Spanish Philatelic Society

These difficult economic times are impacting all of us. Maybe we directly, some family member, someone we know and here at SPS. Our club president, Alan Leveritt, owns a small business and has told us he will need to be focusing all his efforts on his business during the next several months. As a result, he does not have the time to put together the usual excellent Araña. Is there another SPS member who would like to take on this activity? We will continue with the popular auction catalogue.

INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS

1. All bids are per lot as numbered in the auction list. The right is reserved to re-group lots, withdraw lots, act on behalf of the seller or to reject ridiculous bids. The auctioneer's decisions shall be binding and final on all parties.

2. All bids are handled competitively and confidentially. Lots are purchased for the highest bidder at about 10% advance over the second highest bidder. If only one bid, the lot is sold for the min bid if stated; if there is no min bid then for the bidder's full bid. Buy bids not accepted. In ties, first bid received secures the lot.

3. Successful bidders are expected to make payment in full in U.S. dollars, before lots are shipped. Postage, extra insurance and any payment transaction cost are charged to the buyer. Bidders are expected to pay promptly or the lots will be resold. Bidders may pay by check or PayPal (including fee).

4. Any noted "minimum bid" (or MB) is a starting price. When catalogue prices are noted they are estimates, Catalogue numbers and values are from a number of recognized sources.

5. This is not an approval sale; however, any lot incorrectly described is returnable within 5 days of receipt if returned in the same condition as shipped. The following items may not be returned for any reason: lots of 10 or more items; documents, covers or literature described as having faults, or lots sold "as is". No returns after 30 days of closing date, for any reason.

6. Placing a bid constitutes full acceptance of these terms and conditions of the sale.

7. When preparing your bids, please use the bid sheet (or similar copy). Complete only the columns headed **Lot #** and **Max Bid**.

Moving? Contact Alan Leveritt at alan@arktimes.com to continue receiving auction catalogues and Araña.

BID SHEET

Bidders Name and Address

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Mail bids to: Hal Shelton, 5828 Edson Lane, N Bethesda 20852 or e-mail to h.shelton@verizon.net.

Lot #	Max Bid	Price	Due

Total Awarded bids $____________

Postage & Insurance $____________

Total Amount Due $____________

Make checks payable to: Hal Shelton
Pay Pal: spsauction@verizon.net