olympic Academy. It was used to cancel the 2.50 Drachmae North Atlantic Treaty Organization salute, and was taken from a cover sent by P. J. Drossos of Athens. The Academy was in Session from Sept. 1-13, 1969. (Linn's Weekly)

Olympics . . .

TORCH RELAYS

The use of a Torch relay as the opening ceremony for the Olympic Games is not unique to the Olympics. Many countries have used this form of ceremony for their National and International sports events.

Take the II Mediterranean Games held in Barcelona, Spain in 1955. Mediterranean water was used instead of the Hellenic Flame. A jar was filled at Ampurias, the ancient port founded by the Greeks on Spanish ground, and carried in relays to Barcelona to be emptied at the Montjuich Stadium into a fountain which flowed for the duration of the Games.

In the United States we have had one Olympic Torch Relay - the Winter Olympic Games at Squaw Valley, California in 1960. However, prior to that the United States held a Torch relay in 1959 for the Pan-American Games held in Chicago, Illinois.

The Boy Scouts participated in the carrying of the 'Friendship Fire Torch' from Mexico City to Chicago, where it burned as a symbol of Pan-American unity. The torch was carried 1464 miles by 3000 Boy Scouts. At that time it was said (by Pan-American officials) to have set a new high in sports history for the longest route travelled and the biggest relay team participation.

The route was from the United States border town of Laredo, Texas to Soldiers' Field in Chicago, Illinois. Mexican Boy Scouts delivered the Torch from Mexico City to the United States scouts at Laredo, Texas the morning of August 4th.

Using the scout pace (run 50 steps, walk 50 steps) the boys, in relays, carried the Torch up the highways of five states at the rate of approximately one mile every twelve minutes. Running only during the daylight hours they covered around 60 miles a day, reaching Chicago in the afternoon of August 26th.

It took seven and one-half days to cross Texas, passing through such historic cities as San Antonio, Austin, and Waco before reaching Oklahoma's border on Aug. 11. They crossed the Sooner state on U.S. routes 75, 66, and 69, bringing the Torch through Miami, Florida to Oklahoma. The afternoon of Aug. 15th a 17-mile run across the corner of Kansas put the Torch in Joplin, Missouri that night. Missouri was covered the afternoon of the 20th with the Scouts carrying the Torch across the Mississippi River into Illinois on route 66 at Alton for the final home-state run of 332 miles to downtown Chicago.

Any member having information on other torch relay ceremonies other than Olympic please send it to your editor so we can pass it on to the club members.

(Source of information: U.S. Olympic Bulletin, Spanish National Olympic Book)

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CHECK-LIST OF SPORTS AND RECREATION

1968 Supplement

- Bob Bruce -

(Compiler's notes: Appreciation is expressed to President Barbara T. Williams--SPI 69--for her frequent assistance in many details of this supplement. Because 1968 was an Olympic year, an effort was made to include the non-"Scott" material. The delay in delivery of the foreign catalogues and the lag in actual cataloging has postponed the publication of this supplement by four months; for this I am truly sorry. Also a publication deadline forced the completion of this manuscript before the 1970 editions of "Gibbons" and "Yvert" were available although "Michel" ("Mi") and "Minkus" ("Min") catalogues have been used extensively. Thus over two hundred individual items have been identified as sports and/or recreation stamps but do not appear in this supplement since they have not yet been included in any of the five common catalogues.)

1. Competitive sports

a. Aquatics

(1) Canoeing

Hungary B280, Ivory
Coast 265, Mexico
C343

(2) Diving

Algeria 399, Cook Is-
lands 240, Cyprus 319,
Kenya, Uganda, & Tan-
zania 190, Khor Fak-
kan Min 118, Liberia
485, Nicaragua C661,
Niger Republic C90,
Romania 2031, Rwanda
270, Sharjah Min 367

(3) Rowing

Bulgaria B33, German
Democratic Republic
1013, 1046, Yugoslavia
921, Mexico C336,
C343, Romania 2036,
Russia 3488, 3494

(4) Sailing

Bahamas 273, 276,
280, Belgium B828,
Bermuda 226-29, Cook
Islands 237, Indonesia
753, Mexico C335,
C343, Paraguay Min
1595, Spain 1545,
Venezuela C997

(5) Swimming

Algeria 399, Dominica
235-36, Hungary C277,
Korea 622-23, Luxem-
bourg 460, Mexico
991, C343, New Zea-

land B76, Sharjah

Min 391, Min 393,

Min 398, Umm Al Qi-
wain Min 198

(6) Water polo

German Democratic Re-
public 1045, Jugo-
slavia 922, Mexico
992, C343, Monaco
679

(7) Miscellaneous

Afars & Issis C52,
Antigua 204, Bahamas
275

b. Ball

(1) Baseball and softball

Japan 963-64, Nicara-
gua C635

(2) Basketball

Ajman Min 217, Alger-
ia 399, Bhutan Mi
234, Burundi 261,
Dominicao 239-40,
Ethiopia 513, Indo-
nesia 754, Israel
377, Yugoslavia 919,
Korea 622-23, Maldive
Islands 291, Manama
Min 78, Mexico C343,
Morocco 211, Nicara-
gua C659, Poland
1596, Senegal C63,
Somalia 339, Syria
C424, Umm Al Qiwan
Min 180, Min 184,
Min 211, Min 215

(3) Field hockey

Mexico C343, Monaco

- C74
- (4) J'Alai--none
 - (5) Polo--none
 - (6) Rugby--none
 - (7) Soccer
 - Ajman Min 218, Min 252-57, Min 259-64, Albania 1183, Algeria 400, Bermuda 226-29, Bhutan M1240, Burundi 260, Congo Republic C73, Czechoslovakia 1535, Dominica 233-34, Ethiopia 511, German Democratic Republic B147, Ghana 343, Haiti 578-79, C288, CB57, Hungary C278, Iraq 473-76, Israel 361, Kuwait 385-88, Khor Fakkan 119, Laos 180, Luxembourg 461, Mali C62, Manama Min77, Mexico C343, Morocco 215, Nicaragua C666, Persia 1475-76, Romania 2037, Russia 3490, Sharjah Min368, Min 379-84, Uruguay 758
 - (8) Table tennis
 - Russia 3488, United Arab Republic 312
 - (9) Tennis
 - Bolivia 512-14, C293-94, Laos 179, Ryukyu Islands 179
 - (10) Volleyball
 - Czechoslovakia 1533, Korea 622-23, Mexico C337, C343, Romania 2072
 - (11) Miscellaneous
 - Afghanistan 782, Bahamas 272, Canada 483, Dahomey C86, Guyana 36-8, Haiti 601, C315, Jamaica 269-71, Russia 3487, St. Lucia 229-30
- c. Combative
- (1) Archery
 - Chad 163, Lesotho 64
 - (2) Boxing
 - Bulgaria 1677, Cambodia 196, Cameroun C107, Congo Republic C74, Dominican Republic 641, C158-59, C161, Ethiopia 512, Gabon C73, Ghana 431, Honduras C431, Kenya, Uganda, & Tanzania 192, Korea 620-21, Mexico 944, C343, Morocco 213, Nicaragua C665, Poland 1595, Romania 2033, Sharjah Min390, Togo 651, Venezuela C996
- (3) Bull fighting--none
- (4) Fencing
 - Bulgaria 1676, Germany B436, Hungary C282, Lebanon C575, Luxembourg 465, Mexico 991, C343, Nicaragua C660, Niger Republic C59, Poland 1661, Romania 2035, Russia 3496, Rwanda 268, Sharjah Min 398, Venezuela C995
- (5) Judo
 - Gabon C72, Senegal C62, Togo 652
- (6) Rifle and pistol
 - Bhutan M1235, M1238, Min227, Dominican Republic C162, Mexico 991, 945, C343, Sharjah Min393, Venezuela C993
- (7) Wrestling
 - Cambodia 184, Dominican Republic 643, Hungary C279, Yugoslavia 923, Korea 618-19, Manama Min108, Mexico 990, C343, Monaco 680, Morocco 210, Romania 2034, Rwanda 267, Togo 650, C95
- (8) Miscellaneous
 - Surinam B151, Sweden 796-98
- d. Racing
- (1) Auto--none
 - (2) Bicycle
 - Ajman Min216, Belgium B827, Cambodia 195, Cook Islands 241, Ethiopia 514, Fujeira Min178, Min221, Gabon C71, Guatemala C411-13, Italy 985-86, Korea 616-17, Luxembourg 462, Maldive Islands 290, Mali 109, 111, C61, Manama Min79, Mexico C343, Morocco 212, Niger Republic

- C87, Poland 1600,
Spain 1545, Trinidad
& Tobago 139
- (3) Horse
Austria 812, Bahamas
274, Brazil 1086,
Panama Min1134-39,
Russia 3433, 3435,
3437
- (4) Motorcycle--none
- (5) Miscellaneous
Mauritania 251-53
- e. Track and field
- (1) Long (broad) jump
Bahamas 278, Burundi
C92, Cameroun C108,
Canada 200, Greece
910, Lebanon C573,
Mali C63, Poland
1597, Sharjah Min395
- (2) Discus
Albania 1179, 1184,
Bhutan Mi233, Mi237,
Min 226, Bulgaria
1678, Greece 914, Li-
beria 484, Maldive
Islands 257, 259, 261,
288, Mexico C341,
Netherlands Antilles
314, Paraguay Min1581,
Peru C226-31, Qatar
143, Ras Al Khaima
Min191, Syria C422,
Umm Al Qiwain Min201
- (3) Hammer throw
Burundi C90, Rwanda
251, Syria C421
- (4) High jump
Andorra 184, Burundi
262, Canada 201, Con-
go Republic C75, Cook
Islands 239, Gabon
C70, German Democratic
Republic 1014, Leban-
on C574, Monaco 677,
Rwanda 269
- (5) Hurdles
Ajman Min214, Albania
1182, Belgium B826,
Burundi C91, Chad
C45, China 1581, Cook
Islands 242, Dominica
237-38, Fujeira Min
180, Min184, Min223,
Min 227, Ghana 340,
Laos 178, Manama Min
75, Min 106, Mauritan-
ia C72, Nicaragua C663,
Russia 3495, Rwanda
252, Senegal C60, Shar-
jah Min344, Umm Al Qi-
wain Min182, Min186, Min
213, Min 217
- (6) Javelin
Bhutan Mi236, Mi239, Min
228, Burundi 264, Central
African Republic C54,
China 1578, Dominica 237-
38, Greece 909, Hungary
C283, Lesotho 62, Liberia
483, Manama Min106, Poland
1598, Romania 2030, Rwanda
253, Senegal C61, Somalia
336, Umm Al Qiwain Min178,
Min 209, United Arab Re-
public C57
- (7) Pole vault
Ajman Min211, Albania 1181,
Canada 202, China 1580,
German Democratic Republic
B146, Laos 181, Manama
Min76, Somalia 338
- (8) Relays
Albania 1177, Burundi 263,
Chad C46, France 1223, Fu-
jeira Min182, Min186, Min
225, Min229, Poland 1594,
Trinidad & Tobago 141
- (9) Running
Ajman Min212, Min213, Al-
bania 1178, Algeria 399,
Australia 442, Bahamas 279,
Bermuda 226-29, Bulgaria
1660, Burundi C89, Cambodia
197, Congo Republic C72,
Cyprus 320, Czechoslovakia
1532, Dominican Republic
644, Ethiopia 510, Fujeira
Min177, Min220, Germany
B435, German Democratic Re-
public 1043, Greece 915,
Grenada 280, 281, 283, 284,
Honduras C434, C435, India
471-72, Ivory Coast 266,
Jugoslavia 918, Kenya, Ugan-
da, & Tanzania191, Khor Fak-
kan Min117, Korea 622-23,
Luxembourg 463, Maldive Is-
lands 289, Manama Min74,
Min 106, Mexico 991, C343,
Montserrat 199, 202, Moroc-
co 214, New Zealand B75,
Nicaragua C662, Qatar 140,
Ras Al Khaima Min193, Rwan-
da 260, Sharjah Min366,
Min386, Min387, Min388, Min
393, Min396, Somalia 337,
Syria C423, Togo 653, C96,
Trinidad & Tobago 142, Umm
Al Qiwain Min179, Min183,

- Min210, Min214, Venezuela C994
- (10) Shot put
Burundi C88, French Polynesia C49, Fujeira Min181, Min185, Min234, Maldives Islands 256, 258, 260, Monaco 676, Ras Al Khaima Min192, Umm Al Qiwain Min181, Min212
- (11) Walking
Luxembourg 464
- (12) Miscellaneous
Fujeira Min228, Grenada 282, 285
- f. Winter
- (1) Bob sledding
Burundi 229, Czechoslovakia 1524, Fujeira Min141, Min144, Min146, Min203, Min206
German Democratic Republic B144, Hungary 1874, Mali C54, Poland 1566, Sharjah Min289, Min294, Spain 1510, Umm Al Qiwain Min159, Min163, Yemen Arab Republic Min550
- (2) Hockey
Ajman Min189, Burundi 227, Czechoslovakia 1525, France B412, German Democratic Republic 979, Yugoslavia 903, Poland 1561, St. Pierre & Miquelon C38, Sharjah Min291, Min300, Spain 1511, Umm Al Qiwain Min162, Yemen Arab Republic Min551
- (3) Ice skating
Burundi 228, 231, Czechoslovakia 1532, France B414, Fujeira Min140, Min142, German Democratic Republic 977, 980, Hungary 1873, 1876, 1877, Yugoslavia 901, Panama Min1099, Poland 1564, Ras Al Khaima Min184, St. Pierre & Miquelon C37, Sharjah Min293, Min296, Min297, Min298, Min302, Min303, Umm Al Qiwain Min160, Min161, Yemen Arab Republic Min549
- (4) Skiing
Andorra 181, Burundi 226, 230, Burundi 226, 230, Central African Republic C55, Chad C40-1, Comoros Islands C22, Czechoslovakia 1523, France B411, B415, Fujeira Min143, Min145, Min202, Min204, German Democratic Republic 978, 981, Honduras C432, Hungary 1875, 1879, Yugoslavia 900, -902, Lebanon C540-44, Mali C33, Mauritania C69, C70, Panama Min1097, Min1102, Poland 1562, 1563, 1565, 1568, Ras Al Khaima Min179, Min181, Min183, Sharjah Min292, Min295, Min301, Min303, Min304, Spain 1509, Umm Al Qiwain Min158, Min164, Min165, Yemen Arab Republic Min548, Min552
- (5) Miscellaneous
Hungary 1872, Poland 1567, Sharjah Min290, Spain 1543
- g. Miscellaneous
- (1) Ancient games and contests
United Arab Republic 318-19
- (2) Badminton--none
- (3) Calisthenics--none
- (4) Gliding
Poland 1585-90
- (5) Gymnastics
Belgium B824, Bulgaria 1674, Cameroun C109, Cook Island 238, Czechoslovakia 1531, Germany 9N266, German Democratic Republic 1044, Hungary C281, Japan 970, Yugoslavia 920, Khor Fakkan Min115, Korea 622-23, Mauritania C70, Mexico 993, C343, Monaco 678, 681, Montserrat 201, Poland 1599, Qatar 141, Russia 3492, 3493, Sharjah Min364, Surinam B148, Upper Volta C54
- (6) Native games
Afghanistan 780-82, Central African Republic 107-09, Gilbert & Ellice Islands 147
- (7) Parachuting
Afars & Issis C51
- (8) Riding
Albania 1180, Bulgaria 1675, Germany B434, Honduras C433, Honduras C433, Hungary CB31, Khor Fakkan Min114, Mexico

991, C338, C343,
Niger Republic C92,
Russia 3433, 3434,
3436, Rwanda 266,
Sharjah Min 363, Min
389, Min 393, Spain
1544

- (9) Roller skating--none
- (10) Weight lifting
Belgium B825, China
1579, Dominican Repub-
lic C161, Fujeira Min
179, Min183, Min222,
Min226, Indonesia 752,
Khor Fakkan Min 116,
Korea 622-23, Lebanon
C576, Manama Min107,
Mexico C343, Montser-
rat 200, Nicaragua
C664, Niger Republic
C91, Qatar 142, Ras
Al Khaima Min190,
Rwanda 271, Sharjah
Min365, Min397, Trini-
dad & Tobago 140

(11) Miscellaneous--none

2. Active recreation

a. Boating

Anguilla 32, Antigua 205,
Argentina 864, Dominica
213, 230, Grenada 273,
276, Hong Kong 240, Hun-
gary 1910, Japan 960, Mal-
dive Islands 264, Russia
3532, Turkey 1777

b. Cycling and touring

New Caledonia 371

c. Fishing and hunting

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Arabia--Hadhramaut Min
277-86, Yemen Arab Repub-
lic Min 594

d. Hiking and camping

Ajman Min 232-34, Bar-
bados 366, Costa Rica
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e. Mountain climbing

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84, Norway 510-12, Switzerland
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f. Riding

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g. Shooting

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Afars & Issis C52, Antigua
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1076, Cyprus 295, Dominica 211,
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i. Winter sports

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j. Miscellaneous--none

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189, Min211-18, Albania 1177-
84, Algeria 399-401, Andorra
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garia 1674-78, B33, Burundi
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man Islands 200-02, Central
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os Islands C22, Cook Islands
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62, Ethiopia 510-14, France
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09, Mauritania C69-72, Mexico
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- Montserrat 199-202, Morocco 210-15, Netherlands Antilles 313-15, Nicaragua C659-66, Niger Republic C89-92, Nigeria 222-23, Panama Min1097-1105, Paraguay Min1567-75, Peru C226-31, Poland 1561-68, 1594-1601, Qatar 140-45, Ras Al Khaima Min179-84, Min190-93, Romania 2030-37, Russia 3492-96, Rwanda 250-53, 266-71, St. Pierre & Miquelon, Senegal C60-3, Sharjah Min 289-97, Min298-305, Min 363-74, Min393-98, Sierra Leone 364-68, C79-83, Somalia 336-39, Spain 1509-11, 1543-46, Syria C421-24, Togo 650-53, C45-6, Trinidad & Tobago 139-43, Umm Al Qiwain Min 158-65, Min 198-204, Min181-86, Min 212-17, United Arab Republic 318-19, Upper Volta C54-7, Venezuela C993-97, Yemen Arab Republic Min548-52, Min 553-56, Korea 616-23
- b. Supplementary Olympic Games
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- c. Olympic-sanctioned regional competitions
(1) Central American & Caribbean Games--none
(2) Far Eastern Games--none
(3) Bolivarian Games--none
(4) Asian Games--none
(5) Mediterranean Games--none
(6) Pan-American Games--none
- d. Pseudo-Olympic competitions
New Zealand B75-6, Panama Min1126-31
- e. Non-Olympic-sanctioned world competitions
(1) Archery--none
(2) Auto racing--none
(3) Aviation--none
(4) Baseball & softball--none
(5) Basketball--none
(6) Badminton--none
(7) Bicycling
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- (8) Bob-sledding--none
(9) Boxing
Dominican Republic 641, C158-59
(10) Bowling--none
(11) Canoeing--none
(12) Figure-skating--none
(13) Fencing--none
(14) Fishing
German Democratic Republic 1012
(15) Gliding
Poland 1585-90
(16) Gymnastics--none
(17) Handball--none
(18) Hockey, ice--none
(19) Hockey, roller--none
(20) Judo--none
(21) Maccabiah Games--none
(22) Modern pentathlon--none
(23) Motorcycle racing--none
(24) Parachuting--none
(25) Polo--none
(26) Riding--none
(27) Rowing
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(28) Sailing--none
(29) Shooting--none
(30) Skating--none
(31) Skiing--none
(32) Soccer--none
(33) Swimming--none
(34) Table tennis--none
(35) Tennis--none
(36) Volleyball--none
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(38) Water polo--none
(39) Water skiing--none
(40) Weight lifting--none
(41) Wrestling--none
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- f. Non-Olympic-sanctioned regional competition
(1) African Games--none
(2) Arab Games--none
(3) Asian
Persia 1475-76
(4) Balkan Games
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(5) British Commonwealth Games--none
(6) European Games
(a) Athletic
German Democratic Republic 1014, Greece 914

- (b) Auto racing--none
- (c) Basketball--none
- (d) Boxing--none
- (e) Canoeing--none
- (f) Figure skating--none
- (g) Fishing
German Democratic Republic 1012
- (h) Ice hockey--none
- (i) Gymnastics--none
- (j) Marksmanship--none
- (k) Rowing
German Democratic Republic 1013
- (l) Shooting--none
- (m) Junior soccer--none
- (n) Sea angling--none
- (o) Swimming--none
- (p) Shooting
- (q) Table tennis
United Arab Republic 312
- (r) Volleyball--none
- (s) Weight lifting--none
- (t) Wrestling--none
- (u) Miscellaneous--none
- (7) Friendship Games--none
- (8) GANEFO--none
- (9) International Peace Bicycle Race--none
- (10) South American championships
 - (a) Athletic--none
 - (b) Auto racing--none
 - (c) Basketball--none
 - (d) Fencing--none
 - (e) Skiing--none
 - (f) Soccer--none
 - (g) Swimming--none
 - (h) Tennis
Bolivia 512-14, C293-94
- (11) S. E. Asian Games--none
- (12) South Pacific Games
Tonga 210-15, C47-54, C019-20
- (13) West African Soccer championship--none
- (14) Miscellaneous--none
- g. National competitions
Germany 9N266, Japan 963-64, 970
- h. Miscellaneous competitions
German Democratic Republic 1015-16, Guatemala C411-13, Iraq 473-76, Russia 3486, 3487, 3488, 3489, 3490, 3491, Ryukyu Islands 179
- i. Unidentified competitions--none
- 4. Miscellaneous
 - a. Athletes (generalized)
Ajman 212, Algeria 399, Australia 443, Cambodia 197, Manama Min73, Nigeria 223, Russia 3486
 - b. Awards and trophies
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 - c. Officials--none
 - d. Parades and ceremonies--none
 - g. Personnel
 - (1) Athletes
Ajman Min252-57, Min259-64, Czechoslovakia 1531, 1532, Fujeira Min220-29, Germany B434, B435, B436, Grenada 280-85, Honduras C430-35, Panama Min1097-1105, Ras Al Khaima Min179-84, Sharjah Min298-305, Min379-84, Min386-91, Min393-98, Umm Al Qiwain Min212-17
 - (2) Other
Germany 986, B437
 - h. Spectators--none
 - i. Stadia
Ajman Min215, Min272, Austria 806, Cambodia 194, Cyprus 321, Dahomey C85, C88, German Democratic Republic 1016, Greece 932, Hungary B264, Kenya, Uganda, & Tanzania 189, Mexico 997, 999, Netherlands Antilles 315, Umm Al Qiwain Min 199, Min200, Min201
 - j. Miscellaneous--none

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Starting with the January-February 1970 issue, John La Porta will be the editor of JSP. As of December 1st, all items to be published should be sent to him. Now it is his turn to beg for articles - I hope you will send them in so his job won't be too hard.

We have had several prize winners among our members in the last two months. SESCOAL saw Mr. Victor Lopez take the SPI trophy for his 'Chess World'. Bob Oesch took a Gold with his 'Man's Outer Limits', and Helen Long a Silver with her 'Olympic Games'

Our members aren't one-topic collectors either. Helen Long took a Gold at VENPEX with her 'Famous Children's Stories on Stamps', and Morris Rosen the Mayor's Trophy and a Bronze at BALPEX for his collection of 'Monaco'. O.K. - my 'Soccer in the Olympic Games' took a Gold at BALPEX. If I don't put it in, Helen Turner will.

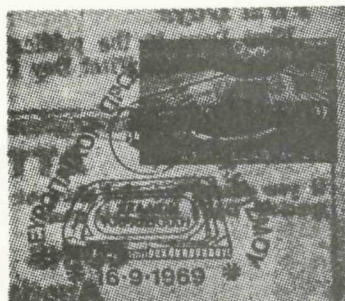
I have an excellent book here, for those of you who collect Ball Games on Stamps. That is the title of the book and it is written by Herbert S. Halm and J. K. Kobylanski and published in Uruguay. It is the most complete Handbook I have seen in years - and a must for all of you whose field this is.

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Cancellation used by Greece on the opening day, Sept. 16th, of the Ninth Olympic Light Athletic Games, according to P. J. Drossos, Athens.

The games were held in Karaiskaki Stadium near Athens on Sept. 16-21. Another cancellation was used on Sept. 21st to mark the closing of the games.
 (Linn's Weekly)

My records show the following non-Scott listed material issued in 1968. I would appreciate hearing of any I have missed. I have used Minkus numbers for identification purposes. B.T.W.

- AJMAN Mnk. 188, 189-89E, X Winter Olympic Games. 188, Ice Hockey; 189, Ice Hockey S/S; 189A-E, #189 opt. with the names of the winners: A, Franco Nones; B, Olga Pall; C, Peggy Fleming; D, Harold Gronningen; E, Jean Claude Killy. Imperfs exist.
- Mnk. 211-19, XIX Olympic Games. Pole Vault, Torch Runner, Runner, Hurdler, Stadium, Cyclist, Basketball, Soccer, 219, S/S, Hurdler & Pole Vault. Imperfs Exist of 211-18.
- Mnk. 232, "Return from the Hunt", by Jan Wildens.
Mnk. 234, "Hunting Dogs of Louis XV", by Desportes.
Mnk. 235, "The Pointer", by Leon.
- Mnk. 252-58, F.C. Internazionalel Soccer Team. Sandro Mazzola, Angelo Domenghimi, Tarcisio Burgnick, Mario Corso, Giancinto Facchetti, Lusito Suarez, #258, S/S, Team. Imperfs exist.
- Mnk. 259-65a. Famous World Soccer Cup Players. Ferreira Eusebio, Amaro Amancio, Bobby Charlton, Franz Beckenbauer, Edson Pele, Gianni Rivera, #265, Italian Team, Eur. Champ., 1968, #265a, English Team, World Champ., 1966. Imperfs exist of 259-4.
- Mnk. 272-73. XIX Olympic Games. Stadium; #273, S/S, Stadium.
- Mnk. 289-93. XIX Olympic Games. High Jumper, Dick Fosbury; Fencer, I. Drimba; Long Jumper, Bob Beamon; Swimmer, M. Wenden; #293, S/S, Drimba & Wenden. Imperfs exist of 289-92.
- ANGUILLA Mnk. 32. Yachts in a Lagoon.
Mnk. 40-43. 35th Anniversary of the Girl Guides.
- BARBUDA Mnk. 21-24. XIX Olympic Games, Ruhner, High Jumper, Sailing, #24, S/S, Soccer.
- BHUTAN Mnk. 170-73. X Winter Olympic Games. Olympic Rings opt. on 1966 Abominable Snowman issue.
- Mnk. 214-22. XIX Olympic Games. Javelin Thrower; Rifle Shooting; Soccer; Discus Thrower; Basketball; Javelin Thrower; Rifle Shooting; Discus Thrower; #222, S/S, Soccer & Discus Thrower. Imperfs exist.
- Mnk. 226-28. Flood Relief, opt. on #217, 219-20. Discus Thrower; Javelin Thrower; Rifle Shooting.
- BIAFRA Mnk. 31-34. XIX Olympic Games. Olympic Rings opt. on 1968 Butterfly set.
- CUBA XIX Olympic Games. Opening Ceremony; Basketball, Hammer Thrower; Boxer; Water Polo; Pistol Shooting; Aztec Calendar; S/S, Runners & Opening Ceremony.

DUBAI Mnk. 228. "Games in the Park", by Zandomene.

XIX Olympic Games. Runners; Swimmer; Boxer; Water Polo; High Jumper; Gymnast; Soccer; Fencers; S/S, Soccer.

FUJEIRA Mnk. 140-47. X Winter Olympics. Figure Skater; Toboggan; Speed Skater; Skier; Toboggan; Ski Jumper; Bobsled; #147, S/S, Bobsled, Ski Jumper & Toboggan. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 177-87. XIX Olympic Games. Runner; Cyclist; Weight Lifter; Hurdler; Shot Putter; Relay Race; Weight Lifter; Hurdler; Shot Putter; Relay Race; #187, S/S, Hurdler, Shot Putter & Relay Race. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 197-201. XIX Olympic Games, Mexico City, opt. on Scott #22-26.

Mnk. 202-06. XIX Olympic Games, Mexico City, opt. on Mnk. #143-46, 147.

Mnk. 220-30. XIX Olympic Games. Opt. on Mnk. #177-87. Jim Hines, U.S.A., 100m; Pier Vianelli Franco, Italy; Yoshinobu Miyoke, Japan; Dave Hemery, England, 400m; Randy Matson, U.S.A.; 400m Relay, U.S.A.; Leonid Zhabotinsky, U.S.S.R.; Willi Davenport, U.S.A.; Bill Toomey, U.S.A., Decathlon; 1600m Relay, U.S.A.; #230, S/S, Willi Davenport, Bill Toomey & 1600m Relay. Imperfs Exist.

KHOR FAKKAN Mnk. 107-12, 112A-B, 113. X Winter Olympic Games, opt. on Sharjah. Togoggan; Curling; Ice Hockey; Sier; Figure Skater; Bobsled; Ski Jumper; Speed Skater; 113, S/S, Speed Skater. Imperf exist.

Mnk. 121-27. XIX Olympic Games, opt. on Sharjah. Equestrian; Gymnast; Weight Lifter; Runner; Diver; Soccer; #127, S/S, Equestrian. Imperfs exist.

MAHRA Gold Medal Winners of Germany. 1896, Schumann, Wrestler; 1912, Bathe, Swimmer; 1928, Strassberger, Weight Lifter 1936, Stock, Javelin; 1956, Behrendt, Boxer; 1964, Schnelldorfer, Figure Skater; 1964, Holdorf, Decathlon; S/S, 1964, Holdorf, Decathlon. Imperfs exist.

X Winter Olympics. Preceding set opt. 1968, Skating, Erhard Keller. Imperfs exist.

Gold Medal Winners of Italy. 1924, Tonani, Weight Lifter; 1928, Tasconi, Boxer; 1932, Pavesi, Cycling; 1936, Gaudini, Fencer; 1948, Consolini, Discus; 1952, Colo, Skier; 1956, Rosini, Shooting; S/S, 1956, Rosini, Shooting. Imperfs exist.

X Winter Olympics. Preceding set opt. 1968, Nordic Ski, Franco Nones. Imperfs exist.

Gold Medal Winners of the United States. 1904, Hansen, Wrestler; 1932, Didrickson, Javelin; 1936, Owens, Runner; 1952, Benner, Pistol Shooting; 1956, Anderson, Weight Lifter; 1960, Clay, Boxer; 1964, Schollander, Swimmer; S/S, 1964, Schollander, Swimmer. Imperfs exist.

MAHRA

X Winter Olympics. Preceding set opt., 1968, Art Skating, Peggy Fleming. Imperfs exist.

Gold Medal Winners of France. 1900, Barrelet, Rowing; 1924, Deglanen, Wrestler; 1936, Hostin, Weight Lifter; 1948, Oreiller, Skier; 1952, Boiteaux, Swimmer; 1956, Rousseau, Cyclist; 1964, D'Oriola, Equestrian; S/S, D'Oriola, Equestrian. Imperfs exist.

X Winter Olympic Games. Preceding set opt., Winners Grenoble, Jean Claude Killy & Marielle Goitschel. Imperfs exist.

MANAMA Mnk. 39-44A. 12th Boy Scout Jamboree, Idaho. Exists Imperf.

Mnk. 45-52A. X Winter Olympics. Bobsled; Figure Skater; Ice Hockey; Skier; Ski Jumper; Ice Hockey; Skier; Bobsled; S/S, 52A, Figure Skaters. #45-52 exist imperf.

Mnk. 73-81. XIX Olympic Games. Torch Runner; Runners; Hurdler; Pole Vault; Soccer; Basketball; Cyclists; Stadium; #81, S/S, Hurdler & Pole Vault. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 106-09a. XIX Olympic Games. Javelin Thrower, Runner & Hurdler; Weight Lifter; Wrestler; Mexican Olympic Coin; #109a, S/S, Wrestler & Olympic Coin.

MONGOLIA

XIX Olympic Games. Volleyball; Wrestler; Cyclist; Javelin Thrower; Soccer; Runners; Gymnast; Weight Lifter; S/S, Perf and Imperf, Equestrian.

OMAN

XIX Olympic Games. Soccer; Hurdler; Equestrian; Torch Runner; Sailing; Javelin Thrower; Volleyball; S/S, Fencer & Soccer.

PANAMA

Mnk. 1068-75. X Winter Olympics. Emblem of the Games; Ski Jumper; Skier; Mountain Climber; Speed Skater; Bobsled; 1074, S/S, Skier on Lift & Biathlon; 1075, S/S, Emblem of the Games & Figure Skater.

Mnk. 1097-1106. X Winter Olympic Gold Medal Winners. Jean Claude Killy; O. Pall; Peggy Fleming; F.A. Maier; J. Hoglin; M. Goitschel; C. Geyssen; K. Mustonen; Monti & Poolis; #1106, S/S, F. Keller.

1114-16. XIX Olympic Games. Conquest of Space set opt. "Olimpiadas Mexico Transmitedas via satelite television panamena". 1116, S/S, with same opt.

1126-32. XIX Olympic Games. Hunting Paintings. Lion Hunting, by Koller; Deer Hunting, by Courbet; Fox Hunting, by Ancien; Falcon Hunting, by Gobelino-Siglo; Deer Hunting, by Oudry; Crocodile Hunting, by Rubens; #1132, S/S, Prancers, by Amondio Silva and Fox Hunter, by Carniero.

Mnk. 1134-39. Famous Race Horses. Lexington, by Edward Troye; American Eclipse, by Alvan Fisher; Plenipolenteary, by Abraham Cooper; Gimcrack, by George Stubbs; Flying Childers, by James Seymour; Eclipse, by George Stubbs; #1139, S/S of all 6 stamps.

PARAGUAY Mnk. 1567-76. X Winter Olympics. Paintings of winter scenes by: Camille Pissairo; Maurice Utrillo; Claude Monet; Georges Breitner; Alfred Sisley; Bruegel; Hendrick Averkamp; Bruegel; Paul de Limburgo; #1576, S/S, Paul de Limburgo & Games emblem.

Mnk. 1581, 1586. Stamps on Stamps. Scott #631 & Scott #680; #1586, S/S, shows 20¢ value from 1967 Mexican Artifact set, (Mnk. #1547)

Mnk. 1595, 1596. XIX Olympic Games. Paintings. Sailboat, by Sessions; #1596, S/S, Yacht Race, by Currier & Ives.

Mnk. 1614-15, 1623. Important events of the year. Mexican Olympic coin; Olympic Emblem, Satellite & map of the Americas; #1623, S/S, of 1614-15.

PHILIPPINES XIX Olympic Games. Torch & Efimex Emblem; Flag of Winners Nations at Tokyo; Flag of Mexico & Philippines; Discobolus & Olympic Rings; Olympic Torch & Efimex Emblem; Flag of Winne s Nations at Tokyo; Flag of Mexico & Philippines; Discobolus & Olympic Rings.

RAS AS KHAIMA Mnk. 159. "Lady on Horseback", by Monet.
Mnk. 164. "Young Beggers Playing Dice", by Murillo.
Mnk. 177, S/S, "Sailing Boat", by Monet.

Mnk. 179-87. X Winter Olympics. Marielle Goitschel; Franco Nones; Jean Claude Killy & Guy Perillat; Olga Pall; Nancy Green; Peggy Fleming; Peggy Fleming & Pres. Johnson, (185, S/S); #186, S/S, Jean Claude Killy; #187, S/S, Peggy Fleming, Pres. Johnson & Jean Claude Killy. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 188-94. XIX Olympic Games. Weight Lifter; Discus Thrower; Shot Putter; Runner; Mask; Mask; #194, S/S, Masks & vignettes of a Discus Thrower, Hurdler; Javelin Thrower; Pole Vault; Weight Lifter & Runner. Imperfs exist.

SHARJAH Mnk. 277-86, 287-88, World Boy Scout Jamboree, Idaho. #287-88, S/Ss, World Boy Scout Jamboree. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 289-97. X Winter Olympics. Toboggan; Curling; Ice Hockey; Skier; Figure Skater; Bobsled; Ski Jumper; Speed Skater; #297, S/S, Speed Skater. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 297-306. Gold Medal Winners, X Winter Olympics. #289-97, opt. as follows: Johanna Schut; Franco Nones; U.R.S.S.; Jean Claude Killy; Peggy Fleming; Marielle Goitschel; Vladimir Belousov; Erhard Keller; #306, S/S, opt with the names of all those in the set. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 347-48, 347A, 348A. X Winter Olympic Games. Skier (Gold Foil); Skier (Silver Foil); #347A, S/S, Skier (Gold Foil); 348A, S/S, Skier, (Gold Foil), with names in Margin: Fleming, Pall, Gronningen, Keller, Killy, Nolles. Imperfs exist of the S/Ss.

Mnk. 363-69. XIX Olympic Games. Equestrian; Gymnast; Weight Lifter; Runner; Diver; Soccer; #369, S/S, Hurdler. Imperfs exist.

SHARJAH Mnk. 370-76. History of the Olympics. Buckingham Palace, 1948; Helsinki Building, 1952; Melbourne Building, 1956; Rome Building, 1960; Buda, 1964; Mexican Pyramids, 1968; #376, S/S, Sailing, Equestrian & Mexico City Scene. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 379-85. Soccer Champions of the Past. Fritz Walter, Germany; Juan Alberto Schiaffino, Uruguay; Ferenc Puskas, Hungary; Stanley Matthews, England; Guiseppe Meazza, Italy; Alfredo de Stefano, Spain; #385, S/S, Stanley Matthews, England. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 386-92. XIX Olympic Games, Gold Medal Winners of the Past. Long Jumper, Jessie Owens; Hurdler, Fanny Blankers-Koen; Runner, Emil Zatopek; Fencer, Christian D'Oriola; Boxer, Nino Benvenuti; Swimmer, Dawn Fraser; #392, S/S, Mexico, Scott #981-82, 990-95, C335, C338 and Olympic Torch. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 393-99. XIX Olympic Gold Medal Winners. L. Becker, Pentathlon; D. Hemery, Hurdler & Runner; B. Beamon, Long Jumper & Torch Runner; C. Bessan, Runner; J. Mijake, Weight Lifter; M. Wenden, Swimmer; #399, S/S, A. Oerter, Discus Thrower,

SO. ARABIA, Hadhramant Mnk. 149-50. "Wolf Hunt", by Rubens. #150, S/S, same as #149.

History of the Olympic Games. 1896, Runner; 1932, Wrestlers; 1936, Discus Thrower; 1948, Runner; 1960, Chariot; 1964, Javelin Thrower & Jumper with Weights; 1968, Crowning an Athlete; 1972, Athletes; S/S, stamps of 1968 & 1972. Imp. exist

XIX Olympic Games. Gymnast; Wrestler; Soccer; Boxer; Cycling; Equestrian; Hurdler; Discobolus; S/S, Hurdler, Discobolus & Stadiums in Athens and Mexico City. Imperfs exist.

UMM AL QWAIN Mnk. 158-66. X Winter Olympic Games. Ski Jumper; Toboggan; Speed Skater; Figure Skater; Ice Hockey; Bobsled; Skier; Skier; #166, S/S, Skiers. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 178-87. XIX Olympic Games. Javelin Thrower; Runner; Basketball; Shot Putter; Hurdler; Runner; Basketball; Shot Putter; Hurdler; #187, S/S, Shot Putter, Runner & Hurdler. Imp. exist.

Mnk. 198-205. XIX Olympic Games. Scott #21-22, 24-25, & Minkus #162-64 opt. for the Mexico City Olympics. #166, S/S opt. the same (#205).

Mnk. 209-18. XIX Olympic Games. Opt. on Minkus #178-87 as follows: Janis Lysis; Ralph Doubell; U.S. Team; Randy Matson; David Hemery; Naftali Temu; U.S. Team; Bill Toomey; Willi Davenport; #187, S/S, opt. Bill Toomey, Randy Matson & David Hemery. Exist imperf.

UPPER YAF A X Winter Olympics. World Soccer Cup set opt. once in Silver, and once in Gold, with the Grenoble Emblem. The S/S was opt. the same in Maroon.

YEMEN-KINGDOM

X Winter Olympics. 13 values of the "Fish" set opt. "Grenoble, 1968". S/S opt. with vignettes of Skiing, Ski Jumper, Skating, Ice Hockey & Bobsled. Imperfs exist.

X Winter Olympics. Bobsled; Speed Skater; Figure Skater; Ski Jumper; Ice Hockey; Skier; Ice Hockey; Figure Skater; S/S, Ski Jumper; S/S, Ice Hockey. Imperfs exist.

XIX Olympic Games. Torch Runner; Kayak; Stadium; Runners; Fencers; Kayak; Runners; Torch Runner; Fencer; Stadium; S/S, Runner; S/S, Fencers. Imperfs exist.

History of the Winter Olympic Games. Each value shows the flag of the Host Country and: 1924, Ski Jumper; 1928, Skier; 1932, Ice Hockey; 1936, Toboggan (one with German Republic Flag & one with German Imperial Flag); 1948, Speed Skater; 1952, Skier; 1956, Bobsled; 1960, Figure Skater; 1964, Skating Pair; 1968, Skier; S/S, 1968, Biathlon & Olympic Flag. Imperfs exist.

X Winter Olympic Games. Set #2, (on this list), opt. as follows: Olga Pall; Harold Gronningen; Nancy Greene; Peggy Fleming; Marielle Goitschel; Erhard Keller; Yohanna Schut; Vladimir Belousov; Toini Gustovsson; Wolfgang Schwartz; S/S, Franco Nones; S/S, Jean Claude Killy. Imperfs exist.

XIX Olympic Games. Set #3, (on this list), opt. as follows: Naftali Temu; Jim Hines; Viorica Viscopoleanu; Angela Nemeth; Dave Hemery; Colette Besson; Lusi Janis; Bob Seagren; Bjern Ferm; Sue Kassick; S/S, Runners; S/S, Fencers. Imp. exist.

History of the Past Olympic Games. Each value shows the Flag of the Host Country and: 1924, Cyclist; 1928, Hurdler; 1932, Boxer; 1936, Fencer, (I.O.C. Flag); 1948, Equestrian; 1952, Runner; 1956, Diver; 1960, Gymnast; 1964, Weight Lifter; 1968, Hammer Thrower; S/S, 1968, Torch Runner, Discobolus and the Olympic Flag. Imperfs exist.

YEMEN-REPUBLIC Mnk. 548-52. X Olympic Games. Skier; Figure Skater; Bobsled; Ice Hockey; Skier; #552a, S/S, Skier. Imperfs exist.

Mnk. 553-56. X Winter Olympic Games. Grenoble Emblem, on Gold Foil. Imperfs exist on Silver Foil.

Mnk. 594. "The Hunting", by Ucello

Mnk. 601-04. XIX Olympic Games. Chariot Race, on Gold Foil. #604, S/S, same. Imperfs exist on Silver Foil.

XIX Olympic Games. Runner, Colette Besson; Long Jumper, Bob Beamon; Diver, Klaus di Beasi; Hurdler, David Hemery; Shooter, B. Klinger; S/S, Diver, Klaus di Beasi.

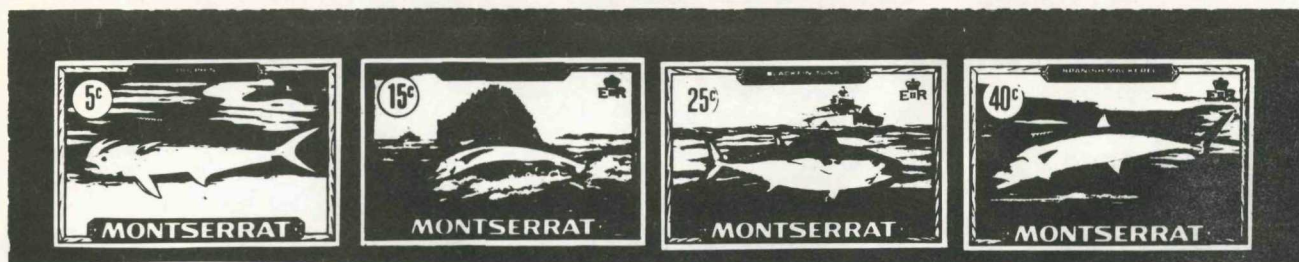
X Winter Olympic Games. Peggy Fleming; Franco Nones; Jiri Raska; Russian Ice Hockey Team; Jean Claude Killy; Erhard Keller.

"Grouse Hunting", by Sessions.

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by
Barbara T. Williams

- CANADA August 15, 1969. I Canadian Summer and Winter Games, Nova Scotia & Dartmouth. 6¢, Flags of the Games. Designer; Carleton McDiarmid. Quantity, 25,000,000.
- CAYMAN IS. June 5, 1969. 8d, 1/6, Sailboats. Designer, G.L. Vasarhelyi. Printed in offset by Format International.
- CHAD April 25, 1969. Gold Medal Winners, Mexico City. The following stamps are all 1F, and show the winners from: Germany; Zimmermann, Dressage Team, Matthes, Becker, Klingner & Wolke. France; Besson, Guyan, Trentin, Camoudi, Rebillard & Morelon. Italy, Japan & Great Britain; Baran-Sambo, DiBiassi, Vianelli, British Yacht, Kato & Hemery. U.S.A.; Meyer, Matson, Fosbury, Smith, Davenport, & Beamon.
- CHINA July 15, 1969. 4.00, Basketball.
- CHINA September 1, 1969. 1.00, 5.00, Students and Target Practice; 2.50, 4.00, Students running and playing Basketball.
- CUBA September 11, 1969. World Amateur Baseball Championship, Santo Domingo. 18¢, Player & tab showing the score of the games. Designer, Raimunde Garcia Paira. Quantity 1,000,000
- ETHIOPIA August 29, 1969. 5¢, Hunting Ibex; 10¢, Camping; 15¢, Fishing 17¢, Water Skiing; 25¢, Mountain Climbing. Quantity, 100,000, Designers, J. & M. Dubois. Offset printed by DeLaRue.
- FRENCH POLYNESIA August 13, 1969. III South Pacific Games. 9f, Boxing; 17f, High Jumper; 18f, Runner; 22f, Long Jumper. Designed and Engraved by Betemps. Printed by the Paris State Printing Off.
- HAITI May 16, 1969. Olympic Marathon Winners. Reproduction of Host Country Stamp, opt. with city of the Games, the name of the winner, his country and his time. .05, Greece #124, Athens-1896-Louis-Greece; .10, France #124, Paris-1900-Theato, France; .15, U.S. #327-St. Louis-1904-Hicks, U.S.A.; .20, Great Britain #142, Gr. Britain-1908-Hayes-U.S.A.; .20, Stockholm-1912-McArthur-So. Africa; .25, Belgium #B49, Antwerp-1920-Kolehmainen-Finland; .25, France #198, Paris-1924-Steenroos-Finland; .25, Netherlands #B30, Amsterdam-1928-El Quafi, France; .30, U.S. #718, Los Angeles-1932-Zabala-Argentina; .50, Germany #B86 Berlin-1936-Son, Japan; .60, Great Britain #274, London-1948-Cabrera, Argentina; .75, Finland #B110, Helsinki-1952-Zatopek-CSSR; .75, Australia #277, Melbourne-1956-Mimoun-France; .90, Italy #799, Rome-1960-Bikila-Ethiopia; .00, Japan #822, Tokyo-1964-Bikila-Ethiopia; 1.25, Mexico #C328, Mexico-1968-Wolde-Ethiopia; S/S, 2.00, Perf and Imperf, Mexico #C328, names of all the winners and 1896-1968.
- HUNGARY October 17, 1969. World Pentathlon Championship, Budapest. 40f, Equestrian; 60f, Fencer; 1ft, Pistol Shooting; 2ft, Swimmer; 3ft, Runner; 5ft, all 5 events. Designer: A.Cziglenyi; Printed in photogravure. Quantity, 635,000Perf & 7,500 Imp.

- JAMAICA September 8, 1969. Monetary system change. Scott #226 opt. 10¢; #229 opt. 30¢. The overprinting was done by Harrison.
- JAPAN October 26, 1969. 24th National Athletic Meet, Nagasaki. 15y, Rugby. Designer, Takeo Yamanouchi. Printed in photo-gravure by the Finance Ministry.
- JUGOSLAVIA August 9, 1969. 9th World Athletic Games for the Deaf, Belgrade. 1.25, Two hands holding a ball. Designed by A. Milenkovic. Printed in recess by State Printing Office. Quantity, 500,000.
- KOREA October 3, 1969. Traditional Arts. 7w, Ancient game, "Chajun" Designed by Chun Hee Han. Printed in lithograph by the Government Printing Agency. Quantity, 1,000,000.
- LESOTHO October 1969. Roof of Africa Auto Rally. 2½¢, Auto going through village; 12½¢, Auto on mountain road; 15¢, Mountain road; 20¢, Map of Lesotho and Cup. Designed by Peter Wheeler. Printed by Harrison & Sons.
- MAURITANIA August 14, 1969. Automobile Road Race, London, England--Sidney, Australia. 10f, Route, London-Istanbul; 20f, Route, Ankara-Tehran; 50f, Route, Kandahar-Bombay; 70f, Route, Perth-Sydney; S/S of all 4 stamps. Designed and Engraved by Combet. Printed in recess by the Paris State Printing Office.
- MEXICO August 16, 1969. IX World Soccer Cup, Mexico City. 80¢, Ball and crowd; 2.00, Foot kicking Ball and crowd. Designed by Lance Wyman. Printed by Tall. de Imp. de Est. y Valores. The quantity printed was 1,000,000.



- MONTERRAT October 1, 1969. Sports Fishing. 5¢, Dolphin; 15¢, Sailfish; 25¢, Blackfin Tuna and man fishing from boat; 40¢, Spanish Mackerel.
- NEW CALEDONIA August 7, 1969. III South Pacific Games. 19f, Judo; 20f, Boxing; 30f, Swimmer; 39f, Shot Putter. Designed and Engraved by Betemps. Printed in recess by the Paris Printing Office.
- NEW HEBRIDES October 15, 1969. Pentecost Island Land Divers. 15¢, Preparing for dive; 25¢, Diving; 1f, Completion of Dive. Designed by V. Whiteley. Printed in lithograph by Perkins Bacon Ltd.
- RUSSIA July 29, 1969. 4k, European Kayak-Canoe Championships. 6k, European Volleyball Championship.

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