

## SOCIETY AUCTION

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This sale includes a few lots donated or sold for Society funds. In many cases these will be being sold without reserve but please bid generously in such cases! Such lots are indicated by a * alongside the lot number.

## Our bidding increments are as follows:-

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Up to £10
    50p steps
£10 to £20 £1 steps
£20 to £50 £2 steps
£50 to £100 £5 steps
£100 to £200 £10 steps
£200 to £500 £25 steps
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Lots will be sold to the highest bidder at one increment above the next highest bid. Your bid will not be used as a starting price. In the event of tied bids, the bid received earliest will win the lot.

The Auction Manager will treat your bids in confidence. Your limit bid will not be used as a starting bid.
For the majority of lot values we have referred to the following catalogues:-
SG - Stanley Gibbons Canada \& Provinces 7th Edition 2020
CS - Unitrade Specialized Catalogue of Canadian Stamps 2022 Edition
Van Dam catalogue of Revenue Stamps - 1994 edition.
Webbs Postal Stationery Catalogue - 7th Edition 2001
Unitrade Standard Precancel Catalogue 2000 Edition
Where the abbreviation STC is used, the catalogue value stated is that provided by the vendor and has not been checked by the Auction Manager.

The sale is listed as follows:-

1. Some odds and ends
2. Postal History
3. Postal Stationery
4. Cancellations
5. Precancels and Precancel covers
6. Stamps
7. Some more odds and ends and the stuff the Auction Manager missed the first time around.

The Postal History sections of the sale contain many specialised items. Rather than split these into too many sub-listings we have attempted to highlight key words (in red) that may draw attention to items of special interest or unusual destinations. The system is, of course, not foolproof so if you do have specific interests we would advise close inspection of the lot listings to ensure you do not miss something important. Within each section, lots are listed broadly in chronological order.

Please note that although we have made efforts to illustrate the vast majority of lots, the scans are not to scale so relative sizes will not be correct. The scans are, however, of fairly high resolution so you will be able to blow them up in size online to get a close up view of the material. Also note that some of the covers and large stamp lots are held on album pages which can sometimes be hard to scan - so don't be alarmed if some of the scans show edges missing etc. In real life they are all there unless we say they are not!

## Oh, and remember if you see something you like....bid early, bid high and bid often!!!

## FOREWORD

This sale contains the usual eclectic mix of postal history and stamps from the BNA area. The sale contains lots with estimated values between $£ 1$ and several 100 's of $£$ with well over $90 \%$ of lots being estimated below $£ 50$. So even in these times of roaring inflation and cost of living crises we hope you can find something to add to your collections that won't break the bank.

As usual, all estimates and bidding are done in $£$ Sterling although successful overseas bidders will be able to pay invoices in their local currency using PAYPAL or pay via International bank transfer. With the $£$ sterling continuing to be fairly weak against both Canadian and US \$'s and your Auction Manager using rather old catalogues for things like Postal Stationery and Precancels there are bound to be some big bargains here for our overseas members. Whilst the sale contains a wide variety of BNA material, some of the highlights include:-

1. Some nice precancels, including bulk lots and many used on cover
2. A lot of RPO cancels including many on cover
3. Some more of the ever popular Fancy Cancels
4. A lot of Military Mail material including some bulk lots
5. The first tranche of a large collection of Canadian plate block material from the collection of the late Peter Edwards and
6. Some more of our popular bulk stamp lots - this time mainly Small Queens and Admirals

Add to that some nice 3d Beavers and some scarce Large Queens etc and hopefully there is something for most members.

I hope you can find a few lots to enhance your collection.
Graham Searle
1 August 2023.

## SOME ODDS AND ENDS TO BEGIN

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1904-1910 trio of advertising covers plus two post cards all showing International machine cancels. Cover is 1904 Toronto to Bristol UK, cards are from Montreal and Owen Sound. All franked with 2 cent Edwards. Minor edge faults on cover but generally fine.

2 1905-1930 group of four postcards, all in colour. Two franked with Edward VII stamps to England, one with 2 cent green arch issue stamp to England the fourth is unused. Fine .

1910-1926 group of three postcards all mailed from the UK to Canada with deficient postage. Wide variety of postage due markings and one has 2 cent PD stamp affixed. Very fine.

1917-1919 Group of six covers and cards all showing machine or slogan cancels including several WW1
4 flag types. All were sent domestically or to the USA and are franked with Admiral or 1917 Confederation stamps. Condition varies a bit but mostly fine or better.

1929-1950 trio of covers with mixed Canadian/ US franking comprising:- two US postal stationery envelopes to which Canadian stamps have been added so probably legitimate use in Canada. The third is a
5 letter from Saskatchewan to New York franked with a 1 cent Canadian stamp and a 2 cent US stamp both tied by Canadian machine cancel that appears to have gone through the mails without comment. Interesting group.

1949-1958 Group of four airmail covers from Canada to UK. Nice range of frankings, all different from 615 cents to 30 cents. Covers are very fine. Lot also includes two postcards of Quebec views, one used in 1905 to Scotland, the other unused.

## CANADA - POSTAL HISTORY

1794 to 1821 trio of sfl's all from Montreal (two mailed to Quebec and rated 9 pence Cy, the other to 7 Cornwall rated 7 pence Cy ) and all showing fine strikes of straight line Montreal cancels on the back. Note type VIII and XIV. Usual filing folds and some tearing where seals opened but overall fine.

1849 (22 Aug) sfl entire from London UC to Hamilton with mss rating 7. Reverse has receipt cancel dated 23 Aug. Usual light filing folds otherwise very fine.

1851 Stampless folded outer sheet, BYTOWN U.C JUN 251851 double broken circle. Rated 3d [collect]
encircled h/s in black. To L Herzden Esquire, Clts C \& P, Toronto. Two strikes of KINGSTON U.C JU 26 ? 1851 double broken circle transit in red, TORONTO CANADA JU 281851 double broken circle receiver in black on back. Annotated on receipt: " 257 H J Friel, 25/28 June 1851 ?Testation of Wills". Henry James Friel was a journalist, politician and public servant. See Dictionary of Canadian Biography. File folds and edge toning.

1851 Stampless folded letter. TORONTO CANADA PAID NO 81851 double broken circle in red. Endorsed "Post Paid", Rated Paid 3d encircled h/s in red. To James Rhodes Esq, Port Hope. Partial PORT HOPE NOV 91851 receiver on back. From Rose Anne McElderry, per Charles McElderry, re family legal matters, incl. guardianship \& disposal of house deeded to three boys. House to be advertised in the British Colonist paper [Toronto]. Light file folds and some stains.

1853 (17 April) entire letter mailed within Toronto to the wife of Sir Sanford Fleming. Rated $1 / 2$ in black handstamp for local drop letter rate. The letter was written by her father James Hall a Scottish born land surveyor, civil engineer and merchant who represented Peterborough in the Legislative Assembly from 1848 to 1851 and Peterborough East in the House of Commons from 1874 to 1878. At the time the letter was written, he was the civil engineer managing the construction of the Simcoe Huron railway from Peterborough. The letter was carried from there by a friend and placed in the mail in Toronto. Very fine cover and a nice piece of history!

1853 (12 July) sfl from Toronto to Quebec with red Toronto Canada Paid datestamp and red PAID 3 handstamp on front. Reverse has receipt datestamp of 14 July. Usual light filing folds otherwise fine.
$1854(20 \mathrm{Dec})$ drop letter mailed within Toronto showing a nice example of the small $1 / 2 \mathrm{~d}$ rate handstamp in black only used from Toronto. Central filing fold but $\mathrm{o} / \mathrm{w}$ fine. Lot also includes a second example of this scarce rate handstamp on a May 1854 local letter - this example is slightly lighter and on a cover opened out for display.

1855 Stampless part letter on blue laid paper. TORONTO C.W. JUL 20 large 32 mm full circle. Rated large 3 in black. To the Revd. William Bain. Very weak BROCKVILLE U.C. JY 22 transit, PERTH U.C. JUL 23 1855 double split circle receiver on back in black. Rather heavy central filing fold and some damage on back from seal opening.

1855 (22 Dec) sfl from St Helens U.C. to Crown Land Agents in Southampton U.C. Front has double split ring Reverse has faint Sauceen transit cancel. Usual filing folds but generally fine.

1856 (14 Apr) cover from Hamilton (double split ring cancel in black) to Quebec. Front has nice strike of PAID 3 handstamp in red. Reverse has receiver dated 21 April. Fine.
 folds - has been opened out for display purposes, stamp is very fine.

1865 (17 June) cover from St Catherines to Provincial Secretary's Office in Quebec (addressed to Henry Morgan). Endorsed 'Free' in mss and also has FREE handstamp in black on front. Reverse has receipt datestamp of 21 June. Fine.

1867 (16 Feb) small cover from Toronto to Ottawa addressed to Henry Morgan at Provincial Secretaries Office. Handstamped '7' in black for postage due. Very fine.

1867 (2 Mar) cover from Botany C.W. (split circle cancel with mss date) to Ottawa. PAID 5 handstamp in red on front. Some staining mainly on the back.

1868 (10 Jan) folded letter from Napanee to Sandhurst, Ontario franked with 1 cent pale rose red (said to be from 27 Feb 1866 printing order, state 6 plate position 93 and showing traces of bottom imprint). Sandhurst is part of greater Napanee so appears to have qualified as a drop letter. Very fine.

1868 ( 26 Feb) cover complete with original enclosures from Welcome C.W. to Bethany Ontario. Front has small PAID 5 handstamp in black. Reverse has receiver dated 27 Feb . Some edge faults from ageing otherwise fine.

1868 (13 March) cover from Kingston to Ottawa addressed to Henry Morgan . Front has nice strike of fancy ' 7 ' handstamp in black. Very fine.

1868 (24 March) cover from Lake Etchemin C.E. (split circle cancel with mss date) to Quebec. Rated 7 (cents collect) in mss in black. Reverse has transit cancels from Standon L.C. and St. Malachie C.E. both with mss dates. Very fine and late example of this rate.

311869 ( 18 Oct) letter from Woodstock Ont. to Toronto (Crown Lands Office) rated Free (two different handstamps in black). Front shows superb strike of the Ottawa \& Prescott Railway cancel (type O 251). Very fine.

1870 Stampless small envelope, TORONTO ONT PM DE 2070 split inner ring in black. Rated PAID $3 \mathrm{~h} / \mathrm{s}$ [Jarrett 606n] in red. Endorsed: "Paid 972". To Thos H Wright, Treasr. Co Essex, Sandwich, Ont. Unreadable SANDWICH receiver in black on back. Endorsed on receipt: "Canada Co. Wm B Robinson, Toronto 20 Dec 1870, Replied to 22 ". Slightly reduced at left, overall fine.

1872 ( 3 Feb ) cover from Woodstock to Oxford franked with 3 cent Small Queen in rose red shade. Very fine.
1874 (21 March) registered letter from Mount Forest Ontario to Toronto. Front has PAID 5 handstamp in black and $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{l}$ REGISTERED handstamp with assorted manuscript numbers. Very fine.

1877-1890's pair of 1 cent Small Queen covers comprising; 1877 (3 Aug) Toronto drop letter franked with 1 cent stamp tied by duplex cancel and 1890's circular sent from Montreal to Nebraska franked with 1 cent stamp and with nice straight line PRINTED MATTER handstamp in purple. Minor edge faults on both.
circa 1885 Queen Insurance Company of Montreal policy envelope mailed to Melbourne P.Q. and franked with 1 cent Small Queen paying the book post rate of 1 cent for $40 z$ provided no correspondence enclosed. Nice example of this unusual rate and fine condition.

1887 (7 Jan) advertising cover for the Imperial Hotel in Galt mailed from there to Berlin Ont. Franked with 3
cent Small Queen tied by segmented cork cancel. Very fine.

1887 (17 March) cover from Toronto (1 duplex cancel) to Leipzig in Germany. Franked with 5 cent Small Queen. Reverse has London UK transit of 25 March and Leipzig receiver of 27 March. Some small faults at top from rough opening but generally very fine.

1887 (21 July) registered letter mailed from Halifax N.S. to Antigonish N.S. Franked with 2 cent RLS.
39 Antigonish receiver of 22 July on reverse. The envelope is of the Provincial Secretary and shows a Coat of Arms on the flap. Envelope has been reduced at right and is almost certainly missing a postage stamp (assume 3 cent Small Queen) as a result.

1891 (23 Jan) mourning envelope mailed from Montreal to Germany and endorsed 'Per Cunard Line'. Franked with 5 cent Small Queen tied by duplex cancel. Reverse has red London transit cancel of 3 Feb. Very fine.

1897 (31 Aug) Bank of Montreal Brockville corner cover mailed from there to Vancouver. Franked with three copies of the 1 cent Jubilee stamp tied by Brockville type 1 squared circle cancels. Reverse has transit cancel of Ottawa dated 1 Sept and Vancouver receiver dated 6 Sept. Very fine.

421898 (28 April) Finance Dept Saving Bank OHMS letter mailed from Ottawa to Shelburne N.S. with fine strike of the Ottawa FREE datestamp. Signed at top right. Fine.

1899 (3 Apr) drop letter mailed within Toronto with corner advertising for the Ontario Medical College for Women. Franked with 2 cent purple Numeral stamp tied by type 8A flag cancel. Fine.

1900 (30 May) cover from Percé, Quebec to Paris France franked with pair of 5 cent Numeral stamps. Letter has
44 been sent on c/o Thomas Cook \& Son to Venice. Reverse has Venice receiver of 15 June. Fine and nice example of the 10 cent UPU rate.

1901 (16 Oct) cover from London to Sudbury franked with 2 cent red Numeral tied by very fine strike of the London 3 ring orb cancel. Very fine.

1902 (4 August) pink envelope of the E.B. Eddy Company Ltd with their seal on the back flap mailed from Hull,
46 P.Q. to Winnipeg. Franked with block of four of the $1 / 2$ cent Numeral stamp tied by two strikes of the Hull duplex cancel. Reverse has faint transit cancel from Ottawa and Winnipeg receiver. Fine.

1903 Leather postcard mailed from East Toronto to UK and franked with 2 cent Edward. 'I'm having a swell time in Toronto' on reverse. Some minor edge faults but generally very fine.

1905 ( 31 Aug ) leather postcard mailed from Shelburne Ont. to UK franked with 2 cent Edward. Reverse has

491906 (29 Oct) leather postcard with Chinaman and 'You Likee Me/ Alexander' mailed to UK. Franked with 2 cent Edward tied by Winnipeg \& Moose Jaw RPO no 9 cds. Very fine albeit politically incorrect in 2023!
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1906 pair of ppc's in sepia both mailed to Malbay in Gaspé. One from Arichat (duplex cancel), the other from Ste. Adelaide de Pabos in Quebec (split ring cancel). Both franked with 1 cent Edwards. Very fine.

511907 pair of ppc's in colour both mailed to Jersey in the Channel Islands. Franked with 2 cent Edwards, one is from Port Hope Ont., the other from Welcome, Ont. Very fine.

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1908 ppc in colour with hunting scene mailed in Nova Scotia. Franked with 1 cent Edward tied by Halifax \& Yarmouth RPO cancel. Very fine.

531908 ( 18 Dec ) ppc in colour of Steamer 'Chippewa' Toronto mailed from Vancouver to Sarnia franked with 1 cent Edward. Partial double oval magenta 'Branch Dead Letter Office/Vancouver BC' cancel dated 18 Dec on address side - unclear why this was added. Very fine.

1910 (27 July) ppc in sepia mailed from Toronto to Northampton, England. Franked with pair of 1 cent Edwards tied by Toronto machine cancel. Also has UK style triangular mark reading S.E. 5 plus Northampton receiver on picture side dated 5 August. Very fine.

551913 (24 June) cover with corner advertising mailed from Regina to Janesville USA. Franked with Admiral 2 cent red coil (CS type 127) tied by Provincial Exhibition slogan cancel. Slightly reduced at right from opening but otherwise fine.

1913 (15 Jul) ppc in colour of the Toronto Armouries mailed from Toronto to Scotland. Franked with 2 cent red Admiral tied by very fine strike of the Toronto Station E 3 ring orb cancel. Very fine.

1913-14 pair of registered letters both franked with 7 cent Admirals in different shades, comprising; April 1913 letter from Mindemoya to Hamilton with Ottawa and SS Marie RPO backstamp and January 1914 letter from Forties Settlement to New York. Fine.

1914 (15 Jun) letter mailed from Montreal to Chicago. Franked with 2 cent US stamp which has been tied by
58 Montreal slogan cancel of Cartier centenary. Has passed through the mails without comment - presumably the US stamp looked similar to a 2 cent Admiral to the machine! Very fine.

591914 (12 Oct) ppc in colour of Bonsecour Church in Montreal. Mailed from there to England and franked with 2 cent red Admiral coil perf 8 vertically showing coil join at left. Very fine.

1914 (17 October) registered letter mailed from Regina to Louisville USA. Franked with 5 cent blue Admiral plus pair of 1 cent green booklet stamps (squat printing type). Backstamps of Winnipeg and receivers 22 October. Cover is rather scruffy at right edge from rough opening but could easily be trimmed. Otherwise fine.

1915 (30 Sept) ppc in colour of the view from Parliament Buildings in Toronto mailed from there to Eastbourne,
61 UK. Franked with 1 cent green Admiral and 2 cent War Tax stamp. Technically overpaid as the War Tax Act did not apply to postcards mailed to the UK but the regulations were sufficiently confusing that many cards of this era were sent with the War Tax added. Fully written up on album page and very fine.

621915 ( 15 Oct) registered letter mailed from Corunna to Hamilton. Franked with 7 cent greenish yellow Admiral plus 1 cent War Tax stamp. Reverse has transit cancels of the London, Blenheim and Sarnia RPO and also the Sarnia \& Toronto RPO. Hamilton receiver of 15 October. Very Fine.

631916 (5 Jan) registered letter mailed from Ottawa to Montreal and franked with 7 cent and 1 cent Admirals paying the 8 cents rate. Very minor edge faults at top from opening o/w very fine.

1916 (27 Feb) John Bruce Seed Merchants cover sent registered from Milton West to Hamilton. Franked with

1916 (3 July) letter from Victoriaville Que. to St. Hyacinthe that must have weighed over 1 oz as charged double rate. Franked with 2 cent red Admiral plus 2c+1c War Tax stamp in red for 5 cents rate. Stamps tied by Victoriaville duplex cancels. Very fine.

1916 (17 Aug) illustrated advertising cover from Tourigny \& Marois of Quebec mailed from St Roch de Quebec to Ottawa. Franked with 2 cent +1 cent red War Tax stamp (CS type MR3 die 1). Very fine and attractive.

1919 (10 Dec) private Xmas card enclosed in envelope mailed from London Ont to London UK. Cover
68 franked by 3 cent Admiral tied by Buy War Savings Stamps etc slogan cancel. Enclosed card is from a Captain in the First Canadian Battalion. Very fine and written up on album page.

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1920 (28 Apr) registered letter from Little Shippigan N.B. to Hamilton (Bruce seed merchants cover) franked with 5 cent blue and 3 cent brown Admirals. Range of backstamps including Halifax \& Camp RPO. Very minor edge wear but overall fine.

1920 (1 Oct) registered Marks Stamp Company cover from Toronto to Pittsburgh USA. Franked with
70 Admiral 10 cent plum and strip of three 1 cent green (CS types 116 and 104). Mass of registered backstamps from Toronto, Buffalo, Pittsburgh etc. Arrival datestamps of 2 Oct and 4 Oct. Very fine.

711922 (6 April) double rate registered letter from Nelson to Grand Forks BC franked with 5 cent blue and 10 cent plum Admirals for the 15 cents rate. RPO backstamp. Fine.

721924 (22 Jan) registered Essex county advertising cover mailed within Windsor. Franked with 2 cent green and 10 cent blue Admirals. Marked 'Not Known' in crayon on front and returned to sender with large pointed hand handstamp. Very fine.

1924 ( 8 Dec ) front of cover only (was sent as Xmas greeting and recipient has torn back off) mailed from
73 Goderich to England and franked with 4 cent Admiral tied by duplex cancel. Front has piece missing at top centre.

1925 ( 12 March) cover sent special delivery from Windsor to Toronto. Franked with $6 \times 3$ cent red Admirals,
742 cent green Admiral and 3 cent brown Admiral all paying the 20 cents SD fee plus 3 cents postage. Nice example of normal postage stamps being used to pay the SD fee. Reverse has Toronto receiver of 12 March. Piece of back flap is missing but overall very fine.

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1925 (20 Mar) registered letter from Toronto (Station K) to Cornwall UK. Franked with 4 cent and 10 cent blue Admirals for 14 cents rate. Reverse has St. Austell receiver dated 1 April. Backflap is missing from rough opening but otherwise very fine.

1925-1927 trio of covers all franked with 3 cent red Admirals and with nice strikes of New Liskeard Ont duplex, Lunenburg N.S. duplex and Agassiz B.C. duplex. Minor edge/ back faults on some from opening but generally fine.

1926 (14 Apr) AR card franked with pair of 5 cent violet Admirals for letter sent from Regina to Dummer
77 Sask. Reverse is duly signed and dated from Dummer on 28 May. Usual staple hole at top right but otherwise very fine.

781925 (1 Sep) letter from Victoria B.C. to New Jersey franked with 3 cent red Admiral tied by slogan cancel. Front has circular cachet 'Victoria B.C. to Seattle Wash/ via Sea Plane' and red boxed '1st trip' cachet. Very fine and nice pioneer airmail cover.

791926 (22 Sept) advertising cover of the Weiss Import Co. from Montreal to Germany. Franked with 3 cent red and 5 cent violet Admirals paying the 8 cents rate. Very fine.

801927 (31 May) AR card from Moose Jaw Sask with 10 cent bistre Admiral paying the fee. Very fine.

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1927 (26 Aug) registered entire letter mailed from the Agricultural Development Board in Ottawa to Bradford,
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Ont. Franked with 10 cent bistre and 2 cent green Admirals tied by House of Assembly duplex cancels. Enclosed letter deals with loan and insurance on hen houses. Reverse has Bradford receiver of 27 August. Fine.

831927 (6 Oct) cover from Stanstead Que. to Switzerland franked with 8 cent Admiral. Very fine.
$£ 15$

1928 (16 Jan) registered letter from Quebec to Glarus in Switzerland. Overprinted 2 cent on 3 cent red PS 84 envelope with additional franking of 20 cent Admiral for total 22 cents rate. This being the double registered rate ( 8 cents plus 4 cents postage plus 10 cents registration). Very fine and rarely seen rate.

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1928 ( 7 Nov) ppc in colour of the entrance to Stanley Park, Vancouver. Mailed from there to Ireland. Franked with 1 cent yellow and 2 cent green Admirals Very fine.
86 1928-1929 group of three Government first flight covers with cachets. Very fine.
1929 (15 July) airmail letter from Toronto to Bournemouth UK (although sender is shown to be from Halifax
87 N.S.) Franked with 2 cent red and 3 cent brown Admiral coils (CS types 132 and 134). Carried on first flight from Toronto to Hamilton Ont with nice cachet on front. Very fine and attractive cover.

1930 (5 Feb) registered letter from Winnipeg to Malden, Mass USA franked with 7 cent red-brown Admiral and
885 cent Confederation stamp (CS types 114 and 146) tied by Winnipeg Orb cancels. Reverse has Boston transit cancel of 9 Feb and Malden arrival of 10 Feb . Very fine and nice franking.

1930 (3 Mar) cover from Moose Jaw Sask. to Boston USA carried on first flight from Moose Jaw to Calgary. Franked with 2 cent red Admiral coil (CS type 127 with coil join) and 3 cent brown coil (CS type 134). Cover
89 has nice illustrated cachet on front and reverse has Calgary transit cancel of 4 Mar. Very fine and attractive.

1930 (6 May) cover from Kindersley Sask. to England franked with block of four of the 1 cent Confederation 90 issue stamp tied by unusual rubber cancel in violet (also two free strikes of this cancel on the front). Very fine.

1930 ( 7 June) four first flight covers issued in connection with the opening of the Brantford Ont. airport. One pair cover the outbound and inbound flights between Brantford and Hamilton and the other pair the flights
91 between Brantford and London Ont. Airmails Cat no 3029. The quantities carried on these flight were relatively low and these covers are comparatively scarce. All four covers franked with CS type C1 airmail stamp. All with special cachets. Three of the covers are addressed to Donald King the postmaster at Halifax N.S. the fourth is addressed to Simcoe. Nice set in fine condition.

921930 (18 Sept) letter sent Special Delivery from Montreal (Station C duplexes) to Toronto. Franked with 2 cent green Arch stamp and 20 cent Admiral - latter paying the SD fee. Very fine.

1930 (24-31 Dec) pair of first flight covers for the route between Oskelaneo and Chibougamau in Quebec.
93 Airmails cat no 2969. Outbound cover with unusual franking of 2 cent +1 cent red War Tax stamp (type MR3) and 1917 Confederation stamp. Return flight franked with type C1 airmail stamp. Nice black cachets. Very fine.

1931 (22 Jun) official envelope of the House of Commons in Ottawa mailed to Lyleton, Man. With fine strike of the bi-lingual House of Commons Free Frank cancel. At lower left cover shows initials of the MP sending the letter E.F.W. Very fine.

1932 ( 26 Feb) cover sent locally within Belleville Ont. Franked with 2 cent brown Arch stamp tied by machine cancel. Letter was undelivered and has large boxed violet Return to Sender cachet on front and Belleville duplex cancel of 27 Feb. Fine.

961932 (22 May) cover from Toronto to England franked with 3 cent Admiral (perf $8 \times 12$ type) tied by slogan cancel. Top edge of cover is slightly rough from opening otherwise fine.

1932 (23 Dec) Advance Posting for Xmas cover from Halifax N.S. sent locally and franked with 2 cent 97 Medallion stamp tied by red machine cancel. Very fine.

1933 (11 Feb) pair of first flight covers carried between London Ont and Buffalo New York. Trans-American airlines route AM27. Airmails catalogue no 3307. Outbound flight franked with 7 cent bistre Admiral plus 1
98 cent green Arch stamp and with nice cachet in black featuring the seals of the two cities. Addressed to Hartford Conn. Return flight cover is franked with 3 cent Washington and 5 cent Olympic Games stamp of 1932 and has cachet in green of skyscraper. Very fine.

1933 (6 Mar) airmail letter from Vancouver to Chicago franked with 2 cent Medallion stamp and 6 cent on 5 cent airmail stamp (CS type C3). Very fine and nice commercial use of the airmail overprint.

1933 (11 Mar) airmail letter from Vancouver to Chicago franked with 5 cent airmail stamp and 3 cent Arch ( CS types C 1 and 167) tied by machine cancel. Very fine.

1011933 (17 Aug) plain FDC of the Royal William stamp mailed from Montreal to USA. Very fine.
1021933 (17 Aug) plain FDC of the Royal William stamp mailed from Regina Sask. to Abernethy Sask. (receipt cancel on reverse of 18 Aug). Very fine,

1934 ( 3 Feb) drop letter mailed in Hamilton franked with 2 cent Medallion stamp. Front has large blue 'Return to Sender' pointing hand cachet and someone has written in manuscript at upper left 'Left City'. Fine.

1934 (1 July) plain FDC of the Cartier stamp used on cover from Ottawa to Bermuda. Stamp tied by machine cancel. Reverse has receiver dated 10 July). Very fine.

1051934 ( 10 Nov) AR card relating to letter sent from Toronto to Victoria BC. Franked with pair of 5 cent Medallion stamps. Very fine.

1934 ( 24 Nov) printed commemorative cover for the 75th anniversary of the opening of the Great Victoria Bridge on 24 November 1859. Cover mailed from Montreal to Detroit and franked with 2 cent Scroll and 1 cent Confederation stamps (CS types 141 and 150). Fine.

1071935 ( 15 Apr) postcard mailed from Marionville MO USA to Moose Jaw. Underpaid and stamped with 2 cent PD stamp (CS type J12) on arrival in Moose Jaw (stamp tied by large single ring cancel). Very fine.

1935 (4 May) printed illustrated FDC of the Westminster Stamp Company in London England franked with the full set of the Jubilee issue (CS types 211-216). Mailed from Ottawa. Very fine and attractive.

1935 (13 June) registered cover from the Public Utilities Commission in Kitchener mailed locally in the
109 city and franked with 2 cent and 10 cent values of the Jubilee issue (CS types 212 and 215). Backstamped the same day. Very fine.

1935 (6 July) registered letter mailed from Dewar Lake, Sask. to Gloucestershire in England. Franked with 10 cent Mountie stamp and 3 cent Medallion paying the 13 cents rate. Reverse has range of transit cancels including Sask, Wain \& Edm RPO, Biggar \& Loverna RPO and Montreal British Mail Branch cancels. Very fine.

1111935 (7 Oct) letter from Rothesay N.B. to Tonga. Franked with 3 copies of the 3 cent G5 stamp (CS type 219). Large number of 'Tin Can Mail' cachets on front and back in various languages. Fine and attractive.

1121936 (2 Apr) registered cover from Lethbridge Alberta to Stratford Ont franked with 13 cent stamp (CS type 216). Reverse has large number of cancels including receiver dated 6 April and three different RPO cancels. Fine.

1936 (3 June) airmail cover from Montreal (Station C duplex cancels) to London England. Franked with CS 219 and C5 airmail stamp. Front has nice boxed Airmail cachet in violet and is endorsed via New York per RMS Queen Mary. Carried on the first west to east return voyage of the ship. Very fine.

1937 (15 Dec) advertising cover of the Miner Rubber Co Ltd mailed airmail from Granby B.C. to
114 Georgetown British Guiana. Franked with strip of three 10 cent Mountie stamps (CS type 223). Reverse has Montreal transit of 16 Dec and receipt cancel of 24 Dec. Slightly rough opening at top but generally fine.

1151938 (15 June) long illustrated registered cover from Fort Garry Manitoba showing The Gateway to Upper Fort Garry as it appeared in 1850. Mailed to England and franked with 20 cent stamp (CS type 243) for which this is a FDC. Fine.

1938 ( 15 Nov) registered cover from Ottawa to England franked with 13 cent stamp (CS type 242) for which this is a FDC. Very fine.

1171939 ( 1 Apr) special delivery letter mailed within Montreal with 2 cent Mufti and 10 cent SD stamp (CS type E7) for which this is a first day cover. Very fine.

1939 (4 April) illustrated cover (showing Old Fort Garry Gate) mailed special delivery in Winnipeg and franked with pair of 1 cent Mufti coil stamps plus 10 cent SD stamp (type E7). Stamps are tied by Winnipeg Station B cancels. The cover is endorsed in mss 'First Day Cover' but it is not! Very fine and attractive none the less.

1939 trio of covers with Royal Train cancels from Royal visit comprising; 3 June Royal visit set of three on domestic cover with stamps tied by Royal Train cancel and further Royal Train cancel proof like strike on reverse, 15 May 'The Belvedere' Truro N.S. corner advert cover with 3 cent Royal Visit stamp tied by Royal train cancel and 9 June US cover with RMS slogan machine cancel along with cachets and real photo of Royal Family. Fine trio.

1201940 (9 Feb) Eaton Company cover from Toronto to Italy. Has double ring Toronto datestamp in violet and 5 cent meter mark also in violet. Examined by C25 censor tape at right edge. Fine.

1940 (14 Sept) special delivery letter from Toronto (Postal Terminal A) to Sherbrooke franked with 3 cent
Mufti and 10 cent SD stamp (CS type E7) - very fine and nice commercial usage.
c. 1940 illustrated cover of the British India Line sent by airmail and franked with 10 cent and 20 cent stamps of the 1938 series (CS types 241 and 243) with grid cancels but no other indication of origin. Mailed
122 to Plymouth UK and has red two line cachet reading 'Delayed Transmission/ For Purposes of Security'. First one of these we have seen. Some edge wear but generally fine.

1941-1945 pair of wartime letters from the same correspondence mailed from Montreal to Buenos Aires in
123 Argentina. 1941 letter is franked with 1 cent and 2 cent Mufti stamps, 1945 letter with 4 cent War Issue stamp. Both sent surface mail and both have Canadian censor tape at left. Fine and unusual destination in wartime.

124 1941-1963 group of five official government covers comprising:- 1941 Munitions \& Supply cover franked with 6 cent airmail (CS type C6) with OHMS perfin, 1951 Dept. of Agriculture cover with pair of 2 cent Postes Postage stamps with G overprint, 1951 Dept. of Public Works cover with pair of 2 cent Postes Postage stamps with OHMS overprints, 1963 RCMP envelope with 5 cent Wilding with G overprint and 1963 National Revenue Canada window envelope with 2 cent Wilding with G Overprint. Condition varies a bit but mostly fine.

1942 (14 Sept) OHMS letter from the Department of Munitions and Supply in Ottawa to Toronto. Large FREE handstamp in black over circular cachet of the Dept. of Munitions in blue which incorporates approval signature. Very fine.

1942-1951 two covers with House of Assembly cancels comprising; 1942 (13 Jan) HoA machine cancel ties
1261 cent Mufti to cover and 1951 ( 27 Sept) HoA meter (4 cents) in red on cover to USA. Very fine.
1271943 (22 Nov) airmail cover from Ottawa to Sydney N.S. franked with airmail special delivery stamp (CS type CE2). Very fine.

1944 (21 Jun and 10 Oct) two airmail letters to Switzerland, comprising; letter from Toronto to St. Gall dated 21 June franked with pair of the 5 cent and 20 cent War issue stamps tied by machine cancel. Opened by Censor DB/47 sealing label at left edge; also letter from Montreal (Station B) to Geneva, Switzerland, Franked with 10 cent and 20 cent values from the War Issue series. British style P.C. 90 Opened by Examiner DB/66 censor label on left edge. Very fine.

1945 (6 Jan) letter from Ryerson Sask. (duplex cancel) to Geneva Switzerland for Red Cross. Presumably containing letter for POW and showing nice strike of the COUPON RESPONSE mark in red on front. Censored in Canada (examined by C.248). Franked with 5 cent War Issue stamp. Very fine.

1945 (2 Oct) long envelope from the Interior Vegetable Marketing Agency Ltd. of Kelowna mailed from there to Vancouver. Franked with 1 cent War Issue stamp tied by machine cancel. Front has very fine strike of the oval 'Soldier Settlement \& Veterans Land Act/ Received/date/ Vancouver B.C.' cachet in purple. Fine.

1311946 (12 Aug) registered letter from Arvida P.Q. to Switzerland. Franked with 1 cent and 14 cent War Issue stamps. Very fine.

1947 (10 Oct) OHMS letter mailed from Montreal to Denmark with advertising for the Canadian International
132 Trade Fair. Franked with 5 cent War Issue stamp with OHMS perfin. Cover has some minor edge wear and also shows some staining from back flap gum, otherwise fine.

1331948 War issue: 1 cent printed matter/ Xmas card rate to Finland from Montreal and 3 cent postcard rate also to Finland from Toronto. Very fine.

1950 (1 March) FDC franked with block of four of the 50 cent Oilwells stamp (CS type 294) tied by Toronto Earlscourt cancels. Sent to England. Very fine.

1951 (1 Feb) FDC franked with block of four of the $\$ 1$ Fishermen stamp (CS type 302) tied by Toronto
135 Earlscourt cancels. Sent to England. Very fine.
1361951 (2 Oct) airmail letter from Toronto to UK franked with booklet panes - CS types 249c and 252a to make correct 15 cents rate. Very fine.

1371951 (Feb) registered cover mailed from Toronto (Station F) to New York with 18992 cent surcharge on QV 3 cents printed envelope uprated with 2 cent and 10 cent G6 stamps. Addressed to Theodore Steinway the President of Steinway \& Sons New York. Very fine and nice item for a music thematic collection.

1952 (8 July) pair of Calgary Stampede covers both with Exhibition Post Office cancels mailed from there to England. One has strip of five 2 cent coil stamps (CS type 309) and the other has strip of five 4 cent coil stamps (CS type 310). Very fine.

1391953 (2 Feb) FDC of the $\$ 1$ totem stamp (CS type 321) mailed from Montreal to England. Very fine.
1401954 (5 Feb) cover from Kingstown/ St Vincent B.W.I. to the USA franked with 2 cent Polar Bear stamp (CS type 322) tied by boxed PAQUEBOT cancel. Very fine.

1411959 ( 3 Feb ) incoming letter from Bristol UK to New Westminster franked with $1 / 3 \mathrm{~d}$ worth of UK stamps. Redirected to White Rock B.C. and then possibly to the DLO for some 3 months before finally being returned to sender. Nice array of cancels and cachets from White Rock. Fine.

142 1961-1982 pair of official Calgary Stampede covers comprising; 1961 highly decorative cover addressed to Australia and franked with 5 cent St. Lawrence Seaway stamp. Cover includes unused Stampede headed letter paper as insert. Lot also includes 1982 cover sent to England. Condition fine or better.

1964 (10 Oct) NEWFOUNDLAND postcard mailed from Gander, NF to Sweden and franked with 3 cent
143 Newfie stamp from the 1941-44 series. Very late usage of Newfie stamps - someone had been keeping these for a long time! Very fine.

1969 (4 Jan) airmail cover from Winnipeg to England franked with part of Centennial booklet pane (3 se-tenant pairs of 1 cent and 4 cent values making 15 cents rate). Very fine.

1973 Yukon commemorate cover for the 75th anniversary of the founding the Yukon, from Whitehorse to
145 Scarborough Ont. Cover has a 'greetings' insert from officials of the 'Klondike 73' committee. Fine
1461974 greeting card sent from Toronto to a Wing Cmdr. serving in England. Sent as third class mail at the prevailing rate of 8 cents, it could not be delivered and was returned to sender. Very fine.

1977-82 flower and tree definitives; pair of covers to France both rated at 60 cents with impressive multiple frankings. Very fine.

1982-87 Canada Artifact definitive series - four covers and cards with unusual usages/ rates comprising; 37 cent publisher postage due long cover, 64 cent airmail cover to Denmark, 68 cent airmail cover to England and 39 cent postcard rate to the USA. Fine or better.

1984 (24 Aug) letter mailed from Moorefield Ont. and incorrectly addressed to the Swedish Newfoundlander
149 Club in Denmark. Handled by the Danish dead letter office in Copenhagen who redirected it to Sweden. Franked with 65 cents of postage. Fine and unusual.

Uncertain date: letter from Scarborough to Toronto with violet handstamp on front reading 'Stamp fallen off/ at Toronto, Ont'. Fine and unusual.

NOVA SCOTIA: 1846 ( 31 Oct) stampless part paid cover mailed from Halifax to New York. Carried on the Arcadia en route from Liverpool to Boston (arr. 6 Nov) . Marked SHIP in red and rated 7 cents due ( 5 cents US inland plus 2 cents ship fee). Light filing folds as usual but overall fine.

NOVA SCOTIA: 1850 ( 8 Mar) letter mailed from Halifax to New York, sent by steamer to Boston and then onward by US mail. Front shows Halifax Paid tombstone datestamp in red and letter endorsed in mss 'Per and then 5 (US cents - handstamp in black) for collect US postage Boston to New York. Light filing folds but generally very fine and on page with copious notes re. applicable rates etc.

## POSTAL HISTORY - TRANSATLANTIC MAIL

153 Bumper group of 19 sfl, covers and the odd front all being transatlantic to or from BNA in period 1840-1860. Majority have rate handstamps. Condition varies as you would expect but we note a few very nice ones including 1859 sfl to Shetland. Must be worth.

1820 (20 Nov) transatlantic ship letter from Dublin to Montreal via New York. Letter relates to a shipment of timber. Sent by private ship to New York and put into the mails there. Rated $183 / 4$ cents to the Border and then 6 d to Montreal for a total collect charge of $1 / 5 \mathrm{~d}$. Central filing fold and some staining from the wax seal.

NOVA SCOTIA: 1842 (23 Nov) transatlantic letter from Halifax to Edinburgh, Scotland rated 1sh in mss in black (collect) UK arrival mark on the reverse of 17 Dec . Central filing fold but overall fine. DONATED LOT

1858 (18 May) transatlantic letter mailed unpaid from Glasgow, Scotland to Chippawa U.C. via Liverpool (19
May) and the Allen Line 'Indian'. Backstamps of Clifton U.C. 3 June and Chippawa arrival of 4 June. Front has nice strike of the black italic $71 / 2$ Cy handstamp (type E10). cover has two filing folds but generally fine.

1863 (26 March) letter from Glasgow to Montreal regarding a shipment of flour. Franked with GB 6d lilac (SG 84) with wing margin tied by Glasgow duplex 159 and endorsed per Canadian Mail via Londonderry. Carried on the Allan line 'North American' and arrived in Montreal on 13 April. Very fine and written up on album page.

1865 (18 Aug) transatlantic letter from London to Montreal. Franked with GB 6d stamp for passage by the Canadian Packet but carried by Cunard via the US on First Packet Principle. Front shows 'INSUFFICIENTLY/ PREPAID' cachet in black along with large 2d British charge mark and scarce UNPAID 5 handstamp applied in Canada. Some minor edge faults but overall fine.

1874 pair of transatlantic covers (one is a front only) franked with 6 cent Small Queens perf $111 / 2 \times 12$. Comprising; 22 Jan mourning cover from Toronto to England at single rate and 12 Mar front from Quebec to London England franked with two copies for double rate. Fine and written up on album page.

1895 transatlantic letter from unclear origin to Liverpool franked with pair of 1 cent plus 3 cent Small Queens.
Front has very fine strike of the PAID LIVERPOOL US PACKET cancel dated 9 Jan. Very fine.
POSTAL HISTORY - MILITARY MAIL (see also lot 384)
1611901 trio of Boer War cancels on stamp or piece including Army Post Office 52; Field Post Office British Army S. Africa and Army Post Office 38 South Africa. Fine and nice group.

1906-1969 group of 7 ppc's all of Militia Camps and related subjects comprising; 1910 card of London Camp,
162 unused WW2 era card of entrance to Camp Borden, 1940 Niagara Camp views, 1969 Niagara Camp view, 1906 card showing Troops disembarking for Niagara Camp, Canadian Military Series card showing Tug of War (unused) and 1927 card showing the Royal Military College in Kingston. Fine.

1631916 (11 July) YMCA 'On Active Service' postcard mailed from the Canadian Second Division in Belgium to Brockville Ont. Fair strike of the Field Post Office D.X. 3 cancel and nice red hexagonal Passed Field Censor 1711 mark (these of no 6 Field Ambulance Canadian Medical Corps). On arrival in Canada has been franked with 2 cent red Admiral coil (CS type 127) tied by Montreal machine cancel dated 24 July. Some very minor edge faults but overall fine and fully written up on album page.

1916-1941 small group of covers and stamps all showing Canadian Militia cancels or Canada Camp FPO cancels,comprising; 1916 cover with FPO Militia Petawawa Camp cancel, 1932 cover with similar Petawawa Camp cancel, 1916 cover from 93rd Battalion with Barriefield Camp cancel, long 1918 OHMS cover with London Camp cancel, block of four of the 1 cent Arch stamp with very fine strike of the Sarcee Military Camp Alberta cancel, 1940 Camp Borden FPO machine cancel on piece and 1940 pair of 3 cent Mufti booklet stamps with MPO Patawawa Camp cancel. Generally fine to very fine condition and some super cancels here.

Small group of WW2 era military covers and cancels, comprising; 1941 cover with Camp Borden machine cancel, 1941 cover with 1 Canadian ABPO machine cancel and unusual large circular censor cachet, 1944 YMCA cover with FPO and censor mark, 1944 postcard from Clarenceville to England with censor mark, 1945 cover with FPO TC3 cancel and shield censor mark 11837 and also pair of 10 cent stamps (CS type 257) with FPO 1212 cancels. Minor faults on some but generally fine to very fine.

Military Mail: large packet of 120+ military connected envelopes mailed to Canada and the UK. Majority are WW2 era with a few later. Large variety of FPO cancels and military cachets. Condition is mixed but many
166 fine. There are some long manilla OHMS envelopes included and about 20 'Volunteer for Victory' items from Vancouver. Must be some good pickings here and at $£ 1.50$ a cover should be some bargains to be had.

1942-1977 small group of Military mail items, one postcard from WW2 era, the remainder are modern post WW2 Forces Air Letters etc. Nice range of MPO marks including one from the Vietnam war. Very fine.

The following 30 lots are all Military Mail related items from the WW2 era and all with force or orderly room cachets or cancels.

1940 (4 Sep) envelope mailed to Hamilton Ont with FPO 452 cancel. Cover has three strikes of the single line 168 'D.A.D.O.S., (Cdn) 7 Corps' cachet in blue - two on front and one on reverse. Cover has crease at top.

1940 (17 Dec) Knights of Columbus War Services cover (crest on flap) to Toronto (addressed to Fred Jarrett) 169 with FPO 314 cancel. Reverse has very fine strike of the double circle '90th Battery/R.C.A./1st Anti-Tank Regiment' cachet in blue. Some very minor edge wear but overall very fine.

1940 ( 31 Dec) cover to Tilsonburg with FPO 310 cancel. Reverse has very fine strike of the oval 'Orderly Room/ 1st Can. Inf. Bde. A.T.K. Coy' in magenta. Very fine.

1941 (5 July) Salvation Army envelope mailed to Ingersoll Ont with FPO 314 cancel. Reverse has large boxed 171 two line ' Canadian Army/ Overseas' cachet in purple and also boxed 'Received/ date/ 1 Cdn. / F.D. Cash Office' cachet in purple. Some minor edge faults but generally fine.

1941 (23 Aug) long OHMS manilla envelope mailed to Donnington franked with GB stamp tied by FPO 310 cancels. Front has very fine strike of the double oval 'Quartermaster/ Royal Canadian Regiment' cachet in purple.

1941 (13 Sep) Canadian Legion War Services envelope mailed to Montreal with FPO 483 cancel. Reverse has
superb double oval '17th Duke of York's Royal Canadian Hussars/ (7th Rec'ce Reg't) A.F.' cachet in purple. Left edge has been sealed with sellotape where opened. Fine.

1941 (2 Dec) Canadian YMCA cover to Norwich Ont with FPO 313 cancel. Reverse has ' ............./Orderly Room/ 1st Div Petrol Coy. R.C.A.S.C.' cachet in purple. Fine.

1941 ( 30 Dec) Salvation Army cover mailed to South Edmonton with FPO 101 cancel. Reverse has double oval '2nd Field Regt R.C.A./ Canadian Active Service Force' cachet in blue. Minor edge wear but overall fine.

1941 ( 30 Dec ) long manilla OHMS envelope mailed to Toronto with FPO 522 cancel. Reverse has very fine strike of the boxed rectangular cachet ' No 6' Salvage/ Unit C.A. (A)' in black. Fine.

1942 (21 Feb) cover to Tilsonburg Ont with FPO 313 cancel and mss 'Canadian Army Overseas' on front.
177 Reverse has three line cachet of 'Orderly Room/ 1 Cdn Div Sup Col R.C.A.S.C./ Cdn Army (overseas)' in purple. Cover has a fair bit of edge wear but nice cachet.

1942 (26 Mar) RCAF cover (with crest on flap) to Toronto with FPO 130 cancel. Reverse has boxed rectangular cachet of 'No 406 R.C.A.F. Squd./ date' in purple. Very fine.

1831942 (5 Sep) cover to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO S 7 ? Cancel. Reverse has two line '1 Cdn Construction Coy/ Royal Canadian Engineers' cachet in purple. Minor edge wear but overall fine.

1841942 (17 Sep) Salvation Army cover to London with GB stamp tied by FPO HC1 cancel and with double circle 'Canadian Corps Signals' cachet in black on reverse. Front of cover has tear.

1942 (21 Sept) cover to Hollyburn B.C. with FPO T.C. 3 cancel. Reverse has fine strike of the double oval '3rd Div. Am N Coy/R.C.A.S.C. - A.F. / Orderly Room' cachet in purple. Very minor edge faults and cover has light vertical crease otherwise fine.

1942 (7 Oct) letter to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO 313 cancel. Reverse has small oval ' 3 FD. the double circle ' 9 Cdn. Non-Div Ord. Fd Park/ R.C.O.C.' cachet in purple. Some very minor edge wear from opening but overall fine.

1942 (7 July) cover to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO 311 cancel. Reverse has fine strike of the oval 'Seaforth Highlanders of Canada/ Orderly Room' cachet in purple. Minor edge wear but overall fine.

1942 (22 Jul) cover to Tilsonburg Ont with FPO 432 cancel. Reverse has superb strike of the double circle ' 11 Cdn Fd. Coy. R.C.E./ Orderly Room' cachet in purple. Very fine.

1942 cover to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO 306 cancel and with boxed 'No 1 Neurological/
expertly repaired.
1942 ( 7 Dec ) envelope to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO 311 cancel. Reverse has single line '1st Anti Tank Regiment R.C.A.C.A.S.P.' cachet in blue. Fine.

1942 (12 Dec) cover to Kitchener Ont with FPO 310 cancel. Reverse has good strike of the double oval
'Administration Wing/ Royal Canadian Regiment' cachet in black and envelope also has the regimental crest on the flap. Fine.

1942 (21 Dec) Canadian YMCA cover mailed to London with GB stamp tied by FPO S.C. 3 cancel. Reverse has very fine circular 'Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps/ 1 Sub Depot/ 1 C.S.O.D.' cachet in purple. Fine.

1942 (24 Dec) cover to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO SC 11 cancel. Reverse has fine strike of the boxed rectangular 'Orderly Room/ date/ No 1 Det R.C.O.C./ Overseas' cachet in purple. Very fine.

1942 (26 Dec) cover to Edmonton with FPO 311 cancel. Reverse has boxed rectangular cachet of 'The Edmonton Regiment C.A. with date' in purple. Some minor edge faults from opening but generally fine.

1943 (10 Feb) cover to London with GB stamp tied by Field Post Office 311 cancel and with superb double oval 'H.Q. 1 CDN Field Company/ Royal Canadian Engineers' cachet on reverse in blue. Very fine.

1943 (5 Mar) cover to Toronto with FPO 826 cancel. Reverse has fine strike of the '22 Cdn Armd, Regt. C.C.G./ Orderly Room' cachet in black. Very fine.

1943 (2 June) Royal Canadian Navy envelope (with crest on reverse) mailed to Edmonton. Front has very fine red boxed cachet ' From H.M.C. Ship/ Passed by Censor' signed and dated. Very fine.

1944 (12 Mar) British Empire Service League cover mailed to Missouri and re-directed to Montana with FPO 488 cancel. Reverse has very fine strike of the boxed rectangular 'Orderly Room/ No 2 Dist H.Q./ C.F.C.' cachet in purple. Very fine.

Members may wish to bid on the above 30 lots (lots 168 to 197) as a single lot. If so, please bid against this lot number to bid for them all as one lot.

1942 (7 July) cover to London franked with GB stamp tied by FPO H.C. 1 cancel. Reverse has fine strike of

## LOT DESCRIPTION

## POSTAL STATIONERY

POSTAL STATIONERY: 1860 Nesbitt envelopes - 5 cent and 10 cent values unused. Very fine condition. Cat \$200+

POSTAL STATIONERY: 1871 type UX1 pale blue on light brown card unused. Card has a slight nick out of the bottom right corner and a tiny tear on left side. Also 1876 type UX2 mid blue on cream card. Unused. Card has a small tear at the bottom.

1883-1896 group of 5 UPU postcards - type UX4 - all mailed to addresses in Germany. Range of shades and card types. Very fine and nice group. Cat $\$ 75$.

1885 (9 Jan) UX4 postcard mailed from Montreal to Vienna, Austria. Text all in German. Very fine.
1888 (5 May) UX4 type postcard mailed from the Bank of Nova Scotia in Charlottetown to London UK. Nice red London receiver makes for a very colourful item. Very fine.

1889-1893 group of four UX7 postcards all uprated with addition of 1 cent Small Queens. Three of the cards are addressed to Germany, the fourth (for which the uprate was unnecessary) to the USA. Nice range of shades and very fine.

1890 (26 June) 1 cent PS card (type UX7b) uprated with 1 cent Small Queen and sent from Montreal to Enge in Switzerland. Front has receipt cancel dated 8 July along with Paris Etranger transit cancel of 7 July, Ambulant no 18 TPO and Winterthur Briefpost transits both dated 8 July. Very fine.

1896 (31 July) UX14 postcard uprated with 1 cent Small Queen and mailed from Montreal to Hamburg, Germany. Cancelled with type 1C flag cancel. Very fine.

1897 (9 Oct) UX15 style UPU postcard used from Halifax NS to Southsea UK. Squared circle cancel. Fine. Also 1897 (22 Nov) UX15 postcard mailed from Montreal to Dresden in Germany. Very fine.

1897-1898 pair of 2 cent orange postal stationery cards (type P20), both with Toronto flag cancels, (one type 7B, the other type 8B). Both used to the UK. Very fine and cat $\$ 80+$

1900-1901 pair of 2 cent blue postal stationery cards (type P21), both with Montreal type 8 flag cancels. One used to France, the other to Germany. Very fine.

2091905 (12 July) post card type UX25 mailed from Toronto (machine cancel) to Germany and re-addressed within Germany. Front has receipt cancels dated 23 and 24 July. Fine.
circa 1925 ( 15 May) Maple Leaf Issue 2 cent orange P.S. card (type UX20) mailed from HMS Colomb to
B. Hertzberg a stamp dealer in Oakland, California. Originally intended for use to UPU countries when issued in 1897, this is a correct use to the USA at a much later date. Probably philatelic in nature but very unusual. Very fine.

POSTAL STATIONERY: 1967 Centennial Issue; envelope full of approx 45 unused cards and envelopes including both size 8 and 10 types. Includes the various overprints and also some precancelled items. Very limited duplication and excellent condition so ideal for anyone wanting to start a collection of these complex issues.

NEWFOUNDLAND: 1896 ( 3 Oct) 3 cents postal stationery envelope (type EN1) used from Delden Pond to Toronto. Backstamps of St John's (6 Oct) Coastal TPO North (4 Oct) and Toronto receiver of 8 Oct. Very fine and cat $\$ 115$.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY POSTCARDS: small group of five used cards, comprising: GTR types 2,

CPR POSTCARDS: first issue with green views. Set of six used copies comprising; CPR2, CPR2A,

CPR POSTCARDS: second issue. Bumper lot of 29 used cards with some limited duplication, comprising: CPR types 35 b (x 2 ), 35 f ( x 2 ) , $35 \mathrm{~L}, 36 \mathrm{~b}$ (x 3 ), $36 \mathrm{f}, 37 \mathrm{a}, 38 \mathrm{~b}$ (x 4 ), $38 \mathrm{c}, 38 \mathrm{f}$ ( x 2 ) 38 g , 42b

CPR POSTCARDS: third issue. Small group of seven used cards comprising: CPR types 66a, 72a, 79a ( x 2) 80a, 81f, 82f. Very fine. Cat over $\$ 350$.

CANCELLATIONS (note that the items in this section have been primarily collected for their cancellations. Whilst any major defects will be noted, minor faults may not be listed).

GENERAL CANCELLATIONS (see also lot 329, 336, 337)
Green Lighthouse stockbook and several loose stockcards containing a huge collection of dated cancel(x 2 ), $42 \mathrm{e}, 43 \mathrm{a}, 44 \mathrm{~b}(\mathrm{x} 4), 44 \mathrm{~g}, 46 \mathrm{e}, 47 \mathrm{f}$. Note one or two with creases but generally very fine and rarely offered in this quantity. Cat over $\$ 1200$
lations. Approx. 1600 items from over 800 different post offices. All Provinces appear to be represented including NWT and Newfie but majority are from Alberta ( 99 offices), BC ( 56 offices), Manitoba ( 66 offices), Ontario (243 offices), Quebec ( 34 offices), Saskatchewan (243 offices) and the Maritimes ( 95 offices). Bulk of the material appears to be from the G6 and early QE2 eras. Condition is fine or better and strikes good. Treasure trove for the cancellation collector! HEAVY LOT approx $\mathbf{1 6 0 0 g m s}$

Small collection of Canadian postmarks on stamps and cut outs. Majority appear to be from the early 1950's. Over 100 here and note a few meter marks also. Fine

1912-1918 small accumulation of covers and cards all with early slogan cancels. Mixed condition although many fine or better and some limited duplication. 20 covers and cards here so must be good value at..

RPO AND TPO CANCELS (see also lots 31, 49, 52, 57, 62, 64, 69, 71, 81, 110, 112, 337)
Large red Lighthouse stockbook (64 page type) containing some 20 pages of Quebec RPO cancels on stamps or piece. All appear to identified by Ludlow numbers and note items from Small Queen to QE2 era. Some 150+ cancels here with majority good and clear strikes. Stockbook alone is worth the estimate so if you don't collect RPO's throw the stamps away and enjoy the stockbook! HEAVY LOT approx 1900 gms

Large red Lighthouse Stockbook (64 page type) containing some 22 pages of RPO cancels from the Maritimes on stamps and pieces including many blocks and strips and then some 8 pages of Railway/ Depot RPO cancels on stamps and pieces. Over 200 cancel items (blocks counted as one) plus 7 ephemera items such as photos, timetables etc. Majority are fine or better with good clear strikes. Stock book alone is worth the estimate. HEAVY LOT approx 1900 gms

Large accumulation of some 123 covers and cards all with Ontario RPO cancels. Old catalogue reference numbers O150 to O295. Range from Small Queen era to QE2. Some duplication of cancels but often on different stamp issues. Condition mixed as you might expect but majority are fine or better.

1905-1946 group of 13 covers and cards all with Western RPO cancels. Note a couple with minor faults but condition is generally fine or better and strikes clear.

1903-1912 group of 12 postcards all with Edward VII frankings and all with Ontario RPO cancels. Fine condition and good strikes.

1912-1928 selection of 8 cards and 2 covers all with Admiral frankings and all with Ontario RPO cancels. One card has centre crease but otherwise fine or better and good strikes.

1929-1946 selection of 13 covers and cards all with Ontario RPO cancels. Note a few with minor edge faults but most are fine or better and strikes clear.

1905-1956 group of 23 covers and cards all with Calgary \& Vancouver RPO cancels. Note many that have the ornament types. The postcards feature many with topographical views along the route. Fine.

1912-1942 small group of 5 covers and cards all showing Maritime RPO cancels. Fine.
1907-1948 group of 10 covers and cards with Quebec RPO cancels. One of the covers is faulty but generally fine.

230 1950-1969 group of 9 covers and cards with modern RPO cancels from across Canada. Condition generally fine and good strikes.

1950-1966 group of 11 philatelically inspired and 2 commercial (CN envelopes) covers all bearing Newfoundland RPO cancels. Fine with good strikes.

1917-1920 pair of ppc's bearing O.L. \& S. RPO cancels comprising: 1917 card franked with 2 cent red Admiral tied by O.L. \& S. - RPO /-/N cancel without ornaments dated 8 Nov. This cancel apparently not recorded in Ludlow's 1982 catalogue. Card addressed to England. Also 1902 ppc franked with a pair of 1 cent Admiral booklet stamps tied by O.L.\& S. RPO/ cancel type W102X ornament 172, dated 16 Jan, also addressed to England. Corner bend on one but generally fine.

1917-1918 small accumulation of covers and cards (18 in total) all with WW1 flag cancels. Some duplication and mixed condition but generally fine strikes.

The following 28 lots all comprise covers and cards with WW1 flag cancels on. These have been primarily collected for the cancels so minor faults on the covers and/ or stamps may not be mentioned.

Sault Ste Marie flag 28-3: faint but elusive strike of this flag on postcard showing the city's methodist church. Dated 3 Sept 1917.

Vancouver flag 29 1: two examples; one on front only dated 1 Sept 1917 and the other on cover dated 16
Sept. Former strike is very fine, latter is weak.
Toronto flag 27-2 on 'Bob Long' advertising cover dated 1 May 1917. Double impression of the flag cancel due to cover being jammed in machine. Fine strikes.

Toronto flag 27-2 on postcard dated 29 March 1917. Fine strike
Medicine Hat flag 35-4: on postcard to the USA showing quiet street scene. Some pre-affixing damage to the 2 cent red Admiral stamp but a $99 \%$ complete impression of this elusive flag cancel dated 27 July 1917.

Toronto flag 23-9 on a P.S. card (Webb type P27g) . Dated 14 May 1917 which is a very late use for this short lived flag cancel which was replaced by a CNE exhibition slogan. Very fine.

Saskatoon flag type 35-1; on front only dated 11 Sept 1917. Fine strike.
248 Winnipeg flag type 35-9 on cover to the USA dated 30 Apr 1917. Cover has some damage to the top and part of flap missing but these not affecting the cancel which is a full very fine impression
249 Winnipeg flag type 35-9 on postal stationery card (Webb type P33f) dated 25 May 1917. Fine strike but not complete.
Edmonton flag type 26-2 on cover to the USA. Dated 23 August 1917. Fine impression. Lot also includes a couple more examples of this cancel on piece.
Toronto flag type 23 - B on a soldiers letter (very frail and with rough edges). Cover has army handstamp
251 R. 29 and censor tape 3812. Dated 24 Feb 1917 which is the second ERD for this cancel. Cancel itself is light.
252 Halifax flag type 21-3 on Hartford Life Assurance Cover dated 29 May 1917. Almost complete impression albeit a little smudged.
253 Sherbrooke flag type 23 A on uprated p.s. card to Smithville Ont dated 7 Sept 1917. Light impression .
254 Toronto flag type 23 B on colour ppc of King Street mailed to England dated 30 Aug 1917. Complete impression, very fine.
255
Toronto flag type 23 B on 2 cent red p.s. card dated 4 October 1917 which is very late use. Fine impression.

256 Vancouver flag type 23-8 on cover dated 16 July 1917. Fine impression.
£5
257 Windsor flag type 23-9 on sepia ppc to USA dated 3 May 1917. Card has some smudges but these are well away from the cancel which is fine.

258 Brantford flag type 25-1 on two fronts dated 29 July (two impressions of cancel superimposed) and 30 April. Fine.

Ottawa flag type 25-3 on cover to the USA. Dated 17 May 1917 which was the penultimate day of use.
259 Fine.
260 Hamilton flag type 36-1 on 'Maker of Maps' advertising cover dated 21 April 1917 (second day of use). Complete impression and very fine (ex Larry Page)

261 London flag type 36-3 on cover to Perth Ont. Dated 2 June 1917. Fine.
262 Winnipeg flag type 36-2 on cover to Virden with late date of 9 April 1917. Fine.

263 Guelph flag type 34-3 on cover dated 7 July 1917. Good impression for this office which normally has rather weak cancels.

Montreal flag type 34-4 on private postcard dated 8 June 1917. Fine. Lot also includes two other copies of this cancel on piece.

265 Toronto flag type 34-5 on p.s. card. Dated 8 September 1917. Fine.
266 Vancouver flag type 33-1 on re-directed postcard dated 6 March 1917. Clear impression.
267 Victoria flag type 33-2 full strike on 2 cent red Admiral p.s. card dated 5 May 1917. Full strikes of this cancel are uncommon. Fine.

## FANCY CANCELS

FANCY CANCELS: 1 cent PS card mailed from St John N.B. 26 Sep 1874 showing what the owner described as an Intaglio Shield cancel. Very fine and a new one on me.

FANCY CANCELS: range of instructional markings used as cancels comprising; 6 different 'PAID' types, four on Large Queens and two on Small Queens, 'Too Late' on two Small Queen plus nice boxed (Lacelle type 144). Stamp has a couple of short perfs at bottom and a small perf thin also at bottom but overall fine for issue.

FANCY CANCELS:- Ottawa fancy 8 (Lacelle type 96) on 3 cent Small Queen - fine to very fine.
FANCY CANCELS: nice group of ten fancy cross cancellations all on Small Queens. Note Lacelle types 1042, 1073, 1074, 1081, 1082, 1084, 1085, 1100, 1139 and 1141. Very fine.

FANCY CANCELS: 3 cent SQ with circular SPENCE cancel from Spence, Ontario (Lacelle type 795). Fine.

FANCY CANCELS: two covers and one stamp all showing the use of brass stamp crown bag seals as cancels, comprising; 1878 cover form Latimer to Toronto franked with 3 cent Small Queen tied by Lacelle type 1272, 1890 cover from Muskoka Wharf to Toronto with 3 cent Small Queen tied by circle of bars and additional bag seal cancel type 1272. Also 3 cent Small Queen with bag seal cancel of Hamilton. Covers have some minor faults but you do not often see these bag seals used on cover.

FANCY CANCELS: 19535 cent blue postal stationery cover mailed from Hickson Ont to London and showing two very fine strikes of a bag seal cancel (similar to Lacelle type 1272). Almost certainly philatelic but very fine.

FANCY CANCELS: album page with crown cancels - four on stamp and one on cover from New Lowell 1882. Some identified by Lacelle number but others not. Some nice strikes here.

FANCY CANCELS: album page with 'flower' cancels, comprising; one cover and five stamps (all Small
Queens 3 cent to 8 cent) with variety of cancels described by the owner as 'flowers' - majority are attributed to specific post offices and dates. Very fine strikes and a nice colourful lot.

FANCY CANCELS: group of some 10 different 'Letter' cancels from C to G. Includes Lacelle types 328, 334 (four different including a very nice 15 cent Large Queen) 335, 358, 368, 399, 404, 427 and 429 plus one other I cannot identify. Total of 13 stamps and one cover. Strikes are mostly very fine.

FANCY CANCELS: group of 4 'Letter' cancels, comprising; Large R with a nick in it. Lacelle type 756 from St Hyacinthe circa 1876 on 3 cent Small Queen. Fine; 3 cent Small Queen with fine strike of the 'X' in cogwheel cancel from St. Antoine Lotbiniere QC - Lacelle type 914; large bold 'P' (Lacelle type 704 from Parrsboro NS) multiple strikes on a pair of 3 cent Small Queens (so much so that at first it looks like a very heavy masonic cancel) fine and 6 cent Small Queen with fine strike of the YK cancel in purple ink from St Francis du Lac P.Q. - Lacelle type 925.

FANCY CANCELS: 1 cent Small Queen with very fine strike of the Kingston masonic cancel (Lacelle type 1335).

FANCY CANCELS: group of three bogey head cancels all on 3 cent Small Queens. Lacelle types 1358, 1367 and 1371. Good to fine strikes.
'LATE FEE' on an imperf 3d Beaver (little or no margins), 'Way Letter' on two Small Queens plus 1930's

FANCY CANCELS: 3d beaver (CS type 12) perforated with perfect strike of the Hamilton '16' in bars piece and two different 'Free' markings on Small Queens plus 1953 cover with FREE handstamp overstamped with Official G stamp. Nice lot with some fine or better early stamps here. (13 stamps, 2 pieces and 1 cover)

DESCRIPTION
PRECANCELS AND PRECANCEL COVERS

PRECANCELS: Large accumulation of some 230 copies of the 1 cent Small Queen - all with bar type precancels - note types B through U. Much duplication but also many varieties here. Treasure trove for the precancel collector. On stock cards. Mostly fine or better.

PRECANCELS: huge accumulation of many 100's in large Lighthouse stockbook. Includes over 160 bar types, rest are the town types. Some duplication but also note some better values here including type T43 ( x 2) T73, T88, U47 x 2, U80V etc plus many town types catalogued at $\$ 25$ plus. Huge catalogue value and mostly fine or better. HEAVY LOT, weight approx. 1200 gms .

PRECANCELS: trio of $1 / 2$ cent Small Queens with bar type precancels. Includes types B34O and two copies of R34. Fine cat $\$ 250+$

PRECANCELS: Map stamp with type U precancel type U85. Fine. Cat $\$ 300+$
PRECANCELS: 1 cent yellow Admiral with Truro precancel type 1-105 fine Cat \$250+
PRECANCELS: Large bundle of around 60 covers, cards and wrappers all with precancels. Including several precancelled postal stationery items. Range from QV to early QE2 but mainly G5 and G6 eras. Note a few with additional stamps added. Fair bit of duplication but some nice early stuff in here. Condition varies as you would expect but rarely offered in this quantity.

The following 29 lots are all individual covers or cards with precancelled stamps.
c 1901 cover of the John C. Winston Co of Toronto (with original advertising enclosure) franked with 1 cent Numeral stamp with type T precancel. Mailed to Armadale Ont. Very fine.

1903 cover of Wyld Darling Co Ltd of Toronto with illustrated advertising on reverse franked with 1 cent Numeral with type T precancel. Addressed to Arichat N.S. (received dated 25 Feb on reverse). Fine.

1903 cover of the National Sanitarium Association mailed from Toronto to Athens Ont. Franked with two copies of the 1 cent Edward stamp with type T precancel. One stamp has been additionally cancelled by Toronto machine cancel. Reverse has Athens receipt of 15 Nov. Fine.

1904 advertising cover of John Hallam. Dealers in Hides, Skins, Tallow, \& Wool (with original enclosure dated 18 July) mailed from Toronto to Paris Station. Franked with 1 cent Edward with Toronto type 3-89 precancel. Some edge damage at right from rough opening but overall fine.

1908 (1 Dec) cover of the Rival Herb Co of Montreal mailed from there to Newmarket Ont. Franked with 2 cent Edward with type 2-90 precancel, additionally cancelled by machine cancel. Reverse has Newmarket receiver of 2 Dec. Very fine.
c 1914 R.S. Williams \& Sons cover mailed from Toronto to Smithville. Franked with 1 cent green Admiral with type 7-104 Toronto precancel. Very fine.
c 1927 ppc in colour of City Hall, Toronto with illustrated advertising for Wm Wrigley Jr Co Ltd addressed to Lefroy Ont and franked with 1 cent yellow Admiral with type V precancel. Very fine.
c 1929 unsealed cover with illustrated advertising enclosure of the Menhenitt Co Ltd with return envelope mailed to Ohio USA. Franked with 1 cent Scroll coil stamp with coil join at left with type V precancel. Very fine.
c 1927 cover of Massey Harris Co Ltd of Toronto mailed to Smithville Ont and franked with 1 cent Confederation stamp with type 12-141 precancel. Very fine.
c 1930 card with printed notice of address change from Bell, Gouinlock \& Co Toronto, mailed to Kingston Ont and franked with Toronto precancel type 11-162. Very fine.
c 1931 printed advertising card of Fry, Mills, Spence \& Co of Toronto mailed to Kingston with 1 cent £9 yellow Arch coil type V-178 precancel. Very fine.

299 c 1930 large part of newspaper wrapper addressed to Belgium and franked with vertical strip of $3 \times 2$ cent brown Arch stamps with Montreal type 8-166 precancels. Fine
c 1933 cover from Robert Jackson M.D. of Toronto mailed to Winnipeg and franked with 1 cent Medallion precancel type W-205. Fine.
c 1933 cover of Raoul Renault of Quebec mailed from there to Illinois USA and franked with 1 cent Medallion with Quebec type 3-195 precancel. Very fine.
c 1935 cover of Maclean Building Reports Ltd of Toronto, mailed from there to London Ont. Franked with Toronto precancel type 14-217. Fine.
c 1935 cover of St John's Church Parish Messenger in Peterborough Ont. addressed locally and franked with Peterboro precancel type 3-217. Cover has some rough edges but generally fine.
£5
1937 cover of the Halifax Chronicle and Halifax Daily Star mailed to Guysboro N.S. and franked with Halifax precancel type 4-217. Receipt backstamp dated 30 March. Very fine.

1937 card with, on the reverse, price list from stamp dealer N.R. Hendershott of Windsor Ont. Franked with Windsor precancel type 5-231 and addressed to New York. Very fine.
c 1938 cover of Norman Hendershott, stamp dealer of Windsor mailed to another stamp dealer, Oswald Marsh in London UK. Franked with Windsor precancel type 5-231. Fine.
c 1938 large newspaper wrapper of Laval Medical the newspaper of the Faculty of Medicine at Quebec
307 University. Mailed to Stanford, California and franked with a pair of 1 cent Mufti's with Quebec type 5-231 precancels. Very fine.
c 1943 cover of Alden C. Johnson of Toronto mailed to Wisconsin and franked with Toronto precancel type 15-249. Very fine.
c 1947 cover of Bond Colier of Windsor Ont. mailed to Germany and franked with Windsor precancel type 5-249. Fine.
c 1948 large newspaper wrapper of Clay Products News and Ceramic Record of Toronto mailed to England
and franked with 1 cent War Issue stamp with Oshawa type 3-249 precancel. Fine.
311 c 1950 newspaper wrapper of the Barclay (Canada) Wholesaler of Montreal mailed to Germany and
c 1950 cover of F.J. Corbould of Sudbury Ont (Stamp dealers) mailed to Florida and franked with bar precancel type X-285. Very fine.
c 1953 newspaper wrapper of Popular Stamps Magazine based in Cobden, Ontario mailed to England.
Franked with bar pre-cancel type X-326. Very fine.

314 c 1955 illustrated cover of Boy Scout Message of Hamilton mailed locally and franked with bar precancel type X-338. Very fine.
c 1977 cover of the B.C. Historical Association of Victoria B.C. mailed locally and franked with 15 cent flower definitive with type Y-787 precancel. Very fine.
£4
c 1979 entire folded advertising sheet (sealed with an airmail sticker) of Phil-Art Distribution Reg'd of

1897-1908 used accumulation of stamps on stockcards. Some 550+ in total. Note Jubilee set to 3 cents,

329 Small Queens - packet of some 180+ used copies, mostly 1 cent and 3 cent values but note a few others to 20 cents. All appear to have been collected for cancels - mainly corks including some nice fancy types but also a few squared circles etc. Condition variable but mostly fine.

1870 large group of 80 used 1 cent Small Queens on stock cards. Unchecked for printings, perfs or varieties. Mostly fine or better with some postmark interest. Good lot for the variety hunter.

Small Queens - small accumulation of $1 / 2$ cent value on album pages. Note mint block of 10 plus another of 4 with partial imprint. Also used top margin strip of 5 along with cover franked with pair. Also 10 unused Maple Leafs to 10 cents (x 2), Numerals to 10 cents ( x 16), Edwards to 10 cents (x 10) and Quebec to 5 cents etc. Much duplication and several strips and blocks. Condition varies as you would expect but majority fine or better. Treasure trove for the variety or cancel collector.

Large Lighthouse stockbook in purple containing remainder collection of many 100's mint Canadian stamps from 1897 to early QE2 plus a few odd later issues. Also includes a fair bit of back of the book material (note for example 6 copies of CS type E1). Fair sprinkling of blocks and pairs included. Sets are by no means complete but note several better such as Quebecs to 20 cents (x 2) George V to 50 cents, G6 to 50 cents etc. Some duplication, often of better stamps. Condition is fine or very fine throughout. Huge catalogue value. HEAVY LOT - weight approx 1300 gms

Large group of coil stamps from 1912 to early QE2. Both mint and used and many in pairs or strips. Majority are GV and GVI era with a few QE2. 152 stamps in total with huge catalogue value. Vendor notes STC $£ 1450$ some years ago (though not all id's are correct). Condition fine to very fine.

Blue Octavo stockbook with collection of miniature sheets (ex Cellopacs - some still in wrappers) and booklet panes. Note 11 panes of 25 from 1963-1967 era including several of the better tagged panes. Also 9 booklet panes plus one booklet all from 1960-1973 era. Lot also includes Canals of Canada booklet (SG 1795-1804). Very fine and unmounted mint. STC £155.

STAMPS - CANADA ( see also lot 268)
1852 trio of imperf 3d beavers (CS type 4). All sound and fine but with tight margins.
1854 10d blue - plate proof in colour of issue on india mounted on card (CS type 7P). Stated to be plate position 10. Very fine. Cat $\$ 300$

18583 pence beaver perf 11 3/4 (CS type 12) - very fine used copy. Cat $\$ 1600$.
1859 cents issue: 5 cents beaver (CS type 15); 5 unused copies (no gum) plus 7 used also 1 copy of the 10 cent value used. Note the odd minor perf fault on one or two but generally very fine condition for these. Unchecked for varieties etc. Huge catalogue value.

1868 Large Queens: small group of used stamps on stockcard comprising; 2 cent, 3 cent $\times 2,5$ cent, 6 cent, $12^{1 / 2}$ cent, 15 cent x 2 . Generally fine or better for these.

18681 cent Large Queen on laid paper (CS type 31). Appears to be mint but given the extreme scarcity of this stamp we have had the folk at VGG take a look at it under the VSC6000 and they are of the opinion that this is a very lightly used copy of a genuine laid paper stamp which has had the cancel removed and then been re-gummed. So is priced here as a used copy. Still a very rare stamp. Centred to upper left. Cat $\$ 6000$ or $£ 4000$

3 cent Large Queen stamp on laid paper. (CS type 33) Fine used single with just a couple of blunt perfs at upper right. Concentric rings cancel. Shows verge line .

1870 Small Queens: used remainder accumulation on stockcards comprising; (approx numbers) $1 / 2$ cent $x$ 2,1 cent $x 44,2$ cent x 18,3 cent $\mathrm{x} 95,5$ cent $\mathrm{x} 37,6$ cent x 34 (incl block of 6 ); 8 cent x 3,10 cent $\mathrm{x} 3,20$ cent $\mathrm{x} 1,50$ cent x 3 . Condition varies but many fine here and ideal for the variety hunter. or mint copies. Lot also includes packet of well over 40 copies of the $1 / 2$ cent value - all used but note at least one precancel and one with nice offset. Unchecked for other varieties. Condition is generally fine or better.

Small Queens - album page plus packet of 6 cent values - all used - over 70 copies here. Appears to be roughly 50/50 early and late printings by shade but not checked for varieties though note a few compound perf types. Condition varies but majority are fine or better. Huge catalogue value.

Small Queens: collection on album pages of unused or mint stamps comprising: $1 / 2$ cent $\times 2,1$ cent $\times 12,2$ cent $\mathrm{x} 14,3$ cent x 29 (including a few early printings), 5 cent $\mathrm{x} 12,6$ cent $\mathrm{x} 5,8$ cent $\mathrm{x} 5,10$ cent x 4 . Also includes 2 mint copies of the 15 cent Large Queen and 2 copies each of the 20 cent and 50 cent Widow Weeds values also unused/ mint. Majority are mounted mint and fine or very fine. Huge catalogue value.

18923 cent Small Queen from Ottawa printing. Mint single, mounted with full original gum. One blunt perf at top but otherwise fine. Cat $\$ 30$.

1897 Jubilee issue: remainder lot comprising:- mint or unused $1 / 2$ cent, 1 cent $x 4,2$ cent $x 4,3$ cent, 5 cent x 2,6 cent x 3,8 cent, 10 cent, 15 cent, 20 cent x 3 ( 1 faulty). Also group of used comprising; $1 / 2$ cent, 1 cent x 13,2 cent x 7,3 cent x 14,5 cent $\mathrm{x} 9,8$ cent x 2 ( 1 faulty) 15 cent, 20 cent, 50 cent x $2, \$ 2$ (fairly heavy roller cancel and missing perf at bottom) Apart from faults noted condition is generally fine or better. Huge catalogue value and hard to find in these quantities.

1897 Jubilee issue; 1 cent x 1 and 3 cent x 6 all used with squared circle cancels. Note Kingston (2), London type 1, Owen Sound, Sault Ste Marie, Toronto York Street, and Toronto. Mostly sound with fine strikes.

1897 Jubilee issue; 1 cent x 1 and 3 cent x 8 all used with mostly legible SON cds cancels. Note RPO Ludlow type O-280, Barrie, Berlin, Collingwood, Hamilton ORB, Renfrew, Thornbury, Toronto ORB, Waterdown. Few minor faults but nice cancels.

1898 Map Stamp: over 400 used copies on stockcards. Many with cable retouches etc. Lots of postmark interest and excellent plating material. Condition varies but generally fine.

1908 Quebec Tercentenary $1 / 2$ cent value - used single showing the major re-entry from pp44. Very fine.

Admiral issues: accumulation of well over 400 used copies. All values appear to be represented including coils and war tax issues. Much duplication but good source for variety hunters. Condition varies as you would expect but majority are fine.

19122 cent red Admiral plate 49 top margin imprint block of six. No gum but very fine.
1917 Confederation stamp (CS type 135) lower margin imprint strips of three from plates 5 and 12. Stamps are mint but lot of gum disturbance from storage and one stamp in the plate 12 strip has damage. Nevertheless, rarely seen.

19262 cent on 3 cent Admiral overprint (CS type 140) top margin plate block of 8 from plate 116. Unmounted mint and very fine. Cat \$900

1928 Scroll issue: small group of plate blocks and pieces, comprising: 1 cent plate 1 block of 6 , plate 3 block of 8 both mounted on selvedge only; 2 cent plate 5 and plate 7 blocks of 8 former unmounted, latter gum disturbance at bottom and staple holes in top margin; 3 cent plate 1 block of six unmounted plus used pair with plate 1 imprint; 5 cent plate 2 block of 8 lmm and plate 3 block of 8 lightly mounted on selvedge only. Huge catalogue value and rarely seen.

1930 Arch issue:accumulation of over 70 plate blocks of the low values, comprising (blocks of four unless otherwise stated); 1 cent orange plate $1 \times 4$, plate $2 \times 3$ plus centre UL reversed 2 block; 1 cent green plate $1 \times 1$, plate $2 \times 2$, plate 5 UL albino block of 8 , plate 6 matched set plus upper left pair, plate $7 \times 2 ; 2$ cent green plate 1 UL reversed 1 block of 6 , plate 2 UL reversed 2 block x 2 , plate $3 \times 2$, plate 5 block plus RH strip of four, plate 6 block plus RH strip of four; 2 cent red plate $4 \times 2$ (one without gum), plate $5 \times 4$ (one albino), plate $6 \times 1$, plate $7 \times 3$, plate $8 \times 2 ; 2$ cent brown plate $5 \times 2$ ( 1 albino), plate $6 \times 2$, plate $7 \times 1$, plate $8 \times 1$ albino, plate $9 \times 2$ plus two pairs plate $10 \times 2$ plus pair; 3 cent red plate $4 \times 3$, plate $5 \times 3$ (albino); 4 cent plate $1 \times 1$ (plus additional block with only partial imprint), plate $2 \times 1$ plus one block of $8 ; 5$ cent blue plate $3 \times 5$ plus pair; 8 cent blue plate $1 \times 2$ (one used); 8 cent orange plate $1 \times 1$, plate $3 \times 3$. Majority of blocks are unmounted. Huge catalogue value and rarely seen in this quantity.

## $£ 40$

$£ 100$

3491934 Jacques Cartier stamp (CS type 208): small group of plate pieces comprising; plate 1 UL, UR and right hand blocks of four all lightly mounted and plate 2 UL and LL blocks of four plus LR pair (all very lightly mounted). Very fine. Cat $\$ 200+$
£40
193410 cent Empire Loyalist stamp (CS type 209): small group of plate pieces comprising; left margin plate 1 pair with gum disturbance, upper left plate 1 block mounted mint and lower right plate 1 block of 6 unmounted. Fine to very fine. Cat $\$ 800+$

1942 War issue values to 50 cents (SG $375-378$, 380-382, 385-387) plus 193820 cent value (SG 365) all on Hawid stockcard and all unmounted mint. STC $£ 128$

1942 War Issue: huge accumulation of approx 250 low value plate blocks comprising; 1 cent green 46 mint and 1 used, 2 cent brown 23 mint and 1 used, 3 cent red 14 mint, 3 cent purple 71 mint and 1 used, 4 cent grey 3 mint, 4 cent red 75 mint and 1 used, 5 cent blue 16 mint and 8 cent 2 mint. The vast majority of the mint blocks are of 4 with a few of 6 and all but a few are unmounted. There does not appear to be any duplication with many matched sets of blocks. Huge catalogue value and a wonderful starter collection towards completion of these blocks for this issue. Condition is very fine throughout.

1942 War Issue: group of three plate blocks showing cracked plate varieties, comprising; 1 cent green plate 20LL (unmounted). 4 cent red plate 31LL (light mount) and 4 cent red plate 45 LL (light mount). Very fine. Cat $\$ 150$

1946 Peace set to $\$ 1$ plus airmail stamp all lightly mounted mint on stockcard. Very fine. STC £55
1954 huge collection of plate blocks of the Wilding definitives along with the 15 cent Gannet stamp and 10 cent Eskimo stamp. Vast majority are umm blocks of 4 but note the odd used block and also one pair. Most plates are represented many in matched sets. Includes matched sets of the Winnipeg tagged blank corner blocks and also a few flourescent paper varieties. Many 100's here - far too many to count. Very fine. If anyone is looking to complete a collection of these blocks for this issue this would get you $90 \%$ of the way there!

1989 Canadian Infantry Regiments set: upper left and lower right imprint blocks of four (CS 1250ii) unmounted mint and very fine. A modern rarity, cat $\$ 500$.

## STAMPS - BACK OF THE BOOK

BOOKLETS: duplicated range of G6 and early QE2 stamp booklets comprising types:- 34d French x 2 (one with writing on cover); 34c English; 35b French; 36b French; 36h English; 39a English x 2; 42a English x 4; 43b English; 44 English; 45 English x 6 . Condition generally good although a few have some rusting around the staples as usual. Cat over $\$ 400$.

1928-1946 a collection on stock cards of all of the Canadian airmail stamps. All are mint, mostly lmm but note one or two unmounted. Includes type C5 as a marginal pair and also includes the Peace stamp booklet pane of four. All are fine to very fine. Cat well in excess of $\$ 170$

3591930 Airmail stamp (CS type C2) very fine lmm single. Cat \$70

1906-1935 small collection of postage due stamps covering all issues from the first four sets both mounted mint and used. Note a few blocks. Includes paper varieties. All on album pages. Fine to very fine.
36118752 cent RLS perf 12. Lightly mounted mint single. Few blunt perfs at bottom otherwise fine. STC $£ 65$.
362 1875-2 cent RLS: some 70 used copies on stockcards. Unchecked for perfs, varieties etc. Generally fine or better.

18755 cent RLS : some 100 used copies on stockcards. Unchecked for perfs and varieties etc. Generally fine or better.

Collection of 4 hole OHMS perfins on album leaves. All George 6 era and all used and appears to be fairly complete with some additional copies showing different perfin positions. Includes 1938, 1942 and 1946 sets

OHMS perfins - duplicated accumulation of approx 2004 hole OHMS perfins all on George 6 issues. Unchecked for types.

1950-1955 Official 'G' overprints - plate blocks: Huge accumulation of plate blocks of these official issues. All are blocks of 4 unmounted mint and very fine. Contents comprise (all CS numbers): $\mathrm{O} 19 \mathrm{pl8}$
UL. O28 pl3 UR, O29 pl18 UR, O33 pl $1 \times 8, \mathrm{p} 12 \times 6, \mathrm{O} 34 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 7, \mathrm{pl} 2 \times 5, \mathrm{pl} 3 \times 6, \mathrm{pl} 4 \times 3, \mathrm{O} 35 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 5$, $\mathrm{pl} 2 \times 1, \mathrm{pl} 3 \times 8, \mathrm{O} 36 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 3, \mathrm{pl} 2 \times 2, \mathrm{pl} 4 \times 6, \mathrm{O} 37 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 4 \mathrm{pl2} \times 4, \mathrm{O} 39$ matched sets of all 4 plates, O40 $\mathrm{pl} 4 \times 3, \mathrm{pl} 5 \times 2, \mathrm{pl} 8 \mathrm{n} \times 9, \mathrm{O} 41 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 1, \mathrm{pl} 2 \times 4, \mathrm{pl} 7 \times 8, \mathrm{pl} 8 \times 9, \mathrm{O} 43 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 8, \mathrm{pl} 2 \times 7, \mathrm{O} 44 \mathrm{pl} 1 \times 4, \mathrm{pl} 2 \times 1$, pl7 x $2, \mathrm{pl10} \times 1, \mathrm{pl11} \mathrm{\times 5}, \mathrm{O} 45$ matched sets of both plates. Over 150 plate blocks here - many in matched sets of four. Huge catalogue value and becoming hard to find.

1986 Canada Post year book. Includes 35 umm stamps and 1 miniature sheet. Very fine. Cat $\$ 45$
Federal Postal Note stamps; small group of the 1932-1948 issue on album page, comprising mint copies of; 1 cent to 25 cent values (including shades) plus 50 cent and 75 cent values. Van Dam types FPS 1-14, 17, 20. Very fine. Cat $\$ 58$.

## STAMPS - PROVINCES

Selection of Nova Scotia stamps on stockcard. Includes SG types 14, 15, 21, 26 and 29 with some duplication. 14 stamps in all with both mint and used represented. Some very fine copies included.

## AND FINALLY, SOME MORE ODDS AND ENDS <br> $\qquad$ and all the stuff the Auction Manager missed the first time around!

1898 (9 Dec) advertising cover for W.M. Raymond \& Co of Fraserville P.Q. mailed from Riviere du Loup to Indiana USA. Franked with 1 cent Numeral. Reverse has transit cancels of Quebec. Very fine.

Early map of the British Colonies in North America prior to 1760 . Somewhat stylised (apparently detailed Google mapping had not yet started) but nice ephemera item.

1906 Pair of post cards mailed from Canada to the USA. Both franked with 1 cent Edward and both showing nice US flag cancels as arrival marks; one from Newcastle PA and the other from Taunton Mass. Fine.

1908-1924 group of 10 ppc's all from Nova Scotia and all showing split ring cancels. Includes many unusual and small offices such as Upper Branch, Blockhouse, South East Passage and Pleasantville etc. Condition generally fine or better and some nice strikes.

1929-1972 large group of 36 unused Post Office Dept envelopes and post cards. Rarely seen and a nice basis for a display. Very fine.

1931-1951 range of 17 used Post Office Dept envelopes all with stationary printing numbers. Note a range of nice Post Office cachets (Inspector cancels and Postmaster oval cancels etc). Also Ottawa Free machine cancels etc. Condition varies but majority are fine.

1929-1956 range of 18 used Post Office Dept envelopes all with stationary printing numbers. These all have better slogan cancels (full list available on request) along with nice range of cachets (Postmaster oval cancels etc). Very fine condition throughout.

1950-1970's group of some 20 OHMS cards and envelopes (mostly not Post Office) half are unused and half used. Wide variety of Government Depts represented here. Condition is generally fine or better.

1941 (23 Apr) letter mailed from London UK to Hollywood California and addressed to the famous actress Ginger Rodgers. Front has boxed cachet in green reading 'Official Auction Cachet Canadian

3802019 Commemorative flown card for 100th anniversary flight of Alcock \& Brown. Postmarked in St

1963 (15 Jan) letter mailed to Sardinia with FCPO - 107 cancels franking 5 cent Wilding. Front has oval cachet in red of 'RCAF Air Weapons Unit/ Orderly Room/ CAPO 507 Sardinia Italy'. Very fine.

## END OF SALE

Our next Auction will be a postal/ internet based sale in Q1 2024.

