"EDITORIAL" by John Kellas

The U.S. Postal Service hasn't yet authorized the operation of a Philatelic Sales Center at Rochester's Main Post Office in Henrietta. As you all know several special U.S. issues are due to come out in the next few months (U.S. CAPEX issues). If the Rochester "Philatelic Sale Center" remains in limbo, Rochesterians will be unable to purchase these special issues locally. Both Buffalo and Syracuse have Philatelic Sale Centers, so you can travel to those cities for your philatelic needs. Or you can order U.S. issues from the main Philatelic Sale Center which requires a handling & postage charge. Or YOU CAN WRITE A LETTER to the Postmaster General, Washington, D.C. asking for authorization of a Rochester Philatelic Sale Center which has been requested by the Rochester Postmaster since Mid-March. Fast action is needed, write today...... There will be summer editions of the "H & T", eventhough the RPA does not meet in July and August. The "H & T" will keep the membership informed of any summer philatelic events. If RPA Members wish to submitt articles for inclusion in future "H & T" issues, please send it to the RPA mailing address before the first of each month.........

JUNE MEETINGS

June 8th - Annual Business Meeting". It is important that all RPA member in good-stand attend this meeting. Election of new officers and club business will be conducted. Included in this newsletter is an official ballot for membership use. Don't loose this ballot you will not be allowed a second ballot. Mail or bring your ballot to the Business Meeting, VOTE YOUR CHOICE!

June 22nd - NO MEETING ++++++

June 23rd - Annual RPA Banquet & Auction". The RPA Banquet & Auction will take place at the ROYAL SOCIAL, 557 E. Ridge Road. Tickets will be available at the Business Meeting (about $6.50) from Larry Moriarty or be at the ROYAL SOCIAL Friday, June 23rd. The Banquet will start around 7:30 pm with the Auction after the dinner. A great tasting smorgasbord featuring beef, ham, chicken, turkey. Up to 10 lots per member will be allowed. Official lot forms are available at the Business meeting, June 8th. ALL LOTS FOR THE BANQUET AUCTION MUST BE SUBMITTED AT THE JUNE 8TH BUSINESS MEETING. In a separate mailing a printed list of all the lots up for auction will be sent out. Lots will not be accepted after the Business Meeting.

John Hancock
Patriot
U.S. Domestic Rate
"OFFICIAL BALLOT FOR R.P.A. OFFICES, 1978-79"

Please mark one choice for each office listed below:
(mail ballot to R.P.A. or hand it in at the Business Meeting)

1.) President - Lawrence R. Moriarity ______
    (Other) ________________________________ ______

2.) Vice President -
    Audrey Pankrats ______
    (Other) ________________________________ ______

3.) Recording Sec. - John H. Kalbfus ______
    (Other) ________________________________ ______

4.) Corresponding Sec. - John P. Kellas III ______
    (Other) ________________________________ ______

5.) Treasurer - John T. Knight ______
    (Other) ________________________________ ______

6.) Board of Governors, 3 yrs. term - Carl R. Doell ______
    (Other) ________________________________ ______

7.) "PROPOSED ADDITION TO THE RPA CONSTITUTION"
    YES ______   NO ______

"Be it resolved that the article concerned with the Terms of Office of the At-Large members of the Rochester Philatelic Ass. Board of Governors be amended by adding the following sentence: "Should an At-Large member of the Board of Governors resign, a special meeting of the R.P.A. membership will be held within sixty (60) days to elect a member to fulfill the unexpired Term of Office."

ELECTION WILL BE HELD AT THE JUNE BUSINESS MEETING.
JUNE 8, 1978 at 8:15 pm."