

# Perforations



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Last month we discussed APS slide programs and selected a number of them. We will see the first **"Stamp Collecting: Earning a Merit Badge in This Fascinating Hobby."**

Three more presentations are scheduled: *S38 ERRORS, VARIETIES, FREAKS, AND ODDITIES ON U.S. STAMPS* May, *S62 A HISTORY OF HAWAII AS TOLD THROUGH STAMPS* - June and *S65 THE DIVISION OF THE UNION* - July.

Also bring any stamps for enticing local Boy Scouts in a drive to interest more people in the hobby.

Additional items displayed (from Bob Luhr, see right) at the last meeting were a Christmas scene and a 'quarter pounder'. Not shown was the "tacks shelter".



**Treasures' Report: Checking - \$1,647.17; Savings - \$ 1,543.04; Total - \$ 3,190.21**



Scott 1178  
12 April 1961



150 years ago, this month, the Civil War began with the bombardment of Ft Sumter on 12 April 1861. Fifty years ago the USPOD commemorated the Civil War with a five stamp series depicting key events in the struggle.

This time, the USPS will be issuing 10 different stamps (double-sided panes of 6 pairs), two each year, not only honoring key events, but in a format that will give some historical background behind the events depicted.

The second stamp on this year's pane depicts First Bull Run (Manassas), a Union defeat, fought on 21 July 1861.



### Local Stamp Shows

<b>MAYPEX '11</b> Gonzaga Hall 1435 So. 92nd St West Allis, WI May 21-22	<b>COMPEX 2010</b> District 214 Fieldhouse 2121 S Goebbert RD Arlington Heights IL May 27-29	<b>CHICAGOLAND COIN SHOW</b> (includes Stamps) LAKE CTY FAIRGROUNDS 1060 East Peterson Road Grayslake IL June 11-12 (\$6.00 fee)	<b>MSDA Show</b> Holiday Inn Express 600 Milwaukee Ave Prospect Heights IL July 9-10	<b>MSDA Show West</b> Lidner Conference Center 610 E Butterfield Rd Lombard IL Aug 20-21
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**Next meeting:**  
7-PM on **Tuesday, 26 April 2011**  
at the **Grayslake Library**  
100 Library Lane - Grayslake, IL 60030



**Officers:**  
Dr Tom Willer – President  
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