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StampWants.com Gives Away "Inverted Jenny" Stamp to Shocked Winner - thanks Miss New Jersey

CHERRY HILL, NEW JERSEY – January 15, 2008 – StampWants.com, the leading online marketplace exclusively for collectible stamps, presented one very lucky stamp collector with an "Inverted Jenny" stamp (Scott Catalog Value \$400,000) this past weekend. At 2:00pm on Saturday, January 12, in Charlotte, North Carolina at the APS Ameristamp Expo, John Shedlock, a retired CIA agent from Alta Loma, California, became the envy of stamp collectors around the world when he was selected as the winner of the year long StampWants.com C3a Giveaway.

The 1918 24 cent Inverted Jenny stamp is the most popular and desired philatelic error in the world. The striking red and blue stamp depicts an upside-down (inverted) Curtis JN-4 ("Jenny") biplane.

John accepted the Inverted Jenny in shock, and pulled out a speech he had prepared in case he won - thanking StampWants.com for the once in a lifetime opportunity, as well as Miss New Jersey, who presented him with the stamp. He was excited, and said he felt "shock and awe" over winning the stamp.

The StampWants.com C3a Giveaway began in December of 2006, and entrants were able to enter online up to once per day until December 31, 2007. Out of almost one million entries received, two finalists were randomly chosen a few days before the live drawing in Charlotte, and were flown into the stamp show. A bingo cage, which had the 75th ball removed, to leave 37 even balls and 37 odd balls, was used to determine the winner. Based on their user i.d. numbers on StampWants.com - John Shedlock was even, and Michael Flanagan was odd. Amy Polumbo, Miss New Jersey, spun the cage 11 times (her number in the Miss America pageant) and I-22 was selected, instantly writing John Shedlock into the history books.

For more information on the StampWants.com C3a Inverted Jenny Giveaway, including pictures visit: http://www.stampwants.com/wiki/index.php/C3a_Giveaway

For more information on the APS Ameristamp Expo visit the APS website: www.stamps.org

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