

UNITED STATES

1929

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK



1772-1781: Captured the English fort at Kaskaskia in Illinois country and Fort Sackville near Vincennes on the Wabash River. Between Americans held these two forts at the end of the Revolution, the Northwest Territory was secured for the U. S.

ELECTRIC LIGHT GOLDEN JUBILEE

Flat Plate Printing

Rotary Press Printing

PERFORATED 10
(PL. BLOCK OF 6)



19725-78
(4 PLATES)

PERFORATED 11 1/2

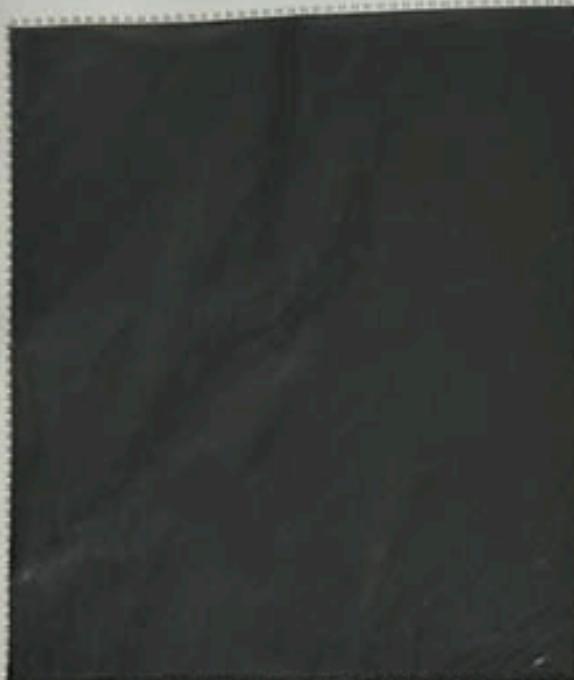


BETWEEN
19725 AND 19805
(8 PLATES)

These stamps honored Edison's development of the electric light in 1879. Edison was not the first to think of electric lamps, but he did perfect it.

1929

SULLIVAN EXPEDITION



General Sullivan (1740-95) led a successful expedition against the Indians and Loyalists in western New York.

BATTLE OF FALLEN TIMBERS

PLATE BLOCK OF 8



1924-31
(8 PLATES)

By defeating Chief Little Turtle, General Anthony Wayne (1745-96) opened the way to the safer settlement of Ohio.

OHIO RIVER CANALIZATION



Army engineers built the country's most extensive canal system between two cities: Cairo, Illinois and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

1930

MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY

CAROLINA-CHARLESTON

20059



300th anniversary of the arrival of 1000 Puritans in the Mass. Bay Colony, where Boston was founded in 1630.

VF/NH 48

PLATE BLOCK OF 6



20061.64
(4 PLATES)

683

Noted the 260th anniversary of the colonization of Carolina; and the 250th birthday of Charles Town, now Charleston.

BATTLE OF BRADDOCK'S FIELD

VON STEUBEN

20169



General Braddock's British forces were defeated (1755) by French and Indians at Ft. Duquesne, now Pittsburgh, Pa.

F.VF
32

20270

VF 30

1730-94: This former Prussian army officer was the Inspector General of the American Revolutionary Army.

1931

GENERAL CASIMIR PULASKI



1748-79: A former Polish patriot, Count Casimir Pulaski, was made head of the American Cavalry by Washington; he was killed leading a charge at the Battle of Savannah.

RED CROSS



BLACK: BETWEEN
20434 AND 20525
(24 PLATES)
RED: BETWEEN
20445 AND 20503
(20 PLATES)

This issue celebrated the 50th anniversary of the founding of the American Red Cross by Clara Barton in 1881.

YORKTOWN



CARMINE ROSE: BETWEEN
20461 AND 20671 (24 PLATES)
BLACK: BETWEEN
20470 AND 20667 (38 PLATES)

Blockaded by a fleet at sea and on American and French army ashore, Cornwallis surrendered his army in the last major battle of the Revolutionary War (1781), assuring American independence.

UNITED STATES

1932

WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL

704-15 PLT.
NH/LH BLKS



F 2.30



F 2.22



VF .50



VF 8.42



F 2.86

1932

WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL



20636

VF.OG 26-



20570

F-VF, NH 75-



20563

X 3.91



20565

X. 44.48



20641

X 30.19



20642

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UNITED STATES

1932

OLYMPIC SUMMER GAMES



These stamps hailed the Tenth Olympic Games which were held in Los Angeles, California.

F-VF
#11.20

F-VF
#16.80

ARBOR DAY



Honoring the 60th birthday of tree-planting day.
First observed in the State of Nebraska in 1872.

OLYMPIC WINTER GAMES



20815.26
(12 PLATES)

710

WILLIAM PENN



21064-75
(12 PLATES)

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21034-41, 46-49
(12 PLATES)

1644-1718: Founding Father of Pennsylvania, architect of Philadelphia and guarantor of religious freedom.

1782-1852: One of our most gifted orators; served in three cabinets, elected four times to the Senate.

1933

GEORGIA BICENTENNIAL



21103

Marked the 200th anniversary of the founding of Georgia and Savannah by Gen. Oglethorpe (1696-1785).

KOSCIUSZKO



1746-1817: Famed as an aide to General Washington in the American Revolution. Designed West Point's fortifications.

UNITED STATES

1933-34

BYRD ANTARCTIC EXPEDITION



#28-XF

Honors the 2nd expedition of Rear-Admiral Byrd (1888-1957) to the South Pole in 1933. Globe shows flying routes used by the Admiral.

WISCONSIN TERCENTENARY

PERFORATED II
(PLATE BLOCK OF 6)



21238-45 (8 PLATES)

739

UNITED STATES

1934

NATIONAL PARKS



EL CAPITAN, YOSEMITE (CALIFORNIA)

21256



GRAND CANYON (ARIZONA)

UNITED STATES

1940

FAMOUS AMERICANS — AUTHORS

WASHINGTON IRVING



1783-1859: Best remembered for "Rip Van Winkle," "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow," and "The Life of George Washington."

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JAMES FENIMORE COOPER



1789-1851: Dramatized the excitement of pioneer days in "The Leather Stocking Tales," "Last of the Mohicans," many more.

1.00

RALPH WALDO EMERSON



1803-82: Renowned poet and essayist who is often called "The Father of American Transcendentalism."

2.00

LOUISA MAY ALCOTT



1832-88: Famous for such popular novels as "Little Women" and "Little Men," she also was a dedicated teacher and nurse.

10.00

SAMUEL L. CLEMENS



1835-1910: Gained world-wide fame under the name Mark Twain. Wrote such classics as "Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn."

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1942-43

KENTUCKY STATEHOOD



22925

In 1767 this area was explored by Daniel Boone who led a group of settlers over the Wilderness Road through the Cumberland Gap. Kentucky joined the union in 1792.

WIN THE WAR



23050



22933

Publicizes the strong unity which existed among the Allied countries in their fight against the Axis powers in World War II.

FOUR FREEDOMS



23079

A reaffirmation of those great spiritual values upon which our country is based, and for which men fight and die.

CHINESE RESISTANCE



22954

Honors those Chinese people who struggled for many years against Japanese aggression. Shown with President Lincoln is Dr. Sun Yat-sen (1866-1925), founder of the Chinese Republic.

UNITED STATES

1943-44

OVERRUN COUNTRIES

POLAND



Nazi invasion of Poland started World War II. The Poles fought bravely, but were soon defeated and this gallant nation was divided between Germany and Russia. In 1941, while they were attacking Russia, the Nazis also took the balance of Poland.

POLAND

CZECHOSLOVAKIA



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NORWAY



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Norway was attacked without provocation by the Nazis in 1940. The King and his cabinet went to London while the hated traitor Quisling headed the state in this overrun land. The Norwegian underground was unusually successful against the enemy.

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