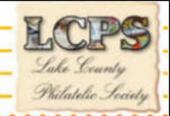
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Perforations



Last month we discussed the possibility of creating a stamp for our 75th Anniversary. Bill Schultz made a presentation on the subject and it was decided to open the stamp design up to the membership.

This month we will look at some of the results of this design effort.







Treasures' Report:

Checking --

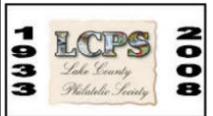
\$926.24;

Savings Account --

\$1,507.29;

Total --

\$2,422.53



LCPS 75th Anniversary Stamp ...

In the February meeting, Dr. Tom displayed a sheet of "custom stamps" given to him as an anniversary present. Bill suggested and then volunteered to research 'if it would be feasible' to produce a stamp a commemorative stamp to honor the 75 years the LCPS has been around.



Here are some of the highlights of his research presentation on the USPS Custom Postage Program:

Called 'PictureItPostage'(http://www.pictureitpostage.com)



Stamps come in 'packs' of 2 sheets of ten [20] 2-1/2x1-9/16" stamps each machine printed postage is about 1-1/2x3-¼
Cost is \$14.95 for 1 'pack', \$64.75 for 5 packs, \$119.50 for 10 packs
All standard PC files are OK
Few content limitations

Delivery in 1-2 weeks from order

Stamps will be issued at new May 14th rate



Some of the suggestions include those pictured at left, with the bottom one produced by the free software provided by the company.

If you have any suggestions, let them be known at the next meeting.

Note: the design at the right probably would not make it through because of the "acceptable contents" rule.

