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Editorial

It was with sadness that we learned of the death of Keith Norman Glover on the 3 February 2006. Affectionately known as Uncle Keith to many of us, both on the council where he served with distinction, and those members who attend the meetings in Melbourne. Always ready to relate a story from his radio days or about Great Britain which was one of his main stamp collecting interests, Keith was in every way a gentleman. There was nothing pretentious about Keith and at the end of the meeting he would be the first to go and prepare supper and wash up afterwards. A number of council members were able to attend his memorial service where many fine tributes that were paid to him. Keith will be greatly missed.

On a brighter note, there are a number of interesting articles for your perusal and also questions that have been posed regarding some of the covers presented.

As a result of the questions posed in the December issue (AJP No 94), we had a very good response and it was interesting to read some of the information put forward with regard to the Sydney Harbour postcard which William Hempel of Denmark sent. Frank Adamik pointed out that as the picture shows Luna Park, It has to be later than October 1935 when Luna Park was opened. He suggests that the ferry pictured was either South Steyne, Curl Curl or Dee Why perhaps. John Higgs of Sevenseas Stamps suggest that it was one of the larger ferries, South Steyne, North Head, or Bellubera.

In discussing this with William Cochrane he advised that the fact that the ferry appears to be heading for the Parramatta River, could have meant that it was heading up to the maintenance area which was up the Parramatta River at that time. As to Valentine, I will report on that in the next issue.

All of this demonstrates the knowledge and helpfulness that exists within the society. Try and make it to the April meeting if you can. It is an excellent time of sharing and viewing the display. Till next issue, ciao.

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