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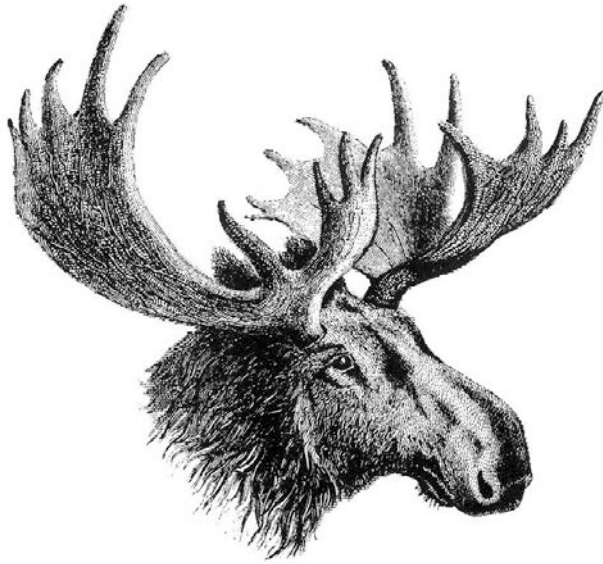
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General Sale
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Friday, October 2, 2020
Auction Session One (Lot 1-416) begins at 1:30pm AST



- 1 ◎ **AUSTRALIA 129, 1934 £2 Black and Rose, Die II, C of A Watermark** A nice used single with unobtrusive circular cancellation, Fine+ (SG 138 £600) **800.00**



- 2 ★◎ **AUSTRALIA 1913-1997 Comprehensive Mint / Used Collection** Housed in four Lindner hingeless albums with slipcases, starts with 38 Kangaroos of 2p to £1 denominations, plus another 23 perforated "OS", excellent coverage of KGV period including shades, watermarks, perforations, perforated OS, etc. From 1930 onward excellent coverage mint or used, including a 1932 5sh used (light crease). Often shown parallel mint AND used. Noted many souvenir sheets, AAT, some postage dues & N.W.P.I overprints, etc. Condition is variable, but noticed many nice CDS postmarks on KGV stamps. A good starting point for further expansion. **Est. 750.00+**



- 3 ★◎ **AUSTRALIA Extensive Parallel Mint & Used Collection 1931-2014** In mounts or mounted on quadrilled pages in three springback albums, most issues from 1931 to about 1996 are present both mint and used, much of the mint is NH. Then from 1997 onward to 2014 used. Also back-of-book with airmails, officials, AAT, and a few pages of Australian States. Mainly Fine to Very Fine, (Scott 2020 over US\$9,000) **Est. 1,250.00+**



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- 4 ★ **AUSTRIA M1-M21, 1915 1h-10k Military Occupation** Emperor Franz Josef mint set of 21, imperforate with full margins, each stamp showing the double "FELDPOST" overprint variety, backstamp S. Faludi; 10h has a crease, otherwise, VF LH, seldom seen (Cat. as imperf stamps - no premium added for double overprint variety) **450.00+**
- 5 ★◎ **BULGARIA 1879-1973 Extensive Mint / Used Collection** Housed in three Lindner albums with slipcases on blank hingeless pages with many hundreds mint or used (or in many cases, both). Excellent representation from Lion issues 1879-1896 (30 different) noting 1879 5c part OG, 10c used, etc. plus various perf changes, surcharges, shades, etc.; 1933 Balkan Games mint set (less 4 lev), regular & commemorative sets, imperforate souvenir sheets, semi-postals, airmails, dues, officials, parcel post, postal tax, etc. A few flaws on earlier but mainly Fine to Very Fine; an unusually extensive country collection not often seen. **Est. 600.00+**



- 6 ★ **CHINA (PRC) 684-695, 1963 4f-20f Children's Day, Perf 12½** Complete set of matching irregular blocks of 18 stamps, ungummed gum as issued; a few with minor perf separation and marginal flaws, nevertheless in fresh, clean condition. Each block show the plate imprint above top left stamp, VF **1,647.00**



- 7 ★ **CHINA (PRC) 756-757, 1964 8f African Freedom Day** Matching set of lower margin blocks of twenty-five stamps, with imprints on left and right side, folded twice; VF NH **250.00+**



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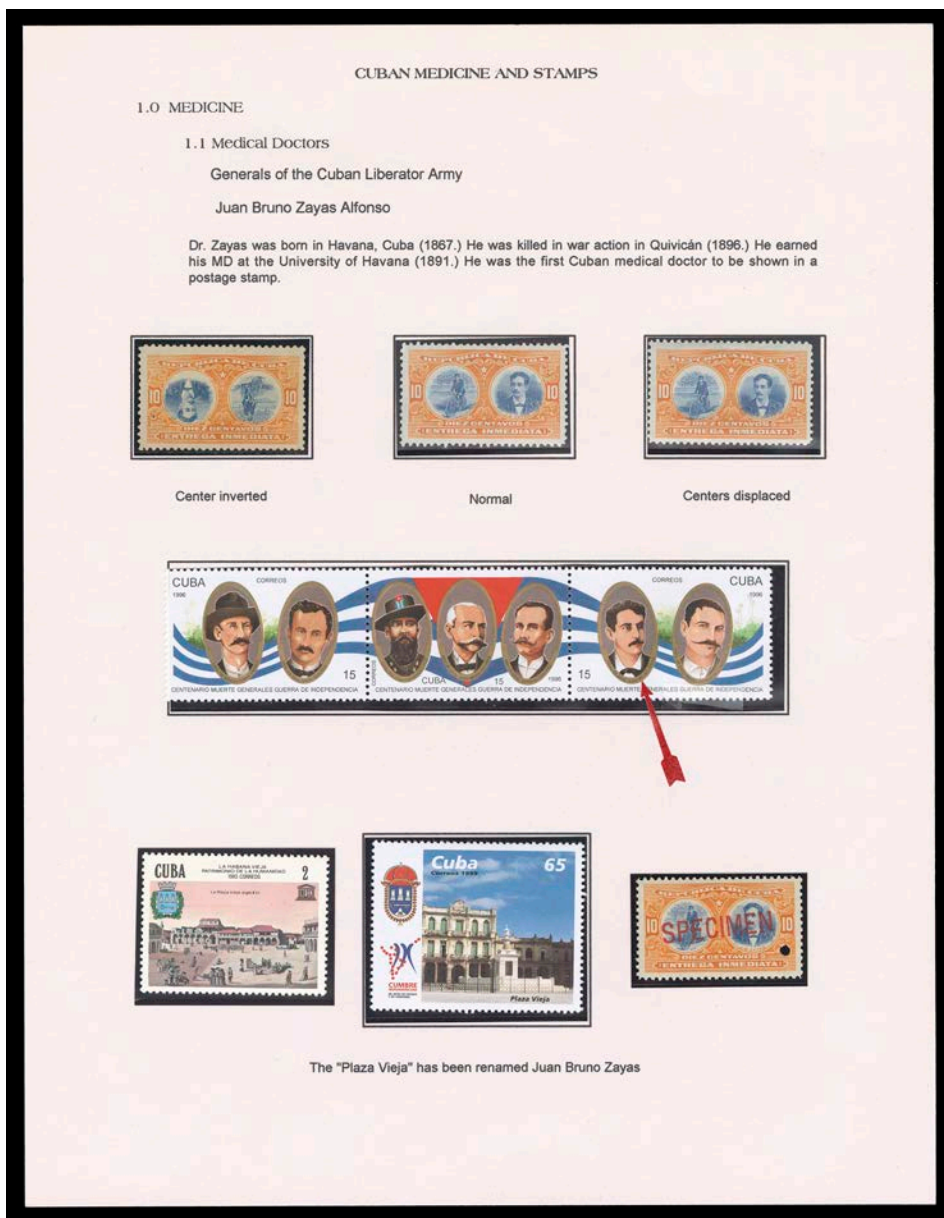
- 8 ★ **CHINA (PRC) 810-817, 1964 8f Chemical Industry** Complete set of eight of matching lower right corner blocks of ten with imprint in right margin, VF NH **800.00+**
- 9 ★ **CHINA (PRC) Clean Mint Assortment of Sets in Large Sheet Margin Multiples** Originally bought as new issues; includes Scott #696-701, 702-707, 737-745, 750-755, 791-794, 821-822, 827a, 850-854 and 855-858 ranging from blocks of 8 (a few singles and strips) to irregular blocks of 29; many are lightly folded due to their size. A high percentage have imprint(s) and many show a serial number. A few flaws but mainly fresh mint NH. An inventory is enclosed. (Scott 2020 US\$4,044) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 10 ★ **CONGO DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC Massive Hoard of New Issues from the 1960s** Thousands of stamps in sets or multiple examples, myriad imperforates, souvenir sheets, errors of surcharged & overprinted on 1960s Democratic Republic of Congo, mostly in original stapled glassine folded sheets received directly from new issue services of the country. Also includes similarly presented sets and souvenir sheets of that era from Burundi, Rwanda and Katanga. Some foxing and light toning in places from being stored for decades in old-time glassine sheets. A wonderful array of topicals, such as Fauna, Flora, J.F. Kennedy, Sports, Medicine, etc. Catalogue value is well into six figures; the first time we have ever seen such a massive, untouched holding of this area. **Est. 1,500.00+**

NOT COUNTED are several hundred sheets, part sheets and blocks from the late period of Belgian Congo, 1960s D.R. Congo, etc., bought as new issues and left in disarray, heavily duplicated and in very mixed condition due to improper handling and storage. However, some can be salvaged.

- 11 ★ **CUBA Very Large Hoard of Mint NH New Issues** Mainly from 1960s to 1980s, stacked into over thirty full envelopes / folders, in blocks of four or larger multiples, some sheets as well as numerous souvenir sheets. Up to 10 of the same, often in multiples. Excellent topicals such as flora, fauna, scenes, Christmas, space and aircrafts, Olympics, organizations, revolutionaries, etc. Some peripheral faults on a few but mainly well kept. Bought as new issues with original cost well into the thousands. A wonderful lot for a show or internet dealer. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 750.00+**



- 12 ★◎ **CUBA Highly Comprehensive Medicine and Related Theme Topical Collection** Meticulously organized in 17 binders, hundreds of stamps, first day covers, souvenir sheets, covers, die proofs, tuberculosis and hospital stamps, cinderellas, postal tax, etc. all copiously written up on pages and divided into various sections, such as medical doctors and associated activities, auxiliaries of medicine such as scientists, nurses, etc., diseases and their treatment, pharmacy and much more. Collection has numerous philatelic articles of topical nature illustrated countless items found in the collection. Material ranges from early turn of the century to modern era, noted a scarce unused 1910 10c Zayas special delivery with inverted centre (Scott US\$1,250), various imperforate or gutter margin multiples, souvenir sheets that are seldom seen, etc. A lifetime endeavour that has taken countless hours to acquire, research and write-up. Viewing is recommended to appreciate the in-depth nature of this vast subject. **Est. 2,000.00+**

- 13 ★◎ **CUBA New Issues, Telegraph Stamps and Postal Cards** Two Lighthouse albums with various 1940s to 1970s mint / NH sets, souvenir sheets, Space and other theme topicals, also selection of mint XIX century telegraph stamps. Stockbook with 1910s-1960s mint / used duplication assortment. Plus 1878-1882 collection of unused postal cards, double cards (+ reply card), types, shades, printing varieties, all displayed on pages with detailed write-up. **Not Illustrated Est. 200.00+**



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- 14 ★ **DOMINICA 85, 1923 £1 Black and Purple on Red, Multiple Crown CA (Sideways)** Fresh mint, LH in margin, stamp VF NH (SG 91 for hinged £225) **240.00+**
- 15 ★ **EAST AFRICA & UGANDA 17-29A, 1904-1907 ½a-10r King Edward VII, Watermark Multiple Crown CA** Set of 14 complete to the 10 rupee; plus 1907-1908 1c/75c (new currency) KEVII set of 8 (less 15c). All with bright fresh colours and NEVER HINGED. The ½a-8a with horizontal serified SPECIMEN overprints in black; others with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in violet (ex. Goa collection), F-VF NH (SG 17-31, 34/42) **Est. 350.00+**



- 16 ★ **EAST AFRICA & UGANDA 40-59, 1912-1918 1c-500r King George V, Watermark Multiple Crown CA** A fabulous, complete set of 20 with bright colours and NEVER HINGED; each stamp with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in violet (ex. Goa collection). An impressive set, F-VF NH (SG 44-63) **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 17 ★◎ **EGYPT 1872-1950s Duplicated Mint / Used Stock** Hundreds of stamps on manila stockpages; mostly used before 1928 and then mint and / or used to late 1950s, includes semi-postals, airmails, dues, officials, surcharges / overprints. Heavy duplication in places for the used definitives. Mixed to very fine; useful for studying cancels, finding plate varieties, etc. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 200.00+**
- 18 ★◎ **ESTONIA 1918-1940 Collection** Mainly mint in mounts on pages, including definitives, commemoratives, semi-postals, airmails and a few souvenir sheets. Noted better such as mint #90-104 & 117-133, B9-B12, C4-C6 (also C7-C8 but status doubtful and not counted), etc. Quite well represented from 1922 onward. Also few odds & ends. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 150.00+**
- 19 ★ **GERMANY Large Mint NH / Used 1952-2001 Assortment** Identified on a few hundred glassine envelopes from early 1950s (various earlier issues noted, occupation, etc.) to 2001 including semi-postals and East Germany - DDR to 1989. Most of the mint is NH, includes duplicated sets, many blocks of four, also many clean modern used CDS postmarks stamps (often of the same series). A clean stock ready for retail. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 400.00+**



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- 20 ◎ **GREAT BRITAIN 2, 1840 2p Blue [PH], Plate 1** A choice used example with uniform rich colour on fresh paper, sharp and quite well centered Maltese cross cancel in red, VF+ (SG 5 £975) **950.00**
- 21 ★ **GREAT BRITAIN 175a, 1915 10sh Light Blue, DLR Printing** A nice mint example in a distinctive shade on fresh paper with full original gum NEVER HINGED. A beautiful stamp, seldom encountered as such, F-VF NH (SG 413 for hinged £3,500+) **4,500.00**



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- 22 ★ **GREAT BRITAIN 209, 1929 £1 Black UPU Congress** A fresh mint single with full original gum, F-VF LH (SG 438 £750) **750.00**
- 23 ★ **GREAT BRITAIN BK12, 1929 2sh Blue on Buff PUC Cover (Edition 103)** Complete booklet containing four booklet panes - ½p green, 1p scarlet, 1½p dark brown panes of six stamps plus 1½p pane of four + labels. All panes with inverted watermarks. In excellent condition, VF NH (SG BB13 £500) **550.00**
- 24 ◎ **GREAT BRITAIN O23, 1902 1sh Dull Green and Carmine KEVII "I.R. OFFICIAL" Overprint** A nicely centered example with excellent colour and centrally struck oval Registered Bradford datestamp, F-VF (SG O24 £900) **725.00**



- 25 ◎☒ **GREAT BRITAIN 1841-1857 Line-Engraved Collection** Neatly displayed on quadrilled pages with write-up and identification by Gibbons, carefully collected with emphasis on 1841-1857 (a few later issues also noted) with 100 stamps, some in pairs or strips, usual mixed condition but noted a wealth of shades, numeral cancels (and types), etc. Noted 1p red brown imperforate single tied by clear oval grid '812' in BLUE on clean cover and three different Mulready - a 1p black used and 2p unused lettersheets, and a 1p black envelope used; all in nice condition. An excellent starting point to get acquainted with these classic stamps. **Est. 750.00+**



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- 26 ★ **HONG KONG 146, 1921 \$5 Green and Red on Emerald, Multiple Script CA** A selected and fresh mint single of this key, VF LH (SG 132 £500) **475.00**
- 27 ★◎ **HONG KONG 1862-1987 Mint / Used Collection** In Lighthouse hingeless album, nice representation of Victorian era, also dozens of different KEVII to mid-1980s mint or used. Mixed condition to Fine or better **Est. 500.00+**



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- 28 ★ **K.U.T. 18-37, 1922-1927 1c-£1 KGV, Multiple Script CA** Set of 20 stamps to the One pound; each with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in violet-blue (*ex. Goa collection*); gum thins on 12c, Fresh and F-VF NH (SG 76-95) **Est. 300.00+**
- 29 ★ **K.U.T. 40, 1925 £4 Back and Magenta, Multiple Script CA (Sideways)** A remarkably fresh mint single with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in blue (*ex. Goa collection*), full pristine original gum, F-VF NH (SG 98) **Est. 350.00+**
- 30 ★ **K.U.T. 41A, 1924 £10 Black and Green, Multiple Script CA (Sideways)** Brilliant fresh and choice mint single with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in violet-blue (*ex. Goa collection*), with full original gum, VF NH (SG 100) **Est. 500.00+**



- 31 ★ **K.U.T. 41B, 1925 £20 Red and Green, Watermark Multiple Script CA (Sideways)** A precisely centered mint single in pristine condition with bright fresh colours, displaying a diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in violet-blue (*ex. Goa collection*) and full unblemished original gum, XF NH (SG 101) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 32 ★ **K.U.T. 41C-41F, 1924-1925 £25, £50, £75 & £100 KGV, Multiple Script CA (Sideways)** The four high values of the set, each with diagonal SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in blue. First three without gum and couple shorter perfs on £25; the £100 thinned at lower right but nevertheless with nice appearance and large part OG. A striking group of these sought-after high values, a perfect alternative to the very expensive stamps, F-VF (SG 102-105) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 33 ★ **MALAYA KELANTAN 50-64, 1951 1c-\$5 Sultan Ibrahim** Original set of 15 in lower right Plate 1 corner blocks, with bright colours, VF NH (Scott cat. as singles; SG 61//81 £782+) **769.00+**



- 34 ★ **MALTA 1863-1959 Extensive and Clean Mint Collection** Displayed on Lighthouse hingeless album pages with nearly 300 stamps including shades, printings, etc. Starts with eleven 1863-1882 ½p stamps, some are unused, mostly different shades from early buff to golden yellow, 1885 1p rose, 1886 5sh rose, 1899 10sh, 1903-1904 KEVII set, well represented from 1904 to 1922 overprints, then complete sets such as 1922-1926 "Malta", 1926-1927 KGV pictorial, 1938-1943 & 1948 overprinted KGVI, 1956-1964 QEII, etc. Much of the later issues are NH. Overall clean and fresh throughout, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 35 ◎ **MALTA 1878-1960 Used Collection** Over 200 different on Lighthouse pages, noting a few better such as 1886 5sh, 1899 2sh6p & 10sh, 1902 "One Penny" variety on two different 2½p shades, 1903-1904 & 1904-1911 KEVII sets, etc. A few flaws but mostly F-VF **Est. 300.00+**
- 36 ★ **MALTA 1964-2008 Comprehensive Mint NH Collection** Housed in two deluxe multi-ring Lighthouse hingeless albums with slipcases with hingeless pages up to 1999 (as new). Virtually complete mint NH (only saw one hinged set) up to mid-1996 and well represented to 1999; a few used on more recent. Also a stockbook with souvenir sheets, sets, etc. from the 2000s. VF throughout **Not Illustrated Est. 300.00+**
- 37 ☒ **MEXICO 1890s-1970s Postal Stationery Collection** Housed in a two-post album on pages with postal envelopes (94), postal cards of various types (130), wrappers (11), letter cards (17) and Wells Fargo printed franks (6). A higher percentage is unused, light duplication often presenting different imprint types, shades, card stock, etc. Noted many Civil War era handstamped / overprinted items. Light foxing in places, mainly F-VF **Illustrated on Website Est. 400.00+**
- 38 ☒ **NICARAGUA Extensive 1880s-1920s Postal Stationery Collection** Displayed on blank leaves in three binders with postal envelopes (126) and postal cards (147) for domestic and international UPU, a higher percentage unused, some duplication but noted complete message + reply cards, myriad surcharges, SPECIMEN / CANCELLED handstamped items, uprated frankings, different types, sizes, a few Bluefields overprints, etc. Also a group of 35 unused wrappers, odds & ends such as cut squares and unusual Die Proofs of indicia (some likely essays; unadopted designs). Light foxing or flaws in places, mainly F-VF **Illustrated on Website Est. 750.00+**



- 39 ★ **NEW ZEALAND 131d, 1911 1p Carmine "VICTORIA LAND." Overprint** A fresh mint corner block with serial number, LH in selvedge only, stamps are F-VF NH (SG A3 for hinged singles £220)
300.00+



- 40 P **NEW ZEALAND Assortment of 1900s-1910s Plate Proofs** Selection of over 100 mainly King George V plate proofs in blocks of four and pairs, plus other issues, mostly printed in black on a variety of papers - unwatermarked wove, watermark NZ wove paper, thick glazed paper, thick wove, etc. Noted 1p "Commerce" and ½p KGV typographed & imperf. booklet strips of 18 in black on watermarked NZ & gummed paper, with some creases, latter shows "J 417010" number at top right. A useful lot for the specialist.
Est. 500.00+

POLAND



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- 41 ★ 251, 1928 50g & 1z Warsaw Exhibition Mint souvenir sheet of two, fresh and well centered, hinged in the selvage, leaving stamps NH, VF **250.00**
- 42 ◎ 251, 1928 50g & 1z Warsaw Exhibition Souvenir sheet of two with clear double ring First Day 3 V 28 datestamps, F-VF **325.00**



- 43 ★ Offices in Odessa, 1919 10f-1m Consulate Post "ODESA" Overprint A very scarce mint set of five with large part original gum; each stamp signed Rachmanow and most with additional backstamp from Wrubel and others, Fine OG (Michel 1-5 € 4,060) **Est. 750.00+**



- 44 ★◎ Extensive 1918-1939 / 1944-1951 Collection Housed in three Plymouth Albums, hundreds of stamps neatly mounted on quadrilled pages, virtually all issued stamps in the years covered are present both mint and used, plus additional examples showing minor varieties, postmarks, shades, printings, private perfs, etc. Starts with 1918-1919 overprints / surcharges including inverts, printings, varieties; valuable display of 1919 Cracow overprints on Austrian stamps, several have backstamps / guarantee handstamps and or signed; several others of questionable status (not counted). Souvenir sheets including 1946 Educational Work and 1948 Airmail sheets of 3, etc. A great many years were needed to assemble this comprehensive collection, a large percentage of the stamps go beyond Scott listings. Viewing will reveal many pleasant surprises. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 45 ★◎ **1918-1959 Mint / Used Collection** Few hundreds, mainly mint in mounts on pages with write-up. Nice range of early surcharges and overprints, then from 1920s to end of 1930s mainly mint including back-of-book, plus Exile Government in Great Britain and various issues with "Port Gdansk" overprint. Overall Fine to Very Fine; a great starting point for someone wanting a new country **Est. 500.00+**
- 46 ★◎ **1951-1974 Extensive Collection** Housed in seven Plymouth albums, hundreds mint AND used, mostly used with different postmarks, etc., mounted on quadrille pages including definitives, commemoratives, semis, airs, souvenir sheets, etc. Very strong representation. Plus seven small FDC albums with over 300 FDC and unused / used postal cards from the 1960s & 1970s. Also two stockbooks of Canada 2010s FDC and new issues. **Not Illustrated Est. 350.00+**



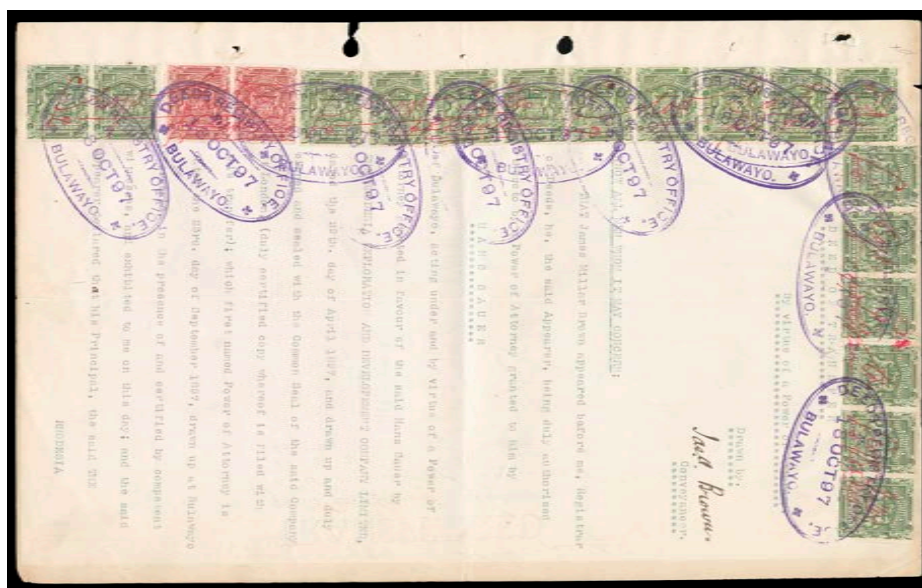
- 47 ★◎ **Back-of-Book, Locals Overprints, Etc.** Plymouth Album with an excellent representation of unusual material starting with Offices in Turkish Empire 1919 3f-5m "LEVANT" mint set of 12, also set of 15 with overprint "P.P.C." in blue, each with Constantinople CDS on receipt. Strong showing of Port Gdansk overprints both mint and used, followed by Exile issues mint (plus three covers), local overprints on 1910s Germania issues - Blonie to Wroelawek, large run of officials and dues as well as "Groszy" overprints on Polish stamps mint and / or used, etc. Interesting lot of not often seen material. **Est. 750.00+**



- 48 ★◎ **Back-of-Book, WWI Local Issues, Etc.** Plymouth Stamp Album with extensive mainly Scott unlisted stamps mounted on quadrilled pages, includes Military stamps for the Polish Legion, Polish Corps including overprinted Russian set mint, issues of Central Lithuania, quite extensive showing of local town post and local camp post stamps, some Rocket mail labels and other odds & ends. Useful for the specialist. **Est. 750.00+**



- 49 ★◎ **Poland Occupation & Plebiscite Issues** Plymouth Album with WWI era military stamps of Austria, plus various issued under German Occupation, followed by General Government issues up to 1944; Plebiscite areas such Marienwerder noting better 1920 5pf-1m overprinted mint set of 6, Allenstein, Upper Silesia including shades, surcharge types, etc. A lovely collection which will make a great sideline to any existing Poland collection. **Est. 500.00+**



- 50**  **RHODESIA 1890-1909 Coat of Arms on Legal Documents** A remarkable lot of 70 legal documents / receipts, plus various pieces / fragments, bearing 1890-1909 Coat of Arms (from five different series), some in combination with other issues. Noted 1890 £5 green (12 examples on piece and another 18 on documents, one document alone has 16 examples), 1890 £10 orange brown (7, plus 2 on documents), 1897 £1 black & red (5 and a further 19 examples on documents), 1909 £5 blue "Rhodesia" overprint with two examples on piece in combination with pair of £1 "Admiral" etc. Myriad fiscal datestamps and some punch cancels from British South Africa Co., some outside Rhodesian territory. Condition mixed but noted many impressive multiples of mid and high values, mixed-issue frankings and much more. A "gold mine" for the specialist. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 51 **RHODESIA 1910s Double Heads on Legal Documents** An interesting group of 29 legal documents / receipts, plus various pieces / fragments, bearing "Double Head" issues, some in combination with other definitives. Noted two documents franked with the scarcer £1 perf 15 plus a further 9 on piece (SG 179; Scott 118c), in addition to £1 perf 14 on four documents (5 stamps) plus five perf 14 on piece, various other 7sh6p & 10sh values, etc. Mixed condition in places; a useful group for a specialist wanting to study shades / printings. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 52 **RHODESIA 1913-1924 KGV "Admiral" Issue on Legal Documents** Group of 27 legal documents / receipts, plus various pieces / fragments, bearing "Admiral" issues. Noted three franked with single-usage of the £1 stamp, plus another 20 noting different printings / shades on pieces (three pieces alone bears four copies each), etc. Condition is variable as to be expected but noted a variety of cancels, printings, shades and dies, ideal for further study. **Est. 500.00+**



- 53 **ROMANIA Extensive 1860s-1959 Collection** Mostly in black mounts on leaves, starts with large selection of mint and / or used pre-1920 issues in mixed condition, noted many selected examples, especially from 1880s onward. From 1922 to 1959 an extensive showing of definitives, commems, semi-postals, airmails and other back-of-book, plus locals and postage "exempt" stamps. From 1922 onward virtually all mint and mostly NH. Noted 1932 25b-20 lei King Carol II mint set of 10, excellent coverage of semis including 1952-1953 surcharges NH, souvenir sheets, imperf stamps & sheetlets, etc. Overall condition much nicer than normally encountered; seldom seen this comprehensive **Est. 1,000.00+**

- 54 ★◎ **RUSSIA 1883-1950 Mint / Used Collection** Housed in a Scott and an Elbe album on quadrilled pages, mint or used with light duplication in places, also a few multiples; nice range mint Armenia, Azerbaijan, Lithuania Russian Offices in Turkish Empire, etc. Stamps are mostly inexpensive with focus on 1920s period, but noted two 1917 1r used sheets of 50 without margins, showing Groundwork - pale brown colour INVERTED. Unpriced in Scott (#131e) used. Condition varies from mixed to F-VF
Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+



- 55 ◎ **ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON 1885-1975 Comprehensive Used Collection** Mounted on quadrilled pages in a Simplex springback album, excellent coverage of 1885-1891 surcharges & overprints including some varieties, inverts, etc.; 1892 to 1975 with good degree of completion, only a few missing up to late 1940s including many FRANCE LIBRE overprints / surcharges (the more valuable FRANCE LIBRE overprints are fake and annotated as such). Also airmails, semi-postals and postage dues. Minor flaws on some earlier but well-above average collection, includes scarcer cancels and a couple FRANCE LIBRE covers. Worth a close look.
Est. 1,500.00+



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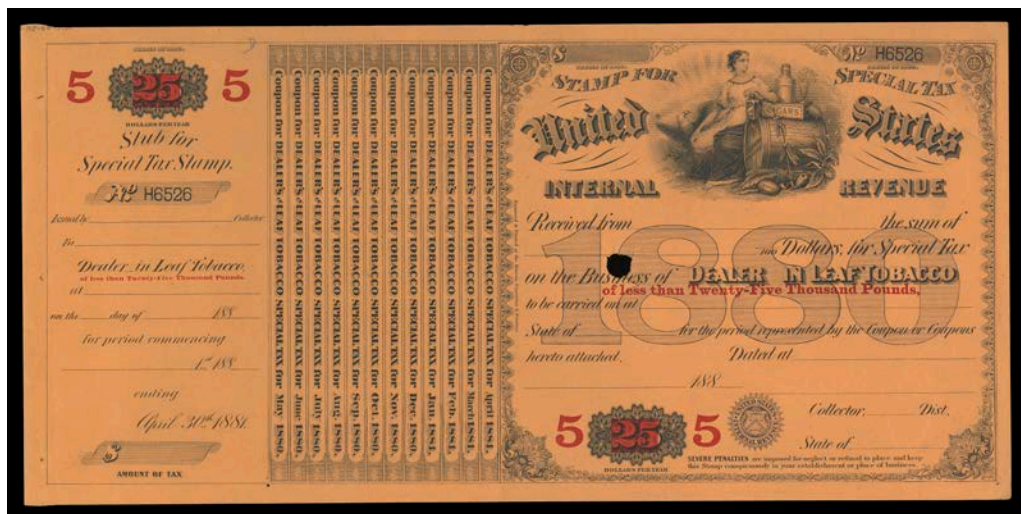


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- 56 ★ **ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON Nearly Complete 1958-2010 Mint Collection** Housed in a green Lighthouse multi-ring hingeless album, three early stamps LH, all others are NH, virtually complete 1958 to 2010 including regulars, airmails and dues. Routinely VF NH throughout
Est. 750.00+
- 57 P **ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON Deluxe Die Proofs and Imperforates** Includes modern era deluxe die proof selection of 14 different, of which three (1962 Flowers set are Artist signed), engraved in black and scarce thus; then imperforate VF NH sets of 1970 animal breeding, 1970 discoveries, 1971 ships, 1972 fishes, etc.
Est. 500.00+
- 58 ◎ **ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON 1986-2015 Used Collection** Housed in a red Lighthouse springback hingeless album, strong representation including definitives, numerous se-tenants and souvenir sheets. Difficult to find modern period, often with select CDS postmarks.
Not Illustrated Est. 250.00+
- 59 ◎✉ **ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON Balance of Collection** Includes covers, flights covers, cards and FDC in two binders, mostly 1960s to 2000s, plus a group of French Colonies forgeries on pages; also some related literature.
Not Illustrated Est. 200.00+
- 60 ✉ **EL SALVADOR 1900s-1920s Postal Stationery Collection** Displayed on blank leaves with postal envelopes (32), various types of postal cards (51) and letter cards (15). Noted domestic, international UPU, officials, surcharges, overprints, cards with stamp in place of indicia; etc., a higher percentage are unused. Light foxing in places, mainly F-VF
Illustrated on Website Est. 300.00+



- 61 ☉☒ **SOUTHERN RHODESIA 1924-1954 Revenues on Legal Documents, Etc.** Three different series represented; 1924 Admiral issue, 1931 KGV and the 1954 Coat of Arms; in addition to regular postage stamps. Over 10 documents / receipts, plus various pieces / fragments. Noted one fragment with 1954 series bearing 10sh, £2 (3), £5 (2), £10 (3), £20 (3), £50 (8). Mixed condition in places, nevertheless an interesting lot with not often seen items. **Est. 250.00+**



- 62 ★ **USA Internal Revenue Stamps for Special Tax 1873-1885** An impressive lot of 157 different unused (punch cancelled from the remainders) large special tax stamps measuring approx 14½" x 7¼" inches in eleven different dealer categories - Manufactured Tobacco, Leaf Tobacco (two different types), Peddler 2nd Class, Peddler 3rd Class, Manufacturer of Cigars, Malt Liquor, Brewer, Retail Liquor, Wholesale Liquor, Rectifier of Distilled Spirits, all with intact stub receipt at left. Some minor edge flaws to be expected, nevertheless in an excellent state of preservation. An unusual and colourful lot. **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 63 ★ **USA Large Assortment of Christmas Seals** A duplicated range of unused / mint from 1909 to about 1960, mixed condition on early ones. A few dozen mint NH sheets plus part sheets and blocks mid-1950s to 1980 with duplication; an assortment of Easter Seals, etc. **Not Illustrated Est. 200.00+**

- 64 ★◎ **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Large Commonwealth Stock** About 750 two-row black retail cards in glassines in three long red boxes, individually identified and catalogued. In alphabetical order from Aden to Virgin Islands, a large percentage are NH or LH long sets from KGVI issues to 1970s. Numerous colonies and dominions are shown including larger representation of British Oceania and West Indies, plus GB & Channel islands, Bermuda, Dominica, Falklands, Virgin Islands. Useful lot for breakdown and resale. Total catalogue value (by older editions of Scott 2000-2005) is well over US\$19,000.
Not Illustrated Est. 3,000.00+
- 65 ★◎ **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Mint / Used Commonwealth Assortment** Over 250 cards displaying singles or sets, identified along with older catalogue values. Queen Victoria to KGVI, plus some early QEII era, organized from A to Z on large stockpages in a binder. A large percentage catalogue US\$25 and up. Mixed condition on earlyies, mainly F-VF, inspect.
Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+



- 66 ★◎ **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Large Assortment of Mostly Mint NH Issues** In glassines with emphasis on Great Britain with earlier issues such as 1840 1p black [FL] slight crease at foot but nice used, 1841 2p blue superb used pair, 1884 10sh blue with neat CDS, 1902 £1 KEVII used, one shorter perf at foot with central JERSEY postmark, 1939 10sh KGVI indigo mint NH and modern issues. A large selection of NH 1977 QEII Coronation omnibus and related issues, Hong Kong thematic sets and souvenir sheets, various mint or used 1935 Silver Jubilee, etc. Also some modern USA mint.
Est. 750.00+



- 67 ★ **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH 1948 Royal Silver Wedding Omnibus Series** Complete set of 138 stamps, about a third of the high values are NH, F-VF (Scott cat. US\$2,350; SG cat. £2,250)
Est. 750.00+



- 68 ★ BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Common Design Types & Miscellaneous** Binder filled with modern era omnibus series of including 1981 Royal Wedding, 1982 Princess Diana, 1984 & 1986 Lloyd's List, 1990 Queen Mother, 1993 RAF, some souvenir sheets; missing colour errors (6 different). Also Liberia ABNC Specimen overprint stamps, officials and revenues and Egypt 1874 5pa brown mint perf $13\frac{1}{2} \times 12\frac{1}{2}$ positional block of eight (4x2; one stamp LH, rest NH) displaying three different tête-bêche varieties. Useful lot for internet / show dealer *Not Illustrated* **Est. 350.00+**



- 69 ★◎ WORLDWIDE Large Assortment of Western Europe** Better singles and sets organized on three stockpages; a high percentage being mint with some NH. About 15 countries represented with better such as Denmark Scott #C1-C5 mint, Germany - Berlin Scott 9N21-9N34 used set, Greenland Scott #19-21, Sweden Scott LX1 used with Star cancel, Switzerland Scott #293-305 mint, etc. Tiny flaws on a few but mostly Fine to Very Fine, Scott cat. over US\$7,000. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 70 ◎ WORLDWIDE Western Europe Semi-Postal Used Blocks** Selection of thirteen different semi-postal sets in choice used CDS blocks. Noted Austria Scott B260-B263, B269-B271, B273-B276, Belgium B107-B113, Germany B3-B4, B320-B323, B334-B337, etc. Mainly VF, Scott US\$2,988. **Est. 750.00+**



- 71 ★ **WORLDWIDE Communist Countries Mint NH Part Sheets, Multiples, Souvenir Sheets** Strength in North Korea with excellent coverage from 1958 to 1963 (many ungummed as issued), Russia late 1950s to 1960s, Vietnam mid-1960s to 1971 many are ungummed as issued) and a few China (PRC and ROC). Originally bought as new issues (some still in their new issue wrappers) often in sets, in large multiples, part sheets, blocks, perf & imperforate, souvenir sheets. Best section is the North Korea hoard which is seldom seen in such quantity or in multiples. Peripheral flaws, folds and perf separation to be expected in places but overall well kept with fresh colours, mint NH. Ideal for a dealer to break up into individual sets of singles and blocks, etc. Enormous catalogue value. **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 72 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Large Assortment as Received of Mint / NH & Used Issues** Identified on several hundred glassines, mainly 1950s to 1990s plus some earlier. Better representation of Australia, France with modern booklets, Great Britain, New Zealand, British Oceania and various exotic countries with mint NH sets, souvenir sheets, blocks, etc. Duplication noted but often with both mint and used shown, multiples, etc. High catalogue value; a clean stock ready for retail or for breakdown into smaller groups. Worth a closer look. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 750.00+**
- 73 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Consignment as Received** Mounted or in old-style clear mounts in 8 albums and a binder; plus various Canada sheets, etc. in a sheet file. Emphasis on Canada from Small Queens to 1960s, also USA, Ghana, Europe, Commonwealth, etc. Noted small selection of covers, notably Seychelles. Needs checking as condition is mixed. **HEAVY LOT** *Not Illustrated* **Est. 500.00+**
- 74 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Collection as Received** Thousands of mint and used stamps on album pages, etc. From A to Z including British Colonies, Foreign, China, etc. Mainly 1920s to 1970s, some older issues on certain countries. Nothing of great value but a fun project to identify and rearrange for your collection. Mainly Fine or better **HEAVY LOT** *Not Illustrated* **Est. 300.00+**
- 75 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Balance of Consignment** Noted 1981 Royal Wedding mint NH collection in album, numerous additional specialty items such as surcharges, booklets, sheetlets, miniature panes, etc. still in their original glassine packages; various album pages with range of China mint / used 1940s-1950s, Germany, Mexico (early revenues), Monaco 1920s-1950s, Netherlands, Worldwide in two stockbooks and one album, some better sets on dealer pages, odds & ends including baseball 1934 World championship game ticket, Christmas seals, etc. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 500.00+**
- 76 ★◎ **WORLDWIDE Balance of Consignment** Starting with two stockbooks of mostly mint / NH South America countries 1940s-1980s issues, folders with Venezuela new issues, first day cards and covers along with collection of mint / NH or used 1951-1954 Arms series, USA modern mint and unused postal cards, USA 1870s to 1980s earlier issues mainly used, then from 1940s onward in Lighthouse springback album, Canada 1953-1980 mint collection (plus some earlier issues) in Lighthouse springback album, plus modern 1980s-2000s new issues in a filled stockbook, various stockbooks with European countries being represented used (some mint), etc. Inspect. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 750.00+**

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BRITISH COLUMBIA



- 77 ★ **1, 1860 2½p Bright Orange Rose, No Watermark, Imperforate** Mint single of this difficult classic stamp, unusually surrounded by large margins, true bright colour associated with this particular imperforate, couple tiny ink spots on face, otherwise sound with large part dull, white original gum. An exceedingly scarce stamp with OG, VF OG (Unitrade \$60,000) **Est. 10,000.00**

VANCOUVER ISLAND FIVE CENT IMPERFORATE A RARE MINT EXAMPLE



- 78 ★ **3, Vancouver Island 1865 5c Rose, Watermark Crown CC, Imperforate** A rare mint single, just into frame at foot, otherwise clear to large margins with portion of sheet margin at right, brilliant fresh colour and displaying the characteristic full, dull streaky original gum associated with the early De La Rue printings, barely perceptible hinging; small "J.SCHL" (Julius Schlesinger) backstamp. A lovely mint example of this British North America rarity, Fine VLH; 1998 & 2020 Greene Foundation certificates **50,000.00**



- 79 ★ **4, Vancouver Island 1865 10c Blue, Watermark Crown CC, Imperforate** An attractive, fresh unused single, well clear at left to very large margins on other sides showing portion of adjacent stamp at foot, from the top row of the sheet as top frame of the watermark is clearly visible, VF **3,000.00**

1865-1871 DE LA RUE COAT OF ARMS



- 80 ★ 7, 1865-1867 3p Bright Blue, Perf 14 A choice mint block of six, exceptionally fresh and possessing full, dull streaky original gum, NEVER HINGED. A rare block to find in an excellent state of preservation, Fine+ NH (Unitrade cat. as hinged) **1,200.00+**



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- 81 ★ 10, 10c on 3p Lilac Rose, Perf 14 A brilliant mint single with intact perforations and remarkably full, dull streaky original gum; pencil signed by experts Bolaffi, Enzo Diena and A. Diena. A very nice stamp, Fine+ LH **3,600.00**
- 82 ★ 12, 1871 50c on 3p Violet, Perf 14 Mint single with typical centering for the issue, original gum is slightly toned but the stamp's colour is deep and fresh, Fine OG **1,800.00**
- 83 ★ 13, \$1 on 3p Green, Perf 14 An exceptionally choice mint single with bright colour, intact perforations well clear of the design on three sides, pristine fresh paper. This beautiful stamp displays remarkable attributes, as fresh as the day it was printed, VF LH **3,000.00**



- 84 ★ **14, 1869 5c on 3p Bright Red, Perf 12½** An attractive mint example of this challenging stamp, a few irregular perfs as often seen on the 1869 Issue, nevertheless unusually well centered and displaying superb colour and full clean white original gum, better than most we have seen, Fine LH **4,000.00**



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- 85 ★ **15, 1869 10c on 3p Lilac Rose, Perf 12½** An unusually well centered mint single, a few uncleared perf discs typical of the 1869 Perf 12½ issue, large part OG lightly sweated; two guarantee backstamps, Fine and attractive **2,400.00**
- 86 ★ **16, 1869 25c on 3p Orange, Perf 12½** A premium mint single with superb deep colour, intact perforations and very well centered for this issue, large part OG, VF; 2015 Greene cert. **1,500.00**
- 87 ★ **16, 1869 25c on 3p Orange, Perf 12½** A nice mint single with superior centering, characteristic uncleared perf discs at top and large part OG, VF **1,500.00**



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- 88 ★ **17, 1869 50c on 3p Violet, Perf 12½** A post office fresh mint single, quite well centered, a few uncleared perf discs characteristics of this notoriously difficult issue, exceptionally bright colour on fresh paper, F-VF LH; a beautiful stamp. 1999 Greene Foundation cert. **2,400.00**
- 89 ◎ **17, 1869 50c on 3p Violet, Perf 12½** An appealing used single with an unusually clear, centrally struck grid '10' cancel of William's Creek (in the Interior of British Columbia mainland), Fine; 1980 RPSL cert. **1,000.00**
- 90 ★ **18, 1869 \$1 on 3p Green, Perf 12½** An unused single with decent centering for the issue, a few uncleared perf discs and hint of soiling, Fine **1,800.00**
- 91 ◎ **18, 1869 \$1 on 3p Green, Perf 12½** A scarce used single with intact perforations and showing portion of a grid '35' cancel (Victoria) in black, Fine **2,200.00**



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- 92 ☒ Confederation Era: 1873 (circa.) Wells, Fargo & Co. "Victoria, Vancouver Island" printed frank in black on white envelope in unusually clean, fresh condition, franked with an early Montreal printing 3c bright orange red, tied by unusually clear Wells, Fargo & Co. JUN 25 Victoria oval datestamp in violet, addressed to San Francisco with no backstamp as customary for mail to the US. A beautiful express company cover, seldom seen in such nice quality, VF (Unitrade 37) **Est. 500.00+**

Provenance: Frank Laycock, June 1980; Lot 282
George Hicks, November 1967; Lot 39

- 93 ☒ Confederation Era: Undated (circa. 1875) Wells, Fargo & Co. "Victoria, Vancouver Island" printed frank in black on white envelope, remarkably fresh condition mailed to San Francisco with a well centered 3c orange red, Montreal printing perf 11½x12, tied by Wells, Fargo & Co Victoria (undated) cancel in blue (R. Lowe HS-34 footnote; late usage) paying the newly reduced 3c letter rate (effective Feb. 1, 1875) to the US, VF (Unitrade 37iii) **Est. 350.00+**



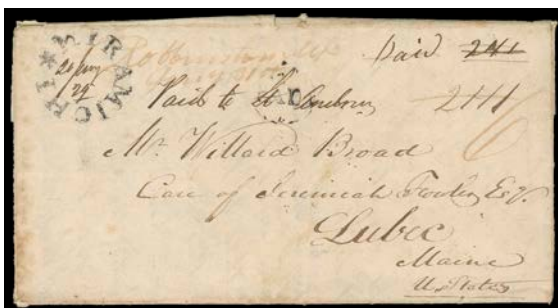
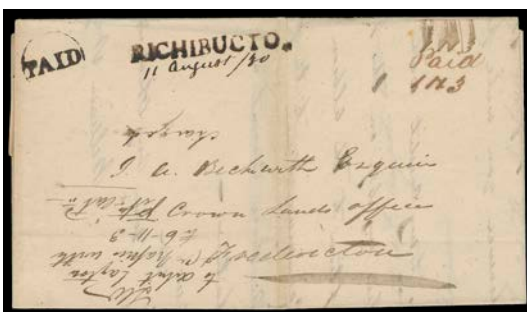
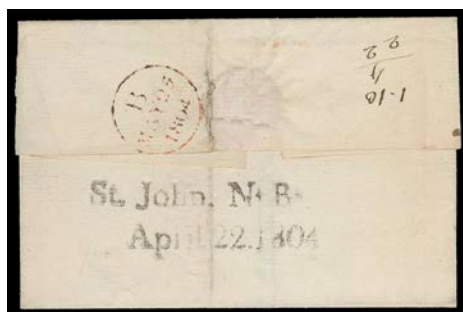
- 94 ★◎ **BRITISH COLUMBIA 1860-1871 Mint / Used Selection** Lot of 25 mint, unused and used stamps on a stockpage, also a 5c on 3p bright red, perf 14 on 1871 cover. Noted better such as 10c blue unused single and used pair; 1869 Perf 12½ 5c used (1979 RPSL cert.), 10c mint, unused and used, 50c used, \$1 part OG, etc. Mixed condition including fine examples **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 95 ★◎ **BRITISH COLUMBIA Small Mint / Used Selection** Includes #2 mint with toned gum and used with neat grid "1" (New Westminster) cancel; the key 1865 5c rose imperforate (#3) with faded colour but sound with adequate to large margins and grid "35" cancel in blue; clear 1939 RPSL cert., #5 unused with rich colour, #5-6 used with small perf flaws, #7 part OG, #9 OG and #11 unused. **Est. 1,000.00+**



NEW BRUNSWICK



- 96 **Late 1700 to 1850s Stampless Covers** An excellent grouping that once graced Graham McCleave's collection; with many seldom seen items. Includes two rare Miramichi & "N. Caste" town manuscript cancelled covers (both unlisted in JGY handbook); two large "primitive" Miramichi Star cancelled covers (JGY Type 58); three different Richibucto manuscript & straightline postal marking covers, all three are also ex. J.R. Saint and very rare to possibly unique; four (three different) St. Andrews early manuscript & straightline covers; and five different St. John straightline handstamped covers. Some with wear and / or ageing, but most select with choice strikes. **Est. 3,000.00+**



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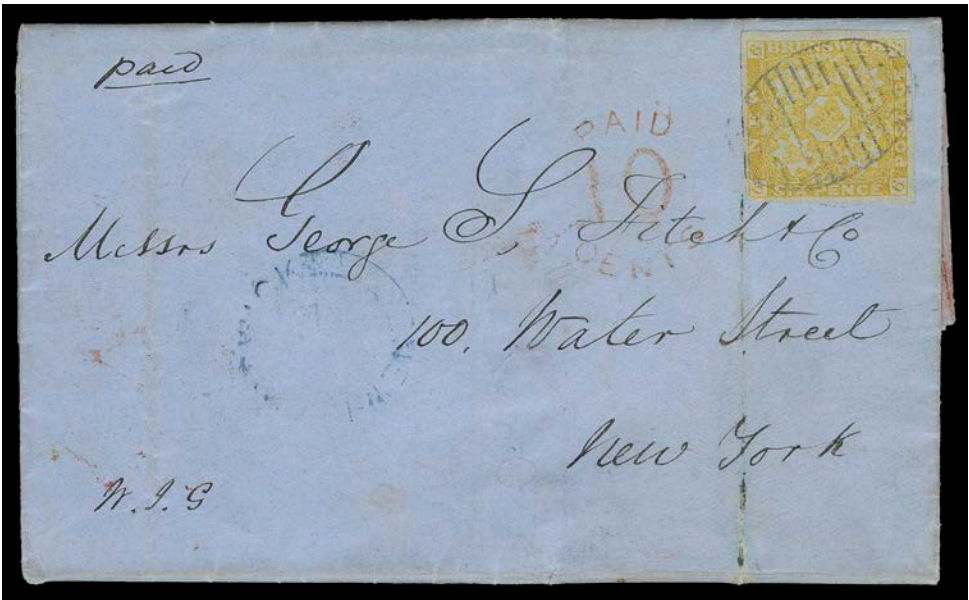


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- 97 **1, 1851 3p Dull Red on Blued Paper, Imperforate** A lovely example in the characteristic duller shade of a later printing, adequate to large margins, light oval grid '23' cancel of Richibucto, VF **700.00**
- 98 **1860 (February 20) Folded lettersheet from St. John, NB via Halifax to England**, light overall soiling, proper 7½p franking consisting of a diagonal bisected 3p dull red and a single 6p olive yellow, latter creased, both tied by neat oval grid '1' cancels, St. John NB Paid FE 20 1860 double arc dispatch at left, clear Hull MR 5 60 CDS receiver on back, Fine; 1958 RPS of London cert. (Unitrade 1b, 2, cat. \$6,000) ex. William Vestey (September 1958; Lot 299) Effective August 1, 1854 the rate to the UK was reduced from 15 pence to 7½ pence currency, which remained in effect until April 17, 1860 and the change to Decimal currency. This cover was mailed in the final weeks of the 7½ pence rate and is the third latest reported usage. *Illustrated on Page 31* **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 99 **2, 1851 6p Olive Yellow on Blued Paper, Imperforate** Select used example with ample to large margins, bright colour on fresh paper, neat and unusually clear oval grid '23' cancellation of Richibucto; a great stamp with a beautiful numeral grid, VF **1,600.00**



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- 100 ☒ 1852 (October 5) Blue folded entire from Shediac to New York, bearing a selected example of the 6p olive yellow on blue wove paper with ample to large margins, tied by an oval mute grid, border exchange office New Brunswick double arc in blue and unframed Paid 10 Cents in red; on reverse Shediac OC 5 1852 and neat St. John, New Brunswick OC 6 1852 transit, no receiver as customary for mail via sea route to the US; couple light file folds away from stamp, VF; 1996 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 2, cat. \$2,000+) **Est. 750.00+**

Provenance: Norman Brassler, January 1996; Lot 1083



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- 101 P 3P, 1sh **Heraldic** Plate proof in black on thin card with sheet margin, VF **800.00**
- 102 © 3, 1851 1sh **Bright Red Violet on Blued Paper, Imperforate** A nice used single with four small even margins, devoid of the usual flaws so prevalent on this key stamp, radiant colour on fresh paper and showing a pleasing, centrally struck oval grid '8' (Chatham) cancellation in BLUE, Fine; 1987 Greene Foundation cert.; ex. *Grant G. Simmons (March 1971; Lot 212)* **4,000.00**



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- 103 E 5P, 1860 5c **Charles Connell** Plate essay single printed in brown on india paper, VF **300.00**
- 104 E 5P, vii, 1860 5c **Charles Connell** Plate essay pair in brown on card mounted india paper, sheet margin at right, shows **Major Re-Entry** (Pos. 60) on right stamp with remarkable doubling visible throughout left side of design, rare and striking, VF **900.00**



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- 105 E 6, 1879 1c **Locomotive "Goodall"** Die Essay showing the locomotive facing left instead of right as on the issued stamp, printed in brownish red on india paper 29 x 24mm, die sunk on card 33 x 29mm; faint surface tone spot at top right edge of proof and minute surface mark hardly detract. A beautiful and sought-after essay, VF and rare; ex. *Koh Seow Chuan (April 1999; Lot 85)* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 106 P 6, 1879 1c **Locomotive "Goodall"** die proof in black on india paper 42 x 34mm, showing die number "130" above design. A very attractive and rare proof ideal for exhibition, VF (Minuse & Pratt 6TC2g) **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 107 P 6P, 1860 1c Locomotive Plate proof block of four in dark violet on india paper, VF 500.00
- 108 P 6TC, 1860 1c Locomotive An attractive trial colour plate proof block of four reddish orange on india paper. Seldom encountered, especially in a multiple, VF 800.00+



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- 109 ★ 6a , 10, 1860 1c Brown Violet Locomotive and 12½c Indigo Steamship Choice mint singles, both well centered with deep colour and full original gum; seldom seen thus, VF NH 750.00
- 110 ★ 6b, 1860 1c Red Lilac Locomotive Lower right margin pair imperforate vertically, without gum as are all known pairs; an appealing positional pair, Fine 650.00



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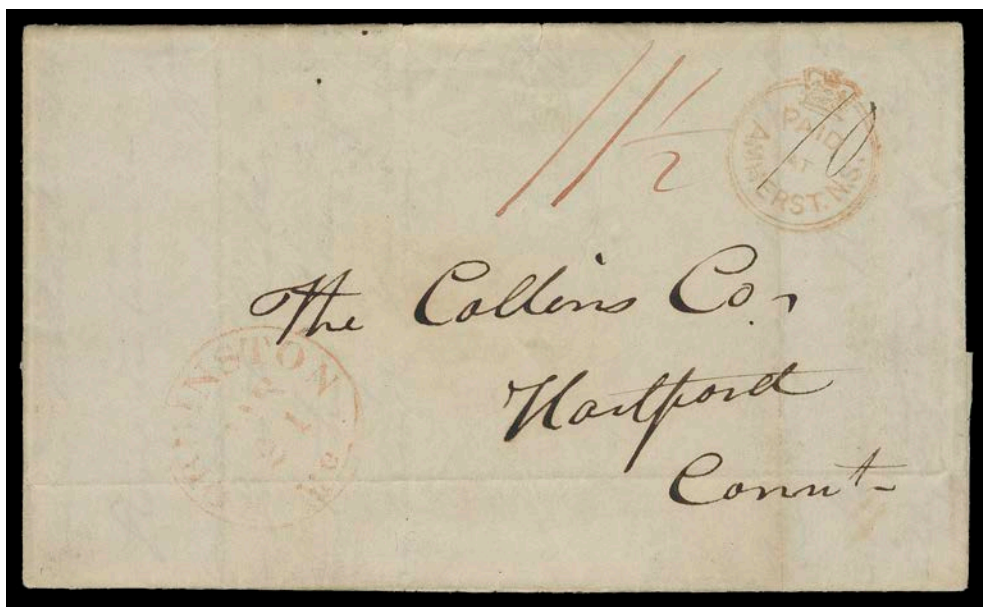
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- 111 P 8TCi, iii, 5c Queen Victoria Trial colour plate proof block of four, printed in black on india paper, showing the scarce SPECIMEN Type D overprint in red on left pair (right pair Type B), VF 935.00
- 112 P 10Pii, iii, iv, 12½c Indigo Plate proof block of six in thee issued colour on card mounted india paper, showing all three types of horizontal SPECIMEN overprint in red (the elusive Type D on top row, Type B at centre and Type C at foot. Scarce se-tenant SPECIMEN block in choice condition, VF 1,160.00



- 113 ★◎ **NEW BRUNSWICK Selection of Proofs, Stamps and Covers** Emphasis on Decimal issues noting several plate proofs including 5c Connell pair in brown and single in orange; mint blocks of 10c, 12½ and 17c, various mint / used singles; a 12½c tied by superb oval grid '13' to cover from Fredericton JU 21 1861 to Woodstock; a bisected 10c from Buctouche MY 30 1860 to Richibucto (1983 Greene cert.); a few Pence issues with 6p proof in black, 1890 3p, 6p & 1sh official reprints, etc. Condition varies from mixed to very fine **Est. 750.00+**

**AMHERST, NOVA SCOTIA – BRITISH CROWNED PAID
CIRCLE HANDSTAMP COVER TO THE UNITED STATES**



- 114 ☒ **Folded lettersheet** datelined "Manudie" and sent to Hartford, USA, manuscript "1½" and rated "10" at the border, showing a clear, complete Amherst, N.S. British CROWNED CIRCLE in red, same-ink double arc MR 17 1846 dispatch on reverse with light transit St. Andrews, NB MA 20 backstamp in blue. Robbinston, Maine trans-border circular postmark in red; couple light file folds as usual and small tear at top. An appealing and very early use of this marking, VF (SG CC1 £1,000) **Est. 400.00+**

NOVA SCOTIA
HERALDIC PENCE



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- 115 ★ **2, 1851-1857 3p Blue on Lightly Blue Paper, Imperforate** A choice unused example with large even margins uncommonly seen on this issue, displaying exceptional colour and bright impression on fresh paper, small part OG, XF (Cat. as no gum) **1,600.00+**
- 116 ★ **3, 1851-1857 3p Dark Blue on Deeply Blue Paper, Imperforate** An attractive unused example with characteristic shade and impression, full margins; a nice stamp, VF **2,200.00**



- 117 ★ **2, 1851-1857 3p Blue on Blue Paper, Imperforate** A full margined mint pair with excellent colour, diagonal crease ending in a small tear on right stamp and gum thins, still a scarce pair with large part original gum and VF appearance (Unitrade \$6,400) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 118 ☉ **Mailboat Cancels** Cunard Line grid "A91" on 3p bright blue and "A97" on 6p yellow green and 6p dark green; all with some degree of faults but rarely seen. **Est. 500.00+**



- 119  1859 (August 22) Small envelope from Wolfville to **Montreal, Lower Canada**; some faults and portion of backflap missing not affecting the impressive franking which is in sound condition and consisting of two singles and a diagonal bisect of the 3p blue on bluish wove paper, all large margined and tied by light grid cancels; paying the sauce 7½ pence letter rate TO CANADA, carried biweekly from Halifax closed mail via the United States; on reverse Wolfville, NS AU 22 1859 dispatch, oval "H" (Halifax) AU 22 transit and Montreal AU 28 receiver backstamps. A remarkable cover displaying what is **quite likely the only known such franking to Canada**, Fine (Unitrade 2, 2a) **Est. 1,500.00+**

According to Arfken & Firby census in "The Pence Covers of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick 1851-1860", there are five recorded 7½p rate covers to Canada; all are franked with a single 6 pence (either yellow green or dark green) and a bisected 3 pence.



- 120  1859 (January 4) Envelope from Lock's Island, NS to Maine, USA, bearing a 6p dark green on blued wove paper, slightly touching design on one side to large margins, tied by unframed oval mute grid cancel; reverse shows four different datestamps, Lock's Island JA 4, Shelburne JA 4, Yarmouth JA 5 in red, Digby JA 7; St. John NB JA 19 transit on front and exchange office circular Paid 10 handstamp in red. Minor soiling at foot, an attractive cover, F-VF (Unitrade 5; cat. \$4,000) **Est. 750.00+**



- 121 ☉ **6, 1857 1sh Reddish Violet on Blued Paper, Imperforate** A remarkably fresh used example with distinctive bright colour, just clear at right to otherwise full to exceptionally large margins, light unobtrusive oval mute grid cancel, a very nice stamp, F-VF; 2008 BPA cert. ex. *Senator Calder (February 1958; Lot 444)* **5,250.00**



- 122 ☉ **6b, 1857 1sh Deep Purple on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate** A extraordinary used example of this keenly sought-after classic stamp, remarkably large margins all around - superior to most we have seen, deeper colour than normally seen, oval mute grid cancels; pencil signed on reverse by expert Peter Holcombe. A superb stamp ideal for the collector who is only seeking for high-quality stamps, XF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. ex. *E. Carey Fox (Second Portion, October 1968; Lot 290)* **9,000.00+**



- 123 ★☉ **NOVA SCOTIA In-Depth Selection of Proofs, Stamps and Covers** Pence & Cents issues on seven stockpages, a few highlights are 1p and 1sh palte proofs in black, 8½c ABNC trade sample proof in deep magenta on wove, 10c plate proof in black with diagonal SPECIMEN in gold, 12½c die proof in black on india paper. Stamps also with 6p yellow green (2 sound used, one with 2007 Greene cert.), 5c blue mint; four 3p covers in different shades, one bearing #3 pair, 1c pair on printed circular, single 2c on county rate cover, etc. Mixed to F-VF **Est. 1,500.00+**



PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

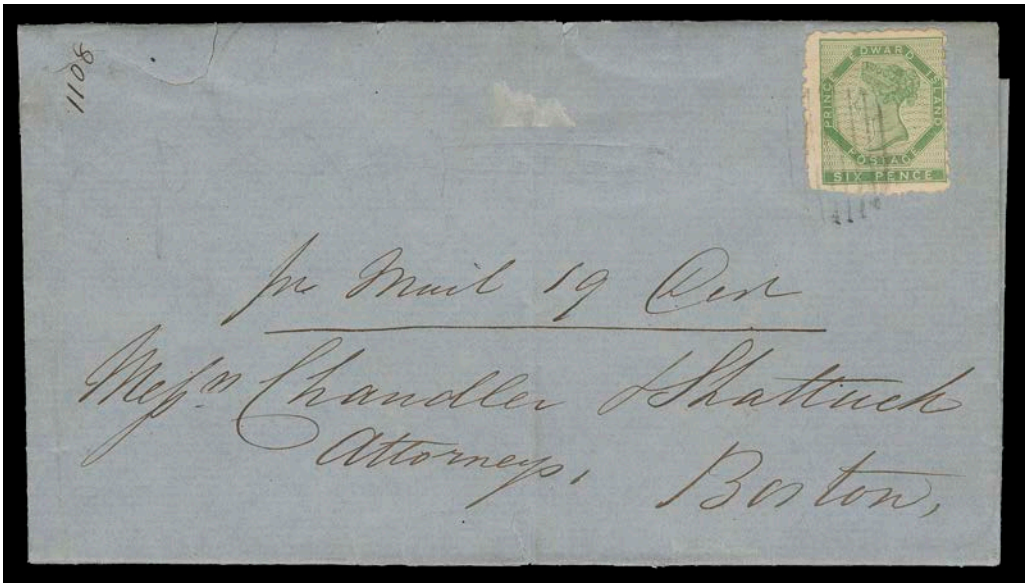


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- 124 ☉ **1 variety, 1861 2p Rose on Yellowish Soft Paper, Die II, Perf 9** The rare DIE II, an attractive used single with light, centrally struck grid cancellation, this die occurs only once in the sheet of 60 (Position 15), tiny tear at right is barely discernible, quite well centered and displaying bright colour, F-VF (SG 2a £1,000) **Est. 500.00+**
- 125 ★ **3, 1861 6p Yellow Green on Yellowish Soft Paper, Perf 9** A bright mint single with excellent colour and unusually intact perfo-rations for this issue, tiny translucent spot, otherwise in sound condition, quite lightly hinged, Fine OG **2,500.00**



- 126 ☒ **1862 (December 19) Folded lettersheet from Charlottetown to Boston, franked with 6p yellow green perf 9 tied by oval grid, usual irregular perfs and couple small cover tears, partial Prince Edward Island DE 19 1862 dispatch on reverse. A very scarce rate cover in above average condition - Lehr reported only 15 similar frankings to the USA, Fine (Unitrade 3; cat. \$4,000) **Est. 750.00+****
- 127 ★ **5vi, 1870 2c Rose on Coarse Bluish Paper, Perf 11½-12** Lower left margin block imperforate horizontally between stamps, trivial natural gum skip on left pair, an elusive and appealing perforation variety, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 39* **1,400.00**
- 128 P **9, 1869-1870 4p Queen Victoria** Trial colour plate proof pair in light blue on white wove paper - shows clearly printed 3p stamps on reverse in a darker shade of blue, most unusual, VF *Illustrated on Page 39* **Est. 250.00+**
- 129 ★ **9a, 9g, 1869 4p Black on Soft Yellowish Paper, Perf 11½-12** A mint horizontal strip of three imperforate vertically between all stamps, F-VF NH, scarce *Illustrated on Page 39* **1,950.00**



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- 130 E 13, 1872 (circa.) 3c **Queen Victoria Widow** British American Bank Note engraved plate essay in green on gummed thick paper, perf 13, VF and attractive **Est. 250.00+**
- 131 ★ 15a, 1872 6c **Black, Perf 12** A mint pair imperforate vertically between stamps, completely devoid of the usual flaws encountered on this elusive variety, F-VF NH **480.00+**



- 132 ☒ 1873 (June 18) Cover from Charlottetown to Georgetown franked with a rare diagonal bisect of the 6c black paying the 3c letter rate, tied by segmented cork, neat Charlottetown JU 18 73 split ring dispatch, light next-day receiver backstamp; slightly reduced at right and some foxing spots, still quite nice for this - fewer than a dozen exist, Fine; 1976 BPA cert. (Unitrade 15b cat. \$3,000) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 133 ★ **PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND Pence & Cents Mint / NH Stamps and Reprint Proofs** Displayed on five pages with 37 mostly NH stamps, many are well centered, also includes many plate flaws, six mint NH blocks noting two shades of the 2p with the "TWC" variety in blocks of six. 1893 "Tilleard" reprint set of proofs in black on thick paper, lower imprint blocks of 8 (2p & 12c) or of 10 (4p & 3c) and 1962 Harmer reprint 6p die proofs in ten different colours. **Est. 750.00+**



- 134 ★◎ **PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND 1861-1872 Pence & Cents Specialized Assortment** On stockpages and loose leaf, noting better such as 1861 6p yellow green, perf 9 sound used, various mint & used singles along a few multiples including scarce 6p blue green mint block, 4p mint sheet of 30, 4½p block with lower pair NH; imperforate pairs on ungummed wove paper - 1p, 2p, 3p, 4p (pair and block), 1c (3 pairs), 6c; a few covers in usual mixed condition including 2p perf 9 single franking, 2p perf 11½-12 pair to New Brunswick, 4p bisect on toned faulty cover, etc. Mostly sound throughout, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 135 ★ **PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND 1862-1872 Selected Mint NH** A remarkable assembly of 19 stamps (13 different), hand-picked for centering and freshness including a few shades / printings. Noted 1p yellow orange, 6p blue green, 9p violet and red violet shades, 4½p brown, 2c ultramarine, 3c rose, etc. A lovely group for the discriminating collector, VF NH **2,165.00**



- 136 **P** **PROVINCES Selection of Proofs, Specimens, Etc.** Displayed on three stockpages, noting New Brunswick 5c green proof block of six with SPECIMEN Type D, C & B (two of each type), Nova Scotia plate imprint block of 8½c in black with diagonal SPECIMEN (Type B), lower margin imprint block of 12½c in black with diagonal SPECIMEN Type B on top pair and Type C on bottom block, PEI 6p reprint die proofs set of 10 colours, Newfoundland 1897-1908 ½c, 1c green and 2c vermilion (3) SPECIMEN blocks of four, three different 1911 John Guy engraved plate proofs, etc. **Est. 750.00+**
- 137 **P** **PROVINCES New Brunswick & Nova Scotia Decimal Issue Proofs** Lot of 16 items, on india paper (some card mounted), consisting of singles (7), pairs (8) and a block of four. Noted New Brunswick 5P pair; Nova Scotia 11Pi pair, 11TCvii, 12Pv UR imprint block, 12TC pair, 12TCi, 12TCxii, 12TCx, 12TC variety in a dull rose shade on india paper, 13TCix, etc. F-VF or better (Cat. \$3,205) *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 500.00+**



- 138 **★◎** **PROVINCES Assortment of Pence & Cents Issues** On two stockpages in variable condition with better stamps such as Vancouver Island 1865 10c blue imperf small margins unused, 1865 5c rose perf 14 part OG, 10c perf 14 unused; British Columbia 1870 25c orange perf 14 unused, 1869 25c orange perf 12½ light cancel; New Brunswick 1851 3p, 6p & 1sh Heraldic in mixed condition (1sh has 1987 Greene cert.); Nova Scotia 1851 6p yellow green, used with just clear to large margins, 1857 1sh purple creased but F-VF appearance (2012 Greene cert.), PEI 1861 3p perf 9 mint, small thin (2011 Greene cert.), etc. **Est. 2,500.00+**
- 139 **★** **PROVINCES 1860-1867 New Brunswick & Nova Scotia Decimal Issues** Selection of singles and blocks, mostly mint including choice NH stamps of Nova Scotia, 5c dark blue on white paper with redistributed OG (1988 Greene cert. states "regummed"), New Brunswick 1c Locomotive lightly used block, 2c orange mint block and three singles all with OG - an underrated stamp very difficult to find with original gum. Nice quality throughout. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 600.00+**



NEWFOUNDLAND

AN EXTRAORDINARY AND RARELY OFFERED INTACT TRADE SAMPLE SHEET

*Plates & Papers identification are according to Robert Pratt handbook
"The Pence Issues of Newfoundland 1857-1866"*



- 140 P **Plate 1 Paper 9 1p-1sh Heraldic Perkins Bacon (1929) Trade Sample Sheet** in deep green on thin white diagonal mesh wove paper (0.004" to 0.0045" thick), displaying the COMPLETE SET of nine denominations in a very rarely seen complete sheet, also coloured proofs of Cape of Good Hope 6p & 1s, Chile 1c, 5c, 10c & 20c, Ceylon "Chalon" die without denomination and Western Australia incomplete 1p Swan; the Newfoundland 4p is the scarred die characteristic of the Plate 1 proof sheet. Minor wrinkles, inconsequential for this remarkable intact sheet, VF; pencil signed by expert Herbert Bloch on reverse. **Est. 3,500.00+**

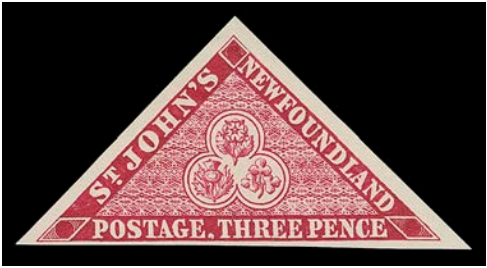


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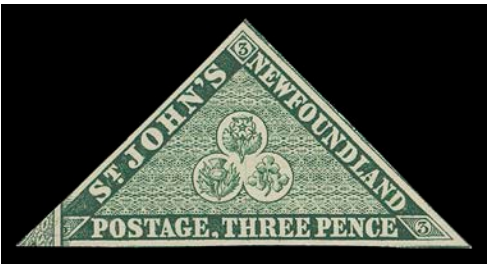
- 141 P **Plate 1 Paper 9, 1p Deep Green (1929) Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proof** on thin white diagonal mesh wove paper (0.004" to 0.0045" thick), appealing and VF **Est. 300.00+**
- 142 P **Plate 1A Paper 9, 1sh Deep Green (1929 - Defaced State) Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proof** on thin white diagonal mesh wove paper (0.004" to 0.0045" thick), striking, VF **Est. 300.00+**



- 143 P **Plate 1A Paper 9, 3p Bright Red** (1929 - Defaced State) Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proof on thin white diagonal mesh wove paper (0.004" to 0.0045" thick), striking, VF **Est. 250.00+**



- 144 P **Plate 6 Paper 13, 4p Carmine Red and 4p Black** (1929) Perkins Bacon Trade Sample Proofs on thick stiff yellowish card (0.085" to 0.095" thick) - the complete design without the defacing scars found on other plates. A scarce duo, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 145 P **The Griebert Plate, 3p Heraldic, Die I** Engraved essay (circa. 1919) in green on thick wove (0.006"), from a stamp dealer advertising plate (Hugo Griebert) specially prepared by Perkins Bacon and showing the characteristic defaced left corner from overlap of another stamp design (Chile 5 centavo), small vertical crease at right. A rare and desirable item, VF; *ex. Ed Wener collection (June 2012; Lot 218)* **Est. 300.00+**



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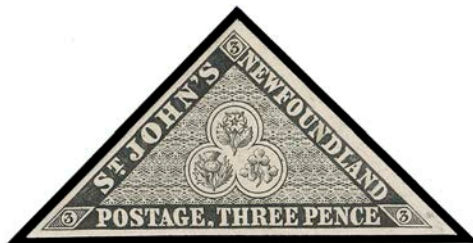
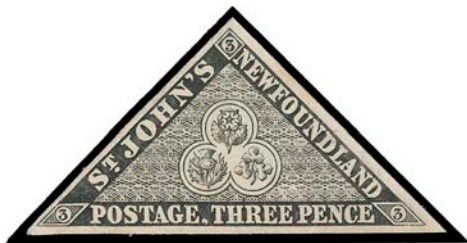
- 146 ★ **1, 1857 1p Brown Violet on Thick White Wove, Imperforate** A full margined, premium mint example with radiant colour and full dull white original gum, VF+ NH **480.00**



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- 147 E **3, 1857 3p Heraldic, Die II Engraved Die Essay** in black, stamp size on card mounted india paper, showing the corrected lower left "3" (slating in the Die I essay) and having small differences not present in the final die for the issued stamp. One major trait not found on the plate proofs and issued stamps is the lack of the outer delineation line surrounding the central vignette trefoil. A very rare initial die proof of which not more than three of the Die II essay exist according to R. Pratt, VF (Minuse & Pratt 3E-A) *ex. Ralph Hart (May 1977; Lot 624)* **Est. 2,500.00+**

We would like to point out that no actual die proof of the final die is known in private hands. Only a few die essays of Die I and of Die II (according to Robert H. Pratt handbook) exist.



- 148 P **3, 1857 3p Heraldic** Engraved plate proof singles of both dies, printed in black on thin white card, full to large margins. A very scarce duo as only one plate proof sheet of 80 (40 of each die) was printed, VF **1,000.00**



- 149 ☉ **6, 1857 6p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate** A scarce used example with small even margins, rich colour and neat barred cancellation; faint soiling on reverse only, a key stamp devoid of the usual flaws that plague this issue, Fine; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **3,500.00**



- 150 ★ **7, 1857 6½p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful unused example with exceptional colour on pristine paper as the day it was printed, surrounded by mostly large margins which is quite unusual on this particular stamp. A very attractive example of this classic stamp, VF+; 2017 Greene Foundation cert. **6,000.00**



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- 151 ★ **8, 1857 8p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate** Top sheet margin mint single, colour lightly oxidized, hinged in selvage leaving stamp VF NH **1,500.00**
- 152 ☉ **8, 1857 8p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate** An elusive used example with small to full margins, bright colour and light grid cancel; much scarcer than mint examples, Fine; 1952 BPA cert. **500.00**
- 153 P **9, 1857 1sh Heraldic Plate proof printed in black on thin card; rare as only one sheet of 20 was printed, VF** **1,000.00**



- 154 © **9, 1857 1sh Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate** A rare used single of this sought-after classic stamp, surrounded by small to full margins and displaying deep rich colour which is lightly oxidized, neat grid cancel, missing from many advanced collections, F-VF; 1996 APS cert.ex. *Colonel E.H.R. Green (Part XXVI, March 1946; Lot 663)* **10,500.00**



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- 155 ★ **11, 1860 2p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** A very nice mint single with exceptional colour, large margins and large part original gum; a beautiful stamp, VF OG **1,200.00**
- 156 ★ **11, 1860 2p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** An excellent mint example with exceptional colour, typical smaller size margins often encountered on this particular stamp, large part original gum; a great stamp, F-VF **900.00**



- 157 ★ **12Ai, 1860 5p Violet on Brown on Medium Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** A fresh mint corner block of four showing "STACE" of the **papermaker's watermark**, reading down and visible on all four stamps, lower right stamp hinged, others NH, VF **1,400.00**



CENTS



- 161 P **24P-31P, 1865 2c-24c Cents Issue** The set of six horizontal plate proof pairs, printed in first issued colours on card mounted india paper; 24c has close margin at foot, otherwise a lovely VF set (Unitrade cat. \$1,260) **Est. 350.00+**



- 162 P **24, 25, 28, 1868 2c, 5c & 12c American Bank Note Company** Top portion of a trade sample sheet showing se-tenant proofs of the 2c Codfish, 12c Queen Victoria and 5c Harp Seal, LITHOGRAPHED in garnet red on yellowish horizontal mesh paper (0.003" thick) with intact ornamental sheet margins on three sides, rarely seen like this, XF (Minuse & Pratt P8-Ca) **Est. 2,000.00+**

Most known ABNC trade sample proofs were engraved. This example is lithographed; surely very few exist as such.



- 163 E **25, 1865 5c Harp Seal Engraved Die Essay** in brown on india paper 38 x 29mm, showing nearly all of the elements found on the issued stamp but reading "PROVINCE OF NEWFOUNDLAND" instead of "FIVE 5 FIVE" at top. An exceptional essay of the utmost rarity, ideal for exhibition, VF (Minuse & Pratt 25E-C) **Est. 1,500.00+**

We are aware of only three other 5c die essays in brown: one is similar in size but has overall foxing; another is cut close to design; and a reported third example, the condition of which is unknown to us.



- 164 P 25Piv variety, 1865 5c Harp Seal Plate proof block of four printed in black (as the reissue of 1868) on india paper showing full ABNC imprint in bottom sheet margin; trivial flaws, scarce and underrated especially as a block, VF Est. 350.00+



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- 165 ★ 25, 1865 5c Brown on Thin Crisp Hard Wove Paper An exceptional unused single displaying superior centering and deep fresh colour, ABNC plate imprint in the right wing margin. A magnificent example that has virtually no equal among its peers, unquestionably one of the hardest "Cents" issue stamps to obtain in such remarkable quality, VF+ GEM 800.00+



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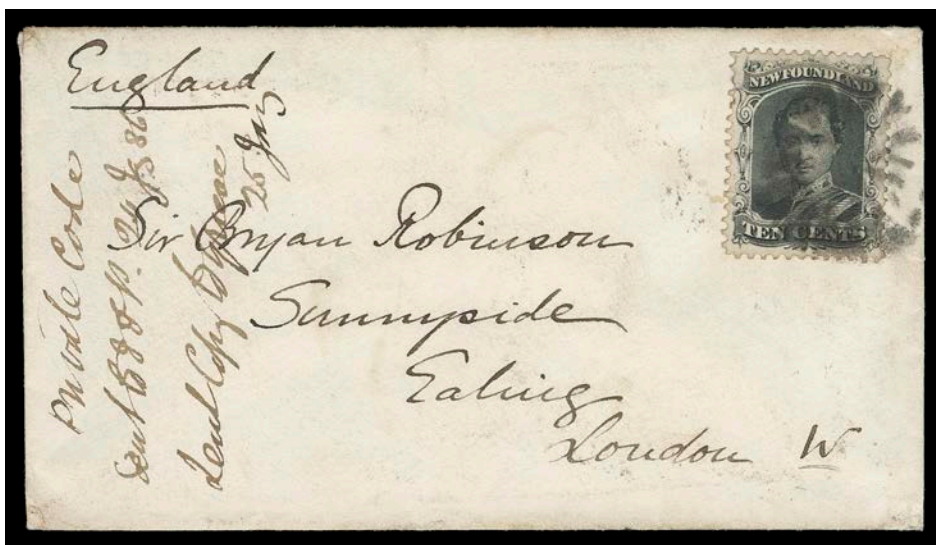
- 166 ◎ 25, 1865 5c Brown on Thin Crisp Hard Paper An attractive used example of this challenging stamp, quite well centered for the issue and displaying intact perforations and a neat circular segmented cork cancel, VF 600.00
- 167 ★ 26, 1868 5c Black on Stout White Paper A remarkably well centered unused example within noticeably large margins for the issue, bright colour, VF+ 600.00
- 168 ★ 27a, 1865 10c Black on Thin Crisp Hard Paper An outstanding mint single of the distinctive early printing, printed in a deeper shade than normally seen, extraordinary centering within jumbo margins capturing a nearly complete plate imprint at foot, insignificant gum wrinkle, relatively lightly hinged. An exceptional example displaying rarely seen physical traits for this most difficult stamp, VF LH 1,200.00+



- 169 ★ 27, 1870 10c Black on Stout White Paper A selected and appealing mint block of four with sheet margin at right, quite well centered for this challenging stamp and possessing unusually full original gum, hinged on right pair and left pair NEVER HINGED. One of the nicer blocks one can hope to find, F-VF **3,300.00**



- 170 ★ 27, 1870 10c Black on Stout White Paper An unusually choice mint single with post office fresh colour, well centered for the issue, full white original gum, NEVER HINGED. A tough stamp to obtain in such condition, VF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **1,500.00**



- 171 ☒ 1886 (January 9) Small cover to London with Bay of Islands / Newfoundland embossed on backflap, franked with a well centered 10c black on stout white paper tied by unusual radial cork cancel for **UPU double letter rate to the UK**, legible St. John's JA 9 86 split ring and London JA 23 backstamps, VF and attractive; one of only six such rate / franking covers reported. (Unitrade 27) **Est. 500.00+**



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- 172 ★ 29, 1894 12c Brown on Medium Wove Paper A remarkably well centered mint block of four, scarce in such top-quality, XF NH 1,200.00
- 173 ★ 29, 1894 12c Brown on Medium Wove Paper A remarkably fresh and unusually well centered mint upper right plate block of six showing the full ABNC imprint at top left, lightly hinged on top right and bottom left stamps leaving four NH. A beautiful plate imprint block, VF (Unitrade cat. \$1,400) Est. 500.00+



- 174 ☒ 1900 (June 19) "Krippner" cover to Chemnitz, **Germany**, slightly reduced at left, displaying mixed-issue franking totalling 20c postage (15c triple UPU letter rate plus 5c registration); stamps tied by oval Registered St. John's 19 JU 00 date stamps, oval Registered Liverpool 2 JY 00 transit and on reverse a clear Chemnitz 4.7.00 CDS receiver, F-VF (Unitrade 29, 35a, 45, 61) Est. 250.00+



- 175 P 30, 1879 (circa.) 13c Schooner "Goodall" die proof printed in bluish green on india paper 31 x 29mm, die number "418" above design, without the larger card they are usually on; small mount mark at top and faint traces of foxing, nevertheless a rare coloured die proof, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 176 ★ 32, 1868 1c Violet (First Engraving), Perf 12 A remarkably well centered mint single with brilliant fresh colour and the full shiny original gum characteristic of this particular stamp, printed by the National Bank Note Co. of New York (in fact the only stamp of Newfoundland ever printed by this firm). A great example of a very scarce stamp, VF+ NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **600.00**



- 177 P 33P, 33TCii, iii, vi, 1870 3c Queen Victoria Four different trial colour plate proof pairs on india paper printed in vermilion, dusky blue green, dark slate violet and brown, VF **780.00**



- 178 ★ 34, 1873 3c Blue An extraordinary mint single with bright colour and clear impression, displaying unusually precise centering and possessing full original gum. Among the very toughest perforated stamps of Newfoundland to find in choice quality, XF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00+**



- 179 ★ 35, 1870 6c Dull Rose An unusually well centered mint single of this difficult stamp displaying excellent colour on bright fresh paper with full, shiny white original gum; a lovely stamp as fresh as the day it was printed, VF+ NH **165.00+**



- 180 ★ 36, 1894 6c Carmine Lake Lower right corner block of ten with full sheet margins, ABNC imprint below stamps 97-99, exceptionally fresh and unusually well centered for the issue, three stamps in top row are LH leaving seven NH. A wonderful plate imprint block, VF (Unitrade cat. \$1,680) **Est. 500.00+**



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- 181 ★ 37, 1877 1c **Brown Lilac, Rouletted** An impressive block of this difficult stamp, unusually well centered and in clean condition; a beautiful mint block, VF OG **800.00+**



- 182 ★ 38, 1879 2c **Green Codfish, Rouletted** A fabulous mint single with intact rouletting all around, very well centered and displaying superb, post office fresh colour and full pristine original gum, NEVER HINGED. A great stamp in all respects, VF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **1,200.00+**



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- 183 ★ 39, 1877 3c **Blue, Rouletted** A superb mint example with unusually precise centering, intact rouletting on all sides, rich colour on fresh paper and full original gum, lightly hinged, XF **600.00+**
- 184 ★ 39 variety, 1877 3c **Blue, Rouletted** A post office fresh mint single with intact rouletting on all sides, showing the "Tumbling Stones" constant variety (Pos. 11) ideally captured in the wide left margin, full original gum, VF VLH **Est. 500.00+**

This variety is listed in the Unitrade specialized catalogue on the 1870 3c vermilion and 1873 3c blue in used condition; it is unlisted on this stamp.

- 185 ★ 40, 1876 5c **Blue, Rouletted** An appealing mint block with superior centering and large margins, bright colour on fresh paper with remarkably full original gum showing mainly faint traces of hinging. A very scarce and desirable multiple, VF LH **1,600.00+**

1880-1896 BRITISH AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ERA



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- 186 ★ **41, 1880 1c Violet Brown** An amazing mint single, well centered with unusually tall margin at top (part of adjacent stamp is visible), fabulous colour and full pristine original gum; unusually choice, VF+ NH JUMBO **400.00+**
- 187 ★ **42, 1880 1c Grey Brown** A magnificent mint example of this challenging stamp in superb quality, precisely centered with balanced large margins, exceptional colour and full immaculate original gum; rarely encountered in such quality, XF NH GEM **400.00+**
- 188 ★ **42, 1880 1c Grey Brown** Impressive large margined example, well centered with one trivial improved perf at top, VF NH JUMBO **400.00**



- 189 ★ **43, 1896 1c Brown** An exceptional mint example with amazingly deep rich colour, distinctive from the myriad shades found on the Prince of Wales issues, very well centered with large margins and full pristine original gum, XF NH **600.00+**



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- 190 ★ **45, 1896 1c Green** A post office fresh mint single, extremely well centered with sharp impression on bright white wove paper, full pristine original gum, XF NH **150.00+**
- 191 ★ **45a, 1896 1c Yellow Green** A precisely centered mint single with deep rich colour and full original gum, XF NH **180.00+**



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- 192 ★ **46i, 1880 2c Deep Yellow Green Codfish** An extremely well centered mint example with the distinctive radiant colour of the early printing, full pristine original gum, never hinged. An impressive example of this elusive shade, XF NH GEM **640.00+**



- 193 ★ **47, 1896 2c Green Codfish** A fabulous well centered mint block with full unblemished original gum; very seldom seen in such top-quality, VF-XF NH **2,400.00**

- 194 ★ **47, 1896 2c Green Codfish** An amazing mint single, beautifully centered with deep rich colour and with full pristine original gum, XF NH **600.00+**



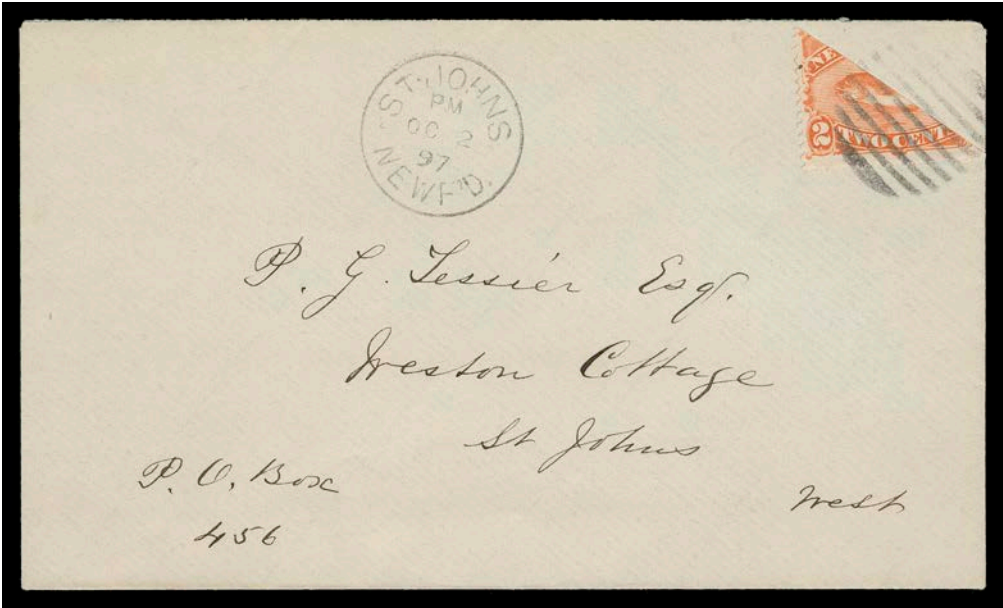
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- 195 ★ **48a, 1887 2c Red Orange Codfish** A large margined imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, scarce and under catalogued in our view, VF+ **400.00+**

- 196 ★ **48b, 1887 2c Orange Codfish** A post office fresh mint block with exceptionally bright colour, the nicest one can hope to find on this stamp, very well centered with full pristine original gum, choice and VF-XF NH **720.00+**



- 197 ☒ 1897 (October 2) Clean cover from St. John's addressed locally and franked with a diagonally bisected 2c orange Codfish paying the 1c drop letter rate, neatly tied by grid and postmarked at left. VF (Unitrade 48i) **Est. 300.00+**

Although not officially authorized, the bisecting of stamps was accepted without penalty. Supplies of 1c stamps were exhausted and the provisional surcharges did not arrive until later in October.



- 198 ★ 51a, 1887 3c Brown A remarkable mint example, very well centered with unusually wide margins, brilliant fresh colour and full original gum. A great stamp, XF NH JUMBO **360.00+**

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**THE FIVE CENT FIRST PRINTING
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- 199 ★ 53, 1880 5c Pale Dull Blue** An impressive mint example of the distinctive first printing, the colour, paper and original gum are all different than the more common later printings, a fabulous example with a rarely encountered combination of superior centering, large margins, true rich colour and full, dull streaky white original gum, NEVER HINGED. Without any doubt one of the finest examples ever to come to auction; much scarcer than catalogue values indicate, XF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert.

3,000.00+



- 200 ★ 53, 1880 5c Pale Dull Blue** A choice example of the challenging first printing, bright colour and impression, well centered within large margins and showing full, streaky white original gum, NEVER HINGED. Missing from many advanced collections and a key stamp of the 1880-1896 BABN printings, VF NH; photocopy of 2006 Philatelic Foundation cert. for a block (top pair hinged), this the bottom left stamp. *ex. "Malibu" Collection (May 2006; Lot 257)*

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- 201 ★ 59, 1887 10c Black Schooner** An amazing mint single with bright colour on fresh paper, fabulous centering within equally impressive "boardwalk" margins, lightly hinged mark in lower margin only, stamp with full pristine original gum. A wonderful, eye-arresting stamp perfect for one seeking only the very best, XF NH JUMBO

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- 59, 1887 10c Black Schooner A very well centered and fresh mint single with pristine original gum, VF+ NH
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- 59, 1887 10c Black Schooner A post office fresh, well centered mint single, VF+ NH
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- 59, 1887 10c Black Schooner Amazing mint example, well centered with huge "boardwalk" margins all around, fresh with full original gum, tiny moisture spot on gum, XF NH JUMBO
- Est. 250.00+



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- 61-74, 1897 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland The complete set of fourteen plate proof blocks of four in the issued colours on card mounted india paper, most are sheet marginal. A beautiful set, seldom seen in blocks, VF (Unitrade cat. \$3,100)
- Est. 1,000.00+



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- 61-74, 1897 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland Complete set of fourteen plate proof pairs, printed in the issued colours on card mounted india paper, mostly with large margins, VF
- 1,550.00



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- 207 ★ **61-74, 1897 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland** The complete set of fourteen with diagonal SPECIMEN overprint in red, bright fresh colours, F-VF NH **1,500.00**
- 208 ★ **61-74, 1897 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland** Complete mint set of fourteen with diagonal SPECIMEN overprint in red, F-VF NH **1,500.00**



- 209 ★ **61-74, 1897 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland** A selected, well centered mint complete set with brilliant fresh colours and full original gum, VF-XF NH **1,155.00+**

1897 PROVISIONAL SURCHARGE



- 210 ★ **75-77, 1897 (October 19) 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surcharge** Intact mint full pane of fifty, sheet margins at sides (no margin at top or bottom as usual), separations in places sensibly strengthened with hinges, natural short gumming along first column. Showing all surcharge types: Pos. 1 to 30 Type A, Pos. 41 to 48 Type B (Pos. 41 the wide spacing variety) and Pos. 49 to 50 Type C. Typical centering for the issue, Fine+ OG / NH (Unitrade cat. \$6,600) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 211 ★ 75, 1897 1c Grey Lilac Provisional Surchage Mint block of thirty, the top three rows in the setting of fifty stamps; Type A surcharge which is visibly slanted (ascending), some perf separation mostly between seventh and eighth columns, only four stamps are hinged, Fine. Also includes a photograph of the complete setting, a useful guide in plating this issue. (Unitrade cat. \$3,360+) Est. 750.00+



- 212 ★ 75-77, 1897 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surchage Mint se-tenant block of four showing the three different surcharge types - A on top row, B on lower left and the elusive C on lower right (Positions 38/49), trivial reinforced perf splits, fresh colour, easily above average for this block, Fine OG 1,500.00



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- 213 ★ 75 variety, 1897 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surchage Type A Mint single with a dramatic shifted, slanting surcharge, large part OG, unusual, Fine+ Est. 250.00+
- 214 ★ 76, 76i, 1897 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surchage Type B Mint positional pair with sheet margin showing both Type B surcharges, left stamp with the elusive wide spacing (2mm) between "ONE CENT" (Pos. 41), nearly full NH original gum, natural gum skips along perfs; scarce and F-VF (Cat. as hinged) 825.00

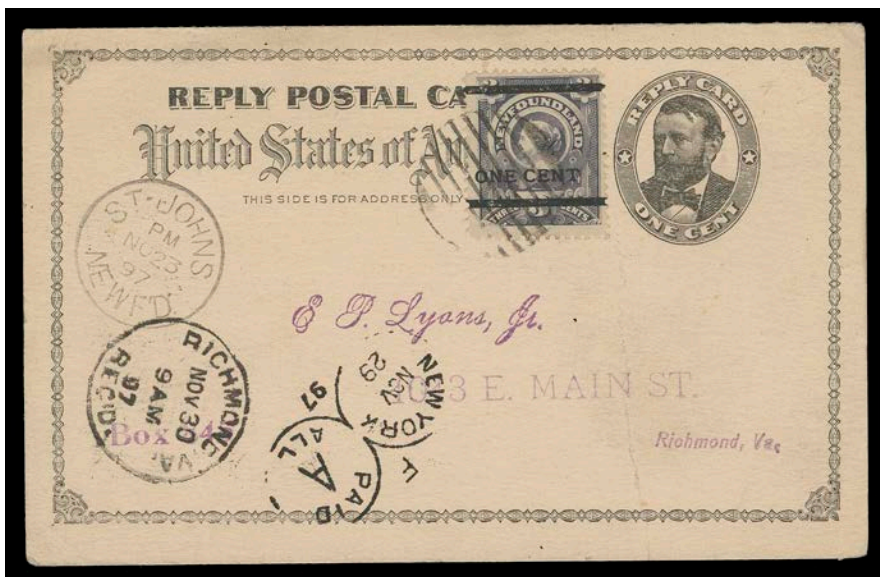


- 215 ★ 77, 1897 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surchage Type C An exceptional mint single of the sought-after Type C surcharge, Position 50 in the setting of 50 subjects, very well centered with brilliant fresh colour and full original gum; clearly one of the nicest examples that exists, VF+ NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **3,750.00**

A total of 792 panes were surcharged for issue on October 12, 1897. Type C was found only on Positions 49 & 50 for a total of 1,584 printed. Off centre sheets are the norm for this issue.



- 216 ★ 77, 1897 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surchage Type C An exceptionally fresh mint single of the elusive Type C surcharge with large margins and full pristine original gum. A great stamp with superior centering for this issue, F-VF NH **2,625.00**



- 217 ☒ 1897 (November 23) USA One cent Reply postal card uprated with in-period use of the 1c on 3c grey lilac (scarce Type B) provisional surcharge tied by circular grid cancel to Richmond, Virginia, St. John's NO 23 97 dispatch CDS at left, New York transit on front and back with Richmond NO 30 receiver, card crease away from stamp. An unusual franking to pay the 2 cent card rate without penalty, VF (Unitrade 76; USA Scott UY1r) **Est. 200.00+**



- 218 ★ 78-86, 1897-1910 ½c-5c Royal Family and Map of Newfoundland The complete set of forty-seven mint singles, each with American Bank Note security punch and Specimen overprints of various types and colours representing all known printing orders, displaying a wonderful range of shades, papers and gums in use between 1897 and 1910. Generally only one sheet of 100 for each printing order was produced, NH and mainly with VF centering **1,850.00**



- 219 ★ 78-86, 1897-1910 ½c-5c Royal Family and Map of Newfoundland The complete set of forty-seven stamps, each with ABNC security punch and specimen overprint (various types and colours), all known printing orders are shown with shades, paper and gums in use between 1897 and 1910; one 3c stamp with dulled perfs at foot. Generally only one sheet for each printing order was prepared. F-VF NH **1,850.00**



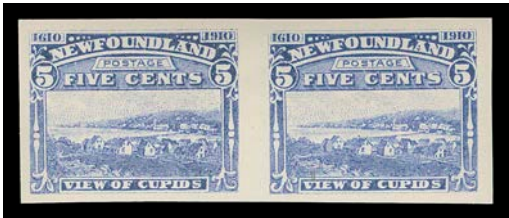
- 220 ☒ 1902 (March) Clean 3c violet postal envelope uprated with 2c vermilion and 5c blue tied by circular grids, oval "R" registration handstamp at left, oval Registered St. John's 2? MR 02 datestamp at left, mailed to Chemnitz, **Germany**, light oval Registered Liverpool 2 AP 02 ties 5c stamp and partially clear oval Registered 3 AP 02 datestamp in red, clear Chemnitz 4.4.02 receiver on back. A beautiful 'Krippner' cover with 5c UPU rate + 5c registration to Germany, VF (Unitrade 82, 85, EN1) **Est. 250.00+**



1910 & 1911 JOHN GUY



- 221 ★ 87xiii, 1910 1c Green, Lithographed, Perf 12x11 A well centered mint pair imperforate vertically between; shows the **constant listed varieties** - "NFW" (Pos. 41) and "Jamrs" (Pos. 42); tiny natural inclusion between stamps, fresh with intact perforations and full original gum. A rare combination of perforation and plate varieties, VF NH **3,000.00**



- 222 P 87-97, 1910 1c/15c John Guy, Lithographed The complete set of ten plate imperforate proof pairs on the distinctive thicker gummed paper, all in issued colours; the 6 cent is Type I (the 6c Type II and 12c do not exist in this format). Some toning on 2c and 8c, otherwise fresh and VF NH **3,750.00**



- 223 P 87/97, 1910 1c/15c John Guy, Lithographed Mint complete set of ten plate proof pairs on thick gummed wove paper in issued colours, small hinging to lightly hinged; the 6 cent Type I has a few light tone spots (the 6c Type II and 12c do not exist in this format). A scarce group, VF 2,500.00



- 224 ★ 87-97, 87a, b, 88a, 1910 1c-15c John Guy, Lithographed A beautiful, post office fresh mint set of 12, plus 1c perf 12 & 12x14 and 2c perf 12x14; 12c unused, all others well centered with immaculate dull white original gum and NEVER HINGED. A challenging set to assemble in this quality, VF NH 2,580.00



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- 225 ★ 92ii, 1910 6c Claret, Type I A striking mint pair imperforate vertically at left between stamp and sheet margin, tiny gum thin, unusually large margins, VF OG, rare 500.00+
- 226 ★ 92Ab, 1910 6c Claret, Type II A fresh, large margined mint imperforate pair, VF LH 600.00



- 227 ★ **92Ai, 1910 6c Claret, Type II A** mint single showing the "WF" **joined variety** from Position 17 (with malformed "L" in NEWFOUNDLAND), pristine original gum, VF NH **900.00**



- 228 ★ **98-103, 1911 6c-15c John Guy, Engraved A** selected mint set of six with deep colours and full original gum, VF NH **1,450.00**



- 229 ◎ **98-103, 1911 6c-15c John Guy, Engraved A** well centered set of six, each with matching socked on nose Island Cove split ring postmark, VF **525.00**

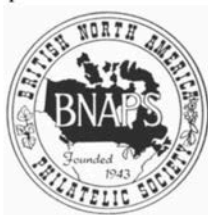
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230 P 104-114, 1911 1c-15c Royal Family - Coronation of King George V A remarkable complete set of eleven trial colour plate proof blocks of four, printed in black, each with sheet margin at top. A very rare set in blocks of four, VF+ 6,000.00

De La Rue & Co. engraved and printed the 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c and 10c on thick white wove paper. Macdonald & Co. engraved and A. Alexander & Sons printed the 6c, 8c, 9c, 12c and 15c, which are on thin white card.



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- 104-114, 1911 1c-15c Royal Family - Coronation of King George V A superior mint set of this underrated issue, uncharacteristically well centered and never hinged, very scarce thus. One would need years to assemble another set in such choice condition, VF-XF NH
- 1,340.00+
- 232
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- 104/114, 1911 1c/15c Royal Family - Coronation of King George V Mint set of singles (except 3c, 10c) plus three blocks of four (4c, 9c & 10c) with De La Rue archival defacement lines, most quite well centered, F-VF NH
- Est. 350.00+
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- 115a-126a, 1919 1c-36c Trail of the Caribou An impressive complete set of 12 imperforate pairs, ungummed as issued, mostly large margined and all with sheet margin at right; 1c & 4c with minor wrinkles. A scarce and desirable set of this sought-after series, VF
- Illustrated on Page 69
- 4,200.00

Other than the 4c each pair shows the right-hand centre of sheet "cross" guidelines in the sheet margin.



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- 127, 129, 130, 160, 1920 & 1929 Provisional Surcharge 2c on 30c VF NH sheet; 3c on 15c Type II surcharge VF OG sheet with twenty NH including Raised "E" (Pos. 24); 3c on 35c VF NH sheet; and 1929 3c on 6c F-VF NH sheet. (Unitrade cat. \$2,805)
- Est. 750.00+





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- 235 ★ 127a, 1920 (Sept. 24) 2c on 30c Slate Surcharge Mint single of the inverted surcharge error, signed "HnB" on reverse; very scarce with only two panes of 25 printed, Fine+ LH **1,000.00**
- 236 ★ 128, 1920 (Sept. 13) 3c on 15c Scarlet Type I Surcharge (bars 10½mm apart) A scarce mint block of four of this elusive setting (only 120 panes of 25 were printed), top pair hinged at centre, lower pair is NH, F-VF **1,400.00**
- 237 ★ 128, 1920 (Sept. 13) 3c on 15c Scarlet, Type I Surcharge (Bars 10½mm apart) A choice mint single, well centered, VF NH **600.00**



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- 238 ★ 132b, 1923 2c Carmine Mint imperforate block with cross guideline in top margin which is clipped at right, light gum wrinkle on top pair, otherwise F-VF NH **590.00**
- 239 ★ 134a, 1923 4c Brown Violet Lower margin imperforate block showing centre of sheet cross guideline, ungummed as issued, VF **600.00**



- 240 P 135, 1923 5c **Coast of Trinity** Trial Colour Die Proof in red brown on unwatermarked white wove paper 52 x 60mm, showing die sinkage on two sides; light bend, VF and attractive Est. 300.00+



- 241 ★ 137a, 1923 8c **Dull Violet** Imperforate block of eight, un gummed as issued; a rarely seen large block which is perhaps the largest surviving, VF (Cat. as four pairs) 1,200.00



- 242 ★ 145-182, 1929-1931 1c-30c **Publicity Series** Complete sets, each stamp individually hand-picked for centering and freshness, with 1928 Publicity set plus 4c shade; 1929-1931 re-engraved set and 1931 watermarked set, also the 1929 3c on 6c. Difficult to assemble, VF NH 1,450.00



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- 243 P 152, 1928 9c Cabot Tower (De La Rue Printing) Small Die Proof printed in dark blue green, near issued colour, on unwatermarked wove paper 34 x 42mm, showing engraver's guidelines at sides, attractive, VF

Est. 300.00+



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- 244 ★ 160a, 1929 (August 23) 3c on 6c Grey Black, Surcharge in Red, Type II A bright, fresh mint single with inverted surcharge, F-VF NH; only three panes of 25 were surcharged in error, a small number survive in never hinged condition. 2019 Greene Foundation cert. **2,150.00**
- 245 ★ 160a, 1929 (August 23) 3c on 6c Grey Black, Surcharge in Red, Type II A fresh mint single showing the very elusive inverted surcharge error, full original gum with the faintest trace of hinging, F-VF VLH; only 75 examples printed. 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **1,200.00**
- 246 ★ 160i, 1929 (August) 3c on 6c Grey Black Mint single of the trial surcharge IN BLACK, Type I showing wide 5mm spacing between "CENTS" and bar, full OG showing only a faint trace of hinging, scarce, F-VF VLH; 2009 Sismondo cert. ex. Mount Pearl collection (February 2018; Lot 758) **1,500.00**
- 247 P 182, 1931 30c Grand Falls (Re-engraved) Large Die Proof in olive brown, colour of issue, on unwatermarked wove paper 56 x 83mm, showing die sinkage on three sides, scarce, VF **Est. 350.00+**

1932-1938 RESOURCES – PERKINS BACON PRINTING



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- 248 ★ 183c, 1932 1c Green Codfish, Line Perf 13.3 A nice mint vertical pair imperforate horizontally between, VF NH 375.00
- 249 ★ 183c variety, 1932 1c Green Codfish, Line Perf 13.3 Mint vertical strip of four imperforate horizontally, originating from the booklet pane sheet and showing a 15mm gutter margin between pairs, unusual, Fine+ NH Est. 350.00+
- 250 ★ 183iv, 1932 1c Green Codfish, Line Perf 13.3 Mint block of four, the lower pair well centered and imperforate between the sheet margin and the stamps, VF NH 750.00



- 251 ★ 186d, 1932 2c Green, Die II, Perf 14 Mint horizontal pair imperforate vertically between, VF NH 300.00



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- 252 ★ 186iv, 1932 2c Green, Die I An extraordinary mint corner block showing a most dramatic double print error, the second image is descending and shifted into the left margin. The first block of this printing error we recall offering, VF NH; ex. Robert H. Pratt (as a block of eight) 1,800.00+



- 253 ★ 186iv, 1932 2c Green, Die I Striking mint single with sheet margin at left, showing the spectacular double print error, portions of four different stamps are visible, VF NH 450.00
- 254 ★ 186vi, 1932 2c Green, Die II A well centered mint block showing full reverse offset image on the gum side, VF NH 600.00



- 255 P 191, 1932-1939 5c Caribou, Die II Group of 8 plate proof pairs in shades of deep violet, Perkins Bacon printings on bond paper, two show security "moiré" lines (bookend paper) on reverse. Different stages of the plates with K. Bileski notes, VF Est. 300.00+



- 256 P 194, 1932 14c Newfoundland Dog Corner margin plate proof block printed in black on bond paper, VF Est. 150.00+



- 257 ★ 194 variety, 1932 14c Newfoundland Dog A nicely centered mint block of six showing a rare double perforation error at top; small spot on top right stamp, striking and unusual, VF NH Est. 300.00+



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- 258 ★ 208b, 1932 7c Red Brown A well centered mint block of four imperforate vertically between pairs, part sheet margin at foot, couple light natural gum bends, a very seldom seen block, VF NH **2,250.00**
- 259 ★ 209a, 1932 8c Orange Red A choice, fresh mint imperforate pair, VF NH **300.00**



- 260 ★ 218a, 1933 8c Brownish Red (Error of Colour) A mint block with lower right corner margin, in the distinctive colour and showing printing ink smears as typically seen, minor gum bend on lower left stamp, F-VF NH **4,125.00**
- 261 ★ 224a, 1933 24c Violet Brown Large margined mint imperforate pair, VF NH **600.00**

KING GEORGE VI LONG CORONATION



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- 262 ★ 234b, 1937 3c Map of Newfoundland, Die I, Line Perf 13½ Mint vertical pair imperforate between, an appealing and very scarce perforation variety, Fine+ LH (SG258cb £650) **600.00**
- 263 ★ 234f, 1937 3c Map of Newfoundland, Die II A large margined imper-forate pair, ungummed as issued, VF **300.00**



- 264 P 235, 1937 (7c) Caribou Progressive Large Die Proof of the vignette and King's Portrait only, printed in bright ultramarine on die sunk wove paper 96 x 70mm. A beautiful proof that really stands out, VF and rare (Minuse & Pratt 235PX-Ba) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 265 ★ 236a, 1937 8c Paper Mill Mint imperforate pair with part sheet margin at right, natural gum creasing as often seen on this issue, VF VLH, quite scarce **600.00**



- 266 ★ 236c, 1937 8c Paper Mill, Line Perf 14 A nicely centered mint pair imperforate vertically, exceptionally fresh and very lightly hinged. A highly select example of this sought-after perforation variety, VF VLH **2,500.00**



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- 267 ★ 238a, 1937 14c Newfoundland Dog Select imperforate pair, sheet margin at foot and ungummed as issued, VF **500.00**



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239a, 1937 15c Harp Seal Line Perf 13¼

An unusually fresh and well centered mint vertical strip of four, imperforate horizontally between centre pair, full immaculate original gum, never hinged. A desirable KGVII perforation error rarely seen in such top-quality, VF+ NH

5,000.00
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240 variety, 1937 20c Cape Race

Large margined mint imperforate pair with full original gum; seldom seen, in fact currently unlisted in Unitrade, VF LH

Illustrated on 78 Est. 350.00+



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241, 1937 24c Loading Ore

Large Die Proof in light blue, colour of issue, on wove paper 94 x 65mm, showing reverse die "1225" number at upper left and engraver's guidelines at sides; an appealing and scarce proof, VF (Minuse & Pratt 241P1a)

Est. 500.00+



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- 242a, 1937 25c Sealing Fleet Beautifully fresh and choice imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, VF+
- 400.00
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- ★
- 243b, 1937 48c Fishing Fleet A fresh mint imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, VF
- 400.00

1941-1944 RESOURCES – WATERLOW PRINTING



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- 253a, 1942 1c Dark Grey Codfish A large margined mint imperforate pair, choice, VF NH
- 300.00



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- 253 variety / 266i, 1941-1944 1c/48c Resources, Line Perf 12½ Four different multiples showing full and / or partial reverse offset images on the gum side, includes 1c vertical strip of three, 7c (unlisted) vertical pair, 20c block and 48c vertical pair. A striking group, F-VF NH
- Est. 350.00+



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- 275 ★ 255iv, 257vi, 260i, 262i, 263i, 1941-1944 3c/20c Resources, Line Perf 12½ Five different mint singles, all showing full reverse offset images on the gum side, F-VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$1,435)
Est. 600.00+
- 276 ★ 255 variety, 1941 3c Rose Carmine, Line Perf 12½ Mint corner block showing a dramatic perforation shift error, most unusual, VF NH
Est. 200.00+



- 277 ★ 255iv/270ii, 1941-1947 3c/20c Resources, Line Perf 12½ Seven different mint singles showing strong reverse offset images on the gum side, includes 3c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, plus 4c Birthday and 5c Cabot, all fresh and F-VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$2,700)
Est. 750.00+



- 278 ★ 257b, 1942 5c Violet, Die I, Line Perf 12½ A well centered mint horizontal pair imperforate vertically, sheet margin at right, VF NH **900.00**



- 279 ★ 257c, 1942 5c Violet, Die I, Line Perf 12½ Mint single with the double impression variety, light diagonal gum crease, centered high as often, a rare item, Fine NH; K. Bileski reported only 36 examples discovered. **435.00**



- 280 ★ 257vi, 1942 5c Violet, Die I, Line Perf 12½ Upper Left Plate "43966" block with a striking full reverse offset image on the gum side, rare, Fine NH (Cat. as four singles) **1,500.00+**



- 281 ★ 260i, 1943 10c Salmon Leaping Falls, Line Perf 12½ Upper Left Plate "43838" block displaying a remarkably strong, complete reverse offset image on the gum side. A rare and eye-catching multiple, VF NH (Cat. as four singles) **1,500.00+**



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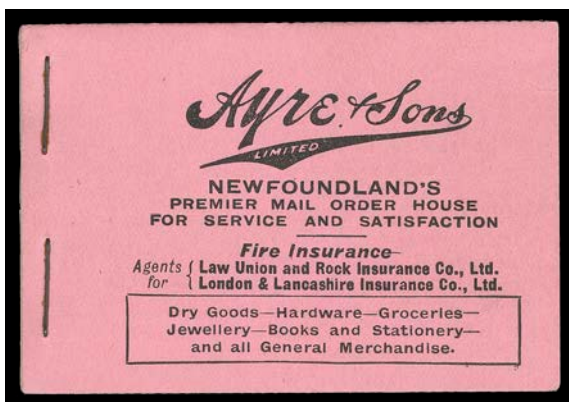


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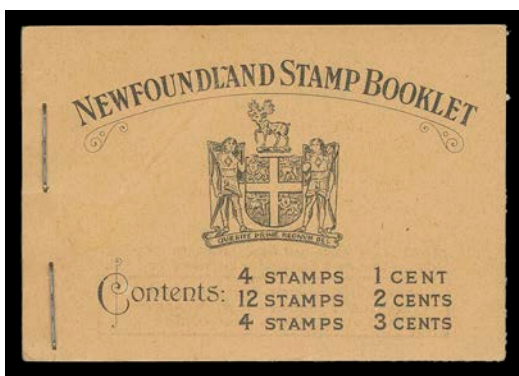
- 282 ★ 261a, 1944 14c Newfoundland Dog Mint imperforate pair, large margined, VF NH **450.00**
- 283 ★ 261c, 1944 14c Newfoundland Dog, Line Perf 12½ A well centered mint vertical pair, imperforate horizontally, F-VF NH **350.00**
- 284 ★ BK1, 1923-1924 40c Black on Pink Cover The rare booklet containing partial panes of the 1c green and 2c carmine (2), all advertising sheets are present and covers are in excellent shape. Also includes fine mint booklet panes of eight of the 1c and 2c (2) with reinforced separations
Illustrated on Page 84 Est. 500.00+
- 285 ★ BK2a, 1932 40c Black on Buff Cover Complete booklet in a remarkable state of preservation, contains well centered NH perf 13.2 panes of 1c green, 2c rose (3) and 3c orange brown and all advertising pages, as nice as they come, VF+
Illustrated on Page 84 1,200.00
- 286 ★ BK2a, 1932 40c Black on Buff Cover Complete booklet with perf 13.2 panes of 1c green, 2c rose (3) and 3c orange brown (all well centered) and all advertising pages; light corner crease on front cover and mounting marks near staples on back, F-VF
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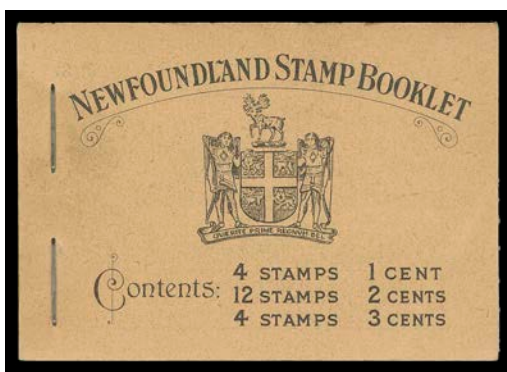
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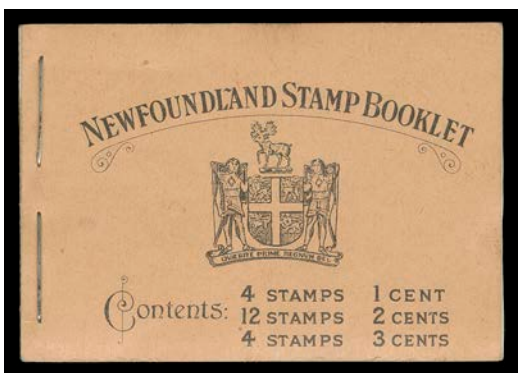
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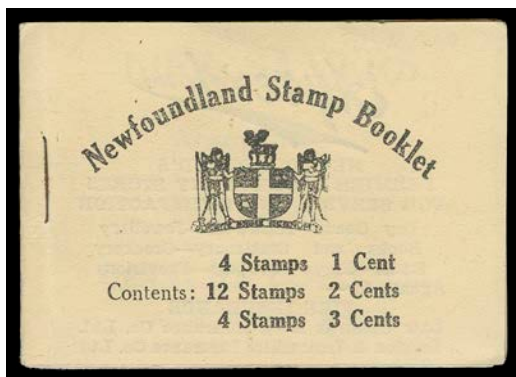
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- 287 ★ **BK3, 1932 40c Black on Buff Cover** Complete booklet in choice condition, contains all five panes line perf 14 - 1c grey black, 2c green Die I (3) and 3c orange brown, all well centered and fresh mint NH, with all advertising interleaves. Covers are clean and unmarked, VF **900.00**
- 288 ★ **BK4a, 1932 40c Black on Cream Cover** Complete booklet containing Comb perf 13½ panes of 1c grey, 2c green Die II (3) and 3c orange brown (all nicely centered) and all advertising pages; light crease along staple line as often seen, F-VF **750.00**

AIR POST

THE FAMOUS "HAWKER" TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIGHT STAMP A WORLD-CLASS AIRMAIL RARITY



- 289 ★ C1, 1919 (April 12) 3c Red Brown Hawker Flight Five-Line Overprint** A beautiful mint example of this sought-after pioneer airmail rarity, displaying the characteristic colour and clear impression associated with the very limited print run of only 200 stamps, possessing intact perforations and full original gum with the customary "J.A.R." initials of Postmaster General Dr. J Alex Robinson on reverse. A highly desirable example of this classic airmail stamp, Fine+ LH **20,000.00**

Expertization: 1980 BPA and 2019 Greene Foundation certificates

Provenance: Sir Gawaine Baillie, British North America Volume VII, Sotheby's, May 2006; Lot 609

ONLY 200 STAMPS WERE OVERPRINTED FOR THIS SPECIAL FLIGHT, OF WHICH 95 WERE USED FOR FRANKING THE MAIL ON THIS ILL-FATED FLIGHT. ONLY 87 MINT EXAMPLES WERE ACCOUNTED FOR SHORTLY AFTER ISSUE AND NO DOUBT FEWER SURVIVE TODAY.



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- C2, a, ii, 1919 \$1 on 15c Alcock and Brown Flight Surcharge Very well centered mint block showing three different surcharge types (Position 19-20 / 24-25), UR stamp LH, others NH, VF (No premium added for displaying three types)
- 2,650.00



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- ★
- C2, 1919 \$1 on 15c Alcock and Brown Flight Surcharge A superb mint single with noticeably large margins, full pristine original gum, XF NH
- 600.00+



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- ★
- C2a, 1919 \$1 on 15c Alcock and Brown Flight Surcharge A post office fresh, well centered mint single showing period after "1919" and no comma after "POST", VF+ NH
- 700.00



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- ★
- C2b, 1919 \$1 on 15c Alcock and Brown Flight Surcharge A beautiful mint example with no comma after "POST" and no period after "1919", Position 14 in the setting of 25 stamps, nicely centered with deep colour, VF NH
- 1,300.00

HALIFAX AIRMAIL OVERPRINT
THE COMPLETE SETTING OF TWENTY-FIVE STAMPS
REMARKABLY CHOICE AND WITH FULL PRISTINE ORIGINAL GUM



294 ★ C3/C3j, 1921 (November 7) 35c Halifax Airmail Overprint An exceptional mint sheet with bright fresh colour, well centered; light fold between third and fourth rows. Certainly among the very best intact sheets extant, VF-XF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. 18,125.00

Only 560 sheets of 25 were printed (four were inverted). It has been documented that 5,000 letters were franked with this stamp, from November 16 to 26, 1921. A very small percentage of the remaining sheets survive.

A LOVELY SHEET DISPLAYING ALL SIX OVERPRINT TYPES, SUPERB IN ALL RESPECTS.



HALIFAX INVERTED OVERPRINT ORIGINATING FROM THE BEST CENTERED PANE



- 295 ★ **C3a, 1921 35c Halifax Airmail** Mint single showing INVERTED OVERPRINT ERROR with wide spacing (2¾mm) between "AIR" and "MAIL" and no period after "1921", bright fresh colour, large part original gum, F-VF **6,375.00**

Dalwick and Harmer reported four panes received the inverted overprint in error. The example offered here is allocated to the first pane with overprint impression being well centered vertically and horizontally.

Expertization: 1956 Philatelic Foundation certificate (identified as old number C3b)

ONLY FORTY EXAMPLES FROM ALL FOUR PANES WERE PRINTED SHOWING THIS TYPE OF OVERPRINT. THIS EXAMPLE IS ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE WITH A WELL CENTERED OVERPRINT ORIGINATING FROM THE BEST CENTERED PANE.

MISS "COLUMBIA" SPECIAL FLIGHT SURCHARGE AN UNUSUALLY WELL CENTERED MINT EXAMPLE



- 296 ★ **C5, 1930 (September 25) 50c on 36c Olive Green "Columbia" Flight, Perf 14** A selected mint example of this pioneer airmail, Position 2 in the setting (issued in panes of four), quite well centered and unusual as such, full original gum, showing only the faintest trace of hinging; pencil signed by experts Giulio Bolaffi and Enzo Diena, VF VLH; 1980 Enzo Diena certificate **12,000.00**

ONLY 75 PANES (IN A SETTING OF FOUR STAMPS) RECEIVED THE SPECIAL TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIGHT SURCHARGE. MANY WERE USED ON THE MAIL AND MOST WERE POORLY CENTERED.



- 297 ☒ 1930 (September 25) "Columbia" Flight cover to London franked with the special Trans-Atlantic flight surcharge 50c on 36c olive green (Position 2 in the setting of four), fine with intact perforations and exceptionally tied by St. John's SEP 25 1130AM 1930 slogan cancellation; on reverse a superb CDS strike of the Harbour Grace AM OC 9 30 flight departure postmark, London 13 OC 30 receiver on front. A visually striking example of this sought-after pioneer Trans-Atlantic flight cover, VF (Unitrade C5; catalogue value \$16,000) **Est. 7,500.00+**

Expertization: 2018 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: Newfoundland & Maritime Provinces, Christie's Robson Lowe, March 1985; Lot 50

ONLY 100 COVERS BEARING THE 'COLUMBIA' FLIGHT OVERPRINT STAMP WERE FLOWN; OF THESE 65 TO 70 ORIGINATED FROM ST. JOHN'S, AS DISCUSSED IN THE DALWICK & HARMER HANDBOOK.



- 298 ★ C7b, 1931 50c Green Pictorial Airmail, No Watermark Mint vertical pair imperforate horizontally between, full original gum, scarce, F-VF NH **2,900.00**



- 299 ★ C12, 1932 \$1.50 on \$1 Dornier DO-X Flight Surcharge An extremely well centered mint single, bright fresh colour and pristine original gum, XF NH **800.00+**



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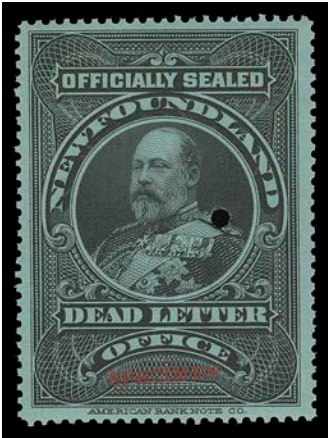
- 300 ★ C18, 1933 \$4.50 on 75c Bistre Balbo Flight Surcharge, Perf 14.3 A post office fresh and well centered mint single, Position 2 in the setting of four, VF NH **900.00**
- 301 ★ C18, 1933 \$4.50 on 75c Bistre Balbo Flight Surcharge, Perf 14.3 A choice mint single, nicely centered with intact perforations, Position 1 in the setting of four, VF NH **900.00**



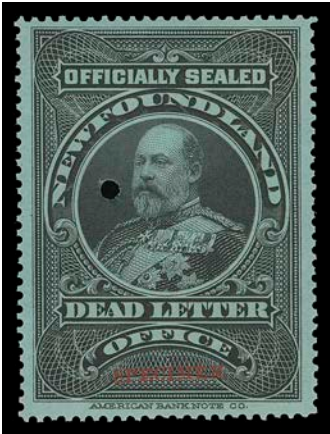
- 302 ☒ 1933 (July 26) Balbo flight cover to Italy franked with \$4.50 on 75c bistre, perf 13.8, Position 2 in the setting, just tied by clear St. John's 26 JUL 33 dispatch CDS, bluish green flight cachet; on reverse superb Shoal Harbour JUL 27 33 departure split ring and Lido Di Roma 12.8.33 receiver, F-VF (Unitrade C18b) **Est. 500.00+**



- 303 ★ J7a, 1949 10c Dark Violet, Watermarked Arms, Perf 11 Mint vertical pair imperforate horizontally between, full sheet margin at top, usual gum bend at centre as normally seen on these. An elusive error, F-VF NH 1,800.00



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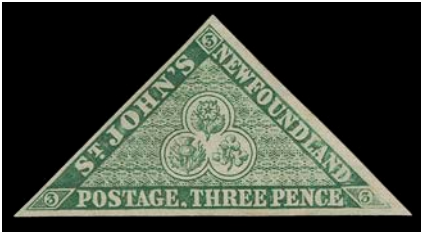


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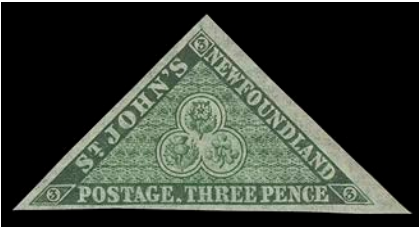
- 304 ★ OX1iii, 1905 Officially Sealed Stamp Well centered, fresh mint single with ABNC security punch and small horizontal SPECIMEN overprint in red, VF NH 1,500.00
- 305 ★ OX1iii, 1905 Officially Sealed Stamp A well centered mint single with ABNC security punch and SPECIMEN overprint in red, full original gum, light natural bend, VF NH 1,500.00



NEWFOUNDLAND LARGE LOTS & COLLECTIONS



- 306 ★ Mint Assortment of 1857-1862 Pence Issues** Mint (mostly) or unused, much is NH on later issues, a few show the papermaker's watermark. Noted better such as 1857 3p yellow green (2 unused), 8p (2 mint), 2p orange (3, one with OG), 4p orange unused; various 1861-1862 issues from 1p to 1sh, plus eight mint blocks with 3p, 5p orange brown, 6½p and 8p watermarked. Also includes an Oneglia engraved forgery sheet of 36 composed of six rows for each value (2p, 4p, 6p, 6½p, 8p & 1sh) in orange on cream wove paper. A few trivial flaws, but mainly sound and F-VF **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 307 ★ 1857-1862 Pence Issues** Group of 19 mint stamps, majority are NH; noted six with papermaker's watermark, some somewhat oxidized; also two 5p brown violet and a 4p rose with favour cancels. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 308 ◎ 1857-1861 Pence Issues** Selection of fourteen different used singles, in mixed quality but hard to find in any condition. Includes 1857 Issues with 2p cut in on three sides (Bloch and Greene certs.), 4p just clear margins, 6p no margins to slightly in, small corner crease, 6½p small margins, somewhat smudgy cancel (1996 Greene cert.), 1sh cut in at foot, couple light creases (2007 Greene cert.), 1860 Issues with 4p light thin but VF appearance, 6p lightly oxidized, small to large margins (2005 Greene cert.), 1sh cut in to clear margins, some faults (2012 Greene cert.), etc. Many presentable copies ideal for filling those key empty album spaces **Est. 3,500.00+**



- 309 **◎ Selection of Used 1857-1862 Pence Issues** Displayed on one stockpage with 17 used singles in somewhat mixed condition, later issues with usual doubtful cancels. Noted 1857 1sh scarlet vermilion repaired (2010 Greene cert.), 4p and 6p orange sound with clear to small margins (6p has 1972 RPSL cert.), etc. **Est. 750.00+**



- 310 **P Selection of 1865-1894 Trial Colour & Plate Proofs** Twelve different plate proofs in issued or trial colours, on india (some on card mounted), a few are in multiples such as 13c orange LL vertical strip with ABNC imprint, 1865 24c blue LR block of 12 with imprints at foot and right, 1871 1c dark red brown block, 1894 6c carmine lake strip of three with imprint, etc. Mostly VF **Est. 500.00+**



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- 311 **P 1865-1910 Plate & Trial Colour Proofs** Sixty-one proofs (17 different) mostly in pairs or larger multiples including 1865 12c block of six on india Re-entry (Pos. 25) on LL proof, diagonal crease; 24c top ABNC imprint strip of three; 1897 Cabot pairs of 1c, 2c (two shades), 35c, blocks of 3c, 6c, 8c on india, 10c, 30c, 1897-1901 Royal Family pair of ½c, 3c, 4c, singles of 2c Map (3 shades), block of 5c and block of nine of ½c; 1910 John Guy 6c in bright blue NH and 12c in green, perforated and NH. VF group **Est. 600.00+**
- 312 **P Selection of Proofs** Includes 1865 12c ABNC trade sample proof on wove paper and a trial colour pair in orange, 1868 1c Prince of Wales (four pairs in three different colours), 1910 12c KEVII (three different trial colour pairs on gummed stamp paper), 1911 6c & 12c John Guy unusual engraved proofs, 1941 2c KGVII Waterlow security punch mint blocks. Also Nova Scotia 11P var. block in an unusual bright yellow green shade, 11Pi pair and 12P pair with ABNC imprint at top. **Est. 500.00+**



- 313 ★ **1865-1879 Decimal Issues Printed by American Bank Note Co.** Neat lot of 24 (13 different) mint or unused stamps plus four used; from early 1865 printings on thin paper to 1876-1879 rouletted. Noted 1870 2c green (two shades, OG), 12c red brown and brown VF NH, 1870 3c vermilion part OG. Some regummed to appear NH, most have VF centering and all are in sound condition. A great lot for studying these challenging stamps. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 314 ★ **1880-1896 Decimal Issues Printed by British American Bank Note Co.** Comprehensive display of 34 mint (22 different) and one used singles. Noted 1c violet brown OG, 1c green shades NH, 1896 1c brown NH, 1896 2c green NH, 1896 3c violet brown NH, 1880 5c pale dull blue LH, 5c bright blue NH, 10c ship NH, 1890 3c grey lilac and slate violet NH, etc. Some with light oxidation or trivial imperfections but mainly sound with selected VF centering **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 315 ★◎ **Strong Representation of Mint / Used 1865-1897 Cents Issues** Selection on stockpages, some in mixed condition, however noted unusually choice mint examples of 1870 10c black, 1871 1c brown lilac (unused), 3c vermilion, 1877 3c rouletted, 1880 1c violet brown, 1896 1c brown NH, 1887 2c orange imperf pair (ungummed as issued), 1887 3c brown NH, 1896 ½c orange red NH; also superb used 1865 13c orange, 1870 3c vermilion, 1897 1c on 3c Type B surcharge, etc. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 316 ★ 1865-1897 Cents Issue Mint Multiples Twenty blocks of four, some with plate imprints, a couple are larger multiples. Noted 1896 1c yellow green nice NH block of eight, 1896 2c green, 1887 10c black, 1897 1c on 3c se-tenant block showing the three types of surcharges (gum disturbed but scarce). F-VF
Est. 500.00+



- 317 ★Ⓞ 1865-1897 Assortment of Varieties & Multiples Plate multiples with 1865 24c top margin imprint block; 1880 1c grey brown, lower margin part imprint strip of five (3 NH); 1894 5c bright blue imprint strip with zig-zag misperforation; 1887 10c black lower margin imprint block of six, line through "CE" of "CENTS" on top centre stamp, VLH; 1897 1c on 3c severed mint block of eight. Varieties with 1894 12c brown unused Chin Strap variety (Pos. 68) and mint Re-entry (Pos. 25), 1887 10c Ship mint with line through "CE" of "CENTS", 1897 1c Type B wide spacing surcharge used (Pos. 41), 1897 3c orange VF OG vertical pair, imperf horizontally, 1898 1c green unused vertical strip of 3 imperforate horizontally, etc. Minor flaws in places, mainly Fine or better
Est. 1,000.00+



- 318 ★ⓄP 1897 Discovery of Newfoundland Collection In mounts on loose leaf, showing plate proofs, specimens and mint and used singles of all values, also a nearly complete set of mint blocks with much NH (ex 10c, 35c regummed); an engraved BABN vignette depicting Logging on a Wellburn album page. Also various mint / used 1920 surcharges. Some flaws but mainly F-VF
Est. 500.00+



- 319 ★◎P **1897-1908 Royal Family Collection** In mounts on loose leaf with various proofs, specimens, mint blocks and singles, some perforation varieties such as 1c yellow green unused pair imperforate horizontally, 2c vermilion mint imperf pair small to large margins, 3c orange well centered block, imperforate horizontally (crease but full OG), etc. **Est. 500.00+**



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- 320 ★◎P **1910 & 1911 John Guy Issue Collection** In mounts on loose leaf, complete mint singles for both lithographed and engraved issues as well as various used, mint blocks such as 5c perf 14x12 VF NH LL corner block of 9, 8c VF block lower pair NH; plate proof pairs of 2c and 10c on thick gummed paper, plus a few trial colours of the 12c; imperforate pairs of engraved 6c and 10c, etc. Mainly Fine to Very Fine **Est. 750.00+**
- 321 ★◎P **1911 Royal Family - KGV Coronation Collection** In mounts on loose leaf with various mint and used singles, also mint blocks lacking only the 4c & 8c; 1c imperforate pair and 15c block of six; plate proofs in black of 8c (block) and 9c, 12c and 15c, etc. Many mint stamps are NH, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 322 ★◎ ☒ **1919 Trail of the Caribou Collection** On quadrilled pages with various mint and used singles plus some shades. Also blocks of four complete both mint (lower pairs NH) and used, better centering than normally seen. Also ten covers including a small envelope bearing ten values sent registered to England. Mainly F-VF *Illustrated on Page 97* **Est. 500.00+**
- 323 ★◎ ☒ **Collection of 1923-1931 Pictorial and Publicity Issues** In mounts on loose leaf, well represented with a large range of mint blocks, mint and used singles and a few covers, plus numerous specialty item such as 1923-1924 1c, 4c, 5c, 11c imperforate pairs (last three NH), 12c progressive die proof; 1928 Publicity 3c lathework NH, 4c die proof on wove paper, 8c small die proof; 1929 3c on 6c VF NH pane of 25; 1929 3c imperf pair; 1930 "Columbia" Supplementary flight cover (1997 Greene cert.), key 1929 20c VF mint block (3 NH), etc. Mainly F-VF *Illustrated on Page 97* **Est. 1,000.00+**



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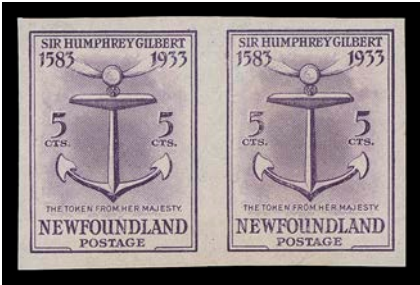
- 324 ★P 1932-1938 Resources & Royal Family Imperforates & Proofs** A nice selection of 16 different items from pairs to blocks of four or larger. Noted two 1938 1c green blocks of eight from the booklet sheet with various perf varieties, light foxing mostly visible from reverse; 1938 2c green pair with partial, very strong reverse offset, 4c proof block in lake on brown paper, 4c rose lake NH imperf block, 5c deep violet, Dies I and II imperf pairs, 7c ungummed imperf pair, 48c mint NH imperf pair, 1938 7c NH imperf pair; also proof pairs with security "moiré" lines on 1c Codfish, 1938 Royal Family 2c, 3c, 4c, etc. **Est. 1,250.00+**

- 325 ★☉** **Specialized Collection of 1932-1938 & 1941-1944 Resources Issues** In mounts on loose leaf with an extensive showing of proofs, imperforates, mint & used blocks and singles, plate & perforation varieties and covers. Specialized items abound such as 1938 4c & 7c die proofs, 1932 5c Caribou plate proof 11 different pairs from various plates and printings, 1938 Royal Family 4c plate proof pairs (7 different), 1941-1944 Waterlow Printing imperforate blocks with security punch (various printings) with 34 blocks 1c to 48c plus 28 similar Archive security punch blocks on normal stamps; 1941 (October) 5c emergency comb perf 13½ VF NH block (Unitrade #257ix), 25c line perf 14 block lower pair NH, 1941-1944 5c Caribou double impression NH. Imperforate NH pairs of 1932 4c rose lake (two pairs), 8c, 10c, 24c, 1938 3c Royal Family, 1941-1944 1c, 3c, 5c, 14c, among others ungummed pairs and a 1932 15c imperf ungummed block of eight. Gum wrinkling to be expected on some; overall nice quality. **Illustrated on Page 99 Est. 1,500.00+**





326 P 1932 Resources (Perkins Bacon Printing) Selection of twelve (10 different) plate proof pairs printed in black on bond paper including 1c, 2c Die I (2), 4c, 5c Die I and Die II, 7c, 8c, 10c, 14c and 20c. VF
Est. 750.00+



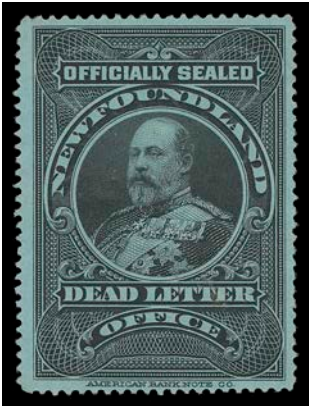
327 ★☉ 1933 Land & Sea Post, Gilbert Issue & 1935 KGV Silver Jubilee Collection in mounts on loose leaf, large assortment of mint blocks including Gilbert set VF (most with two NH), mint and used singles including some perf 14s and a few covers. Better items not often seen left with the collection such as NH 2c vertical strip of three showing nearly complete perforated (S)PECIMEN, 5c imperf pair (ungummed, characteristic flaws), 24c mint imperf pair, 32c mint single with prominent pre-print fold, 1935 Silver Jubilee perforated SPECIMEN set, etc. Mainly Fine to Very Fine
Est. 600.00+



328 ★☉ Specialized Collection of 1937-1947 KGVI Commemorative Issues In mounts on loose leaf with emphasis on 1937 Long Coronation issue; displaying a large assortment of mint blocks, various mint and used singles including plate and perforation varieties and some covers, better items that enhance this already extensive collection such as a plate proof set in issued colours on bond paper (less 3c as usual) plus the set in black (1c in issued colour on bookend paper), imperf pairs of 1937 3c Die II and 25c, 1947 4c Birthday NH and Cabot NH (creases); a select full reverse offset on 1947 Cabot VF NH, etc. plus odds & ends. Mainly F-VF
Est. 750.00+



- 329 ★ 1941-1944 Resources (Waterlow Printings) Archival imperforate blocks on watermarked stamp paper, with 2c (two; one a LL Plate 43078 block), 3c (2), 5c, 10c UR block of 12 plus LL Plate 43702 block, each stamp with Waterlow security punch, a couple with printer's annotation for possible retouches, etc. Normal creasing / wrinkling as always on these, VF OG / NH Est. 600.00+



- 330 ★Ⓢ Collection of Airmails, Postage Dues and Officially Sealed In mounts on loose leaf with excellent coverage of mint and used singles, mint blocks, plate proofs, imperforates and 15 flight covers. Noted better such as 1919 Alcock & Brown mint block (3 surcharge types), a choice single without comma after "POST" and without period after "1919"; 1931 15c to \$1 plate proofs in black, 15c proof pair in issued colour on bond paper, 1932 DO-X mint (2) and a cover, 1933 Labrador set in VF NH blocks, imperf NH pairs of 5c, 10c and 30c (LH in UL corner margin only), Officially Sealed unused plus two plate proofs (one on india paper and scarce); various Postage Dues, etc. Clean condition throughout with much of the mint NH. Est. 2,000.00+



- 331 ★ **Dignitary Presentation Cards** Lot of five different large presentation cards with stamps affixed, includes 1897 Cabot; 1910 John Guy (2) one signed and printed "Prime Minister", some perf toning and a second signed and printed "Colonial Secretary"; 1911 Coronation "Colonial Secretary"; and 1929 Publicity. Some stamps with usual colour fading but these can easily be replaced. Individually and uniformly framed and ready to adorn someone's "stamp den". All five cards are quite scarce. (Walsh DPC1, 2, 2a, 3, 4 cat. \$2,405) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 332 ★◎ **1857-1947 Predominantly Mint Collection** In mounts on Scott pages, mainly mint with much NH even on stamps you would not expect. Noted a wealth of better stamps with 1857 1p VF used, 5p VF light cancel, 1860 3p VF NH, 4p Fine, light cancel (1992 PF cert.), 1861 1p watermarked unused, 2p rose Fine used, 1865 12c on thin paper VF used, 1894 12c VF NH, 1896 1c brown F-VF NH, 1c green VF NH, 1890 3c VF NH, 1897 Cabot including 35c VF NH, 1910 6c Type II, 8c & 9c John Guy VF NH, 1911 8c VF LH imperf pair, 1911 8c peacock blue VF NH, 1920 3c on 15c Type I VF OG, complete run of mint, much NH to 1947 including varieties of 1937 Long Coronation; airmails with Alcock & Brown, 1921 Halifax VF OG pair (wide & narrow settings), DO-X VF OG. Quality of the collection is nice throughout. Also provinces mint / used in mixed condition, noting PEI 1861 2p used perf 9 the scarce Die II (small thin), etc. **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 333 ★◎ **1857-1897 Pence & Cents Issues** About 40 different mint or unused, plus shades and a few used, starts with 10 Pence issues noting 1860 2p orange mint (colour oxidized), 1860 5p Venetian red mint, 1865 2c Codfish with full ABNC imprint in top wing margin, better than normal 5c brown and black Seals both sound unused, 1870 3c vermilion unused, 1873 3c blue part OG, 1877 1c brown lilac XF unused, 1876 5c blue rouletted mint with nearly full ABNC imprint, 1880-1896 BABN issues with many F-VF OG or better, 1897 Provisionals with Type B mint and the key Type C centered left used with neat grid. Minor flaws on a few but mainly sound condition; a useful lot. Est. 1,250.00+



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- 334 ★◎ **1857-1930s Assortment Mint / Used with Better** Mostly pre-1900 period including better valued items such as 1860 4p orange used, clear to large margins, light crease, 1861 5p orange brown used, 1880 3c pale blue VF OG, 1877 3c rouletted, unused, 1879 5c rouletted VF OG, 1880 1c brown VF unused, 1890 3c slate F-VF NH, 1897 1c on 3c scarcer Type C surcharge, fine unused. Mixed condition on a few, mainly F-VF Est. 750.00+
- 335 ★ **1865-1911 Mint / Unused Assortment** Organized and displayed on two stockpages, starting with Decimal issues of New Brunswick & Nova Scotia, PEI pence to cents, then Newfoundland 1865-1890 Cents issues with #24 VF unused, 27a mint OG on thin paper, 39 unused, 47i VF OG with large margins, selection of 1890 3c slate (shades) to red tinted paper varieties. Condition from mixed to VF Est. 500.00+



- 336 ★ **Valuable 1860s-1910s Mint Blocks, Etc.** Group of 12 different mint multiples including 1865 10c black on thin paper VF OG block, 1896 ½c orange red F-VF NH block, 1896 1c green VF NH block, 1896 1c brown UR corner margin NH block of 9, 1890s 1c deep green NH BABN imprint block of 8, 1887 2c red orange UL NH block, 1897 1c on 3c Type A NH block, etc. A few proofs / specimens noting 1869 ABNC trade sample proofs of 5c & 10c both sound and in dull claret on wove paper, etc. Retail value approx \$6,500. Est. 2,000.00+



337 ★ **1870-1933 Assortment of Mint / Unused Blocks** Lot 15 different blocks of four, starting with 1870 12c pale red brown on medium paper (shade closely resembling that of the scarcer thin paper), 1887 1c deep green VF OG, 1887 3c umber brown F-VF dist. OG, 1880 10c Schooner F-VF OG, 1920 3c on 35c VF OG, lower pair with variety (Unitrade 130a), etc. Mainly Fine to Very Fine **Est. 500.00+**



338 ★ **1897-1947 Clean, Predominantly Mint Never Hinged Collection** Various mostly complete sets on Lindner hingeless pages, plus two stockpages of duplicated singles and blocks including better 1910-1919 issues. Noted 1919 Caribou set VF NH, 1921 35c Airmail (C3b) NH, 1923-1924 Pictorial set VF mostly NH, 1931 15c-\$1 airmail sets NH, 1933 "Labrador" NH, 1933 Gilbert choice NH, 1941 5c Caribou emergency printing perf 13½ NH, etc. A few earlier with oxidized colour, overall nice quality often with VF centering **Est. 1,000.00+**



339 ★◎ **Predominantly Mint 1897-1947 Collection** Strong representation mostly mint with most sets present including some airmails and dues; additional used stamps sprinkled throughout. Noted 1910-1911 Guy sets mint including a 2c perf 11.8x11.4 (tiny gum thin), 1920 3c on 15c Type I (2, VF mint), 1919 Alcock & Brown C2 & C2a VF H, 1932 DO-X VF H, 1933 Balbo VF VLH (Pos. 4), etc. Clean condition throughout **Est. 1,000.00+**



340 ★◎ **1897-1949 Varieties & Specimens** An interesting lot of various varieties noting 1910 1c green perf 12x14 VF NH block with "NFW" and "JAMRS", 2c carmine perf 11.8x11.4 oxidized but NH, 1920 3c on 15c Type II VF NH block with Raised "E", 1922 Vickers-Vimy engraved essays, 10c Labrador imperf pair NH, 1938 3c Queen Elizabeth line perf 14 used, light crease (Greene cert.), plus others. Also 1897-1918 ½c-5c Royal Family + 2c Map complete set of 47 with security punch and SPECIMEN overprint (different types and printings), F-VF NH; somewhat oxidized especially on the 3c orange stamps. **Est. 1,000.00+**



341 ★ **1910-1944 Selection of Varieties & Multiples** Twenty items from singles to blocks of four and panes, starts with three blocks and a pair of 1c Guy showing lithographed varieties such as "NFW", "JAMRS", etc. 1911 9c imperf pair, 1928 1c major misperf single and a normal lower sheet mint block of fifty showing **Major Misplaced Entry** (Pos. 60), 1920 3c on 35c pane, separation in places but showing partial / missing bar varieties, 1929 3c on 6c mint pane, 1929 3c on 6c fake invert (with 2020 Greene cert. stating its status), 1929 4c re-engraved imperforate pair, 1933 1c Gilbert full reverse offset on gum side, 4c imperf pair, 1937 7c block with **Major Re-entry** (Pos. 38), 1944 5c Caribou, Die I, imperf vertically. A few with flaws, otherwise clean with much NH. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 342 ★ **Assortment of Imperforate Varieties** Lot of 8 different items, all VF unless mentioned. Includes #100a UL block, #163c, 183c F-VF NH block with extra line of vertical perforations between pairs (light foxing), #183b, 184c NH, 189a VLH, 246a and 261a NH (diagonal crease). Untrade cat. \$2,635. **Est. 600.00+**



- 343 ☒ **Group of Early Covers** Eight covers, noting 12c on 1872 cover to England, 3c blue perf 12 on small 1874 cover to Carbonear, 3c blue rouletted pair on 1879 mourning cover to St. John's, legal size OHMS 1895 cover with mixed-issue franking (60c postage) registered to USA, 1897 registered cover with 7 different Cabot stamps to Germany. **Est. 500.00+**
- 344 **Literature** Pratt, Robert, H. "The Nineteenth Century Postal History of Newfoundland", published by Collector's Club of Chicago, 1985, 771 pages, hardcover. The magnum opus on the subject; as new. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 200.00+**



- 345 ★P **Small Balance of Consignment** Includes 1865 Cents set of six plate proofs in issued colours (ex 13c in violet), 1910 12c Guy trial colour proofs on gummed stamp paper (three; one is perforated), 1919 Caribou NH set, 1931 Airmail unwatermarked set of three in NH blocks; 50c partially separated. Also Canada 7½p plate proof pair on india, just touching frame at left **Est. 600.00+**

NEWFOUNDLAND INLAND REVENUE



- 346 ☉ **NFR33, 1938 \$20 Brown (Perkins Bacon), Line Perf 13¼** Well centered used single with large part Boiler Inspector's Paid handstamp cancel; key value of the set, VF (Van Dam cat. \$600) **Est. 250.00+**



- 347 ★ **NFR36a, NFR38a, 1942 5c red & 25c green, Line Perf 12** Scarce gutter margin mint pairs with bright colours, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$900) **Est. 300.00+**
- 348 ★ **NFR41, 1962 (circa.) \$2.50 Mustard, Line Perf 12** A well centered mint sheet of 25 on fluorescent paper, showing Bradbury, Wilkinson and plate "2" imprint in lower margin, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$1,685 as singles) *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 350.00+**



- 349 ★ **NFR41, 1962 (circa.) \$2.50 Mustard, Line Perf 12** Two different shades on fluorescent paper, lower margin strips of five with Bradbury, Wilkinson imprint and Plate "2" and "2a" respectively, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$675 as singles) **Est. 200.00+**



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- 350 ★ **NFR44, 1963-1964 "5" on 25c Green, Line Perf 12** Provisional surcharge mint block of four with bottom pair NH; very scarce, VF LH; accompanied by photocopy of Department of Finance letter dated June 1967 pertaining to quantities issued. (Van Dam cat. \$875) **Est. 300.00+**
- 351 ★ **NFR46a-NFR48a, 1966 5c, 10c, 25c Caribou, Comb Perf 13-13½** The set of three mint vertical gutter margin blocks of ten; also 5c & 10c complete sheets of 50 showing panes with Plate "2" and "2a" imprint divided by gutter between, F-VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$730; no premium added for plate imprints) **Est. 200.00+**
- 352 E **Walsh RTE1a, 1922 2c Newfoundland Dog** Plate essay pair, engraved, printed in bluish black on bond paper; very scarce as a pair, VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 353 E **Walsh RTE1a, 1922 2c Newfoundland Dog** Engraved plate essay, printed in bluish black on bond paper, unissued, VF **Est. 250.00+**

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- 354 **2½p Queen Victoria** Oneiglia engraved forgery in orange brown, grid cancelled, perforated and gummed on unwatermarked paper. Seldom encountered **Est. 150.00**
- 355 **Vancouver Island 5c Queen Victoria** Sperati reproduction die proof - working impression in dark orange carmine on white unwatermarked paper; some initial flaws have been touched up. A dangerous forgery ideal for reference **Est. 300.00**
- 356 **Vancouver Island 10c Queen Victoria** Engraved Oneiglia forgery in greenish blue on gummed unwatermarked paper. **Est. 150.00**
- 357 **Vancouver Island 10c Queen Victoria** Two engraved Oneiglia forgeries in greenish blue (shades), both perforated, one with gum, the other with added grid "35" cancel in black and "Crown CC" watermark painted on back, the first we recall seeing. **Est. 250.00**



- 358 **3p Coat of Arms** An impressive selection of 36 typographed forgeries from singles to strips of four, in various shades of orange, red, etc. to emulate colours of the subsequent surcharged issues, attributed to Andre Frodel; a few are backstamped "Frodel". Also a couple lithographed forgeries. **Est. 750.00**



359 **3p-\$1 Coat of Arms** Ten engraved Oneglia forgeries perforated and gummed on unwatermarked paper; includes 3p blue, 2c brown (two, different perforations), 10c rose (two with subtle differences), 25c orange (three; two different perforations), 50c violet and \$1 green perf 12½. The 3p and \$1 have added cancels. Elusive items ideal for a specialist **Est. 500.00**



360 **3p-\$1 Coat of Arms** Lithographed forgeries of Spiro Brothers of Hamburg - intact panes of 25 perforated forgeries on unwatermarked, ungummed paper for the 3p dull grey shade and 2c, 10c, 25c, 50c & \$1 surcharges (the 5c does not exist); a couple stamps stained but a very scarce set. **Est. 750.00**



361 **\$1 Coat of Arms** Andre Frodel typographed forgeries, includes two single perf 12½, gummed and with Frodel backstamps, one example perf 14 gummed, one example perf 12½ with added grid "A94" in black; an imperforate pair and single, the former is gummed. All are on unwatermarked wove paper. Dangerous and deceiving forgeries. **Est. 500.00**



- 362 Spiro Brothers** A remarkable assembly of about 220 forgeries, mostly lithographed by Spiro Brothers of Hamburg, including four different intact panes of 25 plus part sheet of \$1 (LR missing) bottom row with extra line of perforations. Duplication in the singles but noted differences in shade, perforation, surcharge and cancel. Also unusual forgery of a 3p essay in blue (unknown origin) and Senf Brothers of Leipzig typographed forgeries of Coat of Arms 10c, 50c (2) & \$1 (2) - the three known forgeries all with characteristic "FALSCH" overprint. Also genuine 50c perf 14, clever repair at left but nice grid "22" cancel. Mixed condition in places; great reference material. **Est. 1,000.00**

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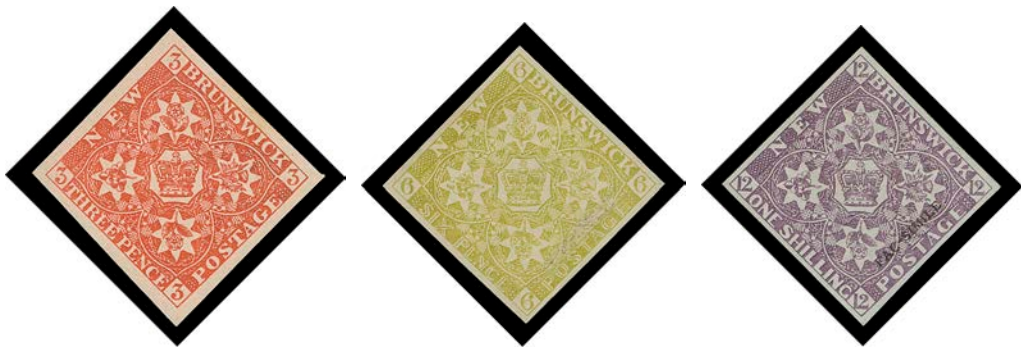
- 363 3p Heraldic** Engraved forgery on thick cream coloured paper, attributed to Argenti Forger A; a very well-executed block of four subjects, without the usual "FAC-SIMILE" overprint. Seldom encountered in this format. **Est. 300.00**
- 364 3p, 6p & 1sh Heraldic** Set of three engraved Oneglia forgeries with added oval grid '8' cancels in blue, extra 6p with grid '8' in black. Also engraved forgeries - Argenti Forger A 3p & 6p with grid cancels. *Illustrated on Page 113* **Est. 300.00**
- 365 3p, 6p & 1sh Heraldic** Four different well-executed engraved forgeries on thick cream coloured paper, attributed to Argenti Forger A, includes 3p, 6p and two different colours of the one shilling; an ideal set without the usual "FAC-SIMILE" overprint. *Illustrated on Page 113* **Est. 350.00**
- 366 6p Heraldic** Engraved forgery block of four subjects on thick cream coloured paper, attributed to Argenti Forger A, without the usual "FAC-SIMILE" overprint. Highly unusual to be found in this "intact" format. **Est. 300.00**



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367 Pence Issue Forty-seven forgeries from the crude to the deceiving, plus 1890 set of official reprints and two Spiro Brothers 3p panes of 25 showing different added cancels. Noted dangerous Forger A engraved forgeries without / with FAC-SIMILE overprint - 3p (3), 6p (5), 1sh (4), engraved Oneglia forgery 3p (3), plus myriad crude forgeries of the 3p, many of unknown origin. **Est. 750.00**



368 Decimal Issue An impressive lot of 135 forgeries, mostly lithographed, noting five different Spiro strips of five and a 2c imperf pane of 25. Includes a 5c Connell rebacked proof, photographic and woodblock forgeries (5 different), a genuine unused 2c with fake "WAR / TAX" handstamp, then 2c to 17c mostly the work of Spiro Brothers with duplication throughout, however includes some "unused", different cancels, perfs, etc. Usual mixed condition. **Est. 350.00**



NOVA SCOTIA



- 369 **1p-1sh Heraldic** Engraved Oneglia forgeries of the 1p, 3p blue, 6p yellow green, 6p dark green, 1sh red violet and 1sh dull violet, each with added New Brunswick oval grid cancel. Very useful reference
Est. 400.00



- 370 **3p Heraldic** Engraved forgery block of four subjects on thick cream coloured paper attributed to Argenti Forger A, without the usual "FAC-SIMILE" overprint. Very few of these exist in intact blocks.
Est. 300.00



- 371 **3p, 6p & 1sh Heraldic** Three different well-executed engraved forgeries on thick slightly blued paper, attributed to Argenti Forger A, each with "FAC-SIMILE" overprint as often seen. Excellent reference
Est. 250.00
- 372 **1sh Heraldic** Engraved forgery block of four subjects on thick cream coloured paper attributed to Argenti Forger A, "die proof", without the usual "FAC-SIMILE" overprint. Highly unusual.
Est. 300.00



- 373 **Pence Issue** An impressive lot of 82 forgeries from the dangerous to the crudely executed, plus 1890 set of official reprints and two Spiro Brothers lithographed 3p blue forgery panes of 25 with different added cancels. Noted genuine 3p with bogus "5 / Cents." overprint as well as dangerous Forger A engraved forgeries without / with FAC-SIMILE overprint - 3p (2), 6p (3), 1sh (3), plus engraved Oneglia 1p, 3p (2), 6p (3) and myriad crude forgeries of all values including the so-called "Rainbow series" in different colours; many of unknown origin. Also a most unusual Spiro block of ten containing five tête-bêche pairs. Condition variable as expected. **Est. 1,000.00**



- 374 **Decimal Issue** An impressive lot of 87 forgeries, mostly lithographed and in singles, noting 1c & 5c Spiro Brothers strips of five. Also a fake 5c bisect cover and a few genuine stamps with questionable cancels. Noted elusive engraved Oneglia forgeries 2c and 5c (2). Other engraved forgeries are found of 8½c, 12½c (2) which may be attributed to Oneglia. Many of the other forgeries are either Spiro Brothers or Senf, some duplication, however includes some of unknown origin. Usual mixed condition. **Est. 500.00**

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND



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- 375 **2p, 3p & 6p Queen Victoria** Six lithographed forgeries of unknown origin, all perf 9 with 2p, 3p (two shades) and 6p unused plus 3p and 6p with added grid cancel. Dangerous forgeries, the two pence is especially deceiving. **Est. 300.00**
- 376 **2p, 3p & 6p Queen Victoria** The set of three lithographed forgeries, perf 9 on gummed paper with added 8-bar grid cancels, some minor perf toning. Excellent forgeries of unknown origin. **Est. 200.00**



- 377 Remarkable Lot of Pence & Cents** Thirty different plus three multiples from the crude to very odd looking forgeries, some rarely seen. Noted a 2p PEI frame but Queen Isabella II (similar to early classics of the Philippines), three different rarely seen lithographed "Lyford" 10c Ship black on blue, black on green and red on white wove, latter with added cancel. A wonderful lot for the specialist **Est. 600.00**



- 378 S.A. Taylor Forgeries and Bogus Issues** Twelve singles, a pair and a block of four, attributed to infamous forger S.A. Taylor. Includes 3p blue (2), 4p black, 4c green pair and "used" block (last two known as "Birmingham" forgeries). Bogus denominations also with 10c violet (six different shades) and 15c blue (three shades). Interesting group that is not often seen. **Est. 300.00**



- 379 Grid "13" of Charlottetown** Thirteen different genuine stamps from 1p to 12c with fake grid '13' cancels, clearly and centrally struck. Unusual. **Est. 150.00**

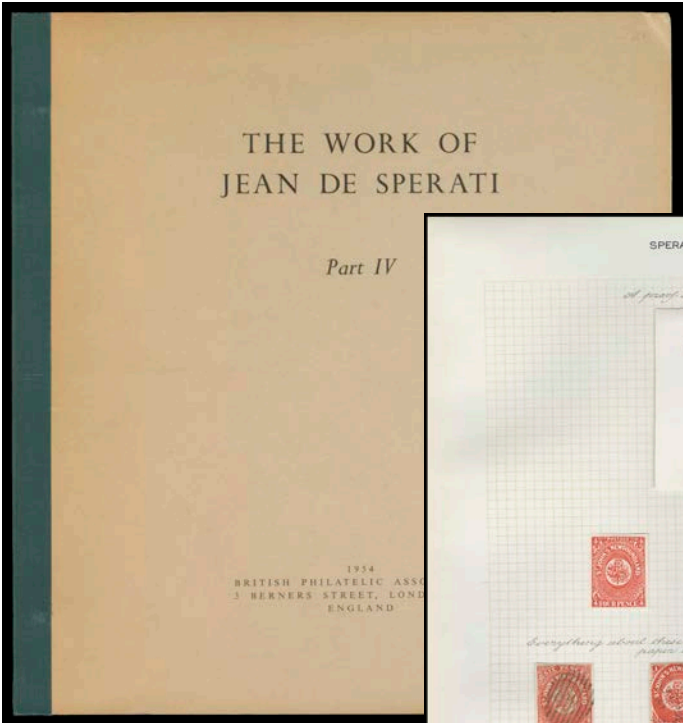
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- 380 The Work of Jean de Sperati Part IV** Folder by British Philatelic Foundation, London in 1954, numbered "21" in pencil, a limited edition sold by subscription with "Lowell Ragatz" name printed on inside front cover. Contains two quadrilled pages displaying a selection of Sperati Reproductions with Jean de Sperati pencil signed 4p die proof in black, then scarlet vermilion 4p Reproduction 'B' (3, 2 with added cancels), 6½p 'A', 1sh 'C' (3, one with partial CDS and two with grids), 4p orange 'B' unused and 'C' with grid, 1sh orange 'B' with grid. All have BPA handstamp numbered "21" on reverse. Second page shows six photo proofs 4p (3), 6p, 6½p and 1sh plus 14 of grid / datestamps. A rarely seen intact folio showing the work of this infamous forger on Newfoundland Pence

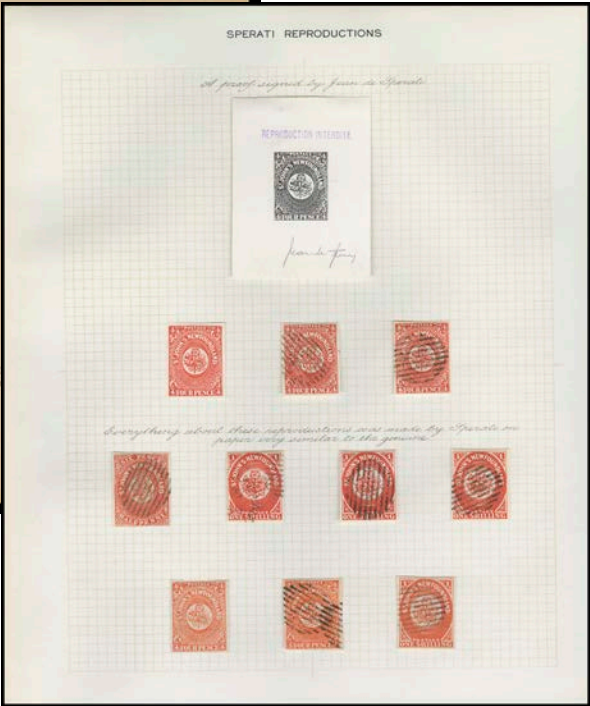
Illustrated on Page 117 Est. 2,500.00

- 381 2p/1sh Heraldic** Three engraved Oneglia se-tenant sheets of 36 - consisting of six vertical se-tenant columns of 2p, 4p, 6p, 6½p, 8p & 1sh values, printed in dark brownish scarlet, red orange and venetian red respectively; first pane is now a vertical strip of 6 and block of 30 on thick cream paper, folded horizontally at centre; second pane folded horizontally at centre between 6p & 6½p rows on the same paper; third pane on thin hard paper with watermark. Quite well-executed forgeries.

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- 382 **1p Heraldic** Engraved Oneglia forgery printed in brown on yellow wove paper, portion of added New Brunswick type grid '8' cancel at foot. **Est. 150.00**
- 383 **3p Heraldic** Engraved Oneglia forgery printed in yellowish green on thick cream wove paper, added New Brunswick grid '8' cancel; not often seen and quite deceiving. **Est. 150.00**



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- 384 **4p Heraldic** Sperati Reproduction 'B' (First State), die proof in scarlet vermillion on yellowish wove paper, light corner crease; BPA cachet handstamp and numbered "43" on reverse. Excellent reference and not often seen in this format. **Est. 350.00**
- 385 **5p Heraldic** Engraved Oneglia forgery printed in purple brown on yellow wove paper with added New Brunswick grid cancel. **Est. 150.00**
- 386 **8p Heraldic** Sperati Reproduction in scarlet vermillion, a deceiving forgery on white wove paper, displaying colour and paper very similar to the genuine, not often seen; accompanied by 2008 Greene Foundation cert. (stating: "forgery on white wove vertically meshed paper") **Est. 350.00**

This previously unlisted reproduction has now been documented; see Sperati book volume II by Robson Lowe and Carl Walske, page 29 (published in 2001).

- 387 **1sh Heraldic** Sperati Reproduction 'B' in scarlet vermillion on thick white wove paper, with added barred cancellation; BPA cachet handstamp and numbered "43" on reverse. **Est. 200.00**
- 388 **4p Heraldic** Sperati Reproduction 'B' in orange vermillion on thin paper with two added barred cancellations; BPA cachet handstamp and numbered "43" on reverse. **Est. 250.00**



389 **1857 5p Brown Violet on Thick White Paper** Genuine but with fake grid 'N35'; 1861-1862 6p rose genuine block of four showing "STA" watermark letters, fake double ring "... ENGLAND PER AACHEN" dated cancel in blue and additional barred cancels; 1861-1862 6½p rose genuine block with posthumous St. John's 1864 double arc cancel and added grids
Est. 250.00



390 **1900 "Paris Essays"** Imperforate se-tenant block of four in brownish olive on wove paper, ungummed, four different designs in denominations 1c, 3c, 5c and undenominated "Child Riding Fish". Rarely seen as a multiple, VF
Est. 500.00



391 **1900 "Paris Essays"** Se-tenant horizontal strip of four printed in black, perf 11 on gummed wove paper, imperforate vertically between pairs, showing four different designs and denominations. Illustrated in Winthrop Boggs "The Postage Stamps and Postal History of Newfoundland" on page 176; a rare and desirable item. *ex. Ed Wener (June 2012; Lot 260)*
Est. 500.00



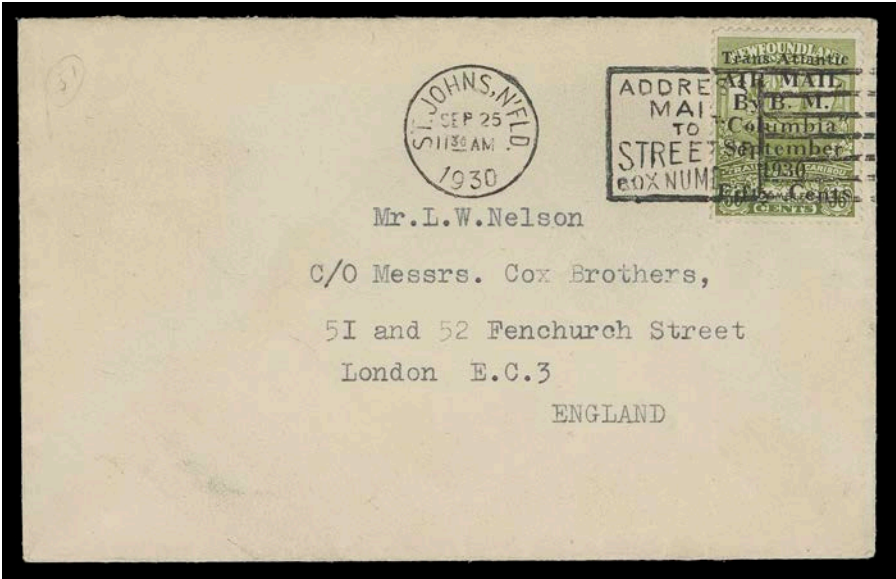
392 **1900 "Paris Essays"** Four different designs without denomination, lithographed in blue green with (3c) Ship and (5c) Train, both are normally known with denomination, plus Child Riding Fish and Lighthouse. Perforated 11 on gummed paper, trivial flaws of no importance for these very elusive stamps. **Est. 500.00**



393 **1900 "Paris Essays"** A remarkable assembly of 19 perforated singles (about a dozen are gummed) and a 3c + 5c se-tenant pair imperforate between, attributed to William B. Hale and printed in France; includes 1c Pony Express Rider (5), 3c Sailing Ship (5), 5c Train (5) and 10c Steamship (6), mostly in different colours noting blue, dark blue, purple, brown, red and blue green, mainly sound and perforated on four sides. The largest selection of these elusive items we have ever offered (or seen being offered); it took many years of searching by the owner, a great opportunity for a collector to acquire these colourful and mysterious items. **Est. 1,000.00**



394 **"Martynside" Flight Manuscript** Two different fakes of the "Aerial Atlantic Mail" manuscript, one with J.A.R. initials and unused, the second without initials and used. Includes Greene Foundation research papers regarding the known genuine examples of the "Martynside" and analysis of a submitted unused example with fake manuscript. **Est. 250.00**



395 "Columbia" Flight 36c olive green with fake "Trans-Atlantic" surcharge, affixed on non contemporary envelope with typed addressee added, both the St. John's slogan and Harbour Grace "departure" backstamp have been faked to emulate (to some degree of success) the sought-after flight cover. Very well done considering that only the actual postage stamp is real, everything else is fake! Est. 750.00



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396 50c "Columbia" Flight An excellent forgery of the special pioneer Trans-Atlantic flight surcharge; well-executed and a wonderful reference copy; 2012 Greene Foundation cert. Est. 500.00

397 50c "Columbia" Flight Forgery of the special pioneer Trans-Atlantic flight surcharge - a different type than the other two offered forgeries of this pioneer airmail. Est. 400.00

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398 **\$4.50 on 75c Balbo Flight** Pane of four of a very dangerous forged surcharge; not matching the characteristics of the genuine nor the well-executed so-called St. John's & New York forgeries. **Est. 750.00**



399 **\$4.50 on 75c Balbo Flight** Pane of four with forged surcharge which caused the so-called St. John's trial, additional FORGERY handstamp on each to further avoid deception. Excellent reference **Est. 750.00**



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400 **\$4.50 on 75c Balbo Flight** A very well executed forgery of the valuable inverted surcharge error; ideal reference. 1979 BPA cert. **Est. 500.00**

401 **\$4.50 on 10c Yellow, Perf 11½** Fake Balbo essay surcharge (appears Position 2 of the "New York" forgery); very deceptive. 1979 BPA cert. **Est. 500.00**

402 **\$4.50 on 10c Yellow, Perf 11½** Fake Balbo surcharge in an unusual block type font, trying to emulate the ultra rare Balbo essay. Unknown origin. **Est. 200.00**



403 **Pence Issue** Group of 41 lithographed forgeries, for the most part crude looking from 1p / 1sh, many attributed to Spiro Brothers. Plus another 18 engraved Oneglia forgeries including shades and the not often seen 3p & 5p, three have added grid 'N35' cancel. Typical mixed condition on the crude forgeries. Excellent reference material. **Est. 300.00**



404 **Decimal Issue** An impressive lot of over 110 forgeries, many attributed to Spiro Brothers, duplication but includes some "unused", different cancels, perfs, etc., many are of unknown origin and some are quite deceiving such as 5c black Seal and 10c Prince Albert, also couple unusual 5c blue Seal, engraved on wove paper perf 12, a very odd 2c KEVII typographed in green with printed datestamp, smaller in size and rebacked, Hawker forgeries (4), a few cinderellas, etc. Usual mixed condition on the early lithographed forgeries. Useful reference. **Est. 500.00**



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- 405 **½p-12p Pence Issues** Engraved Oneglia forgeries - eight different including 3p, 6p & 12p with fake laid lines (going in the opposite direction vs. genuine stamps); plus ½p, 3p, 6p, 7½p and 10p on cream coloured wove; all with added cancels. A seldom seen group. **Est. 750.00**



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- 406 **12p Queen Victoria** Peter Winter (ProPhiForum) of Bremen, Germany intact forgery "sheetlet" sold by House of Stamps in Geneva, consisting of two tête-bêche blocks of four, offset printing in black on off white wove paper measuring 115 x 194mm. Includes 32 pages House of Stamps catalogue illustrated their "wares"; not often seen. Interesting and quite well done. **Est. 500.00**
- 407 **12p Queen Victoria** Four different forgeries, includes an engraved Oneglia with fake horizontal laid lines and grid cancelled; plus Peter Winter forgery "sheetlet" of two tête-bêche blocks of four, offset printed in black on yellowed paper. **Est. 500.00**



408 **1/2p, 3p & 6p Pence Issue** Engraved Oneglia forgeries on cream coloured paper with added perforations and cancels. An appealing and elusive set, ideal for reference **Est. 350.00**



409 **37, 3c Small Queen** Two different unofficial overprints attributed to Henry Hechler, small flaws, one with "OS" overprint and other diagonal OFFICIAL (serified lettering) overprint in black, prepared for his military service during the Second Riel Rebellion of 1885. Both these actual stamps are illustrated in Winthrop Boggs "The Postage Stamps and Postal History of Canada" handbook on page 748. An interesting duo; these were never authorized by the Post Office but still went through the mail, only a few exist. **Est. 250.00**



410 **\$1-\$5 Diamond Jubilee** The set of five engraved forgeries, likely of Italian origin, all on wove paper with added "roller" cancels. Quite deceptive. **Est. 500.00**



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411 **2c Map Stamp** Lithographed forgery imperforate with added fake Montreal datestamp of German origin. Not often seen. **Est. 100.00**

412 **7c Red Brown** Fake imperforate tête-beche pair, allegedly the work of André Frodel. Visually striking and quite well done. **Est. 150.00**



- 413 Pence to Late Queen Victoria Era** Over 50 different forgeries from the crude to well executed, noting a dangerous (unknown origin) engraved 10p Cartier, engraved Oneglia 7½p (2), 3p with added perfs, 5c, 10c (two shades), 12½c, 15c; some of the crude Pence & Decimal forgeries are very unusual and not often seen. Includes a convincing reproduction of Louis Riel essay in black on white gummed paper; four 2c Large Queen lithographed forgeries, three have fake laid lines; se-tenant 2c, 6c, 10c & 15c "Large Queen forgery strip; seldom seen litho forgeries of Small Queens 2c 5c (2) plus 2c RLS, plus a clever fake of 1c "printed on both sides"; 1897 Jubilee, two engraved "die proofs" of \$4 and \$5, plus eight different lithograph forgeries on gummed paper. Also additional various modern photocopies / reproductions. **Est. 1,000.00**
- 414 Queen Elizabethan Era Forgeries and Postal Counterfeits** Various displayed on Lindner blank hingeless pages and in stockpages. Noted 1959 5c Seaway sheet of 50 fake inverts, 6c orange postal counterfeit "mint" singles and blocks of four (2), used (3) and one example on cover. 39c Flag imperf sheet of 110, 45c Flag coil strip of four and six different 2000s self-adhesive forgery booklets that were intended to defraud the post office. Nine different fantasy "spoof" stamp covers that went through the mail undetected (postmarked February 1993), all created by Frank, the Ottawa-based satirical magazine that "fooled" Canada Post (only 28 of these letters were mailed), etc. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,000.00**
- 415 Prosser Engraved Forgeries** Sixteen items attributed to engraver Gregory Prosser and deemed modern creations. Most in "die proof" format. Includes Newfoundland 1880 5c Harp Seal two different, 1897 12c Willow Ptarmigan, 6 different "progressive" proofs; Canada (3p) Beaver with "blank" ovals in vermilion, Cartier portrait (2), (10c) Prince Albert, two different Large Queen with tablets, Bluenose vignette and (50c) Centennial Grain Elevator vignette. Eye-catching collateral. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 350.00**
- 416 Fakes & Forgeries Literature** Twelve handbooks and reference works (and two auction catalogues) mostly related to BNA forgeries. Includes The Work of Jean De Sperati by the British Philatelic Association 1955, original First edition numbered "143", Volume 1 (Text), 214 pages, hardcover and Volume 2 (Illustrations), plates 1-143 + A-J in cloth post binder; Canadian & BNA Fakes, Facsimiles, Reprints, Forgeries and Postal Counterfeits, Richard Gratton, 2008, #22/75, 81 pages; Out-Foxing the Fakers, Jean-François Brun, 1993, 119 pages; The Oneglia Engraved Forgeries, Lowe & Walske, 100 pages, etc. Useful titles. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 400.00**

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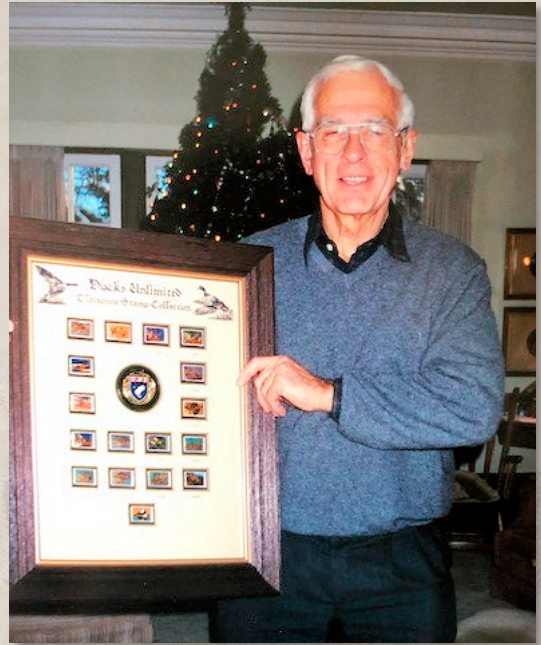
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Introduction to the T.D. McKee collections

The extensive collections of Doctor Thomas Douglas McKee are offered in their entirety throughout this catalogue.

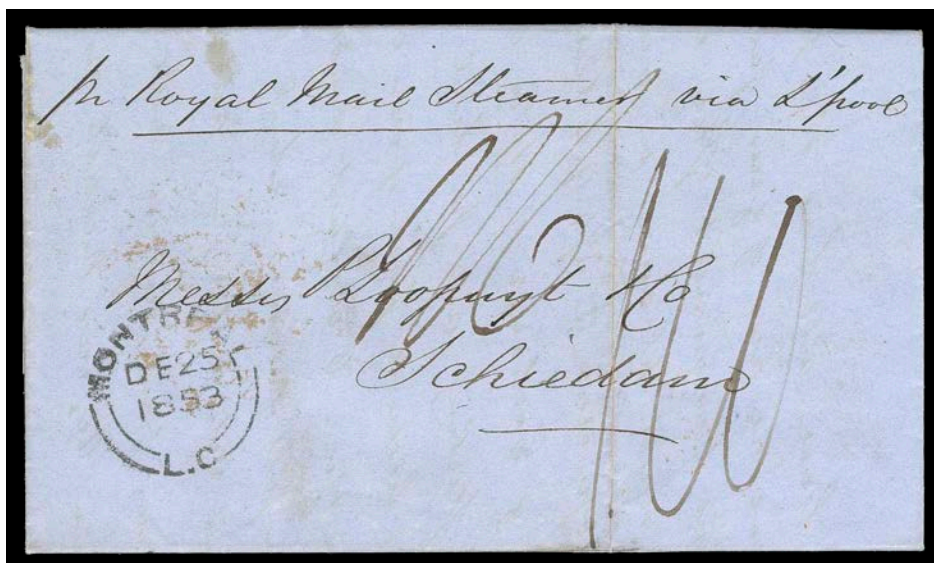
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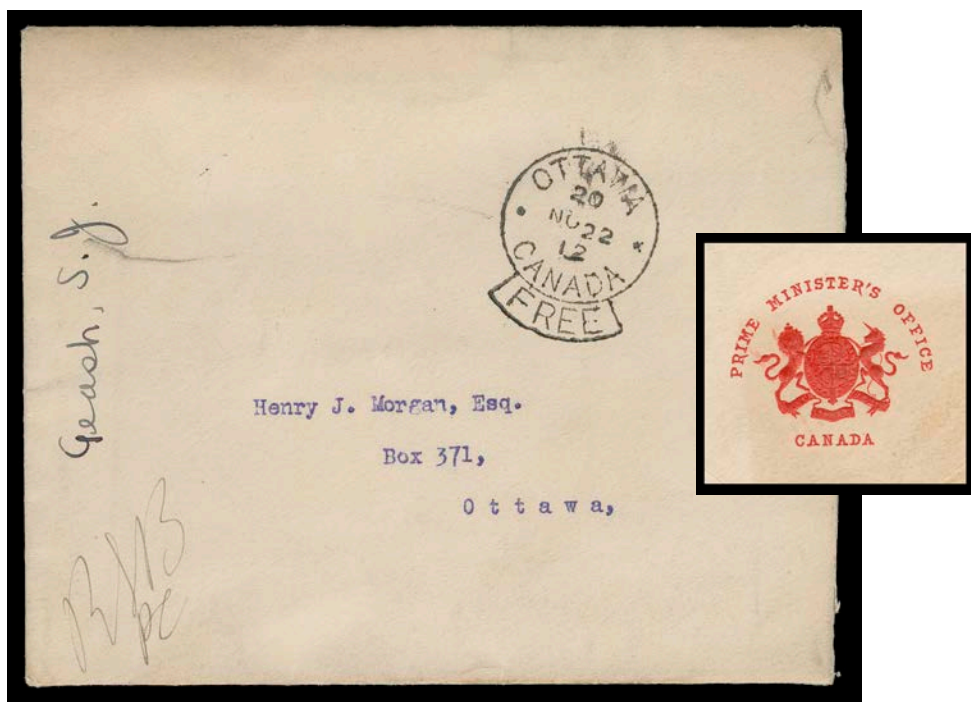
Dr. McKee had a broad scope of interests and an extensive knowledge of philately fueled by an appetite for studying and displaying his stamps for others to enjoy. Volunteering for the Thunder Bay stamp club eventually led him to the role of President.

His passion for stamps began in the mid-1950s and developed over years of studying, collecting and exhibiting his many specialized collections. Doug, as he was known to his family and friends, patiently shared his knowledge and encouraged many others to collect. He lured even his grandchildren into his world of stamps and encouraged them to develop their own philatelic interests. The family has stories and anecdotes of many cherished moments, as they sat enthralled, sharing his passion.

This is one of the most well-rounded Canadian collections we have the pleasure to offer over the past forty years and we are certain it will attract a large audience. To assist collectors and future researchers we have tabulated a complete list of the lots belonging to Dr. McKee (see page 358).



- 419 ☒ Folded lettersheet mailed Christmas Day 1853 in Montreal to Schiedam, **The Netherlands**, clear Montreal dispatch at left, rated "1/10" (stg collect) endorsed per Royal Mail Steamer via Liverpool, "110" Dutch currency to collect on delivery, British 10 JA 1854 transit and Schiedam 12 / 1 arrival backstamps in red; a rare destination mailed during the Pence era, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 420 ☒ 1912 (November 22) Cover from Robert L. Borden office with embossed crest of Prime Minister's Office "Coat of Arms" Canada in red on backflap, light ageing on back, countersigned at lower left, addressed to Henry Morgan, Ottawa with Ottawa Post Office Government Free datestamp (Davis OP-12) clearly struck denoting "in office" free franking privilege, VF **Est. 250.00+**

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- 421 E **Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co. 1p Dickens' Head** An engraved plate essay printed in dim brown on hard white bond paper, large margins, choice, VF and scarce **Est. 500.00+**
- 422 E **Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co. 6p Viking's Head** An engraved plate essay printed in dark blue on white wove paper (0.004" thick), most attractive, scarce and VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 423 E **Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co. 1p Victoria Head** Engraved plate essay printed in violet brown on hard bond paper, sheet margin at right, attractive, VF **Est. 400.00+**



- 424 P **1P + variety, 1857 3p Red** Plate proof block of four with sheet margin at left on card mounted india paper, showing the **Major Re-entry** (Pane B; Position 42) at top right with extensive doubling in lettering including "VR", ovals, etc., XF **1,400.00+**



- 425 © **1, 1851 3p Red on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate** A fabulous used pair with ample to very large margins, superb colour and impression, showing prominent laid lines on pristine paper, each stamp struck with ideal concentric rings cancel. A great pair in an excellent state of preservation and very scarce thus, VF+ **3,200.00**



- 426 P 2TXix, 6p Prince Albert Trial colour plate proof strip of three printed in black on india paper, vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, sheet margin at foot showing tiny pencil **annotated letters** likely done by the engraver to note the position of where the "Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson, New York should appear. An interesting item, VF; ex. *Henry Gates (March 1981; Lot 246)* **1,050.00**



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- 427 ◎ 2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate An attractive used single with mostly very large margins, displaying bright colour on fresh paper with strong laid lines, concentric rings and portion of additional red foreign cancel at left; a very nice stamp, VF+; 1970 RPSL cert. **2,000.00**
- 428 ◎ 2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A selected used example with faint laid lines plainly visible in fluid, clear to very large margins, sharp and neatly struck concentric rings cancel, VF; 2018 Greene Foundation cert. **2,000.00**
- 429 ◎ 2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A selected used single with excellent colour on fresh paper with prominent laid lines, adequate to very large margins, light socked-on-nose concentric rings cancellation of wonderful appeal, VF; 1981 Greene Foundation cert. ex. *Duane Hilmer (September 1977; Lot 14)* **2,000.00**



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- 430 P **3Pi, 12p Queen Victoria** Plate proof in black on card mounted india paper, vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, bright impression and in pristine condition, XF **2,500.00**



- 431 ★ **4, 1854 3p Red on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A superb unused example surrounded by noticeably large margins, nice bright colour on fresh paper; a beautiful stamp for the discriminating collector, XF; 1977 PF cert. **2,000.00+**



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- 432 ◎ **4, 1854 3p Red on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A choice used example with exceptional colour and sharp impression on fresh white wove paper, full to very large margins showing portion of neighboring stamp at left, light four-ring numeral cancel, XF **300.00+**



- 433 ◎ **4d, 1854 3p Orange Red on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful, large margined pair with great colour, sporting a unusually light concentric rings cancels (many examples of this distinctive printing suffer from overinking of the cancelling device), XF and choice **600.00+**

- 434 ◎ **4d variety, 1854 3p Orange Red on Thin Hard Wove Paper** A striking used example showing a major **pre-printing paper fold** running diagonally through the THREE PENCE denomination, slightly into outer frameline at foot, still a rare printing variety **Est. 300.00+**



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OF THE SIX PENCE CONSORT ON WOVE PAPER
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- 435 ★ 5, 1855 6p Slate Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A fabulous unused example displaying amazing rich colour - the unmistakable early shade, on wove paper and surrounded by ample to full margins, miniscule scissor cut at top left clear of frameline. A highly desirable stamp, VF and destined for the finest of collections. "One of the rarest unused stamps of Canada" - excerpt from the Professor Julian Smith sale catalogue. **40,000.00**

Expertization: 1986 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: Maurice Burrus, Robson Lowe Ltd., April 1963; Lot 101
Duane Hilmer, Sotheby Parke Bernet, September 1977; Lot 77
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"Lindemann" Collection, private treaty circa. 1997

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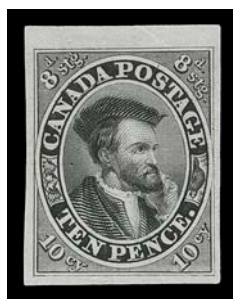


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- 436 Ⓢ **5, 1855 6p Slate Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A nice used single, attractive with large margins and radiant colour light, partial four-ring numeral cancellation, VF; 1980 RPS of London cert. **1,600.00**
- 437 Ⓢ **5b, 1856 6p Greenish Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** An attractive full margined example with exceptionally fresh colour, printed in a deeper shade than normally seen, lightly cancelled and in remarkably choice condition, VF+; 1987 BPA cert. **1,600.00**
- 438 Ⓢ **5b, 1856 6p Dark Greenish Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A selected used single with adequate to large margins, exceptional colour and bold impression on fresh paper, centrally struck concentric rings cancellation, VF **1,600.00**



- 439 P **7TC + var, 10p Cartier** Trial colour plate proof in black on india paper, showing **Major Re-entry** (Position 6) with strong doubling in "ADA POS" of "CANADA POSTAGE", in "PEN" of "PENCE", ovals, etc. A scarce coloured proof especially desirable with the prominent variety, XF **Est. 750.00+**



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- 440 Ⓢ **7, 1855 10p Blue on Thin, Crisp Hard Paper, Imperforate** A full margined example with brilliant colour, unobtrusive light cancellation, VF; 2014 Greene Foundation cert. for a pair from which this example originate. **2,400.00**
- 441 Ⓢ **7, 1855 10p Blue on Thin Hard Crisp Paper, Imperforate** An attractive, large margined example with excellent colour, light central Toronto diamond grid cancel as well as small portion of red circular transit at lower left. Seldom seen this nice, VF+ **2,400.00**
- 442 Ⓢ **7i + variety, 1855 10p Dull Blue on Thin Hard Crisp Paper, Imperforate** A sound used single with light, indistinct cancel, showing a **Re-entry** (Pos. 44) with doubling marks in "P...GE" of POSTAGE, in PENCE, short transfer variety at foot, F-VF; 2001 Greene Foundation cert. (as a normal #7, catalogue value as such) **1,875.00**
- 443 Ⓢ **7a, i, 1858 10p Dull Blue on Medium White Wove Paper, Imperforate** A remarkable used example, well clear to most very large margins all around, exceptional shade and sharp impression on fresh paper, neat diamond grid cancel of Toronto, VF; 2018 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**



- 444 P **8, 1868 (circa.) ½p Queen Victoria ABNC trade sample proof** printed in greyish blue on vertical wove paper (0.003" thick), perforated 12. A standout item with exceptional appeal, VF; *ex. Henry Gates (March 1981; Lot 379)* **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 445 ★ **8, 1857 ½p Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful mint single with brilliant colour on fresh white wove paper, ample to large margins and possessing full original gum, lightly hinged. An appealing stamp in outstanding quality, VF LH; 2019 Greene Foundation cert. **2,800.00+**
- 446 ◎ **8i, 1857 ½p Lilac Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A beautiful used stamp with ample to large margins, with exceptional colour on pristine fresh paper, partially legible four-ring numeral cancel, VF; *ex. Bertram Collection (February 1959; Lot 53)* **1,100.00**



- 447 ◎ **8, 1857 ½p Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A rare used horizontal strip of four, margin barely touches lower frame of third stamp, vertical crease between pairs, minor faults on second and fourth stamps, other two in sound condition, attractively postmarked with Smiths Falls, U.C. AU 27 1857 double arc postmarks (first month of usage), Fine appearing, a rarely seen used multiple with dated postmarks. **Est. 500.00+**



- 448 P **9TCi, 1857 7½p Queen Victoria** Trial colour plate proof pair in black on india paper with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, seldom seen, VF **1,000.00**



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- 449 ☉ **9, 1857 7½p Green on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** An attractive single with well clear to very large margins, nicely used with quite clear four-ring '37' (Quebec) cancel, F-VF **3,500.00**
- 450 ☉ **9, 1857 7½p Green on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate** A selected used single with clear to large margins, displaying bright colour on fresh paper as well as a neat face-free four-ring numeral cancellation, F-VF **3,500.00**



- 451 ☉ **10, 1857 6p Reddish Purple on Very Thick Soft Paper, Imperforate** An appealing used example of this challenging stamp, printed in a lovely bright shade on unusually pristine and characteristically fibrous paper, minute thinning at extreme top right edge only, otherwise the stamp is unusually devoid of the flaws so prevalent on this fragile paper, clear to very large margins and an unusually light concentric rings cancel; an attractive stamp noticeably nicer than normally encountered, F-VF; *ex. Grant G. Simmons (March 1971; Lot 59)* **6,750.00**



- 452 ☉ **13a, 1859 6p Grey Violet, Perf 11¼** A scarce used example in a lovely distinct shade, possessing full, intact perforations, centrally struck four-ring '21' cancel plus small portion of red transit cancel at left; a key stamp in sound above-average condition, Fine; 1980 Greene Foundation cert. **5,000.00**



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- 453 ☒ 1851 (July 2) A superb folded cover with a **very scarce double weight franking** to Belleville, franked with an exceptional example of the 6p brown purple on handmade laid paper, remarkably fresh and tied by concentric rings, Montreal JY 2 double arc dispatch in red below; Kingston JY 4 and Belleville JUL 5 backstamps, usual light file folds. A beautiful early usage of the elusive 6 pence single-franking, certainly **one of the finest known paying the double weight domestic letter rate**, XF (Unitrade 2b) ex. Maurice Burrus (April 1963; Lot 294) **Est. 1,500.00+**

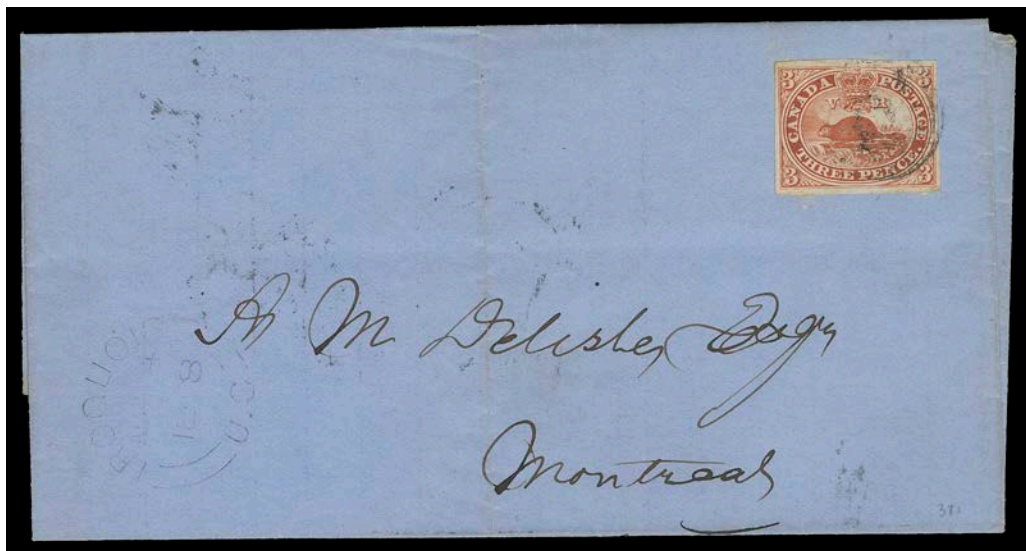
This domestic franking is much scarcer than the single 6p rate to USA, as ratio of known covers is about 1 to 8.



- 454 ☒ 1853 (March 28) Folded cover with red wax seal on reverse, mailed from Montreal to New York, franked with a large margined 6p slate violet on laid paper, bold colour and showing clear laid lines; cleaned to remove stains and portion of addressee excised but shows clear Montreal dispatch, Canada arc and PAID handstamps in red, VF; 2001 BPA cert. (Unitrade 2) **Est. 500.00+**



- 455 ☒ 1853 (December 1) Clean folded cover from London, U.C. to New York bearing a horizontal pair of 3p brown red on medium wove paper, tiny scissor cut at foot just touching lower frame of right stamp, otherwise well clear to full margins, tied by concentric rings, neat London, U.C. DE 1 1853 double arc dispatch, border exchange office CANADA / PAID 10 Cts handstamp in red, light horizontal file fold well away from franking and no receiver backstamp as customary. A lovely cover paying the 6 pence rate to the US, VF (Unitrade 4a) **Est. 400.00+**



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| 456 | ✘ | <p>1858 (March 4) Blue folded cover from Iroquois, U.C. to Montreal, bearing a full margined 3p red on soft horizontally ribbed paper in flawless condition tied by light concentric rings, fairly clear Iroquois, U.C. double arc dispatch at left, light central file fold, clear next-day Montreal receiver backstamp, VF (Unitrade 4c)</p> | <p>Est. 500.00+</p> |
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Interestingly enough, the 3 pence Beaver on **soft horizontally ribbed paper** was issued sometime in early March, 1858. **This cover may well be the earliest known usage.**



- 457 ☒ 1858 (August 27) Small envelope mailed from Belleville to Brockville, franked with a full margined **3p deep red on thick hard wove paper** tied by a light four-ring numeral in dark blue, same-ink Belleville AU 27 1858 double arc dispatch; small portion of backflap missing, faint Brockville AU 28 receiver, VF; 2019 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 4v) **Est. 350.00+**



- 458 ☒ 1857 (October 7) Small envelope bearing an imperforate 6p slate grey on medium wove paper, very large margins including part of adjacent stamp at foot, faint discoloration but tied by PAID 6 handstamp, partly legible Pointe-Aux-Trembles Montreal broken circle with filled-in "7 Oct 1857" date, addressed to Boston with Montreal OC 8 transit backstamp. A striking cover, VF (Unitrade 5) **Est. 750.00+**



- 459  1858 (March 14) Folded preprinted Notary Public form concerning non-payment of a promissory note mailed from Belleville to Kingston, bearing $\frac{1}{2}$ p deep rose on medium wove paper with large margins all around, just tied by centrally struck concentric rings in BLUE, further cancelled by manuscript, partially clear Belleville double arc dispatch in blue with same-ink "TOO LATE" instructional marking; Kingston MR 16 1858 receiver backstamp. A nice circular rate with coloured postmarks, VF (Unitrade 8) ex. Maurice Burrus (April 1963; Lot 303), Highlands Part One (November 2018; Lot 249)

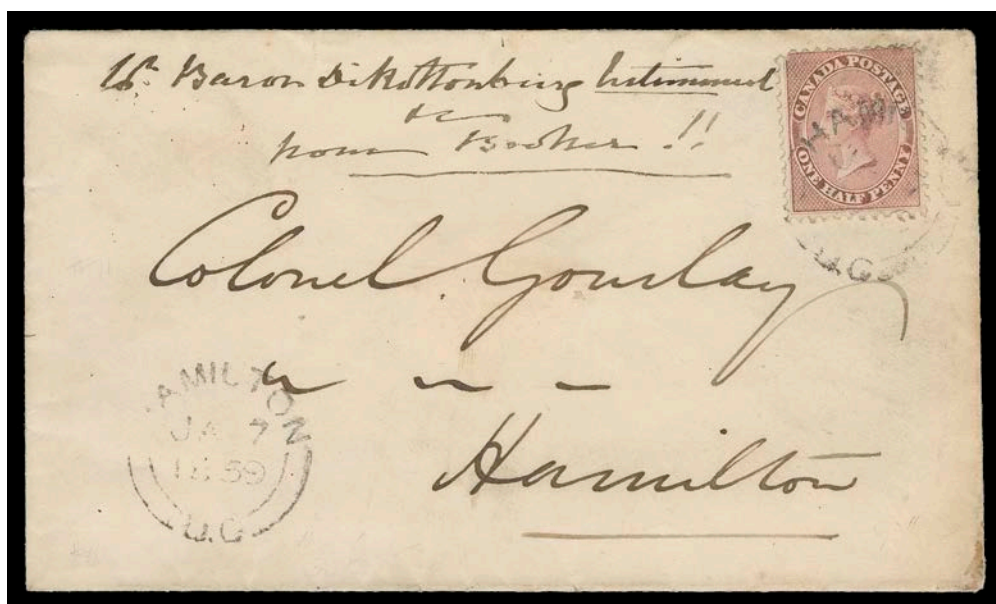
Est. 750.00+



- 460  1860 (June 29) Cover franked with a $7\frac{1}{2}$ pence deep green (for the equivalent $12\frac{1}{2}$ cent rate), just touching design at top right to otherwise large margins, light flaw at lower right, beautifully tied by Montreal duplex and sent via Allan Line to the UK, circular Paid Liverpool Col. Packet 11 JY 60 datestamp in red. Addressed to initially arrive at Bradford, then forwarded to Leeds with JY 11 backstamps of both, Otley JY 12 transit before arriving at Ben Rhyddings (just east of Otley), redirection fee of "1" penny sterling crossed out. An appealing cover, F-VF (Unitrade 9a)

Est. 2,000.00+

AN UNUSUAL AND SCARCE LATE USAGE OF THE SEVEN AND ONE HALF PENCE,
A YEAR AFTER THE ADOPTION OF THE DECIMAL CURRENCY ON JULY 1, 1859.



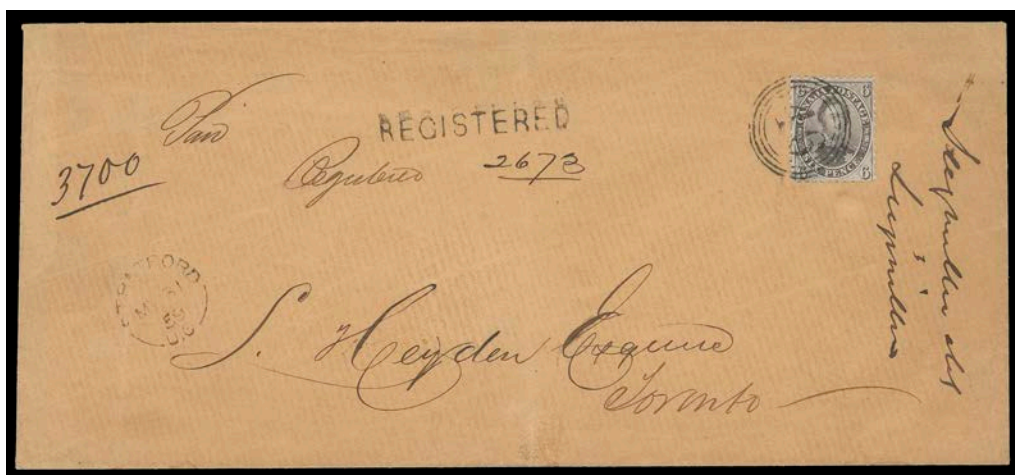
- 461 ☒ 1859 (January 7) Local drop rate cover bearing a quite well centered $\frac{1}{2}$ p in a deeper rose shade, perf $11\frac{3}{4}$, tiny perf flaw at top left, unusually tied by a Hamilton JA 7 1859 double arc CDS, additional dispatch strike at left; a very early usage of the perforated Half penny, among the earliest of the 14 recorded Local Drop $\frac{1}{2}$ p rate covers franked with this stamp, F-VF (Unitrade 11) **Est. 750.00+**



- 462 ☒ 1859 (March 20) Envelope addressed locally and franked with a single $\frac{1}{2}$ p lilac rose perf $11\frac{3}{4}$, quite well centered for the issue and in sound condition, tied by concentric rings cancel, light but complete Campbellford MR 20 1859 dispatch at left; minor cover wrinkle at top well away from stamp. An attractive local drop letter rate (only 14 reported) and especially so from a small town, F-VF (Unitrade 11i) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 463 ☒ 1859 (June 22) Folded printed notice from Brantford to Hamilton, bearing an attractive 3p red perf 11¼ with typical centering for the issue and bright fresh colour, tied by neat four-ring '5' cancel with Brantford, U.C. JU 22 59 split ring dispatch; light file fold away from stamp, quite clear Hamilton next day receiver on back. A beautiful perforated 3 pence cover, VF (Unitrade 12) ex. *Maurice Burrus* (April 1963; Lot 308) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 464 ☒ 1859 (May 31) Legal size envelope mailed registered from Stratford, U.C. to Toronto; double domestic letter rate franked with a quite well centered example of the perforated six pence brownish grey, perf 11¼, which is in sound condition with exceptional colour, tied by **superb four-ring '46'** (RF 8 - very rare), mostly clear Stratford split ring dispatch struck at left along with same-ink straightline REGISTERED denoting the one penny registration fee had been paid in cash as was customary at that time. Couple light folds and portion of backflap missing, overall in an excellent state of preservation. A very rare combination of postage rate, a perforated Six penny and a scarce four-ring numeral cancel, VF (Unitrade 13) **Est. 7,500.00+**

According to Wayne Smith's latest Pence cover census, **a mere seven domestic covers bear the perforated six pence stamp**. This example is **the only one sent registered**. An exceptional rarity.



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- 465 P **14P-20TC, 1859-1867 1c-17c Cents Issue** A complete set of the six different values in plate proof pairs, in issued (or near issued) colours on card mounted india paper (ex 5c on india), VF (Unitrade cat. \$3,300) **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 466 P **14Pii, 1c Queen Victoria** Plate proof single in rose, colour of issue, on india paper with the elusive diagonal SPECIMEN overprint in black, much scarcer than catalogue values indicate, VF **500.00+**



- 467 ★ **14b, 1859-1862 1c Rose, Perf 11¾** A fabulous, well centered mint block of four with deep fresh colour and intact perforations all around, large part original gum lightly disturbed which is inconsequential for this superior and rarely seen block, VF OG; 2014 Greene Foundation cert. (identified as #14 perf 12x12) **8,000.00**



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- 468 ★ **14iv, 1863-1864 1c Rose, Perf 12x11 $\frac{3}{4}$** An unused example showing the best and most prominent type of the "Q" Flaw (Pos. 38) (**Whitworth Flaw 1a**) with very visible plate flaw below "O" and also a strong short entry at lower left. Rarely seen in unused condition, Fine+ **2,500.00**
- 469 ◎ **14iv, 1863-1864 1c Rose, Perf 12x11 $\frac{3}{4}$** A nicely centered used example with lovely fresh colour and showing the elusive "Q" flaw (Position 38; **Whitworth Flaw 1a**) - the best and most prominent of the three listed versions of this distinctive flaw, St. Vincent JY 30 64 split ring CDS positioned well clear of the variety. An ideal example, VF **2,000.00**



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- 470 ★ **14a, 1867 1c Rose on Medium Wove Paper** A mint imperforate pair, clear at top left to full margins and ungummed as issued; a scarce imperforate from the only one sheet printed, F-VF **6,500.00**
- 471 ★ **14a, 1867 1c Rose on Medium Wove Paper** A rare imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, barely inside or touching outer frameline at right, otherwise large margined and in sound condition, Fine **4,000.00**



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- 472 P **15TCvii, 5c Beaver** Trial colour plate proof printed in black on india paper, VF and scarce **800.00**
- 473 ★ **15c, 1859-1860 5c Brownish Orange Red, Perf 11 $\frac{3}{4}$** A well centered unused block of four in the distinctive shade associated with very early printings, irregular perforations at left with some uncleared perf discs, a very scarce block, VF; *ex. Bertram Collection (February 1959; Lot 505), "Carrington" (June 2002; Lot 3306)* **3,400.00**



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- 474 ★ **15 variety, 1865-1866 5c Vermilion, Perf 12 A** bright mint single showing the elusive and prominent **"High Moon"** (State 7; Position 78) plate variety, an elongated ink flaw positioned just above the sun, part original gum, Fine **Est. 500.00+**
- 475 ◎ **15v, 1867 (circa.) 5c Vermilion, Perf 12 A** nice used example of **The Major Re-entry** (Position 28; State 10), displaying exceptional doubling throughout the design, especially visible on the left side, light duplex datestamp, Fine, the most sought-after variety on this stamp. **500.00**



- 476 P **16TCii, 1864 10c Prince Albert** A scarce trial colour plate proof block of four printed in orange yellow on india paper, bright vivid colour, VF **1,800.00**



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- 477 ◎ **16, 1859 10c Black Brown (Printing Order 1A), Perf 11¾** A quite well centered example of this distinctive first printing, lightened pen cancel barely discernible to the naked eye (appears unused) and tiny corner crease, nevertheless a very presentable and collectable example of this sought-after stamp, F-VF (Unitrade cat. \$6,250) **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 478 ◎ **17b, iv, 1862 10c Sepia (Printing Order 7), Perf 11¾** A quite well centered used single showing the **"String of Pearls"** (Position 3) variety, light four-ring cancel, VF **1,000.00**
- 479 ◎ **17a, 1865-1867 10c Violet (Printing Order 19B), Perf 12** An attractive used strip of three with clear circular mute grid cancellations, fresh and choice, F-VF **Est. 300.00+**



- 480 P 18TC + varieties, 12½c Blue Green Left margin plate proof strip of three with full ABNC imprint on card mounted india paper; top proof is the elusive Position 61 which shows the **Re-entry from second state** of the plate after engraver's retouches, initial features of the Re-entry are less prominent or corrected. Also shows the **short entry** on Position 71 and **doubling of left frameline** on Position 81. An interesting item for the specialist, VF (cat. as normal proofs) **1,050.00+**



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- 481 ☉ 18iv, 1863-1864 12½c Yellow Green, Perf 12x11¼ A quite well centered used single in a brighter shade, showing **The Major Re-entry** (Pos. 94) with strong doubling around and in "AGE" of "POSTAGE", in "E" of "PENCE", diamond grid of Toronto, VF **900.00**

- 482 ★ 18, 1865-1867 12½c Yellow Green, Perf 12 A nicely centered unused single with lovely colour, VF+ **1,250.00**



- 483 ★ 18b, 1867 12½c Blue Green on Medium Wove Paper An attractive imperforate pair with exceptional colour, ungummed as issued, barely touching frame at lower right but otherwise clear to large margins; faint crease, a scarce pair originating from the sole sheet of 100 printed, Fine (Unitrade cat. \$4,000) **Est. 750.00+**



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484 P 19TCi, 17c Cartier Trial colour plate proof printed in black on india paper, seldom seen, VF 550.00

485 P 19TCii, 1864 17c Cartier Trial colour plate proof pair, printed in orange yellow on india paper, sheet margin at right, VF 900.00



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486 ★ 19a, 1860 17c Slate Blue, Perf 11¾ An impressive mint strip of three from a scarcer early printing, quite well centered for the issue and displaying amazing deep, rich colour and impression as well as possessing large part original gum. A wonderful multiple of this distinctive early printing, Fine+ and very scarce thus. (Unitrade cat. \$8,250 as mint singles) Est. 2,500.00+

Expertization: 2018 Greene Foundation certificate

Provenance: General Robert Gill, October 1965; Lot 101 (described as indigo shade)

E. Carey Fox, Second Portion, October 1968; Lot 165

J. Grant Glassco, July 1969; Lot 83

487 ★ 19, 1863-1864 17c Blue, Perf 12x11¾ A nicely centered mint single in a lovely bright shade, small part original gum, VF; 1986 Greene Foundation cert. (cat. as unused) 1,800.00

488 ☉ 19, 1865-1867 17c Blue, Perf 12 A beautiful used single with bright colour, quite well centered with large margins and light circular grid cancel, VF and attractive 300.00+

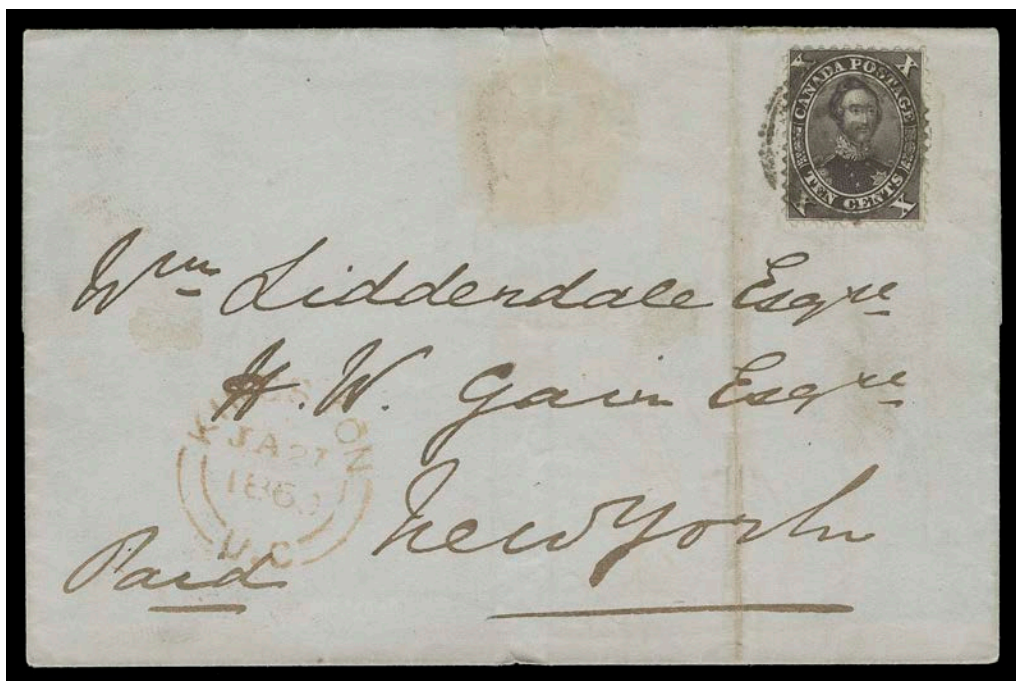


489 ★ 20b, 1867 2c Rose on Medium Wove Paper A superb mint imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, nicely margined which is rarely seen with these, VF; from the sole sheet of 100 stamps. 5,000.00

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- 490 ☒ 1859 (October 17) Small mourning cover from St. Catharines, U.C. to Rhode Island, USA, bearing a fine centered 10c black brown perf 11¾, faint perf toning, tied by light four-ring '38' cancel, red St. Catharines, U.C. OC 7 59 split ring datestamp at left and two-line border crossing CANADA / PAID 10cts handstamp; no backstamp as customary. A very scarce and desirable usage of the First Printing, F-VF (Unitrade 16) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 491 ☒ 1860 (January 27) Folded cover from Kingston, U.C. to New York, bearing a very fine example of the elusive 10c black brown, perf 11¾ tied by a four-ring numeral (likely '18'), cover with light stain, couple small tears at top and file fold away from the stamp; clear Kingston JA 27 1860 double arc dispatch in red; no backstamp as customary, Fine (Unitrade 16) ex. Amos Eno (March 1959; Lot 114), Charles Lathrop Pack (Part 1, December 1944; Lot 146) **Est. 2,500.00+**



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- 492 ☒ 1864 (November 19) Clean blue folded cover endorsed "Per Cunard Mail" with three colour franking to Scotland - 1c, 12½c (both perf 12x11¼) and a 5c (perf 11¾x12) all tied by diamond grids, clear Toronto split ring at left, clever repair to 1c; Glasgow DE 5 1864 circular backstamp. An unusual franking (overpaid by 1½ cent) to the United Kingdom, VF (Unitrade 14viii, 15, 18) **Est. 750.00+**

According to the Firby census, this is **the only one recorded** to the United Kingdom franked with single 1c, 5c and 12½c.

- 493 ☒ 1866 (November 17) John Christopher & Bros. Dealers in Lumber typographed in blue advertising cover, slightly reduced at right, franked with a 5c vermilion perf 12 cancelled by light G.W.R. / West NO 17 66 RPO split ring, second strike at left, addressed to Wardsville, Newbury NO 17 and partial large CDS of Wardsville on back, VF; ex Vincent Greene (Unitrade 15) **Est. 150.00+**

- 494 ☒ 1867 (September 11) Orange envelope bearing a scarcer franking consisting of a 1c rose single and 2c carmine red pair perf 12; 1c shows **Major Misplaced Entry** (Position 28) with various prominent marks throughout design and in lower right margin; cover slightly reduced at right but otherwise clean, stamps cancelled by light grids, large portion of Toronto split ring dispatch and mailed to Hamilton with clear next-day backstamp. Of the dozen such 5c frankings reported this example is particularly desirable with the seldom seen variety, F-VF (Unitrade 14xi, 20i) ex. Norman Brassler (October 1990; Lot 122) **Est. 600.00+**

LARGE QUEEN



- 495 E 1867 3c Queen Victoria Die Essay typographed by the National Bank Note Co. in light yellowish brown on white wove paper measuring 35 x 60mm with light blue horizontal lines (10mm apart), characteristic solid background surrounding the design. Very attractive, VF (Minuse & Pratt 25E-Ab) ex. "Victoria" Collectin of Canada (Danam, July 1981; Lot 3) Est. 1,000.00+

BRITISH AMERICAN BANK NOTE DIE ESSAY
THREE CENT DESIGN WITH UNADOPTED FEATURES



- 496 E 1868 3c Large Queen A striking engraved die essay (stamp size), printed in dark blue green on india paper, the lower corner numerals and "THREE CENTS" imprint are in a different format than the issued stamp; trivial mounting marks of no importance for this very rare Large Queen essay, Fine. After thorough research, we were able to find only two other examples, both with similar small margins. (Minuse & Pratt 25E-Ba) ex. "Victoria" Collection of Canada (Danam, July 1981; Lot 51) Est. 3,500.00+



497 P 21-29, 1868-1875 ½c-15c Large Queen The complete set of eight plate proofs in first issued colours; the 5 cent printed on thick bond paper, others on white card. Seldom offered set, VF 6,250.00



498 P 22-29, 1c-15c Large Queen Selection of seven different plate proofs in issued colours on card, no ½c but includes an extra 15c shade; couple slight flaws, otherwise VF (Unitrade cat. \$6,500) Est. 1,500.00+



- 499 P 21, 1868 ½c Large Queen An engraved trial colour stamp size die proof printed in dull claret on india paper, light natural india thinning of no consequence, an extremely rare coloured die proof, F-VF
Est. 1,500.00+

After extensive research we were able to find one other die proof in this colour, from the S.J. Menich Large Queen sale (February 1997; Lot 784), also on india paper with larger margins.



- 500 P 21, 1868 ½c Black A fabulous plate proof pair in the issued colour on card and showing part BABN imprint (Boggs Type IV) in the margin, tiny scissor cut at foot between right stamp and margin, a desirable item, VF; ex. "Victoria" Collection of Canada (Danam, July 1981; Lot 6) Est. 1,000.00+



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- 501 ★ 21c, 1868-1872 ½c Black on Thin Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 12 A well centered mint block in a deep shade, bold impression and full original gum showing a trace of disturbance equivalent to light hinging, VF
1,440.00
- 502 ★ 21 variety, ii, iv, 1868-1869 ½c Black on Thick Very Soft Fibrous Paper, Perf 12 A remarkable unused example with bold colour and sharp impression on the distinctive and scarce thick almost "blotting" paper, showing both line above "P" of "POSTAGE" and "spur" in scroll left of "H" varieties. A very scarce combination of paper type and plate varieties, Fine+; 2017 Greene Foundation cert.
Est. 350.00+



- 503 ★ **21a, v, vi, 1873 ½c Grey Black on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 11½x12** A beautiful mint example in a distinct shade, Montreal printing and perforation gauge, showing the scarce, prominent "H" spur variety (Position 4), with full, dull streaky original gum, never hinged. An unusual combination of printing & perforation varieties, choice, VF NH **1,500.00+**



- 504 ◎ **21a, vi, 1873-1876 ½c Grey Black on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 11½x12** A well centered used horizontal strip of six, printed in a distinctive shade with clear mesh paper; couple short perfs at foot of second stamp, light segmented cork cancels, a Very Fine and scarce multiple; ex. "Jura" (June 2007; Lot 2019) **Est. 500.00+**
- 505 ◎ **21, 1868-1872 ½c Black on Thinner Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 12** A well centered example with centrally struck fancy Cross cancellation in dark blue (very similar to Lacelle 1161 from Owen Sound, Ont.), VF *Illustrated on Page 153* **Est. 100.00+**



- 506 ★ **22, 1868 1c Brown Red on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper** An exceptional mint single with intact perforations, large part OG, superbly centered with incredible colour, XF **2,000.00**



- 507 ★ **22a, 1868-1869 1c Brown Red on Watermarked Bothwell Paper** A reasonably well centered unused single showing large portion of " . B" and "TH" letters of the papermaker's watermark, deep colour and fresh, F-VF **3,000.00**



- 514 ★ **24iv, 1868-1870 2c Bluish Green on Bothwell Paper** An extremely well centered mint block of four showing the characteristic shade and prominent vertical mesh paper associated with this paper type, original gum partially disturbed, perforations sensibly strengthened by hinges, nevertheless in a remarkable state of preservation and still showing a large part white, shiny original gum. A superior multiple - in fact one would find it hard to secure a nicer block, VF+ OG; *ex. Fred Jarrett (February 1960; Lot 130)* **12,000.00**



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- 515 ★ **24a, 1868-1870 2c Green on Watermarked Bothwell Paper** A beautiful unused example displaying the characteristic bright shade, showing large portion of papermaker's watermark "TH" letters, traces of gum, Fine+ (Unitrade cat. as no gum) **2,000.00**
- 516 ★ **24i, 1871-1872 2c Pale Emerald Green Shade on Medium Wove Paper** Selected mint single displaying exceptional colour on fresh paper, a striking stamp especially desirable in such an unusual shade, VF hinged; 2019 Greene Foundation cert. (identified as "pale emerald green shade") **4,000.00**



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- 517 ◎ **24iii, 1869-1870 2c Green on Soft White "Blotting" Paper** A remarkably well centered example on the distinctive scarcer paper (Duckworth Paper 8), with superb, socked-on-nose fancy segmented Radial cancel, XF **350.00+**
- 518 ◎ **24v, 1871-1872 2c Emerald Green on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper** A striking used example, nicely centered with large margins, showing **The Major Re-entry** (Position 7) with noticeable doubling in "D" of "CANADA" and in scroll at lower left, London, Ont. cancel, VF **800.00**



- 519 P 25, 1868 3c Large Queen Trial colour plate proof pair printed in dark purple on card mounted india paper, sheet margin at left. A rare coloured proof especially in a pair, a beautiful item, VF; ex. Stanley Cohen (April 1987; Lot 1259), "Jura" Collection (June 2007; Lot 2056) Est. 2,000.00+



- 520 ☉ 33, 1868 3c Bright Red on Laid Paper A fabulous used example of this notoriously difficult stamp, very well centered with exceptionally fresh colour, on pristine paper with prominent laid lines and in flawless condition, neat central concentric rings cancellation and superb in all respects, Extremely Fine and rarely seen thus; ex. Harry Lussey (August 1980; Lot 271) 2,500.00+



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- 521 ☉ 33, 1868 3c Bright Red on Laid Paper Scarce used single in sound condition, displaying the distinctive shade and impression and with an appealing, light 1868 datestamp IN BLUE, Fine 1,000.00
- 522 ☉ 25a, 1868-1869 3c Red on Watermarked Bothwell Paper A very attractive and well centered used single with brilliant colour, showing "& G" letters of the papermaker's watermark, light concentric rings cancellation, VF 600.00
- 523 ☉ 25, 1869 3c Red on Thinner Horizontal Wove Paper Used single with superb strike of fancy "B" within segmented Star cancel (Lacelle 263) of Oshawa, Ontario, F-VF Est. 200.00+



- 524 P **26, 1868 5c Large Queen** An engraved stamp size, trial colour Die Proof printed in black on india paper, small to large margins and displaying a lovely clear impression; exceedingly rare and ideal for exhibition, VF **Est. 3,500.00+**

This die was prepared in 1868 along with the other denominations. The stamps were released October 1st, 1875, a provisional issue for the newly reduced rate to the UK.



- 525 P **26, 1875 5c Large Queen** Trial colour plate proof pair printed in deep blue directly on card (.014" thick), in lovely condition with large margins, VF **Est. 1,250.00+**

This is a distinctive colour, much deeper than the more common proof printed in pale blue on thick soft paper.



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- 526 P **26, 1875 5c Large Queen** Trial colour plate proof printed in pale blue on thick soft wove paper (.007" thick), in pristine fresh condition, XF **Est. 500.00+**
- 527 P **26, 1875 5c Large Queen** A superb trial colour plate proof with large even margin, printed in dark green on card .0014" thick, XF **Est. 500.00+**



- 528 ★ 27, 1868-1872 6c Dark Brown (Plate 1) on Medium Vertical Wove Paper A beautiful unused example, much nicer than we are accustomed to seeing, nicely centered for this challenging stamp and with bright colour, VF; 1981 Greene Foundation cert. **3,000.00**

**A RARE MINT SIX CENT LARGE QUEEN
IDEALLY SHOWING PORTION OF TWO-LINE WATERMARK**



- 529 ★ 27b, 1869-1870 6c Dark Brown (Plate 1) on Watermarked Bothwell Paper An extremely rare mint single remarkably displaying large portion of papermaker's two-line watermark with near complete "LU" letters of "CLUTHA" and small portion "& G" of "E. & G. BOTHWELL" along top of stamp; small sealed tear at right hard to see. Only a handful mint OG Six cent watermarked stamps exist in any condition. One of great rarities of the Large Queen issue, Fine OG; 2009 Greene Foundation cert. **30,000.00**



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- 530 ◎ 27b, 1869-1870 6c Brown (Plate 1) on Watermarked Bothwell Paper An elusive stamp showing portion of papermaker's watermark "LS" of "CLUTHA MILLS", faint cancellation, much nicer than normally seen, Fine+ **1,500.00**
- 531 ◎ 27iii, 1868-1872 6c Brown (Plate 1) on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper A well centered example, very lightly cancelled (looks unused at first glance) and showing the **Major Re-entry** (Position 95) with noticeable doubling in upper corner ornaments, a few dulled perfs, VF (Unitrade cat. \$750) **Est. 200.00+**
- 532 ◎ 28 variety, 1868-1870 12½c Blue on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper A well centered used single showing the prominent **plate flaw in "A" of "HALF"** (allegedly Position 54; Duckworth Flaw No. 4), face-free cancel well away from the variety, VF **Est. 250.00+**



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- 533 ★ **29b, ii, 1873-1875 15c Red Lilac on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 12** A very scarce, early printing mint single, distinctive deep colour and showing very clearly the "Pawnbroker" variety (Position 10), couple shorter perfs, large part OG, Fine and attractive **2,400.00**
- 534 ★ **30c, 1880 15c Deep Violet on Very Thick White Carton Paper, Perf 12** A most appealing unused single of this distinctive printing, possessing exceptional colour on fresh white paper, truly a beautiful example in superior quality, F-VF; ex. *Harry Lussey (August 1980; Lot 248)* **4,750.00**



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- 535 ★ **29i, 1890s 15c Slate Purple on Medium Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 12** A well centered mint block showing right portion of BABN imprint (Boggs Type IV), a few split perfs in selvage, fresh with large part original gum, F-VF **Est. 300.00+**
- 536 ★ **30i, 1890s 15c Slate Grey on Medium Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 12** A well centered mint example with lovely pastel colour on fresh paper, a beautiful shade, VF+ NH **600.00**
- 537 ★ **29ii, 1890s 15c Grey Violet on Medium Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 12** A positional mint single showing the "Pawnbroker" constant plate variety (Position 10), LH in top margin, stamp with natural gum skip but NH, Fine (Unitrade cat. as hinged) ex. "*Victoria*" Collection of Canada (Danam, July 1981; Lot 107) **1,200.00**
- 538 ★ **30, 1890s 15c Grey on Medium Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 12** Mint single with SPECIMEN (serifed letters) handstamped overprint in violet, large part original gum, F-VF and scarce **Est. 250.00+**

It is interesting to note that this specimen type is very similar to that found on the high values of the Diamond Jubilee series.



- 539 ★ **29d, 1891 (circa.) 15c Dark Brown Purple on Medium Wove Paper** A large margined mint imperforate pair, characteristic shade, VF hinged **1,600.00**



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- 540 ◎ **29c, 1868-1869 15c Grey Violet on Watermarked Bothwell Paper, Perf 12** Used single showing small portion of papermaker's watermark ("M A" letters of "CLUTHA MILLS") at top, couple perf flaws, superb fancy Toronto "2" cancel (Lacelle 19) in upright position, Fine **Est. 300.00+**
- 541 ◎ **29b, 1871-1872 15c Dull Red Lilac on Smooth Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 12** A well centered pair of this early dull shade of red lilac, unusual small segmented cork cancels; VF **300.00**
- 542 ◎ **29b, 1873-1875 15c Red Lilac on Smooth Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 12** A well centered example showing a quite clear two-ring '8' (Ottawa - RF 5; very scarce), minute perf tear at left, a desirable numeral cancelled stamp, VF **Est. 150.00+**



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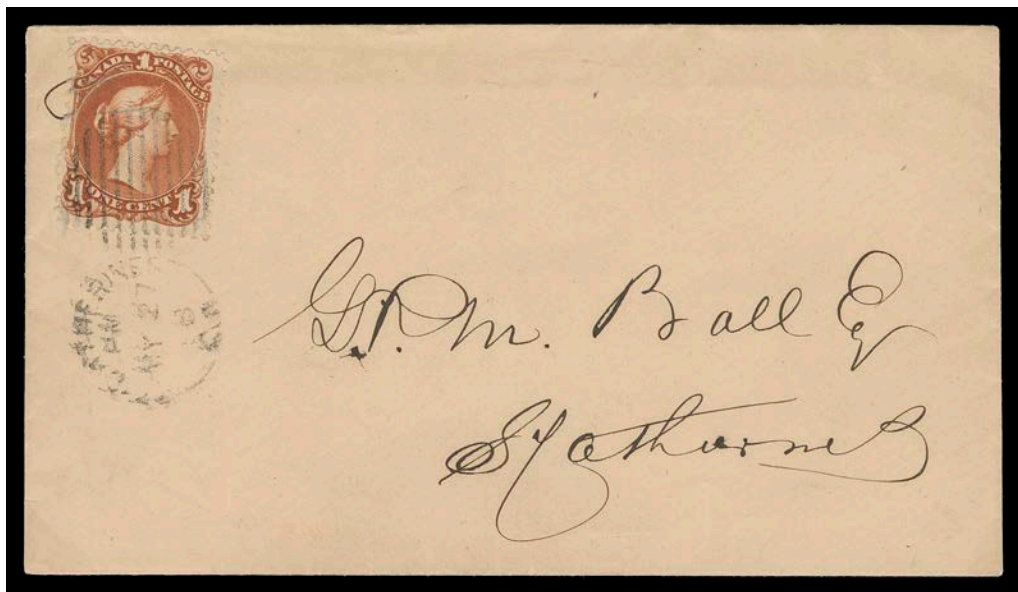


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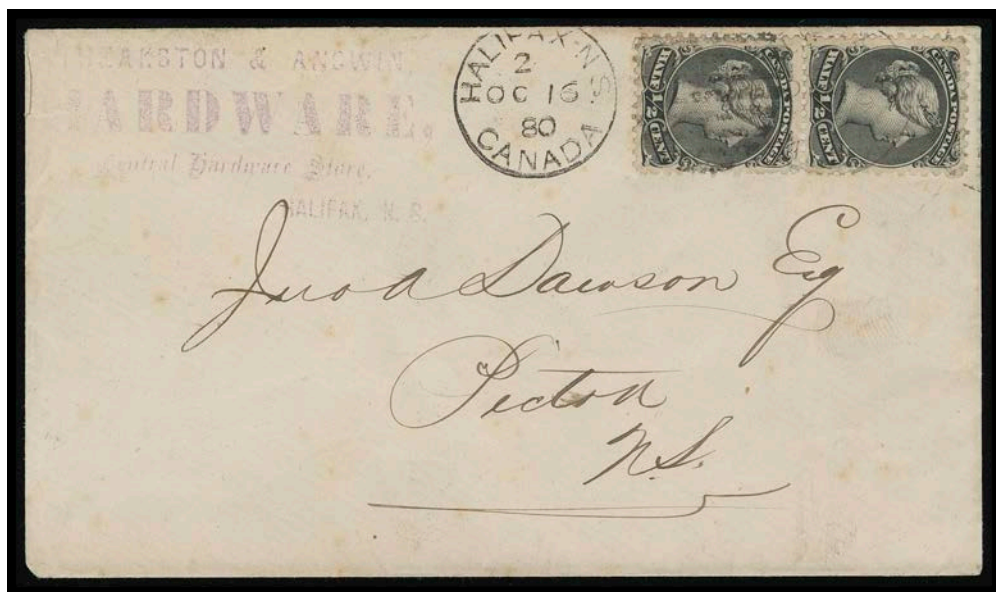
- 543 ◎ **29a, 1875 (circa.) 15c Greyish Purple on Smooth Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 11½x12** Used single of the scarcer perforation with a highly unusual cork cancel IN RED; a rare coloured cancelled stamp, Fine+ **Est. 250.00+**
- 544 ◎ **30c, 1880 15c Deep Violet on Very Thick White "Carton" Paper, Perf 12** An unusually well centered example of this short-lived printing, neat circular "OTTAWA" cancellation in black, VF and appealing **2,000.00**
- 545 ◎ **30b,iii, 1890s 15c Blue Grey on Medium Vertical Wove Paper, Perf 12** A well centered example in a deep rich shade, showing the "Pawnbroker" constant plate variety (Position 10) well clear of light circular datestamps, F-VF **450.00+**
- 546 ◎ **29/30, 1890s 15c Large Queen** Twelve used singles with clear squared circle cancels from five different towns including Brockville, Halifax, Ottawa, Victoria and Winnipeg; dates range from December 1893 to February 1898. Trivial flaws on a couple, mainly Fine or better with mainly VF strikes **Est. 250.00+**



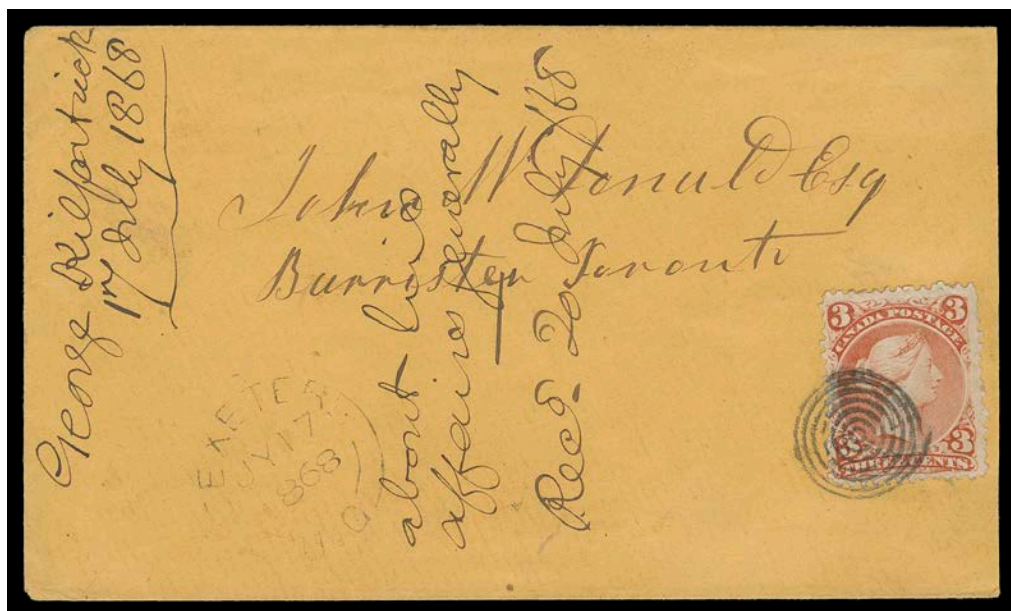
LARGE QUEEN POSTAL HISTORY



- 547 ☒ **1c rate** 1868 (May 27) Clean cover franked with a select 1c brown red on thin hard wove paper paying the drop letter rate, tied by St. Catharines, C.W. MY 27 68 duplex, VF (Unitrade 22b) **Est. 150.00+**



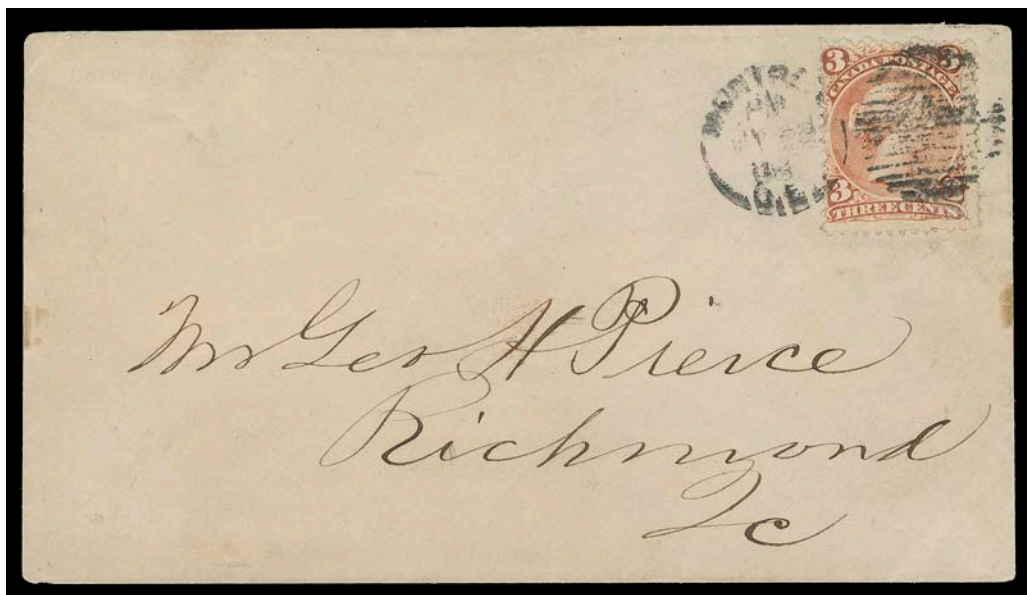
- 548 ☒ **1c rate** 1880 (October 16) Theakston & Angwin Hardware advert handstamped envelope mailed to Pictou, NS at the circular rate, unsealed with backflap folded inside as required for inspection, franked with vertical pair of ½c black perf 12 tied by Halifax OC 16 80 duplex, Pictou OC 18 split ring receiver on back; pays the unsealed 1c (per 4 ounces) printed circular rate, VF (Unitrade 21) **Est. 300.00+**



- 549 ☒ **3c rate** 1868 (July 17) Beautiful orange envelope mailed from Exeter, U.C. to Toronto, docketing markings on arrival, bearing a choice single of the elusive **3c bright red on laid paper** with prominent laid lines, tied by superb concentric rings cancel, clear Exeter, U.C. JY 17 1868 double arc dispatch at left, London JY 17 and Toronto JY 18 receiver backstamps; cover slightly reduced at right, an outstanding and visually striking cover, VF (Unitrade 33) ex. *Harry Lussey (August 1980; Lot 276)*

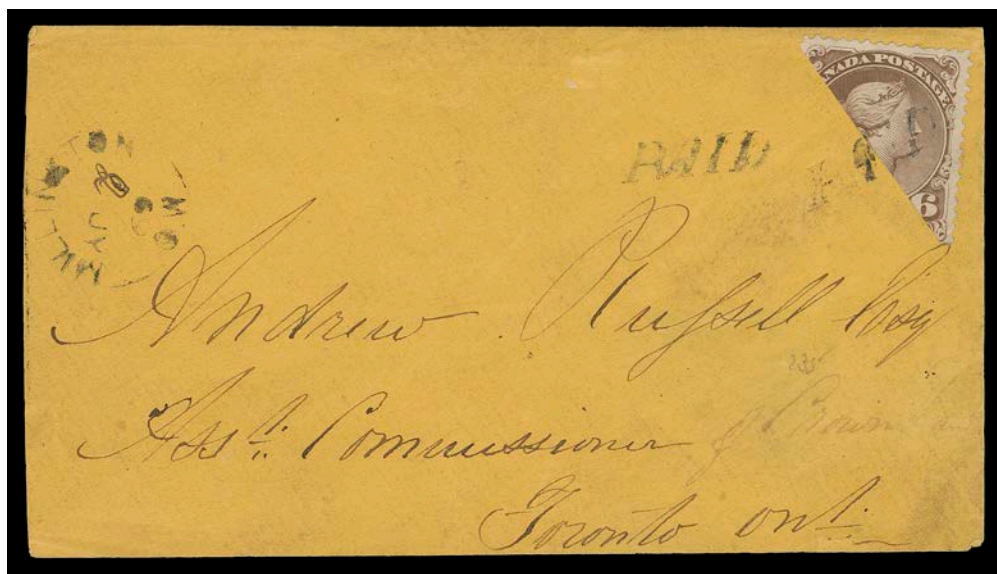
Est. 2,000.00+

CERTAINLY AMONG THE NICEST AND MOST ATTRACTIVE COVERS BEARING THE THREE CENT LARGE QUEEN ON LAID PAPER.



- 550 ☒ **3c rate** 1868 (July 22) Clean cover from Montreal to Richmond, Quebec, franked with a **3c bright red on laid paper**, sealed tear at bottom right, tied by somewhat blurry Montreal JY 22 68 duplex, Richmond, C.E. JY 23 1868 double arc receiver backstamp, F-VF (Unitrade 33) Est. 500.00+

The recent census by Wayne Smith reports a total of only 34 covers franked with a 3 cent on laid paper; of these 7 were mailed from Montreal. We have seen one similar 3c laid paper franked cover from the same correspondence, postmarked at Montreal JY 15 68 and is ex. Dale-Lichtenstein, Firth.



- 551 **3c rate** 1869 (July 2) Orange envelope mailed from Millington to Toronto, showing a choice **diagonal bisect of the 6c brown** tied by PAID (italic) handstamp, additional strike at left and same-ink Millington C.W. split ring with inverted indicia "JY" and manuscript filled-in "2" date; slightly reduced and portion of backflap missing, partial Beaverton transit and same-day Toronto JY 2 backstamp. A very scarce and striking example of a provisional usage of the 6 cent Large Queen, half used for the 3 cent domestic letter rate, Fine; 1975 PF cert. (Unitrade 27d, cat. \$4,000) **Est. 1,250.00+**

Millington is currently a Ghost Town; it was once a farming community with a population in 1869 of about 60.



- 552 **3c rate** 1873 (May 20) Orange cover from Madoc to Toronto, showing mixed-issue franking of a well centered Large Queen 2c emerald green shade clearly showing the **Major Re-entry** (Pos. 7) alongside a Small Queen 1c yellow orange, First Ottawa printing, both cancelled by concentric rings and 1c tied by Madoc split ring; part of backflap missing, Toronto MY 21 73 receiver CDS. An appealing mixed-issue franking, ideal for the specialist, VF (Unitrade 24v, 35ii) **Est. 500.00+**



SMALL QUEEN



- 555 E **1891 1c, 2c & 3c Queen Victoria** Canadian Bank Note Engraving & Printing Co. plate essays; lithographed 1c yellow on white wove glazed surface paper; engraved 2c red orange on yellowish card and 3c dark orange red on india paper, VF **Est. 500.00+**



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- 556 E **1891 1c & 2c Queen Victoria** Canadian Bank Note plate essays - lithographed 1c yellow on white surface wove paper, engraved 1c orange yellow on india, engraved 2c blue on india, minor toning at left and engraved pair 2c orange red on Japanese very thin laid paper, horizontal crease at foot, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 557 E **1891 2c Queen Victoria** Canadian Bank Note Engraving and Printing Co. engraved plate essay strip of three in green on the distinctive very thin Japanese paper and showing the "Running Horse" overprint in black, small touch of blue ink on horse's nose, portion of CBN imprint at foot. Quite remarkably devoid of flaws for this fragile paper. A wonderful essay strip destined for an advanced collection, VF (Minuse & Pratt 36E-Ai) **Est. 1,500.00+**

Provenance: Bertram Collection, Shanahan's, February 1959; Lot 1057

Unknown provenance BNA Sale, Robson Lowe, January 1964; Lot 1224

Literature: Illustrated in Robson Lowe "Encyclopaedia of British Empire Postage Stamps Volume V – North America" on page 186.

Illustrated in Minuse & Pratt "The Essays and Proofs of British North America" handbook catalogue page 20.



- 558 E 1891 2c Queen Victoria Engraved plate essay block of four printed in green on india paper, small scissor cut between left pair otherwise a choice and beautiful block, VF **Est. 750.00+**
- 559 E 1891 3c Queen Victoria Canadian Bank Note plate essay pair, lithographed, printed in pale orange red on white coated surface wove paper, VF *Illustrated on Page 166* **Est. 350.00+**



- 560 P 34/43, 1c/10c Small Queen Seven different plate proofs on card mounted india paper, in choice condition, large margins except the ½ cent and 3 cent which are on india, includes ½c black, 1c orange yellow, 3c orange red, 5c olive green, 6c brown corner margin example, 8c slate and 10c salmon pink, VF (Unitrade cat. \$4,200) **Est. 1,000.00+**

Also includes (not counted) three different imperforate singles on wove paper, each with 1983 RPS of London cert. stating "plate proof".



- 561 ★ 34/45, ½c/10c Small Queen The set of seven with diagonal sans-serifed SPECIMEN handstamp overprint in violet prepared for the 1891 UPU Congress which took place in Vienna, part OG or without gum, Fine and scarce **Est. 500.00+**

The 1c, 5c and 6c are late Montreal printings, other values are Second Ottawa printings; lacks the 8c and the Widow Weeds as they were issued in 1893.

- 562 ◎ 34/47, ½c-50c Ottawa "Crown" Cancels The basic set of ten denominations of the Small Queen & Widow Weeds, all 1890s Ottawa printings except for late 1880s 6c cold brown shade with a few short perfs at foot, all are sound and show unusually selected, centrally struck Ottawa squared circles, F-VF stamps with VF strikes *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 150.00+**



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- 563 ★ **34a, 1890s 1/2c Black (Ottawa Printing) on Greyish Horizontal Wove Paper** A large margined mint imperforate pair with full original gum showing just the faintest trace of hinging, VF VLH **800.00**



- 564 ★ **34iii, 1890s 1/2c Black on Yellowish Wove Paper (Ottawa Printing)** An impressive mint interpanneau gutter margin block of eight, nicely centered with intact perforations, strong reverse printing offset on gum side characteristic of the later printings. A wonderful block in premium quality, VF+ NH (Unitrade cat. as two gutter pairs) **2,000.00**



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- 565 ★ **34, 1890s 1/2c Black (Ottawa Printing)** A superb mint single with precise centering amidst jumbo margins, full immaculate original gum, a great stamp for the perfectionist, XF NH GEM **75.00+**
- 566 ★ **34, 1890s 1/2c Black on White Wove (Ottawa Printing)** An unusually choice mint single, very well centered with very large margins and post office fresh, XF NH JUMBO **75.00+**
- 567 ★ **34i, 1890s 1/2c Grey Black (Ottawa Printing)** A superb large margined mint example of this distinctive shade, very well centered, XF NH JUMBO **75.00+**
- 568 ★ **34ii, 1897 1/2c Black on Thick White Wove (Ottawa Printing)** An impressive mint single displaying true deep colour on bright white paper, from the last printing and scarcer than catalogues indicate, displaying superb centering within oversized margins, XF NH JUMBO **175.00+**
- 569 P **35, 1c Black (Defaced "Montreal" Plate)** Plate proof pair on wove paper with vertical defacement lines, VF (Unlisted in Unitrade catalogue) **Est. 200.00+**



- 570 ★ **35ii, 1871 1c Orange (First Ottawa Printing), Perf 11.85** An impressive mint block of eight, faint perf toning in places but displaying characteristic colour and sharp impression, possessing with full unblemished original gum, NEVER HINGED. Multiples of early printings are hard to find, F-VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$4,400) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 571 ★ **35d, 1874-1875 1c Orange Yellow (Montreal Printing), Perf 11½x12** A remarkably fresh and well centered mint example of this elusive perforation variety, deep sharp impression on fresh white wove paper, intact perforations and showing full, dull streaky original gum characteristic of early Montreal printings, light natural gum bend. A difficult stamp to find in superior condition, VF NH; 2016 Greene Foundation cert. **1,800.00**

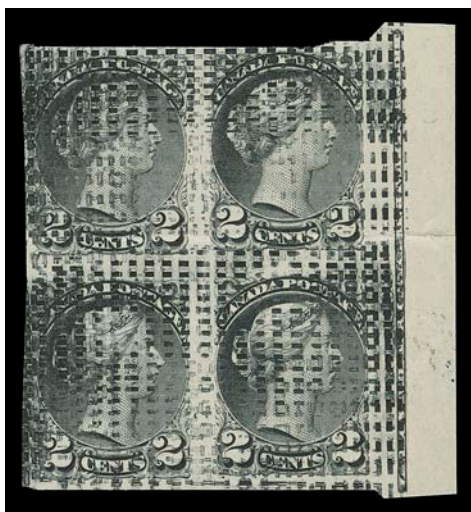


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- 572 ★ **35b, 1890s 1c Yellow (Ottawa Printing) on White Horizontal Wove Paper** A premium quality mint imperforate pair, sheet margin at right, post office fresh colour, couple natural bends mostly in sheet margin, a beautiful pair with pristine original gum, VF NH **1,500.00**
- 573 ◎ **35viii, 1896-1898 1c Yellow (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** Used pair, the left stamp a choice, large margined example showing the sought-after "Strand of Hair" variety (Hurst's Long Strand Type 1, the most prominent subtype), light oval "R" cancel away from the variety, VF; 2014 Greene Foundation cert. **600.00**



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- 574 P **36, 2c Black (Defaced "Montreal" Plate)** Imperforate block of four showing full BABN plate imprint (Boggs Type IV) in right margin, overall "blanket" of small defacement dashes; top pair with horizontal crease, otherwise VF, a rare positional proof block; ex. "Lindemann" collection, Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 84) **Est. 750.00+**



- 575 ★ **36iii, 1890s 2c Deep Green (Ottawa Printing) on Yellowish Horizontal Wove Paper** A superb mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at left and large margins on other sides, very lightly hinged (appears NH at first glance), XF **900.00+**
- 576 ★ **36ii, 1891 2c Deep Blue Green (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A remarkable mint corner margin single, well centered with unusually wide margins, amazing deep rich colour - unlike any other shades of this stamp, full original gum, lightly hinged almost confined to sheet margin. A wonderful stamp, XF LH GEM; ex. George Arfken (October 1990; Lot 447) **Est. 200.00+**



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- 577 ★ **36i variety, 1892-1893 2c Yellow Green (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A remarkable mint example in a distinctive shade, very well centered with enormous margins and full pristine original gum; a beautiful stamp in premium quality, XF NH JUMBO **300.00+**
- 578 ★ **36i, 1894-1895 2c Bright Green (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A post office fresh mint example, very well centered and in a beautiful bright shade, VF+ NH **300.00+**



- 579 P 37, 3c **Small Queen** Trial colour plate proof printed in black on card mounted india paper, strong colour and bold impression, large margins all around; small mounting mark on back. An underrated proof – very rare in this colour, VF; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 750.00+**



- 580 P 37, 3c **Rose Red** A wonderful plate proof block of four with exceptional colour characteristic of an early printing, on card mounted india paper with huge margins all around; rarely seen in a block, VF; ex. "Scenic" Collection (Sam Nickle) (November 1982; Lot 2177), Bill Simpson (Part I, March 1996; Lot 171), Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 122) **4,000.00**



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- 581 ★ 37a, 1871-1872 3c **Rose Red (First Ottawa Printing)**, Perf 11.85 An attractive mint block, right pair is very well centered, light horizontal crease at top, brilliant colour and large part white original gum characteristic of this early printing, F-VF OG (Unitrade cat. \$2,100) ex. Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 156) **Est. 600.00+**
- 582 ★ 37iii, 1877 3c **Dull Orange Red (Montreal Printing)**, Perf 11½x12 A beautiful mint block with exceptional colour and clear impression on fresh white wove paper, with remarkably full, dull white streaky original gum, very lightly hinged (LR stamp NH). A very scarce and desirable multiple of this early printing, Fine+ **Est. 500.00+**



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- 583 ★ **37 shade, 1886 3c Pale Orange Red (Montreal Printing), Perf 12** A fabulous mint single displaying printed in a remarkable and very distinctive shade, the impression, paper and original gum are typical of 1880s printings, well centered within large margins and possessing full unblemished original gum; a great stamp, VF+ NH JUMBO **750.00+**
- 584 ★ **37 shade, Late 1880s 3c Orange Vermilion (Montreal Printing), Perf 12** A precisely centered mint single with bright colour and clear impression on white horizontal mesh paper, full yellowish original gum associated with late Montreal printings; a lovely shade in choice condition, VF+ NH (Unitrade 37 shade) **750.00+**



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- 585 ★ **41, 1894 3c Orange Vermilion (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A remarkable mint single with superior centering amidst enormous margins, vivid colour on fresh paper and full pristine original gum. A visually striking stamp, XF NH JUMBO; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **270.00+**
- 586 ★ **41, 1890s 3c Bright Vermilion (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A choice mint single, well centered with large margins, vivid colour and full original gum, VF+ NH; 1985 Greene Foundation cert. **270.00+**
- 587 ★ **41 shade, 1897 (circa.) 3c Deep Vermilion (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A well centered mint single with four large margins, printed in a deeper shade with aniline ink effect visible from the back associated with last printing of this value, VF+ NH **270.00**



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- 588 ★ **42, Mid-1890s 5c Grey (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A superb margined mint single, very well centered with rich colour and full original gum; visually striking, VF+ NH JUMBO **900.00**
- 589 ★ **42a, 1890s 5c Grey (Ottawa Printing)** Imperforate pair with mostly large margins and bright colour, ungummed as issued, VF **900.00**



- 590 ★ 43, 1893-1895 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 Mint top plate imprint strip of ten with full BABN imprint (Boggs Type IV) and plate "A" letter at centre, "SIX CENTS" counter and reversed "R" indicating final re-entered stage of the plate, split at centre and strengthened by hinges, the other eight stamps are NH. A very scarce and most attractive plate strip, Fine+ **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 591 ★ 43, 1893-1895 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 Mint corner block of ten, well centered and showing left half of BABN imprint (Boggs Type IV), partial separation between third and fourth columns strengthened by a hinge, thin on top left stamp but six stamps are NH including second stamp in top row and entire bottom row; a scarce positional block for the specialist, F-VF (Unitrade cat. \$4,900) **Est. 1,000.00+**

Positions 92, 93 & 95 show **Re-entries** with visible doubling in "POS" (Pos. 93) and "DA POSTAGE" (Pos. 92 & 95).



- 592 ★ 43, 1893-1895 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 A beautiful mint block, well centered with bright colour on fresh paper, full original gum relatively lightly hinged, VF **1,200.00**



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- 593 ★ **43, 1893-1895 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** Lower margin mint single, well centered for this difficult stamp, with attractive deep rich colour and full original gum, VF NH **1,200.00**
- 594 ★ **43, 1893-1895 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** A select mint example with lovely bright colour, well centered within large margins, pristine original gum; VF NH; 1998 Greene Foundation cert. **1,200.00**



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- 595 ★ **43b, 1890s 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing)** A bright fresh mint imperforate pair with full original gum, VF VLH **750.00**
- 596 ★ **43b, 1890s 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing) on White Horizontal Wove Paper** A choice imperforate pair with large margins, fabulous colour and deep impression, ungummed as issued, XF **750.00**

**A PREMIUM MINT EXAMPLE
OF THE ELUSIVE TEN CENT FIRST PRINTING**



- 597 ★ **40e, 1875 10c Pale Milky Pink (Montreal Printing), Perf 11½x12** A most attractive mint example of this very challenging shade - a very early printing only a few months after issue in November 1874. Nicely centered with large margins and displaying the distinctive, brilliant colour on pristine fresh paper, and large part characteristic dull, streaky white original gum. A true condition rarity and a great stamp for an advanced collection, VF OG **4,000.00**

Provenance: Ted Nixon, March 2012; Lot 297
Daniel Cantor, November 2015; Lot 207



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- 598 ★ **40e, 1874 10c Pale Milky Rose Lilac (Montreal Printing), Perf 11½x12** A quite well centered unused single, large margined, expertly regummed, displaying the true bright colour and impression of this first printing. Ideal for the collector seeing great looking stamps without paying the substantial premium for gum, F-VF; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade \$2,750 for mint) **Est. 500.00+**
- 599 ★ **40c, 1875 10c Dull Rose Lilac (Montreal Printing), Perf 11½x12** An unusually select mint example of this difficult stamp, well centered and displaying true post office fresh colour as well as a large portion of its dull, white streaky original gum, vastly superior to what we are accustomed to seeing, VF OG **2,400.00**



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- 600 ★ **45a, 1893-1895 10c Rose Carmine (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** An outstanding, unusually well centered and fresh mint imprint block of eight, lovely distinctive colour and showing the full BABN imprint (Boggs Type V) in the right sheet margin, a few split perfs and minor creases entirely confined to selvage, all stamps are sound. A visually striking and beautiful plate multiple, VF OG (Cat. \$6,400 as stamps only) **Est. 3,000.00+**
- 601 ★ **45, 1897 10c Brown Red (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12** An impressive mint example in the true shade of the last printing, exceptionally rich colour, precise centering with large margins, full original gum; a premium stamp, XF LH; 2017 Greene Foundation cert. *ex. Bill Simpson (Part III, October 1996; Lot 1633)* **900.00+**
- 602 ★ **45c, 1890s 10c Brown Red (Ottawa Printing)** A bright fresh mint imperforate pair with large margins, ungummed, VF **750.00**



- 603 E 12½c Small Queen** Engraved Large Die Essay, printed in black on india paper measuring 35 x 54mm, displaying several guidelines around the design. A beautiful essay of this unissued denomination in excellent condition and exceptional in all respects, XF (Minuse & Pratt E-1a) *ex. Fred Jarrett (March 1960; Lot 365)* **Est. 7,500.00+**

A MAGNIFICENT DIE ESSAY, VERY RARELY SEEN IN SUCH LARGE SIZE. MANY OF THE SURVIVING EXAMPLES ARE STAMP SIZE.



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- 604 E 12½c Queen Victoria** Engraved Die Essay in bright blue on thin hard wove paper measuring 24 x 31mm; likely prepared to emulate the colour of the preceding 12½c Large Queen, an exceptional proof, VF (Minuse & Pratt E-1a unlisted paper and colour) **Est. 6,000.00+**

We are aware of only one similar coloured die proof on thin wove paper, illustrated in Hillson and Nixon "Canada's Postage Stamps of the Small Queen Era 1870-1897" on page 29; *ex. Cantor, Brigham*. It was sold in our November 2018 sale; Lot 808. We have also seen two 12½c in dark blue on india paper, both small size die proofs, one has hint of toning and other (*ex. Gerald Firth, Simpson*) has a hole almost clear of design at top left.

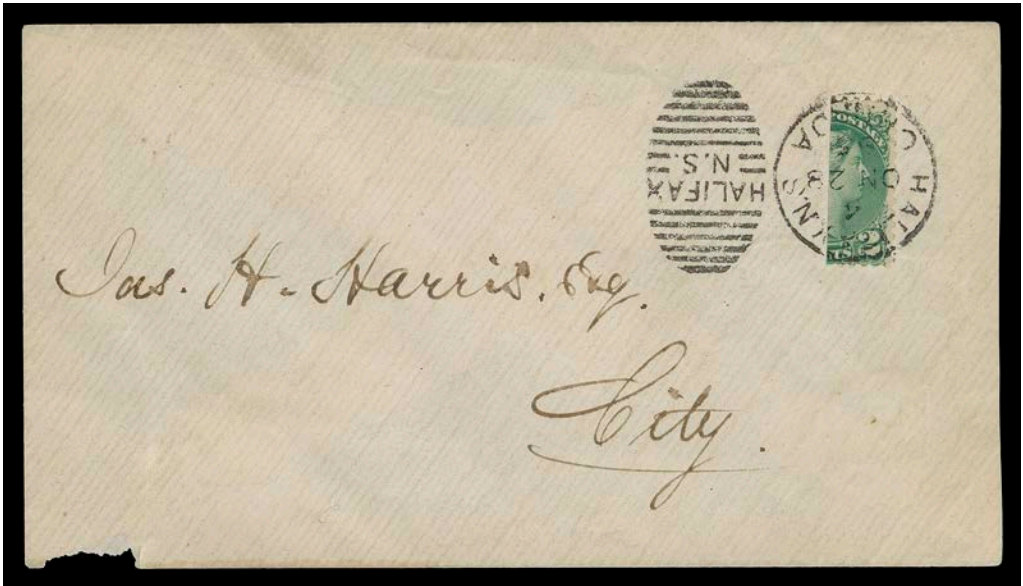
- 605 E 15c Small Queen** Engraved Die Essay printed in green on india paper 27 x 30mm, inconsequential thinning on reverse which is a natural trait of this paper. A desirable and fresh example of this remarkable essay, an unissued Small Queen denomination, VF (Minuse & Pratt E-1a) **Est. 3,500.00+**

A STRIKING DIE ESSAY ORIGINALLY INTENDED TO REPLACE THE THEN CURRENT FIFTEEN CENT LARGE QUEEN. HOWEVER, THE LARGE QUEEN CONTINUED TO BE PRINTED AND SOLD AT POST OFFICES WELL INTO THE 1890s.

SMALL QUEEN POSTAL HISTORY



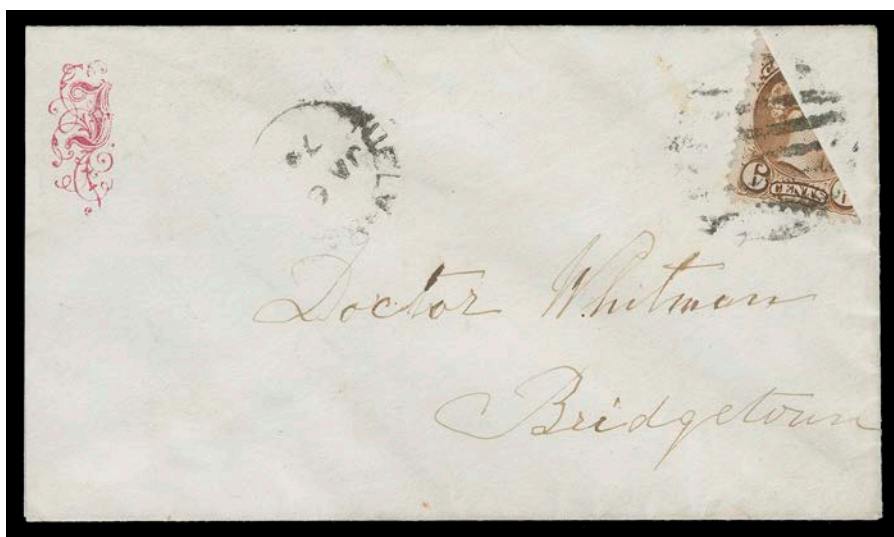
- 606 ✉ **1c rate** 1879 (April 14) Red orange envelope sent unsealed from River John, Nova Scotia to Tatamagouche, bearing a diagonal bisect of the 2c green (Montreal printing) perf 12, nicely tied by oval grid, mostly legible River John split ring dispatch at left; pays the domestic printed matter rate of 1 cent (per four ounces). Envelope has overall minor wrinkling in no way touching the bisected stamp. A rare printed matter franking, only a few such usages exist, especially prior to 1880; pencil signed by expert Sergio Sismondo, VF (Unitrade 36b; catalogue value \$3,000) **Est. 1,250.00+**



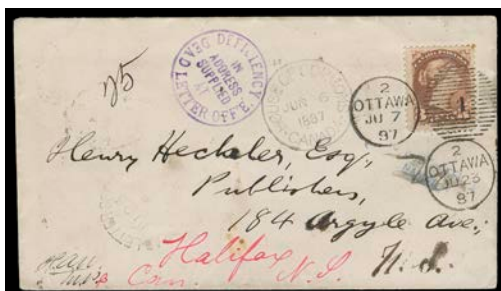
- 607 ✉ **1c rate** 1885 (November 28) Envelope franked with a vertically bisected 2c green, Montreal printing perf 12, neatly tied by the datestamp of a Halifax duplex; pays the 1c local drop letter rate; small cover fault at left, otherwise a clean example of the elusive bisect of the 2c Small Queen, which at the time was unauthorized but tolerated by the post office, F-VF; 1979 RPS of London cert. (Unitrade 36c; cat. \$3,000) **Est. 750.00+**



- 608 ☒ **3c rate** 1870 (April 1) Cover franked with the elusive **3c copper red, First Ottawa printing perf 12½**, small fault at lower left corner, tied by two-ring numeral cancel, St. John NB AP 1 70 CDS dispatch, sent to Miramichi and backstamped with Newcastle AP 4 1870 double arc on arrival, Fine; 2002 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 37d) **Est. 500.00+**



- 609 ☒ **3c rate** 1874 (January 6) A beautiful small white cover mailed internally in Nova Scotia from Niely Road to Bridgetown, bearing a well centered diagonal bisect of the 6c yellow brown, Montreal printing perf 11½x12, tied by a light circular grid cancellation, partial Niely Road JA 6 74 split ring dispatch at left; on reverse partially legible next-day Bridgetown receiver; envelope slightly reduced at left. An **unusually choice example of the very scarce bisected 6 cent** to pay the 3 cent domestic letter rate - the practice of bisecting stamps was still tolerated in Nova Scotia even after joining Confederation in 1867, VF (Unitrade 39a; catalogue value \$5,000) **Est. 2,500.00+**
- 610 ☒ **3c rate** 1887 (June 7) Envelope with embossed crest on back postmarked House of Commons Canada in black (Davis CP-25) with 3c orange red Small Queen, oxidized colour but large margined and neatly tied by Ottawa duplex, missent to New York with (JUN 10) arrival, returned to Ottawa Dead Letter Office (JU 23); unusual Deficiency in Address Supplied at DLO handstamp, then sent to Halifax with receiver backstamp. A neat DLO official cover, VF *Illustrated on Page 179* **Est. 200.00+**
- 611 ☒ **3c rate** 1897 (April 23) Diamond Jubilee Celebration, Berlin Ont. illustrated advertising cover franked with well centered 3c bright vermillion, Ottawa printing perf 12, tied by clear Berlin, Ont CDS to Amherst-burg, Ontario with next-day receiver backstamp, VF and attractive (Unitrade 41) *Illustrated on Page 179* **Est. 200.00+**



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- 612 ☒ **5c rate** 1872 (November 25) Orange cover registered from Smith's Falls, U.C. to Toronto, bearing 1st Ottawa 2c emerald green and 3c rose red, tied by fairly clear four-ring '44' numeral cancellations, Smith's Falls double arc dispatch at left, REGISTERED straightline, next-day Toronto CDS receiver on back; horizontal fold among bottom edge and portion of backflap missing, a beautiful 4-ring numeral cancelled cover, paying 3c domestic letter rate + 2c registration fee, VF (Unitrade 36 early printing, 37a) **Est. 200.00+**
- 613 ☒ **6c rate** 1871 (September 14) Yellow cover from Norwich, Ont. to Cedarville, NY bearing a large margined pair 3c deep rose, First Ottawa printing (colour very similar to thick soft paper variety) tied by Norwich SP 14 1871 double arc dispatch; right stamp shows an **unusual plate flaw visible above "N" of "CENTS" and running through Queen's neck**, an interesting variety that shows prominently, VF (Unitrade 37a shade + variety) **Est. 150.00+**



- 614 ☒ **10c rate** 1896 (January 29) 2c Green postal envelope uprated with a four-colour franking - Ottawa printing perf 12 1c yellow, 2c green, 3c bright vermillion and 1/2c black gutter margin strip of four, all tied by clear Berlin, Ont. postmarks, oval "R" registration handstamp; backflap torn and sealed with piece of adhesive, RPO transits along with Cleveland Registered JAN 31 1896 boxed receiver. A visually appealing franking paying the double letter rate (overpaid 2c) plus 5c registration to the US; few covers bearing a half cent gutter strip exist, F-VF (Unitrade 34iii, 35, 36i, 41, EN9) **Est. 500.00+**



- 615 ☒ **10c rate 1876** (November 24) An attractive, clean cover from Fingal, Ontario to Menton, **France**; slightly reduced at right, bearing Montreal printing perf 11½x12 2c green and a 3c red strip of three cancelled by neat manuscript, light split ring dispatch at left, strip tied by London Paid 11 DE 76 CDS red transit, crayon "3" denoting 3d British Claim; Menton 12 DEC arrival. **Then forwarded across the border to San Remo, Italy** with next-day backstamp; free of charge according to UPU postal regulations as both countries had joined on January 1st, 1876. Postage to France was to 10c per half ounce January 1876 effective to August 1, 1878 when Canada joined the UPU. An unusual franking overpaying by one cent the short-lived pre-UPU 10 cent rate and forwarded without postage due to newly adopted regulations between France and Italy, F-VF (Unitrade 36e, 37e) ex. *Michael Rixon* (November 2001; Lot 195) **Est. 600.00+**



- 616 ☒ **10c rate 1876** (December 7) Envelope from St. Thomas, Ontario to Menton, **France** bearing pair of 5c olive green Montreal printing perf 12, one with negligible perf flaw, nicely tied by St. Thomas duplex, portion of London PAID ties stamp at top left, Calais 21 DEC 76 transit on front along with Menton 22 DEC arrival CDS on back. **Redirected** across the border **to San Remo, Italy** with next day CDS on reverse. A nice 10 cent pre-UPU cover to France, remailed to Italy without postage due based on newly adopted UPU regulations between France and Italy, VF (Unitrade 38) ex. *Bill Simpson* (Part II, May 1996; Lot 180) **Est. 750.00+**



- 617 ☒ **10c rate** 1896 (June 3) Clean registered cover to **Switzerland** with single-franking 10c pink Ottawa printing, nicely centered with brilliant fresh colour, tied by centrally struck Yorkville dispatch CDS, oval "R" registered handstamp at left, oval Registered London 13 JU 96 transit in red; on reverse Lausanne 14.VI.96 receiver CDS. A beautiful registered cover to Switzerland with a desirable 10 cent single franking, VF (Unitrade 45b) **Est. 500.00+**



- 618 ☒ **11c rate** 1898 (May 30) Registered cover with circular **House of Commons** / Canada MAY 30 1898 (Davis CP-27i) dispatch and handstamp signature at left, OTTAWA / R.G. MAY 30 98 CDS and oval "R" registration handstamp, Windsor and Detroit MAY 31 backstamps. Handled as unofficial correspondence so postage was required with 10c salmon pink, Ottawa printing perf 12 and 1c Jubilee, neatly tied by "C" in double circle (Lacelle 334) denoting government mail that could not be "free franked". An impressive mixed-issue "free frank" cover paying double weight (6c) plus 5c registration to the US, VF (Unitrade 45b, 51) **Est. 350.00+**



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- 619 ☒ **15c rate** 1882 (December 26) A beautiful cover endorsed "Via San Francisco" franked with single and horizontal strip of four 3c orange red, Montreal printings perf 12, tied by clear Halifax duplex datestamps to **Melbourne, Victoria State** (Australia), red crayon "45ctm" accountancy marking interprets to 9 cent credit to US, clear Windsor DE 30, San Francisco JAN 5 and Melbourne FE 12 83 receiver backstamps; envelope with couple light folds, one lightly touching third stamp in the strip, nevertheless a great cover paying the non-UPU letter rate of 15c via the United States, VF (Unitrade 37) **Est. 750.00+**

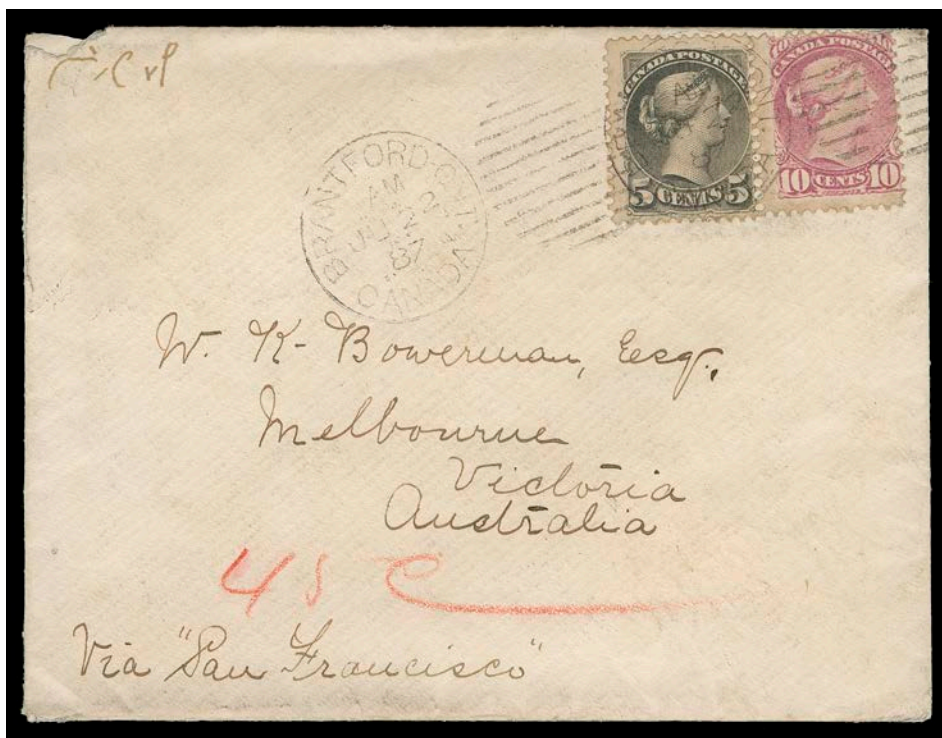
Provenance: "Midland", January 2004; Lot 468

S.J. Menich, June 2000; Lot 87

George Arfken, May 1997; Lot 1001

- 620 ☒ **15c rate** 1885 (December 14) Cover from Brantford, Ont. to **Sydney, New South Wales** bearing 3c orange red strip of five Montreal printing perf 12, tied by clear dispatch duplex, via Windsor DE 14, San Francisco DEC 21 & DEC 29, arriving in Sydney JA 23; red crayon "45ctm" denotes 45 centimes or 9c credit to US. **Redirected to Melbourne, Victoria State** with "2d" manuscript fee, Melbourne JA 25 receiver. Portion of backflap missing and some edge flaws affecting second stamp; a very scarce 15c non-UPU letter rate to the Australian Colonies, Fine (Unitrade 37) ex. *Michael Rixon (November 2001; Lot 213)* **Est. 500.00+**

Postage rates to New South Wales and Victoria via the US were 15c per half ounce from April 1879 to October 1882. These Colonies joined the UPU October 1st, 1891; prior to that redirection of letters between them was not free.



- 621 ☒ **15c rate** 1887 (June 22) Envelope endorsed "Via San Francisco" at foot, bearing a 5c dark olive green and a 10c magenta, Montreal printings perf 12, latter with couple perf flaws, tied by Brantford duplex datestamps, addressed to **Melbourne, Victoria State** (Australia), red crayon "45c" accountancy mark equals 9c credit to US, light San Francisco datestamps and Melbourne JL 29 CDS backstamps; small corner fault at top left. An attractive 15c non-UPU letter rate to Australia via the United States, in effect between April 1879 and December 1888, VF (Unitrade 38, 40a) **Est. 1,000.00+**

Provenance: "Midland", January 2004; Lot 481
George Arfken, May 1999; Lot 1007

Only three covers (includes this cover offered here) showing a Ten cent Small Queen stamp have been reported to Victoria State (Australia), all three are rated 15 cent (and also bears a 5 cent stamp).

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WIDOW WEEDS



- 622 P 1869 (circa.) **Widow Weeds Vignette** British American Bank Note Co. engraved vignette of Queen Victoria facing right in her widow weeds, in large oval with decorative ornaments, printed in black on india paper mounted on same-size card 55 x 79mm with "VICTORIA" and BABN Co. Montreal & Ottawa imprints below; a few old mounts on back. A beautiful collateral item that is seldom seen, VF
Est. 500.00+

This vignette (without the imprints) was adopted for the British American Bank Note Company Trade Sample Sheet (consisting of various Large & Small Queen stamps and Second Bill Issues) prepared in 1869.



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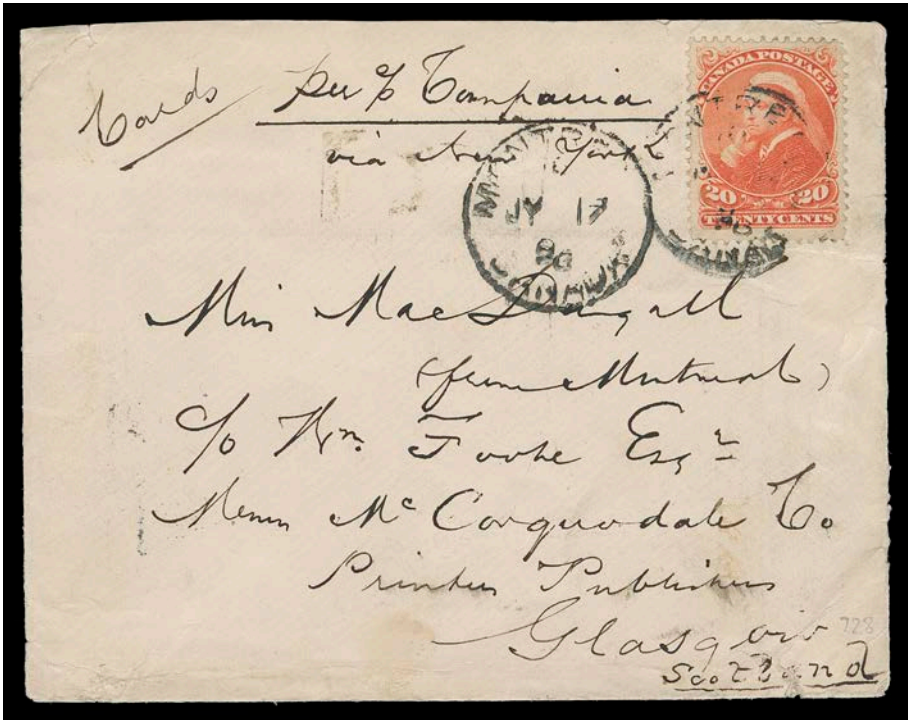
- 623 P 46, 1893 20c **Vermilion** An exceptionally choice plate proof single in the issued colour, surrounded by enormous margins, XF
Est. 500.00+
- 624 P 47, 1893 50c **Blue** Plate proof block of four in the distinctive bright shade of blue associated with this proof, on card mounted india paper with sheet margin at right; 10mm scissor cut between lower pair, rarely seen proof block, VF
2,400.00



- 625 ★ 46-47, 1893 20c & 50c Widow Weeds Nicely centered mint singles with SPECIMEN (15mm long) handstamp in violet, similar to that applied to the 1897 Diamond Jubilee high values, large part original gum; a very elusive duo, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 626 ★ 47a, 1893 50c Deep Violet Blue Widow Weeds Mint imperforate pair with part sheet margin at left, characteristic deep colour, nicer than normally seen, VF hinged **1,800.00**



- 627 ☒ 1896 (July 17) Cover endorsed "Cards" and addressed to "McCorquodale Printer Publishers" in Glasgow, Scotland (at the time one of the largest printing companies in the UK), franked with a well centered 20c orange Widow Weeds tied by light Montreal CDS, additional clearer strike left, Glasgow JY 25 96 receiver backstamp; cover with small tear at right and minor wrinkles away from stamp, suggesting heavy content it originally carried, **paid the correct quadruple UPU letter rate of 20 cent to the UK**, F-VF and rare thus (Unitrade 46) **Est. 1,000.00+**

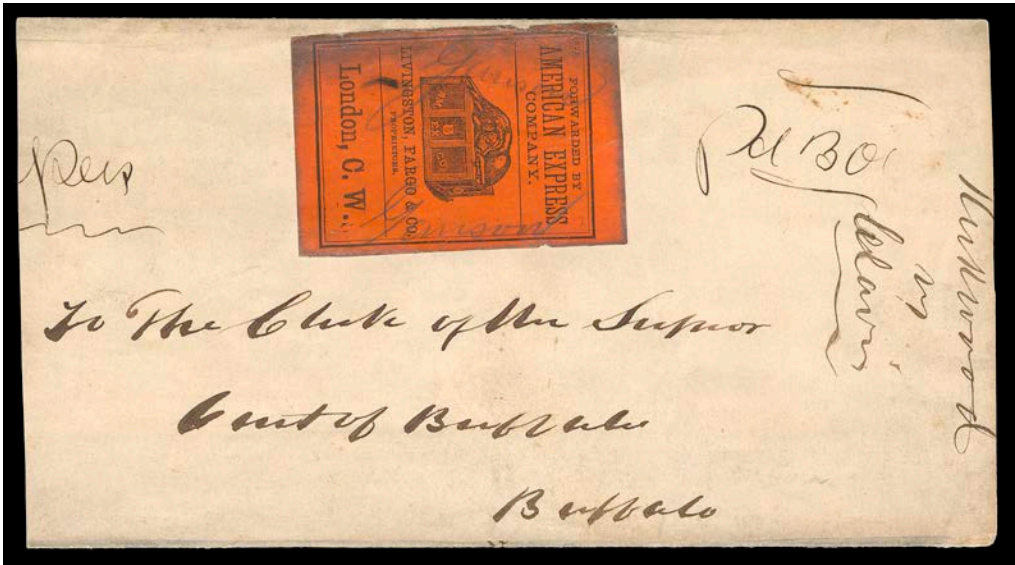


- 628 ☒ 1896 (November 2) Cover with a very scarce single-franking of the 20c Widow Weeds, tied by superb Sydney, NS NO 2 96 CDS postmark and sent to Montreal with next-day receiver, small circular "MY NO 3 96" Carrier marking. A beautiful cover, VF; the letter was delivered in one day, quite remarkable considering the distance travelled. (Unitrade 46) **Est. 500.00+**

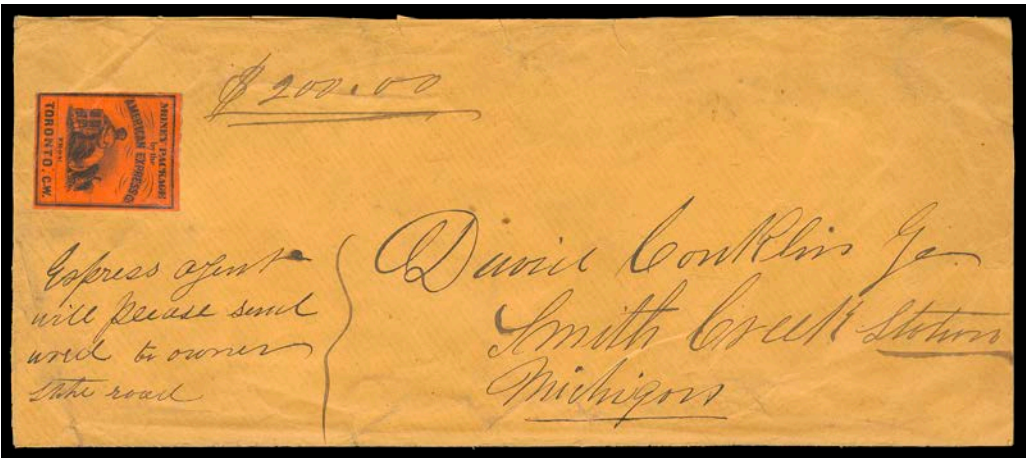


- 629 ☒ 1898 (June 16) Legal envelope from D. McFarlane Solicitor, Truro, NS to London, England, with a rarely encountered single usage of the 50c Widow Weeds, tied by oval "R" registration handstamp, second strike left, Truro dispatch CDS; Halifax & St. John M.C. / W / JU 17 98 RPO, St. John NB JU 17 transit backstamps, oval Registered London 1 JY 98 arrival datestamp in red. Opened on three sides for display, lower backflap reduced with edge faults, which is quite understandable having originally carried heavy legal documents, an impressive ninefold UPU letter rate (45c) plus 5c registration, a Fine appearing and rare cover. (Unitrade 47) **Est. 750.00+**

AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY DELIVERY SERVICE



- 630 ☒ Envelope dispatch from London, C.W. circa. 1864 to The Superior Court of Buffalo, New York; Forwarded by American Express Company, Livingston, Fargo & Co imprint with "Dog guarding a strongbox" illustration in black on red adhesive label of London, C.W. affixed, edge faults at top due to placement, originally contained court papers, a Fine appearing and very rare usage of this express company label. Est. 750.00+



- 631 ☒ Money Package forwarded by the American Express Co. legal size orange cover with red wax seals on reverse, enclosing "\$200" from Toronto to Smith Creek Station, Michigan, circa 1866; "Money Package by the America Express Co" imprint in black with vignette of sealed woman on orange adhesive of Toronto, C.W. affixed at left; understandably cover has light wrinkling, a very scarce express company cover, F-VF Est. 750.00+



1897 DIAMOND JUBILEE



- 632 ★ **50-65, 1897 ½c-\$5 Diamond Jubilee** A beautiful mint set with exceptionally fresh colours; 8c, 15c and \$1 to \$5 are fine centered, other values are well centered. All sixteen with full original gum, NEVER HINGED. A popular and sought-after series, F-VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$16,480)

Est. 3,500.00+



- 633 ★ **50-60, 1897 ½c-50c Diamond Jubilee** Short set of eleven, rich colours and quite well centered, F-VF NH; 50c with 2010 PF cert. (Unitrade cat. \$4,490)

Est. 1,500.00+



- 634 ☒ **1897 (June 22) Large cover** franked with the 1897 Diamond Jubilee ½c to 50c, each tied by superb St. Henri de Montreal postmark (the fourth day of issue); envelope has light vertical crease and couple small edge faults away from the stamps; a colourful cover, F-VF (Unitrade 50-60)

Est. 500.00+



- 638 P 53, 1897 3c **Bright Rose** Large Die Proof in the issued colour printed directly on card, die sinkage area 62 x 63mm on full-size card 226 x 151mm; in superb condition, XF **Est. 1,500.00+**



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- 639 ★ 53, 1897 3c **Bright Rose** An unusually choice mint Plate 29 block of four, LH in ungummed part of selvage, stamps with pristine original gum, VF+ NH **480.00+**
- 640 ★ 53, 1897 3c **Bright Rose** An incredible mint example surrounded by "boardwalk" margins, brilliant fresh colour and full original gum, never hinged. An absolute JUMBO ideal for someone seeking the extraordinary, XF NH **Est. 350.00+**



641 P 55, 1897 6c Yellow Brown Large Die Proof in the issued colour printed directly to card; die sinkage area 64 x 63mm on full-size card 226 x 150mm. A beautiful proof in immaculate condition, XF
Est. 1,500.00+



642 ★ 56, 1897 8c Dark Violet A premium mint example s fresh as the day it was printed, VF NH 600.00



643 ★ 56, 57, 1897 8c Dark Violet & 10c Brown Violet Two amazing mint singles, extremely well centered with superb margins, both with equally impressive deep colour; a wonderful duo for a collector seeking exceptional stamps without paying the substantial premium for NH status, XF VLH GEM
Est. 400.00+



- 644 P 57, 1897 10c Brown Violet Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper 62 x 61mm die sunk on full-size card 226 x 150mm. In immaculate condition, rarely seen, most were printed directly on card, XF **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 645 ★ 57, 1897 10c Brown Violet A precisely centered mint single with brilliant colour and full original gum, VF+ NH **750.00**



- 646 ★ 57i, 1897 10c Brown Violet A remarkable mint single, very well centered within noticeably large margins, shows the elusive **Major Re-entry** (Position 5) with prominent doubling marks in "POSTAGE", "VR", "1837", "1897", among other traits, VF NH JUMBO **1,500.00**



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- 647 ☒ 1897 (October 1) Legal size pre-addressed Economical Mutual Fire Insurance Co. cover mailed from London to Berlin, Ont. franked with 5c & 10c Jubilees tied by light squared circle dispatch; next-day Berlin OC 2 receiver on back. Cover with couple vertical folds and edge wrinkles (quite normal as it paid **five times the domestic letter rate** up to 6 ounces); a very scarce commercial usage franked solely with Jubilee stamps, F-VF (Unitrade 54, 57) **Est. 350.00+**
- 648 ☒ 1898 (August 29) Mixed-issue franked cover mailed registered to **Bolivia**, with 10c Jubilee, 5c Leaf and 1c & 3c Numerals tied by Berlin, Ont. CDS dispatch, oval "R" registered handstamp, sent via New York where a registered label was affixed; on reverse Toronto AU 29 98 and New York double oval 8 - 31 1898 registration transit; a rare Victorian era destination cover, VF (Unitrade 57, 70, 75, 78) **Est. 350.00+**



- 649 **P** 58, 1897 15c Steel Blue Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper 63 x 62mm die sunk on full-size card 227 x 150mm. A beautiful proof and superb in all respects, XF **Est. 1,500.00+**



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- 650 ★ **59-65, 1897 20c-\$5 Diamond Jubilee** The set of seven SPECIMEN handstamp overprints; 50c to \$3 in mixed condition but the \$4 and \$5 are exceptionally nice never hinged examples (Cat. \$3,400 as Fine) **Est. 750.00+**



- 651 ★ **59v, 1897 20c Vermilion** A nicely centered mint single with deep colour, showing the **Re-entry** (Position 37) with visible marks in "POS" of "POSTAGE", faint gum bend. A very scarce variety, VF NH **2,700.00**

- 652 ★ **61-65, 1897 \$1-\$5 Diamond Jubilee** The five dollar values of the set, each with bright fresh colour; \$3 and \$4 regummed, others with full original gum hinged, F-VF (Unitrade 61-65 cat. \$7,150) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 653 ★ **61, 1897 \$1 Lake** A post office fresh mint single, well centered within large margins, exceptionally rich colour on fresh paper, full sheet margin at left, VF+ NH; 2002 PF certificate for a block of four from which this originates. **3,000.00**



- 654 ★ **61, 1897 \$1 Lake** A post office fresh mint single, nicely centered with bright impression and full unblemished original gum; a choice stamp, VF NH **3,000.00**



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- 655 ★ **61, 1897 \$1 Lake** A beautiful mint single, well centered within large margins, exceptional colour and full original gum, relatively lightly hinged, VF **1,000.00**
- 656 ☉ **61, 1897 \$1 Lake** A precisely centered used example with large margins, brilliant fresh colour, and socked-on-nose Montreal CDS postmark, most attractive, XF **1,000.00+**



- 657 P **62, 1897 \$2 Dark Purple** Large Die Proof in the issued colour printed directly to card, die sinkage 66 x 63mm on full-size card 226 x 151mm. Exceptional and highly desirable, XF **Est. 1,500.00+**



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- 658 ★ **62, 1897 \$2 Dark Purple** A beautiful mint single, precisely centered with true rich colour and full original gum, XF LH; 1985 RPS of London cert. **2,000.00**
- 659 ☉ **62, 1897 \$2 Dark Purple** A marvelous used single, superbly centered with remarkably large margins and exceptional colour, clear socked-on-nose Toronto JA 11 98 split ring CDS. A spectacular stamp in all respects, XF GEM **1,200.00+**



- 660 P 63, 1897 \$3 Yellow Bistre Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour directly to card, die sinkage 63 x 62mm on full-size card 225 x 151mm. In pristine condition and very attractive, XF **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 661 ★ 63, 1897 \$3 Yellow Bistre A nicely centered mint single, relatively lightly hinged, VF; 1991 PF cert. **2,000.00**

**A SUPERB MINT NEVER HINGED
FOUR DOLLAR JUBILEE DISPLAYING TRUE COLOUR**



- 662 ★ 64, 1897 \$4 Purple An extraordinary mint single with superb colour and bold impression, well centered with large margins and possessing full immaculate original gum NEVER HINGED. A great stamp in all respects, VF+ NH; 2004 Greene Foundation cert. **6,000.00+**



663 ★ 64, 1897 \$4 Purple A very well centered mint single rich colour, tiny hinge thin but a great looking stamp, VF+ OG 2,000.00



664 ★ 65, 1897 \$5 Olive Green A well centered mint single with deep rich colour and full original gum, VF+ LH; 2002 PF cert. 2,000.00



665 ☉ 65, 1897 \$5 Olive Green An attractive used single with rich colour and partial magenta Winnipeg postmarks, F-VF 1,200.00



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QUEEN VICTORIA LEAF & NUMERAL

THE MASTER DIE & EARLY STAGE PROGRESSIVE DIE PROOFS FOR THE LEAF ISSUE



- 666 P 66, 1897 ½c Queen Victoria Leaf** Progressive Engraved Die Proof - the Master Die printed in violet on thick card, showing the completed central vignette and the top half of the oval frame with "CANADA POSTAGE" imprint. A superb item and a cornerstone for a serious collection of this issue, VF; ex. *BNA Essays, Proofs Sale, Robson Lowe Ltd., June 1963; Lot 151* **Est. 2,500.00+**

AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE MASTER DIE USED FOR ALL VALUES OF THE MAPLE LEAF ISSUE. WE ARE AWARE OF ONLY ONE OTHER EXAMPLE, ALSO IN VIOLET AND OF SIMILAR SIZE.



- 667 P 66, 1897 ½c Queen Victoria Leaf** Progressive Engraved Die Proof printed in violet on card, showing completed central vignette and oval frame with "HALF CENT" denomination now complete and a thin line surrounding the central ovals added. A superb early stage progressive proof, outstanding in all respects and extremely rare, VF; ex. *BNA Essays, Proofs Sale, Robson Lowe Ltd., June 1963; Lot 152* **Est. 2,500.00+**

A FABULOUS UNFINISHED DIE PROOF - AN EARLY STAGE OF THE ISSUED DESIGN. ONLY TWO OTHER SIMILAR EXAMPLES OF THIS PROOF ARE KNOWN TO US.



- 668 P 66P-73P, 68Pi, 1897 ½c-10c Queen Victoria Leaf A selected set of eight large margined plate proof singles in the issued colours on card mounted india paper, includes an extra 2c proof in the dull purple shade, VF 2,100.00



- 669 ★ 66a-73i, 1897 ½c-10c Queen Victoria Leaf A fabulous "hand-picked" set of eight mint imperforate pairs, on vertical wove paper or horizontal wove in the case of the 5c and 8c, deep rich colours and mostly large margins. The key 3 cent and 8 cent pairs are NEVER HINGED. A challenging set to assemble in superior condition, VF-XF 10,550.00



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- 670 ★ **66a, 1897 ½c Black on Vertical Wove Paper** A superb mint imperforate pair surrounded by enormous margins, full original gum. A beautiful pair that really stands out, XF LH GEM **750.00+**
- 671 ★ **67a, 1897 1c Blue Green on Vertical Wove Paper** Full margined mint imperforate pair with fresh colour, VF LH **750.00**
- 672 ★ **68a, 1897 2c Purple on Vertical Wove Paper** Mint imperforate pair with portion of sheet margin at foot, full original gum, VF LH **750.00**



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- 673 P **69, 1897 3c Queen Victoria Leaf** Trial colour die proof printed in slate green, stamp size on thick card (0.013" thick), scarce, VF **Est. 300.00+**
- 674 P **70, 1897 5c Queen Victoria Leaf** Trial colour die proof printed in dark violet, stamp size on card (0.013" thick), very scarce, VF **Est. 350.00+**
- 675 ★ **70i, 1897 5c Bright Blue on Horizontal Wove Paper** A scarce mint imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, VF **600.00**



- 676 ★ **71, 1897 6c Brown** A spectacular mint single with fabulous centering and incredibly large margins virtually unheard of on the Leaf issue, full pristine original gum, never hinged. In all likelihood THE FINEST EXISTING Six cent extant, XF NH JUMBO GEM; ex. "Lindemann" collection **600.00+**



- 677 ★ **72a, 1897 8c Orange on Horizontal Wove Paper** An impressive mint imperforate plate block showing the entire "OTTAWA - No - 1" imprint at top, printed on the distinctive horizontal mesh paper, deep rich colour, tiny natural inclusion near edge at top left of no importance, lightly hinged in selvedge only leaving stamps NH, Very Fine **Est. 4,000.00+**

According to Jephcott and Gates estimates on imperforate issues of the Leaf series, three panes of 100 on vertical (or horizontal) mesh paper were printed for the Eight cent. The plate imprint only shows once per sheet (above Positions 5 & 6) so a mere three imprint blocks can exist.

AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE IMPERFORATE PLATE IMPRINT BLOCK OF THE EIGHT CENT LEAF, DESTINED FOR A WORLD-CLASS COLLECTION.



- 678 ★ **72, 1897 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** A superb mint Plate 1 block of eight, remarkably well centered for such a difficult plate multiple and with brilliant fresh colour, natural gum inclusion on top left stamp and a few split perfs entirely in top margin sensibly strengthened by small hinges, all eight stamps are NEVER HINGED. No doubt among the choicest plate multiples that exist, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$12,000 plus 50% premium for a plate multiple) **Est. 5,000.00+**



- 679 ★ 72ii, 1897 8c Orange on Horizontal Wove Paper A brilliant fresh mint example, nicely centered with radiant colour on the distinctive horizontal mesh paper, full pristine original gum. Considerably scarcer in such choice condition than the standard Eight cent on vertical wove, VF NH **1,500.00**



- 680 ★ 73, 1897 10c Brown Violet on Vertical Wove Paper A brilliant fresh mint example, nicely centered with intact perforations and full unblemished original gum, VF NH **2,400.00**



- 681 ★ 74v, 75vi, 77d, 79ii, 82ii, 83ii, 1898-1899 1/2c/10c Queen Victoria Numeral Six different imperforate pairs ungummed as issued, includes 1/2c, 1c, 2c carmine in the scarcer Die II, 5c, 8c and 10c. All with full to very large margins and bright colours, VF-XF (Unitrade cat. \$5,950) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 682 ★ 74v/81a, 1898-1902 ½c/7c Queen Victoria Numeral Lot of six different imperforate pairs, ungummed as issued, includes ½c, 1c, 2c Die I, 2c Die II, 5c and 7c, VF (Unitrade cat. \$5,100) Est. 1,000.00+



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- 683 ★ 75a, 1898 1c Deep Green on Vertical Wove Paper A choice mint imperforate pair with large even margins, distinctive deeper shade and with large part original gum, VF LH 1,600.00
- 684 ★ 75iii variety, 1898 1c Blue Green Mint block with portion of Plate 6 imprint, each stamp shows a visible to prominent Re-entry in one or both lower corner value tablets or in the numeral "1", small marginal crease at top, stamps are F-VF NH Est. 300.00+
- 685 ★ 76a, 1899 (June) 2c Violet on Yellowish Thick Paper An outstanding mint example of this distinctive printing - colour, paper and impression associated to the elusive paper type (0.005" thick), extremely well centered with uncharacteristic large margins. A great stamp, XF LH JUMBO 250.00+



- 686 ★ 77b, 1900 2c Carmine, Die II on Horizontal Wove Paper A quite well centered mint booklet pane of six with intact tab margin at left, printed on the characteristic horizontal mesh paper; natural disturbance confined to tab margin only which occurred during the binding process, stamps with pristine original gum, much nicer than normally encountered, F-VF NH 2,750.00



- 687 ★ **77d, 1899 2c Carmine, Die II on Vertical Wove Paper** An imperforate block of four of the scarcer die, very attractive with brilliant fresh colour and sheet margin at foot. Multiples are seldom seen, VF
Est. 3,000.00



- 688 ★ **79, 1899 5c Blue on Bluish Paper** A bright fresh mint Plate 2 strip of three showing the full imprint with reversed plate number, not easy to find, Fine+ NH
Est. 350.00+



- 689 ★ **79b, 1899 5c Blue on Whiter Paper** A choice mint example with brilliant colour, well centered; a great stamp, VF+ NH
1,050.00



- 690 ★ **80a, 1898 6c Brown on Vertical Wove Paper** Mint imperforate pair in top-quality, large margined with full pristine original gum; rarely seen in such superb condition, XF NH GEM **3,750.00+**



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- 691 ★ **80a, 1898 6c Brown on Vertical Wove Paper** A selected mint imperforate with large margins, brilliant fresh colour and full original gum, VF LH **1,500.00**
- 692 ★ **81, 1902 7c Olive Bistre** A well centered mint single with deep colour and full pristine original gum, VF NH; 2007 Greene Foundation cert. **900.00**



- 693 ★ **82a, 1898 8c Brown Orange on Vertical Wove Paper** A superior mint imperforate pair with full margins and fabulous colour on fresh paper, possessing full immaculate original gum; as nice as one can hope to find, VF+ NH GEM **3,750.00+**



- 694 ★ **83a, 1898 10c Deep Brown Violet on Vertical Wove Paper** A superb mint imperforate pair surrounded by large even margins, exceptionally fresh with full unblemished original gum; among the very finest existing, XF NH GEM **3,750.00+**



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- 695 ★ **83, 1898 10c Brown Violet** A premium mint single, very well centered with large margins, brilliant colour and sharp impression on fresh paper, VF NH **2,250.00**
- 696 ★ **84, 1900 20c Olive Green** A very well centered mint single of this key value, displaying gorgeous fresh colour and full original gum, tiny gum wrinkle at top left mentioned for the record, VF NH **3,000.00**

IMPERIAL PENNY POSTAGE



- 697 ★ **86a, 86iv, 86v, 1898 2c Map Stamp** Three different imperforate pairs on ungummed wove paper; one in black only in unusually sound condition; the next the rarely seen black and dark blue with the red colour omitted, couple vertical creases; and lastly a select pair in black, red and light blue oceans, VF (Unitrade cat. \$3,450) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 698 ★ **85iii + variety, 1898 2c Map Stamp** A large margined imperforate pair with grey oceans showing a prominent **Major Re-entry** (Plate 1; Position 89) with noticeable doubling in "CANADA POSTAGE", in lower left value tablet and other features, sheet margin at right and ungummed as issued. A great item for the specialist, VF **700.00+**

Arguably the second best Major Re-entry to be found on all issued plates of the Map Stamp - after the well documented Plate 5, Position 91 Major Re-entry.



- 699 ★ **85 proofs, 1898 2c Map Stamp** Set of three imperforate singles on wove paper; in black only, in black and red (rare and unlisted in Unitrade / Scott catalogues), and finally in black, red and deep blue. Fresh colours; a scarce set, VF **Est. 500.00+**

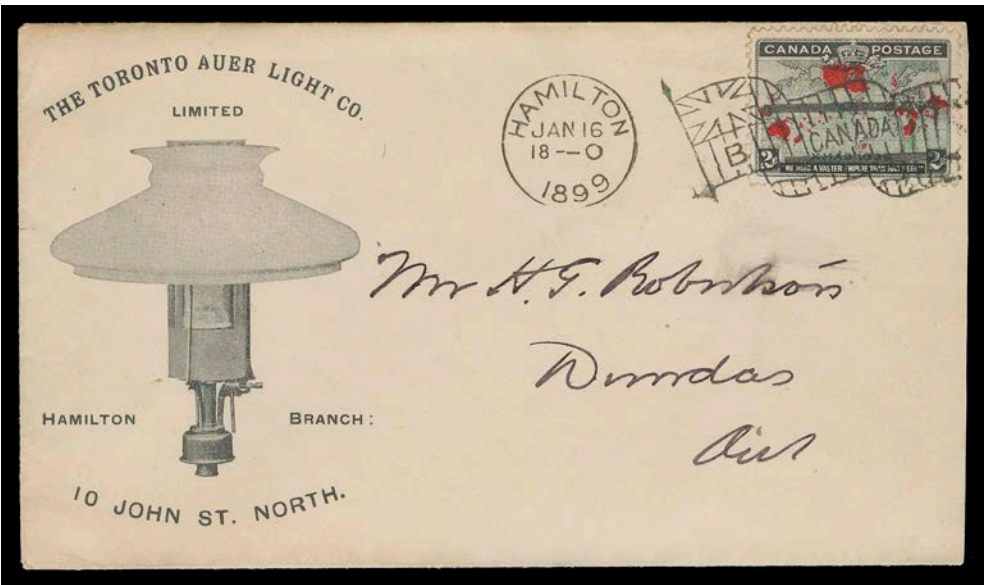


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- 700 ★ **85i, 1898 2c Map Stamp** An extraordinary mint example with grey oceans, surrounded by impressive margins and sporting full unblemished original gum; a record setting stamp, XF NH GEM **180.00+**
- 701 ★ **85, 1898 2c Map Stamp** A premium mint example with lavender oceans, exceptionally fresh, very well centered AMIDST JUMBO margins; superb in all respects, XF NH GEM **180.00+**



- 702 ☒ **1899 (January 16) The Toronto Auer Light Co. Light Fixture illustrated advertising cover** franked with a 2c Map Stamp tied by Hamilton Flag "B" cancellation, same-day Dundas, Ont. squared circle receiver backstamp, VF (Unitrade 86) **Est. 100.00+**



AN INVERTED PROVISIONAL SURCHARGE BLOCK FROM THE FAMOUS DALE-LICHTENSTEIN COLLECTION



- 703 ★ **87i, 1899 2c on 3c Carmine Leaf Provisional Surcharge** A spectacular mint corner block showing the striking INVERTED SURCHARGE, corner gum crease on bottom right stamp, large part original gum. An exceedingly rare multiple, in fact we doubt another block of this error has survived. A fabulous item emanating from the legendary Dale-Lichtenstein collection, Fine OG **4,000.00+**

Expertization: 2019 Greene Foundation certificate

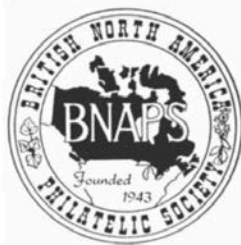
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- 704 ★ 89a, 91a, 92a, 93a, 1903 1c, 5c, 7c, 10c King Edward VII A selected set of four imperforate pairs, all with large margins and true rich colours, ungummed as issued, VF-XF **4,900.00**



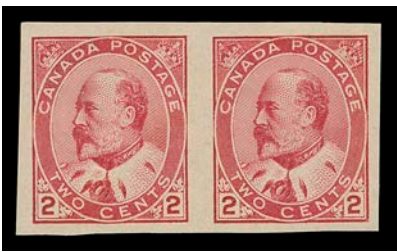
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- 705 ★ 89a, 1903 1c Green A lovely imperforate pair in choice quality, surrounded by large even margins, displaying rich colour on fresh paper, ungummed as issued, XF **900.00**

- 706 ★ 89a, 1903 1c Green A large margined imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, unusually nice, VF+ **900.00**



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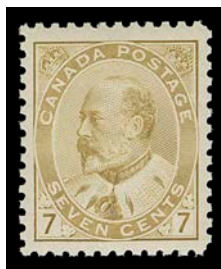
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- 707 ★ 90c, 1903 2c Carmine, Type I Imperforate pair ex Plate 1 in the distinctive deep shade, large margins, ungummed as issued, VF **1,100.00**

- 708 ★ 90e, 1903 2c Carmine on Yellowish Wove Paper, Type I Mint example of this distinctive and **elusive design type** (only from Plate 1 & 2 among the 86 different plates used), well centered with full pristine original gum, VF NH **700.00**



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- 709 ★ **91, 1903 5c Blue on Bluish Paper** A bright fresh mint single, nicely centered with large margins and full original gum; a lovely stamp, VF NH; 2015 Greene Foundation cert. **1,225.00**
- 710 ★ **92iii, 1911 7c Straw** A nicely centered, post office fresh mint single in the distinctive shade of the last printing order, VF+ NH **1,050.00**



- 711 ★ **93i, 1903 10c Dull Lilac** A beautiful post office fresh mint block in the distinctive dull shade and impression, decent centering and with full original gum, Fine+ NH **1,800.00**



- 712 ★ **95, 1908 50c Purple** A very well centered mint example with intact perforations, brilliant colour and sharp impression, light natural gum bend and tiny natural gum inclusion, still a lovely example of this key stamp, VF NH **5,250.00**

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THE UNADOPTED DIE “KING IN CIVILIAN DRESS”



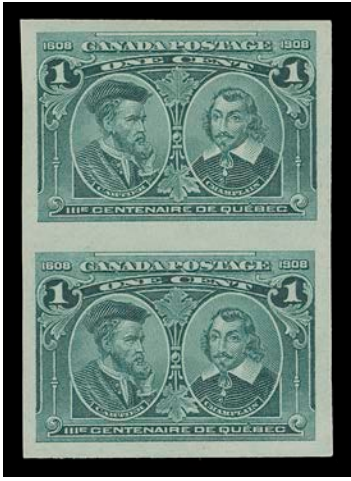
- 713 E 96, 1908 ½c Prince & Princess of Wales, Québec Tercentenary A fabulous Large Die Essay printed in black brown, colour of issue, displaying the "King in Civilian Dress" as opposed to the Military Uniform on the issued stamp. Printed on india paper 75 x 62mm, die sunk on large card measuring 142 x 130mm, showing die "F-192" number and American Bank Note Co. Ottawa imprint below design. An outstanding die essay and of great rarity (about half a dozen are known), XF showpiece. (Minuse & Pratt 96E-Aa) Est. 2,500.00+



- 714 P 96, 103, 1908 ½c & 20c Québec Tercentenary Two stamp size trial colour die proofs in brownish black on india paper; half cent has small shallow thin in margin only. A rare duo, VF Est. 750.00+



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- 715 ★ **96a, 1908 1/2c Black Brown** A premium quality corner margin mint imperforate pair; hinged once and minor diagonal bend in the selvage only. A scarce pair that will also stand out in anyone's collection, VF NH **2,500.00**



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- 716 ★ **97, 1908 1c Green** Superb mint with precise centering and large margins, post office fresh, XF NH GEM **150.00+**
- 717 ★ **97, 1908 1c Green** A post office fresh and very well centered mint single, XF NH **150.00+**
- 718 ★ **97a, 1908 1c Green** A choice mint imperforate pair with bright fresh colour, VF LH **1,000.00**
- 719 ★ **97i, 1908 1c Green with "Hairlines"** An outstanding mint example, precisely centered within four balanced jumbo margins, as fresh as the day it was printed with full immaculate original gum. A superb stamp in all respects, XF NH GEM **180.00+**



- 720 ★ **98a, 1908 2c Carmine** A selected mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at right, in unusually pristine condition which is quite remarkable considering only 50 pairs with gum were issued, a beautiful pair, VF+ NH; 2019 Greene Foundation cert. **2,500.00**



- 721 ★ 99, 1908 5c Blue An astonishing mint single with post office fresh colour, extremely well centered and surrounded by intact perforations and incredibly large margins, full immaculate original gum. A visually striking example in the highest quality attainable, XF NH JUMBO GEM **450.00+**



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- 722 ★ 99ii, 1908 5c Blue Imperforate pair from the so-called first printing, deeper shade, ungummed as issued, VF **1,000.00**



- 723 ★ 100, 1908 7c Olive Green A remarkable mint plate "OTTAWA - No - 1" block of eight, quite well centered; a few insignificant split perfs, lower left and upper right stamps LH, others NH including the key centre plate block of four. A rare plate block in an excellent state of preservation, VF (Unitrade cat. \$6,100) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 724 ★ **100a, 1908 7c Olive Green** A premium quality mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at left and full pristine original gum. One will need to search far and wide to find another pair in similar condition, XF NH; 2019 Greene Foundation cert. **2,500.00+**
- 725 ★ **100i, 1908 7c Olive Green** A superb imperforate pair in the distinctive deeper shade associated with the so-called first printing, full even margins and ungummed as issued, XF
Illustrated on Page 213 **1,000.00**



- 726 ★ **100i, 1908 7c Olive Green** Top sheet margin imperforate pair from the so-called first printing in the deeper shade, ungummed as issued, VF **1,000.00**



- 727 ★ **101, 1908 10c Violet** A beautiful mint block of four, precisely centered with brilliant colour on fresh paper, lightly hinged on top pair, lower pair is NH, VF-XF **2,400.00**
- 728 ★ **101a, 1908 10c Violet** Fresh mint hinged imperforate pair, large margins, VF OG **1,000.00**



- 729 ★ **102, 1908 15c Orange** A magnificent mint example with superb centering and remarkably large margins, faintest of gum bends, full unblemished original gum, XF NH JUMBO; clear 2013 Greene Foundation cert. **1,050.00+**



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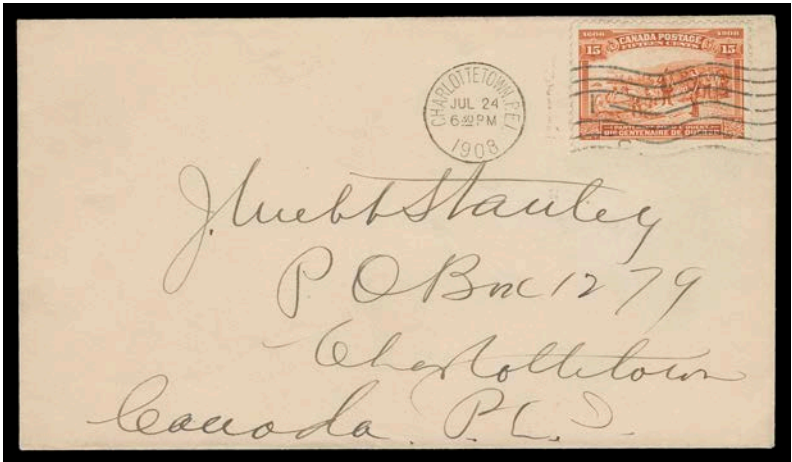


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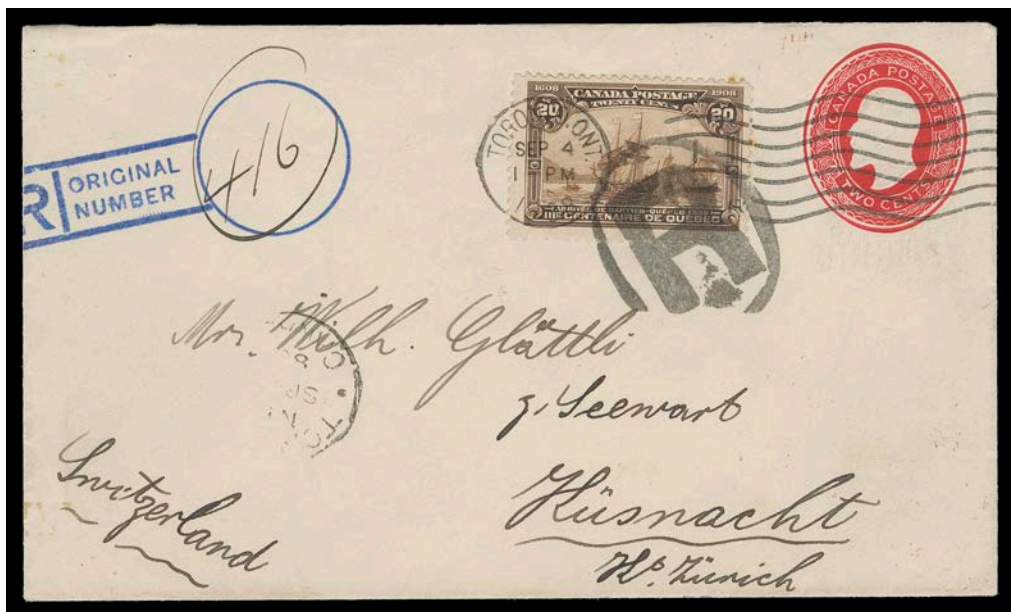


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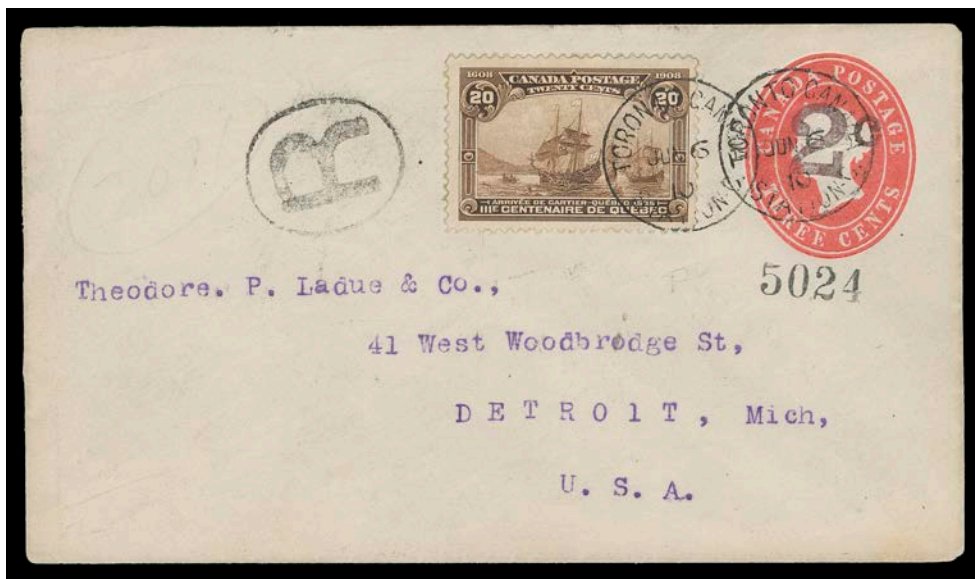
- 730 ★ **102a, 1908 15c Orange** A large margined and unusually choice mint imperforate pair, exceptionally fresh with full pristine original gum, XF NH **2,500.00+**
- 731 ★ **102i, 1908 15c Orange** A mint imperforate pair in the deeper shade from the so-called first printing, ungummed as issued, choice, VF **1,000.00**



- 732 ☒ **1908 (July 24)** Clean cover bearing a single usage of the 15c Québec Tercentenary tied by clear Charlottetown, PEI machine wavy-line datestamp, addressed locally, VF (Unitrade 102) **Est. 300.00+**



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- 733 ★ **103ii, 1908 20c Brown** Mint imperforate pair from the so-called first printing, ungummed as issued, showing the noticeably deeper shade; tiny natural paper inclusion, VF
Illustrated on Page 215 1,000.00
- 734 ☒ 1908 (September 4) 2c red KEVII postal envelope (full-size 152 x 90mm) uprated with 20c Québec tied by Toronto machine wavy-line datestamp and large oval "R" registration handstamp, addressed to Switzerland with British 14 SP transit and Küssnacht (Zurich) 15.IX.08 receiver backstamps. A philatelic franking, still a remarkable usage of the 20c to a Foreign destination, VF (Unitrade 103, EN25)
Est. 500.00+
- 735 ☒ 1910 (June 6) 2c on 3c Red postal envelope (full-size 140 x 80mm) uprated with a well centered 20c Québec Tercentenary and nicely tied by Toronto Station C postmarks, oval "R" registration handstamp at left to Detroit with double circle JUN 7 1910 receiver backstamp; philatelic franking but still an elusive usage of this high value, VF (Unitrade 103, EN18)
Est. 350.00+

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- 736 P 1930 3c Admiral Reversed Design Sample Proofs from Dr. Eckerlin's "Rotary Intaglio Process" as proposed to Mr. H.R. Treadwell, Vice President of American Bank Note Company; four upper right corner blocks printed in red orange, black, greyish blue and bluish green, all four show additional partial stamps at right; a couple small flaws could easily be trimmed off. Original documentation consisting of eleven typewritten pages on the proposal. A fascinating lot of these trial essays that will enhance any advanced Admiral collection, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 737 ★ 1911-1931 1c-\$1 King George V Admiral Issue The complete set of 43 mint NH singles including the basic set of 18, the coils, 1c to 3c imperforates, 1926 provisionals and war tax (ex 1915 overprints). The 5c blue and 10c plum are F-VF and catalogued as such, all others are VF to XF, a wonderful selection "cherry-picked" over the years from many collections. (Unitrade 104-140, 184, MR1-MR2, MR3-MR7 cat. \$8,930) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 738 ★ **104e, 1915-1919 1c Yellow Green** A remarkable mint example, well centered with unusually large margins, brilliant colour and pristine original gum; VF NH JUMBO **120.00+**



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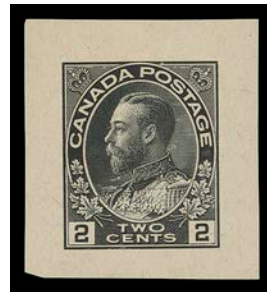


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- 739 ★ **104ii, 1920 1c Dark Yellow Green** Mint block in an attractive darker shade, small thin on upper left stamp, showing remarkable strong, full strength Type C lathework, lower left stamp F-VF LH and lower right Fine NH; a scarce and beautifully fresh block. **1,200.00**



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- 740 P **105, 1920s 1c Admiral** Engraved Small Die Proof (Die I) printed in orange yellow on a distinctive thin horizontal white wove paper 22 x 26mm; very unusual as most of the known die proofs do not show any orange hue and are invariably from Die II on india paper, VF; 1995 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 500.00+**
- 741 ★ **105i, 1920-1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet Printing)** A precisely centered mint block with bright fresh colour and pristine original gum, XF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **480.00+**
- 742 P **106, 1920s 2c Admiral** Engraved Small Trial Colour Die Proof in black on yellowish vertical mesh paper 27 x 30mm; **the Retouched Die** showing strengthening of vertical lines in corner spandrels, appealing and very scarce, VF **Est. 500.00+**



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- 743 ★ **106as, 1913-1917 2c Carmine on Vertical Wove Paper** An incredible mint booklet single, exceptionally well centered with four "boardwalk" margins, XF NH GEM **Est. 100.00+**
- 744 ★ **106c, 1912-1914 2c Rose Carmine** Fabulous mint single displaying precise centering amid remarkable oversized margins, shows portion of plate "No - 6" imprint in top margin, printed in a beautiful distinctive pale shade; a great stamp for the discerning collector, XF NH GEM **120.00+**
- 745 ★ **106iii, 1920 2c Dark Carmine** A remarkable mint example surrounded by huge margins, well centered with rich colour, XF NH GEM **120.00+**
- 746 ★ **108ii, 1920-1921 3c Dark Brown (Wet Printing)** An impressive mint block with unusually strong, full strength Type D inverted lathework, amazing rich colour and full pristine original gum, VF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **1,350.00**



- 747 ★ **108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry Printing)** A well centered mint lower right block of ten from showing impressive, complete, full strength Type D lathework, rich colour; small disturbance spot on bottom centre stamp, upper corner stamps hinged, others NH. A rare and appealing multiple, VF; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade cat. as two VF hinged blocks, one VF NH single with lathework) **3,750.00**



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- 748 ★ **108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry Printing)** A choice, well centered mint single showing complete, full strength Type D lathework, VF+ NH **750.00**
- 749 ★ **108c, 1923 3c Brown (Dry Printing)** A post office fresh mint single, precisely centered with large margins, XF NH **150.00+**
- 750 ★ **109c, 1924 3c Carmine, Die II** An extremely well centered mint single with large margins, XF NH **210.00+**



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- 751 ★ **110, 1922 4c Olive Bistre (Wet Printing)** A superior mint example, well centered with unusually large margins, lovely deep colour and strong impression. A great stamp, XF NH JUMBO **240.00+**
- 752 ★ **110d, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry Printing)** An impressive mint single, well centered with noticeably large margins, bright colour, a lovely stamp in superior quality, XF NH **240.00+**
- 753 ★ **110d, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry Printing)** A post office fresh mint single with deep shade, very well centered with full immaculate original gum, XF NH **240.00+**



- 754 ★ **111 shade, 1913 (circa.) 5c Dark Blue Shade** A noteworthy mint single, nicely centered with very large margins, displaying an unusually deep shade of blue similar to the (first printing) indigo shade. A great stamp for the shade enthusiast, VF NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **900.00+**



- 755 ★ **111, 1915-1917 5c Blue** A superbly centered mint block with amazing bright colour on pristine paper, possessing full unblemished original gum. Choice multiples of the five cent blue are very scarce, XF NH **3,600.00+**



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- 756 ★ **111, 1915-1917 5c Blue** A choice, well centered mint block of four in a brighter shade than normally encountered, small hinge on top pair, lower pair is never hinged, VF **2,400.00**



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- 757 ★ **112i, 1921-1923 5c Grey Violet (Wet Printing)** Fabulous mint single in a lovely early shade extremely well centered with impressive large margins seldom found on wet printings, XF NH **195.00+**
- 758 ★ **112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet Printing)** A superb mint block of four displaying equally impressive centering, colour and full immaculate original gum; as nice as they come, XF NH **600.00+**
- 759 ★ **112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet Printing)** A remarkable mint example on the distinctive thin paper, exceptional centering within unusually large margins all around, with deep rich colour and full pristine original gum; a wonderful stamp in all respects, XF NH GEM **150.00+**



- 760 ★ **112b, 1925 5c Violet (Dry Printing; Redrawn Framelines)** Selected mint imperforate pair displaying full margins and deep colour; an attractive example in sound condition, VF+ hinged **3,000.00**



- 761 ★ **113a, 1913 7c Olive Bistre** Lower right mint Plate "OTTAWA - No - 3" strip of ten with rich colour, well centered, five stamps are NH. A rare plate strip especially desirable in such excellent condition, VF (Unitrade cat. \$2,400 as stamps alone) **Est. 750.00+**

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- 762 ★ **113c, 1914 7c Sage Green** A fabulous mint block of four of this rare and sought-after shade, displaying superior centering, true deep colour and full original gum, minute natural gum inclusion on top left stamp, NEVER HINGED. One of the key shades of the entire Admiral issue and virtually non-existent as a VF NH block; 1995 Greene Foundation certificate. (as old number 113ii and described as "block of four, sage green shade, mint O.G., NH) **12,000.00**



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- 763 ★ **113, 1915-1918 7c Yellow Ochre** Superb mint single with radiant colour, precise centering and full immaculate original gum, XF NH **240.00+**
- 764 ★ **114b, 1924-1925 7c Red Brown (Wet Printing)** A precisely centered mint single with amazing deep colour and pristine original gum, XF NH **135.00+**
- 765 ★ **114, 1925-1926 7c Red Brown (Dry Printing)** A superb mint single, precisely centered with large margins, XF NH **105.00+**



- 766 ★ **114a, 1926 7c Red Brown (Dry Printing - Plate 7)** A full margined mint imperforate pair with bright colour and sharp impression, faint trivial wrinkle and gum glazing on right stamp, otherwise VF LH (Unitrade cat. \$3,000) **Est. 750.00+**



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- 767 ★ **114, 1926 7c Red Brown (Dry Printing)** A post office fresh, well centered mint Plate 8 block of eight, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$840 as singles) **Est. 350.00+**
- 768 ★ **114, 114v, 1925-1926 7c Red Brown (Dry Printing)** A very well centered mint block with brilliant colour, lower left stamp shows **diagonal line in "N" of CENTS** variety (from Plate 8), VF+ NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **765.00**



- 769 ★ **115a, 1925 8c Blue (Dry Printing)** Mint imperforate pair with deep rich colour, overall light gum disturbance but otherwise sound, a scarce pair, VF OG (Unitrade cat. \$3,000) **Est. 750.00+**



- 770 ★ **116, 1920 10c Brown Purple** A premium quality mint strip of four displaying complete Plate 11 imprint, beautifully centered with lovely rich colour, hinged once in selvage only, stamps are VF NH; a very scarce plate strip in such quality. (Unitrade cat. \$4,800 as singles only) **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 771 ★ **116, 1913-1920 10c Brown Purple** An exceptional mint single with equally superb centering amid unusually large margins, deep radiant colour and full immaculate original gum; a wonderful stamp in all respects and destined for the finest collection, XF NH GEM; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. **1,200.00+**



- 772 ★ **116, 1913-1920 Brown Purple** A spectacular mint example of this key Admiral, very well centered within remarkably large margins and displaying lovely bright colour, intact perforations and full original gum that has never been hinged. A wonderful stamp, XF NH JUMBO **1,200.00+**



- 773 ★ **116, 1917 10c Plum** An impressive plate "A7" strip of three, natural straight edge at right with pencil "Mch 31 / 19" date of acquisition by pioneer Admiral issue collector Major White. Left pair with superb **Type A lathework, with printing order number "934 F" visible under** on centre stamp. Unusually well centered with large margins, hinged on left stamp only, right pair is NH. A rare and appealing lathework / plate numbered multiple, ideal for exhibition, VF (Cat. as normal lathework pair) **4,000.00+**



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- 774 ◎ **116, 1917 10c Brown Purple** Well centered used block with full Type A lathework, easily legible **printing order "934F" number under lathework** of right stamp, oval registered JAN 18 1919 cancels in blue. A rare used lathework block of this key value, F-VF; 2020 Greene Foundation cert **2,400.00+**
- 775 ★ **116, 1920 10c Brown Purple** A fresh mint single with radiant colour and showing about 40% strength Type C lathework, F-VF NH **2,500.00**
- 776 ◎ **116, 1920 10c Plum** An attractive, large margined used example showing unusually complete full strength Type C lathework, bright fresh colour and nicely centered, VF and scarce **1,500.00**
- 777 ★ **117ii, 1922-1924 10c Light Blue (Wet Printing)** A choice, very well centered mint example, lovely pastel-like shade, XF NH *Illustrated on Page 226* **240.00+**
- 778 ★ **117a, 1924 10c Blue (Dry Printing)** A well centered mint block showing clear Type D lathework of normal strength, full pristine original gum; a lovely item, VF NH; 2020 Greene cert. *Illustrated on Page 226* **1,500.00**
- 779 ★ **118, 1925 10c Bistre Brown** A very well centered, fresh mint block of four, VF+ NH; 2020 Greene Foundation cert. *Illustrated on Page 226* **720.00**
- 780 ★ **118a, 1925 10c Bistre Brown** A large margined mint imperforate pair, overall light gum toning not affecting appearance, otherwise sound, VF OG (Cat. \$3,000) *Illustrated on Page 226* **750.00+**



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781 P 119, 1911 20c Admiral Large Die Proof printed in olive green, colour of issue, on india paper 55 x 58mm, die sunk on full-size card 228 x 152mm; the hardened die showing die "F-217" and ABNC imprint below design; a beautiful proof in an excellent state of preservation, VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 782 ★ **119c, 1917 20c Dark Olive Green (Wet Printing)** A well centered mint plate A4 lower left horizontal strip of four, three stamps with full Type A lathework with one showing prominent doubling (20mm wide), end stamps LH, centre pair NH. An impressive multiple, VF **4,200.00**



- 783 ★ **119c, 1917 20c Dark Olive Green (Wet Printing)** Mint plate "A4" block of six with natural straight edge and guide arrow at left, right block shows full strength Type A lathework with unusually prominent doubling of the lathework (16mm wide) below lower right stamp; top centre stamp hinged, others NH. An appealing and very scarce plate number lathework piece, F-VF; Unitrade cat. as a block of four with doubling. ex. "Lindemann" collection (private treaty circa. 1997) **2,500.00+**



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- 784 ★ **119iv, 1925 20c Olive Green, Retouched Die (Dry Printing)** A fresh, well centered mint single showing the retouched vertical line in upper right spandrel characteristic of Plate 9, VF NH **540.00**
- 785 ★ **119a, 1925 20c Olive Green (Dry Printing - Plate 9)** A large margined mint imperforate pair, light printing ink adherence on gum side, nevertheless an attractive pair, VF OG (Cat. \$3,000) **Est. 750.00+**



- 786 ★ **120ii, 1923 50c Brown Black (Wet Printing)** A nicely centered mint example of this difficult stamp, post office fresh colour in a deeper shade than normally encountered, full pristine original gum; a beautiful stamp for the shade enthusiast, VF NH **1,050.00**



- 787 ★ **120b, 1925 50c Black Brown (Re-engraved; Dry Printing)** An unusually choice mint imperforate pair, small hinge remnant, XF OG **4,000.00**



- 788 P **122, 1923 \$1 KGV Admiral** Die proof printed in orange, colour of issue, on india paper 54 x 58mm die sunk on slightly larger card 70 x 68mm with clear die "X-G-8" number above stamp design; small tone spot at right and archival adhesive on reverses, an important proof, VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 789 ★ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry Printing) An exceptional mint example, very well centered with uncommonly large margins, deep fresh colour and full immaculate original gum. A superior and visually striking stamp, XF NH GEM **390.00+**

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- 790 ★ 122a, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry Printing) A lovely mint imperforate pair with large margins and deep colour, superior in all aspects and certainly one of the finest existing pairs, XF NH **6,000.00+**



- 791 ★ 125ii, 1912-1913 1c Blue Green, Perf 8 Vertically An unusually well centered mint coil strip of four in a distinctive early shade, seldom encountered in such premium condition, XF NH **500.00+**

- 792 ★ 125iv, 1920 (circa.) 1c Dark Yellow Green, Perf 8 Vertically A superb mint coil single in a beautiful dark rich shade, well centered with noticeably large margins, intact perforations and full pristine original gum. A great stamp that really stands out, XF NH GEM **Est. 150.00+**



- 793 ★ 125v, 1918-1920 1c Yellow Green, Perf 8 Vertically A very well centered mint paste-up coil strip of four in a wonderful shade, VF NH **450.00**



- 794 ★ **126c, 1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet Printing), Part Perforate Coil** Mint block of four imperforate horizontally, brilliant fresh colour and superb centering which is very difficult to find on these, displaying beautiful, full strength Type B lathework. A very scarce multiple in premium quality, VF+ NH **5,250.00+**



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- 795 ★ **130a, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Wet Printing), Part Perforate Coil** An unusually well centered, post office fresh mint pair with intact perforations, characteristic bold colour and impression, full unblemished original gum, VF+ NH **1,875.00**
- 796 ★ **131ii, 1914-1915 1c Blue Green, Perf 12 Horizontally** An extremely well centered mint coil strip of four with large margins, the scarcer early shade, VF+ NH *Illustrated on Page 231* **275.00**
- 797 ★ **135, 1917 3c Fathers of Confederation** An impressive mint single, fresh and superbly centered with uncharacteristically large margins for this issue. A wonderful stamp for the perfectionist, XF NH JUMBO **210.00+**
- 798 ★ **136, 1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet Printing), Imperforate** Mint Plate 179 block of eight with full imprint, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 231* **1,000.00**



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137, 1924 2c Green (Wet Printing), Imperforate Mint Plate 189 block of eight with full imprint, faint hinging in upper corners, stamps are NH, VF (Cat. as hinged)

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138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry Printing), Imperforate Mint Plate 127 block of eight also showing full strength Type D lathework, VF NH

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- 801 ★ **139c, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die II Provisional One-Line Surcharge** A rarely seen mint block of the elusive die, reasonably well centered with large margins, sheet margin at right, lightly hinged on top right stamp, others are NH; very few multiples survive in any condition, F-VF LH / NH; 1991 Greene Foundation cert. **Est. 6,975.00**



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- 802 ★ **139c, v, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die II Provisional One-Line Surcharge** A fresh and quite well centered mint vertical pair of the surcharge ESSAY, characteristic larger font on top stamp and normal surcharge on lower stamp, faintest trace of a hinging at top, lower stamp NH, F-VF **Est. 750.00+**

Interestingly enough this surcharged pair is on the scarcer and much more valuable **Die II** stamps.

- 803 ★ **140a, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I Provisional Two-Line Surcharge** A well centered mint Plate 115 block of eight showing a dramatic DOUBLE SURCHARGE error - two clear side-by-side impressions; light fold vertically at centre, a few split perfs supported by hinges at top right mostly in the margin, six stamps are NH, faint wavy crayon marks not readily visible and perhaps applied by a printing inspector. A highly interesting and striking double surcharge plate block of which very few can exist, VF (Unitrade cat. \$4,900 as singles) **Est. 2,000.00+**

- 804 ★ **140b, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I Provisional Two-Line Surcharge** A fresh, well centered mint single with prominent triple surcharge error, small ink marks on gum side, VF LH

Illustrated on Page 231 350.00

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- 805 ☒ 1914 (April 15) Cover mailed to **Argentina** and forwarded to **France** without penalty according to UPU regulations, bearing a 5c blue tied by Hamilton slogan datestamp, Buenos Aires MY 19 1914 backstamp, F-VF (Unitrade 111) **Est. 150.00+**
- 806 ☒ 1915 (March 8) Clean registered cover to **Canal Zone** with single-franking 7c greenish yellow tied by light oval "R" handstamp, second strike below with Montreal 8 MR 15 CDS, pays the preferred 2c per ounce (in effect until April 14, 1915), plus 5c registration; two different New York transits and Balboa Heights MAR 17 receiver backstamps; a scarce combination of rate and destination, VF (Unitrade 113iv) **Est. 200.00+**



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- 807 ☒ 1916 (March 6) Registered cover to **Jamaica**, showing an unusual franking of pair and strip of three 1c green and a 2c+1c rose red, Die I War Tax, latter with perf fault, all well tied by oval "R" handstamps, Ottawa CDS dispatch at left; neat double oval New York 3-18 & 3-19 transits, Annotto Bay Jamaica MR 28 16 double ring CDS on arrival; pays the 1c War Tax, 2c Empire letter rate and 5c registration, VF (Unitrade MR1, MR3b) **Est. 200.00+**
- 808 ☒ 1917 (July 11) Cover mailed **special delivery to Bahamas**, showing reciprocal rate with Bahamas 5p Special Delivery (of only 600 stamps delivered to Canada as few as 140 were distributed to Toronto for service to the Bahamas) and a 2c+1c carmine War Tax paying the Empire rate, latter tied by Toronto duplex dispatch, the Bahamas stamp tied on arrival with Nassau 15 JUL 17 CDS, another clear strike on back; an elusive cover showing an unusual postal agreement between two countries, VF **Est. 200.00+**

Unitrade MR3 + Bahamas, Scott E1 footnote cat. \$750 for usage on cover mailed from Toronto.

- 809 ☒ 1918 (February 27) **Preferred War Tax rate cover to Cuba**, opened and sealed by censor at right, franked with 1c green and 2c carmine tied by Toronto machine cancel to Santa Fe, Isle of Pines (now Isla de la Juventud), Cuba; on reverse censor handstamps and Isla de Pinos 8 MAR CDS receiver. Pays the preferred rate to US Possessions letter rate of 1c War Tax + 2c per ounce, a very unusual destination, F-VF (Unitrade 104, 106) **Illustrated on Page 234 Est. 100.00+**
- 810 ☒ 1919 (March 15) Cover to **Peru**, opened and sealed by censor, franked with 2c carmine and 3c brown tied by Vancouver slogan, Lima ABR 15 backstamp; pays 5 cent UPU (first ounce) letter rate, a very scarce destination, F-VF (Unitrade 106, 108) **Illustrated on Page 234 Est. 150.00+**



- 815 ☒ 1923 (November 16) Avis de Réception pre-printed yellow card, requested after mailing of registered matter; fee totalled 20 cent for this late-fee service (effective Oct. 1st 1921) **bearing a 10c blue on front tied by Regina CDS and another affixed on back over original datestamp and returned to Regina. A highly unusual and very rare 20 cent fee for delayed request for Acknowledgment of Receipt, VF (Unitrade 117)** **Est. 350.00+**



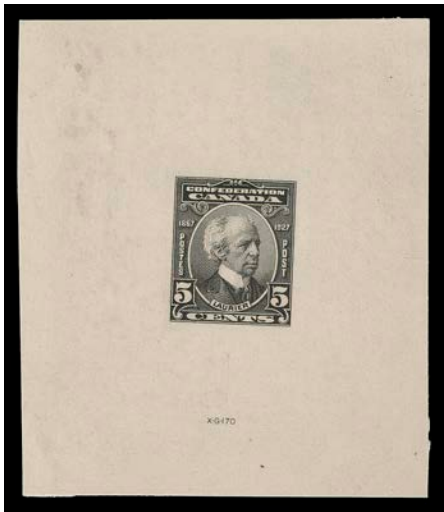
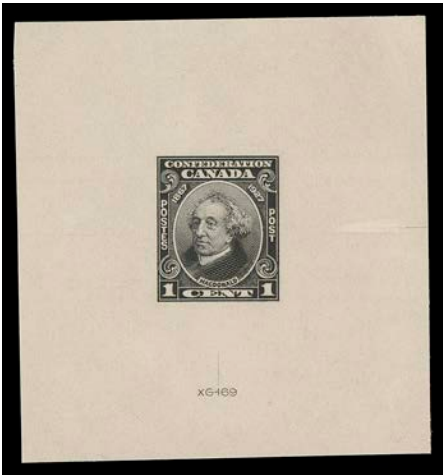
- 816 ☒ 1923 (November 16) Avis de Réception pre-printed yellow card, requested after mailing of registered matter; fee totalled 20 cent for this late-fee service (effective Oct. 1st 1921) **bearing a 10c blue on front tied by Regina CDS and another affixed on back over original datestamp and returned to Regina. A highly unusual and very rare 20 cent fee for delayed request for Acknowledgment of Receipt, VF (Unitrade 117)** **Est. 350.00+**



- 816 ☒ 1925 (April 30) 1c orange KGV envelope uprated with 1c yellow pair, Die I wet printing for War Tax 1c + 2c letter rate to Colonia de la Condesa (**Mexico, D.F.**), Mexico 9 MAY receiver; "Non Réclamée" and "Pointing Hand" return to sender instructional markings along with redirection backstamps via Juarez 23 JUN 25, VF and striking (Unitrade 105, EN34) **Est. 100.00+**
- 817 ☒ 1927 (February 10) Clean cover mailed unsealed to Cap-Haitien, **Haiti** bearing two 1c orange yellow, Die II (dry printing) tied by roller and Montmagny Station duplex for printed circular rate to Haiti, bold Cap Haitien 8 Mars 27 double ring CDS backstamp. Aery scarce non-letter mail cover to Haiti, VF (Unitrade 105d) **Est. 150.00+**
- 818 ☒ 1928 (May 21) Cover from Toronto to Chuquicamata, **Chile** (a famous copper mining town) franked with 2c yellow green strip of four tied by superb Toronto slogan datestamp, corner wrinkle touches one stamp, light Antofagasta transit and Chuquicamata receiver backstamps; pays 8 cent (first ounce) UPU letter rate to Chile effective until June 30, 1930, VF (Unitrade 107iv) **Est. 200.00+**
- 819 ☒ 1928 (August 27) Cover to **Japan** with Chateau Laurier CNR Ottawa coat of arms on back, includes letter handwritten in Japanese, franked with a 1c yellow, Die I, dry printing and two 2c green dry printing tied by Port Hope, Ont duplex datestamps, shortpaid by 3 cent for the current 8 cent UPU letter rate, with UPU circular "T / 19" and Japanese postage due marking, light wrinkling to cover, a scarce and attractive cover to Japan, F-VF (Unitrade 105f, 107e) **Est. 200.00+**



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820 P 141-145, 1927 1c-12c 60th Anniversary of the Confederation An exceedingly rare set of five large die proofs, printed in olive black directly to card (0.0085" thick), each with the respective die number below stamp design. A wonderful set which would certainly quick-start a gold-medal collection of this popular commemorative issue, VF-XF **Est. 7,500.00+**



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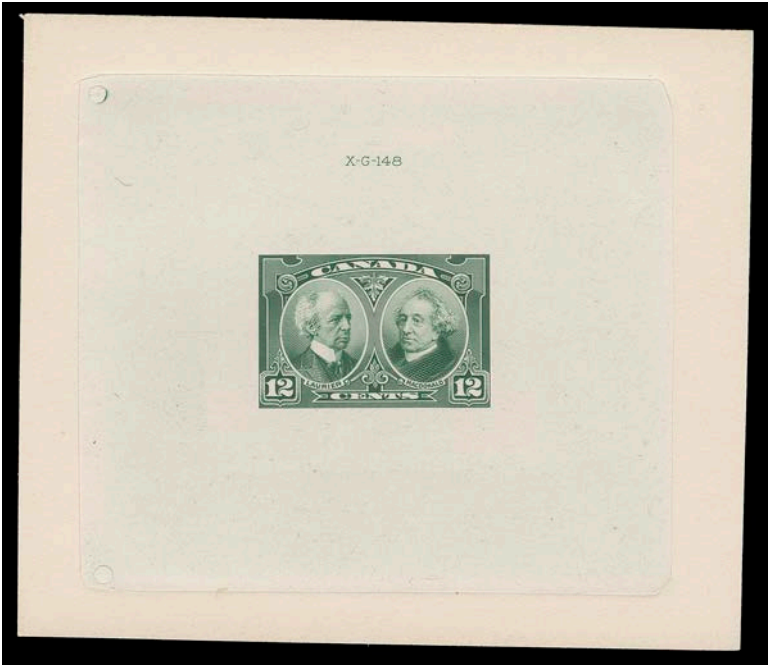


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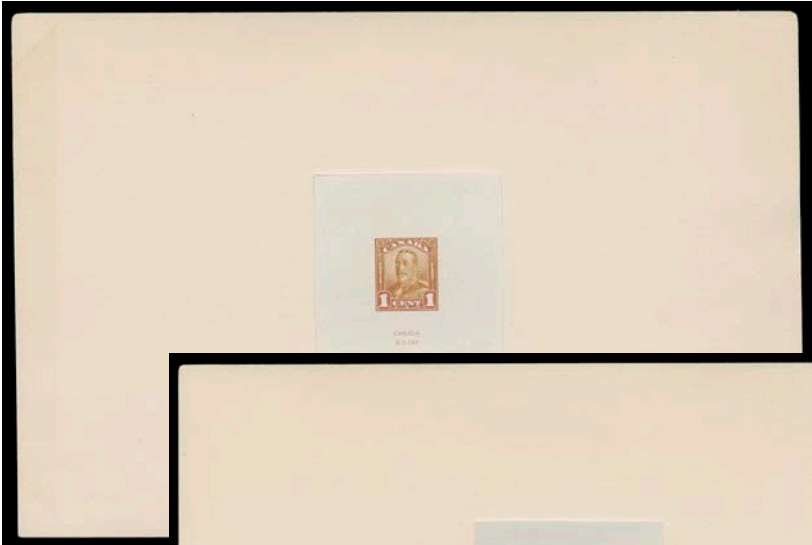
- 821 ★ 141c-145c, 1927 1c-12c 60th Anniversary of Confederation A fresh mint set of five vertical pairs imperforate horizontally, gum creases on the 12c; the 3c and 12c with part plat imprint, otherwise F-VF NH set **1,035.00**
- 822 ★ 141c-145c, 1927 1c-12c 60th Anniversary of Confederation Bright fresh mint set of five vertical pairs, imperforate horizontally, VF VLH **800.00**



- 823 P 146, 1927 5c Thomas D'Arcy McGee Large Die Proof printed in violet, colour of issue, on india paper 76 x 75mm die sunk on larger card 117 x 116mm; the hardened die showing die "XG-147" number above design, brilliant fresh and choice, VF **Est. 400.00+**



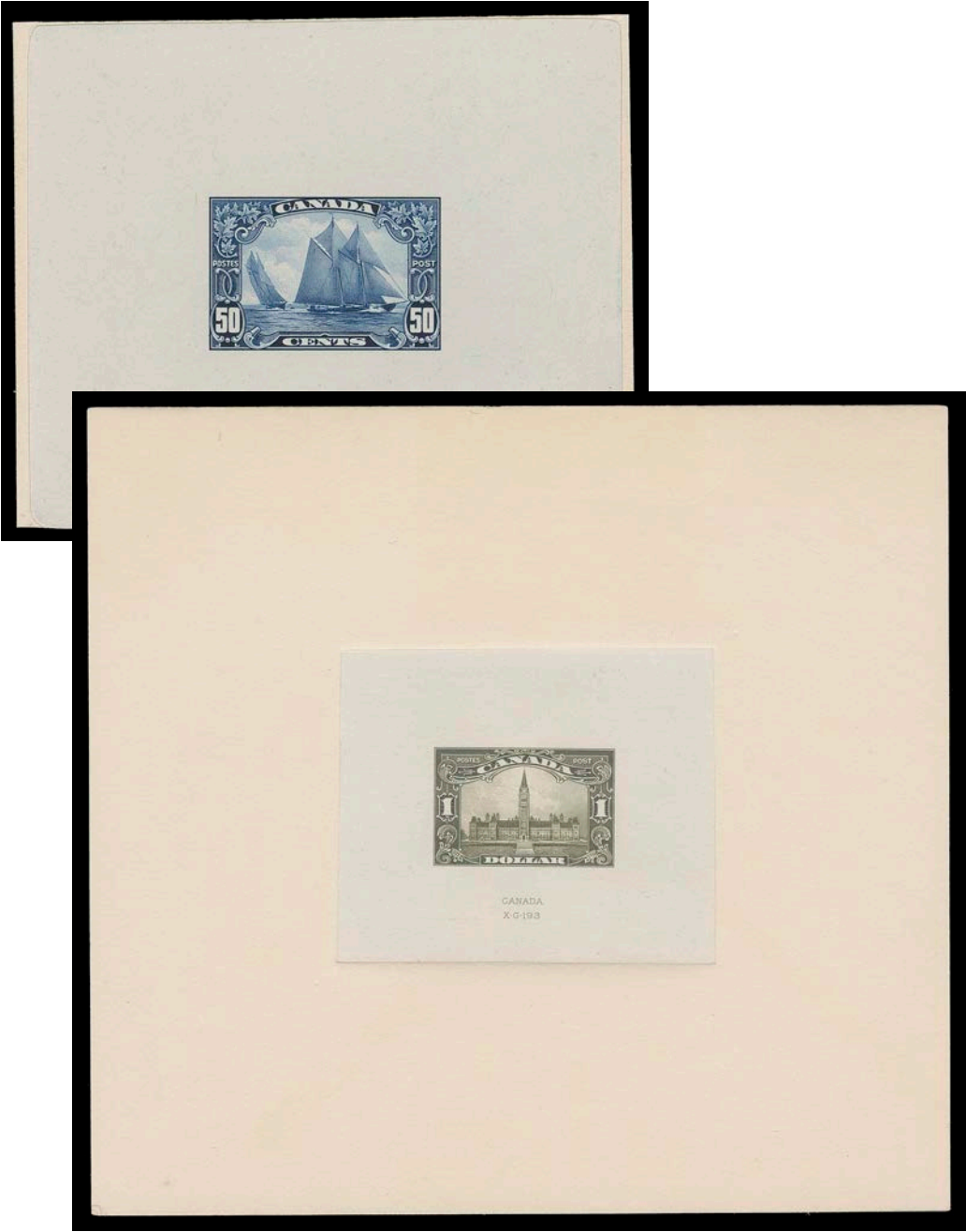
824 P 147, 1927 12c Laurier & Macdonald Large Die Proof printed in green, colour of issue, on india paper 87 x 75mm die sunk on larger card 107 x 92mm; the hardened die showing die "XG-148" number above design. A beautiful proof in pristine condition, VF **Est. 350.00+**



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**KING GEORGE V SCROLL
THE COMPLETE SET OF DIE PROOFS**



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- 825 P 149-159, 1928-1929 1c-\$1 King George V Scroll Issue** The complete set of eleven Large Die Proofs, all in issued colours on india paper and die sunk, the 1c to 8c on large cards, the other values on india paper along or just outside the die sinkage area. Hardened dies with number and imprint on 1c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 8c and \$1, others are from unhardened dies. A desirable and seldom seen complete set of die proofs, VF-XF **Est. 7,500.00+**

Interestingly enough, the Two cent proof was sunk on card in a vertical format, whereas all other values were sunk on a horizontal format large card.



- 826 ★ 149c, 153c, 1929 1c & 5c King George V Scroll Two mint imperforate tête-bêche booklet panes showing the narrow (4.5mm wide) vertical gutter between, the One cent in selected mint NH quality; the Five cent with a light diagonal crease mostly in the gutter margin and some light gum disturbance, VF (Unitrade cat. \$3,375) **Est. 1,000.00+**



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827 ★ 149civ, 150civ, 153civ, 1928 1c, 2c & 5c King George V Scroll The set of three imperforate tête-bêche blocks of eight, wide 17mm vertical gutters between blocks and narrow 3mm horizontal gutters between rows; one cent with tiny natural inclusion. A beautiful set with bright colours, VF NH (Unitrade cat. as blocks of four) 4,500.00



- 828 ★ 149e-159c, 1928-1929 1c-\$1 King George V Scroll The complete set of eleven mint vertical pairs imperforate horizontally; 12c has corner bend, five values are NH including key 50c and \$1, other values LH, VF (Cat. as hinged) **3,550.00**



- 829 ★ 152, 1929 4c Bistre An exceptionally fresh mint Plate 1 block of eight with full imprint, remarkably well centered, VF+ NH **700.00**



- 830 ★ 154b, 1928 8c Blue An exceptionally fresh and choice mint Plate 1 imprint strip of six imperforate vertically, very well centered. A rare part-imperforate plate multiple, XF NH **Est. 750.00+**



- 831 ★ 157, 1929 20c **Harvesting Wheat** An unusually choice, well centered mint Plate 1 block of six, a few split perfs in margin only; much nicer than normally seen, VF+ NH **1,500.00**



- 832 ★ 158, 1929 50c **Bluenose** A post office fresh mint block, a few split perfs, superbly centered with pristine original gum, VF-XF NH **2,800.00**



- 833 ◎ 158iii, 1929 50c **Bluenose** A well centered used block showing the sought-after "Man on the Mast" (Plate 2; Position 58) at upper left; a few separated perfs, lightly cancelled with Toronto Ont. Stn A CDS postmarks. A very scarce block with superior centering, VF+ **2,000.00+**



- 834 158iii, 1929 50c **Bluenose** A very well centered and bright fresh example showing the "**Man on the Mast**" variety (Plate 2; Position 58), light Toronto Stn A CDS postmark well clear of the variety; unusually choice, VF+ 2,000.00+



- 835 1929 (October 2) Montreal to **Buenos Aires, Argentina** first flight cover bearing 50c Bluenose, 20c harvesting and two 5c brown olive airmails tied by OC 2 29 postmarks; Cristobal Canal Zone transit and Buenos Aires OCT 14 arrival CDS, paying 5c UPU postage + 75c airmail surcharge, VF; also a 1929 (Sept. 16) first flight cover to Georgetown, **British Guiana** franked with Scott #151, 152, 154, 157 and C1 (40 cent rate). Est. 350.00+



- 836 1929 (April 30) A beautiful cover sent registered special delivery to the USA, franked with a well centered \$1 Parliament nicely tied by three-ring Winnipeg AP 30 29 CDS, boxed registered handstamp in violet; on reverse two unusual printed labels advertising "1st National Precancel Stamp Exhibition Chicago Illinois" tied by similar Winnipeg CDS. Overpaid but an attractive and rare early usage of this stamp on cover, VF (Unitrade 159) Est. 350.00+

KING GEORGE V ARCH



- 837 ★ 163d, 1931 1c Deep Green, Die II A premium mint imperforate pair surrounded by large margins, possessing brilliant fresh colour and pristine original gum, XF NH **4,000.00+**



- 838 ★ 163d, 1930 1c Deep Green, Die II A superb mint imperforate pair with large margins, post office fresh with full pristine original gum; only 50 pairs exist and few survive in such premium quality, XF NH **4,000.00+**



- 839 ★ 173a, 1930 10c Olive Green Library Selected mint imperforate pair, post office fresh and surrounded by large even margins, full pristine original gum; very difficult to find in such top-quality, very scarce with only 50 pairs printed, XF NH **4,000.00+**



- 840 ★ 157, 1929 20c Dark Carmine Scroll An impressive mint single, well centered within incredibly large margins, VF NH JUMBO **Est. 200.00+**



- 841 ★ 175a, 1930 20c Brown Red Harvesting Wheat A pristine mint imperforate block of four with ample to large margins and full immaculate original gum; very few blocks exist especially in nice condition, VF NH 5,000.00



- 842 ★ 176, 1930 50c Dull Blue Grand Pré A very well centered, post office fresh mint block in lovely condition, VF+ NH 2,400.00
- 843 ★ 176a, 1930 50c Dull Blue Grand Pré A remarkably fresh mint imperforate pair with full even margins and pristine original gum, XF NH 2,500.00



- 844 ★ 178, 1930 1c Orange, Perf 8½ Vertially An outstanding mint coil strip of four with remarkably well-balanced margins; as nice as it gets, XF NH GEM 160.00+



- 845 ★ 190a, 1931 10c George-Étienne Cartier A superb mint imperforate pair surrounded by huge margins, with post office fresh colour and full immaculate original gum; XF NH GEM **1,300.00+**



- 846 ★ 203a, 1933 20c Grain Exhibition A fresh mint imperforate pair with full margins, VF VLH **800.00**



- 847 ★ 204a, 1933 5c Royal William Right sheet margin mint imperforate block, light diagonal crease barely touching upper right stamp, a rare block, VF NH **3,200.00**

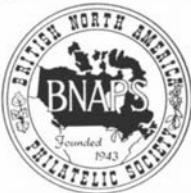
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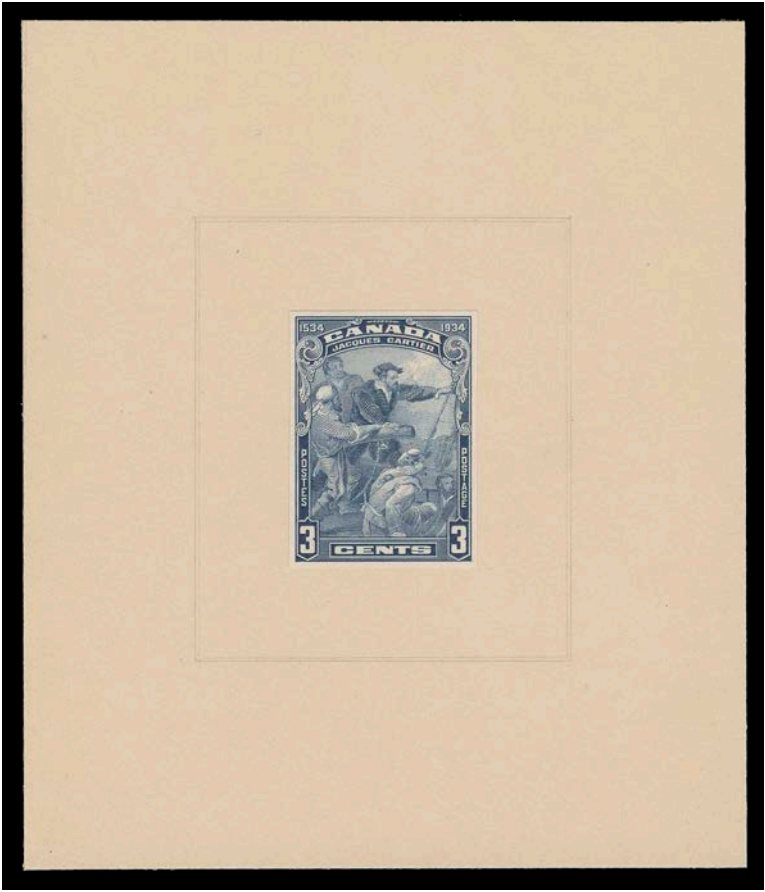
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- 848 P 208, 1934 3c Jacques Cartier Die Proof engraved by British American Bank Note, stamp size (as always with BABN) and printed in the colour of issue on thick white glazed surface paper, affixed to card measuring 112 x 130mm; small mounting mark on reverse. A rare and desirable die proof, in fact, the first we recall offering in recent years, VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



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- 849 ★ 209a, 1934 10c Loyalists A fresh mint imperforate pair with deep colour and full original gum, a key pair of the late KGV era, VF VLH **2,000.00**



850

- 850 ★ 210a, 1934 2c New Brunswick Seal A premium mint imperforate pair with large even margins, brilliant fresh colour and full unblemished original gum; as nice as they come, XF NH **1,485.00+**

KING GEORGE V SILVER JUBILEE



- 851 P 211-216, 1935 1c-13c Silver Jubilee The set of six plate proof pairs on card mounted india paper; 1c, 2c & 5c in horizontal format, others vertical, VF 1,500.00



- 852 P 211-216, 1935 1c-13c Silver Jubilee The set of six plate proof singles in issued colours on card mounted india paper, VF-XF 750.00



- 853 ★ 216i, 1935 13c Royal Yacht Britannia Mint corner block of nine showing the elusive "Shilling Mark" variety on the upper left stamp, F-VF NH 975.00



- 854 P 217-222, 1935 1c-8c King George V Short set of six Small Die Proofs in issued colours on india paper, all except the 1¢ show the die number at top. Some translucent mounting marks and 4c thinned, otherwise VF, a scarce group **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 855 P 217-227, 1935 1c-\$1 King George V Pictorial The complete set of plate proof singles in issued colours; 4c oxidized as often, all printed on card mounted india paper and with sheet margin at foot, VF **1,800.00**



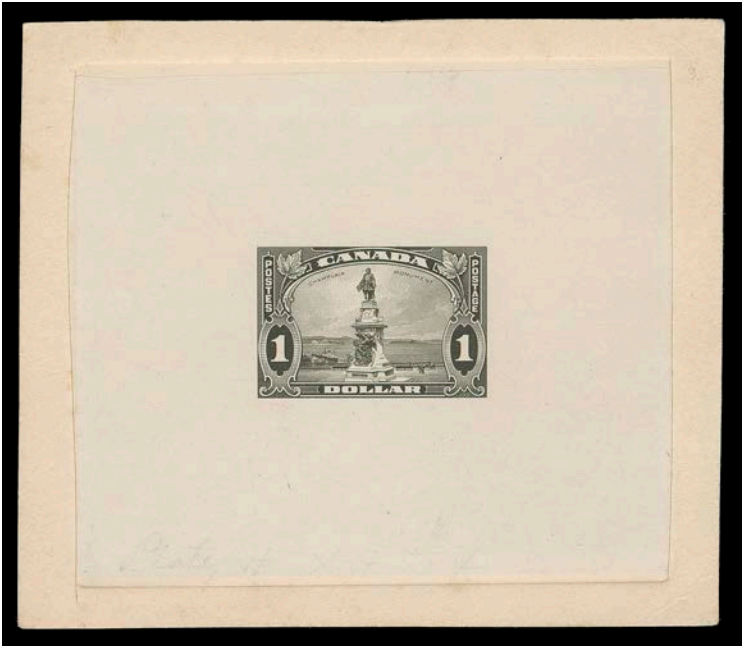
- 856 ★ 222a, 1935 8c Orange King George V Mint imperforate Plate 1 lower margin block of six, brilliant fresh with full white original gum. Very rare -- only two other imperforate plate blocks (likely from a different position) can exist, VF+ NH **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 857 ★ 223ii, 1935 10c Carmine Rose RCMP A fabulous mint example of the keenly sought-after "Broken Leg" variety (Position 48), superbly centered unlike most known examples, possessing full unblemished original gum, never hinged. The best centered mint NH example a collector can wish for, XF NH; 1990 Greene Foundation cert. **4,500.00+**



- 858 ★ 226, 1935 50c Dull Violet, Parliament, Victoria, BC A mint lower left Plate 1 strip of ten, light fold, well centered and fresh, VF NH **720.00**



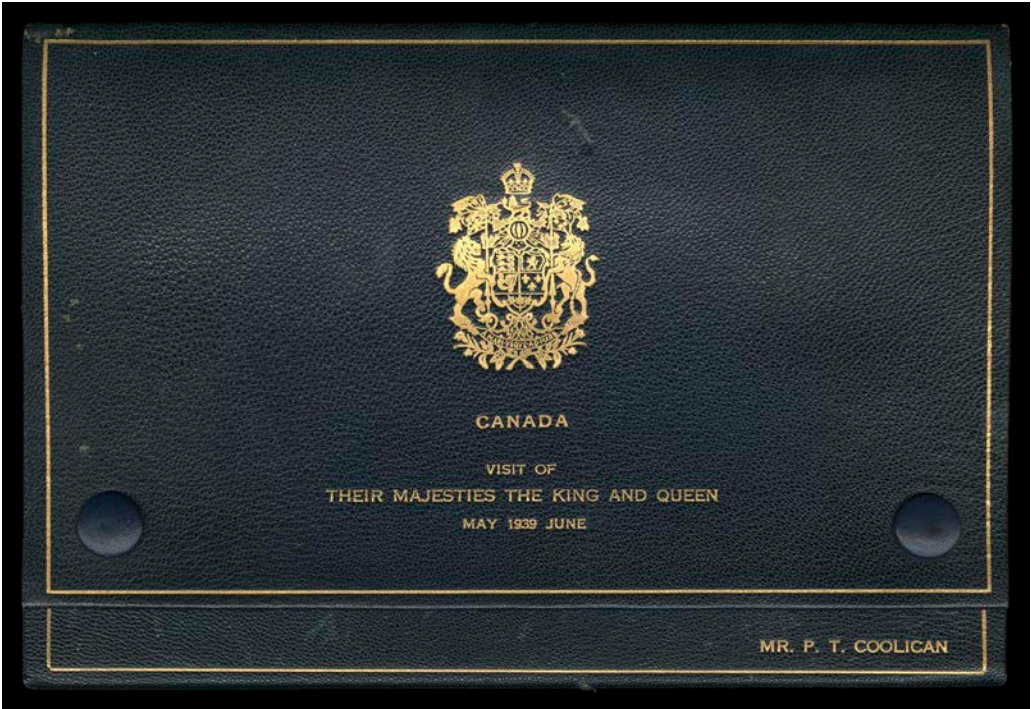
- 859 P 227, 1935 \$1 Champlain Statue Trial Colour Die Proof in olive black on india paper 86 x 74mm sunk on slightly larger card, shows the full die sinkage; the unhardened die without die number or imprint. A very scarce and striking proof, VF **Est. 750.00+**



KING GEORGE VI



860 P 231-236, 1937 1c-8c King George VI Mufti The complete set of six Large Die Proofs, printed in issued colours on india paper, die sunk on full-size cards 227-230 x 151-155mm, each with die number and "H.M. KING GEORGE VI" and "CANADIAN BANK NOTE COMPANY LIMITED" imprints below design. A superb and rarely offered set, VF-XF **Est. 3,000.00+**



- 861 ★ **1939 (May-June) Limited Issue Presentation Booklet** Royal blue leather folder "pouch" style measuring 230 x 155mm; Canada Coat of Arms and inscribed "CANADA / VISIT OF / THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN / MAY 1939 JUNE" below with surrounding frameline, "MR. P.T. Cooligan" (Assistant Deputy Postmaster General) in lower right corner. All inscriptions and framelines are embossed in gold with closing snaps, containing handmade card with silk holding strips displaying 1937-1938 King George VI Mufti and Pictorial set to \$1, 1939 Royal Visit set, 1939 10c special delivery and 1935 postage due original set of four in red violet shade; all fresh mint NH. Very few of these booklets were produced, rare, VF **Est. 750.00+**



- 862 ★ **231c-236a, 1937 1c-8c King George VI Mufti** A mint set of six imperforate blocks of four; 4 cent has light gum disturbance on two stamps, otherwise all in pristine condition, VF-XF NH **7,200.00**



- 863 ★ 231c-236a, 1937 1c-8c King George VI Mufti Selected set of six mint imperforate pairs with large margins, fresh colours and full original gum, VF LH **2,400.00**



- 864 ★ 237a, 1937 3c King George VI Coronation Brilliant fresh, full margined mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at left, VF LH **800.00**



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- 865 P 241-245, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial The set of four plate proofs pairs on card mounted india paper (13c does not exist), each with sheet margin to one side, VF **1,200.00**
- 866 P 241-245, C6, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue & 6c Airmail The complete set of five plate proof pairs including the airmail (13c does not exist), printed in the issued colours on card mounted india paper with sheet margin at left. All in standard format - 10c horizontal and others vertical. VF **1,600.00**
- 867 ★ 241b-245b, 241c, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue The complete set of six in mint imperforate blocks of four, with both shades of the ten cent, each with fresh colour and large even margins; trivial gum wrinkle on 20 cent block. Rarely seen in blocks and especially in such choice quality, VF-XF NH *Illustrated on Page 255* **14,250.00**



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- 868 P 246, 1939 1c HRH Elizabeth & Margaret Die proof printed in light green and black on india paper 47 x 42mm mounted on card, showing die "XG-685" number and CBN imprint below, the green colour is noticeably different compared to other proofs we have seen, VF **Est. 250.00+**

- 869 ★ 246a, 1939 1c Royal Visit Large margined mint imperforate pair with full original gum, choice VF LH **700.00**



- 870 ★ 249d-262a, 1942-1943 1c-\$1 King George VI War Effort The complete set of fourteen mint imperforate pairs, the key One dollar destroyer in a block of four, all choice with fresh colours; 20c pair LH, otherwise VF NH **11,400.00**

- 871 ★ 249 variety, 1942 1c King George VI War Effort Top margin mint horizontal strip with a major shift of vertical perforations creating a quasi-imperforate between pair, left stamp normal and right-hand stamp with major misperf variety, couple vertical bends which caused this striking error; a great item for a specialist, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 257* **Est. 250.00+**



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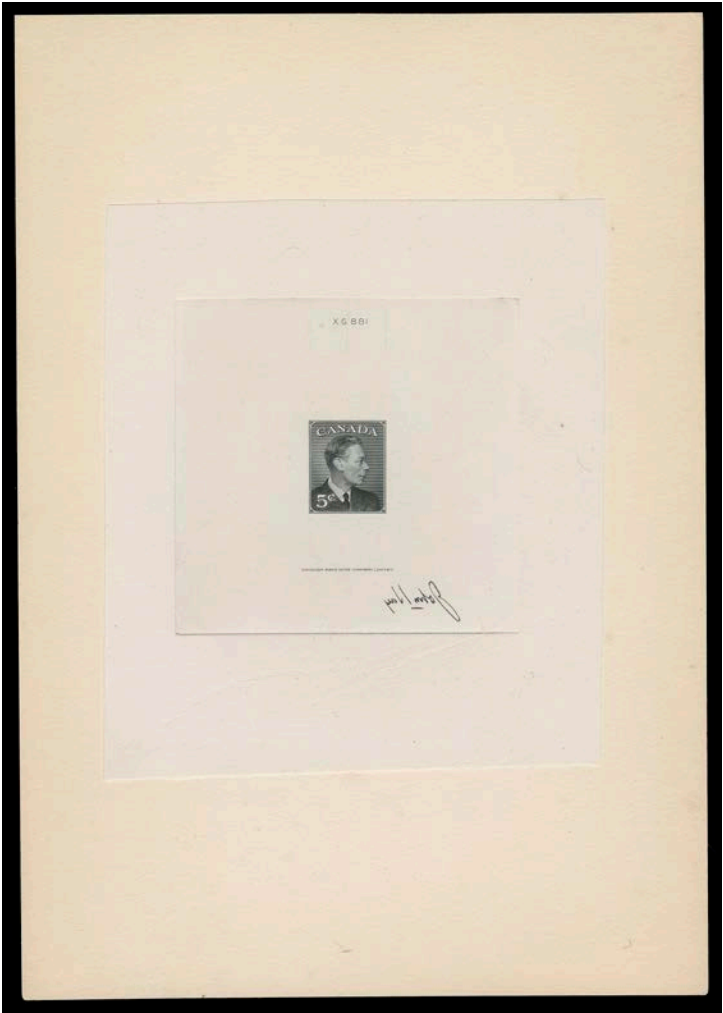


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- 872 E 250, 1942 (2c) King George VI War Effort Large Die Essay of the central vignette printed in red with die sinkage area 46 x 52mm, sunk directly onto larger card measuring 70 x 76mm, taken from the Ferrottype plate. A very rare essay of this popular KGVI series - perhaps two or three others exist, VF
Est. 750.00+
- 873 ★ 268-273, 1946 8c-\$1 King George VI Peace Issue The complete set of seven in full mint sheets of 50, each lightly folded once, all with Plate 1 plate imprint - 8c UR, 10c LR, 14c UR, 20c LR, 50c UR and \$1 LL. The 50c & \$1 show some minor perf separation in sheet margins at top and at bottom respectively, latter also along top two rows between third and fourth column, a scarce set of full sheets, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$6,665)
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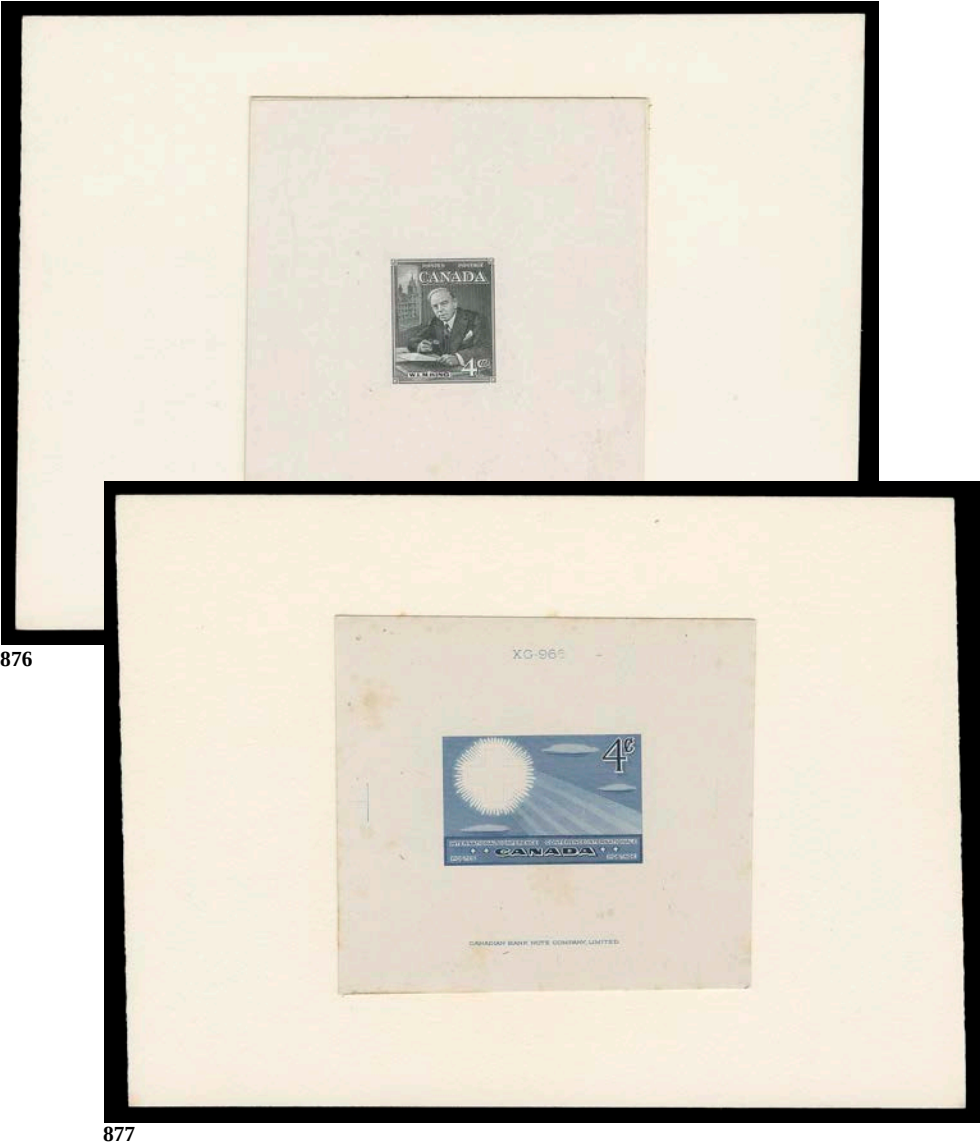


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- 874 P 290, 1950 5c King George VI "POSTES - POSTAGE" Omitted A fabulous Trial Colour Large Die Proof printed in black on india paper showing full die sinkage with overlapping (untrimmed) india paper on large card 152 x 218mm, die "X-G-881" number above and Canadian Bank Note Company Limited imprint below design, also mirror image of "John Hay", the engraver's signature. An extraordinary KGVI die proof, very rare, XF *Illustrated on Page 258 Est. 750.00+*
- 875 ★ 294i, 1950 50c Oil Wells An impressive mint vertical pair showing the imperforate top margin error, small spot in margin at top right. A very rare item, the first one we recall offering, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 258 4,000.00*



- 876 P 304, 1951 4c Mackenzie King - Prime Ministers Series Engraved Trial Colour Large Die Proof in black on glazed surfaced paper 65 x 73mm affixed on larger archival card. Under magnification, multiple, thin unburnished engraver's guidelines can be seen inside and surrounding the design. An attractive and rare proof, VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 877 P 317, 1952 4c Red Cross Conference Large Die Proof in blue showing the finished design but without the red (lithographed) cross, on india paper 69 x 62mm affixed on larger archival card, faint trace of toning, showing die number "XG 966" and CBN imprint; a very rare and visually striking proof, VF **Est. 500.00+**



MODERN ERRORS AND VARIETIES



- 878 P** **1953 Karsh** Engraved Progressive Die Proof in violet brown, colour of the issued one cent but without denomination and hidden date. Albino "ER" scroll outside design at top right, printed on india paper with nearly full die sinkage, mounted on larger archival card with transparent plastic overlay; one negligible tone spot at right, a very scarce and desirable initial stage proof, VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 879 ★** **339a, 1954 3c Wilding** A fresh mint horizontal pair imperforate vertically in error, characteristic centering from the unique sheet (maximum of 50 pairs can exist), light printing ink offset on gum side. An appealing early Elizabethan error, F-VF NH **2,000.00**



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- 880 ★ 341 variety, 1954 5c Wilding Upper left Plate 8 block with a dramatic vertical perforation shift (5mm up), top pair nearly capturing the full imprint, small marginal corner crease and hinge support at top. An appealing item for a specialised Wilding collection, Mint OG / NH Est. 200.00+



- 881 P 343, 1954 15c Gannet Die proof in the issued colour on india paper 61 x 60mm affixed on larger archival card, showing die number "XG 1027" and CBN imprint, a few light foxing spots, a very scarce proof, VF Est. 500.00+
- 882 ★ 468Bd, 1970 6c Black on Hibrite Paper, DEX Gum An exceptionally choice imperforate coil pair in pristine condition, superb in all respects - very few can be described as such, XF NH 3,500.00+

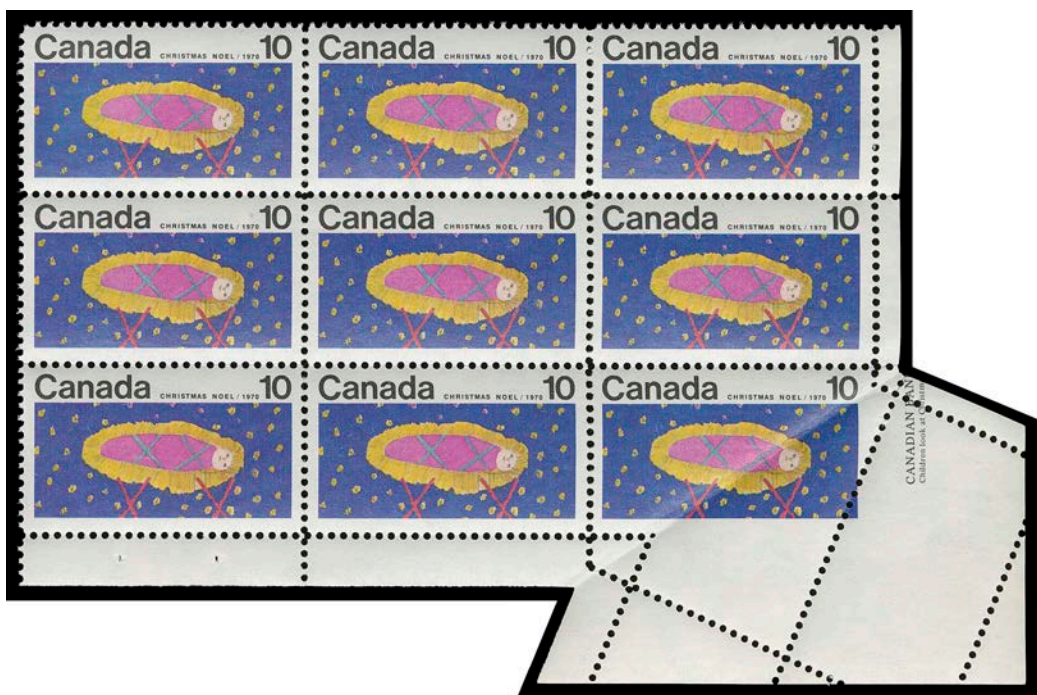


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- 883 ★ **480 Footnote, 1968 5c Narwhal** Mint corner margin pair with major misperforation and showing only the black engraving, lithographed colours are completely omitted, creasing and gum disturbance as do all of the very few known examples. A striking error. **Est. 350.00+**
- 884 ★ **503a, 1969 (6c) Christmas - Children Praying** Well centered mint single with black colour completely omitted in error, faint trace of gum disturbance as often (still appears NH), VF (Untrade cat. \$2,500) **Est. 400.00+**



- 885 ★ **529 variety, 1970 10c Christ Child - Christmas** A mint corner block of nine with a spectacular "Fold-Over" error that occurred prior to perforating and guillotining; couple minor gum thins. A dramatic error - portions of five "blank" stamps and imprint show as a result. A wonderful, one-of-a-kind item that will stand out in anyone's collection, VF NH **Est. 500.00+**



- 886 ★ 537i, 1971 (7c) **Maple Leaves in Autumn** Pristine mint single MISSING GREY INSCRIPTIONS, displaying intact perforations and in immaculate condition. One of Canada's rarest and earliest missing colour errors, XF NH **4,000.00**



- 887 ★ 575aiii, 1975 8c **Subarctic Indians** Mint se-tenant block of ten imperforate vertically and horizontally between fourth and fifth columns, vertical perforation line at right. A very scarce error with fewer than 15 blocks reported, VF NH **2,500.00**



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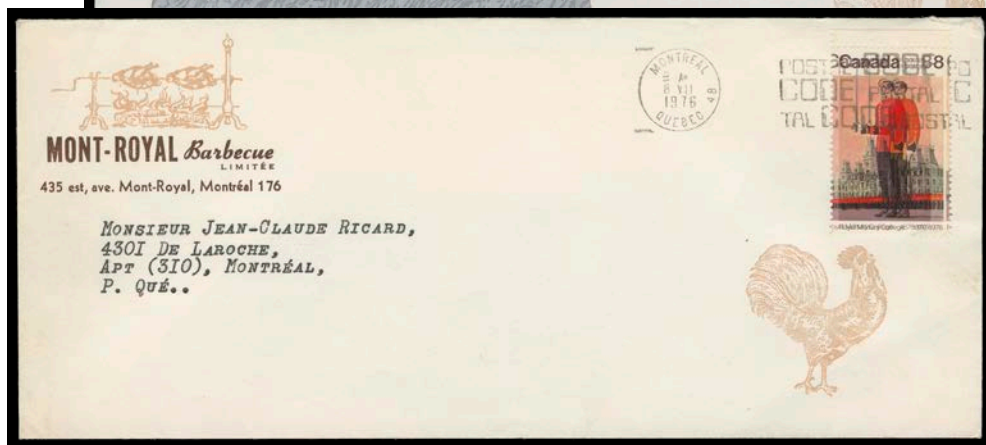


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- 888 ★ 591a, 1973 6c **Lester B. Pearson** Mint block of four of the printed on gum side error in choice condition; a scarce block, VF NH **1,000.00**
- 889 ★ 593variety, 1973 8c **QE II Caricature**, NF Paper, Perf 12x12½ Lower margin mint vertical pair showing a **double paper** variety covering nearly the full length of lower stamp and well into margin. Most unusual and the first one we have seen on this particular stamp, VF NH **Est. 250.00+**



- 890 P 598, 1972 50c **Seashore** Plate proof pair showing only the photogravure in violet - missing the engraved colour as well as two other photogravure colours, printed on gummed stamp paper, two minute gum wrinkles mentioned the record. A striking and seldom encountered proof, ideal for exhibition, VF NH **Est. 350.00+**
- 891 ★ 693b, 1976 8c **Royal Military College Centenary** An elusive mint imperforate pair, untagged; in our view this error is scarcer than the more highly regarded double impression error of this issue, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 265* **3,000.00**
- 892 ★ 693c, 1976 8c **Royal Military College Centenary** Mint vertical block of ten showing a dramatic horizontal perforation shift, part imperforate vertically along second row; small tear on bottom left stamp of no importance and well away from the key block, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 265* **1,500.00**
- 893 ★ 693d, 1976 8c **Royal Military College Centenary** Mint se-tenant pair in immaculate condition showing the dramatic double impression in error. A coveted and striking Canadian modern error, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 265* **5,000.00**



- 894 ☒ Two matching covers – one being a “window” envelope, each franked with a different **Double Impression error** single (of the se-tenant pair) and tied by Montreal 8 VII and 9 VII 1976 machine datestamps. Purchased from Kasimir Bileski in June 1982; his letter accompanies and documents these and other double impression errors that he was able to purchase, VF (Unitrade 693d) **Est. 2,500.00+**



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- 895 ★ **705a, 1977 1c Bottle Gentian (CBN), Perf 12x12½** Mint single of the printed on gummed side error, precancelled (not known otherwise) and one of only 16 known examples, showing portion of Warning "strip" inscription in right margin. A rare and key error of the 1977-1982 Floral definitive series, VF NH **1,750.00**
- 896 ★ **709a, 1977 4c Hepatica (CBN), Perf 12x12½** Mint single of the printed on gum side error, F-VF NH **400.00**



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- 897 ★ **713 variety, 1977 12c Cameo Queen** Lower left blank field stock corner block of six showing a DOUBLE PAPER variety, the paste-up measures about 15mm wide. An unlisted and rare variety, VF NH **Est. 350.00+**
- 898 ★ **716c, 1978 14c Cameo Queen** A pristine mint pair of the "White Queen" error - red colour completely omitted and untagged, VF NH. Also includes an untagged single 14c showing transitional missing red. **4,000.00**
- 899 ★ **723Ab, 1978 (50c) Prairie Street Scene (CBN)** A choice mint single of the "Ghost Town" error with the dark brown (engraved) inscriptions completely omitted, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 267* **3,000.00**
- 900 ★ **747bi, 1977 12c Sailing Vessels** Se-tenant vertical strip of three, completely imperforate below lower half of second stamp. Very rare with only three sheets found consisting of six se-tenant blocks and three such strips, VF NH **1,295.00**



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- 901 ★ 789c, 1979 17c Cameo Queen Corner margin mint imperforate pair in choice condition. One of the scarcest modern imperforates - only nine have been reported, VF NH 2,750.00



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- 902 ★ 789d, 1979 (17c) Cameo Queen Mint corner margin block displaying the printing shift and black engraved inscriptions omitted. A showpiece block with interpanneau gutter margin at foot along with portion of stamps from the adjacent sheet, BABN serial number in oversized right margin; couple negligible marginal creases. A UNIQUE positional block, VF NH 5,000.00
- 903 ★ 789d, 1979 (17c) Cameo Queen The unique corner positional block from the sole sheet recorded, black inscriptions completely omitted and displaying the major design shift (as do all known examples), gum thin on top right stamp. A fabulous modern error, VF NH 5,000.00



- 904 ★ 789d, 791a variety, 1979 (17c) Cameo Queen Mint single with a major vertical printing shift and black engraved inscriptions omitted, untagged; shows albino print of the engraving; also (30c) Cameo Queen with nearly all black engraving missing; VF NH Est. 500.00+



- 905 ★ 818a, 1979 17c Canadian Authors Se-tenant mint block showing prominent doubling of the blue green colour throughout the design on both Emile Nelligan's "Le Vaisseau d'or" stamps, very scarce, VF NH 1,000.00



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- 906 ★ 818ii, 1979 17c Canadian Authors Mint imperforate pair in choice condition, VF NH 1,250.00
- 907 ★ 878 footnote, 1981 17c Antique Mandora Imperforate pair with brown and most of the magenta missing, unusually sound as most existing pairs are found with some degree of faults; much nicer than normally encountered, VF NH 1,500.00
- 908 ★ 918b, 1984 2c Fishing Spear (CBN) on Clark Paper Mint block of eight displaying the striking error - imperforate lower margin block - the bottom half of ninth row and the complete tenth row (and sheet margin) are imperforate in error. Very scarce and especially attractive in such pristine condition, VF NH 2,750.00



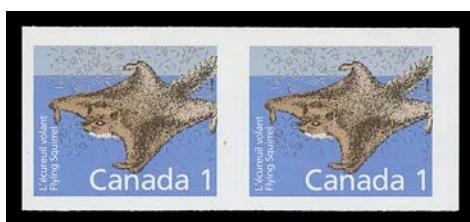
- 909 ★ 934 variety, 1984 \$1 Glacier National Park (CBN) Right margin mint pair showing a major shift of the engraved inscriptions (16mm left), left stamp with CANADA \$1 (instead of \$1 CANADA) and right stamp missing the denomination with only "CANADA" inscription, scarce and striking, VF NH Est. 250.00+



- 910 ★ 972i, 1982 60c Bush Aircraft Upper right field stock corner block of four imperforate vertically between right pair and sheet margin, a miniscule number of corner blocks exist, VF NH 1,500.00



- 911 ☒ 996a, ii, 1983 32c Nickel: two covers - one franked with the missing silver and tagging error and the other with a major shift of the silver; on 1988 (11.IV) and 1987 (28.X) uprated postal envelopes from Mount Hope, Ont. and Troy, Ont. respectively. An appealing and rare duo, VF Est. 500.00+



- 912 ★ **1155b, 1156a, 1160b, 1991 1c, 2c & 10c Mammals Series (CPP)** Three nice imperforate with large margins, choice VF NH mint **3,000.00**



- 913 ★ **1158a, 1988 5c Varying Hare on Slater Paper** A seldom seen mint imperforate pair, sheet margin at top, in pristine condition and much tougher to find than other Mammal issues, XF NH **2,000.00**
- 914 ★ **1164c, 1988 38c Queen Elizabeth II (BABN) on Harrison Paper, Perf 13x12¾** A pristine mint block of ten with perforation error resulting in an imperforate block found in the third and fourth rows, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 271* **1,500.00**
- 915 ★ **1164d, 1164di, 1988 38c Queen Elizabeth II (AP) on Slater Paper, Perf 13x13½** Mint block of four plus two labels originating from a mis-guillotined booklet pane, resulting in two very scarce varieties - a perforated label se-tenant with single plus a 38c pair both imperforate vertically between, both in choice condition. Imprint margin at top with usual light thinning along edge of the tab (originally adhered to booklet cover), VF NH *Illustrated on Page 271* **3,000.00**
- 916 ★ **1166 variety, 1989 39c Flag over Clouds (CBN) on Peterborough Paper, Perf 13½x13** Blank corner block with a major horizontal shift of the "H-Comb" at foot resulting in a most striking perforation variety, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 271* **Est. 200.00+**
- 917 ★ **1179d, 1990 78c Beluga Whale on Slater Paper** An impressive mint imperforate pair with unusually large margins, choice, VF NH *Illustrated on Page 271* **1,200.00**



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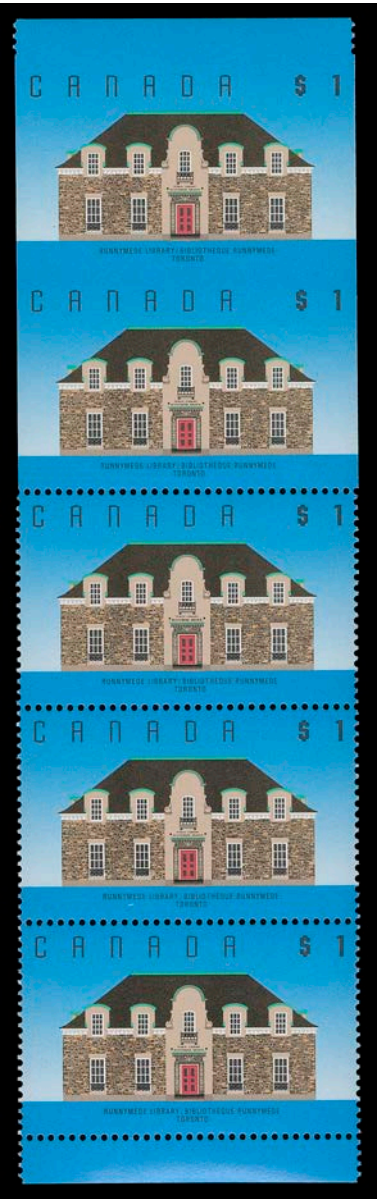
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- 918 ★ **1181i, 1989 \$1 Runnymede Library (BABN)** Mint vertical strip of five with sheet margins top and at bottom, top pair is imperforate. About 25 imperforate pairs have been reported, some held in larger multiples, VF NH **2,000.00**

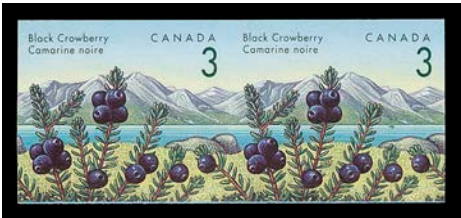


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- 919 ★ **1191iii, 1989 38c Flag over Forest "Quick Stick"** Self-Adhesive block of four from the booklet pane printed with a pale yellow green background instead of dark green as on the issued stamp. A very scarce error, one of only two possible multiples that can exist with the plate imprint, VF NH **4,000.00**



920 ★ 1292b, 1990 39c Canadian Folklore A large margined mint imperforate block, choice, VF NH
2,500.00



921 ★ 1351a, 1992 3c Black Crowberry (APL), Coated Paper Mint imperforate pair, VF NH, scarce
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922 ★ 1360 variety, 1995 45c Queen Elizabeth II (CBN) Blank corner block showing a major shift of the "H-comb" perforation to dramatic effect, VF NH
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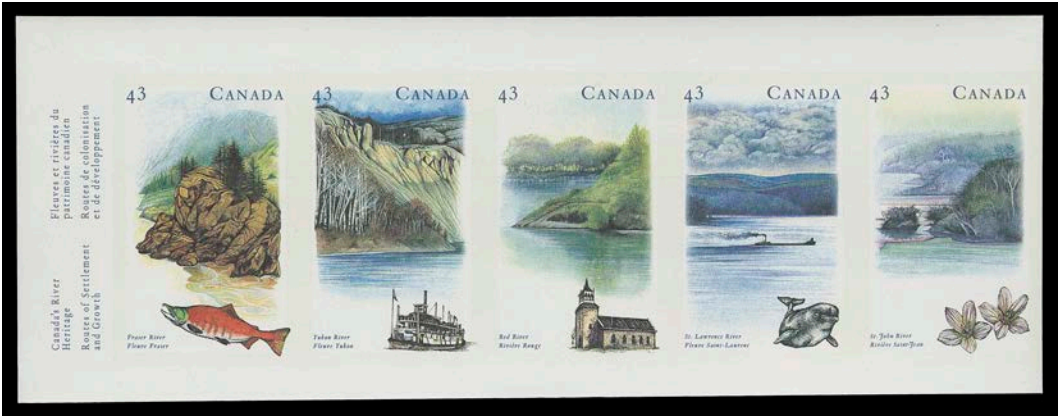


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923 ★ 1367a, 1991 65c Black Walnut An elusive mint imperforate pair, large even margins, VF NH, rarely seen
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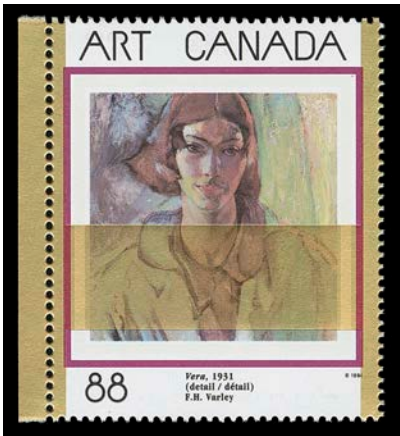
- 924 ★ 1370a, 1995 71c American Chestnut (APCL), Coated Paper, Perf 14½x13¾ Matched set of blank (no imprint as issued) corner blocks of four of the elusive perforation change, all four positional blocks are in pristine condition, XF NH **2,400.00**
- 925 ★ 1375b variety, 1994 \$1 Court House (CBN), Perf 13.3x13 Left marginal mint vertical strip of five with a striking shift of the dark blue engraved inscriptions - 6mm up and slightly descending; "CANADA \$1" appears at the foot of first four stamps, bottom stamp only shows Court House imprint shifted into central design. Very appealing, VF NH *Illustrated on Website Est. 350.00+*



- 926 ★ 1489c, 1993 43c Heritage Rivers An outstanding mint imperforate se-tenant strip of five with imprint tab margin at left, in pristine condition and very rare, VF NH **4,000.00**



- 927 ★ 1499b, ii, 1993 43c Christmas - Polish Santa Corner block of six imperforate vertical between on the left block and also between right pair and sheet margin. A major perforation error, originating from one of only two booklet sheets found - only eight corner blocks of six and four strips of three can exist. Rare and in pristine condition, VF NH 4,500.00

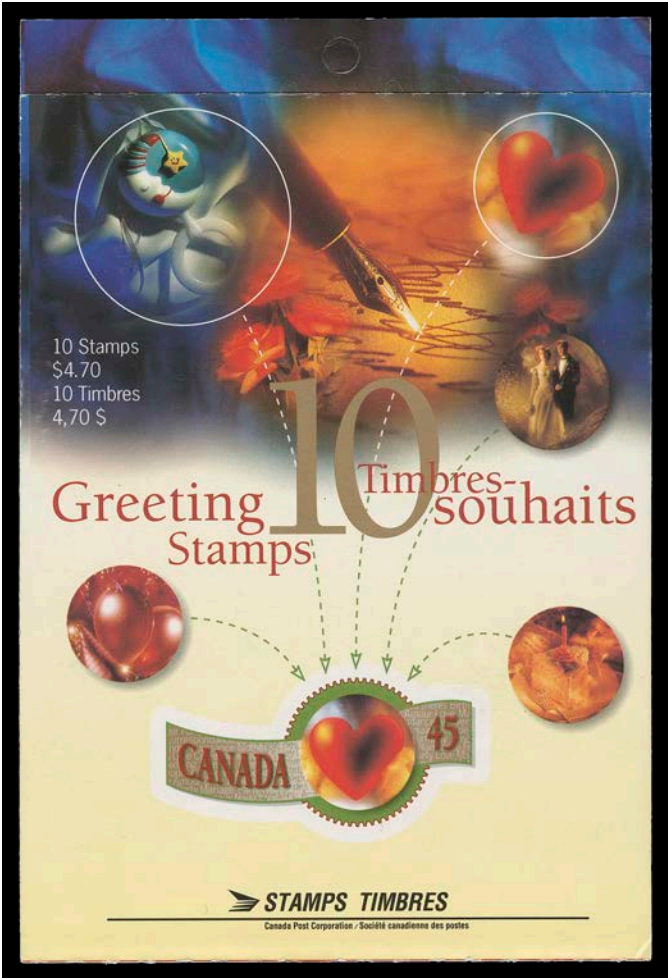


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- 928 ★ 1516i, 1994 88c Vera – Masterpieces of Canadian Art A pristine mint single with gold bar across Vera's painting from major shift of the gold foil; only two panes of 16 were found, VF NH 900.00
- 929 ★ 1545a, 1995 88c Floraion – Masterpieces of Canadian Art Striking mint example with Gold foil frame being completely omitted. Only two panes of 16 recorded, XF NH 2,000.00
- 930 ★ 1601b, 1996 45c Greetings "Special Occasions" An intact booklet showing all ten self-adhesive stamps without die cutting - resulting in imperforate stamps along with its 35 greeting stickers. One of only two such booklets left intact - the other two recorded booklets have since been split. A modern rarity, VF NH; 2016 Greene Foundation cert. Illustrated on Page 276 5,000.00



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- 931 ★ 1673a, 2001 1c Bookbinding (CBN) Mint block of four missing the grey colour in error - the numeral "1" being white instead of grey as on the issued stamp, VF NH 1,600.00
- 932 ★ 1676a, 1999 4c Oyster Farming (CBN) Mint imperforate pair in choice condition, very scarce, VF NH 1,250.00



- 933 ★ 1693a, 2003 \$5 "Missing Moose" The spectacular major error - the dark brown engraved colour, grass and trees are all completely omitted in error. In pristine condition, originating from the lower left corner of the sheetlet of four. An outstanding, important and highly collectable modern error - hailed as the most impressive in all philately, XF NH 7,500.00



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- 934 ★ 1767a, 1999 46c Lunar New Year - Year of the Rabbit A very scarce plate imprint block with the red colour and tagging completely omitted; small spot of gum disturbance entirely confined to right margin. Only a few plate blocks exist, VF NH 5,000.00

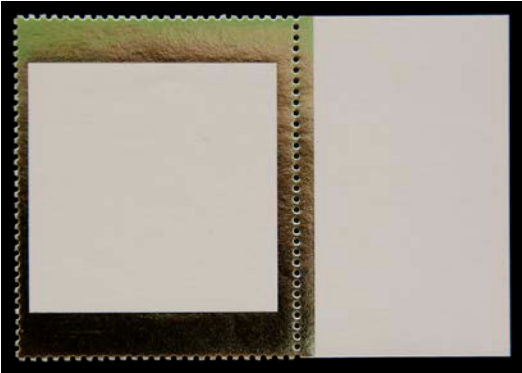


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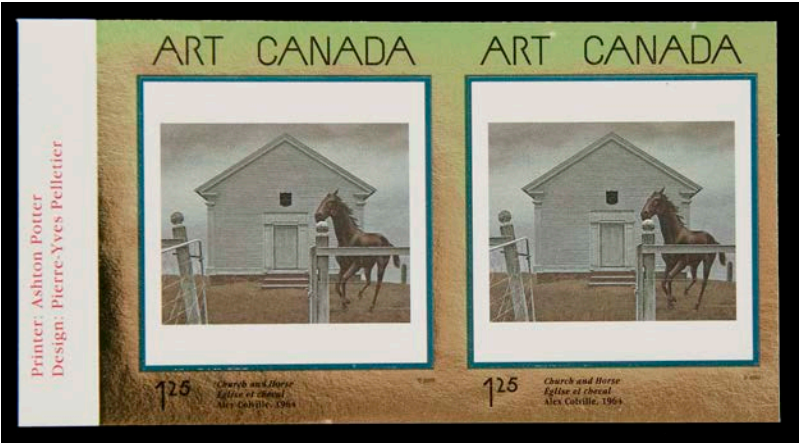
- 935 ★ 1767a, 1999 46c Lunar New Year - Year of the Rabbit A choice mint single, tagging and red colour are completely missing, background colour is yellow instead of the issued orange as a result, VF NH 1,250.00



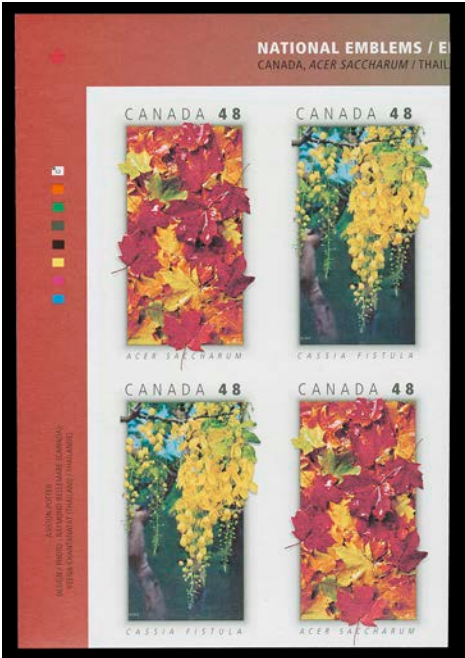
- 936 ★ 1768b, 1999 95c Lunar New Year - Year of the Rabbit Mint souvenir sheet, the tagging and red colour are both completely missing, resulting in the background being yellow and lower panel magenta (instead of orange and red respectively), VF NH 1,250.00



- 937 ★ 1945a, 2002 (\$1.25) Church and Horse – Masterpieces of Canadian Art Right sheet margin mint single with only the silver-foil printing, other five lithographed colours and tagging being completely omitted in error. An outstanding error of which only one pane (16 stamps) exists, VF NH 2,000.00
- 938 ★ 1945b, 2002 \$1.25 Church and Horse – Masterpieces of Canadian Art Mint imperforate pair in choice condition, very scarce, VF NH Illustrated on Page 279 1,800.00
- 939 ★ 2001c, 2003 48c National Emblems Upper left se-tenant mint imperforate plate inscription block of four in pristine condition. Only five panes of 16 stamps (20 plate blocks) have been recorded, XF NH (Cat. as two imperforate pairs) Illustrated on Page 279 2,500.00
- 940 ★ 2004b, 2003 48c Christmas - Ice Skates, Self-Adhesive Imperforate block with tab margin at top from the booklet. Only three imperforate booklets (of twelve) are recorded, two of which are still intact, VF NH Illustrated on Page 279 1,000.00



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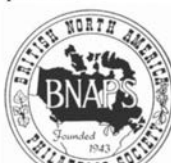
- 941 ★ 2103b, 2005 50c **Canadian Bridges, Self-Adhesive** Lower left margin mint se-tenant imperforate block of four with pictured printed backing paper. Very few blocks known, VF NH
Illustrated on Page 279 **2,000.00**
- 942 ★ 2220a, 2007 52c **FIFA U-20 World Youth Championships** Mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at top, scarce, VF NH **1,300.00**
- 943 ★ 2239b, 2007 "P" **Christmas Reindeer, Self-Adhesive** Block of six completely imperforate - die cutting omitted, originating from the booklet pane of twelve, a very scarce error, VF NH **2,025.00**
- 944 ★ 2262c, 2008 52c **Peonies, Self-Adhesive** Imperforate se-tenant pair originating from the booklet, VF NH **500.00**

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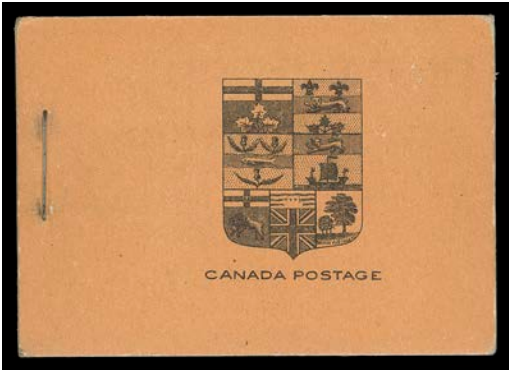
BOOKLETS



- 945 ★ **BK1, 1900 25c Red on Pink Enamel Cover** Complete booklet with red binding tape under staple, containing all information rate pages, interleaves and two 2c carmine, Die II Numeral panes of six on the distinctive horizontal mesh paper, one pane fine centered and other well centered, both NEVER HINGED; the booklet covers are in an excellent state of preservation and the overall quality of the booklet is well-above what we are accustomed to seeing, F-VF **4,500.00**



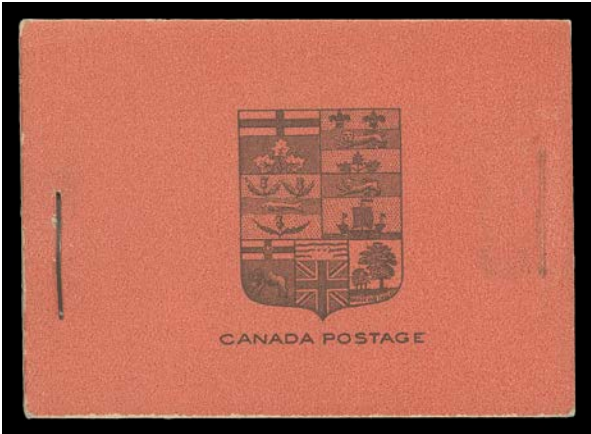
- 946 ★ **BK3a, 1913 25c Blue Green on Pale Green Cover** Complete English booklet with dark blue green binding tape under staple; contains four panes of six of the elusive 1c deep blue green on horizontal wove paper - the distinctive Squat Printing, ranging from fine to well centered for the issue; large Type I information sheets (43mm wide). Booklet has corner bend at lower right likely from the binding process, small spot on front cover, a rare booklet, F-VF **1,250.00**
- 947 ★ **BK4b, 1922 25c Black on Orange Cover** Complete English booklet, typographed cover, no binding tape, contains four panes of six of the 1c yellow, Die I, large slogan inside text (capital letters 7.5mm high), VF **900.00**
- 948 ★ **BK4b, 1922 25c Black on Orange Cover** Complete French booklet, typographed cover, no binding tape, contains four panes of six of the 1c yellow, Die I, showing large slogan inside text (capital letters 7.5mm high), light vertical fold along staple line. Much scarcer than the English version, yet cataloguing only slightly higher, F-VF **700.00+**



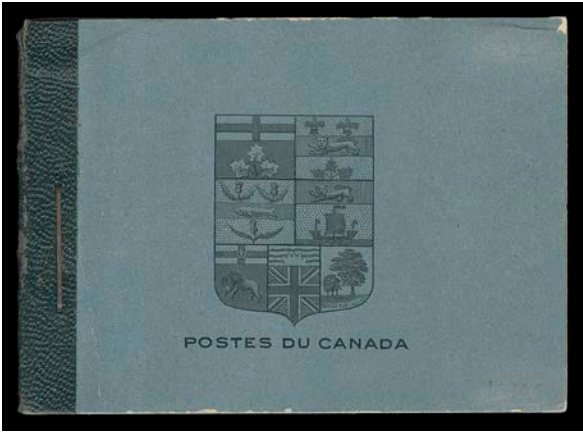
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- 949 ★ **BK8b, 1923 25c Black on Red Cover** Complete booklet in English with typographed cover, containing two panes of four of 3c carmine Admiral; showing large slogan (capital letters 7.5mm high) inside text, a clean booklet, almost VF **450.00**



- 950 ★ **BK9a, 1922 25c Black on Dull Blue Cover** Complete booklet in French, dark green binding tape under staple, contains three panes of four + two labels of 1c yellow, 2c green and 3c brown, sans serif capitals with War Tax rates inside; front cover with light creases and faint erasures, a rare intact booklet, F-VF **1,300.00**
- 951 ★ **BK10c, 1923 25c Black on Blue Cover** Complete booklet in English with typographed cover, no binding tape under staple, with three panes of four of 1c yellow, 2c green and 3c carmine, small slogan (capital letters 3.5mm high). Small erasure mark on back cover only, a scarce booklet, F-VF *Illustrated on Page 284* **600.00**



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- 952 ★ **BK15a, 1930 25c Black on Dull Green Cover** Complete English booklet with typographed covers, no binding tape under staple, containing two panes of six of the 2c dull green Arch, Die I, flat press printing, unusually choice, VF **375.00**



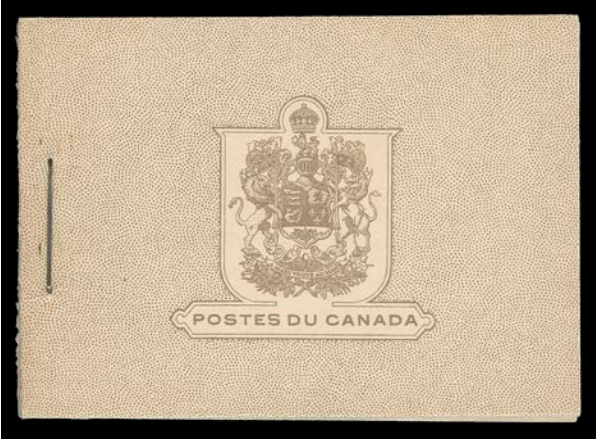
- 953 ★ **BK21b, 1933 25c Black on Brown Cover** Complete French booklet with typographed cover, no binding tape under staple, contains two panes of six of 2c black brown Medallion, showing Type II slogan information sheets inside, small light crease on front cover, noticeably nicer than most we have seen, F-VF **1,200.00**



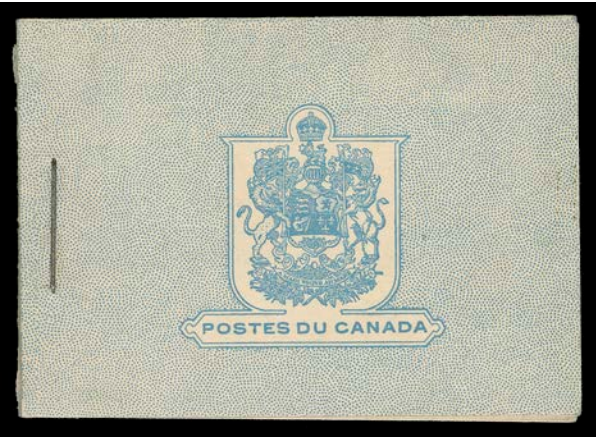
- 954 ★ **BK21b, 1933 25c Black on Brown Cover** Complete English booklet with typographed cover, no binding tape under staple, containing two 2c Medallion panes of six, Type II slogan sheets inside, in an excellent state of preservation, VF and scarce thus **900.00**



- 955 ★ **BK25, 1935 25c Brown on White Cover** Complete French booklet, no binding tape under staple, with two 2c brown panes of six, well centered NH, glassine and slogan interleaves; clean covers, VF **525.00**



- 956 ★ **BK25, 1935 25c Brown on White Cover** Complete French booklet, no binding tape under staple, containing two 2c brown KGV 1935 Issue panes of six; clean and fresh, VF **525.00**



- 957 ★ **BK27, 1935 25c Blue on White Cover** Complete French combination booklet containing panes of four of 1c, 2c & 3c KGV 1935 Issue, VF and difficult to find **600.00**

**AIRMAIL**

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| 958 | ✉ | Three flight covers bearing a " Swollen Breast " variety (Plate 2, UR Pane, Pos. 4); two with #C1 are Fort Chipewyan, Alberta - Embarraas Portage DE 18 31 flight covers; the third Val D'Or, P.Q. to Siscoe JAN 11 35 bears the 6c on 5c surcharge, VF (Unitrade C1i, C3i) Est. 150.00+ |
| 959 | ✉ | 1933 (September 23) Flight - Catapult Mail cover endorsed "Via airmail. Ship to Shore, S.S. "Europa" via New York, mailed from Windsor, Ont. with pair of 5c olive brown airmail and US 15c airmail tied by Detroit SEP 23 duplex, carried by ship likely to Southampton with unusual Steamship "EUROPA" Catapult Flight "swastika" dated cachet in red ties Canadian airmail stamp and the flown to Berlin with 2.10.33 arrival CDS backstamp. A highly unusual and no doubt very scarce Catapult flight cover, VF (Unitrade C2 + US Scott C8) Est. 300.00+ |



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| 960 | ★ | C3a, 1932 6c on 5c Brown Olive Airmail Surcharge Top left mint vertical pair of the inverted surcharge error, lightly hinged in selvedge only, stamps are NH, Fine | 375.00 |
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- 961 ★ C3c, 1932 6c on 5c Brown Olive Airmail Surcharge** Left sheet margin mint horizontal pair of the dramatic triple surcharge error, small portion of obliterating bar of overprint visible on some perforations at top, rare, VF LH **1,000.00**



- 962 ★ C5b, 1935 6c Red Brown A superb margined mint imperforate pair with bright fresh colour, XF NH
1,200.00+



- 963 ★ C6a, 1938 6c Monoplane over Mackenzie River A full margined and pristine fresh mint imperforate pair, VF+ NH
1,200.00



- 964 ★ C7a, 1942 6c Deep Blue KGVI War Effort A premium mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at left and large margins on other sides, XF NH
1,200.00+



- 965 ★ C8a, 1943 7c Deep Blue KGVI War Effort A remarkably choice mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at right and large margins on other sides, VF+ NH
1,200.00



TWO EXCEEDINGLY RARE IMPERFORATE PLATE BLOCKS



- 966 ★ **CE1a, 1942 16c Bright Ultramarine Air Mail Special Delivery** A remarkable mint imperforate Plate 1 upper right block, exceptionally fresh with full original gum. Exceedingly rare and very desirable, VF LH ex. Alfred F. Lichtenstein (November 1954; Lot 672), George Ludlow Lee (December 1963; Lot 499) **Est. 3,500.00+**

Only one similar positional imperforate plate block is known (ex. D.H. Davis, November 1992; Lot 1752, Barron October 2016; Lot 202 - Sold for \$6,000 hammer)



- 967 ★ **CE1a, 1942 16c Bright Ultramarine Air Mail Special Delivery** Impressive mint imperforate Plate 1 lower right block, tiny gum thin mentioned for the record. A wonderful block in otherwise fresh and choice condition; extremely rare - only one similar positional plate block exist, VF LH **Est. 3,500.00+**



- 968 ★ CE2a, 1943 17c Bright Ultramarine Air Mail Special Delivery A bright, fresh mint imperforate pair with large margins and full pristine original gum, XF NH **1,200.00+**

SEMI-OFFICIAL AIRMAIL



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- 969 ★ CLP1, 1918 (August 24) (25c) Red and Black Aero Club of Canada, a well centered mint example, minute corner crease, very scarce as a high percentage of only 200 stamps printed were used on special flight covers and with less than 27 mint examples are thought to exist, VF OG **3,500.00**
- 970 ★ CLP2g, 1918 (August 28) 25c Red and Black on Rough Off-White Paper Aero Club of Canada with numerals in lower corners, a tête-bêche mint pane of two, one with couple nibbed perfs, otherwise in an exceptional state of preservation, VF NH **4,000.00**



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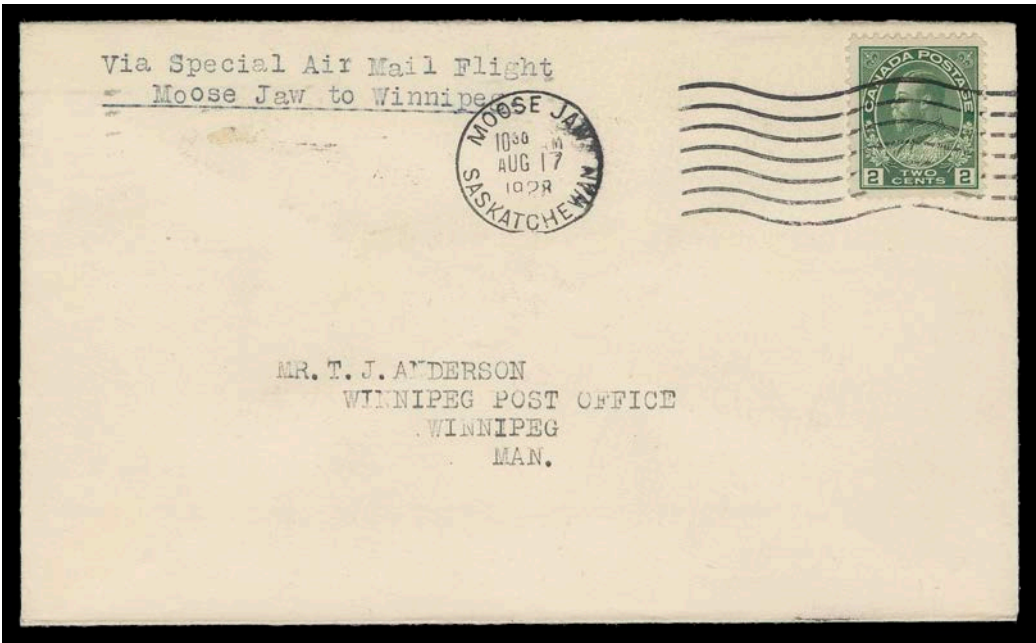
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- 971 ★ CLP3, 1919 (August 25) (\$1) Red and Blue Aero Club of Canada A selected mint single with deep rich colours and unusually full original gum, VF NH **875.00**
- 972 ★ CLP3b, 1919 (August 25) \$1 Red and Blue Aero Club of Canada Choice mint single showing the white space between sky and red background variety, deep rich colour and full original gum, VF VLH **500.00**



- 973 ☒ 1919 (August 25) Toronto - New York Air Race Flight; a beautiful cover seldom seen in such an excellent state of preservation, franked with 3c yellow brown Admiral tied by Toronto AUG 25 10AM 1919 slogan; on reverse a well centered, sound \$1 red and blue Aero Club of Canada with bold rich colours superbly tied by rectangular AERIAL MAIL AUG 25 1919 TORONTO, CANADA boxed cachet in blue. One of the nicest covers one can hope to find for this pioneer flight, VF+ (Unitrade 108b, CLP3) **925.00**

MOOSE JAW FLYING CLUB SPECIAL FLIGHT



- 974 ☒ 1928 (August 17) Moose Jaw to Winnipeg flight cover in immaculate, fresh condition bearing 2c green Admiral tied by Moose Jaw 10:30am AUG 17 1928 machine cancel; the (\$1) Moose Jaw stamp (Pos. 1 in the pane of five) properly franked on reverse at foot of envelope as customary, Winnipeg 8:30PM AUG 17 1928 machine cancel applied on arrival above the stamp. A great cover, VF+ (Unitrade 107, CLP7) **3,500.00**



- 975 ★ CL4a, 1924 (October 1) (25c) Red Laurentide Air Service, Rouletted Complete booklet with Dood-Simpson Press, Montreal imprint on back cover, contains the four panes of two and glassine interleaves; covers and panes are clean and fresh, seldom seen this nice, VF NH **3,000.00**



- 976 ★ CL13 Trial Colours, 1926 (June) (25c) Patricia Airways, Style One Matching corner margin (Position 2 in the pane of eight) set of the four different trial colours - printed on canary, buff, green and deep blue paper respectively. Each with official blue-black route inscription being; trivial gum disturbance entirely in the margin on two, a striking and rare set, VF NH **2,100.00+**

Unitrade value reflects trial colours from imperforate panes; perforated trial colours are currently not listed, nor is a distinction made between green or blue-black route inscriptions.

RED LAKE IMPRINT INVERTED ERROR
A PREMIUM MINT NH EXAMPLE OF THIS RARITY



- 977 ★ CL13ci, 1926 (July 1) (25c) Patricia Airways, Style One An impressive mint single with official blue black route inscription, displays the rarely seen INVERTED "RED LAKE" marginal inscription in error, brilliant fresh colour and with pristine original gum. An appealing Patricia Airways & Explorations Ltd. rarity, VF NH 6,000.00



- 978 ★ CL19b + variety, 1927 (May 20) (50c) Patricia Airways, Style Two A choice mint with ascending 10c overprint (Type A) in deep red and the constant small "v" in "VIA" variety (Pos. 2), sheet margin at top, VF NH 825.00

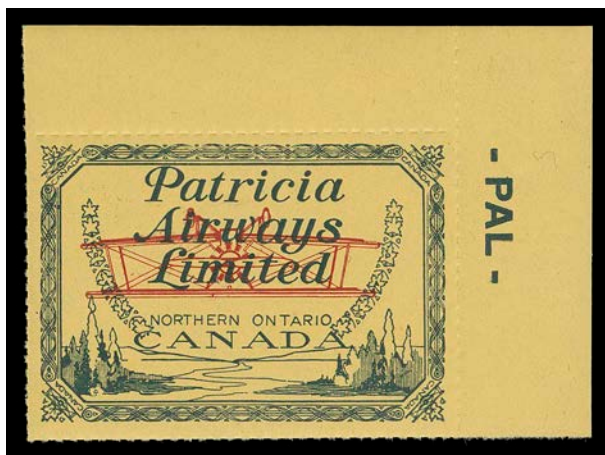


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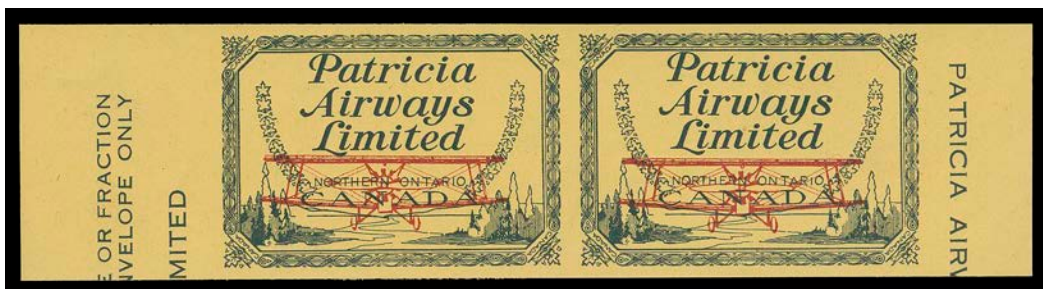


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- 979 ★ CL20, 1927 (September 1) (50c) Patricia Airways, Style Two An impressive and pristine mint single with ascending 5c overprint (Type B) in black, VF NH 1,875.00
- 980 ★ CL20b, 1927 (September 1) (50c) Patricia Airways, Style Two Post office fresh, well centered mint single with ascending 5c overprint (Type B) in red, full pristine original gum, VF NH 1,875.00



- 981 ★ **CL43a, 1928 (March 9) (10c) Patricia Airways Limited** A superb corner margin mint example of the striking **INVERTED AIRPLANE ERROR**, intact rouletting on all sides, "-PAL-" imprint at right. A striking and desirable error, VF NH **3,000.00**



- 982 ★ **CL43b, c, 1928 (March 9) (10c) Patricia Airways Limited** A noteworthy mint imperforate pair with full margins, showing the "**Grounded Plane**" variety. A scarce variety especially in imperforate form, VF NH; unlisted in the Unitrade (Cat. for normal perforated "Grounded Plane") **1,350.00+**

SPECIAL DELIVERY



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- 983 **P E1, 1898 10c Blue Green** A superb plate proof single printed in the issued colour on card mounted india paper, large margined and in choice condition, XF **1,000.00**
- 984 ★ **E1a, 1920 10c Green** A post office fresh mint single, very well centered and with pristine original gum; a beautiful stamp as fresh as the day it was printed, XF NH **600.00+**
- 985 ☒ **1899 (August 16) One cent green postal envelope** uprated with an impressive franking of "green" stamps - 2c Small Queen, 2c Jubilee, 1c Leaf, 1c Numeral, 5c RLS and 10c special delivery of the scarcer deep blue green shade, each tied by Berlin dispatch CDS IN VIOLET and same ink oval "R" registration handstamp, addressed to Magnetawan, Ont.; on reverse nice clear postmarks including additional dispatch datestamps in violet, RPO, Toronto, Burk's Falls transits and Magnetawan AU 18 receiver backstamps. A visually striking franking / coloured cancellations combination, VF (Unitrade 36i, 52, 67, 75, F2, E1iv, EN12) **Illustrated on Page 295 Est. 250.00+**



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- 986**  1900 (July 25) 1c Blue postal envelope uprated with Half cent Small Queen and Leaf issues and a 10c blue green special delivery tied by three-ring Toronto CDS, paying an unusual 2c drop letter with 10c special letter carrier delivery, VF (Unitrade 34, 66, E1, EN6) **Est. 150.00+**



- 987 ★ **E4, 1930 20c Henna Brown** A spectacular mint example with precise centering and enormous margins; visually striking, XF NH GEM; 2017 PF certificate Graded XF-S 95J **Est. 250.00+**

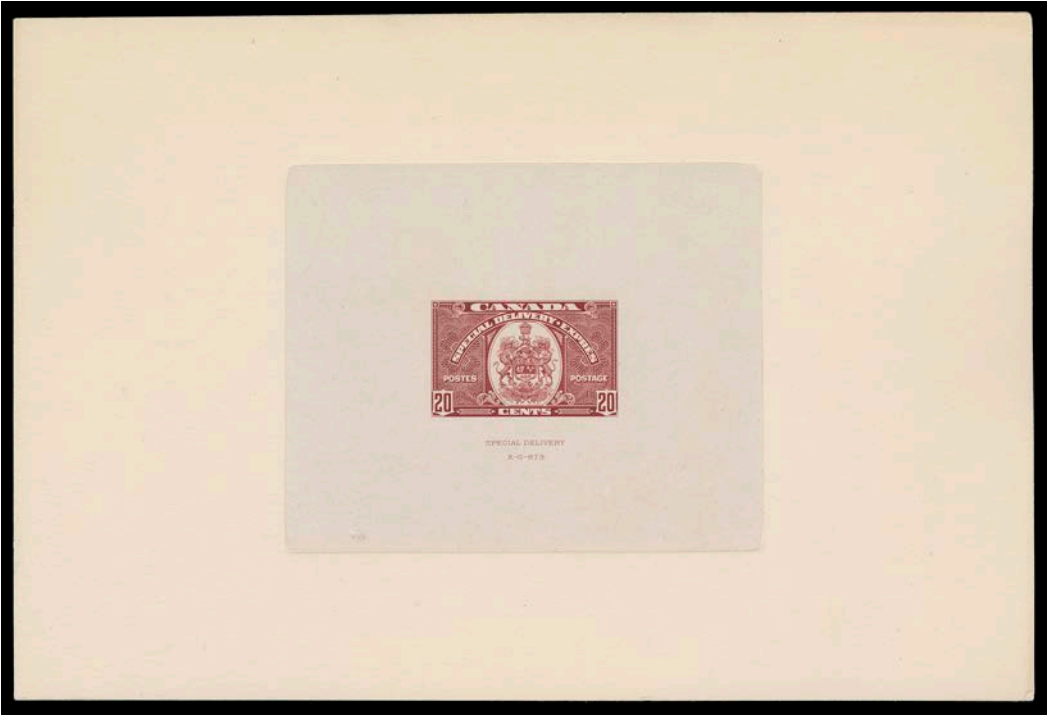


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| 988 | ★ | E6a, 1935 20c Dark Carmine Imperforate mint corner margin pair showing portion of arrow guide at UR, light hinging in selvage only leaving the pair VF NH | 1,400.00 |
| 989 | ★ | E7a, 1939 10c Green A large margined mint imperforate pair, full original gum showing only a trace of hinging, VF LH | 800.00 |



990 P E8, 1938 20c Dark Carmine Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper 107 x 87mm die sunk on full-size card measuring 229 x 153mm; showing SPECIAL DELIVERY imprint and die "XG 673" number below design. A beautiful proof in pristine condition, XF and seldom seen
Est. 1,000.00+



991 ★ E10a, 1942 10c Green KGVI War Effort A premium quality mint imperforate block of four with sheet margin at right, exceptionally fresh with full unblemished original gum; a rare block, XF NH
2,400.00+

REGISTERED LETTER STAMP



- 992 ★ F1b, 1889 (Late) 2c Deep Rose Carmine (Plate 2), Perf 12 Superb mint single, extremely well centered within well-balanced large margins, characteristic late Montreal printing shade and with full original gum, XF VLH **500.00+**



- 993 P F2, 1875 5c Bright Green A choice, large margined plate proof single on card, characteristic colour associated with this elusive proof, VF+ **1,000.00**



- 994 ★ F2, 1880s 5c Green, Perf 12 A post office fresh mint plate block of eight showing full British American Bank Note imprint (Boggs Type V) in the left sheet margin, nicely centered with exceptional colour and full original gum; a beautiful plate multiple in selected quality, VF NH (Cat. \$4,800 as stamps only) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 995 ★ **F2c, 1888 5c Green** Mint imperforate block of four showing near complete BABN imprint and reversed "R" (indicating plate had been re-entered), small nick at bottom right, natural gum skip on left pair, LH in selvage leaving all stamps NH. A very scarce block, F-VF (Unitrade cat. \$4,350 as two pairs); ex. "Scenic" Collection (Sam Nickle) (November 1982; Lot 2535) **Est. 1,500.00+**



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- 996 ★ **F2i shade, 1886 2c Green, Perf 12 A** precisely centered mint single surrounded by enormous margins, printed in a lovely green shade with a tinge of yellow (but not to be confused with the scarcer yellow green shade), full original gum; a beautiful stamp, VF+ NH **600.00+**

Stamp is Position 74 from Plate 2, with distinctive mark in "S" of "REGISTERED". See Harrison, Arfken & Lussey "Canada's Registered Mail 1802-1909" book, pages 210-211.

- 997 ★ **F3, 1875 8c Dull Blue** A beautifully centered mint single possessing full dull streaky original gum, quite lightly hinged, VF **900.00**

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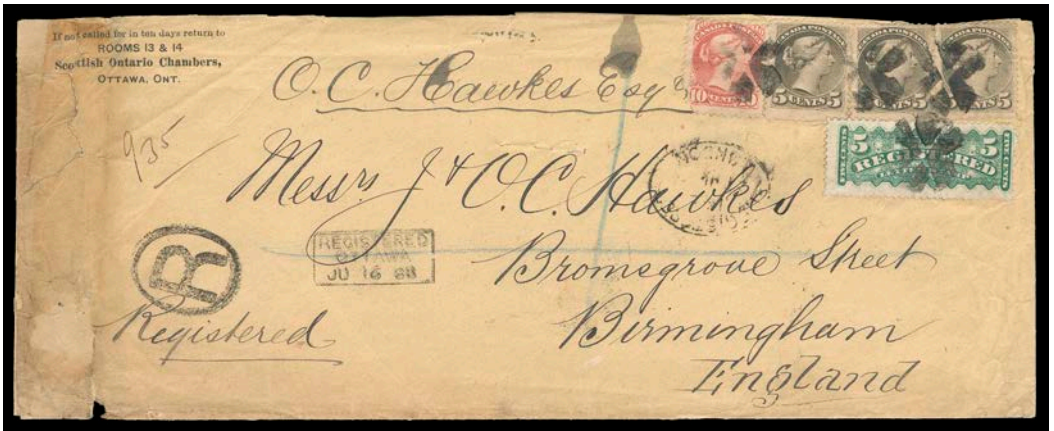
REGISTERED LETTER STAMP POSTAL HISTORY



- 998 ☒ 1876 (November 18) A very attractive orange cover in clean condition mailed registered to Vermillion, Ohio bearing 3c orange red Montreal printing perf 11½x12 and 5c green perf 12, both tied by neat segmented corks in blue with same-ink split ring dispatch at left, G.W.R. East / Accomdn RPO split ring and boxed cancels on back. According to Harrison, Arfken & Lussey "Canada's Registered Mail 1802-1909" handbook, a very rare usage to the United States in 1876, **being the fifth earliest** according to their census (Table 33; page 278 - only five covers dated 1876 have reported), VF (Unitrade 37iii, F2) ex. John Siverts (May 1989; Lot 1211) **Est. 600.00+**



- 999 ☒ 1884 (July 11) Registered cover to Birmingham, England bearing a 5c olive green Montreal printing perf 12 strip of three slightly overlapped by a 5c bluish green RLS, all tied by target cancels, partial Montreal dispatch CDS and clear receiver on back; backflap missing and some edge wrinkles. An unusual **triple UPU letter rate plus 5c registration** to the United Kingdom, F-VF and very scarce. (Unitrade 38, F2) ex. Charles deVolpi (October 1965; Lot 280), Horace Harrison (October 2003; Lot 491) **Est. 500.00+**



- 1000 ☒ 1888 (June 16) Legal envelope from Ottawa to Birmingham, England franked with three 5c olive green, a 10c light rose lilac and a 5c yellow green RLS, Montreal printings, perf 12, some faults; paying a very unusual five-fold UPU letter rate plus 5c registration, cancelled by segmented corks, boxed Registered Ottawa CDS, via London with clear receiver backstamp. Some cover faults and ageing but has original letter and registration certificate dated JU 14, Fine appearance, a very scarce rate. (Unitrade 38, 40i, F2) ex. Don Bowen (June 1995; Lot 2317), Harry Lussey (Sept. 1999; Lot 2188) **Est. 350.00+**



- 1001 ☒ 1889 (July) W.G. Brown, Indiantown, St. John, N.B. (on backflap) Summer Carnival St. John, NB illustrated envelope, partial dispatch Ben... NB to Plymouth, Michigan, bearing an unusual franking with pair of 1c yellow Small Queen and well centered 2c red orange RLS vertical pair and single, light cork cancels; clear St. John JY 22 89 and Boston 7 25 transit backstamps; small piece missing below adhesives but a beautiful Registered Letter Stamp cover, paying 3c letter rate and 5c registration, against postal regulations at that time as it should have been franked with a 5c RLS, VF (Unitrade 35, F1b) ex. G. Arfken (October 1990; Lot 601) and Harry Lussey (May 1999; Lot 530) **Est. 350.00+**



- 1002 ☒ 1889 (December 14) Yellow envelope bearing an exceptional franking consisting solely of 2c vermilion shade Registered Letter stamps, a pair and two singles tied by segmented grids, oval "R" registered handstamp ties one single, Rodney, Ont. dispatch CDS. Contrary to postal regulations the cover was delivered (and not sent to the DLO), RPO transit and St. Thomas DE 14 89 duplex receiver backstamps. A wonderful cover paying the 3c letter rate and 5c registration (effective May 8, 1889), VF (Unitrade F1a) **Est. 500.00+**



- 1003 ☒ 1890 (November 3) A visually striking registered cover to **Brazil** bearing a 5c grey Small Queen, Ottawa printing perf 12, alongside an 8c blue Registered Letter Stamp, a few short perfs, both tied by light oval "R", partially clear Quebec 90 NO 3 dispatch at right; on reverse Montreal NO 4 90 CDS transit and neatly struck New York 11 - 6 1890 double oval and superb Brazilian receivers - Pernambuco 3 DEZ 90 and Alagoas 6 DEZ 90 CDS. Cover with minor flaws clear of stamps. A late usage of the 8c RLS overpaying by 3c the 5c registration fee to Brazil, nevertheless very few covers bearing an 8c RLS are known addressed to a country outside of Europe, F-VF; 2002 Sergio Sismondo cert. (Unitrade 42, F3) **Est. 1,500.00+**

We would point out only one other Registered Letter Stamp cover has been reported to Brazil, franked with a 5c RLS on a 3c postal envelope uprated with 3c (2) and 1c Small Queens.



- 1004 ☒ 1892 (September 19) Registered envelope franked with a remarkable franking consisting of a 10c Small Queen pair in a beautiful rose carmine shade (Ottawa printing), perf 12 and a 5c green RLS tied by St. Catherines Street / Montreal dispatch CDS, oval "R" handstamp, addressed to Mainz, Germany, clear Registered 29 SP 92 London oval transit in red; clear, complete Mainz 30.9.92 receiver backstamp, roughly opened at foot and trivial wrinkles all away from the stamps. **An exceedingly rare quadruple UPU (20 cent) letter rate to Germany, plus 5c registration.** To the best of our knowledge this is a UNIQUE franking to Germany, Fine (Unitrade 45a, F2) **Est. 2,500.00+**

Interestingly enough only one other Ten cent Small Queen cover to Germany has been reported with a 5 cent Registered Letter Stamp, dated July 1888, and franked with a single 10 cent.



- 1005 ☒ 1893 (March 27) Cover to St. Georges, **Grenada, British West Indies** bearing Ottawa printing Small Queen ½c pair, 1c, 2c vertical bisect and 3c plus 5c RLS, a few perf flaws, tied by light oval "R" handstamps, additional strike at left with Truro CDS; on reverse RPO, St. John NB, New York 3 - 30 1893 double oval transits and clear Grenada 93 AP 14 receiver. New York registration label affixed on obverse of envelope; light toning and vertical crease away from stamps. A rare and exotic destination during the Small Queen era; **THE ONLY REPORTED 5 cent Registered Letter Stamp cover to Grenada, Fine (Unitrade 34, 35, 36c, 41, F2)** **Est. 750.00+**



- 1006 ☒ 1894 (February 13) Registered cover from London, Ont. to Toronto, unusually franked with a pair of 2c rose carmine RLS, trivial perf flaws and block 1c yellow Small Queen, tied by London dispatch postmarks, oval "R" handstamp; pays 3c domestic letter rate + 5c registration. Combinations of RLS and postage stamps were allowed to pay the required 5c registration fee as of May 8, 1889 without penalty, F-VF (Unitrade 35, F1b) ex. *Horace Harrison (October 2003; Lot 340)* **Est. 250.00+**



- 1007 ☒ 1911 (January 25) 2c on 3c Red postal envelope with printed return notice, uprated with late usage of a 3c bright vermillion imperforate pair (crease between stamps) and a large margined imperforate 5c green RLS with imprint at foot, tied by Ottawa / R / JAN 25 11 CDS, violet registration box and oval "R" handstamp, to Massachusetts with Boston and Cambridge receiver backstamps. Light soiling and small portion of flap missing, still an unusual genuine usage of these imperforates on cover, VF (Unitrade 41b, F2c, EN23) **Est. 350.00+**



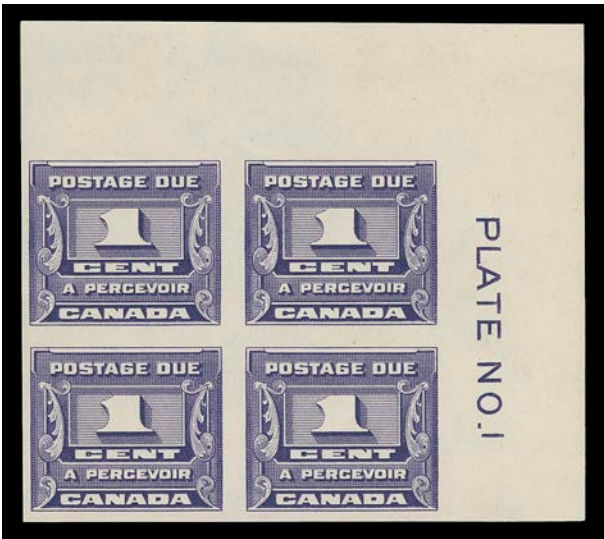
POSTAGE DUE



- 1008 ★ J2, 1917 2c Violet on Medium Wove Paper (Wet Printing) A brilliant fresh mint single with complete, full strength Type A lathework in the left margin, full original gum; a most attractive lathework stamp, Fine+ NH 2,500.00



- 1009 ★ J10a, 1932 10c Dark Violet The elusive mint vertical pair imperforate horizontally, remarkably well centered for this error which is almost always found badly off-center; bright fresh colour and full pristine original gum; one of the very finest pairs that exists, VF+ NH 5,000.00



- 1010 ★ J11a, 1934 1c Dark Violet A fabulous mint imperforate Plate 1 upper right corner block of four, brilliant fresh colour, showing the faintest trace of hinging in the selvage only. Exceedingly rare - perhaps one other exists (possibly from a different position), XF VLH Est. 2,500.00+

WAR TAX



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- 1011 ★ **MR1, 1915 1c Green War Tax** A beautifully mint plate block of eight in a lovely bright shade, complete "295 - OTTAWA - No-A1" imprint in lower margin, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$960 as singles) **Est. 350.00+**
- 1012 ★ **MR2C, 1915 20c Olive Green WAR TAX Overprint in Black** A choice mint single, well centered with strikingly tall margins and deep rich colour, VF+ NH **720.00+**

Interestingly enough, the stamp shows a **Re-entry** (Plate 2 UR Pane Position 94) described in Marler as doubling of the oval band inside left centre and outside right centre, guide dot touching left side of the portrait (and at foot of "E" in "POSTAGE").



- 1013 ★ **MR2Bi, 1915 5c Blue Inland Revenue WAR TAX Overprint in Black** A superb mint Plate 6 block of four, remarkably well centered with deep rich colour on bright fresh paper, lightly hinged in sheet margin only, stamps have full immaculate original gum and NEVER HINGED; a wonderful plate block that will be nearly impossible to improve upon, XF NH (Unitrade cat. \$4,800 as stamps alone) **Est. 2,000.00+**



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- 1014 ★ **MR3, 1916 2c+1c Carmine, Die I War Tax, Perf 12** A superb large margined mint single, well centered with deep colour and full original gum; a great stamp, VF+ NH JUMBO **180.00+**
- 1015 ★ **MR3a, 1916 2c+1c Dark Carmine, Die II War Tax, Perf 12** An unusually choice mint block displaying the characteristic richer shade associated with this scarcer die, in exceptional condition precise centering and amazing colour on fresh paper with full pristine original gum, VF+ NH **4,800.00**

**AN IMPORTANT MINT PLATE MULTIPLE
OF THIS ELUSIVE ADMIRAL WAR TAX DIE**



- 1016 ★ **MR4a, 1916 2c+1c Dark Yellow Brown, Die I War Tax, Perf 12** An exceptional plate imprint "OTTAWA - No. A1" strip of three, natural straight edge left with guide arrow, extremely well centered with deep rich colour, hinged only on centre stamp, left and right-hand stamps both with pristine original gum and NEVER HINGED. A very rare and choice plate multiple of this elusive die, no doubt ranking among the choicest, VF; Unitrade cat. \$9,450 as stamps only **Est. 5,000.00+**

Provenance: Harry Lussey, June 1981; Lot 1331
 Fred Goodhelpsen, November 2004; Lot 2337
 John Smallman, February 2018; Lot 338



- 1017 ★ **MR4a, 1916 2c+1c Dark Yellowish Brown, Die I War Tax, Perf 12** A very nice mint example of this very scarce Admiral stamp - the scarce die, displaying noticeably large margins, well centered within, true rich colour and full pristine original gum, NEVER HINGED. On the short-list of the most difficult Admiral stamps to find in select quality, VF NH **4,050.00**



- 1018 ★ **MR4c, 1916 2c+1c Brown, Die II War Tax** Imperforate pair of the elusive die, in remarkably choice condition with large margins, showing the distinctive darker shade, ungummed as issued. A sought-after pair missing from even advanced collections, VF+ **3,000.00**



- 1019 ★ **MR4, 1917 2c+1c Dark Brown, Die II War Tax, Perf 12** A quite well centered mint pair with large margins and rich colour, showing the **Double Lathework** variety at centre (12 mm wide) of full strength Type A lathework, NH and nearly VF; 2010 Greene Foundation cert. for a strip of four from which this pair originates. **2,000.00**



OFFICIAL AND OFFICIALLY SEALED STAMPS



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- 1020 ☉ OA159, 1929 \$1 Olive Green, 5-Hole OHMS (Pos. A) An unusually well centered and sound used example of this difficult official stamp, VF 700.00
- 1021 ★ O9a, 1949-1950 50c Lumbering OHMS Overprint Reasonably centered mint single showing **no period after "S" variety** (Pos. 47), portion of Plate 1 imprint in lower margin, faintest trace of hinging, F-VF 750.00



- 1022 ★ O46a, 1963 1c Cameo "G" Official Overprint The scarce error showing **double printing of the "G" overprint** - two clear impressions close together; small light pencil notation "45" by K. Bileski denoting plate position from the unique part sheet of 80, VF NH 1,500.00



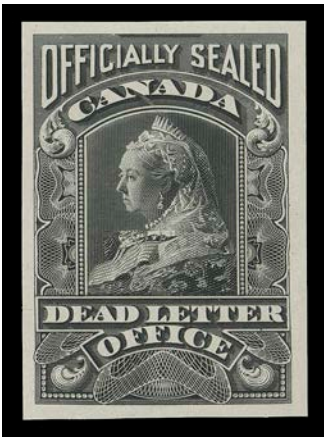
- 1023 P OX2P, 1902 Officially Sealed Stamp Plate proof pair printed in black, colour of issue, on card mounted india paper, with large margins and in pristine condition, XF and choice 2,000.00



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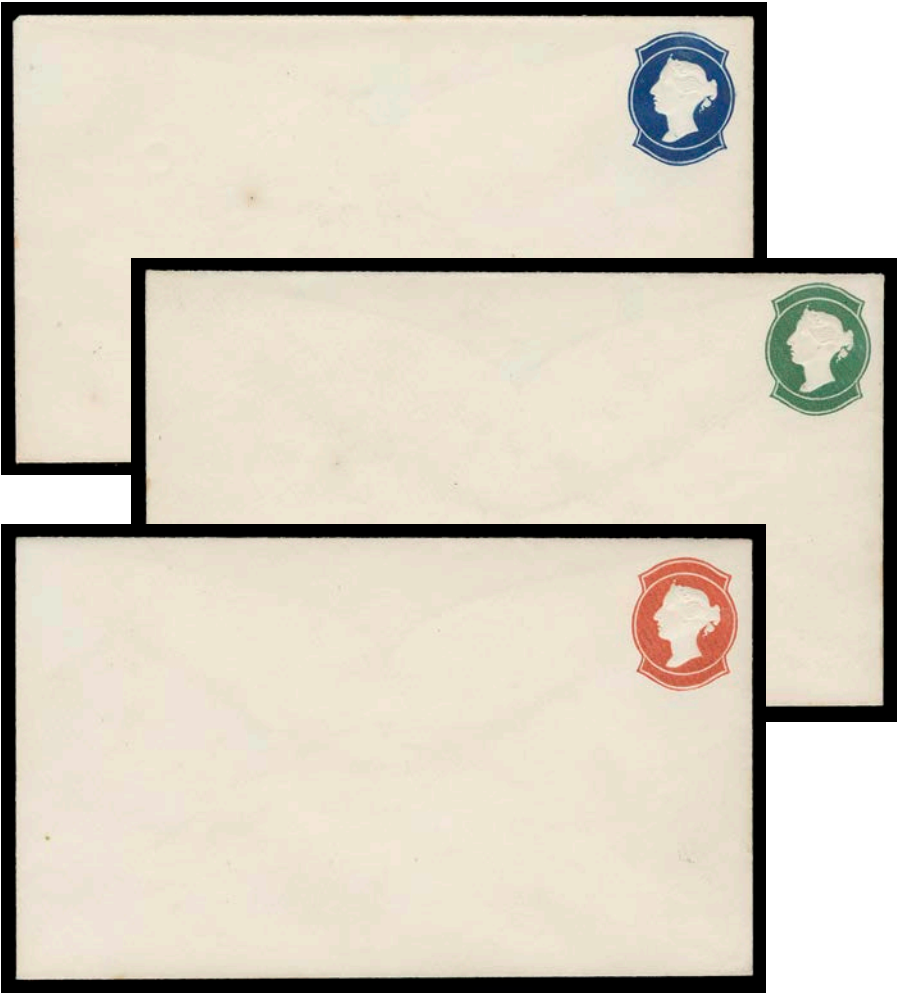
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- 1024 P OX2P, 1902 Officially Sealed A choice, full margined plate proof in black on card mounted india paper, VF+ 1,000.00
- 1025 P OX2P, 1902 Officially Sealed A beautiful plate proof single printed in black on india paper, VF 1,000.00
- 1026 ★ OX3, 1907 Officially Sealed, Black on White Wove Paper A precisely centered mint single with fresh colour, margin at top with "OTTAWA" plate inscription, full pristine original gum; VF+ NH 600.00



- 1027 ★ OX4, 1913 Officially Sealed Brown Black on White Wove Paper Upper right Plate 1 block of eight, some split perfs supported by a hinge on top left pair, couple natural gum bends. A rare plate multiple, full original gum with six stamps NEVER HINGED, Fine+; 2014 Greene Foundation cert. 2,100.00
- 1028 ☒ 1894 (November 20) 3c red postal envelope endorsed "Bookpost" and mailed unsealed to Cetinje, Montenegro, neatly postmark of Montreal, light Montenegro 4 /12 CDS on reverse; a very elusive destination, VF (Unitrade EN7) ex. Vic Willson (October 2013; Lot 1011)

Illustrated on Website Est. 150.00+



- 1029 E 1865 (circa.) Non-Denominated Nesbitt & Company** Postal envelope essays with embossed indicia in blue, green and red on diagonally laid paper with batonné lines (27mm apart) with rounded gummed flaps. An exceedingly rare set which once graced the famous Horace Harrison collection, VF (Webb EN-E2, EN-E3, EN-E4) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1030 ☉ CANADA CITY PRECANCELS Extensive City Type Precancels - Brandon to Winnipeg** A few hundred organized on stockpages, mostly different including a few multiples and some better Bar Types, a few faults but noted higher valued items (several in the \$150 to \$200 range), otherwise a very high percentage are in selected, sound condition, a useful lot. Standard Precancel Cat. \$7,814. **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 1031 ☉ CANADA CITY PRECANCELS Brandon to Yorkton City Precancels** Over 300 different organized on stockpages; mostly cataloguing \$10 to \$75 or more, majority with faults, ranging from major to very minor. A great opportunity to acquire a substantial lot containing many elusive items. Standard Precancel Cat. \$6,586. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 500.00+**

CANADA REVENUES (FEDERAL)



- 1032 P **FB18-FB36, 1865 1c-\$3 Second Bill Issue** The complete set of sixteen plate proofs pairs in the issued colours (the 20c and \$1 green + red centre do not exist in issued colours), each pair with large margins, VF and choice **Est. 500.00+**



- 1033 ☉ **FB53a, 1868 \$2 Red & Black, Third Bill Issue, Perf 12** An outstanding example of the striking INVERTED CENTER major error, unusually well centered and displaying a combination of manuscript and blue datestamp cancellations. A wonderful example in flawless condition unlike most of the known examples. An amazing stamp in all respects, VF and rare; 2010 Greene Foundation cert. (Van Dam cat. \$12,500) **Est. 6,000.00+**

Provenance: Robert Cunliffe, June 2009; Lot 1074
Philip Little Jr, Sissons Sale 335, February 1974; Lot 694



- 1034 ☉ **FG20a, 1897 60c Blue, Gas Inspection, Rouletted** A rare sound example with intact rouletting all around, serial number "088955" and manuscript date and initialed "29 / 3 H.G.R." similar to other known examples. Only two panes (serial number 088901 to 089000) had rouletting before being used during 1913, fewer survive today, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$4,000) **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1035 ★ **FM1, FM1a, 1909 Medicine Stamps Red, Perf 12** Mint sheet of 100, issued without plate inscription, perf separation throughout right margin but quite well centered, shows the constant large dot before CANADA variety (Pos 53) plus minor varieties on other positions (counted as normal). A scarce sheet, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$530) *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 100.00+**



- 1036 ★ **FSC1-FSC6, 1876 10c-\$5 Blue Young Queen** The set of six Unfinished Specimen stamps - no serial number, each with full streaky original gum, characteristic of the issue; \$1 has minor gum bend, F-VF OG; rarely offered as a set. **Est. 750.00+**



- 1037 ★◎ **FSC30, 1916 \$1 Blue Widow Queen, "IN PRIZE"** Handstamp in Red Mint and used singles with red serial "031031" and "032679" number respectively, former with tiny hinge thin, latter with single punch cancel, Fine+ (Van Dam cat. \$1,900) **Est. 350.00+**



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- 1038 ★ FSC31, 1916 25c Blue King George V "IN PRIZE" Handstamp in Red Unused example with red serial "000571" number, Fine (Van Dam cat. \$1,250) Est. 250.00+
- 1039 ◎ FWT7b, 1920 1c Orange War Tax A fresh, well centered single with row of precancelled black "squares", scarce, VF (Van Dam cat. \$550) Est. 200.00+



- 1040 ★◎ 1897-1935 Supreme Court Stamps Selection of 13 stamps; eleven used, two mint NH. Noted better such as FSC10 \$5 black with red serial number VF used, FSC13 & 14 10c blue KGV, perf 12 and rouletted sound used examples, FSC19 \$30 horizontal bars on \$1 KGV select used example, FSC20 \$30 vertical bars on \$1 KGV VF NH, etc. Couple with flaws; mainly F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$6,860) Est. 1,250.00+



- 1041 ★◎ CANADA REVENUES Mainly Used Accumulation** Hundreds mostly displayed on cards noting British Columbia Law Stamps, many ex K. Bileski noting BCL2 NH, watermarked BCL5a used (2), 7a, various scarcer pin perf examples, large assortment of early used Ontario & Quebec Law Stamps, latter with 7 proofs 5c/80c, Yukon used YL1, etc. Heavy duplication in places and variable condition; also Quebec 1958 Conservation Deer & Caribou NH block of eight with four se-tenant pairs (Van Dam QFG13 cat. \$1,200) flaws on two pairs, still seldom seen. *Illustrated on Website Est. 500.00+*
- 1042 ★◎ CANADA REVENUES Mint / Used Collection** Over 200 stamps, light duplication in places, mounted on Elbe quadrilled pages. Several different categories of Federal revenues are represented with much of the value focused in War & Excise Tax stamps, noting Van Dam mint FX33, 49 used FX37, 50, War Tax / Inland Revenue overprint on well centered mint 5c & 20c Admiral (Unitrade MR2Bi, MR2Ci), etc. Mixed on a few; overall nice condition. *Not Illustrated Est. 200.00+*
- 1043 ◎ CANADA REVENUES Substantial Used Accumulation** Many hundreds predominantly used, heavily duplicated especially on certain Third Bill Issues, War and Excise Tax stamps, most organized in plastic sleeves or on retail cards, etc. Noted better War Tax, Excise Tax, Gas Inspection, Weights & Measures, Supreme Court, etc. including Van Dam used FWT7e (2), FG8, FWM5, 7, FSC1 unused, 12 used, etc. Mixed condition but useful. *Not Illustrated Est. 500.00+*
- 1044 ★◎ CANADA REVENUES (PROVINCIAL) AV1/AV16, Alberta 1953 & 1955 Vacation Pay Stamps** First Issue 1c & 5c mint NH, 1955 Second Issue mint LH set of eight, plus 25c & \$2 used singles, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$487) *Illustrated on Page 313 Est. 100.00+*
- 1045 ★◎ CANADA WILDLIFE STAMPS (FEDERAL) Extensive Collection of 1985-2009 Wildlife Habitat Conservation** Mint booklets complete 1985-2009 (except 2003), plus 2009 souvenir sheet; Artist signed booklets, 13 different - 1985-1997 (less 1991), plus 2003; a COMPLETE SET of corner mint NH blocks of four from 1986 to 2009; 1985-2009 complete on individual license (plus a few duplicates) and another 24 different privately made cacheted FDC from 1985/2009 period, some with silk cachets. Clean and all displayed on stockpages. Unitrade cat. approx \$5,800 for listed items only *Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+*



- 1046 ★ CANADA WILDLIFE STAMPS (FEDERAL) 1986/2009 Wildlife Habitat Conservation Mint NH Full Sheets** An impressive lot consisting of 22 different mint sheets of 16, complete from first year (less 1999, 2002). Not often seen this comprehensive, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$11,175) **Est. 1,500.00+**

CANADA WILDLIFE STAMPS (PROVINCIAL)



- 1047 ★ BCD3c, British Columbia 1948 \$1 Orange, Green & Blue Duck Stamps** An imperforate sheet of five without gum, fresh colours, VF and scarce (Van Dam cat. \$1,600) **Est. 350.00+**



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| 1048 | ★ | BDC4, British Columbia 1949 \$1 Orange, Red & Black Duck Stamps A choice mint pair with natural straight edge at foot, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$1,500) | Est. 500.00+ |
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| 1049 | ★ | MBF1a-MBF17a, 1993-2009 Manitoba Fisheries Enhancement Stamps Complete run for period covered of undenominated Fishing Stamps in panes of ten; each pane has all ten stamps signed by artist, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$1,870 as normal unsigned stamps) | Est. 300.00+ |
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- 1050 ★ **MW1a, 1967 Winnipeg Wildlife Conservation, Davac Gum** A well centered mint vertical strip of five, imperforate horizontally between top and second pairs, highly unusual to have two imperforate varieties in different rows of the same sheet, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$1,100+) **Est. 350.00+**
- 1051 ★ **MW1a, 1967 Winnipeg Wildlife Conservation, Davac Gum** An unusually choice mint vertical strip of five, imperforate horizontally between second and third stamps; this pair is very well centered with large margins, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$550) **Est. 150.00+**



- 1052 ★ **MW1b, MW1 var., 1967 Winnipeg Wildlife Conservation** Mint horizontal strip of three, imperforate vertically between left margin and stamp, scarce and unlisted in Van Dam; also a mint block of six with double perforation variety at left, F-VF NH **Est. 200.00+**



- 1053 ★ **NSG1, a, b, c, 1953 Cape Breton Game Stamp, Green, Perf 12½** Four different mint NH singles - normal perf 12½ plus one with missing feather variety; also single with extra row of horizontal perforations (faint gum disturbance) plus similar variety missing feather; hard to find varieties, F-VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$780) **Est. 200.00+**



- 1054 ★ **PC1-PC5, PC6a, 1942 25c Prairie Conservation** The set of five in mint blocks of four, plus 25c blue & red Partridge pane of 5, all fresh and VF NH (Van Dam \$740) **Est. 150.00+**



- 1055 ★ **Remarkably Comprehensive Wildlife Habitat Conservation** A wonderful collection of all provinces and territories, ALL ARTIST SIGNED mini sheets in booklet from Alberta to Yukon, plus Atlantic Waterfowl 1995-1998. From the first issued booklets 1992-1997 (Quebec starts in 1998) to 2006-2007. All organized on stockpages with complete runs for each. Also Nova Scotia 1992 & 1993 gutter pairs, Ontario 1993 & Saskatchewan 1993 mint NH sheets of 16 with vertical gutter margins at centre. Plus the scarcer Saskatchewan (Van Dam SW1-SW3; unsigned)) 1988, 1989 & 1990 booklets. Clean mint NH condition and routinely VF throughout (Van Dam cat. \$6,220) **Est. 750.00+**

- 1056 ★☒ **British Columbia Fishing Stamps - An Extensive Collection** Displayed on stockpages, unusually comprehensive from 1989-1990 to 2009-2010 issues with a fabulous showing of panes, usages on licenses, positional gutter blocks, signed panes & booklets, etc. Noted panes of eight BCF1p-BCF7p complete and from BCF7p to BCF21p complete (ex BCF12 signed pane) where unsigned and artist signed pane are represented; signed panes catalogued as normal. Also cross gutter blocks BCF4l and 6m complete, various single-usages on licenses (29), etc. We noted some Van Dam unlisted items such as BCF3 imperf sheetlet of four + imperf signed sheetlet, BCF7 set of two imperf cross gutter blocks of four, BCF8 cross gutter block of four. A clean and very useful lot, ready for further specialization. Van Dam cat. \$5,180+; no premium added for the numerous signed panes and not counting unlisted items. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1057 ★☒ Manitoba Fisheries Enhancement Stamps** Complete run of mint panes of ten from 1993 to 2009, plus artist signed singles from MBF1 to MBF11 and 18 licenses with single-usage from 1993 / 2009 (only 1998 - 2001 not represented), last three years are imprinted directly onto license, seldom seen, VF (Van Dam MBF1a-MBF17a cat. \$1,980 for panes of ten and unsigned singles only)
Illustrated on Website Est. 300.00+
- 1058 ★☒ Pitt Waterfowl Management Association** An unusually comprehensive collection on stockpages, showing 18 imperforate and 18 perforated sheetlets of four, mostly different artist signed / unsigned formats, including uncut jumbo sheets - 1992 imperf, 1995 perforated and 1996 overprinted imperf. Also six different artist signed FDC. (Van Dam cat. \$2,490+) *Illustrated on Website Est. 350.00+*



- 1059 ★☒ Québec 1988-2009 Extensive Wildlife Habitat Conservation** Clean collection organized on stockpages with 22 artist-signed imperforate sheetlets of four including the key QW1b; plus another 22 perforated sheetlets. Also a total of 30 perf & imperf mini sheets mostly artist signed with WWF overprint; then 35 First Day Covers from 1989 to 2009 in addition to three FDC with encased coins (for 1994 to 1996 WWF). A beautiful lot seldom encountered with such comprehensive coverage. (Van Dam cat. \$13,175)
Est. 1,500.00+



- 1060 ★ Collection Balance of Mainly Alberta Ducks & Wildlife Stamps** Various Alberta 1989-1997 Duck stamps in mint multiples, including 1989 \$6 sheet of 20, also usages on ten certificates from 1990s. Also Alberta Wildlife Certificate Stamps unused AW139-148, 148a, 152, 154-166, plus various Game stamps from 1960s on various (or part of) certificates in mixed condition. Québec 1952 Fish & Game mint block of four (Van Dam QFG1). Seldom seen Saskatchewan & Ontario Game and / or Angling permit stamps on licenses 1960s-2000s; Canada Migratory Game Bird Hunting Permits 1966/1973 six different and seldom seen, etc. Mixed condition on a few, mainly F-VF or better; worth a closer look and a great lot for specialist.
Est. 500.00+



- 1061 ★◎ CANADA TOBACCO STAMPS Old-Time Collection of Canadian Tobacco Tax Paid Stamps
Housed in four old springback albums, displayed on loose leaves with write-up (quite informative), containing about 1,100 Cigarette stamps, Tobacco strips and Snuff. First two subjects are extensive in "Series C" and Series of 1942. Myriad coloured surcharges, Excise tax overprints / surcharges, different code cancels - date of use and manufacturer. An impressive collection assembled by a knowledgeable collector in the 1940s and 1950s and untouched since. Condition is mixed as usual but overall better than normally seen; seldom seen material ideal for a specialist. Est. 1,000.00+



- 1062 ★◎ CANADA TOBACCO STAMPS Remarkable Old-Time Collection of Mainly Unused Tobacco Stamps
Old scrapbook with over 200 different, mostly unused, noting early large size stamps and strips from 1860s and 1870s, emphasis on 1880s Manufactured Tobacco from various cities, including inscriptions in French; a few without serial numbers and a few surcharged or handstamped. Some degree of ageing and mixed condition as to be expected with these. A great lot which has not seen the light of day in years. Est. 750.00+
- 1063 ★ TELEPHONE FRANKS, British Columbia Small Telephone Franks 69 booklet panes of four from 1931 to 1960 with intact tab margin at top, 24 are watermarked, one is without serial number. Clean condition throughout, ungummed as issued, mainly VF (Van Dam BCT103/BCT191 cat. \$2,966)
Illustrated on Website Est. 500.00+



CANADA LARGE LOTS AND COLLECTIONS



- 1064 P Selection of Pence & Cents Proofs** About 25 different (from a total of 34) plate proof singles on india or card, also ½p rose imprint block with vertical SPECIMEN in green and an 1868 ABNC 10p trade sample proof. Noted better items such as Unitrade #2TCiv, 9TCi, 16TC, an unusual 10c Consort proof in purple on india (perhaps from a "Goodall" compound die), etc. A few small flaws, mainly F-VF
Est. 1,500.00+



- 1065 ★◎ Comprehensive Assortment of 1851-1867 Pence & Cents** Starting with 22 Pence issues mostly used, mostly different printings with eleven 3p Beaver from 1851 laid paper to 1858 soft ribbed paper; 6p Consort on laid; one on thick fibrous paper just touching top frame, otherwise fresh, large margins and sound; a sound fresh 7½p dark green with 4-ring '21' cancel, etc. Cents issue is extensive with 78 stamps with a wide range of perforations, shades and printings; plus some unused such as 5c mint part OG block; also some used pairs and wing margin examples with ABNC imprint, some varieties with 5c Rock in Waterfall, Major Re-entries on 1c (Pos. 58), two 10c shades (Pos. 29) and 12½c (Pos. 94). Condition from faulty to sound including many VF stamps. A great lot for a specialist as most stamps were selected for subtle differences and better overall condition.
Est. 2,500.00+



- 1066 ☉ Better Selection of 1851-1867 Pence & Cents** Fifteen used and one mint displayed on a stockpage. Includes #1a F-VF small flaw at foot, #3Pi proof just clear at right; #5b used F-VF clear at foot, very large margins on other sides; #9 F-VF with unusual segmented cancel; #10 Fine, small repair; #14/20 mostly sound and VF including #17b 10c brown, small tear at foot with light but legible four-ring '19' cancel IN BLUE (RF 10) and also mint #14b 1c deep rose VF
Est. 2,500.00+



- 1067 ★ Large Assortment of Large Queens Mint / Unused** On stockpages mint or unused with: ½c (7 plus two blocks, one NH), 1c brown red (4; one watermarked), 1c yellow orange (3 shades), 2c (6), 3c (3), 5c (3), 6c (3), 12½c (3 plus mint block with part OG), 15c (23) from 1871 red lilac to 1890s shades including a Studd's "cold blue", also a perf 11½x12 mint plus mint four blocks of 1890s printings. Condition variable throughout, viewing is recommended.
Est. 2,500.00+



- 1068 ☉ Comprehensive Selection of Used Large Queen Singles** Organized on stockpages with myriad printings, shades, papers, watermark and perforation varieties in addition to a wide range of cancellations, includes: ½c (8), 1c brown red (6; two watermarked), 1c yellow orange (3), 2c (12; two watermarked), 3c (15; one the "Goatee" variety, one on laid paper), 5c (12), 6c (16), 12½c (15; one watermarked), 15c (44, from 1st printing deep red purple shades to 1890s noting perf 11½x12s; four deep violet on thick paper (three are sound and scarce thus); and three Bothwell watermarked). Minor flaws in places, mainly selected F-VF condition
Est. 2,000.00+



- 1069 ★☉ Selection of 1868-1881 Half cent Large Queen** Group of 27 mint, unused and used singles showing different perforations, cancels, shades and papers, includes one on Bothwell paper with JA 16 72 postmark. A few with minor flaws but a useful group for the specialist.
Est. 350.00+



- 1070** **Large Queen Used Multiples** An impressive lot of 23 items including pairs (14), strips of three (5), blocks (3) and one block of six. Some minor faults but noted 1c brown red on Bothwell paper strip of three, 1c yellow orange two strips of three with Frankford C.W. DE 20 69 split rings and with Nova Scotia oval grids, 2c emerald green VF pair, 6c brown on Bothwell VF pair; 5c olive green pair and strip of three with Port Dover NO 24 75 split rings. **Est. 750.00+**



- 1071** **Circular Datestamps on Large Queens** Mainly clear strikes including double arc datestamps, CDS and split rings on 1c brown red, 1c yellow orange (2), 2c, 3c shades (7), 5c, 6c (2), 12½c (4) and 15c. Minor flaws on some but noted highly select examples; attractive and seldom seen. **Est. 300.00+**

- 1072** **Three Cent Small Queen Calendar Collection** A substantial lot comprised of over 1300 used singles with dated postmarks; all different dates from June 1883 to December 31, 1897 as follows: 1883-1888 (48), 1889 (27), 1890 (57), 1891 (138), 1892 (209), 1893 (165), 1894 (157), 1895 (169), 1896 (209), 1897 (194). Also about 200 duplicates. Mixed to Fine or better. **Not Illustrated Est. 500.00+**



- 1073 ★ **Extensive Mint 1870-1897 Small Queen Collection** Displayed on loose leaf and a stockpages with nice run of mint or unused singles including early printings, perf 11½x12s, some blocks, various imperforate pairs, plate imprint multiples, some plate / perforation varieties. Many specialty items throughout; strength in the 3c, 5c & 6c. Some mixed condition, a strong collection with in-depth representation; well worth close examination **Est. 5,000.00+**



- 1074 ◎ **Extensive Small Queen Used Collection** In mounts on loose leaf and three stockpages, excellent representation of all values, loaded with fancy cancels, shades, printings, multiples, plate varieties, postmarks, jumbo examples, precancels including varieties, etc. Noted choice 2c latent re-entry (LR margin) with CDS, 3c copper red with very prominent vertical STITCH watermark, 1870 3c copper red perf 12½ used (2 with perf flaws), various plate varieties including four 6c yellow brown Major Re-entry (Pos. 67), a great selection of 10c stamps from 1874 pale milky rose lilac to 1897 brick red shade and a range of used Widow Weeds. Considerable in-depth coverage, loaded with numerous desirable items in overall quality superior to what we are accustomed to seeing. A great lot for the Small Queen enthusiast. **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1075 ☉☒ Extraordinary Hoard of 1870-1897 Small Queen Stamps** Thousands on stockpages, on cards, in glassines, etc. Focus on 1c and 3c values but also remarkable ranges of 2c, 5c, 6c & 8c are to be found. Exceptional cancels from grids to fancy, town postmarks and coloured. Early printings abound, as well as perf 11½x12s, various multiples and some unused / mint; including a mint severed ½c Plate 1 Right Pane of 100, strengthened by hinges with Major Re-entries Pos. 10, 49 and 98, also a covers and much more. At a quick glance we note some form of organizing certain types of cancels together, by printing or roughly by denomination, leaving plenty of room for identification, sorting and finding better items. Mixed condition from faulty to the Extremely Fine. Inspection is recommended to appreciate the sheer amount of material, in-depth coverage and potential for finds. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1076 ☉☒ Two cent Small Queen Specialized Collection** Written up on pages with 168 stamps mostly used with some pairs and strips noted, including early printings and wide range of postmarks. Also 15 covers 1870s to 1890s. Some minor flaws but many choice stamps to be found. **Est. 300.00+**



- 1077 ◎ **Small Selection of Used Small Queen Stamps** Seventeen stamps of which six examples are well centered with uncharacteristically large margins, one would need to search far and wide to find similar "freak" size stamps. Est. 250.00+



- 1078 ★◎ **1870s-1897 Assortment of Small Queens and Jubilee Issues** Noted two early rose shades of the 3c Small Queen, a mint 3c rose carmine "Gazette" printing, 6c red brown single and strip of three choice used CDS; 1897 Jubilee 8c mint LL corner block of 15, \$1 mint (3), \$5 LH with decent centering, also 1c to 5c blocks of four used with Montreal JUL 13 97 flag cancels, etc. Also 1908 15c Quebec Plate 1 VF OG pair. Mixed condition in places, mainly F-VF Est. 750.00+



- 1079 ★ **1893 20c & 50c Widow Weeds** Eight items all mint with singles (plus extra 50c NH), blocks (20c with two NH), 20c imperf pair without gum in vertical format, and scarce matching plate imprint pairs. Est. 750.00+



- 1080** ☉☒ **1897 Diamond Jubilee Assortment** Selection mainly used mostly on 3c stamps with range of cancels, precancels, etc. Also 22 covers / cards with various rates and frankings. Other interesting oddities and varieties such as used 20c **Major Re-entry** (Pos. 37), \$2 with Style T precancel, etc. **Est. 750.00+**



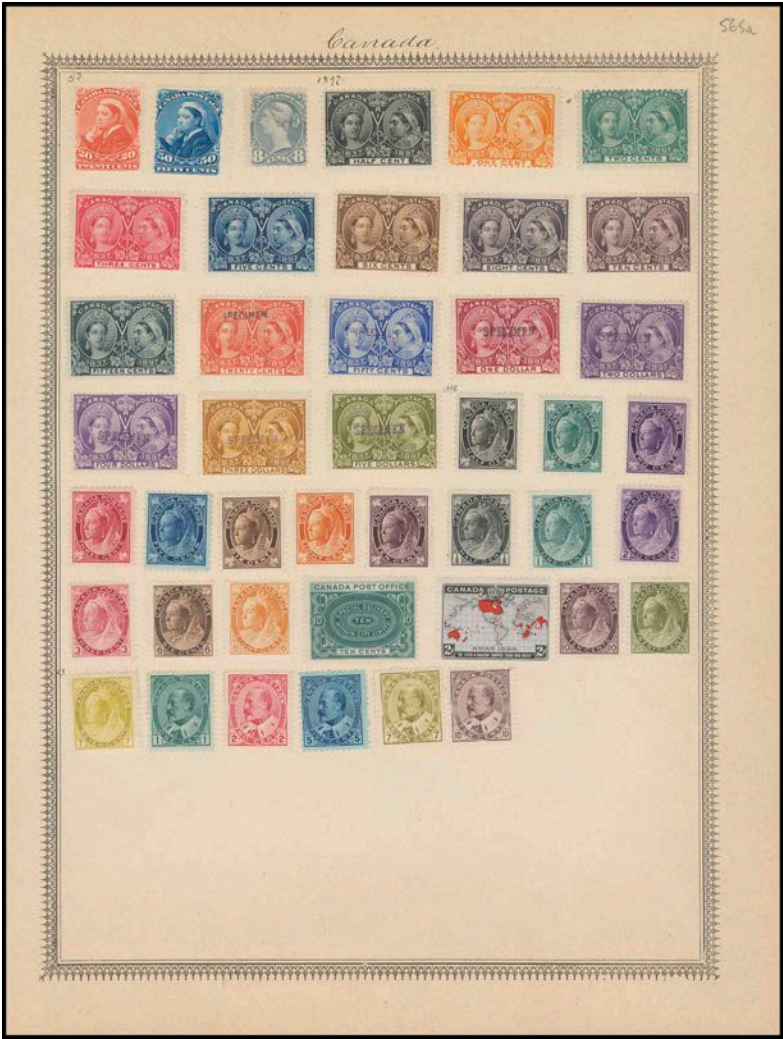
- 1081** ★☉ **1897 Diamond Jubilee Selection of Mint and Used Singles** Displayed on one stockpage with 29 stamps including 5c VF NH, 8c VF NH (faint ageing), \$1 NH, \$3 mint hinged, \$3 F-VF used, \$5 VF used with Montreal CDS, etc. Mixed condition on a few but mainly sound and F-VF or better **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1082** ★ **1897 Diamond Jubilee Mint Blocks** From ½c to \$1 in blocks of four (½c is a block of 6 and 2c is a block of 9), often with two or more stamps NH. Noted 8c VF NH block, \$1 corner margin NH block. Also includes 1c Plate "No. 6" UR VF NH block of 25. F-VF **Est. 2,000.00+**
- 1083** ★ **1897 Diamond Jubilee Plate Multiples** Seven different including 2c Plates 7 and 8 pairs, 3c Plate 12 pair, 5c Plate 10 part imprint pair, 10c Plate 19 strip of three with **Re-entry** (Pos. 3), 15c Plate 18 strip of three and 20c Plate 21 strip of three with **Re-entry** (Pos. 2). All hinged in margin only leaving stamps NH (ex one 15c), F-VF *Illustrated on Page 327* **Est. 1,000.00+**



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1084 ★ **The Royal Swedish General Post Office UPU Collection** Lovely selection of 53 different mint stamps, based on those received from the UPU, affixed to two large pre-1900 album pages and displaying true rich colours as printed well over 100 years ago, showing later printings of the Small Queen issues & 1893 Widow Weeds, then nearly complete from 1897 Diamond Jubilee to 1903 10c KEVII, (lacks only Numeral 2c carmine & 5c and 1899 provisionals). The 20c to \$5 Jubilee each have SPECIMEN handstamp overprint. **Also Newfoundland 1880s-1901** with 27 different unused stamps affixed to single album page including 1897 Discovery of Newfoundland set of 14, etc. Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1085** ★ **Extensive 1897 Leaf and 1898-1902 Numeral Collection** In mounts on loose leaf and a stockpage, replete with mint blocks, some with imprint, mint and used singles, some precancels, etc. Noted Leaf 8c NH block, 10c choice NH single; Numeral 2c booklet pane with usual dist. OG and a booklet with nice covers containing one pane; 5c on white paper, 6c & 20c NH singles. Also 20c mint single, a block with lower pair NH, used block with 1902 duplex and pair with light 1901 CDS. Mainly Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1086** ★ **Queen Victoria Leaf & Numeral Plate Multiples** Nine different plate multiples of the ½c to 3c denominations, mostly in strips of four with many of the stamps being NH. Noted better such as Plate 2 Left Pane strip of twenty with the very scarce C-Flaw variety (Pos. 14). Centering Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,000.00+**

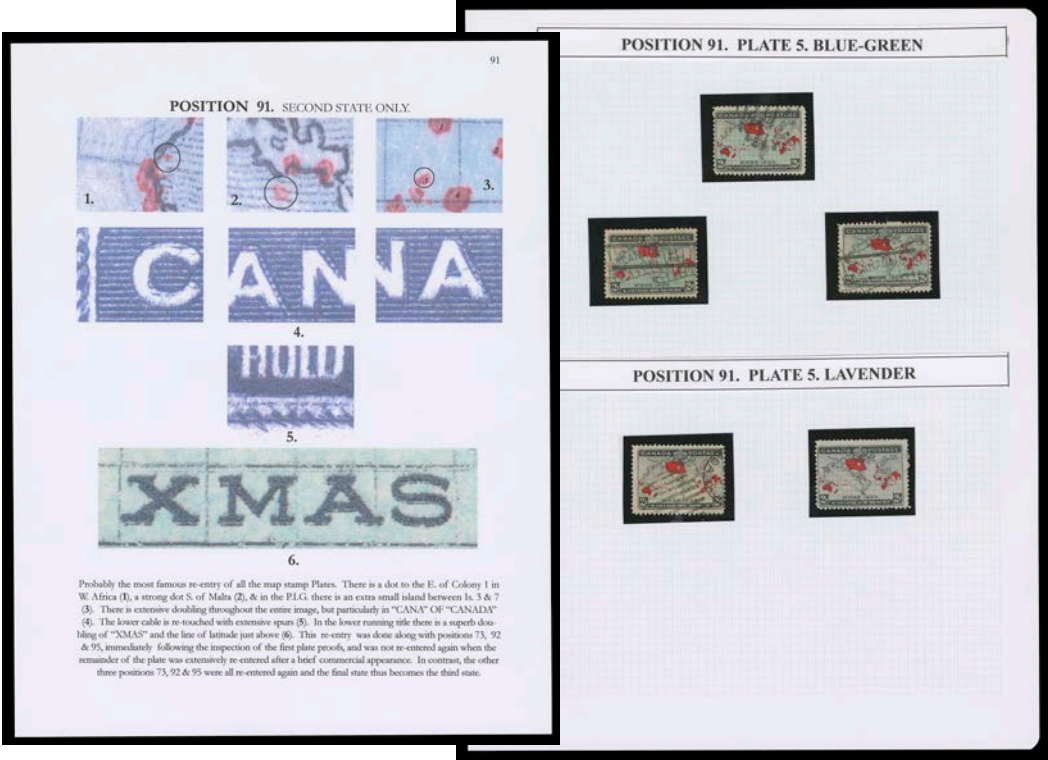
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1087  **Ken Kershaw's 1898 Map Stamp Plating Collection** An outstanding collection offered intact in eight large binders; all known Plates are represented and are COMPLETE PLATE RECONSTRUCTIONS with well over 2,900 used stamps; no plate 4 as it was never issued. Plates 1, 2 & 3 are organized in five binders by positions and plates, often divided by colour of oceans where different shades are known. The key Plate 5 is organized in three binders, noting the Major Re-entry Plate 5; Pos. 91 with five examples of what is widely regarded as the best plate variety found on this issue. The collection is well displayed on pages with each stamp in a black mount with plate position indicated and at least one example (up to about ten), alongside each position is a colour close up and notes of the identifying characteristics in the Kershaw & Boisclair book "The Canadian 1898 Christmas Map Stamp A Definitive Plating Study". Mixed condition in places but mainly F-VF including many nicely postmarked stamps. A lifetime study collection of this historically and philatelically significant postage stamp that kickstarted the famous Imperial Penny Postage Scheme. **Est. 2,500.00+**



1088   **1898 Map Stamp Collection** In mounts on loose leaf, noting nice fresh mint NH blocks of deep blue and lavender oceans, lower plate imprint block with extra line of perforations (unusual), various used and nine covers, one mixed-issue registered to Argentina, some faults. **Est. 350.00+**



- 1089 ★◎ 1903-1911 King Edward VII Collection** In mounts on loose leaf with several multiples, some with plate number noting 1c green VF NH block, 1c yellow green Plate 72 TOP imprint NH strip of four, 2c Plate 13 imperf NH block of 8, 2c Ottawa roller "1" precancel NH strip of four, 7c straw mint NH block, 20c block centered left NH, various mint / used singles, some precancels. Perkins Bacon 1c grey black gummed pair and single, two 20c SPECIMEN singles; range of 15 covers / cards noting 1c-20c set on 1907 cover (50c was not yet issued) along with Numeral 1c, 2c, 10c blue green special delivery and US 10c blue special delivery mailed registered to Austria; 5c KEVII + 50c Jubilee on 1910 postal envelope to USA, etc. Condition mixed on a few, mainly F-VF **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1090 ★◎ 1908 Québec Tercentenary Collection** In mounts on loose leaf, includes couple imperf pairs, a few plate multiples, various mint and used blocks noting 15c NH and 20c VF LH (3 NH), nice mint and used singles, about 15 covers including one with full set July 1908 cover to USA, etc. **Est. 1,000.00+**



1091 ★◎ Extensive 1911-1927 King George V Admiral Collection On quadrilled pages, replete with shades, printings, precancels with scarcer items, mint blocks and plate multiples, booklet panes, lathework, covers, etc. Noted 1c yellow dry print VF NH lathework Type D block, 2c green wet print NH booklet pane of six, 3c yellow brown wet print NH block with Type D 100% strength lathework, 4c olive yellow wet print NH Type D inverted block, 5c blue fresh mint NH block, 5c indigo NH, 7c greenish yellow NH block of six, choice 10c light blue wet print Plate 15 block of six (stamps VF NH), 10c blue dry print mint NH Type D lathework, 20c olive green, dry print NH block and Plate 7 strip of four, \$1 deep orange wet print NH, \$1 dry print block with Type D; strong representation of coils 2c perf 8 NH strip of 4, 1924 1c yellow wet print part perforate block NH, 1c yellow imperf block with Type D inverted lathework CDS used, 2c on 3c NH block with major shift, 5c War Tax NH, 20c Plate 3 strip, 20c Inland NH, 50c VLH, and much more. An impressive collection more specialized than normally seen with a high percentage NH with quality quite nice throughout. Worth a close look to appreciate the in-depth coverage. Est. 5,000.00+



- 1092 ★ Highly Select Mint NH 1911-1927 Admiral Shades / Printings** An impressive assembly of 56 DIFFERENT SHADES AND PRINTINGS of regular issued Admirals from One cent to One dollar, plus War Tax stamps and a part perforate pair; all carefully selected for centering, freshness and NH and identified on two stockpages; noting wet and dry printings, scarce early shades such as 1c grey green, 1c lemon yellow, 3c yellow brown, 20c grey green, 2c+1c dark carmine Die II War Tax. Mostly VF NH including some superb stamps. A great lot to get a real head start into specialization without compromising on quality. (Unitrade cat. over \$12,000) **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1093 ★ Large Selection of Mint / NH Admiral Stamps** Organized by denomination, shade and printings, a total 88 stamps, of which 58 are NH. Light duplication but many selected stamps may be found. High catalogue value and worth a close look. **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1094 ★☉ Comprehensive 1917-1935 KGV Collection** In mounts on loose leaf, later KGV era (no Admirals), with very strong showing of mint and used singles and blocks, perforated 5-Hole OHMS noting some double errors, mint plate imprint multiples, imperforate pairs, coils, booklet panes, covers including high value usages and FDCs, numerous varieties, etc. Very extensive, condition variable in places, mainly Fine to Very Fine **Est. 3,500.00+**
- 1095 ★☉ 1928-1929 King George V Scroll Collection** In mounts on loose leaf, includes the plate proof set in issued colours on india paper, imperforate pairs 1c & 5c and horizontal pairs, imperf vertically for 1c, 4c, 8c, 10c, 50c and \$1 most being NH. Various mint and used singles and blocks of four, along with plate blocks such as mint NH 4c Pl. 1, 5c Pl. 2 and 8c Pl. 2 blocks of eight, 20c Pl. 1 mint NH block of six, 50c Pl. 3 mint block of six, LH in the margin, etc. *Illustrated on Page 333* **Est. 1,500.00+**



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1096 ★ Range of Mainly Better Plate Blocks Over 50 different mainly late 1920s to 1940s noting 1930 50c Grand Pré UR Plate 1 LH and \$1 Cavell UR Plate 1 NH blocks, also some perforated and overprinted officials, etc. Many are NH, F-VF Est. 1,000.00+



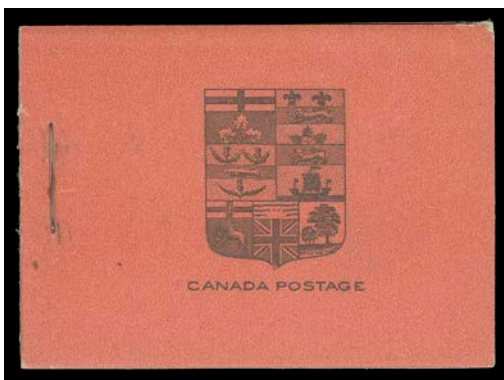
- 1097 ★◎P 1935 King George V Pictorial Collection** In mounts on loose leaf and a stockpage, often with mint block and plate block plus used block and single, mint coils, booklet panes, etc. Specialty items also such as a complete plate proof set, 50c small trial colour die proof in violet blue, set of imperf pairs (ex 5c, 8c), 13c to \$1 without gum; 3c single printed on gum side, 5c pair imperf vertically LH. A nice collection of this series. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1098 ★◎** **Extensive KGVI 1937-1952 Collection** In mounts on loose leaf, replete with mint and used singles, blocks and mint plate multiples, coils, booklet panes, covers including high value usages to Foreign destinations, numerous varieties and misperfs, etc. Noted large die proofs of 1937 2c Mufti, 1938 13c Halifax Harbour, imperf pairs of 1938 \$1 Chateau Ramezay, 1939 2c Monument with disturbed gum. Lots of useful material for the specialist, overall quality Fine to Very Fine with much of the mint NH **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1099 ★ 1949 1c/4c King George VI "Postes - Postage"** An outstanding collection of 21 plate imprint multiples (7 different) from blocks of four to plate strips of 20, all with CRACKED PLATE varieties, many with duplication showing progression of the plate crack, including scarcer 3c Plate 9 (2) & 11 (4) LR strips of twenty with variety below left six stamps. An interesting and challenging group to assemble, nearly all mint NH, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**
- 1100 ★☉ ☒ Massive Modern Era Collection** From 1951 to about 2013 housed on loose leaf pages in fifteen heavy binders, many thousands of items with mint and used singles and blocks, mint plate blocks, sheets, souvenir sheets, complete booklets, covers, etc., varieties as well noting nice print shift errors, one bar tags, scarcer printings of definitive series, etc., nice clean condition throughout with a very high degree of completion, viewing is recommended *Not Illustrated* **Est. 3,500.00+**



- 1101 ★ Large Assortment of 1920s-1980s Booklets** From Admirals to 1980s, noted early English and / or French KGV & KGVII era; tagging and perforation varieties on later issues. Better items like BK5fF, 8bE, 10bE, 13a, 20bE, 20bF, 24F, 25E, 25F, 27E (2), 63b (2), 74T1, etc. Major Misperf varieties on Caricatures and on some Centennials & Parliament booklets, etc. Condition somewhat mixed on earlier. Close examination will certainly reveal pleasant surprises. **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 1102 ★ Remarkable Lot of Booklet Panes** Hundreds of recent booklets from 1990s to 2000s, definitives and commemoratives with emphasis on self-adhesive era of the 2000s. Light to moderate duplication but saw different booklet covers, glued and unglued versions and re-issues, loaded with "P" denominated booklets. VF NH throughout *Not Illustrated* **Est. 1,000.00+**
- 1103 ★ Collection of 1997-2007 Complete Booklets** Organized on stockpages in a hard shell cover binder, excellent coverage, a high percentage being self-adhesives, including different cover types, glued and / or unglued versions, miscut varieties (unlisted in Unitrade), better varieties such as BK215Ac variety booklet of 30 showing ten vertical pairs imperforate horizontally (cat. \$1,500 as ten imperf between pairs), printed on gum side BK280Abii, 281Bbi, 302Ab (4), etc. Mainly VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$5,500+) *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1104 ★◎ **Interesting Airmail Assortment** In mounts on loose leaf and two stockpages, noting nice range of mint and used singles, mint and used blocks, mint plate multiples, varieties, part perforated pairs, covers, etc. Includes 1928 5c LR block and vertical pair both imperf horizontally, 1932 6c on 5c UR NH Plate 2 block of ten with "Swollen breast", 1935 5c Moulting Wing in VF NH block, 1943 7c LL & UR Plate 5 blocks, various airmail special delivery plate blocks, etc. Minor flaws in places, mainly F-VF or better
Est. 500.00+



- 1105 ★◎ **Semi-Official Airmail Collection** About 30 different items in mounts on loose leaf and a stockpage with mint singles, often NH, tête-bêche pairs, varieties, proofs and panes, plus fourteen covers. Wide range of airlines represented from Laurentide Air Service to Canadian Airways Ltd., plus Promotional-Winnipeg flight of Oct. 1st 1924 bearing \$1 black on red paper with wide spacing variety. Clean and fresh condition, F-VF, H to NH for stamps and mainly VF for the covers
Est. 1,500.00+



- 1106 ★◎ **1906-1965 Postage Due Collection** In mounts on loose leaf and four stockpages, noting nice range of mint and used singles, some mint blocks and plate blocks, ten covers, etc. Includes 1924 Thin paper 1c pair and 5c strip of four with Pyramid Guide (some toning), 1930 4c major misperf block of eight, 1935 1c-10c set of four imperf pairs with pristine NH gum, etc. Some flaws but mainly Fine to Very Fine
Est. 750.00+



- 1107 ★◎ **1898-1946 Special Delivery Collection** In mounts on loose leaf and two stockpages, noting a nice range of mint and used singles, mint blocks and plate multiples. Better items include 1898 10c deep blue green first printing mint block, quite well centered with large part OG, 1927 20c plate blocks (2) and VF NH imperf pair, 1930 20c left centre LH plate block, 1930 20c nicely NH block, 1932 20c fresh NH imperf pair, etc.
Est. 500.00+



- 1108 ★◎ **Registered Letter Stamps** Small collection in mounts on quadrilled pages, includes nice mint examples with shades, noting 2c orange NH with Burr to right of "T" (Unitrade F1iv), 2c rose carmine mint single and block, light creasing, a few used noting 2c vermillion with Burr at UR corner (Unitrade F1iii); mint 5c VF LH and another with BABN imprint and "R" (reversed), 8c blue VF LH, etc.
Est. 500.00+



- 1109 ★** **Collection of 1910s-1950s Perforated and Overprinted Officials** In mounts on loose leaf, starts with over 50 used 5-Hole OHMS, plus a couple usages on cover, some with varieties. Four-Hole OHMS with various mint and used plus multiples and excellent representation of overprinted OHMS and G with display of mint and / or used singles, in many cases blocks and plate blocks are shown as well as a few varieties. Much of the mint is NH, F-VF **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1110 ★** **Collection of Locals, Private Carriers, Etc.** Collection of over 120 different, most are bogus (never issued) and are linked to the infamous S.A. Taylor. Includes Bancroft's City Express, Kerr's City Post, Bell's Dispatch, Barnard's Express (a couple are genuine), City Messenger Service, Montreal Parcel Delivery, etc. Condition variable throughout, a colourful group. **Est. 500.00+**



- 1111 ★** **Extensive National Christmas Seals 1927-1980 Collection** In mounts mint NH or mounted on pages, comprising a few hundred se-tenant multiples, booklet panes from 1927 to 1969 including English and French labels, loaded with imperforates, progressive proofs and varieties. Then another binder with about 100 full sheets (about 30 different) 1936 to 1980, mainly NH. A wonderful collection that took years to assemble, ideal for a new sideline to specialize in. **Est. 1,000.00+**

- 1112 ★** **Substantial Collection of National Easter Seals from 1947 to 2002** Full sheets from 1947 to 2002 including a few in French, then progressive proofs and imperforates plus varieties mainly on 1947 to 1952 issues. Includes as well many local / city / society appeal letters, a large stack of photocopied official correspondence (archives) regarding Easter slogan cancels and a mint sheet file containing about additional sheets and part sheets for almost every issue / year from 1947 to 1969. An interesting collection seldom encountered so comprehensive. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 500.00+**



- 1113 ★ **Cinderellas - Charity Seals** Displayed on Lindner blank hingeless pages with over 150 labels gummed or ungummed; from various Charities and Societies often illustrating a religious theme, mostly originating from the province of Québec with message / imprint in French. Also a small binder containing over 250 labels (duplicates from the main collection). Mixed condition but an unusually large assortment of these cinderellas. **Est. 350.00+**



- 1114 ★◎ **1851-1908 Mint / Used Collection** In mounts on Scott pages with 12 different Pence & Cents (couple not counted), Large & Small Queens mostly used noting Scott #29a (2010 PF cert.), plus Small Queen imperforate pairs ungummed (unless mentioned) with 3c orange, 5c grey (light crease), 8c blue grey redistributed gum to look NH, and 10c rose carmine. Then 1897 Leaf to 1908 Quebec all present mint (a few NH) plus four multiples. Collection concludes with 1860-1910s postal stationery unused cut squares and an 1860 10c brown Nesbitt unused entire. Mixed condition on some but mainly selected sound condition, Fine to Very Fine **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1115 ◎ **1854-1927 Used Collection** Housed in a Scott album, starts with a few Pence & Cents, then a good showing of Large and Small Queens, a high percentage are sound and often with nice postmarks. 1897 Jubilee set is complete and many have CDS postmarks, plus 1897 Leaf to 1908 Quebec and a few later with the 1939-1970 period mint and some mint back-of-book. Condition varies on earlier, otherwise mainly F-VF **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1116 P Large Assortment of 1860s-1950s Plate Proofs, Etc.** About 55 items plate proof singles and pairs plus one larger block and a 1950 5c KGV die proof. Noted better such as 15c Large Queen pair, 5c Small Queen, 1897 Jubilee set (ex ½c & 3c) plate proofs, plus extra \$5 pair, 1898 special delivery, Numeral ½c / 8c, 6 different pairs, 1c-20c Scroll, 1938 Pictorial set of five (with 6c airmail) in pairs and singles, 1955 (circa.) Marianne Experimental proofs with three pairs and a single. A few minor flaws; mainly VF **Est. 3,000.00+**



- 1117 ★ 1860s-1908 Mint / Unused Assortment** Sixty mint stamps, all different including shades / printings, notably on Small Queens organized on two stockpages. A 12½c Decimal and the Large Queens are generally without gum, then mainly mint from Small Queens onward. Many stamps selected for centering and / or large margins. Usual mixed condition on the early ones; needs checking. **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1118 ★ 1860s-1950s Comprehensive Collection** Displayed and organized on stockpages starting with used Decimals, Large & Small Queens and Jubilees to 50c. Then virtually all stamps are present mint including coils; and booklet panes (40+ different including #107f NH pane of six) from KGV Admiral to KGV. Noted selected mint higher valued stamps, back-of-book with airmails, special delivery, officials, dues after 1930 are NH. **Est. 1,500.00+**

1119 ★◎ 1860s-1970s Predominantly Used Collection In a Scott hingeless album, from Large Queens to end of KGV, then mostly mint, plus back-of-book. Condition from mixed to very fine; also a large selection on manila stockpages including RPO cancels, Precancels, etc. Inspect. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 500.00+**



1120 ★◎ 1868-1940s Extensive Mint / Used Collection Displayed on Scott hingeless pages, starts with Large & Small Queens - quality better than expected with some exceptional stamps, then 1897 Jubilee complete set fresh mint, Leafs to Admirals well represented mint with many NH; useful back-of-book including a nice #F1 VF NH. Provinces also including N.S. 6p yellow green, slightly into design but nicely tied to 1855 cover to USA. Worth a close look. **Est. 3,500.00+**



1121 ★ Valuable Selection of 1890s-1908 Mint NH Stamps An impressive lot of 49 single stamps ranging from 1890s Small Queens to 1908 Québecs, also 10c Jubilee Plate 19 pair (left stamp Re-entry) and 2c KEVII imperf pair. All are mint NH and a high percentage are also well centered. A few with not readily apparent flaws or slight gum problems (i.e. 10c Small Queen, 20c & 50c Widow Weeds, 20c KEVII, which are otherwise NH). An unusually strong group of these challenging stamps with high catalogue value. **Est. 3,500.00+**



- 1122 ★ **1897-1943 Mint / NH Imperforate & Part Perforate Pairs** An impressive lot of 29 different pairs and a 1939 3c Royal Visit block. A dozen are NH, two are without gum and the others hinged. The odd pair minor flaw but nevertheless a valuable lot with fresh colours and mainly VF **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1123 ★ **1897-1951 Mint / NH Blocks** Thirty-five different mint blocks of four (or larger), some with plate imprint, noted better such as Jubilee 5c VF NH, 8c F-VF NH, 20c VF NH pair, 3c Leaf VF NH block of six, 8c Scroll plate 1 VF NH block of 8, 20c Arch UL Plate 1 F-VF NH, 1938 \$1 VF NH and LR Plate 1 NH, 1946 \$1 UR Plate 1 VF NH, 1951 \$1 UR Plate 1 VF NH, etc. Also Admiral including #125-134 NH coil pairs. A clean, useful lot, much is NH, F-VF **Est. 1,500.00+**



1124 ★◎ **Mint & Used Accumulation / Collection** In a stockbook, mostly identified, emphasis from Jubilees to 1940s including back-of-book; often with mint & used represented, noted as well some earlier issues, nice postmarks and shades, light duplication. Quality ranges from mixed to Very Fine **Est. 1,000.00+**



1125 ★ **1890s-1950s Mint Collection / Accumulation** Organized in two stockbooks, regular issues along with coil stamps displayed in one stockbook with excellent coverage starting with 1897 Jubilee to late KGV I with some duplicates including shades, printings, coil pairs; second stockbook with back-of-book with airmails, war tax, special delivery, postage dues, etc. Some NH and many well centered stamps to be found throughout. Useful lot for the internet / show dealer. **Est. 1,500.00+**



1126 ★ **1897-1940s Mint / NH Assortment including Back-of-Book** A few dozen different on stockpages, starts with a few 1897 Jubilee & 1908 Québec, KGV coils, perforated & overprinted officials noting O224-O225 NH, OC5 NH, Officially Sealed OX2, OX3, OX4 (2 NH), etc. **Est. 750.00+**



- 1127 ★ **Balance of Mint 1880s-1908 Issues** Lot of 36 singles and two large blocks, light duplication but many choice well centered mint stamps to be found including some NH. **Est. 500.00+**



- 1128 ★ **Large Assortment of Plate Blocks Issued Between 1899 and 1956** Organized on stockpages with about 400 different plate blocks, plus a few mint blocks, booklets & miniature panes. Much is NH especially KGV I & QEII era. Noted some cracked plate varieties. Mainly F-VF or better; high catalogue value. **Est. 750.00+**



- 1129 ★ **1912-1991 Mint / NH Collection** Housed in a Scott album in mounts, virtually complete for the period including coils and excellent back-of-book. Earlies with only a few NH but did note #159, 177 and 136-38 blocks; later from 1946 on has much NH. Also noted 1928 5c airmail NH pair imperforate vertically and 1927 20c orange special delivery mint LH imperf pair. Clean condition throughout. Fine to Very Fine **Est. 1,250.00+**



- 1130 ★ **Impressive 1913-1960s Collection of Coil Stamps** Displayed on Lindner hingeless blank pages with brief notes on most of the earlier material, an extensive showing of coil pairs from Admirals to late KGVI era, noting numerous paste-up and line pairs (plus six paste-up or line strips of four) from Admirals to Medallion. From 1935 to Centennials majority of issues are represented by a strip of four AND a jump strip - a remarkable feat as many of the latter are difficult to find. A few varieties are shown as well as a large assortment from Caricature to 2000s self-adhesives. Overall quality is very nice throughout, majority being NH and mostly VF; a wonderful lot for the specialist. **Est. 3,000.00+**



- 1131 ★ **Specialized 1915-2006 Coil Stamp Collection** Organized on stockpages in a hard shell binder starting with Admirals to end of KGVI, including pairs, paste-up pairs, jump strips and end / starter strips (13 different). Then 1950s to modern self-adhesives including strips, numerous paper varieties, shifts, etc. Much is mint NH, F-VF or better; a useful lot with substantial catalogue value. **Est. 750.00+**



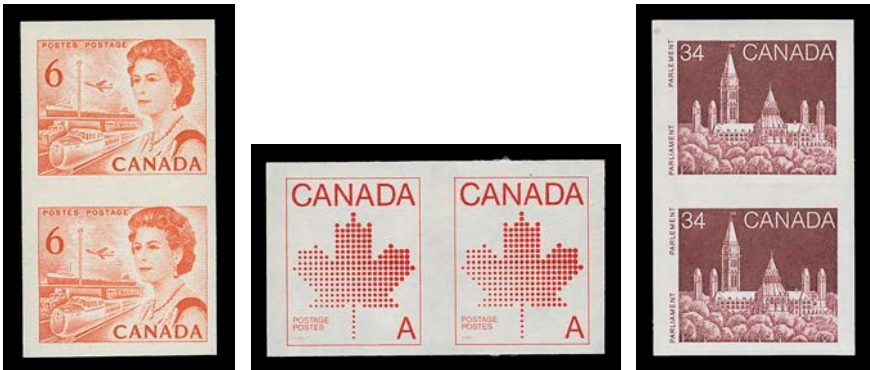
- 1132 ★ 1920s-1946 Mint / NH Assortment** Organized in a stockbook, light duplication of mainly the mid to high values, plus coil pairs, mostly VF centered and LH or NH. Strong back-of-book with airmails, special delivery, postage dues and officials; quality and representation in similar fashion to regular issues. We note a select 8c bright blue RLS VF OG, 2c+1c dark brown Die II imperforate pair VF, nice selection of 1898-1920 10c special delivery. Noted Canada 1c-8c Scroll VF VLH pairs imperforate horizontally and Newfoundland C13-C17 VF LH. A great lot to breakdown for retail; clean quality throughout. **Est. 1,500.00+**
- 1133 ★ 1927-1964 Complete Mint / NH Collection** Displayed on Lindner hingeless pages, includes complete definitive sets, coils and commemoratives, plus three stockpages of duplicates such as VF NH Scott 156, 157, 175, 201 UL Plate 1 block, etc. We noted a 50c Bluenose regummed but otherwise the majority of the stamps are VF NH. A nice collection in better quality than usual. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,250.00+**
- 1134 ★ 1937 to Late 1960s Plate Block Collection** Housed in twelve Bileski albums, including late KGV I issues, Karsh, Wilding, Cameo, Centennial, commemoratives and mid-1950s "G" official overprints, etc. Mostly mint NH in matched sets, F-VF **Not Illustrated Est. 500.00+**
- 1135 ★ 1940s-2010 Plate Block Collection** Organized on stockpages in three thick binders, the first contains plate blocks to about mid-1970s, the earlier issues F-VF LH or NH with one or more plate blocks. The other two binders show definitives and commemoratives from late '70s onward, a large percentage with matched sets of plate blocks, VF NH **Not Illustrated Est. 1,000.00+**
- 1136 ★ Clean Mint NH 1964-2013 Collection** Housed in six Lindner hingeless albums, virtually complete including se-tenant pairs, blocks, souvenir sheets, commemorative booklets & miniature panes, self-adhesives, etc. Appears all mint VF NH throughout; high retail value for the albums alone. **Not Illustrated Est. 1,000.00+**
- 1137 ★ 1967-1973 Centennial Issue Mint NH Stock** Organized in six small retail books, mostly identified by Unitrade including papers, taggings, blank corner and plate blocks, some in matched sets, coils and booklets. From 1c to \$1 with duplication, noted better such as 6c orange, HB, DEX, LL block, \$1 matched set of Plate 1 and Plate 2 blocks, former DF, DEX and latter LF, PVA, etc. Appears all mint NH. High catalogue value. **Not Illustrated Est. 250.00+**
- 1138 ★ Large Lot of Mainly Recent Issues** Duplicated mint NH accumulation in envelopes & glassines, loaded with matched sets of plate blocks from 1970s to 1990s in post office sealed cello-paqs, numerous high denominations, definitives and commemoratives, full sheets, sheetlets, annual collections & thematic packs, a collection housed in three thick stockbook displaying mint issues from 1927 to mid-1990s, etc. **Not Illustrated Est. 1,500.00+**



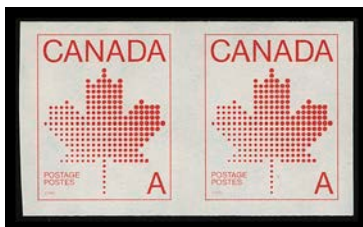
- 1139 ★ **Modern Mint NH Missing Colours** Lot of 17 items noting 1969 6c Christmas black omitted, 1972 8c & 10c Christmas Repellex errors, 1977 (25c) Silver Jubilee missing silver on one stamp in block, 1978 14c "White Queen", 1979 (\$2) Kluane block of four with silver omitted, 1979 (35c) Knitted Doll gold omitted, 1981 (17c) Mandora, printed on gum side and missing gold (in choice condition), 1999 45c & 95c souvenir sheet Year of Rabbit missing colours, 2001 47c Year of Snake missing gold, 2003 48c Year of the Ram Chinese inscription omitted pair on cover, etc. **Est. 2,500.00+**



- 1140 ★ **1970s-2000s Mint NH Imperforate Pairs** About 30 items mostly in pairs and often from definitives of the 1990s. Minor creasing, gum wrinkles on a few (as often seen). A valuable group, mainly F-VF NH **Est. 2,000.00+**



- 1141 ★ **Selection of Mint NH 1967-1998 Imperforate Coil Pairs** 18 different 6c orange Centennial to 46c Flag, plus extra 12c & 17c Parliament, "A" & 30c Maple Leaf, 45c & 46c Flag (2) coil pairs along with 43c & 45c Flag coil strips of four; all VF NH; also two used - 12c & 34c Parliament. **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1142 ★ 1969-1998 Imperforate Coil Pair of Definitive Issues** Displayed on stockpage with 19 different mint imperforate coil pairs, includes a 6c orange Centennial, then complete from 8c Caricature for all issued coils up to 1998 46c Flag, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$5,475) **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1143 ★ Assortment of Misperfs** An impressive grouping of 28 items, singles or blocks with prominent to major misperforation varieties; emphasis on definitives including Centennials. Apart from a misperf block of 5c Arch and 10c Kayak used strips of five, all are mint NH. **Est. 500.00+**

- 1144 ★ Fabulous Lot of Misperfs & Oddities** Many dozen different singles, blocks and strips on nine stockpages from 1950s to recent self-adhesives, plus a few KGVI. Light duplication in places, mainly mint NH; a great opportunity to acquire a substantial lot of these often elusive varieties.

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- 1145 ★ Group of Elusive 1973-1983 Untagged Errors** Selection of 16 singles, three se-tenant pairs, five blocks and the scarce 1974 8c Postal Workers in a LL plate block, VF NH

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- 1146 ★ Selection of Colour / Engraving Print Shifts** Includes 14 mint NH singles, two strips of four and a block of four, 1970s to 1990s with various high values such as \$1 Fundy and \$2 Kluane National Park, 1970s Flower series, etc. A few are very seldom seen and quite striking. **Est. 350.00+**



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- 1147 ★ **Pre-Printing Paper Folds** Eight different mainly NH noting 2c Centennial UR block, 5c Wilding pair, 4c & 5c (pair) Cameo 6c & 8c Caricature, \$2 Quebec and 17c Parliament single and block of eight. An unusual group.
Illustrated on Website Est. 200.00+



- 1148 ★◎ **Selection of Errors and Oddities** 35 items from singles to blocks with pre-printing folds, printed on gum side, tagging varieties, double prints, official overprint varieties, perforation shifts, etc. A useful group.
Est. 750.00+
- 1149 ★ **Miniature Panes and Sheets** Large assortment 1970s to 2000s, the miniature panes heavily duplicated on a few issues. Some sheets with minor separation or marginal faults. Includes a range of uncut press sheets. Majority F-VF NH
Not Illustrated Est. 1,000.00+
- 1150 ★ **Post Office Thematics, Souvenir Cards** Selection of Canada Post souvenir cards from 1960s & 1970s, many large panels issued by Postmaster General announcing / illustrating the current new issues from 1940s and 1950s which were subsequently bound together, Capex 1978 programs and souvenirs, 1960s miniature panes, thematic collections, etc.
Not Illustrated Est. 150.00+
- 1151 ★ **Large Accumulation of Mint NH Recent Issues** Mainly 1980s to 2000s with singles, blocks, plate blocks and souvenir sheets (booklets and sheets in separate lots), some duplication including large amount of dollar values and "P" stamps. Excellent representation, routinely VF NH
Not Illustrated Est. 1,500.00+
- 1152 ★ **1982-2017 Mint NH Assortment of Plate Multiples, New Issues, Etc.** Organized on stockpages in six deluxe padded binders, from early 1980s to 1990s mostly in plate blocks noting high values, definitive issues, etc. Also some recent new issues includes self-adhesives, souvenir sheets, miniature panes, booklet panes, etc.
Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+
- 1153 ★ **New Issues Mint NH from the 2000s & 2010s** Large assortment bought as new issues, majority in original glassines from the philatelic counter, mostly from the last 15 years, replete with booklets, "P" Permanent stamps, self-adhesives, souvenir sheets, miniature panes, VF NH
Not Illustrated Est. 1,250.00+



- 1154 ★ **Range of Mint Blocks** About 40 mint blocks with emphasis on back-of-book, noting mint NH (otherwise mentioned) MR2C 3 stamps NH, O268-O273, O10, OX3 top pair XF, a few booklet panes, etc. Many blocks are VF **Est. 500.00+**



- 1155 ★ **Clean Mint NH Back-of-Book Collection** Displayed on Lindner hingeless pages, includes complete basic run of airmail, special delivery, postage due and overprinted officials; plus useful perforated 4-hole OHMS (46 different) and a stockpage of duplicates such as VF NH J5, O9 (2), O25 (2), O27, etc. After thorough inspection we only noted an E1 (the no shading variety) hinged, all others are NH with most also being well centered. A clean, fresh collection. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1156** ◎ **Four-Ring Numerals** Nice selection of 33 stamps with legible to superb four-ring numeral cancels: ½p (#15 pair, 27); 3p Beaver (8, 10 on soft ribbed paper, fake perfs), 19 on Major Re-entry (Pos. 47), 21 on soft ribbed, 33, 38); 1c (13, 31, 37); 5c (8, 25, 29, 31 pair, 34, 35, 38, 39, 41, 47, 49 in blue, 50); Small Queen 1c (20, 45) and 3c (20, 45). Mixed to Very Fine condition. **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1157** ◎ **Four-Ring Numeral Cancels on Large Queens** Twelve stamps with legible to superb strikes; includes 1c brown red (#11, 19, 26, 27, 49); 3c (7, 15 (RF 8), 24, 39); 6c (52, 627 (RF 9)). Minor flaws in places, F-VF **Est. 500.00+**

- 1158** ◎ **Two-Ring Numerals on Large Queen Stamps** 29 different on 3c red (shades) unless otherwise mentioned, #1, 2, 5 (on 1c brown red with small part watermark at foot), 7, 10, 11, 13, 14, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 35, 36, 38, 39, 41, 42 (maybe a worn 4-ring), 43, 45, 47, 51 (on 1c brown red), 52, 53, 55, 56 (two halves of the 2-ring and Cracked Plate variety on soft white "blotting" paper). Usual mixed condition with some very fine stamps and excellent strikes. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 500.00+**



- 1159** ◎ **Two-Ring Numeral Cancels on Large Queens** 23 stamps with 16 different numerals, no high rarity factors but note clear strikes on the scarcer ½c (3) and 15c (3), 2-ring '9' on 12½c watermarked, etc. Mixed to Fine; legible to very clear strikes **Est. 500.00+**

- 1160** ◎ **Two-Ring Numeral Cancels on Small Queen** Nice collection on four quadrilled pages, 52 different from number 1 to 60, plus a few duplicates. A large percentage are on early printings of the 3 cent. Minor flaws in places; majority are central strikes ranging from legible to superb. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 500.00+**



- 1161** ◎ **Fancy Cancels on Large Queen** Nice range of fancy numeral cancels, radials, geometric, leaf, etc. A total of 21 stamps from 1c to 15c (no 5c). Mixed to Fine or better; a useful lot **Est. 500.00+**

- 1162 ☉ Interesting Specialized Small Queen Collection of Postmarks and Cancels** Hundreds displayed on pages, emphasis on the Three cent from 1870-1871 shades, Montreal printings including perf 11½x12 to later, mostly singles plus a few multiples. A fabulous range of duplex, fancy cancels such as Stars, Geometric, Radials, as well as numerous types of segmented corks, a remarkable array of Coloured cancels, many numeral cancels, 4-ring, 2-ring, British Columbia numerals, etc., handstamps, mutes, beautiful CDS, squared circles, New Brunswick grids and much more. A "gold-mine" for the cancel specialist; well worth close examination *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,000.00+**



- 1163 ☉ Assortment of Used, Fancy Cancels, Blocks, Etc.** Small selection on three stockpages noting 15c Large Queen deep violet on thick paper with Ottawa "Crown" cancel, light crease, 1897 ½c Jubilee CDS block, 1908 20c Quebec with Major Re-entry (Pos. 21); eight different 5-hole OHMS, etc. **Est. 350.00+**



- 1164 ☉ Ottawa "Crown" Cancels** on Small Queen stamps with 1c (2), 2c, 3c (2 printings), 5c olive green, 6c (2 printings), 8c, 10c magenta (2), plus another strike on a somewhat tatty 3c cover to USA as well as a 20c Widow Weeds, all legible to bold strikes of the Crown cancel (Lacelle 1284). Also fancy "Crown" cancel of Victoria, BC (Lacelle 1291) on a 6c yellow brown Montreal printing. A seldom seen group, **Est. 250.00+**

- 1165 ☉ Québec Squared Circle Postmark Collection** From Acton Vale to Waterloo, over 300 stamps on quadrilled pages, also 34 covers and cards. Good coverage of the different towns from Small Queens to KEVII with early dates, indicia varieties, time marks, etc. Clarity of the strikes is quite nice, mixed condition on some but mainly F-VF; also album pages with Charlottetown squared circles on 41 stamps and 3 covers (plus some fronts). *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 350.00+**

- 1166 ★☉ Remarkable Collection of Railway Post Office Cancels** Specialized collection offered intact - several hundred stamps on leaves from Small Queens to early QEII, mostly identified by Ludlow number with emphasis on Western routes and RPO postmarks, also CNR perfins and a large range of RPO's from other provinces, on pages or unsorted on stockpages, duplicates but offers plenty of material for further specialization. A few covers from KEVII to QEII with RPOs as well as over 300 KEVII to early QEII postal cards with British Columbia related RPO postmarks (heavy duplication in places). A perfect lot to study markings, sub-types, time-marks, routes, etc. A real "goldmine" for the RPO aficionado; ex. Jack Wallace *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1167** ☒ **Group of Pence & Cents Covers** Includes 5 Pence covers and a front plus 16 Decimal covers and a one front; noted 6p on laid paper on 1852 cover to USA, two 10p covers to England, one on thin paper dated Toronto MR 1 1858 and other on thick paper dated Simcoe MY 5 1859; two ½p rose perf 11¾; one a front and the other with stamp postmarked by Port Hope MY 22 60 split ring, addressed locally; Decimal covers mostly with 5c Beaver, but also note two 1c circular frankings, one is superb, 10c deep red purple 1860 to USA, 12½c 1861 to Ireland, 17c 1860 to England, etc., mixed to Fine or better condition **Est. 1,500.00+**



- 1168** ☒ **Assortment of Large Queen Covers** Nineteen covers and two fronts in mixed to Fine or better condition. Noted very early use of 12½c blue Kingston AP 17 68 cover to England; choice 1c deep orange on FE 26 1869 blue folded circular; 1c yellow tied by unofficial Port Hope OC 11 69 duplex; well centered 2c pair and single on 1870 cover to USA; bright yellow front dated L'Islet JA 16 71 with 6c brown Major Re-entry (Pos. 95); 1871 domestic reg'd legal cover with 2c & 6c tied by superb 4-ring '49; 3c postal envelope uprated with 3c red (late usage) 1879 to France; a choice 15c deep blue grey pair on domestic insurance company pre-printed cover; 15c pair on 1886 cover to New Zealand, etc. **Est. 1,000.00+**

- 1169** ☒ **Small Queen Postal History** An extensive lot of about 120 covers (some are cards) with a wide range of frankings, rates (domestic, US and Trans-Atlantic) from early 1870s to 1890s. Noted non-letter mail rates, beautifully franked / cancelled stamps on pristine covers, elusive printings, fancy cancels, multiples, registered mail, mixed-issue frankings, Victoria "Crown" cancelled covers (3), 2c **Major Re-entry** (36vi; Pos. 97 from Montreal plate) on 1895 registered cover, favour bisect covers (2), legal envelope with overall ageing bearing the COMPLETE SET ½c-10c + a 15c Large Queen, 20c & 50c Widow Weeds and 2c & 5c RLS on January 1897 registered cover to Halifax, 5c RLS **Major Re-entry** (Pl. II, Pos. 77) on 1893 domestic cover. Condition varies from mixed on some to mostly F-VF or better; well worth spending time to view this interesting cover lot.

Illustrated on Page 355 Est. 2,500.00+

- 1170** ☒ **Selection of Interesting Small Queen Covers** 29 covers 1870s to 1890s including registered, nice postmarks and frankings, mostly domestic rates. Noted 1875 3c(2) from Victoria, BC to Ireland, 1879 ½c Large Queen pair + 2c Small Queen domestic cover, 1893 registered to Germany with 5c SQ + 5c RLS, 1885 (JY 21) 5c olive green Qu'Appelle Station, ASSA to UK, 1890 (May 3) cover to India franked with Unitrade #40i VF, etc. Mixed to Fine or better **Illustrated on Website Est. 750.00+**





- 1171 ☒ **Two-Ring Numeral Cancels on Small Queen Covers** Nine covers, seven franked with a 3c (between 1871 and 1876) noting 2-ring 33 (2 covers), 48 (RF 8), 59 (RF 9), etc. Also 1874 registered cover from Sydney to Ingonish, CB with pair of 1c and 3c tied by neat 2-ring '10' cancels. Also 1890 cover with 1c yellow strip of three cancelled 2-ring '50' cancels to Houlton, Maine. Minor flaws in places, a nice group with legible to very fine strikes **Est. 350.00+**



- 1172 ☒ **Leaf and Numeral Covers** About 50 covers / cards, mostly displayed on loose leaf, a large percentage are 2c & 3c rates; noted some registered, a few advertising including single-franking 10c Numeral to USA, 1903 cover sent without postage with US 2c affixed and 2c Numeral affixed at DLO, 1c postcard with US 10c special delivery, etc. Mixed to Fine or better **Est. 350.00+**
- 1173 ☒ **Ed Richardson's World War I Postal History Collection** Collection offered intact from this well known philatelist, housed in two thick binders, each Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Forces' cover is individually displayed on a page with write-up, comprising 50 covers / cards bearing a wide range of Orderly Room Markings, then British Field Post Office markings (plus a few APO) in use by the CEF on 22 covers / cards from the 2nd Canadian Division (various Brigades) and 49 covers / cards from the 3rd Canadian Division (various Brigades). Many Rarity Factor "D" and "E" covers (along with a few unlisted, unreported indicia or markings with dates) according to Bailey & Toop. Many opened and sealed by sensor, noted duplicated FPO numbers in places but often different format (such as FPO card versus envelope, etc.). Mixed condition but overall quality nicer than normally encountered; a great collection of the subject. *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 1,500.00+**

Historical Background regarding the 2nd Canadian Division (4, 5 and 6 Canadian Brigades related markings are well represented throughout the collection). The Division arrived in France in Sept. 1915. Principal battles were St. Eloi Apr. 1916, Mount Sorrel Jun 1916, Somme Sept-Nov. 1916, Vimy Ridge April 1917, Hill 70 Aug. 1917, Passchendaele Oct. - Nov. 1917, Arras March 1918, Amiens Aug.-Sept. 1918, Cambrai Oct. 1918. The Division entered Germany by 5th December 1918 but moved to Belgium by late January 1919. Demobilisation was completed by April 12, 1919.

- 1174 ☒ **Canadian National Railway Freight Advice Flimsies** Over 60 items displayed on pages with emphasis on Cameo and Centennial issues, earlier KGVI and Karsh also shown; different types, sizes, initials etc. All unused and for the most part intact; plus a few without indicia. A clean specialized collection, VF *Illustrated on Website* **Est. 250.00+**
- 1175 **Literature** Selection of old philatelic publications issued in the 1800s, includes The International Philatelist Vol. 1, No. 1 (Nov. 1892) to No. 7, The Canadian Philatelist Vol. 1, No. 1, The Dominion Philatelist Vol. 1, No. 1 (20 different journals plus a 1892 T.S. Clark 1892 auction catalogue) up to Vol. VII, No. 74, Canadian Philatelic Weekley Vol. 1, No. 1 (January 1894). Also ten titles mostly related to Canadian philately, noting Whitworth "The First Decimal Issue of Canada 1859-68", Marler "The Edward VII Issue of Canada" hardcover with dustjacket (AND same title in French), etc. *Not Illustrated* **Est. 200.00+**

- 1176 Literature** Arnell, J.C. Mackenzie, K.S. "Atlantic Mails, A history of the mail service between Great Britain and Canada to 1889", published by the National Postal Museum, Limited Deluxe Edition numbered and signed by authors, 1980, 411 pages, hardbound with slipcase.
Not Illustrated Est. 100.00+
- 1177 Literature** Fifteen titles on various subjects related to BNA philately. Noted Robson Lowe, Encyclopaedia Volume V; Quarterman reproductions of Boggs, The Postage Stamps and Postal History of Newfoundland and Argenti, The Postage Stamps of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia; Pratt, The Pence Issues of Newfoundland 1857-1866, Harmer, Newfoundland Air Mails 1919-1939 updated 1984 edition, AAMC The Airmails of Canada and Newfoundland, sixth edition, 1997, etc.
Not Illustrated Est. 200.00+
- 1178 Literature** About 20 different titles with a wide range of subjects related to Canadian philately. Noted Boggs "Postage Stamps and Postal History of Canada", 1974 edition, Whitworth "The First Decimal Issue of Canada 1859-1868" (as new), Duckworth "The Large Queen Stamps of Canada and Their Use 1868-1872", 1986 first edition, Firth "The Fifteen Cents of 1868", Marler "The Edward VII Issue of Canada", Marler "The Admiral Issue of Canada", etc.
Not Illustrated Est. 150.00+
- 1179 The Canadian Collection of Gold-Plated Stamps** A limited edition leather presentation case containing 25 different gold-plated sterling silver (.925) replicas of Canadian stamps, beautifully engraved by Canadian Silver Engravers. These were sold (circa. 1984) on a subscription basis. A very seldom seen complete set, VF
Illustrated on Website Est. 350.00+
- 1180 ☉ Massive Hoard** Thousands of stamps, majority used on or off paper; emphasis on Canada, GB, USA. Also modern commercial covers. A lifetime accumulation. FLOOR SALE ONLY. **Offer**
- 1181 ☒ Accumulation / Collection of FDCs** Dozens of First Day Covers 1960s to 2000s, a large portion displayed in albums. Also Story of Canada thematic collection in four albums. FLOOR SALE ONLY. **Offer**



- 1182 ★☉ Large Hoard of Mainly Early Used** Thousands with emphasis on used 1890s to 1930s. We note Decimals, Large & Small Queens, more recent issues, strong back-of-book, precancels, etc. Some organized on cards, old auction cards, stockpages, album pages; plus dozens of covers / cards. Noted a specialized Admiral collection with postmarks & cancels, mail tags, varieties, shades, bundles, etc. Mint stock on cards, mint & used perforated OHMS, some Provinces, a few Literature titles and much more. A great lot that will certainly reveal pleasant surprises. Condition varies; inspection recommended.
Est. 1,500.00+
- 1183 ★☉ Balance of Consignment** Includes a Newfoundland Lindner album but it appears all stamps are adhered to pages; Canada duplicated used stock; selection of KGVI & QEII mint / used booklet panes; a few better items and range of stamps, some on old auction cards, noting 50c Bluenose pair imperforate vertically, slightly disturbed OG, New Brunswick 1851 1sh dull violet used, repaired (1985 PF cert.), some Provinces noting NB & NS Decimals, PEI proofs, a few forgeries, etc. Needs checking.
Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+
- 1184 ★☉ Balance of Consignment** Stockbook with early Cents to Small Queens used, then Jubilee to 1934 quite well represented mint but all adhered (stuckdown) to stockpages including high values often represented with several copies. Large stockbook with mint / used from Small Queens to 1940s, light duplication, condition mixed to very fine. Inspect.
Not Illustrated Est. 750.00+
- 1185 ★☉ Balance of Consignment** Carton with pre-1900 to modern era including back-of-book, singles, blocks, precancels, varieties, covers from stampless to postal stationery, etc. Mixed condition. Inspect.
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SYMBOLS & MAJOR ABBREVIATIONS

★	Mint	⊙	Used	E	Essay
☒	Cover	(/)	Incomplete Set	F	Forgery
(-)	Complete Set	R	Reprint	P	Proof
◆	Graded Stamp	CDS	Circular Date Stamp	L	Literature

CONDITION

The various grading of stamps are in order; **Extremely Fine; Very Fine; Fine and Very Good.** In the case of sets, large blocks, sheets, etc., the condition quoted represents the average and quality above and below this standard can be expected. Minor perf separation can be expected on larger multiples.

Mixed condition: in large lots, a range of condition can be expected, from small faults to Very Fine.

GUM

NH	Never Hinged – with full original gum in Post Office state and unmounted.
LH	Lightly Hinged – with full original gum showing some evidence of a previous hinge.
OG	Original gum – showing some evidence of a previous hinge, a portion of which may still be present.
Part OG	Part original gum.
Unused	Unused without original gum, or regummed.
Ungummed	Without gum as issued.

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- E.S.J. van Dam, The Canadian Revenue Stamp Catalogue, 2017
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- Fred Jarrett, Stamps of British North America, Quarterman Publications, 1975
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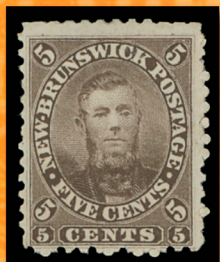
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