

The Orlando Stamp Shop – Is Open!

The Editor

The only remaining store front in the Orlando/Winter Park area is owned by a member of the CFSC, John Latter. The Orlando Stamp Shop, opened in December 2016. Typically, we open from 10 to 4 Tuesday through Thursday, 5 PM on CFSC meeting nights, and Saturday 9 to 2. The store is quite small so appointments are a good idea.

Whereas Collectors Exchange specializes in British Empire / Commonwealth, Orlando Stamp Shop stocks US & WW material as well as supplies

We will be away during August. However, if someone requires hinges, mounts etc. they can pop in and ask for Sebrina.

We restrict appraisals & offers to sell to Wednesdays & Saturdays. Phone 407.425.6333.

[Editor's note: My first encounter with John Latter many years ago, left me with my head spinning. Who was this person who spoke a version of English that was so foreign to me? John and his partner Jean have become folks that I am very fond of and look forward to seeing.If only he actually spoke English!]



A Piece of CFSC History

The Gavel -- The Past Meets the Present



Every meeting of the CFSC starts with the banging of the gavel. Little did anyone realize that we had a club artifact that had been in our hands for decades and used at just about every meeting. The head of the gavel is engraved with the name W.G. Slocum, who served as the club President. W.G. Slocum served as President of the CFSC from 1954-1955. William G. also served as secretary from 1952-1953. This piece of club history had been completely overlooked!

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Newsletters of Old

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We have strived to collect and maintain the history of the CFSC. It has been a challenge at times. The oldest newsletters we have been able to locate and scan are from March and November of 1977. Both were edited by the esteemed Wade H. Beery in his capacity as Secretary. This is only page one of three pages for this issue. As you can see the effort was done with the use of a typewriter. If you should have any early issues of the CFSC newsletters please contact the Editor to preserve the information for future generations. All the available newsletters can be found at www.CentralFloridaStampClub.org – click on the ARCHIVES button and then select the link that says Archived Newsletters.

