

AAMS Membership Report

March 2024

New Members

- 12607 Kenneth W. Stach, Letcher SD. NAW, CAM, DC, BC
 12608 Steve Bonowski, Lakewood CO. AM, HC, EL, OF, FAM, FF,
 Portugal Colonies
 12609 William G. Armstrong, Westport CT. Z, BC, ASTRO
 12610 Richard Lawrence, Pacific Palisades CA. AM, CAM, PA, DC,
 FFUS, CL
 12611 Daniel Kusrow, Staten Island NY. Airline baggage labels
 12612 Aija Heloize Pince, Riga LATVIA. AM, HC, EL, AL, AS, 1D, APS,
 Z, BC, FF, Egypt, Latvia
 12613 Roger Bendure, La Vergne TN. AM, GF, CAM, 1D, FAM, DC,
 FFUS
 12614 Michael Nissim, Tarrytown NY. EL, AL, AS, Z, BC, ASTRO, RP

Reinstated

- 11626 David A. Lamantia
 12510 Jean-Luc Monfleur

Lapsed

- 12536 Vincent Costello
 12542 Susanna Mills
 12543 Wayne E. Hillelson

Resigned

- 09923 Dr. Peter P. McCann

Deceased

- 12389 John Patrick Wynns
 07206 Dixon H. Preston
 07485 Allen Klein
 12573 Don Denman
 06674 Robert E. Mattingly

— Summary —

Total Membership — February 2024	653
New Members	8
Reinstatements	2
Lapsed	-3
Resigned	-1
Deceased	-5
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American Air Mail Society Sale 339

THIS IS A MEMBERS ONLY MAIL SALE CLOSING

June 15, 2024

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CAMs FAMs FFUS

Lot #	(*not properly backstamped)	Cat. Value
1	Colonial 1S6*, N8 plus SH581Aa (exper. motorcycle Boston-Springfield (cach on rev) Old Jug Head don.	37.50
2	Northwest 9W&E6 (Madison 11/22/27) A Klein don.	11.00
3	Ball 11S1, cacheted R11S6 (Pbgh disp) & R11N6 "	13.00
4	Varney 12W1*, E2AM*, E2PMa (poor cx) & E6 "	17.00
5	NAT 17W1N, Z17E2N (both w/C10) A Klein don.	15.00
6	Boeing Air Transport 18W1, W3, E16 & S20* "	18.00
7	Pitcairn Aviation/EAT 19N3, S&N15 A Klein don.	14.00
8	Colonial West'n 20E13*, E14*, E15* Old Jug Head don.	9.00
9	TAT 21S1 & S2 (Dallas & Ft Worth to Galveston) " "	12.00
10	TWA 10/25/30: 34W10, E12* & W14* J Bloor donation	11.00
11	Northwest AM3SE63f (Detroit AMF-Phila) A Klein don	5.00
12	EAL AM5&6S33 & S40 (both to Miami) " "	10.00
13	Hanford AM26S13 & cacheted N14 " "	6.00
14	4 All American pick-ups: P1W10*, W17*, W21* & P2S1* B Holly donation	7.50
15	West Coast Airlines 77N&S47, N&S48 and N&S51	20.00
16	Empire 78S2, S3, S4, N7, S&N8, N16 D Veazie don.	13.00
17	Wiggins 79W1 & f, W&E2, W&E3, W&E4, E5 " "	8.00
18	Mid-Continent cacheted 80N2, N4, S6 & N7 " "	9.00
19	Frontier 81N2 & f, S2f, N3, N&S4, N&S5, S6, S8 "	30.00
20	Trans-Texas 82S11, N12, N&13, N&S14, N&S15, N&S16, and N17 D Veazie donation	22.50
21	Los Angeles Airways 84-12 & f, 15, 16, 17, 20 & 21 "	11.50
22	Piedmont 87W2, W6, W7, NW31 & W39 B Holly don.	11.00
23	Lake Cent'l 88W&E48, N58, W71, E73, N&S74, NW75 D Veazie donation	16.50

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24	Mid-West 90W24 & f, E26, W28 (stained), W29, E30 (stained), W31, W&E33, E34 D Veazie donation	23.50
25	Parks 91N2f, N&S4, N5, S7 & f " "	12.00
26	Frontier 93S1, N&S3, S4, N&S5, S6 " "	14.00
27	All American Airways 97W15, NE23, W29, W34, E39 & f, S51, S55 & f B Holly donation	16.00
28	Avalon 144W1 & f, W2 & E3 (2-to LA & Long Beach)	11.50
29	F5-2 (Cristobal-Miami) & 190F (LA AMF-Panama) Old Jug Head donation	5.00
30	F6-78 (San Juan 2/9/31 to Maturin) " " "	10.00
31	F14-16, a, b & c...Hong Kong dispatches " "	27.50
32	F18-2, 13, 13a & 14a (all on loor spec-printed env) "	12.00
33	F19-9 (Auckland-San Fran & then rtnd to NZ w/US C22) Old Jug Head donation	???
34	Flying Tiger Line F25-1, 1F & 2F (3 to Tokyo)	6.00
35	TWA F27-1, 3d, 6b & odd-shaped 24 (Lisbon-NY)	61.00
36	EAL F29-50, F & 53 (Miami to St Thomas & return)	19.00
37	3 EAL: F33-35 (Miami-Bermuda) and FFUS EA-F51 (b/s on face) & 53f Old Jug Head donation	6.00
38	NW Orient FFUS NW-F32f, 37*, 42 & 91 " "	8.00
39	United UA-D4Sf*, 14Ef, 55NW* & 72Sf D Veazie don.	8.00
Early NASA		
40	Vandenberg AFB 6/25/59 "Discoverer IV" cached #10 hotel corner card/orbit failure) Ramkisson/Winick	35.00
41	Lompoc, CA 7/14/59 "Nike-Asp Sunflare" R/W	12.50
42	Vandenberg AFB 8/3/59 "Thor" Brit launch Courtney	8.00
43	" " 8/19/59 " RAF " R/W	12.50
44	Lompoc 9/1/59 "Navy Nike-Asp fired during sunflare" ???	
45	Vandenbg 9/9/59 "Atlas" (1st tactical launching) R/W	12.50
46	" 4/15/60 "Discoverer 11" (no recovery) R/W	35.00
47	Pt Canaveral 5/24/60 "Midas II launch" R/W	35.00
48	" " 6/22/60 "Navy Transit 2A launch" R/W	12.50
49	" " 7/20/60 "Sub G Washington Polaris" "	35.00
50	Vandenberg AFB 8/10/60 "Discoverer Polar Orbit" "	75.00
51	" 8/11/60 ("Discoverer 13" recovery) "	75.00
52	Pt Canaveral "Echo I" 8/12/60 launch w/IKE cachet "	35.00
53	Vandenbg 8/19/60 "Discoverer 14" recovery in air "	75.00
54	" 9/12/60 "Atlas" test firing	???
55	" 9/13/60 "Discovered 15/Thor Booster" R/W	35.00

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56	Patrick AFB 9/15/60 "1st Sub Pat Henry Polaris launch	???
57	Vandenbg 10/26/60 "Discoverer 16" launch/failure R/W	35.00
58	Wallops 11/8/60 "Little Joe" failed to separate "	50.00
59	Vandenberg 11/12/60 "Discoverer 17" launch "	35.00
60	" 11/14/60 "Discoverer" mid-air recovery "	35.00
61	Patrick AFB 11/17/60 Polaris A-1 launch	???
62	Vandenberg 12/10/60 "Discoverer" recovery Courtney	15.00
63	Patrick AFB 12/12/60 Pershing missile launch	???
64	" " 12/15/60 Atlas moon shot Courtney	25.00
65	3 front-only "Echo" 12/15/60 FDC's: Fleetwood, Cachet Craft & Space Unit/AFA	???
66	Patrick AFB 12/16/60 cached "Titan" launch	???
67	Pt Canaveral 12/19/60 unmanned "Mercury" launch	30.00
68	Patrick AFB 12/22/60 cached "Bomarc" launch	???
Other Stuff		
69	8 diff US "Space" FDCs: Scott 1107 (2), 1173, 1193 & 1331/2 (4) R Broms donation Mallone	43.50
70	15 diff Czech "Space" FDCs " " Scott	22.20
71	12 diff planes on 3 Scott Canada 873-6, 903-6 and 969-72 se-tenant block FDCs R Thomas donation	5.00
72	3 "Historic Planes" FDCs: Bermuda 318-21, New Zealand 556-9 & St Lucia 505/10/12 (DC-10, 727, Tri-Star)	11.85
73	"200 Yrs of Manned Flt": Solomon Is 497-501 #10 FDC & mint St Kitts souvenir sheet 123-6 (no gum)	???
74	40 of a series of 50 "History of Aviation" Brooke Bond Tea cards from England	???
75	"75th Ann of Flt": ArtCraft w/Kill Devils Hill 12/17/78 comm pmk & LERC Stamp Club Burbank 10/8/78 comm pmk	???
76	CHI 12/17/28 "25th Ann of Aeroplane" & Pbg 9/1/29 "In Memoriam Lt Bettis (airplane crash 9/1/26) autog by Harry Sievers-Clifford Ball pilot B & K Crabb don.	???
77	Crash 491129o-American Airlines-Dallas w/slip from Tulsa Post Master Old Jug Head donation	101.00
78	3 planes crash: complete 12/18/60 NYC Sunday News w/headline "AF Plane Hits Munich St-60 Dead" + TWA & UAL collide over NY (see Crash 601216) P Huber don.	???
79	"The World" 9/30/28 NY newspaper w/article by C R Allen re: 1911 LA-FL Fowler flt & 1919 Trans-Cont'l race won in 9 days by Lt Maynard) P Huber donation	???

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80	2 pc-sized photos of 1924 pilot Locatetti "Crew of 3" & "With Capt of USS Richmond" who rescued them off Greenland after escorting R-T-W flyers from Iceland	???
81	PP39a3...Amundsen-Ellsworth "Dornier Wal" attempted N. Pole flt (Gimbel's pc pmkd Kings Bay 6/18/24)	100.00
82	2 postcards of <i>Norge</i> : "Approaching Spitzbergen (Kings Bay)" & "Construction to Moor (?) Airship"	???
83	2 R-T-W covers: <i>Graf Zeppelin</i> Santa Monica 8/25/29 to Lakehurst 8/29 & AEROPEX NY 6/10/62 to NY 6/12 Old Jug Head donation Frost	120.00
84	Mellone 4/20/34-10...red "Macon" cachet from Moffett Field on airmail env (no autograph) D Pollard don.	25.00
85	RNZAF pilot autog Scott Base Depndncy to NZ 2/20/61	???
86	PP397a3...pilot autog.Qantas "747" 1st comm'l mail to So. Magnetic Pole 2/13/77 (pstg due)	50.00
87	Grenada Grenadines Scott 447 (Ruth Nichols) on cover & Hungary 402 (Read/NC4), 404 (Amy Johnson/Sirius) & 405 (Gypsy Moth) FDC	???
88	Miami to Kingston & Cristobal 11/19/31 with Lindy cach (see Lindberghiana 81* & 83) Old Jug Head don.	75.00
89	Three 8"x11" photos of Lindy's "Sirius" (Nome & Japan)	???
90	5 cach covers comm "Robbins & Kelly World Endurance Record 1929" + newspaper clipping Old Jug Head don.	???
91	Tyler, TX 11/7/37 cacheted "This Cover Carried on Off'l World's Record Endurance Flt for Small Planes" Old Jug Head donation	???
92	2 Australian "Wilkins & Gatty" aerogram 8/18/94 FDCs	???
93	Post & Gatty Visit (San Fran 8/26/31 "Harbor Day" label on rev) + THAMEX 10/16/83 "Willie Mae" pmk	???
94	Trans-Oceanic 1242a (Auckland12/29/37 bkstmpd San Francisco 1/6/38) Old Jug Head donation	15.00
95	J-1...AAF/GE Jet + 2 from Portland (J-167S & N)	7.00
96	Aloha prop-Jet service to Islands: J-110E, 110W & 112	6.00
97	Hawaiian Airline Jets: J-1172 thru 1176	10.00
98	2 KLM FFCs: Eustis 814*/15* (spec-printed Neth-Sydney round trip folder) & 1351 (Polar Rt) Old Jug Head don	100.00
99	5 Lufthansa FFFs: 76f, 83f, 153, 173 & f	7.50
100	2 Japan Air Lines FFFs: JL-1 & 2 B & K Crabbs don.	26.50

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