

VICTORY ISSUE - 1919



"Victory" and Flags of the Allies

Issued on March 3, 1919 to commemorate the successful conclusion of World War I. The design shows "Victory" and the United States flag flanked by the flags of Great Britain, Belgium, Italy and France.





UNITED STATES PLATE BLOCKS



The Mayflower

PILGRIM  
TERCENTENARY  
ISSUE - 1920



Landing of the Pilgrims



Signing the Compact

The Pilgrim Tercentenary Issue commemorated the 300th anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth, Massachusetts, in December 1620. Of the Mayflower's 102 passengers, 41 Pilgrim "Fathers" signed en route a compact, in which they pledged themselves to adhere to the principles of self-government in the Colony.

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## HARDING MEMORIAL ISSUE - 1923



CM60-CM62 Warren Harding after an etching  
by F. Pauling



Issued in memory of President Warren G. Harding. First placed on sale (flat plate Perf. 11) on September 1, 1923 at Marion, Ohio and Washington, D. C. The imperforate stamps were first placed on sale November 15, 1923 at the Philatelic Agency in Washington, D. C. and Rotary Press printings were issued September 12, 1923.



HUGUENOT-WALLOON TERCENTENARY - 1924



The New Netherlands



Landing of Walloons at Fort Orange.

Issued to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the settling of the Walloons in New Netherlands, now the State of New York, and the restoration of a monument to earlier Huguenot settlements in the South. First placed on sale on May 1, 1924.



HUGUENOT-WALLOON TERCENTENARY - 1924



Monument to Huguenots at Mayport, Florida





## LEXINGTON-CONCORD ISSUE - 1925



Washington at Cambridge



Battle of Lexington

First placed on sale April 4, 1925, The Lexington-Concord Issue commemorated the 150th anniversary of the first armed conflicts of the American Revolution on April 19, 1775.





LEXINGTON-CONCORD ISSUE - 1925



The Minute Man

NORSE-AMERICAN ISSUE - 1925



Sloop Restaurationen



Viking Ship. Built in Norway, presented to Field Columbian Museum, Chicago

First placed on sale May 18, 1925, The Norse-American Issue commemorated the 100th anniversary of the first Norwegian immigrants' arrival on the sloop Restaurationen on October 9, 1825.



SESQUICENTENNIAL EXPOSITION - 1926



The Liberty Bell

Issued in connection with the Sesqui-centennial Exposition held at Philadelphia, in 1926, to commemorate the 150th anniversary of American Independence. First placed on sale May 10, 1926.

BATTLE OF WHITE PLAINS - 1926



Alexander Hamilton's Battery

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Battle of White Plains, N. Y. The stamp pays tribute to the glorious stand of the embattled American forces.

ERICSSON MEMORIAL - 1926



Statue of John Ericsson

Issued in connection with the unveiling of a statue erected at Washington, D. C., in honor of John Ericsson, Swedish born engineer, builder of the *Monitor*, which engaged the Confederate vessel *Merrimac* during the Civil War.



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### VERMONT SESQUICENTENNIAL - 1927



Green Mountain Boy

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the independence of Vermont and the Battle of Bennington. First placed on sale August 3, 1927.

### VALLEY FORGE - 1928



Washington at Prayer

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the encampment of Washington's army at Valley Forge during the bitter winter of 1777-78. First placed on sale May 26, 1928.

### SURRENDER OF BURGOYNE - 1927



Surrender of Burgoyne

Commemorates the Battles of Fort Stanwix, Oriskany, Bennington and Saratoga. First placed on sale August 3, 1927.



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### HAWAIIAN SESQUICENTENNIAL - 1928



Issued in Hawaii, in connection with the Sesquicentennial celebration held August 15 to 20, 1928. First placed on sale August 13, 1928 at Honolulu and soon, thereafter, at other Hawaiian post offices. Never on sale at any post office (other than the Philatelic Agency) in continental United States.

### BATTLE OF MONMOUTH - 1928



The Molly Pitcher Stamp commemorated the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Monmouth, New Jersey, June 28, 1778, and honored Mary Ludwig Hays, whose husband was a cannoner in the battle. Called "Molly Pitcher" because she carried water to the tired and wounded soldiers, she also took her husband's place when he was overcome by the heat, and manned his cannon throughout the rest of the battle.





INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AERONAUTICS CONFERENCE - 1928



Wright Airplane



Monoplane and Globe

The Aeronautics Conference Issue, in connection with the International Civil Aeronautics Conference held December 12-14 in Washington, D. C., commemorated the 25th anniversary of the first airplane flight (December 17, 1903) by the Wright brothers at Kitty Hawk, N. C.





GEORGE ROGERS CLARK - 1929



Surrender at Fort Sackville

Issued to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the surrender of Fort Sackville near the present site of Vincennes, Ind. This stamp honors the great explorer who helped win the Northwest Territory to the American side.



### EDISON'S ELECTRIC LIGHT - 1929



CM85-86, Edison's First Lamp



To commemorate the 50th anniversary of the invention of the first incandescent electric lamp by Thomas Alva Edison. Issued in flat plate, and rotary press sheets and in rotary press coils. First placed on sale (flat plate) on June 5, 1929 at Menlo Park, N. J. Rotary press printings in sheets and coils were issued June 11, 1929.

### SULLIVAN'S EXPEDITION - 1929



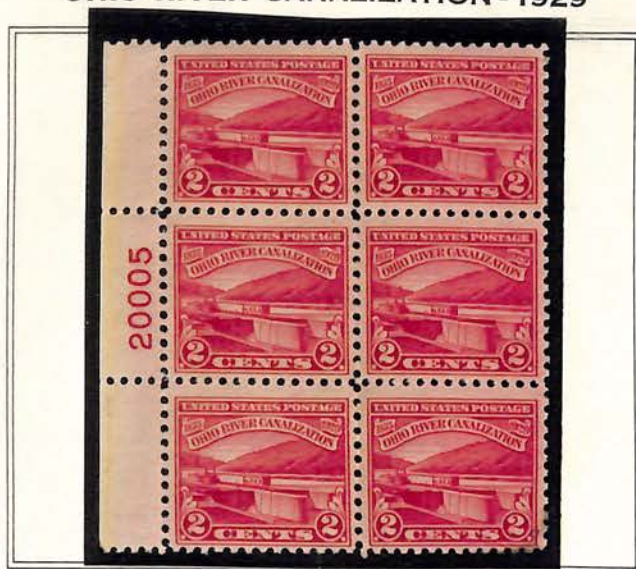
Major General Sullivan

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Sullivan expedition in New York State during the Revolutionary War. This campaign defeated the Iroquois Indians and improved conditions for the white settlers.





### OHIO RIVER CANALIZATION - 1929



Ohio River Lock

To commemorate the completion of the Ohio River canalization project between Cairo, Ill. and Pittsburgh, Pa. First placed on sale October 19, 1929.

### BATTLE OF FALLEN TIMBERS - 1929



General Wayne Memorial

Issued in memory of Gen. Anthony Wayne and to commemorate the 135th anniversary of the Battle of Fallen Timbers. First placed on sale Sept. 14, 1929.

### MASSACHUSETTS BAY COLONY - 1930



Seal of the Colony

To commemorate the 300th anniversary of the founding of the Massachusetts Bay Colony by the Puritans who came to the New World to escape religious and political persecution.

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CAROLINA-CHARLESTON - 1930



Colonial Governor and Indian

To commemorate the 260th anniversary of the founding of the Province of Carolina and the 250th anniversary of the establishment of the original settlement near the site of the present city of Charleston. First placed on sale April 10, 1930.

GENERAL VON STEUBEN - 1930



Bust of General Von Steuben

To commemorate the 200th anniversary of the birth of General Von Steuben for his help to the Continental Army. A Prussian officer, he helped train the American soldiers.

BATTLE OF BRADDOCK'S FIELD - 1930



Statue of Colonel George Washington

To commemorate the 175th anniversary of the Battle of Braddock's Field. The stamp shows George Washington in the uniform of a British officer while serving under General Braddock.

GENERAL PULASKI - 1931



General Casimir Pulaski

To commemorate General Casimir Pulaski, Polish patriot and hero of the American Revolution, and in recognition of the 150th anniversary of his death. He was killed during the siege of Savannah while serving under Washington.





# RED CROSS - 1931



"The Greatest Mother"

To commemorate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the American Red Cross by Clara Barton who nursed the wounded during the Civil War.

# YORKTOWN ISSUE - 1931



Rochambeau, Washington, De Grasse

Issued to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Battle of Yorktown and the surrender of Cornwallis, this marked the end of the Revolutionary War.

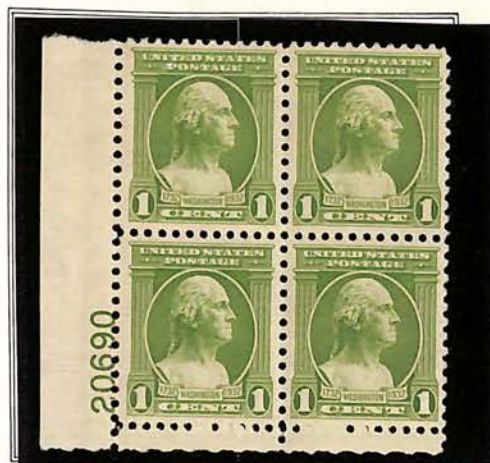




## WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL - 1932



Washington at the age of 45



Washington at the age of 53

Washington as Colonel of the Virginia Militia  
at the age of 40

Washington at the age of 64

To commemorate the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington and issued in connection with the national celebration of this event. The designs are all portraits of Washington taken from famous paintings or drawings and show him at various periods of his life. First placed on sale January 1, 1932 at the post office in Washington, D. C.



WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL - 1932



Washington at the age of 46



Washington at the age of 49



Washington at the age of 53



Washington at the age of 60



WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL - 1932



Washington at the age of 48



Washington at the age of 66



Washington at the age of 62



Washington at the age of 63

# INTERNATIONAL WINTER OLYMPICS - 1932



A Ski Jumper

Issued in honor of the Third International Winter Olympic Games, held at Lake Placid, N. Y., in February, 1932. First placed on sale January 25, 1932 at Lake Placid, N. Y.

# INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC GAMES - 1932



Runner at Starting Mark



The Statue of "Discobolos"

Issued in recognition of the tenth Olympiad, held at Los Angeles, Calif., from July 30 to August 14, 1932. First placed on sale June 15, 1932 at Los Angeles, Calif.



UNITED STATES PLATE BLOCKS

ARBOR DAY - 1932



To commemorate the 60th anniversary of the establishment of Arbor Day, on April 22, 1932, and in honor of the 100th anniversary of the birth of J. Sterling Morton, founder of this event. First placed on sale April 22, 1932 at Nebraska City, Nebraska, the former home of Mr. Morton.

WILLIAM PENN - 1932



William Penn

To commemorate the 250th anniversary of the arrival of William Penn in America, who settled in Pennsylvania and founded a Quaker Colony.

DANIEL WEBSTER - 1932



Daniel Webster

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the birth of Daniel Webster, a great statesman who helped shape American policy.



### GEORGIA BICENTENNIAL - 1933



General Oglethorpe

To commemorate the 200th anniversary of the settlement of Georgia, and in honor of General Oglethorpe, the founder of the colony. The first settlers were British prisoners from debtors' jail.

### PROCLAMATION OF PEACE - 1933



Washington's Headquarters at Newburgh, N. Y.

To commemorate the 150th anniversary of the issuance, by General Washington, of the official order proclaiming peace, which marked the end of the war for independence. First placed on sale April 19, 1933 at Newburgh, N. Y.





### CENTURY OF PROGRESS - 1933



Reproduction of Fort Dearborn



The Federal Building

In commemoration of the Century of Progress International Exposition held in Chicago, Ill., beginning June 1, 1933. First placed on sale May 25, 1933 at Chicago, Ill.

### NATIONAL RECOVERY ACT - 1933



Workers Marching Forward

Issued in connection with the national emergency and to arouse support for the National Recovery Act. First placed on sale August 15, 1933 at Washington, D. C.

BYRD ANTARCTIC ISSUE - 1933



Globe

Issued for use on letters mailed at the Little America post office, established at the camp of the Byrd Antarctic Expedition, in the South Pole. First placed on sale October 9, 1933 at the Philatelic Agency, Washington, D. C.





## GENERAL KOSCIUSZKO - 1933



Statue of Gen. Thaddeus Kosciuszko

In honor of General Thaddeus Kosciuszko and to commemorate the 150th anniversary of his naturalization as an American citizen. He fought throughout the Revolutionary War and helped plan the fortification of West Point.

## MARYLAND TERCENTENARY - 1934



The "Ark" and the "Dove"

To commemorate the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Maryland by about 200 colonists under a charter held by Cecilus Calvert, second Lord Baltimore. He made the colony a haven of religious tolerance. The Ark and the Dove were sailing vessels used in the voyage to America.

## WISCONSIN TERCENTENARY - 1934



Nicolet's Landing on Shores of Green Bay

To commemorate the 300th anniversary of the arrival of Jean Nicolet on the shores of Green Bay. First placed on sale July 7, 1934 at Green Bay, Wis.





MOTHERS OF AMERICA - 1934



From Whistler's "Portrait of My Mother"

Issued as a tribute to the Mothers of America, in flat plate and rotary press printings. Both placed on sale May 2, 1934, at Washington, D. C.





# NATIONAL PARKS - 1934



El Capitan, Yosemite (California)



Grand Canyon (Arizona)

Special issue picturing views of our National Parks in compliment to observance of 1934 as "National Parks Year." First placed on sale at various dates in 1934 at the post office in the park pictured and simultaneously at Washington, D. C.





# NATIONAL PARKS - 1934



Mt. Rainier and Mirror Lake (Washington)



The Cliff Palace, Mesa Verde (Colorado)





NATIONAL PARKS - 1934



Old Faithful, Yellowstone (Wyoming)



Crater Lake (Oregon)





NATIONAL PARKS - 1934



Great Head, Acadia (Maine)



Great White Throne, Zion (Utah)





## NATIONAL PARKS - 1934



Mt. Rockwell and Two Medicine Lake, Glacier (Montana)



Great Smoky Mountains (North Carolina)





## SPECIAL PRINTINGS - 1935



Washington's Headquarters at Newburg, N. Y.



Globe

A special issue of commemorative postage stamps "issued for a limited time in full sheets, and blocks thereof, to meet the requirements of collectors and others who may be interested."—*Postal Bulletin*. First placed on sale March 15, 1935 at the Philatelic Agency, Washington, D. C., and continued on sale until June 15, 1935. Originally presented to favored friends, complaints from Philatelists however, brought this to the attention of Congress who forced the postal authorities to reissue and offer them to the General Public.





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IMPERFORATE



From Whistler's "Portrait of My Mother"



Nicolet's Landing on Shores of Green Bay



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Great Seal of the United States

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