

APOLLO 11

On July 20, 1969, man's greatest achievement came to be...at 4:14 p.m. EDT the craft carrying Neil Armstrong and Edward Aldrin settled down with a jolt on the surface of the Moon. Armstrong immediately radioed Mission Control in Houston: "The Eagle has landed." At 10:56 p.m. EDT Armstrong put his left foot on the Moon. It is the first time in history that man has stepped on anything that has not existed on or originated from the Earth.

The tenth anniversary of this historic event will be observed by NASA and others in different locations. And we at Space City Cover Society will be able to secure covers from them. Here is what we will have and the entire coverage will make a nice specialized collection in itself.

10th ANNIVERSARY OF THE MISSION...We will have a set of three different covers, one each featuring the launch, Moon Landing, and splashdown. These will be done for Cape Canaveral, original launch site, and Houston, home of Mission Control.

Then we will have a different cachet featuring the historic Moon Landing. These will be done from Cape Canaveral, Houston and at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, where a special ceremony will be held and with the three Apollo 11 astronauts in attendance. All of these will be correctly cancelled at the different locations on July 20, 1979.

In addition, there will be dedication ceremonies in downtown Houston at Tranquility Park. This was one of Houston's Bicentennial Projects and the park was built at a cost of \$4-million and constructed in honor of the Apollo 11 crew and their mission. We will have a different cachet for this event cancelled on July 20 with Houston machine cancel.

At the Johnson Space Center, near Houston, there will be special activities going on in honor of the event, with the U. S. Post Office from Houston on hand with a booth and a special pictorial cancel. It will also be used at the LBJ Stamp Center three day show across the street from the Center. We will have a special cachet for the July 20 event and then a set of three with a cancel on each day of the show. Each of the three days has been designated as in honor of one of the three Apollo crew.

We are sending this out to you in advance of the events and must have your orders in so that we will know about how many covers to service. We will only do the quantity received in advance so will probably not be able to offer these to very many collectors after the events are over.

 TO: SPACE CITY COVER SOCIETY, P. O. Box 53545, Houston, TX 77052

Sets of 3 (launch, Moon Landing and splashdown dates)		
_____ Houston machine cancel @ \$2.25 set	\$	_____
_____ Cape Canaveral machine cancel @ \$2.25 set		_____
July 20 Cancels for Moon Landing anniversary		
_____ Houston machine cancel @ 80¢		_____
_____ Houston Mailer's Postmark @ 80¢		_____
_____ Cape Canaveral machine cancel @ 80¢		_____
_____ Smithsonian Institute special cancel @ 80¢		_____
Johnson Space Center Show Pictorial Hand cancel		
_____ Set of 3 diff covers (one for each day) @ \$2.25 set		_____
_____ July 20 Moon Landing anniv @ 80¢		_____
_____ Tranquility Park Dedication Houston machine cancel @ 80¢		_____
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(Jun 79) PS None of the above covers have been offered by us before and there is no duplication in those listed.

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