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ABKHAZIA	00.00.96	SHEET	REAR OF BIKE WITH FLAT - 4 DIFF SE-TEN	S	21B COVER
BERNERA ISLANDS	00.00.84	8P	LOS ANGELES OLYMPICS GOLD LEAF CYCLIST	?	
BURIATIA	00.00.97	1200	TIME TRIAL CYCLIST	1	23A-21
BURKINO FASO	00.00.95	650f	ATLANTA OLYMPICS - CYCLIST IN MARGIN	4+4S+S+S	19B-CS
CAMBODIA	00.00.95	1000r	ATLANTA OLYMPICS - CYCLIST	5+S	18A-4
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<u>CENTRAL AFRICA</u>	00.00.98	350F	SEAP GAMES - CYCLING CHAMPIONS - <u>OSCAR</u> <u>CAMENZIND</u>	4+S	27-7 <u>28-21</u>
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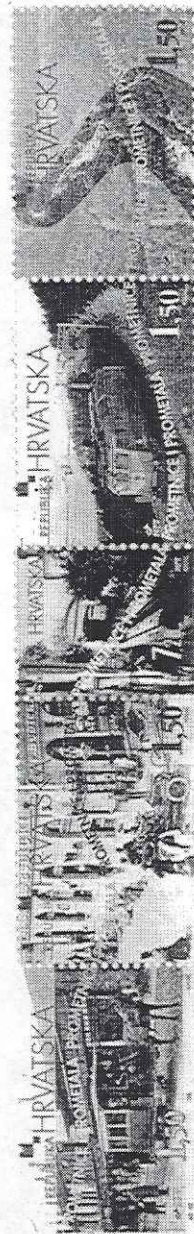
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TURKMENISTAN	00.00.98	100M	LEADING PERSONALITIES OFF THE 20TH CENTURY - ELVIS PRESLEY - PART OF BIKE	1+S	24B-9
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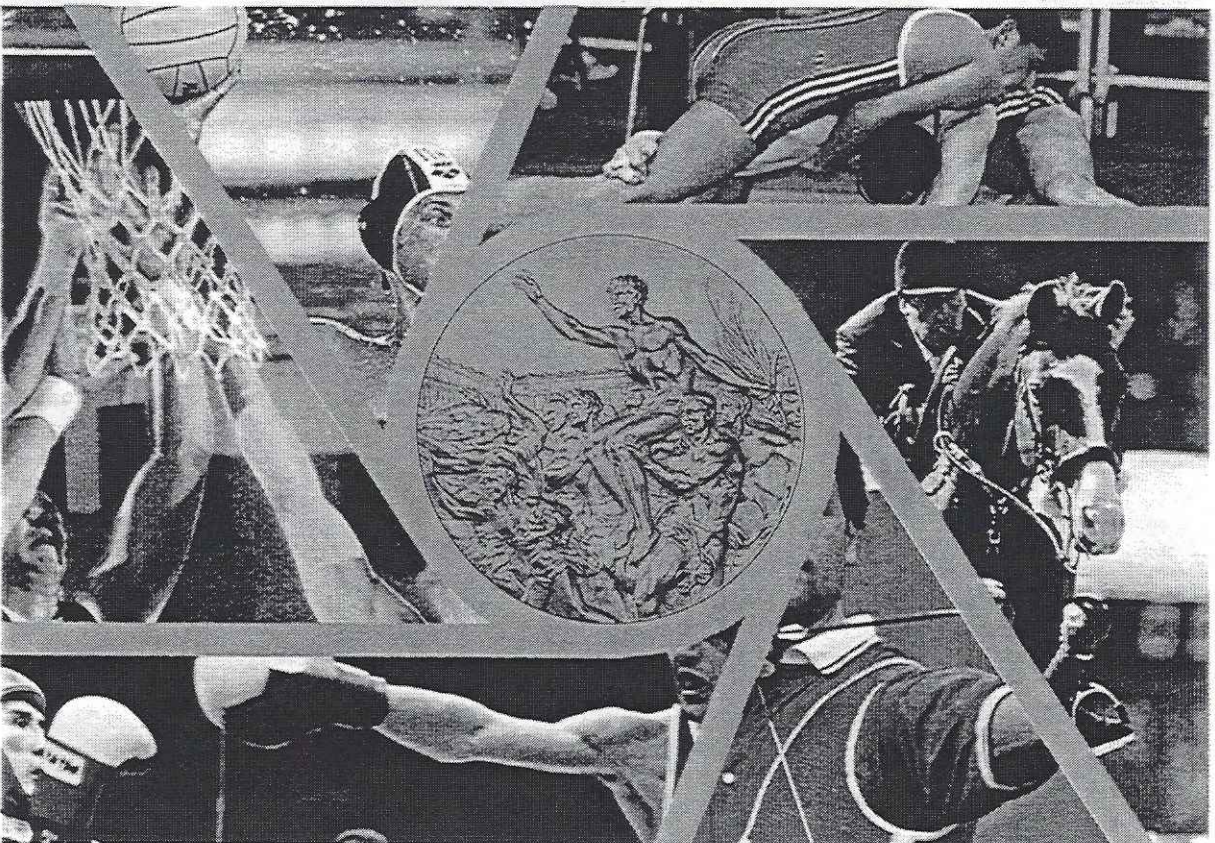


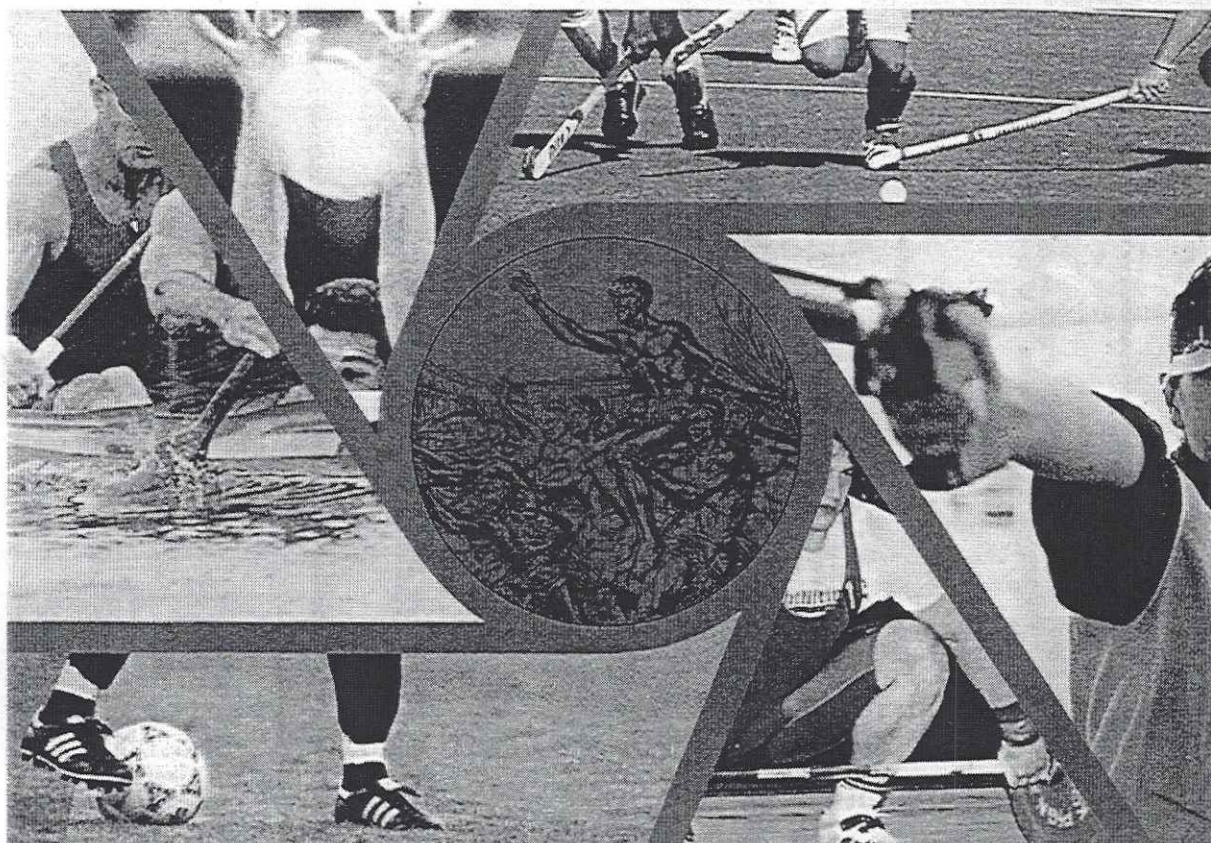
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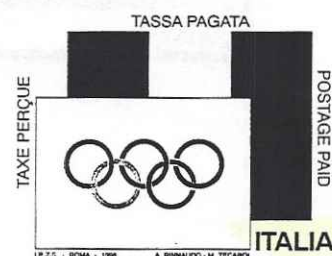


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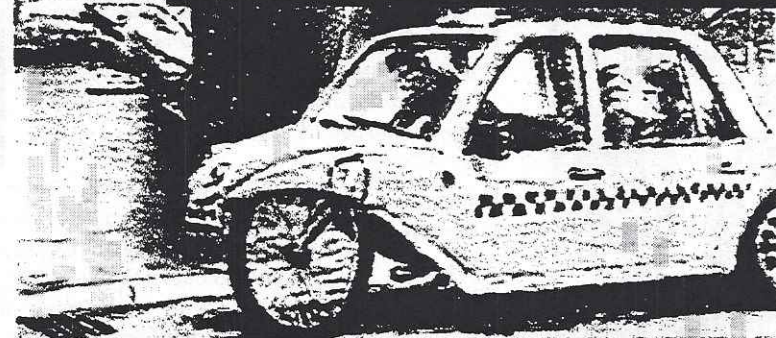
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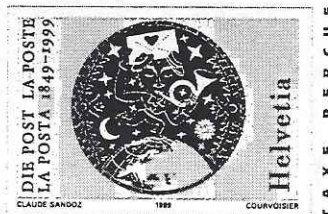
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SAN MARINO
28.08.98

Pedal Car - note
foot on pedal.





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SWITZERLAND '99

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| ① Solothurn
15. 6. 99 – 6,0 km | ⑥ Meiringen – Meiringen
20. 6. 99 – 28,1 km |
| ② Solothurn – Lausanne
16. 6. 99 – 195 km | ⑦ Küsnacht – Mauren
21. 6. 99 – 160 km |
| ③ Lausanne – Küssnacht
17. 6. 99 – 214,6 km | ⑧ Mauren – Nauders
22. 6. 99 – 163,9 km |
| ④ Bellinzona – Chiasso
18. 6. 99 – 167,5 km | ⑨ Nauders – Arosa
23. 6. 99 – 197,5 km |
| ⑤ Bellinzona – Grindelwald
19. 6. 99 – 171,4 km | ⑩ Chur – Winterthur
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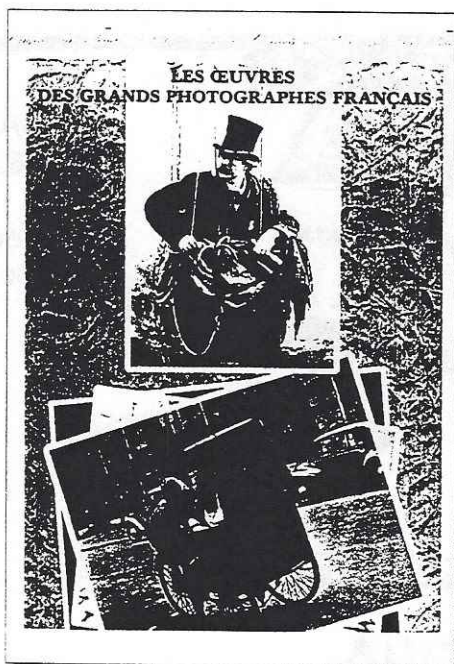
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ZANZIBAR '99

There is plenty to see in Zanzibar which is one of a pair of islands which has diverse attractions. The stone town provides evidence of rich cultural heritage where Arab, Indian, Persian and European influences blend with local African tradition.

The unspoilt marine environment offers world class scuba diving and deep-sea fishing, in the famous Pemba and Mnemba channel.

Spice tours are a Zanzibar speciality, offering a look at small farms in the rural areas that grow cloves, vanilla, nutmeg and other spices including medicinal and ornamental plants and fruits unique to the island.



"It replaces the six that used to come at once!"

8th European Small Nations Games

Les Jeux des Petits Pays Européens au Liechtenstein

Les «Jeux des Petits Pays Européens» ont pour ambition de permettre périodiquement aux sportifs des petits états européens de se mesurer à un niveau sensiblement égal sur le plan des performances. Il ne doit pas seulement s'agir de concurrence sportive, (il n'est pas question de records olympiques ou mondiaux), mais aussi de favoriser les liens amicaux, de porter haut l'idéal olympique au travers de compétitions pacifiques, de promouvoir la paix mondiale et d'unir les peuples. Ces jeux ont été organisés avec succès pour la première fois en 1985 à Saint-Marin. Outre le pays hôte et la principauté de Liechtenstein, l'Andorre, l'Islande, le Luxembourg, Malte, Monaco et Chypre étaient représentés par des petites ou grandes délégations. Depuis cette date, les sportifs de ces huit états comptant moins d'un million d'habitants se rencontrent tous les deux ans dans un pays membre différent pour une nouvelle édition des Jeux des Petits Pays Européens.

Pour l'année 1999, la principauté de Liechtenstein assurera l'organisation des 8es jeux; ils se tiendront du 24 au 29 mai sous le nom de «Lie-Games '99». Comme la tradition le veut, le programme doit comporter environ six à huit disciplines différentes – l'athlétisme, la natation et un sport d'équipe étant imposés. Les compétitions qui se dérouleront au Liechtenstein compteront au total neuf disciplines. Il y aura, de plus, une course en V.T.T., à titre de compétition de démonstration. L'intention n'est pas d'organiser des jeux des superlatifs, mais le Liechtenstein veut mettre en lumière ses talents d'organisateur.

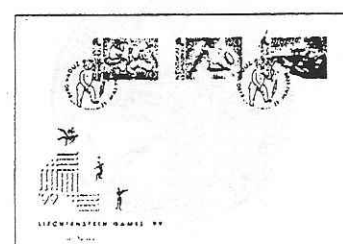
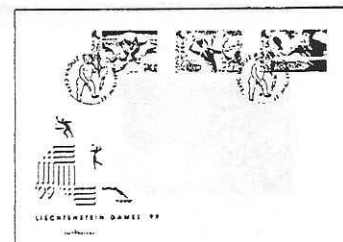
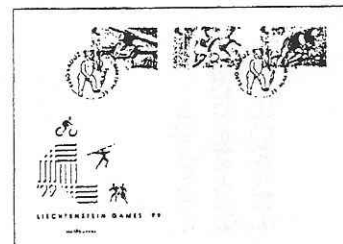
A l'occasion des «Lie-Games '99», la principauté de Liechtenstein émettra une remarquable série de timbres-poste représentant les neuf disciplines au programme. Le judo, la natation et l'athlétisme figureront sur trois timbres à 70 centimes; le cyclisme et le tir, sur deux timbres à 90 centimes créés par Adolf Tuma (Haslau). Peter Sinaweil (Laxenburg), quant à lui, a illustré quatre timbres à 90 centimes de scènes de jeux intéressantes empreintées au tennis, tennis de table, volley-ball et au squash. Les vignettes fabriquées par Courvoisier (La Chaux-de-Fonds) en impression par roto-héliogravure à cinq couleurs se présentent sous un aspect frais et vivant. Avec cette nouvelle émission, les nombreux philatélistes intéressés par la thématique du sport auront le plaisir de pouvoir ajouter un fleuron à leur collection.



Games of the Small States of Europe in Liechtenstein

The «Games of the Small States of Europe» (GSSE) are intended to enable sports-women and sportsmen from the small European countries to compete at regular intervals at an approximately equally high level in performance terms. This is not just about competitive sport, and certainly not about Olympic and world records, but about forming friendships too: the Olympic ideal is to be upheld in peaceful competition, with the object of promoting world peace and binding nations together. These Mini Games were successfully held for the first time at San Marino in 1985. In addition to the host country and the Principality of Liechtenstein, Andorra, Iceland, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco and Cyprus sent small or large delegations; since then, athletes from these eight countries with populations of less than one million have met every two years in a different participating country for a new round of the GSSE.

For 1999, the Principality of Liechtenstein has undertaken to organize the 8th Games; they are to take place from May 24th to 29th under the name «Lie-Games '99». Tradition more than anything else requires there to be some six to eight different sports on the programme, athletics, swimming and one team sport being considered essential. In Liechtenstein contests in nine sports altogether are to be held: as a pilot contest there is also to be a mountain-bike race. There will be no striving for superlatives in these Games, but there is an intention to demonstrate Liechtenstein's organizational capabilities.



Apropos of «Lie-Games '99», an impressive series of stamps is to be issued covering all nine sporting activities on the programme. Judo, swimming and athletics will be depicted on three Rp. 70 stamps and cycling and shooting on two Rp. 90 stamps, all designed by Adolf Tuma (Haslau). Interesting sporting scenes showing tennis, table tennis, volleyball and squash have been created by Peter Sinaweil (Laxenburg) on four Rp. 90 stamps. The stamps printed by Courvoisier (La Chaux-de-Fonds) in five-colour rotogravure make a fresh and lively impression. The many stamp collectors interested in sporting themes can look forward to a brilliant enrichment of their collections.



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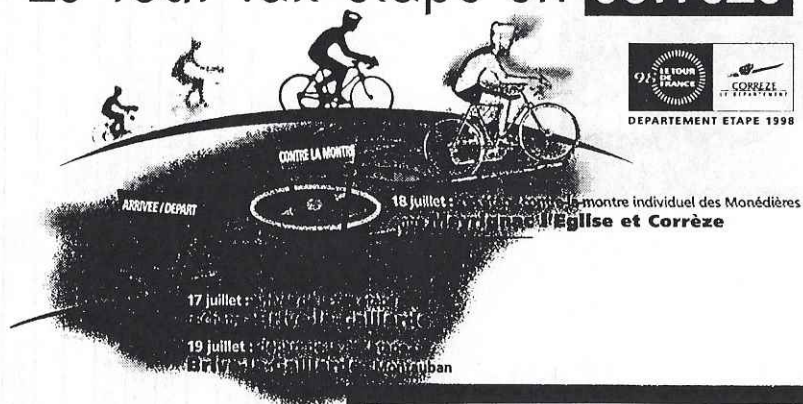
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Taxwert/Motiv	70 Rp. Judo Schwimmen / Natation / Swimming Leichtathletik / Athlétisme / Athletics 90 Rp. Radfahren / Cyclisme / Cycling Tennis Tischtennis / Tennis de table / Table tennis Schiessen / Tir / Shooting Volleyball / Volley-Ball / Volleyball Squash
Markenformat	37,68 x 25,73 mm; Zähnung 11 $\frac{3}{4}$: 11 $\frac{3}{4}$
Blattformat	208 x 146 mm
Entwurf	Tennis, Tischtennis, Volleyball, Squash: Peter Sinaweil, Laxenburg Judo, Schwimmen, Leichtathletik, Radfahren, Schiessen: Adolf Tuma, Haslau
Druck	Rastertiefdruck, Rotation, 5-farbig, Hélio Courvoisier S.A. La Chaux-de-Fonds
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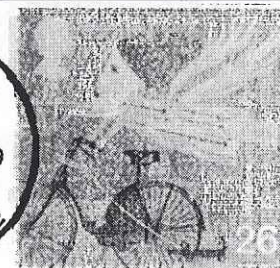
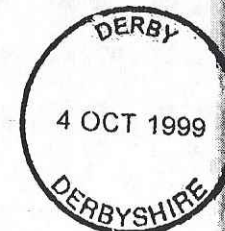
Maxi-Card

	Zeichenerklärung	Explanation of signs	Explications des signes	Spiegazione dei segni
	Viererblock	Block of 4 set	Série en blocs de 4	Blocco di 4
	Bogenserie	Set in full sheets	Série en feuilles	Serie in fogli
	FDC	Ersttagsbrief mit Serie	Enveloppe 1er jour avec la série	Busta del giorno d'emissione con la serie
	FDC/U1	Einzelmarke auf FDC	Enveloppes 1er jour avec timbre isolé	Francobollo singolo su busta
	FDC/U4	Viererblock auf FDC	Enveloppes 1er jour avec bloc de 4	Blocco di 4 francobolli su busta
	MIK	Maximum-Karte	Cartes maximum	Cartolina massimo
	postfrisch	uncancelled (mint)	non oblitéré	Non bollato
	gestempelt	cancelled (first-day cancellation)	oblitéré du jour d'émission	Bollato

Le Tour fait étape en Corrèze



FRANCE '98
Pre-stamped
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75th Anniversary - Cyclists' Touring Club - Derby District Association

Gibraltar -

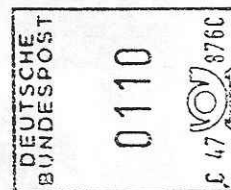
John Lennon

John Lennon et Yoko Ono se sont mariés à Gibraltar il y a 30 ans. Sur le bloc, ils montrent leur contrat de mariage avant de quitter l'île.

3 timbres + 2 blocs-feuillets



LIBYA - 15.08.96



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50th JAHRE ASVÖ

By Josef Muhsil

Fifty years of the ASVÖ represent fifty years of sports history in Austria. The founding of Austria's General Sporting Club was the logical result of growth in each of the provinces. The oldest clubs, with the most tradition, gave impetus to the foundation of a non-partisan and ideologically-independent umbrella organisation. The idea of non-partisan sports was taken up by these sports enthusiasts and was perpetuated in the founding of individual provincial clubs and of the entire organisation.

At the founding assembly on June 26, 1949, in Vienna's Palais Schwarzenberg, all Austrian provincial clubs joined together to form the General Sporting Club. The ASVÖ has made significant contributions to the establishment and maintenance of many sports facilities in each province. The club also constructed a principle and aid program for Austrian sports in general. This program covers all areas and represents the interests of the Federal Sports Organisation and many other sporting organisations. The bulk of the club's weight was and remains the promotion of popular sports, without disregarding proportionate co-operation in the field of top-class sports.

In fifty years, club members have won over 250 Olympic medals and over 200 silver and bronze medals at World and European championships (pta-info, post & telekom Austria).



From My Musette

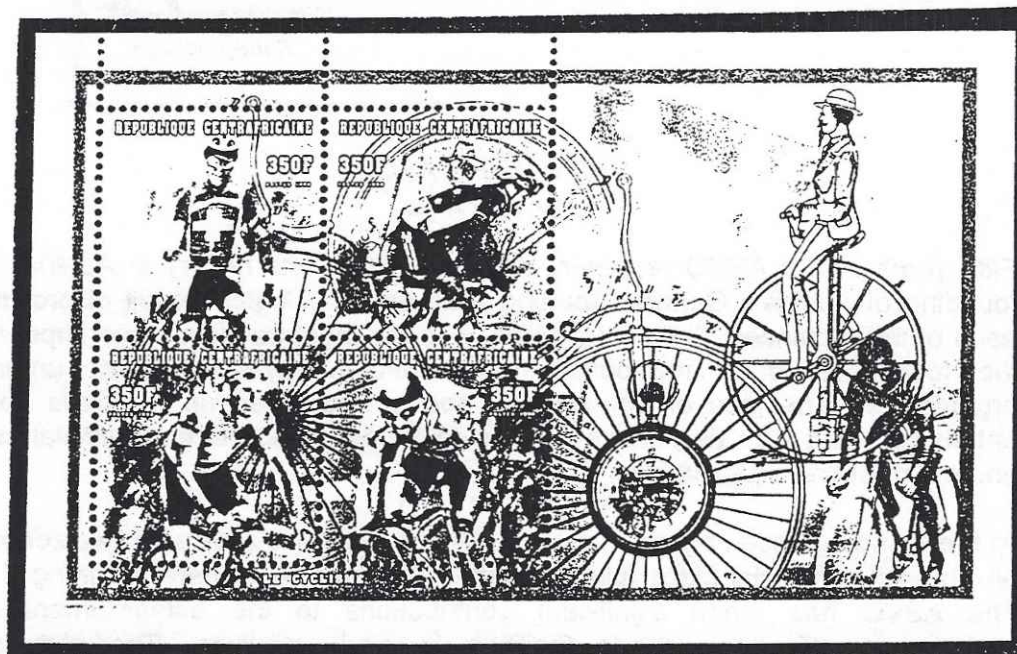


- * Listed in "Society News" in the July issue of Gibbons' Stamp Monthly, under the heading 'Insurance and Banking Philatelic Society of GB', is the news that Brian Sole won the Billingham Cup for his entry "Summertime". On behalf of the members I congratulate him.

Brian is Chairman/Advertising Manager of the British Thematic Association, Chairman of Friends of Thematica and a long-standing member of this Club. Members will remember his article "Bicycle on Stamps", which appeared in February '99 issue "Stamp Magazine", which was reprinted in BS26. I don't know how he finds the time to do all the activities he is involved in!

- * Barbuda stamps - 25.03.98 - In BS26 New Issue Update we listed the set as 3+2S+2S; the latest information is that the set is 4+2 sheets of 9+2 souvenir sheets.
- * André Dhondt has provided the names of the riders on this souvenir sheet, previously shown in BS27 (page 7):

OSCAR CAMENZIND / LANCE ARMSTRONG



ABRAHAM OLANO / MARCO PANTANI

He also advised that the Central African souvenir sheet shown in BS26 (page 19) also exists imperforate.

Shown here is a picture of André with his High Wheeler...



- * Many of you will have the Triathlon stamp issued by St Pierre et Miquelon in 1995 but how many of you know where these islands are situated? If you admit you have no idea, you would not be alone! In the July issue of Gibbons' Stamp Monthly, there was an interesting article, written by G.V. O'Rourke, a former resident of these little-known islands. Included in the article were illustrations of envelopes showing the various destinations around the World that mail went to on its journey to the islands. The United States Post Office has a system: If they do not know the location of a territory, they send the mail to the Philippines!

How do we know this? The author has many envelopes marked "missent to Manila", Philippines. Occasionally the USPS got really imaginative and sent mail to Managua, Nicaragua, who must have known where the islands were because they re-addressed the mail correctly. Unfortunately, the islands' French "Code Postale" is 97500, which really confuses the USPS as it is similar to their zip codes. Now, as everybody who watches the American "soaps" knows, 90000 zips are on the West Coast; O'Rourke has a number of covers that 'visited' California, Washington State and Oregon. Speaking of Oregon, you would expect the Canadians to know where to send the mail. Wrong! A letter posted in Halifax was sent to Medford, Oregon.

Did you know there is a town in Quebec called Miquelon? Neither did O'Rourke until he received a letter that had been mis-directed by the Canadians to this little town 2,700 miles (4,300Km) north of Ottawa! The postal authorities on the other side of the Atlantic are no better - Guernsey has a penchant for sending the mail to Bermuda, the Bermudans then simply send it on to the US - and by now you know where the Americans send it! Jersey has even sent the mail via London; Canada; France and finally the US.

The Isle of Man did slightly better and sent a letter to Martinique - there is a town there called St Pierre - and the islanders know exactly where St Pierre et Miquelon is because they get a lot of mis-directed mail. You would expect the French Post Office to know where to send the mail as the islands are French. Wrong! The favourite destination for mail from France was Guadeloupe, closely followed by Martinique and, occasionally, Mayotte; all of which are well experienced in re-directing mail to SPM.

The Danish PO sends its SPM mail to France; the Dutch send it to Brussels, Belgium, who in turn decide France is a good destination, and you know what the French do with it!

The UK Royal Mail obviously have a team of Philatelists, well-versed in the location and routing of mail to SPM, however, there is one problem, as they do not get much mail for SPM, they must keep one bag especially for the islands. O'Rourke has received one letter that took six-and-a-half months to get to the islands from the UK!

So, okay, where are the islands? They are situated in the Atlantic Ocean, just south of Newfoundland.... Mail to St Pierre arrives by air, either by Montreal, Quebec or Halifax, Nova Scotia in Canada, weather permitting!

- * Ron Sant sent the Tour de France cover shown on page 18; this he received from ex-member Derrick Johnson, who resigned and became an itinerant, with no fixed address, after his wife died. Derrick has kept in touch with Ron, he has bought a mobile home and spends most of his time 'wandering' around Europe. He finds a nice spot and uses it for a base to go cycle touring and, when the area has been covered, he moves on. He goes south in the winter and goes north in the summer. Quite a nice existence...
- * Ron has also forwarded a letter that he received from Mauro Zelli, who lives in Ireland. Mauro has asked if we could include in the magazine a page for the special needs of members, a page for contact between members and/or a page for exchange items. When I received Mauro's letter, I realised that newer members would not know that, in the past, we have printed "wants" lists, lists of items for sale, etc. I can only include this when someone sends me the material. As to contact between members, this is the reason for the printing from time to time of the Club Roster, which details every member's address.
- * With regard to my continual requests for material in my editorials, Terry Crawford has written to sympathise with my problems; from his letter I quote as follows:

"I empathise with your editorial problems in attracting articles for *Bicycle Stamps*. I was in a similar position 26 years ago when I edited a newsletter.



Having some experience of research and writing, I can sympathise with members who hesitate to offer articles, but many of us must have interesting covers that could be easily photocopied and submitted for possible inclusion without much comment.

Very few of the members of the 1980's remain in the Club and, though I have all the newsletters dating back to 1980, I would not object to the occasional reprinting of the better articles of that period if fresh material is not forthcoming. Such articles would be "new" to the vast majority of readers.

In the United Kingdom there are close links between the collectors of stamps and postcards, and some philatelists have "crossed over" to collecting the latter. I for one would be happy to see the occasional vintage postcard reproduced in *Bicycle Stamps*, provided it was of some significance. (Cards of the early 20th century featuring cycling are very easy to find in this country.)

I wonder how many club members received in January the marvellous American auction catalogue that included 32 pages and 204 lots featuring (apparently) all the rare cycling stamps? I assumed I was sent a copy because the auctioneers had obtained a membership list. I was surprised that no mention of it has been made in *Bicycle Stamps*. Were any of our American members able to attend the auction personally? Is it possible for a report on the sale to be included in a future issue? And what was the LECTONI Salutem Bicycle Stamp Collection, which provided the lots? The 32 pages alone are a valuable reference source, and I hope that copies of them will be preserved for the benefit of future collectors of cycle stamps."

- * The Rumanian postcard shown in BS26 (page 7) is one of a set of seven depicting Rumanian postmen, then and now. The card shown is No. 136 and the set comprises 131 to 137, I wonder if any of the other six show a bicycle?
- * From time to time we see stamps in the Europa series; these, prior to 1993, had the CEPT linked postal emblem included in their design, but since that date they have a more stylised symbol. The theme for each year's Europa stamps is decided by Post Europ - the Association of European Public Postal Operators. This organisation was established at the CEPT conference held in Athens in 1992 and formal ratification by the founding 26-member countries took place in London in January 1993. The current members - the public postal operators, described as having 'a universal service obligation, - are: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia & Herzegovina, British Islands (Jersey, Guernsey and Isle of Man), Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Republic of Moldova, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine and the United Kingdom.
- * The cover shown on page 18 is to be issued by the Derby District Association of the CTC on October 4th 1999, postmarked "Derby" - this commemorates the date of the first lecture of the Derby D.A. in 1924, which featured the famous "Wayfarer". Copies of the cover are available from:
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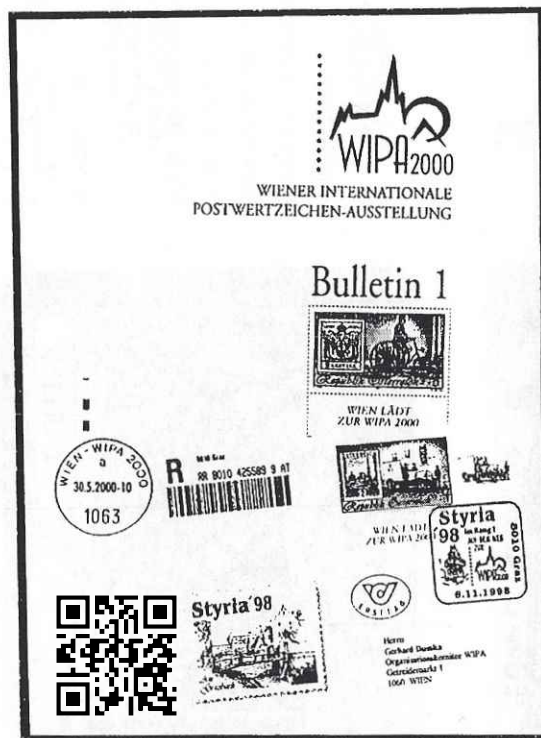
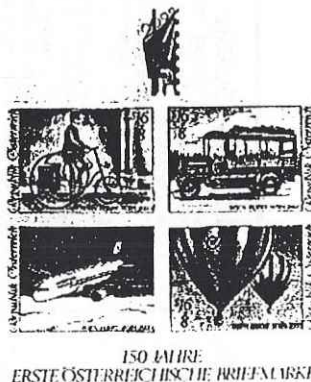
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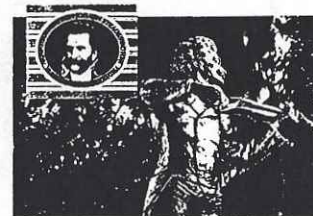


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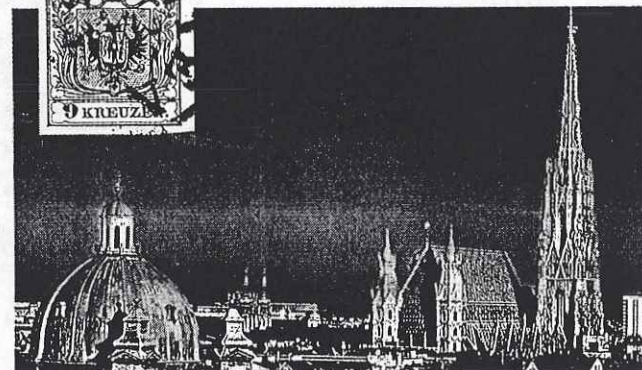
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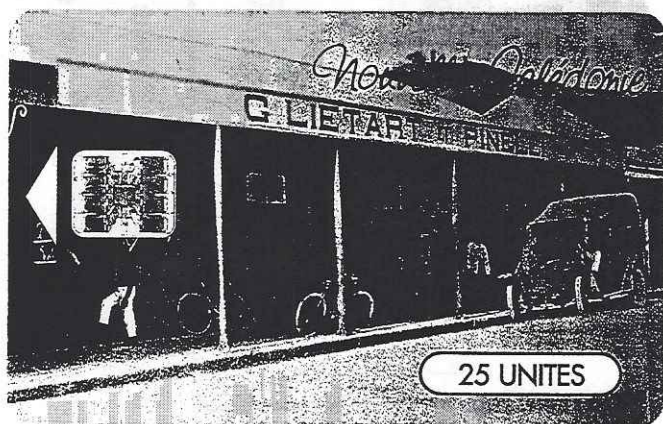
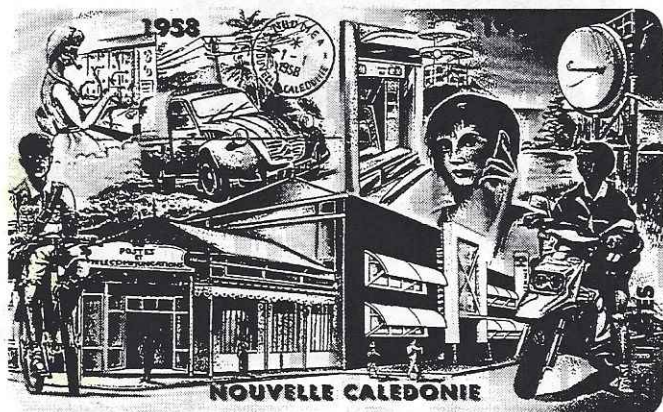
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NEW CALEDONIA - 27.11.98

These stamps first appeared in BS26 on page 8; one of the 'phone cards shown pictures the same scenes. Both the stamps and 'phone cards were issued to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the OPT.



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Jacques Boullaire

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John Howard A Man Possessed

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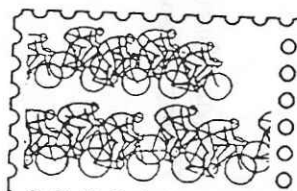
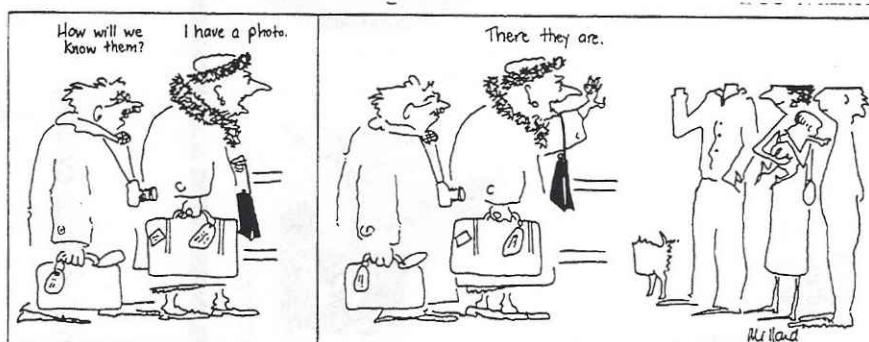
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