

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Minutes of a Meeting held in Dundee Art Society, Roseangle Gallery, Dundee on 26 January 2017</b></p>
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**‘Commerce in the Post Part III’ by Ron Goodfellow**

**Welcome:** The President welcomed members and visitors to tonight’s meeting.

**Apologies for absence:** Sandy Forbes, Doug Howkins, Dennis Collins

**Attendance:** 14 Members and 4 Visitors

**Minutes:** The minutes of the 12<sup>th</sup> January were approved by Robert Duguid and seconded by Colin Campbell.

**Business:**

President: Nothing to report

Secretary: Informed members that himself, Doug, Harry and Peter will attend the Arbroath Society meeting. ‘N’ Night is on 9<sup>th</sup> February.  
Auction catalogues from Falkirk & District PS are available to members.

Treasurer: Nothing to report.

Packet Secy: 4 packets still in circulation. Next batch scheduled for February.

Librarian: 2 books have been gifted to the Library.  
‘Charge Marks of 4d post’ and  
‘Detailed Catalogue of Belgium + Colonies’

Publicity: News of meeting published in Courier – What’s On. The DDPS Perforator was shown for members to view.

Webmaster: Website up to date.

ASPS Rep: Informed members that a change has been made to the Congress Postcard due to a copyright problems with Royal Mail. The Postcard is now postmarks from Lanarkshire.  
Delegates meeting to be held in Falkirk on Saturday so will report at the next meeting.

**Vote of Thanks:** The vote of thanks was given by David Easson who complemented Ron Goodfellow on a thoroughly entertaining display.

**Date of Next Meeting:** Morning Meeting – 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2017 10am till Noon  
Evening Meeting – 9<sup>th</sup> February 2017 ‘N’ Night

## **Display:**

In the third of his series of displays regarding 'Commerce in the Post' local Honorary member Ron Goodfellow displayed a series of covers and postcards on a variety of topics. He began with a series of postcards from a variety of countries on the subject of Health & Welfare and which consisted of postcards from Chemical Companies to Doctors regarding medicines.

This was followed by picture postcards of ocean going liners where the postcards related to travel agents and shipping. These postcards were from a number of international steamship lines. e.g. The Aberdeen, Leith and Clyde Shipping Co., Cunard White Star Line and the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co.

These were followed by Railways and Travel by Air which included cards from companies such as the London and North Western Railway (LNWR) and the Caledonian Railway Co.

The subject of financial and banking matters followed with a whole host of cards and covers from a number of different Insurance Companies and Banks. Ron finished his display with a number of covers and cards related to Importing and Exporting. Thus ended Part III.

## **'Coming Soon - Part IV'.**

At the end of the evening President Francis Podger formally presented the trophies to the winners of the Annual Competition which was held 2 weeks previously.