

A thick black L-shaped frame is positioned on the left and right sides of the page. The left side consists of a vertical bar and a horizontal bar at the top. The right side consists of a vertical bar and a horizontal bar at the bottom.

# DOROTHY KNAPP

Catchet maker that set the standard in the philatelic  
world.

To begin with, I do not care for first day covers or cachets or the like. Over the years I have found them to be ‘to much’ for me. Up until now. Thanks to Joanne and this research, I see pure dollar signs-

Let’s take a look at this maker of covers-

■ Lee Coen

The only book I was able to locate on Amazon-  
298 pages, 1600 images, \$45.00

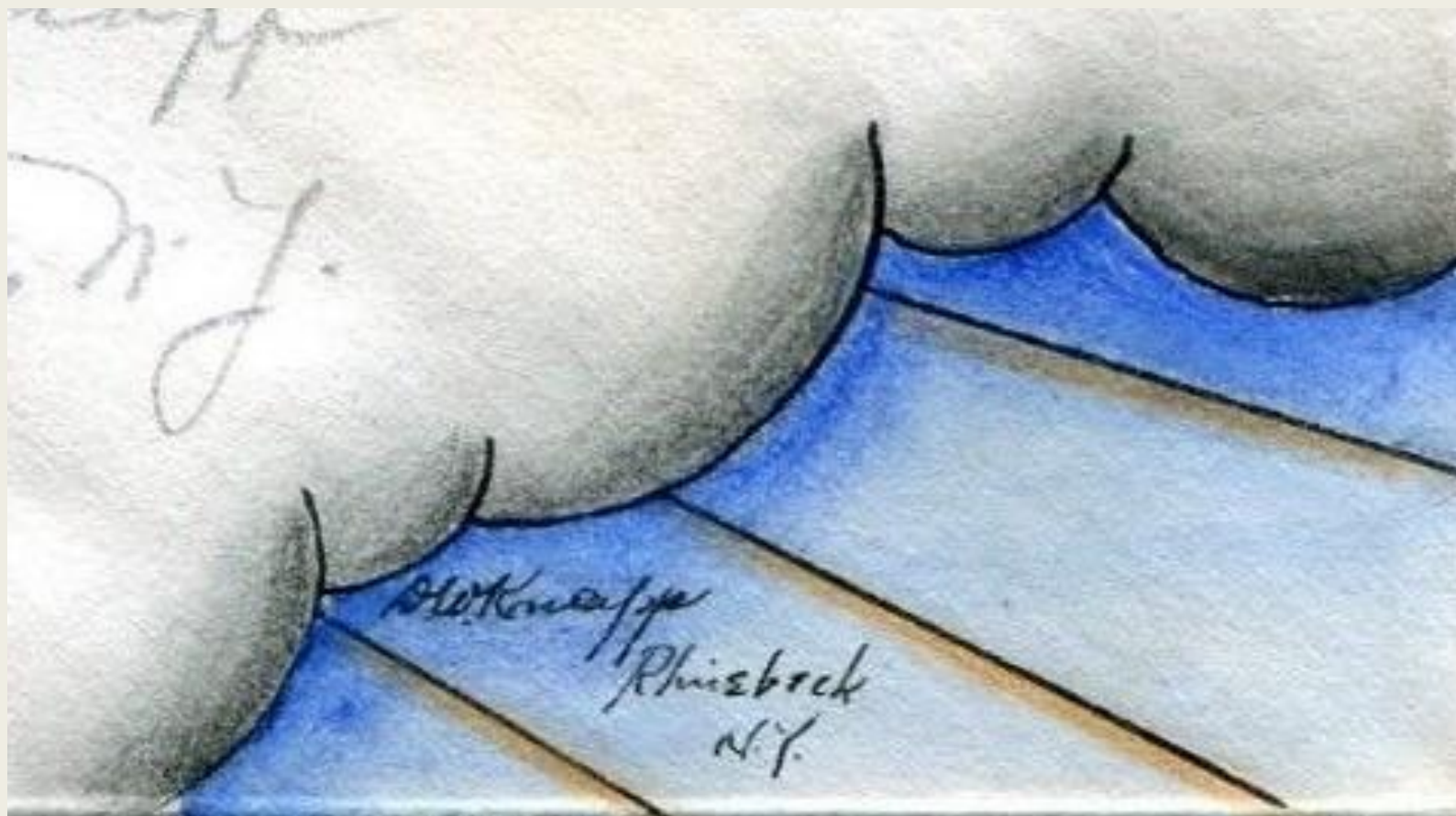
## **DOROTHY KNAPP: PHILATELY AND FAMILY**

Douglas S. Weisz



Foreword by R Wallace Knapp

We know she lived/passed in  
RHINEBECK, NY.



At a quick glance, these should get your attention.



611-1



618-1



619-1



627-1 Philadelphia



627-2 Washington DC



628-1



629-1



631-1



Do you have any of these?

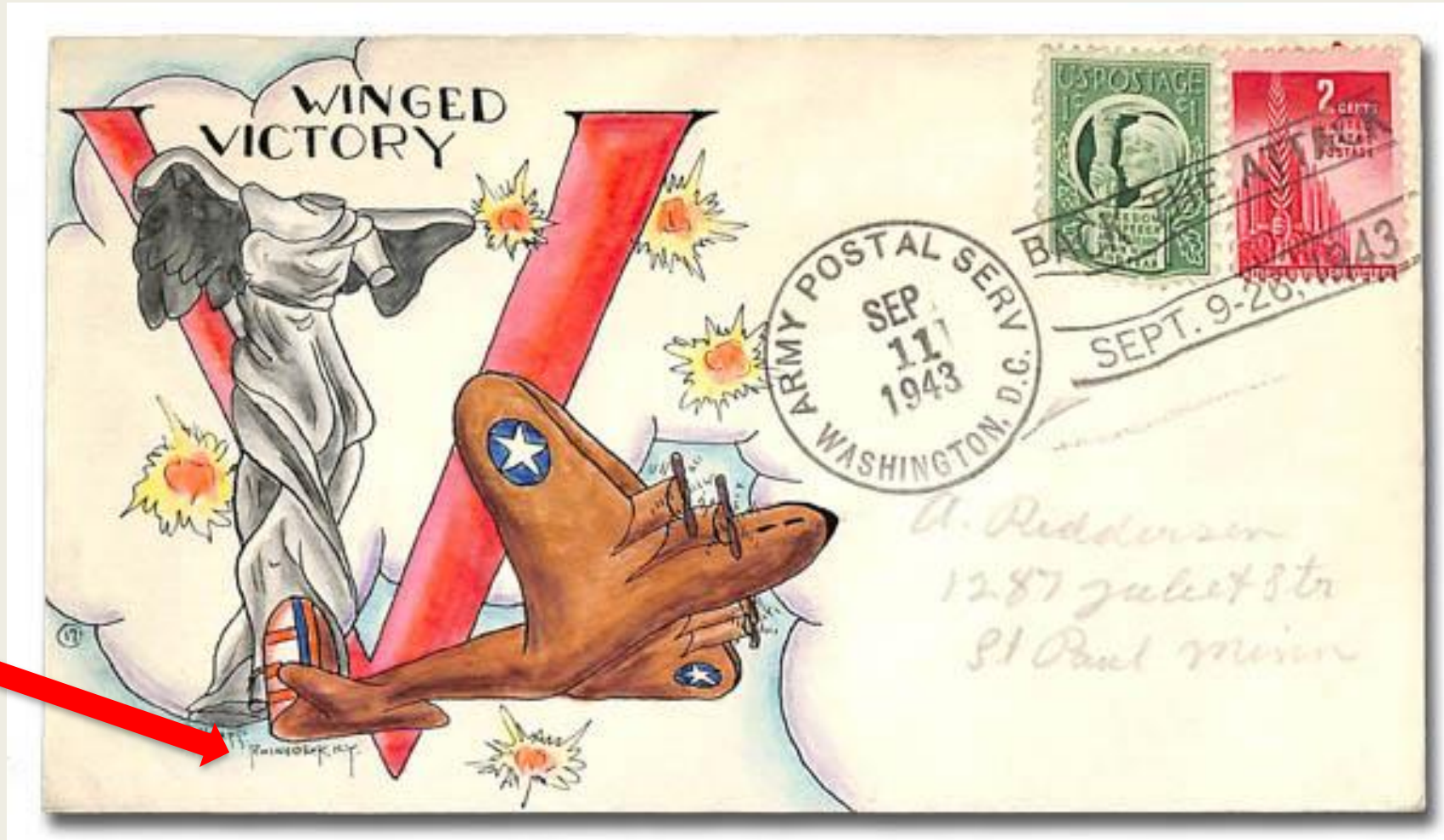


Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500.



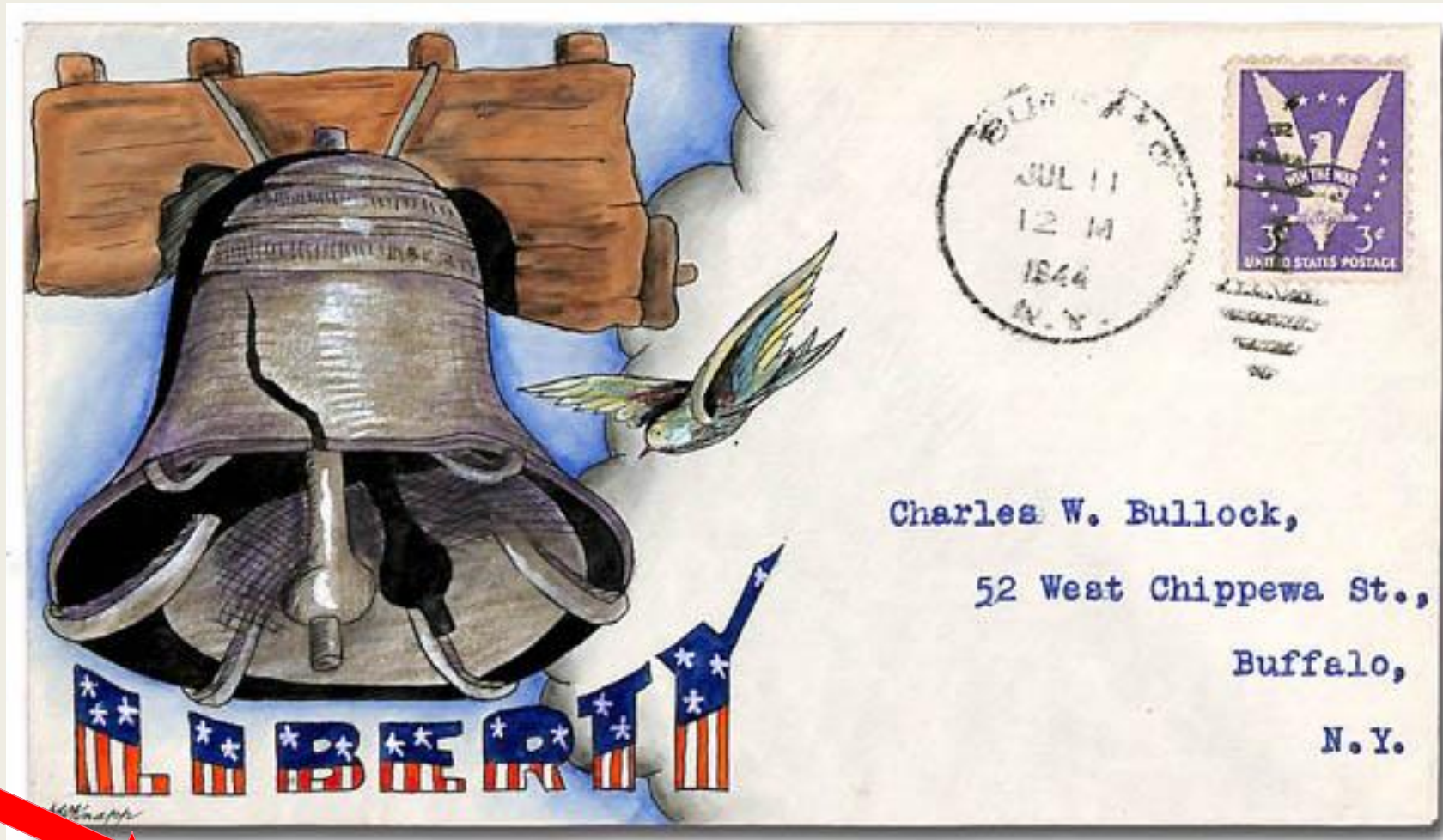


Estimate \$250 - 350

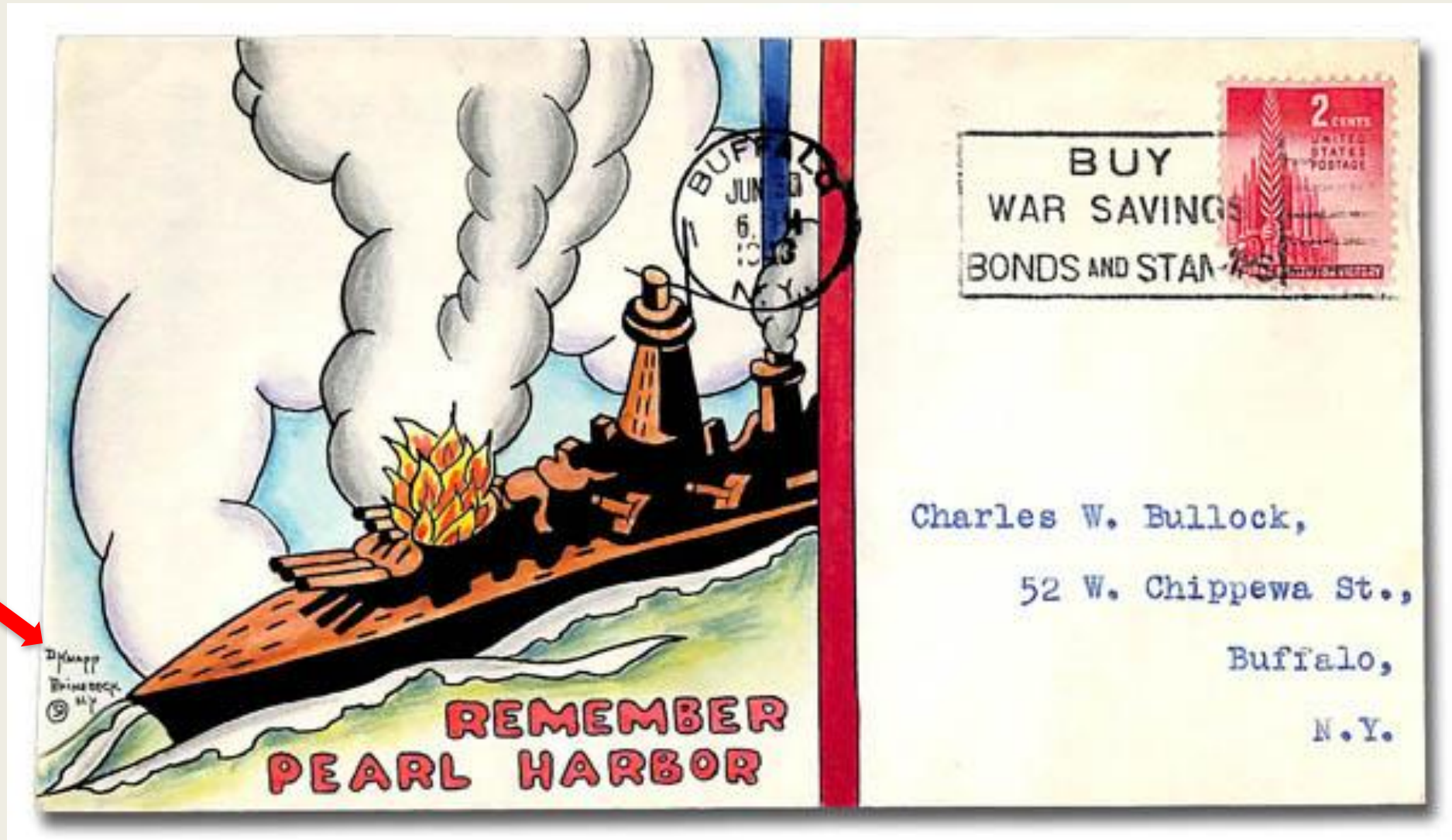




Estimate \$250 - 350



Postal History By Issue World War II Patriotic Covers - Dorothy Knapp Cachets.  
Estimate \$250 - 350.





# Notice the address?



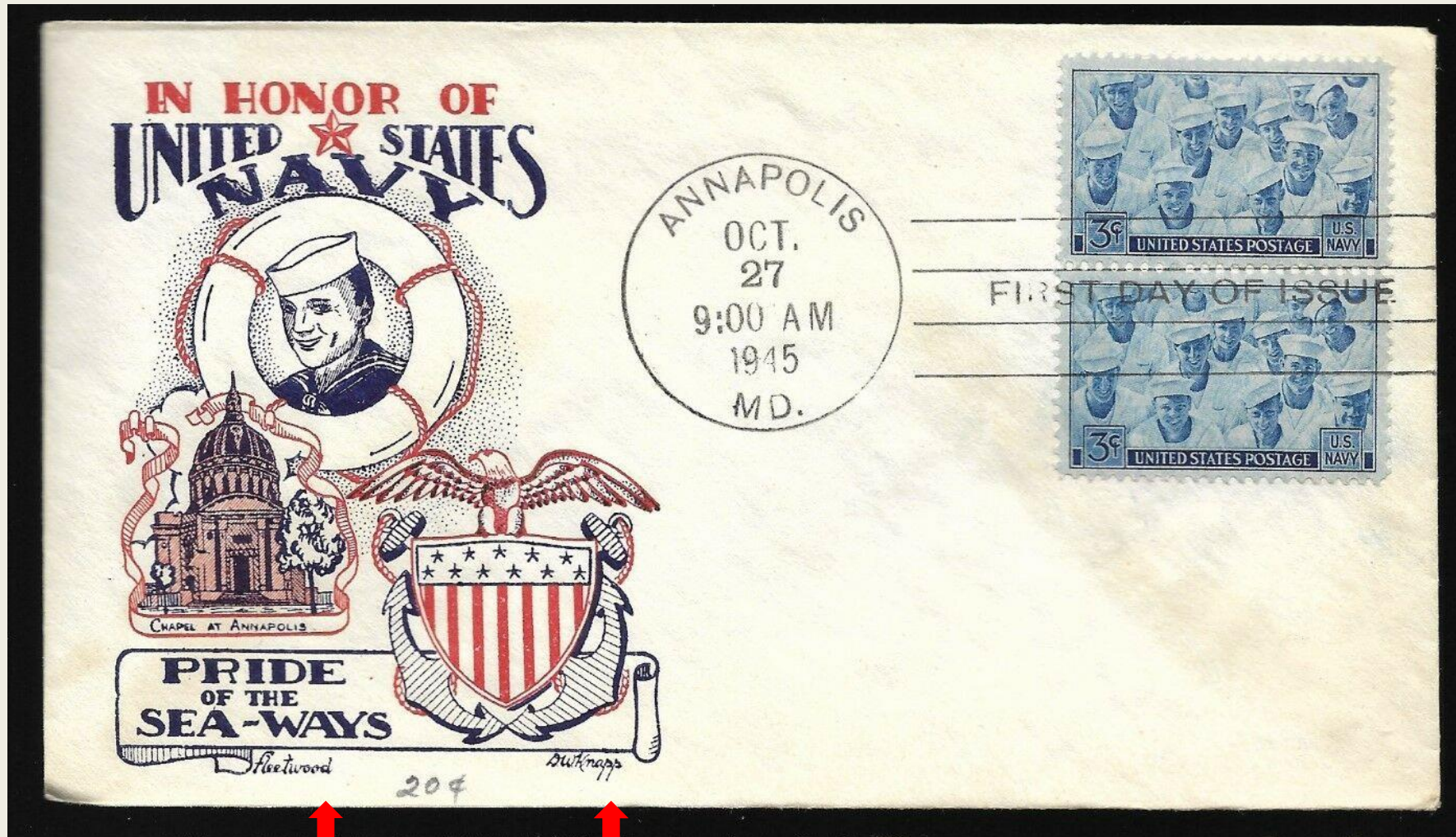


The Fleetwood years. At some point in her career she made covers for Fleetwood-the are found mass produced and for sale all over the web.





Here's one for Gill.



If you are interested in these covers, simply type in Dorothy Knapp covers into eBay and hold onto your socks. I found one seller with many of these Knapp covers and the prices should raise your eyes brows and make your checkbook/ATM take off running.

Here is a set of three for \$2,500.00!

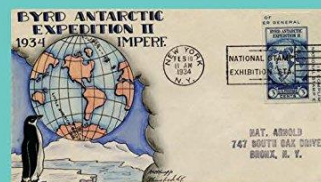
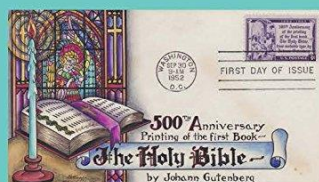
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#### About the Author

Douglas Weisz collected stamps and first day covers as a boy in rural Hartland Illinois, although his career in philately began later in life, after having been a pharmacist, a professional pastry chef and a restorer of fine 18th century furniture. He currently divides his time between his home in southwestern Pennsylvania with his wife, Miriam, and the road, where they both enjoy a semi-nomadic existence attending philatelic shows countrywide. He has been a full time dealer in first days, events, early flight covers, and postal history for nearly 20 years. This is his first book



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**Dorothy Knapp: Philately and Family** is the definitive biography and complete works of the most famous cachet artist in the history of philately. Envelope art has been utilized for over a century to communicate a public message through the mail system. Every stamp and event tells a story and Dorothy illustrated this in her legendary style within the limited canvas of an envelope. Over 1600 full color images tell the story of her work of nearly 20 years. The collection of these works uncovered unsolved mysteries about her relationships with others in the industry and identification of her unsigned work. Journals, letters, interviews and family photos tell her personal story and how her life translated into this remarkable body of work.

# Source of photos-

<https://www.stampcircuit.com/category/world-war-ii-patriotic-covers-dorothy-knapp-cachets->

Thank you and maybe one person can do the next presentation-

Lee Coen