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- 49 From the editor, from the board
- 50-51 **Registered letter from Dutch consulate in Peking to Teheran** is shown on the cover and discussed here. It shows a very rare 'Postage Paid' chop in use in early 1897 in Peking, during the transition from Customs Post to Imperial Post. The letter fetched € 11.800 in a Dutch auction.
- 51 **Commemorative cancels from the Liberated Areas** used before the time of the PRC are shown; original article in China Philately (July 1987), also on pages 55, 59 and 72
- 52-55 **Local cancels from Shantung** are shown; three are on a unique cover shown here, including a previously unknown provisional Ichow cancel with the standard bilingual cancel layout, but undated.
- 56 **PRC moneyorder** is shown, with moneyorder stamp Yang MO15 (rare usage)
- 57-59 **The Shanghai International Concession** is discussed, with a Special Cancel from the Japanese Occupation commemorating the transfer of the Concession to the Japanese-installed puppet government in 1943.
- 59 **German Registration labels** show a CKSS logo also found on the slip of paper bearing the Shanghai cancel, for Chen Kee Stamp Services; probably used for advertising purpose after closing of German PO in 1917
- 60-61 **Falsification of early Japanese stamps** is discussed, showing some characteristics
- 62 **The proclamation of the PRC** was celebrated in a number of special cancels shown here
- 63-64 **Varieties of perforation in SG 1538-39** (1952 PRC issue) are shown; the various catalogues give different accounts on the perforations in this set... Original article in JCP 62-3 (June 2016)
- 65 **Commemorative sheetlets** for Moonfestival, Chongqing, Guan Yu and Buddhist sculpture
- 66-67 **New issues PRC**
- 68-69 **New issues Hong Kong post**
- 69-72 **New issues Taiwan (ROC)**

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