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We are grateful to the C.P.S. Bulletin for explaining the abbreviation T.D.U. We would like to point out that these meetings are open to all stamp collectors, members of affiliated Clubs or otherwise. We would like to see all unattached members of the C.P.S. attend these meetings whenever possible.

There will be no meeting in October as the date clashes with the T.H. & B. Auction. This will enable a great many to attend this important affair, which will be held in the Heliconian Club, 35 Hazelton Avenue, Toronto. We were unable to get a room for the next week as all space is booked for Hallowe'en Parties.

Someone said that the abbreviation 'T.D.U.' meant 'To Do You'. This was said in a jocular manner, something like the man who, waiting for a Toronto Street Car, remarked that T.T.C. must mean 'Take Time Coming'. Perhaps we are out To Do You, but it is To Do You Good. Our object is to get stamps and collectors together. Judging from the first meeting we are going to achieve our object. There was an attendance of about 65 and all seemed to have a good time. The Sales Books of the local clubs were in great demand. There was as much activity around these tables as there was in the Yankees and Dodgers Bull Pens during the World Series.

Club members who have sales books in their clubs should attend these meetings and see how they are going to benefit financially as well as philatelically. The Auction could have been better, but this will improve as time goes on.

Mr. Boyd, from Trinidad, was a welcomed visitor at this meeting. He is a member of The Trinidad Philatelic Society. In the few remarks he made he said that he would be able to take back some good ideas to his Society.

Our apologies are due to Mr. Chas. Foster - he was left off the list of officers. This gentleman is the Auditor. He is very efficient in that duty, as well as being an ardent Philatelist.

Do Not Forget - The T. D. U. is the guest of the Grand River Valley Unit of the C.P.S. at Brantford on Saturday, November 15th, 1947. Go by bus - Fare \$2.00. Tickets will be on sale at West Toronto Stamp Club, East Toronto Stamp Club and North Toronto Stamp Club. Coaches will leave College and Yonge Sts. at 2.00 p.m. Look for West York Coach Lines. Tickets can also be procured from Mr. C. Woodhead, Mr. Phil McCabe or Mr. Herbert Buckland. Dinner Tickets can be obtained at Brantford. Mr. Charles Brisley, Canada's No. 1 Booster from across the line, will be the Guest Speaker. Let us be good fellows together, and go together. Have a good time going - a good time there - and a good time coming back. All together, boys.

We have seen quite an unusual item - a plate block of the Citizenship stamp, in the possession of Mr. Ken. Haigh. Plate Block No. 2, lower right, with the corner imperforated about five perfs. each way.

Place and date of the next meeting will be announced in the next News Letter.

Herbert Buckland,
President.