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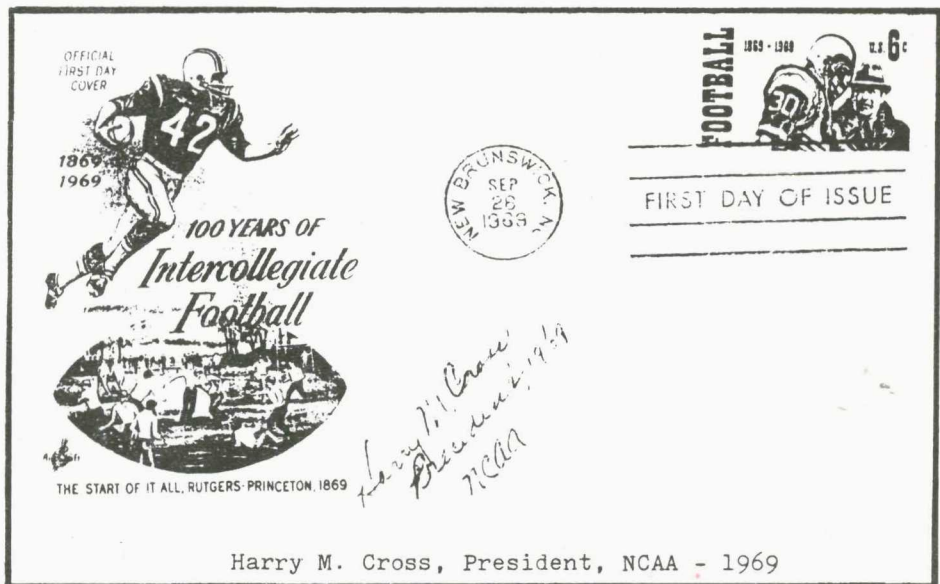
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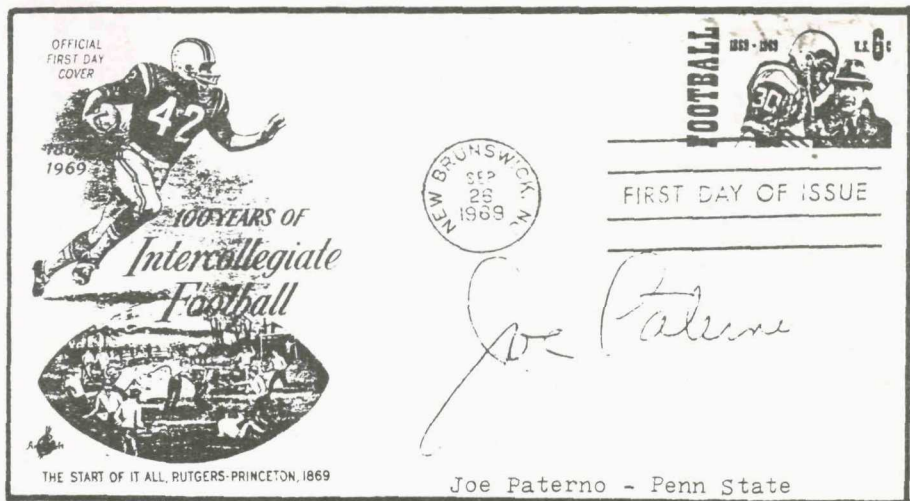
INTERCOLLEGIATE FOOTBALL SIGNATURES

by John B. Jones, Jr.

The signatures on the 1969 100 Years of Intercollegiate Football first day covers represent not only the top eleven teams that year (there was a difference between UPI and AP final tally as I remember) - thus the extra, but John Bateman of Rutgers and Jake McCandless of Princeton, coaches of their respective colleges in 1969. Also signatures appear from the 1969 NCAA president Harry Cross, and 1969 Heisman recipient, Steve Owens.



Harry M. Cross, President, NCAA - 1969



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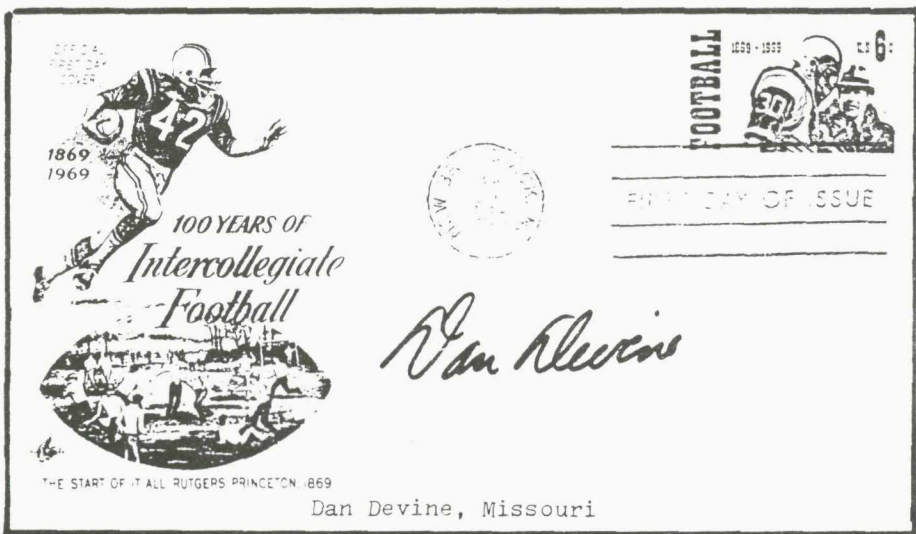
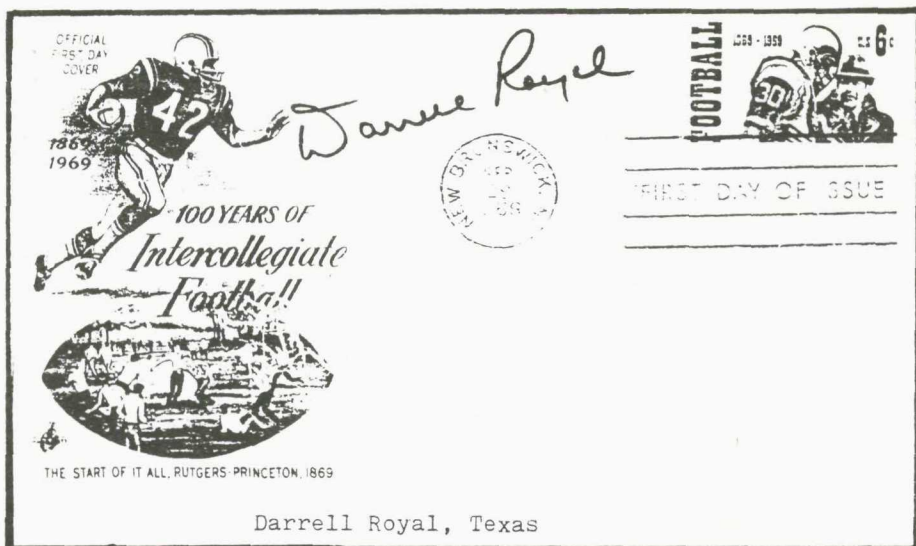


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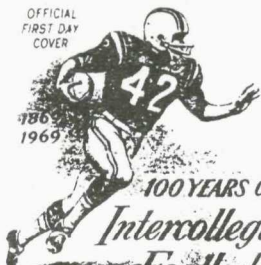
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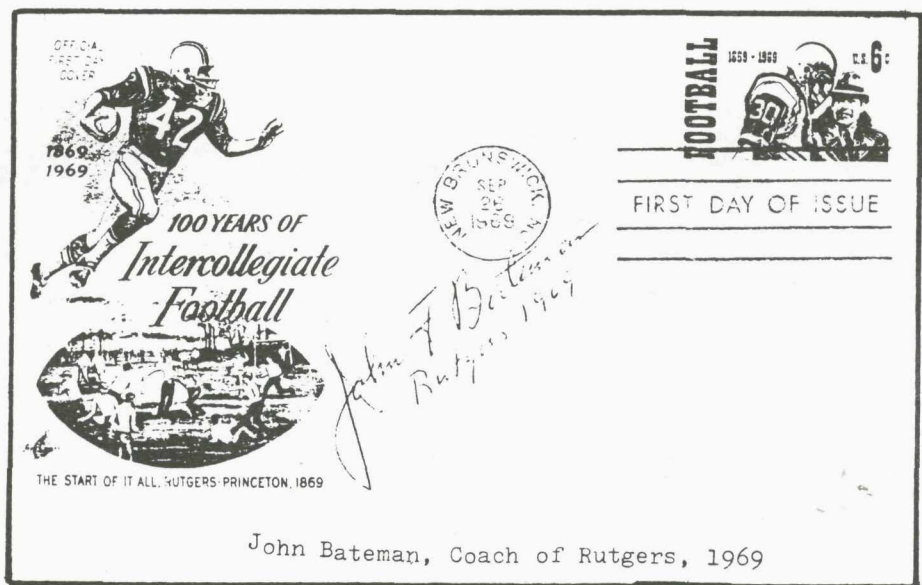
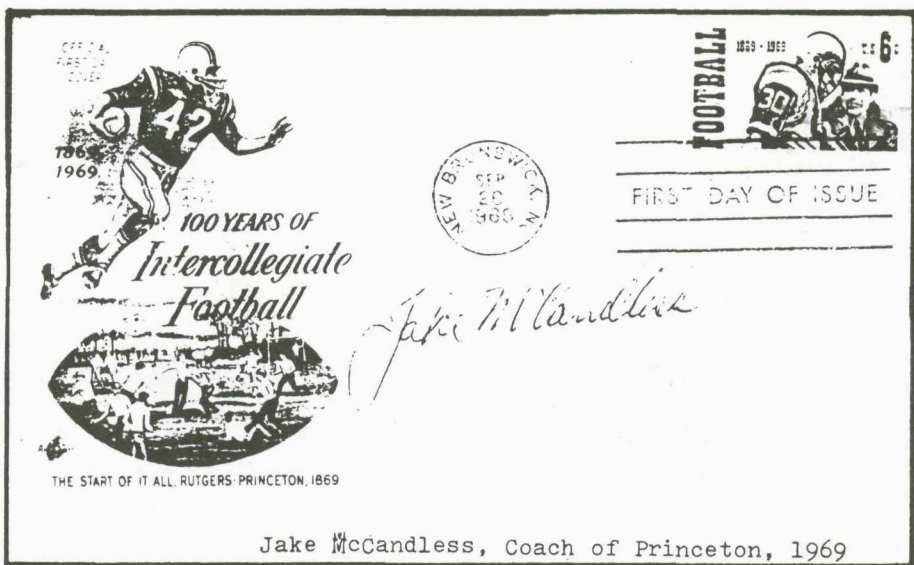


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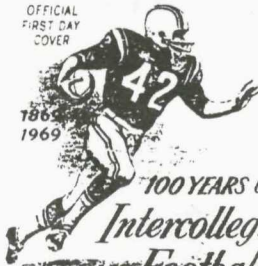
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Tommy Prothro

Tommy Prothro, UCLA

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S.P.I. Mail Sale #10

OLYMPIC COVERS, STAMPS, AND RELATED MATERIAL		
LOT #	DESCRIPTION	VALUE
1. PC	'00 B&W Post Card Panoramic View of EXPOSITION UNIVERSELLE 1900 light cr. still fine cond unused	15.00
2. PC	'00 B&W PC EXPOSITION UNIVERSELLE PARIS 1900 - Manufactures National Street Scene VF Unused	20.00
3. PC	'04 US 323 tied on a Hold to Light PC by a Worlds Fair St. Louis slogan Cancel - May 18, 1904- VF	50.00
4. PC	'06 Multi Colored Zieher card # 87 with Impri. of Complete set of '06 Greece Olympic stamps M VF	30.00
5. U	'24 Costa Rica B2-7 Used Fine CV	38.00
6. LIT	'24 US Official Program for the US team "THE FinalOLYMPIC TRY OUTS" Harvard Stadium June 13-14 1924 - Red and Blue Has been folded but still a colorful and scarce piece	MB 20.00
7. P	'25 - Czech. 1925 Olympic Congress cancel on Piece 24 - V- 25	MB 5.00
8. FDC	'32 US 719 Cach J2 Athletes and shield cnl Type 2 Air Mail addr.	30.00
9. FDC	'32 US 718 Cach J5 (Pty#2) cnl Type2 (Arcade Sta. 10) addr.	30.00
10. FDC	'32 US 718 Cach C2 (Pty#6) Cnl Type2 (Arcade Sta. 10) Addr.	25.00
11. FDG	'32 US 718 PD Water Sports Cach F6 Cnl Aug 9 - Long Beach 2 - Addr.	25.00
12. V	'32 US Complete Sheet of 25 "Call to the Games of the X Olympiad" F	50.00
13. C	'36 Germany 649 on Cover with Olympiaort Slogan Cnl (Trory#30P22) Toned edges	5.00
14. PC	'36 MC Skier in flight PC Germany B79 tied by 2 line Skier cnl G.P. 6.2.36	35.00
15. C	'40 Finland 164,166,173 on the blue Olympic Stadium overall envelope with 4 views on rear - May 1939 - addr. to Miss Dianna Durbin, Universal City, Calif, USA - Lightly tattered T edge	50.00
16. V	'40 Round MC V Mountain, rings, XII OLYMPIAD - Tokyo 1940 F Mint NH	50.00
17. FDC	'48 Great Britain Art Craft Cach Wemby Olympic rings cnl	25.00
18. FDC	'48 Off in Morocco 95-98 uncach, addr. British Post Office - Tetuan - 29.jy.48	25.00
19. FDC	'48 Off in Tangier 527-30 uncach. addr. Double ring CDS British PO Tangier	25.00
20. FDC	'52 Finland B111,113 REG., Discus cach	3.00
21. FDC	'52 Jugoslavia 359-64 unadd. Cach. F	35.00

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22.	FDC	'56 Poland 750-6 on 4 cach. unadd. C	7.50
23.	FDC	'56 Germany DDR 307-8 cach. unadd. C	3.00
24.	FDC	" Iran 1047 Gr.&Red cach unadd. F	20.00
25.	FDC	" Sweden 487-9 (7 stamps) on Reg. addr. cover	10.00
26.	FDC	'56 Australia 277 Royal cach,addr.	6.00
27.	FDC	" Aust. 288-91 on "THE STORY OF THE OLY. GAMES" souv card. Oly. Village cnl. (Schneider #1) Back has 4 gold and colored labels tied on. Addr	7.50
28.	FDC	" Same as above with #5 torch runner cnl, unaddr.	7.50
29.	FDG.	'56 Australia 288 on PO cach cover Pictorial cnl (Schneider #2 Bicyclist)	2.50
30.	FDG	Same (#3) Pair of cyclists- addr.	2.50
31.	FDG	Same (#6) Broad Jumper - Addr. F	2.50
32.	FDG	Same (#7) Javelin thrower Addr	2.50
33.	FDG	Same (#13) Women relay - WCS Diver Ca.	2.50
34.	FDG	Same (#18) Man walker - WCS diver Cach	2.50
35.	FDC	'60 Germany DDR B67-9unaddr, cach FDC XIV Schach-Olympiade 1960 cnl.	5.00
36.	C	'60 Egypt 511, 492,503,4 on comm. C	MB
37.	C	'62 Poland Torch& rings Cancel for Oly. Stamp Show Warsaw 18-3-62	MB
38.	C	'64 Greece Oly torch cnl. & cach 22-1-64	MB
39.	FDG	'64 Japan 821(2)+1347on cach C for Sport Day 10-10-78 - addr.	MB
40.	FDC	'64 Korea 449-53 on 5 FDC unaddr. @ With appropriate Cach and Cnl.	5.00
41.	FDC	'64 Korea 450a,452a,453a @on Cach unad	5.00
42.	FDC	'76 Canada 623,4-B1-3 (3)uncach,addr.	4.00
43.	FDC	Same 629-32 block of 4 Uncach. addr.	MB
44.	FDC	Same 644-47 block of 4 "	MB
45.	FDC	Same 664-66 uncach. addr.	3.00
46.	FDC	Same 684-86+689 uncach addr.	4.00
47.	FDC	Same B4(2), 5,6 uncach. addr.	3.00
48.	FDC	Same B7(2),8,9 uncach. addr.	3.00
49.	C	'80 US Eight diff. slogan handstamps from Stamp shows for '80 games	12.00
50.	C	'80 Same but from eight more diff.shows all have special cachets	12.00
51.	V	'80 sheetlet with 4 labels for Lake P.	MB
52.	Fdc	'80 Poland 2323-6 MNH stamps plus same on cach. unaddr. (5) FDC's	5.00
53.	C	'82 Italy 6 stamps on Ari Mail cover to US with 3 strikes ROMOLYMPHIL '82 Cnl	MB
54.	C	'56 Russia 1973+pr.1693 on Reg Air Mail Advertising cover to N.Y. toned edges Nice Usage	5.00
Sport covers and stamps			
55.	FS	Czech Postal Card- 1926 SOKOLS Imprint in Red Mint VF scarce	15.00
56.	FDG	8th Balkan Games - Romania B77-81 Bucurest to Austria, Commem cancel	20.00
57.	C	US 3 covers SPI Cach, # 10, 17, 84 & with Auto Racing Cancels	5.00
58.	C	Us. 8 covers SPI Cach. 7,9,14,15,49, 50,86,87 & with Ballooning Cancels	10.00

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59.	PS	Italy - 120L Baseball Impr. Letter sheet with addit. stamps - 2 strikes 1981	
60.	C	Baseball championships cancel	7.50
61.	C	US 5, Italy 1 - covers 2 with baseball Cachet & Cancels	7.50
62.	C	US 1979 World Series Folder- 7 covers @ with spec. Cnl and SPI Cachet	10.00
63.	PC	Japan 1348(3) cnl & cach. fof 33rd Nat. A th. Meet& Baseball	MB
64.	C	Germany 670 on card from 1953 Traffic Exh. With Label&Cnl Showingman on a unicycle - addit. label & meter slogan cnl of locomotive train - Adv. cach	15.00
65.	C	Poland Bicycle Cnl - XIV "Wscig Pokoju" Warsaw - Prag- Berlin 5-v-1961	MB
66.	FFC	US 2 covers SPI cach5,12 2 golf cancels	MB
67.	FDC	US 720 blk of 4 AM 19 Cach of Polo & Golf players, addr. F	MB
68.	PC	Jugoslavia 480-3 on Reg. Cachet FDC honoring IIGymnaestrada 1957 Addr.	15.00
69.	FDC	US MC post card ice hockey game scene from M.A.C. Pond Amherst, Mass. 1915	5.00
70.	FDC	Sweden 620-22 addr, with PO enclosure	4.50
71.	FDC	Sweden 524-8 (7stamps) Addr. PO Encl.	15.00
72.	C	" 462-4 Reg. FDC addr. (Skiing)	15.00
73.	PC	Poland 2036A on Comm Reg Air Mail cover to US. + add. stamps Soccer	4.00
74.	C	3 Czech-1Hung. PC with tennis &T Tennis cach .or cancels '72-'81	7.50
75.	PS	Portugal 936 on C from the Port. Voleibol Federation Spec Cnl 5 april 65	MB
76.	C	Poland 4 FS with Oly. Impts. 2 with sp cn MB	
77.	C	9 covers or PC with Oly. or spt. stamps of Cnls.- 3 Hung. 2 Russia, 2 Portugal	10.00
78.	C	8 Czech. covers with Oly or spt. stamps and or cancels	10.00
79.	C	US 4 C with sport cach or stamp	MB
80.	**	US 10 Diff C with Spt cancels incl. SPI Cach # 2,6,8,16,18,48,85,	10.00
81.	C	Lot of sport and oly stamps in NH & Lh condition previously unsold in SPI auctions	
82.	c	Catalog Value approximately	\$ 400.00
		Misc Lot 2 PC 2Cov. 3 lots Japan Stamps	20.00
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- OLYMPIC NOTES -

by SHERWIN PODOLSKY

Far Eastern Games. Through the courtesy of Evald Raid of Toronto, we have additional information and a label to illustrate. The wording is lightly colored and may not reproduce. Figure 1 illustrates the 1923 label. A runner with a rising sun on his shirt is featured. The words "FAR EASTERN/OLYMPIC GAMES" appears in light green color at top in two lines broken by the athlete's head. At lower right is "OSAKA/JAPAN/MAY/21-26/1923." Evald hand-colored the label. The background is yellow and the athlete's flesh colors are in brown.

Evald writes that the Games were held under the auspices of the International Olympic Committee and thinks that it is therefore not completely wrong to call them "Olympic Games."

In the beginning, only the Philippines, Japan and China participated. Netherlands Indies (now Indonesia) joined them later. Prior to the Games last held in Manila, 1934, Japan demanded that the new state of Manchukuo should be allowed to participate. The Philippines and China objected. The solution to the problem was postponed, but Japan participated in 1934 anyway. A new Far Eastern sports organization, "Oriental Amateur Athletic Federation" was established and the Philippines and Manchukuo became members.

The Far Eastern Championship Games featured track and field, swimming, tennis, soccer, baseball, basketball and volleyball.

1932 Olympics. A new cachet has come to light. It is reportedly the first cachet by Beverly Hills Cachet Service whose owner was Robert Campbell of Chicago. The cachet is all in black and is rather simple. It is illustrated in Figure 2. The dealer who discovered this is asking \$65 for the FDC featuring this cachet. Has any other reader found this cover?

1932 Olympics. A distinctively different roller cancellation used on First Day Covers for the Summer Olympic stamps has come to light. Figure 3 illustrates a drawing of the cancellation and shows a cover bearing its use. Impressions of the roller type are often incomplete and can be easily confused with the wavy line portion of the machine cancellation bearing a dial portion at the left. In my own collection, I seem to have a cover with the wavy line machine cancellation with dial portion and also a portion of the roller type. Nevertheless, the roller type is seldom found on 718-19 FDCs.

1940 Helsinki. Figure 4 illustrates a collective proof of essays for stamps designs for Finland where the Olympic Games were to have been held in 1940. Note that all the vertical designs have a denomination of "4+1." Other denominations are 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ +50 and 2+50. Checking Finland in the Scott catalog, I find the denominations seem to be high values, perhaps above one Markka, for this year 1940. Similarities to the 1952 Finland Olympic stamps seem somewhat slight. Nevertheless, the essays are very attractive.

Do any other readers have essay designs of stamps to share?

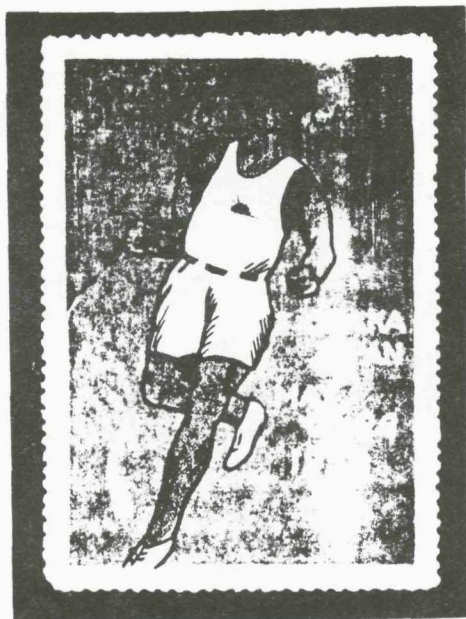


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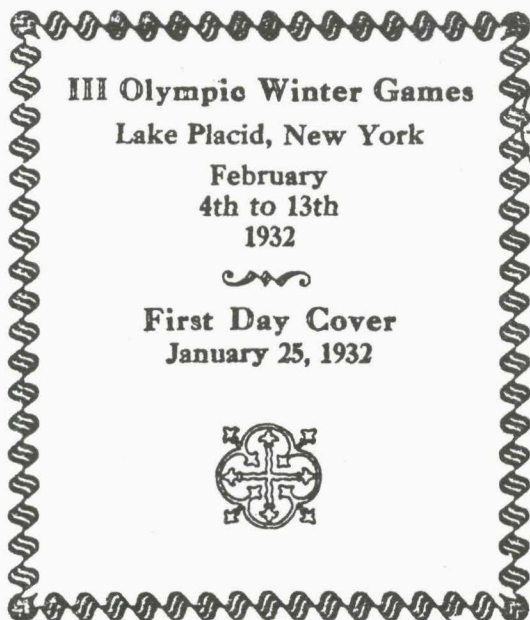
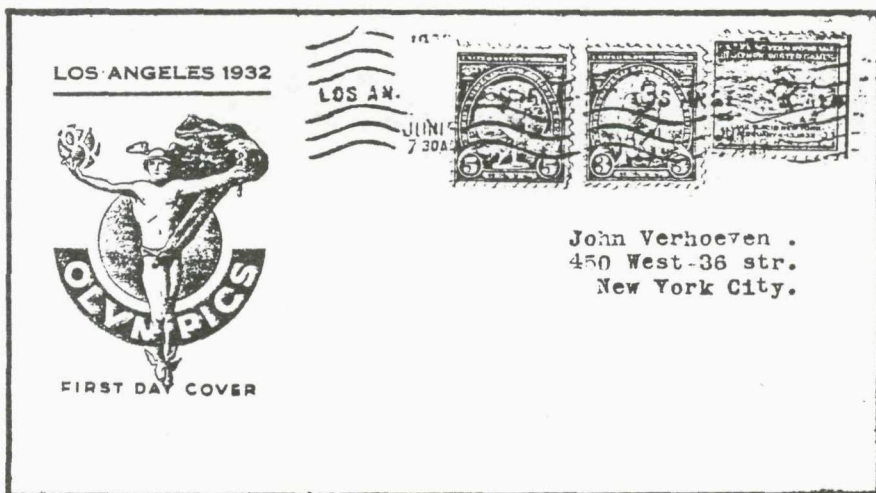


Fig. 2

CANCELLATIONS ON U.S. FIRST DAY COVERS



Fig. 3



United States 1932 Olympics combination First Day Cover with wavy-line cancel produced by a roller-type hand cancelling device. The use of this type cancel is seldom seen on First Day Covers.

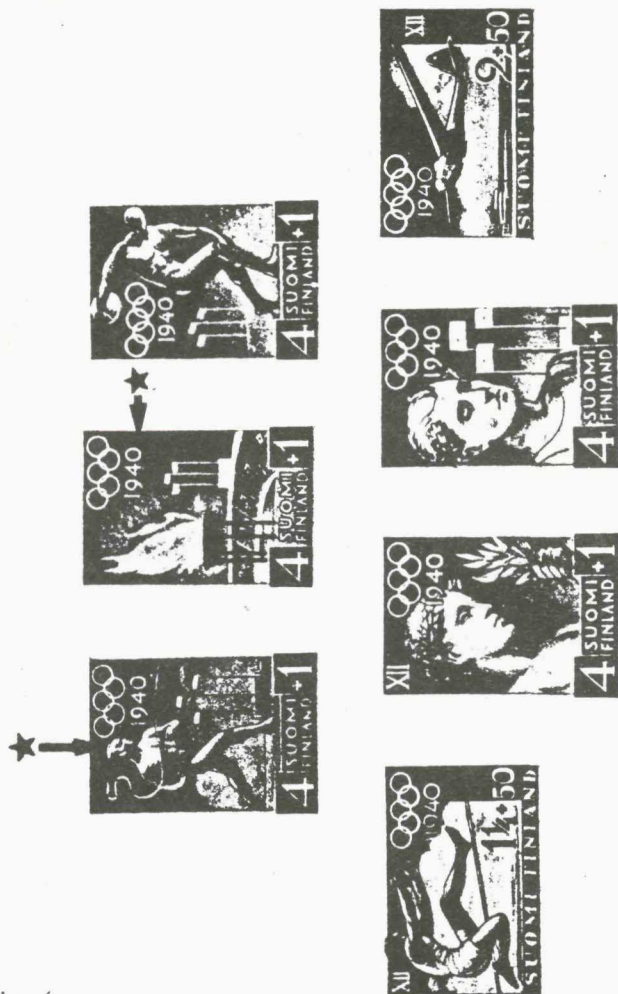


Fig. 4

IMOS. The November 1981 IMOS circular is at hand. The contents come in a cacheted postal stationery envelope for each issue. The cachet differs with each sending. The current cachet commemorates the 15th anniversary of IMOS. IMOS is the West German-based International Group for Olympics and Sport. An annual membership including subscription costs DM 15.00. Inquiries should be sent to Herbert Huber, Justus-von-Liebigstrasse 14, D-6707 Schifferstadt, West Germany.

The language is in German, but the issues are heavily illustrated. Highlights of the current issue include: further discussion of alleged fake 1906 Olympic special cancels; unusual flight covers with special cancels of Baden-Baden honoring the Olympic Congress there and future Olympic cities Los Angeles, Seoul, Calgary, and Sarajevo (together with an order form) obtainable from SPI member Manfred Winternheimer, Rosenstrasse 34, D-6501 Schwabenheim, West Germany; special cancels, postal stationery and registry labels for Kieler-Woche (Kiel Week) for sailing events held there; 1980 Olympics special cancels and stamps (with excerpts of listings from Michel catalog); 1936 Germany-Italy Soccer cancels; table tennis special cancels of Germany; further discussion on the 1936 Winter Olympic special cancels; 1980 Moscow Olympic boycott cachets; 1980 Sport postal stationery catalog (countries A-I); members' free classified ads.

1906. In the November 1981 IMOS, Manfred Bergman reports that in his opinion alleged fakes discussed by Herrn Fink are actually genuine. This is because more than one type of cancelling device was used at the various postal venues. Bergman goes into fair detail but acknowledges that other, quite distinctive fakes do exist. Bergman promises that he is publishing his research at the end of 1981. Bergman bases his opinions on study of the postmarks found on covers showing true evidence of mail transit. Such evidence is not limited to the commemorative cancellations, but there are also other cancellations or postal evidence. Bergman takes Fink to task in not disclosing actual evidence in his report.

So, before anyone decides his covers with the special 1906 Olympic cancellations have fake cancellations, the last word has not been heard. Let's have a little patience and see what more information develops.

TEMBAL. This big FIP-sanctioned thematic philatelic show in Basle is scheduled for 1983. Switzerland will be the place to go. Don't forget the International Olympic Committee has its offices in Switzerland, too. Unfortunately, the per frame cost to exhibitors is \$17.50. I cannot recall such a forbidding price at any philatelic exhibition. The price is the same to all exhibitors in their equivalent currency, so there is no discrimination to overseas exhibitors. Who said Olympic collectors won't be up to an Olympian challenge such as this?



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The sports group of the Centro Italiano de Filatelia Tematica (CIFT) announces the publication of a philatelic booklet on baseball.

The 54-page, soft-bound volume was written by Dario Barbieri and the late Salvatore Caruso, SPI member.

It includes a complete listing of worldwide baseball stamps, along with illustrations of all stamps, cancellations and meters issued to date.

Although written in the Italian language, baseball topicalists will find the booklet quite helpful. The stamps are listed by Yvert catalog numbers, but a checklist with Scott numbers is included.

Information on this booklet can be obtained from CIFT Gruppo Sport, c/o Pierangelo Brivio, Via Tiziano 19, 20043 Arcore (MI), Italy.

LETS POOL OUR OLYMPIC AND SPORTS KNOWLEDGE

Edited by Edward B. Epstein

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Q-88 I noticed in the Scott catalog that the 1951 Italian issue commemorating the Florence Gymnastic Festival (Scott 574-76) is worth more canceled than mint. Does anyone know why?

A-88 Roy A. Dehn's work "Italian Stamps" discusses the circumstances surrounding the Florence Gymnastic issue. Although there was a printing of 225,000 the issue was only postally valid from May 18 to June 16, 1951. Of those issued 50,000 was presented to the Gymnastic Festival Organizing Committee, 125,000 for the Florence Post Office and the remainder of 50,000 for sale at other cities and towns in Italy.

Although purchases were limited to four sets, 1,000 found their way to a Florence dealer. When this fact was discovered the issue was temporarily boycotted by many people.

This fact, and the brief span of postal validity lead to a scarcity of genuine used copies although many posthumous "favor canceled" copies are known to exist.

It is therefore recommended by your editor that collectors seeking genuine canceled copies of this issue should first have the cancelations expertised.

Notify the dealer who has used copies of this issue for sale of the above circumstances and inform him that you would like to purchase the set to have it expertised; that is to purchase the set "on condition". If the cancels are found fake (or canceled by favor) you will return the set for a refund. Most reputable dealers will agree to this condition.

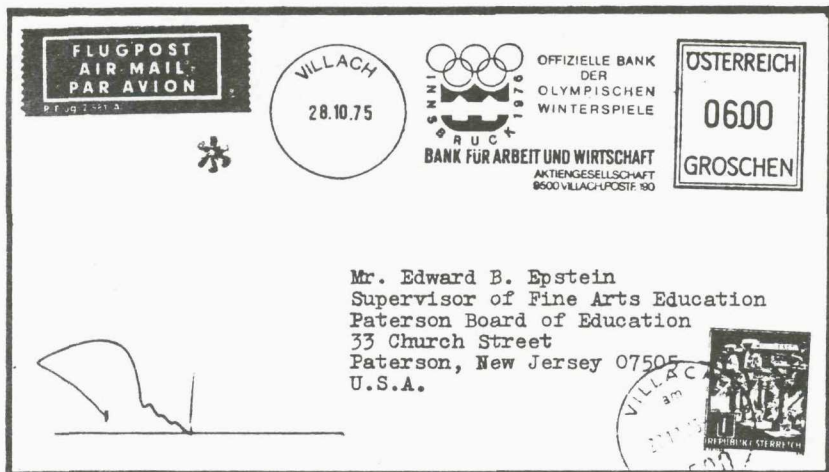
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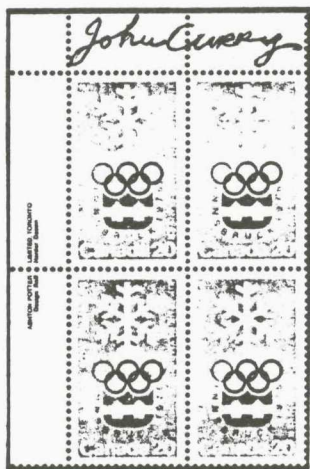
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ON FEB. 11, 1976, IN THE INNSBRUCK OLYMPIC
ICE STADIUM, BRITAIN'S JOHN CURRY'S FREE
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THE STAMPS DEPICT THE LAYOUT OF THE
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TRACK, (30+15) OLYMPIC STADIUM, (40+20) INDOOR
HALL AND SWIM STADIUM, AND (70+35) T.V. TOWER

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A cancellation featuring a gymnast with Indian clubs is featured as part of the pictorial cancellation honoring the restoration of Alumni House at Gallaudet College, the federally-supported college for the deaf in Washington, D. C.. The building housed a gymnasium.

Cacheted covers dated June 25 or June 26, 1982 are available unaddressed with the pictorial cancellation for \$1.00 plus a #10 self-addressed stamped envelope. Write to Kenneth Rothschild, Six Overlook Drive, Sloatsburgh, New York 10974. Quantities are very limited.

-- Sherwin Podolsky
July 24, 1982



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30	5.00	49	3.50
32	2.50	51	5.00
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OLYMPIC ARTS 1984

Readers interested in qualifying for exhibiting in the philatelic exhibition of the Olympic Arts program in 1984 at the Olympic Games in Los Angeles should try to have earned at least a silver in a national show by the end of 1982.

However, some people have inquired for information about a national show. Which shows qualify? A national show is one that qualifies for the American Philatelic Society World Series of Philately. The WSP is held at the annual APS convention and is a competition of all exhibits that have won grand awards at the national level shows.

The following is a list of names of shows held annually that qualify for the WSP: ARIPEX, BALPEX, BECKPEX, BERMUPEX, CENJEX, CPS (Chicago), FILATELIC FIESTA, FLOREX, FRESPEX, GARFIELD PERRY, INDYPEX, MIDAPHIL, MILCOPEX, NAPEX, NOJEX, PHILATELIC SHOW (Boston in 1982), PIPEX, ROCKFORD, ROMPEX, ROPEX, SARAPEX, SEPAD, SESCOAL, SOJEX, STAmPSHOW, SUNPEX, VAPEX, and WESTPEX. Further details will be found in your philatelic newspaper. However, complete details are in every issue of the AMERICAN PHILATELIST, journal of the American Philatelic Society.

To qualify for the Olympic Arts, the prospect should have at least a silver award at any of the shows by the end of 1982. However, some readers may have already qualified in an earlier year.

I have no information how qualifying exhibitors will be selected and many questions do remain. Should I get more information, I will report it.

--Sherwin Podolsky
July 19, 1982

World soccer stamps checklist available

A checklist of the world's soccer stamps, prepared by the late Barbara W. de Violini, is now available, according to the publisher, Soccer America of Oakland, Calif.

With the subtitle, "A Comprehensive Checklist of the Soccer Stamps of the World, 1924-1980," this 28-page, 8½ by 5½-inch booklet lists the soccer issues by year and then by country within each year.

A brief description of each stamp or set is given, and it is further identified by the Scott catalog number or, if not listed by Scott, then by the number in either the Minkus or Stanley Gibbons catalogs

Those stamps issued for the Olympic soccer and World Cup competitions are grouped together for the specific year of the competition, regardless of

when the stamp was issued. If issued in other than an Olympic or World Cup year, the year of issue is given.

This is the last publication prepared by Mrs. de Violini prior to her death last fall. She was considered one of the world's experts in the field of soccer philately, and her exhibits won many national and international awards.

This checklist is an outgrowth of a column on soccer stamps that she wrote for *Soccer America*, a weekly publication covering that sport.

Soccer Stamps is priced at \$4 per copy in the United States and Canada, sent via first-class mail, and \$5 per copy to overseas addresses, sent via airmail.

Orders should be sent to Soccer America, Box 23704, Oakland, Calif. 94623.

Member Ronald Tomlinson has sent a note informing us that he has located a dealer in British soccer covers. If you are a soccer collector and would like to have covers from various British teams with autographs, then write to Dawn Cover Productions, 97 Ashford Road, Davenport, Stockport, SK3 8UD England. Request their pricelist of soccer covers.

NEWS OF OUR MEMBERS

SPI MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

New members:

- 1229R Christian Ducasse, 1918 7th Avenue, Pointe-Aux-Trembles, Quebec, H1B 4K1 Canada. A mechanic interested in baseball and ice hockey. (Jones)
- 1230R Kolich Vladimir, Zapotockeho 1100, Ostrava 708 00 CSSR - Europe. He is fluent in Czech, German and English. His interest is lawn tennis. (Yerkes)
- 1231R Hugh Gottfried, 2231 20th St., Apt.#1, Santa Monica, CA 90405. An educator with an interest in basketball. (Jones)
- 1232R Henry F. Mezzack, 2912 Trainor Lane (P.O.Box X) Bowie MD 20715. An electronic engineer with interests in golf, baseball and football. (La Porta)
- 1233R Antanas Supronas, 15 Doddington Dr., Toronto M8Y 1S3 Canada. He is retired and speaks Lithuanian, Russian, and Polish. Interests include Olympics and World Cup Soccer (La Porta)
- 1234R Brivio Pierangelo, Via Tiziano 19, Arcore, Milano 20043 Italy. A salesman fluent in French, English and Italian. He collects all sports but specializes in soccer, skiing, baseball, basketball and Olympics. (La Porta)
- 1235R James David George, 1934 Academy Ct., Claremont CA 91711. Interest in Olympics. (Jones)
- 1236R George E. Killian, RR 5 Box 114, Hutchinson KS 67501. Ex-director NJCAA. Interest is basketball, Olympics, World University Games and Pan American Games. (Reiss)

Reinstated:

1088A William Beech, New Zealand

Died:

L 9 Max Kordylewski, London, Canada. Max was a life member and director of SPI.

Total paid members as of August 15, 1982 = 298.

MEMBERS BOURSE

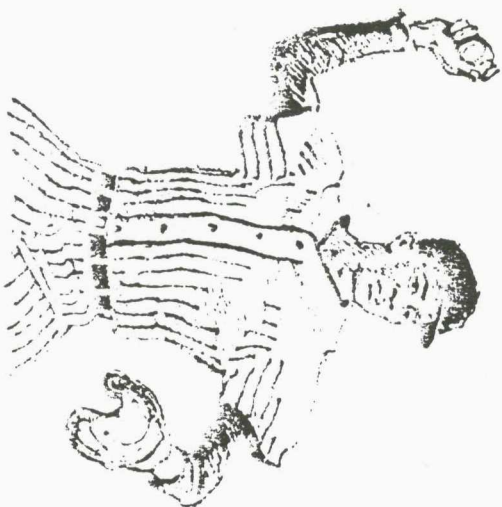
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I seek a permanent exchange of tennis philatelic material. Vladimir Kolich, Zapotockeho 1100, 708 00 Ostrava 8, Czechoslovakia.

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FIRST DAY OF ISSUE



New Issue Column

Glenn A. Estus

Benin--ESPANA '82--6/1/82--90fr., 300fr.

Bhutan--ESPANA 82--5/82--Ingultrum (missed kick and football in the stomach), 2nu (one on one and the boot) 3nu (stealing the ball), 20nu (goal); s/s with two 25 nu stamps (action scenes).

Bolivia--ESPANA '82--3/24/82--two s/s showing soccer scene and stamps of Bolivia and Spain--5,000 each.

Canada--8/4/82--30¢--100th Anniversary of the Royal Canada Henley Regatta.

China (ROC)--7/2/82--5th World Women's Softball Championship--NT\$2, NT\$18 (emblems and players) des. by Lee Kwangchi.

Djibouti--4/8/82--World Chess Championship--125fr, 175fr, (Chess pieces), des. by Claude Andreotto.

Dominican Rep.--ESPANA '82--4/19/82-- 10 centavos, 21c, 33c (soccer players and emblem), des. by Nelson Davila, quantity of 100,000 sets.

Ethiopia--ESPANA '82--6/10/82--5c, 15c, 20c, 40c, 1 birr (soccer scenes), des by Taye Kebede (100,000 set)

French Polynesia--ESPANA '82--5/18/82--250fr. (soccer player and emblem), des. by J. Combet, quantity of 80,000.

Gabon--ESPANA '82--5/19/82--100fr., 125fr., 200fr. (player)

Ghana--5/82--Boy Scouts--20p, 65p, 80p (sailing), 3 centi and 5 senti s/s.

Guernsey--7/13/82--Boy Scouts--8p (canoeing), 13p, 26p, 29p, des. by W.L.G. Creative Service, Ltd.

Hungary--ESPANA '82--4/82--1ft (2), 2ft (2), 4ft, 6ft, 8ft, 20ft s/s (2)--various World Cup Winners; perf. and imperf., des by Andras Andor.

4/2/82--European Junior Tennis Cup--4ft+2ft, des. by Laslo Dudas.

4/16/82--European Table Tennis Championships--2ft, des. by Miklos Forgacs.

Indonesia--5/19/82--International Badminton Championships

and Thomas Cup--250rp, des by Subagyanto--
quantity of 1.75 mil.

Indonesia--ESPANA '82--250rp (soccer players), 500rp s/s
(1.75 mil stamps, and 100,000 s/s)

Italy--8/4/82--Junior Rowing Championships--200 lire
(children rowing a boat), des. by Corrado Venturi,
5 mil. copies.

Kuwait--ESPANA '82--6/17/82--30fils, 80fils (emblems)
250,000 each.

Malawi--ESPANA '82--9/82--7tambalas, 20t, 30t, 1 kwacha
s/s

Malta--ESPANA '82--6/11/82--3cents, 12c, 15c, (stylized
soccer scenes) plus s/s with all three values,
des. by Richard J. Caruana.

Mali--ESPANA '82--3/15/82--220fr., 420fr., 500fr., 680fr.
s/s (soccer scenes) des by J.B.E. Chesnot.

Mozambique--ESPANA '82--4/19/82--1.50mt, 3.5mt, 7mt, 10mt
20mt (stylized soccer players), des by F. Amaral,
350,000 sets.

New Caledonia--ESPANA '82--74fr (emblem of New Caledonian
Soccer Association and players silhouette).

Rwanda--ESPANA '82--7/6/82--20c, 30c, 1.50fr, 8fr, 10fr,
20fr., 70fr, 90fr (soccer scenes)

Sierre Leone--ESPANA '82--7/82--20c, 30c, 1 leone, 2 le,
3 le s/s (various soccer scenes) des by PAD
studios.

Somalia--ESPANA '82--1 shilling, 1.50sh, 3.25sh (players),
10sh s/s with the 3 stamps (100,000 sets of
stamps; 10,000 s/s)

Spain--ESPANA '82--6/13/82--s/s with 9 peseta, 14pts,
100ptas stamps and stamps of 14pts, 33pts (arms
of the host towns). 10 mil (14 pts), 5 mil (33 pts)
10 mil. s/s.

Switzerland--8/23/82--World Dressage Championships--70c
(horse and rider).

Tanzania--ESPANA '82--5/82--50c (Jella Mtagwa), 1/-, 10/-
(Diego Armando Maradona), 20/-

Tonga--ESPANA '82--7/7/82--32 seniti, 47s, 75s, 1.50 pda
(soccer scenes) self adhesive

U.A.E.--5/4/82--Arab Gulf 6th Soccer Championships--25fil

(emblem), 75 fils, (Eagle atop ball), 125 fils
(soccer players), 3 dirhams (same as 75 fils
des by Fawaz Arna'out; ptd. by Harrison and Sons.

U.S.A.--8/2/82--Jackie Robinson--20c

Upper Volta--ESPANA '82--6/22/82--70fr, 90fr, 150fr, 300fr
500fr s/s

Yemen A.R.--4/1/82--Moscow Olympics--25 fils (gymnastics),
50fils (pole vault), 60 fils (javelin), 75fils
(running), 100 fils (basketball), 125 (soccer)

Zaire--ESPANA '82--7/6/82--2 makatas, 8k, 25k, 50k, 90k,
1 zaire, 1.45z, 1.70z, 3z, 3.50z, 5z, 6z (soccer
scenes).

COMMEMORATIVE STAMP SET «XIII EUROPEAN ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS»



21	drachmae,	3,200,000	pieces	Wreath - Pole Vaulter (Free Composition).
25	»	3,000,000	»	Women Athletes on the Track (Free Composition).
40	»	800,000	»	Four Athletic Events (Free Composition)

Among the most outstanding athletic organizations on an international scale, the European Athletic Championships have been honoured repeatedly through commemorative stamp issues, for it has proven its worthiness during its history of a half century. The significance of this institution is wroughly expressed by the forthcoming meeting in Athens at the new Olympic Stadium, to be attended by approximately 1,200 athletes, hundreds of coaches and officials, and 1,300 members of the press, as well as tens of thousands of viewers. Greece and Italy are the only two nations to have twice undertaken the organization of the European championships. However, Greece is the only country to have issued stamps for both competitions. The first European championships were held in Turin, Italy in 1934, and the respective philatelic branch was initiated with the use of a commemorative cancellation mark. Stamps were issued on the occasion of the European championship games in Brussels (1950), Belgrade (1962), Budapest (1966), Helsinki (1971), Rome (1974), and Prague (1978). As for Greece, six stamps were issued for the IXth championships, held at Caraiscakis Stadium, and, for this year's championship games, to be held at the new Olympic Stadium which seats 80,000, five stamps (two in 1981 and three in this new set) are being issued.

Within the framework of recent athletic history, the European Athletic Championships hold a conspicuous position, and the international response to its commemorative stamp sets is proportionate.

The XV World Roller Rink Hockey Championship for Juniors took place from October 4 to October 9, in the gymnasium of the Portuguese town of Barcelos, in the heart of Minho, considered one of the richest provinces of Portugal.

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2nd place - Spain with 10 points.

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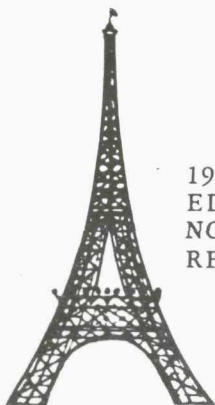
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Sc 193a; Min 445; Gi MS422; Mi B1 28; Yt B1 28

Malaya

1958, August 31. 1st anniversary of independence of Malaya. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and "CA" multiple; P 13½ x 14½; photogravure by Harrison and Sons, Ltd., London.

1. 10c multicolored (Merdeka Stadium) (6,938,867)

Sc 87; Min 94; Gi 8; Mi 8; Yt 87

Note: Postally valid until May 31, 1964.

Malaya (Johore)

1960, September 12 (Gi), December (Min, Mi, and Seebacher). Definitive issue. Wmkd; St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 13 (Sc and Yt); 13 x 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

Sc 167; Min 174; Gi 164; Mi 152; Yt 141

Note: Postally valid until Oct. 31, 1972.

Malaya (Kedah)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 12½ x 13 (Sc), 13 (Yt); recess printed in sheets of fifty by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

Sc 92; Min 115; Gi 101; Mi 92; Yt 98

Note: Postally valid until Dec. 31, 1962.

1959, July 1. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 12½ x 13 (Sc), 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

2. \$2 red/green (Same as No. 1)

Sc 104; Min 127; Gi 113; Mi 104; Yt 110

Notes: (a) Postally valid until Sept. 9, 1965. (b) Depicts new ruler.

Malaya (Kelantan)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 13 (Yt), 13½ x 12½ (Sc); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)
 - a. P13 x 12½ Apr. 9, 1963--(Min, Gi, and Mi)

Sc 81; Min 120; Gi 93; Mi 80; Yt 87

Malaya (Malacca)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 12½ x 13 (Sc), 14 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

Sc 54; Min 53; Gi 48; Mi 53; Yt 236

Note: Postally valid until Sept. 30, 1965.

1960, March 15. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min and Seebacher); 12½ x 13 (Sc), 13 (Yt), 13 x 12½ (Gi and Mi); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

2. \$2 red/green (same as No. 1)

Sc 65; Min 64; Gi 59; Mi 64; Yt 296

Note: Depicts new ruler.

Malaya (Negri Sembelan)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Sc, Min, and Gi), 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)
 - a. P 13 x 12½ (Jan. 1--Gi, 15--Min and Mi, 1965)

Sc 73; Min 111; Gi 78; Mi 76; Yt 70

Note: Postally valid through October 31, 1972.

Malaya (Pahang)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi); 12½ x 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)
 - a. P13 x 12½ (Nov. 13, 1962--Sc and Gi)
 - b. P13½ x 12½ (Nov. 13, 1962--Min)

Sc 81; Min 106; Gi 85; Mi 74; Yt 71

Note: Postally valid through Oct. 31, 1972.

Malaya (Penang)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wmkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 12½ x 12 (Sc), 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

Malaya (Penang) Continued

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

Sc 54; Min 53; Gi 48; Mi 53; Yt 47

Note: Postally valid through Sept. 30, 1965.

1960, March 15. Definitive issue. Wnkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min), 12½ x 13 (Sc), 13 (Yt), 13 x 12½ (Gi and Mi); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

2. \$2 red/green (same as No. 1)

Sc 65; Min 64; Gi 59; Mi 64; Yt 58

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Malaya (Perak)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wnkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Sc, Min, and Mi), 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersillat)

- a. P13 x 12½ (Feb. 21, 1961--Sc, Gi, and Mi)

Sc 136; Min 180; Gi 156; Mi 112; Yt 109

Note: Postally valid through Oct. 31, 1972.

Malaya (Perlis)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wnkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 12½ x 13 (Sc), 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

Sc 38; Min 38; Gi 39; Mi 38; Yt 37

Note: Postally valid through Oct. 31, 1972.

Malaya (Selangor)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wnkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Min, Gi, and Mi), 13 (Yt); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

- a. P13 x 12½ (Feb. 21, 1961--Sc, Gi, and Mi)

Sc 111; Min 143; Gi 126; Mi 88; Yt 76

Malaya (Trengganu)

1957, August 21. Definitive issue. Wnkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 12½ (Sc, Min, Gi, and Mi), 12½ x 13 (Sc), 13 (Yt), 13½ (Sc), 13½ x 12 (Sc); recess printed by Thomas de la Rue and Company, Ltd., London.

1. \$2 red/green (bersilat)

Sc 84; Min 156; Gi 98; Mi 85; Yt 94

Note: Postally valid through Oct. 31, 1972.

Malaysia

1965, December 14. 3rd South East Asian Peninsular Games, Kuala Lumpur. Unwkd; P 13 (Sc, Mi, and Halm and Kobylanski), 13 x 13½ (Min and Gi), 13½ (Yt); designed by E. A. F. Anthony; lithography by Japanese Government Printing Works, Tokyo.

Six-ringed emblem, plus

1. 25s yellowish green/black (soccer and sepak raga)
2. 30s bluish violet-black (running)
3. 50s greenish blue/black (diving)

Sc 28-30; Min 28-30; Gi 28-30; Mi 27-9; Yt 30-2

Notes: (a) Withdrawn from sale on Mar. 19, 1966. (b) Postally valid through Dec. 31, 1971.

1968, October 12. 19th Olympic Games, Mexico City, Oct. 12-27, 1968. Wnkd multiple "MTP"; P 12 (Sc, Min, and Yt); 12 x 11½ (Gi), 12 x 11 3/4 (Mi and Sieger); lithography in sheets of one hundred by Bradbury, Wilkinson and Company, London.

Olympic rings, plus

4. 30s multicolored (Mexican hat and cloth) (822,189)
 - a. White dot over left leg or "M" in "Mexico" (Gi)
5. 75s multicolored (Malaysian batik cloth) (720,278)

Sc 56-7; Min 64-5; Gi 54-5; Mi 53-4; Yt 56-7

Note: Postally valid through Oct. 31, 1975.

1971, December 11. 6th South East Asian Peninsular Games. Unwkd; P 14 (Mi), 14½ (Sc and Yt), 14½ x 14 (Min and Gi); designed by Union Art Corporation, Kuala Lumpur; lithography in sheets of 100 by Bradbury, Wilkinson and Company, London.

6. 25c multicolored (athletes--runner, discus thrower, hurdler, javelin thrower, and high jumper)
7. 30c multicolored (sepak raga players)
8. 50c multicolored (hockey players)

Sc 92-4; Min 102-04; Gi 92-4; Mi 91-3; Yt 94-6

Note: 1,170,771 sets issued (Gi).

Maldives Islands

1961, August 20. 17th Olympic Games, Rome, Aug. 25-Sept. 11, 1960. Unwkd; P 11 x 11½ (Yt), 11 x 11½ (Nos. 6-8--Sc, Min, Gi, and Mi), 11½ x 11 (Sieger), 11½ x 11 (Nos. 1-5--Sc, Min, Gi, and Mi); designed by Christian Bottiau; recess printed (Sc and Min), recess printed and typography (Gi and Mi) in sheets of fifty by Bradbury, Wilkinson and Company, London.

Emblem of 17th Olympic Games, plus

1. 21 purple/green (bicyclists)
2. 31 green-slate/purple (same as No. 1)
3. 51 red-brown/ultramarine (same as No. 1)
4. 101 green/brown (same as No. 1)
5. 151 sepia/blue (same as No. 1)
6. 251 rose/black (basketball)
7. 501 orange/violet (same as No. 6)
8. 1r green/purple (same as No. 6)

Sc 42-9; Min 42-9; Gi 43-50; Mi 42-9; Yt 27-54

1964, October 6. 18th Olympic Games, Tokyo, Oct. 10-25, 1964. Wnkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; P 13½ (Sieger), 14 x 13½ (Sc, Min, Gi, Mi, and Yt); lithography in sheets of fifty by John Enschede and Sons, Amsterdam.

Maldiv Islands (Continued)

- Olympic rings and Maldiv arms, plus
9. 21 blue (shot put)
 10. 31 orange-brown (same as No. 9)
 11. 51 dark gray-green (same as No. 9)
 12. 101 dark rose-lilac (same as No. 9)
 13. 151 brown-olive (running)
 14. 251 blue-violet (same as No. 13)
 15. 501 olive-brown (same as No. 13)
 16. 1r gray-olive (same as No. 13)

Sc 139-46; Min 140-47; Gi 140-47; Mi 139-46; Yt 139-46

1964, October 6. 18th Olympic Games, Tokyo, Oct. 10-25, 1964. Winkd St. Edward's crown and multiple "CA"; imperforate; souvenir sheet (125 x 140 mm.--Sc, 126 x 136 mm.--Yt, 126 x 140 mm.--Gi and Mi, 127 x 140 mm.--Min) containing one each of Nos. 14-6, gray margin with black inscription; lithography by John Enschede and Sons, Amsterdam.

- Olympic rings and Maldiv arms, plus
17. 251 bright violet (same as No. 14)
 - 501 olive-brown (same as No. 15)
 - 14 gray-blue (same as No. 16)

Sc 146a; Min 148; Gi MS147a; Mi 144B046B/B1 2; Yt B1 2

1967, January (Mi and Halm and Kobylanski), March 22 (Sc and Min). England's victory in the 8th World Cup Soccer Championship. Unwinkd; P 12 x 11½ (Halm and Kobylanski), 14 x 13½ (Mi), 14 x 13½ (Sc, Min, and Gi); designed by Maxim Shamir (Mi and Halm and Kobylanski), Maxim Shamir and G. Shamir (Gi); photogravure by Government Printing Office, Hakirya, Israel.

18. 21 multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate
19. 31 multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate
20. 51 multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate
21. 251 multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate
22. 501 multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate
23. 1r multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate
24. 2r multicolored (British flag, emblem of competition, and Big Ben Tower, London)
 - a. Imperforate

Sc 207-13; Min 212-18; Gi 210-16; Mi 207-13; Yt 207-13

1967, January (Mi and Halm and Kobylanski), March 22 (Sc and Min). England's victory in the 8th World Cup Soccer Championship. Unwinkd; imperforate; souvenir sheet (100 x 127 mm.--Gi, 101 x 126 mm.--Sc, 101.5 x 127 mm.--Mi, 102 x 127 mm.--Yt, 127 x 102 mm.--Min) containing one each of Nos. 22-4, gray margin with black inscription and British flag; photogravure by Government Printing Office, Hakirya, Israel.

- Jules Rimet Cup, plus
25. 501 multicolored (same as No. 22)
 - 1r multicolored (same as No. 23)
 - 2r multicolored (same as No. 24)

Sc 213a; Min 219; Gi MS217, Mi 214B-16B/B1 6; Yt B1 6

1968, February. 19th Olympic Games, Mexico City, Oct. 12-27, 1968. Unwinkd; P 14½ (Sc, Min, and Gi), 14 3/4 (Mi and Halm and Kobylanski), 15 (Yt); designed by Maxim Shamir; lithography by Harrison and Sons, Ltd., London.

- Olympic rings and outline of track, plus
26. 21 multicolored (shot put)
 27. 61 multicolored (discus)
 28. 101 multicolored (same as No. 26)

Maldives Islands (Continued)

- 29. 15l multicolored (same as No. 27)
- 30. 1r multicolored (same as No. 26)
- 31. 2.50 multicolored (same as No. 27)

Sc 256-61; Min 264-69; Gi 262-67; Mi 263-68; Yt 256-61

1968, April 1. Paintings. Unwkd; P 14; designed by Maxim Shamir; lithography by Government Printing Office, Hakirya, Israel.

- 32. 2r multicolored (Claude Monet's "Sailing Boat at Argenteuil")

Sc 264; Min 272; Gi 270; Mi 271; Yt 264

1968, October 12. 19th Olympic Games, Mexico City, Oct. 12-27, 1968. Unwkd; P 14 (Sc, Min, Gi, and Yt), 14½ x 14 (Mi), 14½ x 14 (Sieger); designed by Maxim Shamir; photogravure by Government Printing Office, Hakirya, Israel.

Olympic rings and torch and flame, plus

- 33. 10l multicolored (discus)
 - a. Imperforate
- 34. 50l multicolored (runner)
 - a. Imperforate
- 35. 1r multicolored (bicycling)
 - a. Imperforate
- 36. 2r multicolored (basketball)
 - a. Imperforate

Sc 288-91; Min 290-93; Gi 294-97; Mi 295-98; Yt 280-83

1969, December 1 (Min, Gi, and Mi), December 10 (Sc and Sieger). Gold medal winners in the 19th Olympic Games, Mexico City, Oct. 12-27, 1968. Unwkd; P 14 (Sc, Min, Gi, and Yt), 14½ x 14 (Mi), 14½ x 14 (Sieger); Nos. 34-5 overprinted "Republic of Maldives and commemorative inscriptions; designed by Maxim Shamir; photogravure by Government Printing Office, Hakirya, Israel.

Olympic rings, and torch and flame, plus

- 37. 50l multicolored (same as No. 34; "Gold Medal Winner/Mohamed Gamroudi/5,000-m. run/Tunisia")
- 38. 1r multicolored (bicyclist; "Gold Medal Winner P. Trentin--Cycling/France")

Sc 302-03; Min 312-13; Gi 310-11; Mi 311-12; Yt 294-95

1970, December. 9th World Cup Soccer Championship, Mexico City, May 30-June 21, 1970. Unwkd; P 13½ (Sc, Min, and Gi), 14 (Yt), 14 x 13½ (Mi); designed by Maxim Shamir; lithographed by Rosenbaum Brothers, Vienna.

- 39. 3l multicolored (soccer players)
- 40. 6l multicolored (soccer players)
- 41. 7l multicolored (soccer players)
- 42. 25l multicolored (soccer players)
- 43. 1r multicolored (soccer players)

Sc 346-50; Min 358-62; Gi 344-48; Min 358-62; Yt 315A-13E

Note: 50,000 sets issued (Trachtenberg).

1972, June. 11th Winter Olympic Games, Sapporo, Feb. 3-13, 1972. Unwkd; P 14; designed by Maxim Shamir; lithography by Rosenbaum Brothers, Vienna.

Emblem of 11th Winter Olympic Games, plus

- 44. 3l multicolored (cross country skiing)
 - a. Imperforate
- 45. 6l multicolored (tobogganing)
 - a. Imperforate
- 46. 15l multicolored (speed skating)
 - a. Imperforate
- 47. 50l multicolored (ski jumping)
 - a. Imperforate

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- 48. 1r multicolored (figure skating)
 - a. Imperforate
- 49. 2.50r multicolored (hockey)
 - a. Imperforate

Sc 395-400; Min 408-13; Gi 406-11; Mi 407-12; Yt 382-87

Note: 1,000 imperforate sets exist (Trachtenberg)

1972, October 30. 20th Olympic Games, Munich, Aug. 26-Sept. 12, 1972. Unwkd; P 14½ (Mi and Yt), 14½ x 14 (Sc, Min, and Gi); lithography in sheets of fifty by Format International Security Printers, Ltd., London (Min and Gi), Rosenbaum Brothers, Vienna (Sc).

- Emblem of 20th Olympic Games, plus
- 50. 5l multicolored (cycling)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 51. 10l multicolored (running)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 52. 25l multicolored (wrestling)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 53. 50l multicolored (running)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 54. 2r multicolored (boxing)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 55. 5r multicolored (volleyball)
 - a. Imperforate

Sc 405-10; Min 418-23; Gi 416-21; Mi 417-22; Yt 392-97

1972, October 30. 20th Olympic Games, Munich, Aug. 26-Sept. 12, 1972. Unwkd; P 14½ (Yt), 14½ x 14 (Min), 15 (Sc and Gi); souvenir sheet (92 x 120 mm.--Gi, 99 x 127 mm.--Sc and Min, 99 x 128 mm.--Mi, Yt, and Sieger) containing one each similar to Nos. 51 and 53; lithography by Format International Security Printers, London.

Olympic rings, plus

- 56. 3r multicolored (women's hurdles)
 - 4r multicolored (running)

Sc 411; Min 424; Gi MS422; Mi 423-24/B1 14; Yt B1 13

Mali

1963, August 10. Youth Week. Unwkd; P 12 (Sc and Min), 12 x 12½ (Nos. 1 and 2--Gi), 12½ (Mi and Halm and Kobylanski), 12½ x 12 (No. 3--Gi), 13 (Yt); designed by Gilbert Aufschneider; photogravure on coated paper by Delrieu, Paris.

- 1. 5fr multicolored (runners on victory stand)
 - a. Imperforate
- 2. 10fr multicolored (same as No. 1)
 - a. Imperforate
- 3. 85fr multicolored (soccer)
 - a. Imperforate

Sc 48, 49, 51; Min 309, 310; 312; Gi 65, 66, 68; Mi 65, 66, 68; Yt 50, 51, 53

Note: Withdrawn from sale on Dec. 31, 1964.

1964, June 27. 18th Olympic Games, Tokyo, Oct. 10-25, 1964. Unwkd; P 13; designed and engraved by Albert Decaris; recess printed by French Stamp Printing Office, Paris.

- Olympic rings, plus
- 4. 5fr orange-red/dark bluish green/purple (soccer player and Tokyo Stadium)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 5. 10fr black-brown/Turkish blue-orange-brown (boxing)
 - a. Imperforate
 - 6. 15fr blue-violet/red (running)
 - a. Imperforate

Mali (Continued)

7. 85fr blue-violet/dark brown/dark blue-green (hurdling)
a. Imperforate

Sc 61-4; Min 355-58; Gi 86-89; Mi 86-9; Yt 63-6

Note: Withdrawn from sale on June 30, 1965.

1964, June 27. 18th Olympic Games, Tokyo, Oct. 10-25, 1964. Unwmkd; P 13; souvenir sheet (190 x 100 mm.--Sc, Gi, Mi, and Yt), 191 x 100 mm.--Min) containing one each of Nos. 4-7; designed and engraved by Albert Decaris; recess printed by French Stamp Printing Office, Paris.

Olympic rings and Tokyo Stadium, plus

8. 5fr orange-red/dark bluish green/purple (same as No. 4)
10fr black-brown/Turkish blue/orange-brown (same as No. 5)
15fr blue-violet/red (same as No. 6)
85fr blue-violet/dark brown/dark blue-green (same as No. 7)

Sc 64a; Min 359; Gi MS89a; Mi B1 2; Yt B1 2

Note: Withdrawn from sale on June 30, 1965.

1965, July 19. 1st African Games, Brazzaville, July 18-25, 1965. Unwmkd; P 13; designed and engraved by Georges Betemps; recess printed by French Stamp Printing Office, Paris.

9. 5fr multicolored (swimming)
a. Imperforate
10. 15fr brown-carmine/carmine-brown/blue-green (Judo)
a. Imperforate

Sc 81-2; Min 383-84; Gi 112-13; Mi 112-13; Yt 83-4

1966, October 31. 8th World Cup Soccer Championship, Wembley, July 11-30, 1966. Unwmkd; P 13; designed by Jacques Gauthier; photogravure by So-Ge-Im, Paris.

11. 100fr multicolored (soccer ball, globe, and Rimet Cup)
a. Imperforate

Sc C38; Min 407; Gi 135; Mi 135; Yt A38

Note: Withdrawn from sale on Dec. 31, 1967.

1968, January 3 (Mi and Sieger), 8 (Sc, Min, and Gi). 10th Winter Olympic Games, Grenoble, Feb. 6-18, 1968. Unwmkd; P 13; designed and engraved by Georges Betemps; recess printed by French Stamp Printing Office, Paris.

12. 50fr cobalt/dark green/sepia (Grenoble)
a. Imperforate
13. 150fr violet-blue/greenish blue/red-brown (bobsled course on Huez Alp)
a. Imperforate

Sc 53-4; Min 432-33; Gi 160-61; Mi 160-61; Yt A53-4

1968, November 25. 19th Olympic Games, Mexico City, Oct. 12-27, 1968. Unwmkd; P 12½ x 12 (No. 14--Min), 12½ (Sc, Gi, and Yt), 12½ x 12 (No. 14--Min), 12½ x 12 3/4 (Sieger), 12½ x 12 3/4 (No. 14--Mi), 12 3/4 x 12½ (No. 15--Mi); designed by Georges Betemps; photogravure on coated paper by Delrieu, Paris.

Olympic rings and satellite, plus

14. 100fr multicolored (soccer goalie)
a. Imperforate
15. 150fr multicolored (long jump)
a. Imperforate

Sc 62-3; Min 448-49; Gi 176-77; Mi 176-77; Yt A62-3