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## WORLDWIDE

$\star$ © BURMA Specialized Collection on Pages Includes India stamps Queen Victorian era used in Burma noting Rangoon numeral cancels, followed by Burma KGV used, KGVI mint / used including a valuable array of Gibbons listed varieties noting mint (most in pairs with normal) SG \#25a (10 examples), 27a, 27b (2), 42a, 44a, 57aa, O21 (2), plus many other non-listed varieties identified on pages. An excellent group for study and specialization.
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 750.00+


BURMA Airmail Flight Covers 1925-1930s About 40 covers, many are annotated on exhibit pages, majority with India regulars / airmails, some are incoming flights or flown through Burma, couple crash covers noted. Highly interesting and ready to exhibit or add to a specialized collection. Worth a close look.

Est. 500.00+

© CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC 1950s-1980 Mint / Used Assortment Collection as received in a Chinese stockbook, noting Scott \#1054-1057 ungummed as issued, mint NH \#1573, used \#974, 976, 991, 992, $158619808 f$ Lunar New Year - Monkey vertical pair with minor wrinkle on top stamp plus a single with small thin. Condition mixed in places but mainly F-VF or better (Scott 2019 US\$4,380)

Est. 750.00+
$364 \star$ CUBA Country Collection Arranged by Topical Themes A remarkable lot in mounts in a Lighthouse album and four binders, the latter on pages with write-up. Arranged by topical subject sports, mammals, music \& dance, literature, paintings, insects, butterflies, mollusks, reptiles, fishes, birds, etc. Several hundred sets and stamps, plus se-tenant multiples, souvenir sheets all mostly NH, also some FDCs sprinkled throughout. From 1950s to 1990s with many items not often seen. Worth a close look to appreciate the effort put into arranging and annotating these thematic collections.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 600.00+
$365 \boxtimes$ CUBA Collection of 1928-1950s First Flight Cover Neatly displayed on pages with simple write-up with over 70 different cacheted first flights, about half domestic and half international (mostly US and the Caribbean). A few are pilot signed, a nice collection making an excellent introduction to the subject.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 350.00+

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Board of Education, South Kensington, Urumarte LONDON, SW.

366 GREAT BRITAIN O65, 1902 (November 8) Legal size OHMS Board of Education, South Kensington, London, S.W. envelope, franked with a 5 p dull purple and blue Queen Victoria with three-line "BOARD OF EDUCATION" departmental overprint in black tied by London squared circle datestamp, central vertical fold to envelope, an elusive official franked cover, F-VF (SG O81)

Est. 1,500.00+


367 GREAT BRITAIN On Her Majesty's Service Frankings Two large OHMS labels from Board of Eduction, South Kensington, London, S.W., both addressed to Paris, France; the first endorsed "Insured for Sixteen Shillings 16/- Glass with care" franked with 2 p grey green and carmine and two 1 sh dull green QV with Government Parcel overprint (one of the 1 sh has dot to left of "T" variety) tied by bold parcel cancels. The second label endorsed "Photos with care, registered" and franked with three-line Board of Eduction overprinted vertical pair of 5p dull purple and blue Queen Victoria plus a single $1 / 2$ p blue green KEVII tied by light South Kensington CDS postmarks, clear oval Registered South Kensington 6 NO 02 datestamp. Both labels with peripheral flaws; the government parcel with overall light soiling, still rarely seen official frankings, Fine (SG O68, O68c, O70, O81, O83)

Est. 1,000.00+ quadrille pages, emphasis on 1881 lp lilac and $1887 \frac{1}{2}$ p vermilion with interesting representation of different types of cancels (including South African postmarks), printings, minor plate varieties, offidials noting SG O31, O41a "OFFICIAI" variety both used. Earlier surface printed stamps shown are in mixed condition; a few covers, odds \& ends. Worth a look
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 350.00+

$\star$ © ITALY Comprehensive 1863-1944 Mint / Used Collection In an old-style Schaubek album in nice shape for its age. Contains hundreds of mint or used stamps from first issue to 1944 (better mint such as \#49, 52, 85, etc.), semi-postals, airmails, dues, parcel post, Aegean Islands, Fiume, occupations, etc. Mixed to fine on earlies, overall condition then improves after 1900 to F-VF; previous owner's Scott 2009 cat. is over US $\$ 13,000$

Est. 1,500.00+


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370 © NEW ZEALAND 4, 1855 1p Red on Blue Paper (Auckland Print), No Watermark, Imperforate A very attractive used example with just clear to large margins, bright colour on uniformly fresh coloured paper, central grid '18' (Otago), showing large portion of papermaker's double-line watermark letter, completely sound and scarce thus, VF; 1980 BPA cert. (SG $4 £ 2,000$ for a normal unwatermarked stamp)

2,200.00
371 © NEW ZEALAND 29, 1864 6p Red Brown, Watermark NZ, Imperforate An appealing used example with amazingly deep rich colour, adequate to large margins, unobtrusive grid cancellation; a nice stamp, VF (SG 99 £700)
750.00

372 - NEW ZEALAND 96a, 1863 (Early) 2p Dull Deep Blue on Thick Soft White Paper, No Watermark, Perf 13 A lovely sound example with typical centering for the issue, gorgeous colour, part of Dunedin 1864 duplex and Paid London split ring in red, Fine+; 1980 BPA cert. (SG 96a £475)
900.00


373 © NEW ZEALAND Lovely Collection of Early "Chalon" Stamps About fifty different meticulously identified, collected for different shades and printings 1855 to 1873 , virtually all used noting SG 102 p blue on white paper strip of three (small thin on one) grid '10' cancelled and a mint OG SG 117 nicely centered with large margins. Better used singles to found among the 1857-1863 imperforate and 18621864 watermarked large star issues (couple rouletted stamps SG 47 and 57, latter minor faults), plus later perforated issues. A high percentage of the stamp are selected and sound. An excellent nucleus for further specialization.

Est. 1,500.00+
$374 \star \odot$ NEW ZEALAND 1874-1972 Comprehensive Collection Mounted on quadrilled pages, starting with a few dozen "Sideface" issues to the 5sh including perforation / watermark varieties, partially organized according to Gibbons. The 1898-1908 Pictorials are well represented mint or used (or both) including an excellent showing of the Penny Postage with varieties, etc. Noted 1902 2sh laid paper used, 1899 5sh mint perf 11, etc. From 1910s onward quite well represented, often parallel mint AND used shown, plus mint airmails, mint / used semi-postals noting 1931 Smiling Boys used, etc. A few literature titles are also included. Quality on earlies varies from mixed to very fine, then improves to F-VF. A strong collection that deserves close examination. (Illustrated on Website) Est. 1,000.00+

375 ( PAKISTAN 1947-2009 Extensive Collection Predominantly mint, mounted on pages in a thick Scott album, along with Bahawalpur 1948-1949 and Bangladesh 1971-2009, excellent degree of completion for regulars and commemoratives, strong showing of officials (including some unlisted), varieties, setenants, souvenir sheets and unlisted locals. Unusually comprehensive; cat. over US $\$ 4,000$.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 750.00+
376 (PORTUGAL Extensive 1951-1981 Mint Collection Housed in two Lindner albums and displayed on blank hingeless pages, very well represented from 1951 to 1981, noting 1952 St. Francis set NH, 1953-1956 Equestrian set, 1953 Queen Maria NH, 1954 Nobrega NH, 1957 Garrett. Mostly complete from 1958 to 1981 with a high percentage being NH. Clean and VF throughout
(Not Illustrated) Est. 500.00+
377 * © RUSSIA 1857-1959 Mint / Used Collection In a Minkus album, a few hundred different mint or used noting a \#1 VF used example, light pen cancel and with postmark, excellent representation with souvenir sheets, semi-postals, airmails, etc. Mainly Fine to Very Fine (Not Illustrated) Est. 500.00+

378 \& RUSSIA Virtually Complete Mint / NH 1960-2006 Collection Housed in nine Davo albums on clean hingeless album pages (as new) with well over 4,500 different stamps, souvenir sheets and miniature panes; lacking very few stamps. All mint NH and selected fresh throughout; a nice, clean collection, VF NH
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,500.00+

$379 \star \odot$ SPAIN Comprehensive 1850-1981 Collection Housed in three old-style Lighthouse hingeless albums, quite extensive from start to finish, earlier period is mostly used including useful classics such as Scott \#3, 11, 13, 15, 23, 27, 29, 30, 58, 73 block, 84 , etc. From turn of the century, a most are mint (much is NH, routinely so from about 1950); includes a strong back-of-book section with Beneficencia, semi-postals, airs, Revolutionary Overprints with Burgos, Canary I., Malaga and Barcelona noting 19 different mint souvenir sheets. A wealth of better mint items such as \#187, 250, $286,633 \mathrm{NH}, 605 \mathrm{~A}-605 \mathrm{~F}+605 \mathrm{G}$ Submarine mail set \& souvenir sheet, B19-B73 (B67 is used), B108A-B108C NH, B108E/J NH, B137-B138 NH, C88-B89 NH, C97, C127-C130 NH, CB18 LH, etc. Overall quality is nice with classics better than normally seen and later issues mainly F-VF. A solid collection ready for continuation.

Est. 2,500.00+

$380 \star \odot$ USA 1852-1930 Collection as Received Displayed on Scott National hingeless pages, starts with early classics in usual mixed condition but also noted some nice selected stamps such as Scott used \#9, $17,35,68,71,75,76,98,118,120$, etc. 1893 Columbian series includes mint $\$ 1$ and $\$ 3$ plus unused $\$ 2$ and a well centered $\$ 5$. Well represented thereafter with Washington / Franklins mint or used. Back-of-book with mint airmails C1-C6, C13, C14, used parcel post, special delivery, etc. Condition throughout is variable from mixed to very fine. Worth a close look.

Est. 1,500.00+
$381 \star$ © USA 1893-1981 Collection of Commemorative Issues In a Lighthouse hingeless album, mostly mint from 1920s with a high percentage being NH; 1893-1919 era is used noting 1893 1c-30c, 1898 1c-50c, 1901 1c-10c, etc. Condition on used stamps mixed to very fine, mint issues F-VF or better
(Not Illustrated) Est. 200.00+
$382 \star$ USA Predominantly Mint / NH 1932-2014 Collection Displayed on Scott National hingeless pages to 1980 , then in mounts on Harris pages 1980 to 2014. Mint LH or used on earlier stamps, but for the most part all mint NH including sheetlets, souvenir sheets, se-tenant multiples, coils, definitive and commemoratives, excellent degree of completion.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 750.00+

$383 \star \bigcirc$ VENEZUELA Extensive 1859-1979 Mint / Used Collection Housed in two Altamira hingeless albums, starting with a few dozen classics, from 1859-1890s varies from usual mixed to very fine; then quality improves from 1910s with most stamps from late 1930s on being mint, mostly NH from about 1950 on. Noted better mint sets such as \#C41-C46, C47-C63, C74-C78 NH, C113 NH, C189C197 imperf blocks, C293-C301 NH, etc. The remarkably long 1951 Arms series is present and complete ( 384 stamps) with vast majority post office fresh mint NH (seldom encountered as such), then appears complete mint (majority NH) from 1951 onward. Also includes officials and 1924-1942 GN perfins (Gobierno Nacional), postal fiscals and departmental stamps, plus some locals. A wonderful collection of seldom seen country. Fine to Very Fine

Est. 2,000.00+
$384 \star \odot$ BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Balance of Consignment Includes Ceylon mint / used mainly from KGV to 1960s mounted on quadrille pages, New Brunswick \#1 repaired VF app. used single with clear grid '14', Nova Scotia \#4 small margins used single, old-time selection mounts on small pages, etc. Inspect.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 250.00+


385 WORLDWIDE Specialized Collection of Jusqu'à and O.A.T. Handstamped Covers Housed in three binders on clear stockpages with copious notes, includes O.A.T. handstamps (Onward Air Transmission) on 13 covers from the 1940s and an impressive lot of nearly 100 covers / cards showing parallel bars known as "Jusqu'à" markings to indicate on face of airmail letter how far it had to go by air before being transferred to a surface route. Large portion of "Jusqu'à" covers to New York or London but various other cities also noted. Includes three literature titles related to the subject Murray Heifetz "O.A.T. and A.V. 2 Markings" third edition, 167 pages, Ian McQueen "Jusqu'à Airmail Markings (A Study)" 1993 and 1995 supplement. Condition varies from mixed to very fine; an interesting subject for someone to further expand.

Est. 750.00+
$386 \star$ WORLDWIDE Topicals - Flowers - Comprehensive Mint / NH Collection Couple hundred mint sets, plus some se-tenant multiples and souvenir sheets, in mounts on quadrilled pages. Mostly NH noting an excellent representation of exotic countries from the 1950s to 1970s period. Clean condition throughout.
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 500.00+
$\star$ © WORLDWIDE Balance of Interesting Odds \& Ends, Classic Stamps and Useful Sets In glassines, on cards and on retail pages, many already identified and catalogued, noting Canada 2c Large Queen +3 c Small Queen on 1871 domestic registered cover, a few mint British Occupation Togo \& G.R.I. stamps, GB 1880 lp red brown \& $2 \frac{1}{2}$ ultra sheet reconstruction - nearly complete for former and about two-thirds of the latter in two small stockbooks, Israel with some early booklets, bisect stamps, Portugal souvenir sheets, Spain with range of early forgeries, Switzerland revenues and mint / used issues, early USA proofs, some revenues, duck stamps, etc. A useful lot for a dealer.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,500.00+
$388 \star \bigcirc$ WORLDWIDE Interesting Hoard - Balance of Consignment Includes a collection of small size stamps of the World, interesting collection of Worldwide stamps on pelure (or thin) paper, plus assortment of early to modern stamps with interesting perforations from the crude Bhopal stamps, machine vending stamps of United States, Belgium Parcel Post \& Railway Stamps 1879-1949 with about 350 different mostly used stamps, Great Britain 1864 1p reconstruction of the sheet (letter positions AA - AL / TA - TL) regardless of plate number, etc. Condition varies from mixed to very fine; inspect as there is potential for better findings.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 500.00+
$\star$ © WORLDWIDE Balance of Consignment Lighthouse album with Cuba mint issues in mounts on quadrilled pages, two thick Schaubek stockbooks containing an extensive Venezuela mint and used stock (plus modern mint NH Spain), Great Britain 1950s-1980 mint on Lighthouse hingeless pages, Spain FDCs in a box and an album; plus small box containing a hoard of postal stationery envelopes mostly from USA 1907-1920s (heavily duplicated) and from Great Britain (among others). ALL are addressed to Venezuela. Needs closer examination.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 500.00+
$390 \star \odot$ WORLDWIDE Old-time Accumulation / Collection as Received Thousands of stamps mint or used, partially organized in various photo albums, notebooks, boxes, glassines, etc. Wide range of countries. Ideal for a few hours of identifying and sorting. Inspect.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 300.00+

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1, 1860 2½p Bright Orange Rose, No Watermark, Imperforate A phenomenal mint example of this rare imperforate classic stamp, surrounded by remarkably large margins and displaying exceptional true colour on immaculate white paper with full, dull white original gum, characteristic of early De La Rue printings; quite remarkable as such as most existing examples are without gum. A spectacular stamp in all respects and ideal stamp for the discriminating collector who is only satisfied with the best, XF OG GEM
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4, 1865 10c Blue, Imperforate An exceptionally fresh unused example with brilliant fresh colour, surrounded by unusually large margins for the issue. A superb stamp, XF; 1971 PF certificate $\mathbf{3 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$


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$393 \star 4$, 1865 10c Blue, Imperforate A selected unused single with bright fresh colour, 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
$394 \star$ 6, 1865 10c Blue, Perf 14 A fresh mint example, typical centering with large part dull streaky original gum, hinged; a nice Fine OG stamp
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$395 \star$ 12, 1871 50c on 3p Violet, Perf 14 A brilliant mint single, typical centering for the issue, excellent colour on fresh paper and showing an unusually large portion of its dull streaky original gum; an attractive mint stamp, Fine OG
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$396 \star$ 12i, 1871 50c on 3p Violet, Perf 14 An exceptionally fresh mint example, well centered for the issue, showing INVERTED WATERMARK, bright colour and unusually clean, full, dull streaky original gum. A selected example of this scarce variety, Fine+ LH

3,000.00
$397 \star$ 13, \$1 on 3p Green, Perf 14 A remarkably well centered mint stamp, prepared but never issued as the earlier perf $12 \frac{1}{2}$ stamps were still available at post offices until Confederation; slight trace of rubbing at top, overall nice colour for this delicate shade and possessing surprisingly clean, dull streaky original gum much superior to what we normally see; with Jules Bernichon guarantee backstamp, VF OG

3,000.00


14, 1869 5c on 3p Bright Red, Perf $121 / 2$ A lovely mint single of this elusive stamp with beautiful post office fresh colour, above average centering, and large part original gum, with overall freshness superior to many existing mint examples, Fine OG 4,000.00


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$399 \star 16,1869$ 25c on 3p Orange, Perf $12 \frac{1}{2}$ A quite well centered mint single with deep colour, a few uncleared perf discs as often seen, large part OG; a nice fresh mint stamp, Fine+ OG
$400 \star 18,1869 \$ 1$ on 3 p Green, Perf $121 / 2$ A superbly centered mint example with brilliant colour, disturbed original gum from previous hinging. Rarely seen with such superior centering, VF+ (Cat. as unused)

1,800.00


401
X402
401 F 1865 10c Blue, Watermark Crown CC Five used examples with skillful repairs. All annotated by renowned British Columbia collector Gerald Wellburn and on his original album page. Excellent reference.

Est. 750.00
402 F Coat of Arms Spiro Brothers lithographed forgeries, a rare lot of five complete sheets of 25, perf 11; includes 3 p slate blue, 10 c on 3 p rose, 25 c on 3 p yellow, 50 c on 3 p dull violet and $\$ 1$ of 3 p green; 10c with some staining. Uncommonly seen in sheets (see accompanying Gerald Wellburn letter to Walske)

## NEW BRUNSWICK


$403 \quad$ 1, 1851 3p Dull Red on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate A scarce unused example with small to ample margins, large part OG somewhat dried; a difficult to find classic stamp, F-VF (Cat. as unused)

3,500.00
404 © 1a, 1851 3p Dark Red on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate A choice used single with full to very large margins, characteristic darker shade of the first printing, clear and unobtrusive oval mute grid cancel, VF


1858 (April 1) Small envelope in remarkably choice condition, mailed to Edinburgh, Scotland bearing a lovely franking - a superb large margined $6 p$ olive yellow and a $3 p$ dark red diagonal bisect, both tied by light oval grid " 1 " cancellations; paying the $7 \frac{1}{2}$ pence letter rate to the United Kingdom; St. John NB Paid AP 11858 dispatch in red below franking and same-ink circular " $71 / 2 \mathrm{~d}$ Cy." denoting prepayment; superb red tombstone Pkt Letter Paid Liverpool MY 4 C58* and next-day arrival backstamp. A marvelous bisect cover - unreported in the exhaustive Arfken \& Firby "The Pence Covers of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick 1851-1860", VF; 1987 Greene Foundation certificate (Unitrade 1a, 2 cat. $\$ 6,000$ )

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P 2, 6p Heraldic Plate proof block of eight printed in black on thin card, showing a rarely seen diagonal "SPECIMEN." overprint (serifed letters; 53 x 6.5 mm ) in black at left, in an excellent state of preservation and most appealing. Illustrated in Minuse \& Pratt "The Essays and Proofs of British North America" on page 74, VF (Unitrade for normal single proofs)

4,000.00

## AN IMMACULATE, FRESH UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THIS VERY ELUSIVE CLASSIC STAMP



407 * 2, 1851 6p Olive Yellow on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate A striking example of this challenging classic stamp in unused condition, well clear of design on one side to large margins and displaying characteristic bright, delicate colour on immaculate blue wove paper. A lovely unused stamp missing from many an advanced collection, F-VF; 2004 Greene Foundation cert.

5,250.00

## A FLAWLESS MINT EXAMPLE WITH DAZZLING COLOUR AND REMARKABLY FULL ORIGINAL GUM


$408 \quad \star \quad 3,1851$ 1sh Bright Red Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate An attractive mint example of this great rarity displaying exceptional colour; margins all around are clear to full and most remarkably retaining full original gum. An amazing stamp rarely encountered in flawless condition; very few examples can match these highly select physical traits, F-VF LH

43,500.00
Expertization: 1990 RPS of London certificate
Provenance: Claude Cartier (Part One), April 1977; Lot 53-described as "superb example in a beautiful bright shade, even margins, fresh unused, perfection for this stamp and probably the finest of the few known."

A WONDERFUL MINT EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 ONE SHILLING HERALDIC, RARELY SEEN WITH POST OFFICE FRESH COLOUR AND FULL ORIGINAL GUM.


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411
$409 \star 1890$ 3p, 6p \& 1sh Heraldic The set of three official reprints - 3 p in bright orange and 6 p \& 1sh in violet grey black, on stout white wove paper, VF
(Illustrated on Website) 400.00
410 E 5, 1860 5c Charles Connell "Goodall" Die Essay printed in blue violet (likely from the compound die), on india paper $32 \times 35 \mathrm{~mm}$; a rare and striking essay of this unissued stamp, VF Est. 1,000.00+

P 6TC, 1860 1c Locomotive Trial colour plate proof block of four in reddish orange on india paper. Not often seen, especially so in a multiple, VF and attractive
800.00+

$412 \mathbf{P}$ 7, 1860 2c Queen Victoria Engraved trial colour die proof printed in black on card mounted india paper $37 \times 38 \mathrm{~mm}$; without the guidelines present on "Goodall" proofs. An attractive and no doubt very scare proof, VF

Est. 750.00+
$413 \mathbf{P} \quad 9,1879$ (circa.) 10c Queen Victoria "Goodall" die proof in slate black on india paper $26 \times 30 \mathrm{~mm}$, sunk on card $36 \times 52 \mathrm{~mm}$, die " 73 " number below design; a rare and appealing proof ideal for exhibition, XF

Est. 1,000.00+
414 P 11, 1879 (circa.) 17c Prince of Wales "Goodall" die proof in grey black on india paper $25 \times 31 \mathrm{~mm}$, sunk on card $39 \times 57 \mathrm{~mm}$, shows albino impression of ABNC imprint and die " 78 " number at foot. A beautiful and very appealing proof ideal for exhibition, XF

Est. 1,000.00+

## NOVA SCOTIA



415
1, 1853 1p Red Brown on Deep Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate A beautiful unused single with bright colour on immaculate paper and surrounded by full even margins; a great stamp, XF; 1957 PF cert.

3,000.00

$416 \star 2,3 p$ Blue on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate A fabulous mint block of ten with sheet margin at foot, barely touching frame at one corner and minor thinning on top right pair, bright colour and large part original gum. Despite the minor imperfections a wonderful large multiple with excellent provenance and ideal for exhibition, F-VF OG (Unitrade cat. $\$ 24,000$ )

Est. 7,500.00+
Provenance: Alfred Lichtenstein, H.R. Harmer Inc., April 1956; Lot 983
Nicholas Argenti, Harmer Rooke (London), November 1963; Lot 389
Claude Cartier (Part One), SG Auctions, April 1977; Lot 91
Frederick Mayer, H.R. Harmer, May 2012; Lot 553

$417 \star$ 2b, 3p Pale Blue on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate A superb mint example displaying true, distinctive, post office fresh colour, surrounded by four large margins and possessing unusually full original gum. A great stamp in all respects and rarely seen in such top-quality, XF LH; 1986 BPA certificate for a pair from which it originates.

3,200.00+
2i, 3p Bright Blue on Bluish Paper, Imperforate An exceptionally fresh mint example with full margins, fabulous colour and remarkably clean large part original gum. As nice as one would hope for to find, VF+ OG; copy of 1964 RPSL cert. for a block of six from which it originates

3,600.00


419 © 5, 1857 6p Deep Green on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate An impressive used example of this difficult classic stamp with rarely seen large margins, amazing colour and lightly cancellation. A beautiful stamp; pencil signed by experts Giulio Bolaffi and Alberto Diena with their (1967) certificates, VF; ex. Frederick Mayer (May 2004; Lot 560)

3,000.00


420 6 6, 1857 1sh Reddish Purple on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate select used example of this sought-after classic, adequate to large margins and displaying beautiful and uniformly fresh colour, completely sound with light unobtrusive cancellation, VF; 1948 RPS of London cert.

7,000.00


O 6b, 1851 1sh Deep Purple on Bluish Wove Paper, Imperforate A scarce used example in the distinctive deeper shade, grid cancellation somewhat heavy, in sound condition and surrounded by four unusually large margins, VF

9,000.00

# THE SOUGHT-AFTER FIRST PRINTING "COLD" DULL VIOLET SHADE RARELY FOUND MINT WITH ORIGINAL GUM 



7, 1851 1sh "Cold" Dull Violet on Blue Wove Paper, Imperforate A highly desirable mint example of the scarcer first printing, printed in the distinctive shade, visually striking and in flawless condition, margins clear at one side to remarkably large margins on others and possessing an unusually large portion of its original gum. Difficult to obtain attributes on this key classic stamp, rarely seen mint; pencil signed by expert Herbert Bloch on reverse, F-VF OG

48,500.00

Expertization: 1977 David Brandon certificate

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P 10, 1860 5c Queen Victoria Engraved trial colour die proof printed in black, on india paper 30 x 35 mm . A beautiful and elusive coloured proof, VF and choice

Est. 500.00+
P 10, 5c Queen Victoria Engraved trial colour die proof (stamp size) printed in brown on india paper; rarely seen and certainly just as scarce as the valuable "Goodall" proofs, VF (Minuse \& Pratt 10TC2a)

Est. 350.00+


425 P 12, 1860 10c Queen Victoria Trial colour die proof printed in black on india paper measuring 41 x 44 mm ; paper with hint of toning, scarce and appealing, VF

426 P 13, $1860121 / 2$ c Queen Victoria Engraved die proof in black, colour of issue on india paper 42 x 42 mm , in choice condition, appealing, VF and scarce


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## PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

## A STRIKING AND VERY RARE PERFORATION VARIETY IMPERFORATE VERTICALLY BETWEEN



1c, 1861 2p Dull Rose on Soft Yellowish Paper, Perf 9 An impressive mint horizontal pair IMPERFORATE VERTICALLY BETWEEN, large part original gum, light thinning from hinge removal, Fine appearance and of great rarity. (SG la $£ 11,000$ )

7,500.00

We are aware of only four pairs:
(1) "Provenance" Collection (January 1983; Lot 2056), fine unused with visible stain on left stamp;
(2) Eastern Auctions (June 2015; Lot 468 - sold for $\$ 5,250$ hammer), fine with part OG, paper adherence covering most of right-hand stamp, tiny thin;
(3) Louis Sidney Crosby (January 2018; Lot 566), unused (no gum), small faults, soiling, imperforate vertically (not a true imperforate vertically between)
(4) the example offered here.


2b, 1861 3p Dark Blue on Soft Yellowish Paper, Perf 9 A fantastic mint example displaying a very strong and complete DOUBLE IMPRESSION ERROR throughout the design, despite a few short perfs and a couple minute gum thin specks, it is unusually well centered with deep rich colour and still retains a large portion of its brown original gum (not crackly as is often the case). A very scarce and visually striking stamp, VF OG (Unitrade cat. \$12,000)

Est. 2,500.00+


429 P 9, 1870 (circa.) 4p Queen Victoria Trial colour plate proof in light blue on wove paper; reverse shows large portion of the 3 p dark blue stamp. Unusual and appealing, VF

Est. 200.00+

$430 \star \quad$ 9, 1863 9p Violet, Perf 11 $1 / 2$-12 An exceptional mint block with superior centering, in a darker shade than normally encountered, natural gum wrinkle on lower left stamp. One of the nicest mint blocks we have seen of this difficult stamp, VF+NH
$\mathbf{1 , 2 0 0 . 0 0}$
$431 \star 9$ a, viii, 1869 4p Black on Soft Yellowish Wove Paper, Perf 11 $1 / 2-12$ An appealing mint single with upper left corner margin, imperforate vertically between sheet margin and stamp, full pristine original gum; a scarce variety in choice condition, VF NH
500.00


P 10, $1870 \mathbf{4} 1 / 2 \mathbf{p}$ Queen Victoria Engraved Trial Colour Die Proof by British American Bank Note, printed in red brown on india paper $35 \times 40 \mathrm{~mm}$, faint (albino) engraver's guidelines shown along edge of the proof. A very appealing proof in near issued colour, VF and rare

Est. 1,000.00+

PROVINCES LARGE LOTS AND COLLECTIONS


P PROVINCES Selection of NS \& NB Proofs \& Reprints Displayed on three stockpages noting New Brunswick \#2, 3 proofs in black on card, latter toned, \#5 milky brown shade on wove paper and one in orange on india on card, \#9 in blue from compound die proof. Nova Scotia with 1890 1p-1sh reprint set of four, \#1 black proof block of four on wove paper (Plate I - unissued plate; shows a re-entry on UL proof), vertical fold between, trivial flaws, various NB and NS specimen stamps, trial colours, etc.

Est. 1,000.00+

$434 \star$ PROVINCES Collection Balance of Mint / Unused Classic Stamps Displayed on Lighthouse album pages with over 50 mint or unused stamps from British Columbia, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and PEI. Noted BC mint \#2, 10, 11, 15, unused 17, NB \#1a part OG (some faults), NS \#4 unused (filled thins), some nice PEI stamps, etc. Condition variable but many sound, useful stamps to be found throughout.

Est. 1,500.00+

## NEWFOUNDLAND

## PENCE


$435 \star$ 1, 1857 1p Brown Violet on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate A choice mint example with portion of sheet margin at right, full margins on other sides, full, dull white original gum, VF NH
480.00


436 * 2, 1857 2p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate An impressive large margined unused example of this difficult classic stamp which is typically seen with little or no margins; small stain spots, nevertheless in otherwise sound condition with bright colour. A very presentable example of this rarity, VF; 1949 RPS of London cert. (Unitrade cat. \$25,000) ex. Henry Schneider (October 1996, Lot 251)

Est. 5,000.00+

$\star \quad \mathbf{2 i}, 1857 \mathbf{2 p}$ Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate A rare unused example of this difficult classic, just clear of outer frameline to small margins all around; hardly discernible surface scuff mostly confined to margin at right, nevertheless sound with incredible colour and showing the line through " 2 s " variety, a Fine and presentable example of this valuable stamp; 2007 Greene Foundation cert.

$438 \quad \star \quad$ 5, 1857 5p Brown Violet on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate An exceptionally fresh mint block of four with large margins, bright impression and full, dull white original gum of the 1857 issue, couple mild hinge marks. Very few multiples of this stamp are known, VF OG; 2014 Greene Foundation cert.

1,800.00+

$439 \star$ 6, 1857 6p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate Exceedingly rare unused single displaying excellent colour and a well etched impression, small even margins all around; tiny thin not mentioned in accompanying certificate, on the short-list of Newfoundland's rarest unused stamps and missing from even the most advanced collections, Fine; 1968 RPS of London certificate
$12,000.00$
Provenance: E. Carey Fox (Second Portion, October 1968; Lot 224)
A FINE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THIS CLASSIC STAMP. A PERUSAL OF PAST NAME-SALES QUICKLY REVEALS THE RARITY OF THE 18576 PENCE STAMP IN UNUSED CONDITION.

© 6, 1857 6p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate An impressive used example in well-above average condition, well clear margin at foot to remarkably large margins on other sides, completely sound, lovely deep rich colour showing only a hint of oxidation, oval barred cancellation. A lovely stamp devoid of the flaws so prevalent on this stamp, F-VF; 1987 Brandon cert.

$441 \quad \star \quad 7,1857$ 6 $1 / 2$ p Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate A remarkably fresh mint single with ample margins and exceptional colour along, large part of its characteristic dull white original gum associated with the 1857 printing; pencil signed by expert Herbert Bloch and others on reverse. A scarce mint stamp, F-VF OG; 1981 RPS of London cert.
$9,000.00$
$442 \star \quad$ 9, 1857 1sh Scarlet Vermilion on Thick White Wove Paper, Imperforate A very rare unused example of sought-after classic, small filled thin and tiny nick at top left, lovely bright colour and strong impression, just clear margin at foot and small margins on other sides. A presentable example of this valuable stamp, Fine (Unitrade cat. $\$ 15,000$ as fine)

Est. 3,500.00+


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11, 1860 2p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate An unusually choice mint example with exceptional colour, large margins for this issue, large part original gum; a beautiful stamp in wellabove average condition, XF OG

1,200.00+
$444 \star$ 11A, 1860 3p Green on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate A remarkable mint block of thirty with full sheet margins on three sides, corner crease touching three stamps, nevertheless in excellent state of preservation for such a large multiple, lovely fresh colour and full original gum, 27 stamps are NEVER HINGED. Among the largest remaining multiples; a wonderful showpiece, VF (Unitrade cat. \$10,080+)
(Illustrated on Page 29) Est. 5,000.00+
$445 \star 11 \mathrm{~A}, 1860$ 3p Green on Thicker Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate Select mint example of the first 1860 printing, full margins and full original gum; a lovely stamp, XF NH
360.00+
$446 \quad \star \quad 11 i i, 1860$ 2p Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate A very nice mint single with fabulous colour and full margins, shows the line in " $2 s$ " variety; a scarce variety in selected mint condition, VF OG

1,600.00


## AN IMPRESSIVE INTACT SHEET OF THE FIVE PENCE HERALDIC


$\star \quad 12 \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{i}, 18605 \mathrm{p}$ Violet Brown on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate An impressive mint complete sheet of forty, folded between fourth \& fifth rows and seventh \& eighth columns, natural wrinkles on three stamps, peripheral soiling and creasing away from stamps. Papermaker's watermark "STACE" of "STACEY WISE / 1858" is shown across (reading down) six stamps, fresh colour and full original gum, never hinged. A rare intact sheet of wonderful appeal, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$10,560 as normal singles)

Est. 5,000.00+
There is one documented plate variety on the Five pence (all printings) found on Position 34 (second stamp from last row) with doubling marks in surrounding florals.

$448 \quad \star \quad 13,18606 p$ Orange on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate An elusive unused single with even clear margins, hint of oxidation; pencil signed by expert Herbert Bloch on reverse, Fine

15, 1860 1sh Orange on Medium Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate A full margined unused single of this rarity, colour slightly faded and paper lightly, evenly toned; one of Newfoundland's rarest stamps to find in unused condition, VF (Unitrade cat. \$40,000)

Est. 5,000.00+
Expertization: 1975 RPS of London certificate, giving the more subdued opinion "1sh orange vermilion, imperf unused is genuine, a little soiled"

## A REMARKABLY CHOICE MINT ONE PENNY RED BROWN DISPLAYING THE RARE AND UNMISTAKABLE COLOUR



16, 1861-1862 1p Red Brown on Medium Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate An outstanding mint example of this elusive stamp, displaying the unmistakable, characteristic deep rich shade and bold impression, surrounded by mostly large margins and still retaining a large portion of its original gum, which is a rare occurrence and very desirable as such. Only a small number of this already small print run (four sheets) survives in selected mint condition, VF OG

32,000.00
Expertization: 1997 BPA certificate which observes "marginal nick at lower left"; a meaningless observation in our view as it can easily be trimmed off.

Provenance: Henry Schneider, October 1996; Lot 278
Dr. Lewis L. Reford, Part One, March 1950; Lot 1086
In his landmark book The Pence Issue of Newfoundland, Robert H. Pratt states that a maximum of four sheets ( 480 stamps ) was originally printed in this colour.

$451 \star 21,1861-1862$ 6 $1 / 2$ p Rose on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate Lower right corner margin mint block of four, bright fresh colour, light hinge in right margin, stamps with full original gum VF NH
$452 \star$ 21, i, 1861-1862 6½p Rose on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate Upper left mint block showing portion of papermaker's watermark "WISE" on right pair, lower pair is NH, VF LH
960.00


22, 1861-1862 8p Rose on Thin Hard Wove Paper, Imperforate Post office fresh mint upper left block with full pristine original gum, choice, XF NH
960.00

## CENTS


$454 \star 27,1870$ 10c Black on Stout White Paper A very appealing mint single, well centered within typically tight margins, showing full ABNC imprint in right margin, beautifully fresh with full original gum, very light hinging in selvedge only, stamp is NEVER HINGED. A rare, select plate imprint example, VF NH

1,500.00+


455


456
$455 \star 27 a, 1865$ 10c Black on Thin Crisp Wove Paper A well centered mint single, fresh colour and NEVER HINGED. A very elusive stamp in this condition, F-VF NH

1,125.00
$456 \star 29,1894$ 12c Brown A superb mint single with precise centering, full immaculate original gum, XF NH
300.00+


32, 1868 1c Violet (First Engraving) A stunning mint example, very elusive when displaying superb centering, post office fresh colour and full immaculate original gum, NEVER HINGED. Seasoned collectors will appreciate the rarity of such a stamp in GEM quality; ideal stamp for the perfectionist and grossly undercatalogued in our view, XF NH
600.00+


36, 1894 6c Carmine Lake A post office fresh and unusually well centered mint block of six showing full ABNC plate imprint in right margin, possessing full immaculate original gum; a superb example, XF NH (Unitrade cat. for six singles)
$1,260.00+$

$459 \star \quad$ 37, 1877 1c Brown Lilac, Rouletted An exceptionally fresh mint example, very well centered for this unassuming stamp, rouletting intact on all sides and as fresh as the day it was printed, full unblemished original gum, NEVER HINGED. Superb in all respects, XF NH
800.00+


40, 1876 5c Blue, Rouletted An outstanding mint single with superb centering, unusually wellbalanced large margins, post office fresh with intact rouletting and full pristine original gum, NEVER HINGED. It will be nearly impossible to improve upon, XF NH GEM

1,200.00+

$461 \star 40$, 1876 5c Blue Harp Seal, Rouletted Top margin mint block showing full ABNC imprint, lightly hinged in margin, stamps with full original gum, never hinged, Fine (Cat. as fine NH singles) $\mathbf{1 , 2 0 0 . 0 0}$


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$462 \quad \star \quad 42,1880$ 1c Grey Brown A nicely centered mint example of this elusive stamp, gorgeous fresh colour and with unusually clean, full pristine original gum; quite remarkable as disturbed gum is the norm for this printing. VF NH
360.00+
$463 \star 47,1896$ 2c Green Codfish A nicely centered mint block in the characteristic bright rich shade, full original gum, with lower pair NH, VF

1,440.00
$464 \star 49,1896$ 3c Blue A selected mint example, very well centered with noticeably large margins, exceptionally fresh with full immaculate original gum. A lovely stamp in premium quality, XF NH
400.00+

$465 \star$ 51, 1887 3c Umber Brown A lovely, well centered mint example with pristine original gum; a tough stamp to find, VF+ NH
300.00
$\star \quad 51 \mathrm{a}, 1887$ 3c Brown A remarkable mint example, very well centered with unusually wide margins, beautiful fresh colour and full original gum. A great stamp, XF NH JUMBO
300.00+

$467 \star \quad$ 59, 1887 10c Black An amazing mint example, well centered, huge "boardwalk" margins all around, fresh with full original gum, tiny moisture spot on gum, otherwise XF NH JUMBO Est. 250.00+
$468 \star 59 i, 1887$ 10c Black A post office fresh mint example showing the line through "CE" of "CENTS" variety, nicely centered, scarce, VF NH
750.00


469 P1-74, 1897 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland Complete set of fourteen plate proof pairs in issued colours on india paper, some card mounted, also includes a pair of 12 c in the scarce slate blue colour trial, VF

1,800.00

$470 \quad \star \quad 61-74,1897$ 1c-60c Discovery of Newfoundland An unusually choice, complete set of fourteen with diagonal SPECIMEN overprints in red, each "hand-picked" for better centering and freshness, VF-XF NH
$\mathbf{1 , 5 0 0 . 0 0}$


$\star \quad$ 77, 1897 (October) 1c on 3c Grey Lilac Provisional Surcharge Type C Right margin mint single (Position 50 in the pane of 50 ), fresh colour and typical centering, naturally short gummed at right stamp, Fine NH (Cat. as hinged)
750.00

$473 \star \quad$ 78-86, 1897-1918 $1 / 2 c-5 c$ Royal Family and Map of Newfoundland The complete set of forty-seven mint singles, each corresponding to a different printing of this set issued between 1897 and 1918, American Bank Note Company security punch and Specimen overprint, represents all types and colour combinations. For the most part only one sheet of each was printed; a detailed listing is enclosed. A lovely set with bright fresh colours, F-VF NH

1,850.00

$474 \quad \star \quad$ 82, 1907 (March) 2c Vermilion King Edward VII Lower margin strip of twenty from Printing Order 8, each stamp with American Bank Note Company security punch and diagonal SPECIMEN overprint in carmine; lower row with horizontal crease, a unique positional multiple, F-VF NH (Unitrade $\$ 1,000$ )

Est. 200.00+


P 87-97, 1910 1c-15c John Guy, Lithographed The complete set of ten plate proof pairs, in colours of issue on the distinctive thick wove paper, full original gum mostly lightly hinged; the 6 c Lord Bacon is Type II. An attractive set, VF (The 12c does not exist in this format).

$476 \star$ 87/97, 1910 1c-15c John Guy, Lithographed A brilliant mint set of eleven lacking only the 6c Type I. Well centered (some superbly so) with post office fresh colours and full white original gum. A challenging set, VF-XF NH

2,310.00


480
$477 \quad \star \quad 92 A i, 1910$ 6c Lord Bacon, Type II, Lithographed Premium mint single, well centered with large margins and showing the "WF" joined variety in addition to the malformed "L" in Newfoundland (Position 17 - see Unitrade footnote), $\mathrm{VF}+\mathrm{NH}$
900.00
$478 \quad \star \quad 92 i i, 19106 c$ Lord Bacon, Type I, Lithographed A fresh mint single imperforate vertically between stamp and sheet margin at left, VF OG
500.00


479 P 96, 1910 12c King Edward VII - John Guy Issue, Lithographed A comprehensive set of nine trial colour proofs - imperforate on gummed stamp paper in carmine, red, dark brown, pale \& deeper shades of yellow brown, pale \& deeper shades of yellow green, and dark green. Also a perforated proof in dark green on gummed stamp paper. An attractive and seldom offered group, VF NH

Est. 1,000.00+
$\star \quad$ 96a, 1910 12c King Edward VII, Lithographed A large margined mint imperforate pair, brilliant fresh with full original gum, XF LH
600.00+


481 P 143, 1923-1924 20c Placentia Engraved Trial Colour Die Proof in dark green on yellowish gummed wove paper $52 \times 55 \mathrm{~mm}$, shows die sinkage at sides, minor thinning at lower right corner, manuscript " 3 New 20 cts" annotation at foot. A very scarce coloured proof, most unusual on gummed wove paper, VF

Est. 500.00+


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$482 \star$ 160a, 1929 (August 23) 3c on 6c Grey Black Provisional Surcharge in Red, Type II A post office fresh mint example with bright colour, typical centering for the issue, showing the elusive inverted surcharge error, Fine +NH ; only a few of the 75 known examples exist in NH condition.

1,500.00
$483 \star$ 160a, 1929 (August 23) 3c on 6c Grey Black Provisional Surcharge in Red, Type II A quite centered mint single with inverted surcharge; scarce as only 75 stamps (three panes of 25 ) were inverted, F-VF LH; 1951 PF cert.

1,200.00


160i, 1929 (August) 3c on 6c Grey Black Provisional Surcharge An unusually well centered mint example of the elusive trial surcharge IN BLACK, Type I with wide spacing ( 5 mm ) between "CENTS" and horizontal bar, full original gum, VF LH

$485 \star$ 191g, 1932 5c Caribou, Die II (Perkins Bacon Printing), Perf 14.4 A precisely centered and brilliant fresh mint horizontal pair imperforate vertically between, choice, VF NH
450.00

486 P 192, 1932 6c Princess Elizabeth (Perkins Bacon Printing) Upper left plate proof pair in black, with defacing marks through inscriptions and values. Most examples originating from the sole sheet printed exist only as singles; pairs are rarely offered, VF

Est. 400.00+
$487 \quad$ * 193iii, 1932 10c Olive Black Leaping Salmon (Perkins Bacon Printing) A striking lower margin mint imperforate pair showing a clear double print error on both stamps, plus partial extra impression in lower margin, rarely seen, VF NH

1,875.00
$488 \star$ 196a, 1932 20c Green (Perkins Bacon Printing) A choice, brilliant fresh mint imperforate pair, VF NH
525.00

$489 \star$ 198a, 1932 30c Ultramarine (Perkins Bacon Printing) A choice, large margined mint imperforate pair with brilliant fresh colour and full original gum; the key pair of this popular series, VF NH


490 P 215, 1933 4c Carmine, Eton College Die proof in issued colour on unwatermarked wove paper 68 x 47 mm , showing engraver's guideline above design, VF

Est. 250.00+


P 217, 1933 7c Blue, Gilbert Receiving Royal Patents Die proof in the issued colour on unwatermarked wove paper $64 \times 47 \mathrm{~mm}$, without engraver's guideline, VF

Est. 250.00+


492 P 223, 1933 20c Deep Green, Map of Newfoundland Die proof in colour of issue on watermarked wove paper $65 \times 50 \mathrm{~mm}$, showing portion of reverse die "1107" number and engraver's guideline above design, VF

Est. 250.00+
$493 \star 262 i$, 1943 15c Rose Violet (Waterlow Printing), Perf $121 / 2 \mathrm{~A}$ well centered mint single showing a very strong, complete reverse offset image on the gum side, choice, VF NH
450.00

$494 \star$ BK1, 1926 40c Pink Covers A rare complete booklet of the 1923-1924 Pictorial issue, contains all three mint NH panes of eight, where each pane have had lower pair of each pane customarily folded inward during the manufacturing of this particular booklet - the 1c green pane has lower pair severed (but included), both 2c carmine panes are intact; includes all advert pages. Couple scissor cuts on back cover only, vertical fold on front cover toward staple line, a rarely seen booklet, Fine
$\mathbf{3 , 5 0 0 . 0 0}$

$495 \quad \star \quad$ BK2, 1932 40c Buff Covers Complete booklet in premium quality, containing all perf 13 panes - 1c green, 2 c rose (3) and 3 c orange brown. All are well centered, fresh and never hinged; including all advert pages. Exceptionally fresh with tight binding and much nicer than we normally see, XF NH
$496 \star$ BK3, 1932 40c Buff Covers First Resources complete booklet containing all line perf 14 panes with 1c grey, 2c green Die I (3) and 3c orange brown, all well centered and NH, also includes all advertising pages. Both covers clean and unmarked, VF
900.00


BK4a, 1932 40c Cream Covers Complete booklet containing all booklet panes of comb perf 1312-1c grey, 2c green Die II (3) and 3c orange brown; two panes of the 2 c green with natural gum creasing on left pairs, all panes are NH , also includes all advert pages; covers are fresh and clean, VF
750.00

## AIRPOST


$498 \quad \star \quad$ C2ii, 1919 (June 9) $\$ 1$ on 15c Alcock and Brown Fligtht A superb mint example with precise centering, showing the constant small comma after "POST" variety (only found on Position 20 in the setting of twenty-five stamps), fresh with full original gum, XF VLH
650.00+

$499 \quad \star \quad$ C3-C3j, 1921 (November 16) 35c Halifax Airmail A neat positional mint block of nine (Positions 3$5 / 13-15$ ) displaying all six types of the overprint, exceptionally fresh, well centered with full original gum; highly desirable especially in such nice condition, VF NH (No premium added for showing the different types)

6,050.00+

$500 \star$ C3, b, h, 1921 (November 16) 35c Halifax Airmail A nicely centered mint block (Positions 16-17 / 21-22), bright colour on fresh paper, a few split perfs, shows three different types of the overprint, VF NH


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C3b, 1921 (November 16) 35c Halifax Airmail A post office fresh mint example with wide spacing between "AIR" and "MAIL" and period after "1921", XF NH
450.00+

$502 \star$ C3c, 1921 (November 16) 35c Halifax Airmail A precisely centered mint single of the INVERTED OVERPRINT ERROR, wide spacing ( $23 / 4 \mathrm{~mm}$ ) between AIR and MAIL and period after "1921", lovely bright fresh colour, one slightly shorter perf at foot, full original gum relatively lightly hinged, VF; 1971 BPA certificate

10,000.00
Provenance: Sidney Harris (Part One, October 1968; Lot 678)
Dalwick and Harmer reported four panes received the inverted overprint in error. This example is from the first pane with overprint well centered vertically and horizontally - displaying the best centering of the overprint.

A DESIRABLE AIRMAIL STAMP - A TOTAL OF ONLY 28 EXAMPLES WERE PRINTED WITH THIS TYPE OF INVERTED OVERPRINT. THIS STAMP ORIGINATES FROM THE BEST CENTERED OF THE FOUR PANES.
$\star \quad$ C3d, 1921 (November 26) 35c Halifax Airmail An impressive mint single of this scarcer overprint type with wide spacing between and "1" of "1921" below " $f$ " of "Halifax" (Position 4), well centered with unusually large margins for the issue, full pristine original gum, VF NH JUMBO

1,200.00


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## "COLUMBIA" AIRMAIL SURCHARGE FOR TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIGHT


$504 \star$ C5, 1930 (September 25) 50c on 36c Olive Green "Columbia" Flight, Perf 14 A post office fresh mint example of this elusive pioneer flight surcharge - Position 3 in the setting of four, normal centering for this, exceptionally fresh with full pristine original gum, NEVER HINGED and Fine
$9,000.00$


1930 "Columbia" Flight cover in unusually clean condition, bearing the special pioneer airmail flight surcharge 50c on 36 c olive green - Position 3 in the setting of four stamps, neatly tied by St. John's SEP 25 1130AM 1930 slogan dispatch datestamp, superb strike of the Harbour Grace AM OC 930 flight departure CDS postmark on reverse. Pencil signed by experts Giulio Bolaffi, Alberto Diena and Enzo Diena on front, as well as Geo C. Ginn \& Co. on reverse. A brilliant fresh example of this sought-after Trans-Atlantic Flight cover, VF (Unitrade C5; catalogue value $\$ 16,000$ ) Est. 7,500.00+

Expertization: 1965 Alberto Diena, 1965 Giulio Bolaffi and 1993 Enzo Diena certificates
IT HAS BEEN DOCUMENTED THAT OF 332 COVERS CARRIED ON THE "COLUMBIA" FLIGHT ONLY ONE HUNDRED WERE FRANKED WITH THE SPECIAL AIRMAIL STAMP. ABOUT TWO-THIRDS OF THESE WERE MAILED FROM ST. JOHN'S.

506 P C7, 1931 50c Green Pictorial Airmail Die proof in colour of issue on unwatermarked wove paper 80 x 55 mm , showing complete reverse die " 920 " number at top left and engraver's guideline above design, VF and choice

## AN EXCEPTIONALLY FRESH AND WELL CENTERED MINT NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE INVERTED DO-X DORNIER SURCHARGE


$507 \star$ C12a, 1932 (May 19) \$1.50 on \$1 Blue Pictorial Dornier DO-X Flight An exceptional mint example of this airmail rarity with INVERTED SURCHARGE ERROR, brilliant fresh colour, superb centering, intact perforations and full immaculate original gum, never hinged; pencil initials "H.R.H." on reverse (Henry Revell Harmer) famous British auctioneer and founder of H.R. Harmer. Without question, one of the finest existing examples of this rare error, XF NH

60,000.00
AN EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE SOUGHT-AFTER AND DRAMATIC ERROR, IDEAL FOR A SERIOUS COLLECTION.

$508 \star$ C13-C17, 1933 5c-75c "Labrador" Airmail The complete set of five corner margin mint blocks of four, VF NH

1,785.00

$\star \quad$ C18, $1933 \$ 4.50$ on 75c Bistre Balbo Flight Surcharge, Perf 14.3 A brilliant, fresh and well centered mint single - Position 4 in the setting, full pristine original gum; VF NH
900.00


510 P OX1ii, 1905 King Edward VII Officially Sealed Stamp Pristine plate proof pair printed in black, colour of issue on card mounted india paper, VF and choice

2,000.00


P OX1ii, 1905 King Edward VII Officially Sealed Stamp A lovely plate proof pair printed in black, colour of issue, on card mounted india paper, exceptionally fresh and displaying unusually large margins and a razor-sharp impression; a choice pair, XF

2,000.00


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512 P OX1ii, 1905 King Edward VII Officially Sealed Stamp Plate proof single printed in black, colour of issue on card mounted india paper; VF
$\mathbf{1 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$513 \star$ OX1, 1905 King Edward VII Officially Sealed Stamp A choice mint example of this scarce stamp, well centered with full original gum, VF LH
$1,000.00$
$514 \star$ OX1iii, 1905 King Edward VII Officially Sealed Stamp An extremely well centered, fresh mint example with small ABNC security punch and SPECIMEN overprint in red, scarce, VF NH $\mathbf{1 , 5 0 0 . 0 0}$

## NEWFOUNDLAND LARGE LOTS



515 P Clean Lot of Proofs and Specimen Stamps About 25 different proof singles, pairs or perforated specimens, noting Heraldic 1sh defaced reprint proof in red on glazed surface paper for Hertz Menu, 1865 Cents Issue set of six plus other trial colours, 1910 5c \& 6c Type II proof pairs on thick wove paper NH, 1931 Airmail set of three trial colour proofs in black on bond paper, 1935 4c-24c Silver Jubilee mint NH perforated SPECIMEN set of four, etc. Mainly VF throughout

Est. 1,000.00+


1857-1947 Extensive Mint / NH Collection Housed in a Lighthouse album on hingeless pages with strong representation throughout, also includes many varieties with shades, watermarks, overprints and imperforates displayed on blank stockpages; begins with nice representation of Pence and Cents noting \#8 NH, 12 unused with fresh colours clear to no margin and a second unused example with small margins, discoloured, some select 1880-1890s mint NH stamps, from 1911 John Guy to end of period covered well represented including \#128 (2; one NH), 1929-1931 Publicity NH sets; better airmails shown such as C2 VF NH, C2a NH, C3 VF NH, C3f NH, C3h NH, C3j VF OG, C6-C11 NH, C12 VF NH, C13-C17 NH, C18b VF VLH, etc. Many select and useful stamps abound; worth a close look.

Est. 5,000.00+


517 1857-1949 Mint / NH Collection Displayed in a Lindner hingeless album with Pence \& Cents issues ( 44 stamps) in above average condition including some scarcer stamps including shades. From 1897 Cabot to 1938 Royal Family the regular issues are nearly complete, plus 1932-1938 Perkins Bacon period with 21 different imperforate pairs (a couple are plate proofs) many OG or NH. Also some Maritime Provinces with some nice select Cents Issue stamps. Selected and sound throughout with many useful items, F-VF

Est. 2,000.00+


X518

$518 \star \bigcirc$ Mint / Used Collection Including other British North America In mounts on Minkus pages, begins with a selection of British Columbia and Maritime Provinces; then Newfoundland with Pence (13), Cents (35) and 1897 to 1947 well covered with better mint stamps such as \#73, 76 well centered, a few airmails, etc. Condition varies from mixed to Fine on earlier, then generally F-VF from 1900 on.

Est. 1,000.00+
$519 \quad \star \quad$ 1941-1947 Mint NH Full Sheets Fifteen full sheets of 100, all folded once, includes Scott \#252, \#253 Pl. 43965 (7), 254 Pl. 43968 , 255 Pl. 43967, 256 blank (2), 269 Pl. 43359 (2), C19, etc. Also various large blocks of 1941-1944 Waterlow printings plus 1939 Postage Dues set of six in VF NH blocks of ten. Mainly F-VF NH or better
(Not Illustrated) Est. 350.00+
520 © Assortment of Nice Postmarked Stamps About 75 stamps mainly from 1910 John Guy to 1933 Gilbert, all cherry-picked for socked-on-nose town postmarks; many are seldom seen thus. Also a few other odds \& ends. An appealing lot for the specialist.

Est. 400.00+

NEWFOUNDLAND REVENUES


521 O NFR1-NF9, 1898 5c-\$25 Queen Victoria Inland Revenue An elusive complete set of nine of the first issue, superior centering and fresh colours; small thins on 5 c and light crease on 10 c , overall a selected set with the top two values being particularly nice, VF
$1,920.00$
522 © NFR8, 1898 \$20 Brown, Queen Victoria Inland Revenue A well centered, fresh example with large portion of Department of Agriculture datestamp in blue, VF and appealing


X523

## BRADBURY, WILKINSON \& CO. INLAND REVENUE COMPLETE SET OF PLATE 2 IMPERFORATE BLOCKS


$\star \quad$ NFR43A-NFR53A, 1966 5c-\$20 Caribou Inland Revenue (Bradbury, Wilkinson \& Company) A spectacular complete set of eight imperforate blocks of six, each with full plate 2 imprint at foot; 50 cent with crayon mark in selvedge. All blocks with fresh colour and possessing full original gum, VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$11,250 - no premium added for the plate imprints)
(Illustrated also on Page 51) Est. 5,000.00+
A UNIQUE SET OF PLATE 2 IMPERFORATE BLOCKS.


A very strong section from the 1851 Issue to modern errors and elusive back-of-book issues, along with Federal छ̇ Provincial revenues. Includes some of ravest unused Pence issues often missing from even advanced collections. One will find hand-picked single-lot items including proofs, imperforates, plate imprint multiples, printings and much more. The modern era is particularly strong (including some valuable large lots) with rarely offered printing errors, missing colours and inverts - available in such limited numbers, it is fair to say they will become some of the great rarities of tomorrow.

## CANADA STAMPLESS COVERS



524 Mourning cover sent free of charge from Ottawa to Kingston, bearing a superb three-line oval Militia \& Defence Canada handstamp in black (Davis DMD-2 with RF " 5 " highest listed rarity factor), initialed in pen within; minor soiling at right of no importance, clear Ottawa split ring dispatch and straightline FREE handstamp; next-day arrival backstamp. A very rare handstamp with much eyeappeal, VF

Est. 400.00+
$525 \boxtimes 1879$ (April 11) Clean cover with House of Commons embossed crest on backflap, sent free of charge to Niagara, bearing neat double ring House of Commons Ottawa postmark in blue with FREE below (Davis CP-8i), countersigned at left; straightline FREE and Ottawa split ring dispatch CDS; on reverse light AP 14 receiver. A beautiful cover displaying a choice example of the rare handstamp in blue, VF

Est. 400.00+
526 Parliament of Canada 1891 (January 22) Folded wrapper to Legislative Assembly, Fredericton, NB, bearing an exceedingly rare and quite clear large double ring Parliament of Canada datestamp in blue (Davis DPC-2). A striking Government datestamp of great significance and utmost rarity, VF; 2013 Greene Foundation cert. Little is known about its usage; the proof date of this cancel is recorded as January 26, 1883. Despite a long period of use, we know of only one other cover bearing this very distinctive Governmental datestamp.

Est. 750.00+


1899 (May 20) Cover sent registered free of charge to Toronto, backflap missing, well struck House of Commons with Large "Free" (27mm diameter) handstamp in BLUE (Davis CP-15ii) and same-ink oval "R" (Davis CR-3ii; rare), along with bold large oval Registered Ottawa FREE MY 2099 postmark in black (Davis OR-2), countersigned at left. A rare combination of registration and House of Commons markings, appealing and VF

Est. 400.00+


《 1864 (May 21) Envelope bearing clear strike of the rare Legislative Council Canada (serifed) "Crown" handstamp in red (Davis LC-4 RF-4, only recorded use at Quebec City and in red), sent free of charge to Berlin, U.C., with same-ink FREE "Crown" (italic; Davis FH-1ii), countersigned and with neat Quebec dispatch CDS at lower left, receiver on back, VF; also similar government official handstamped / postmarked (Davis LC-4 + FH-1ii) cover to Hampton, U.C. dated May 71863 on a larger size envelope but light overall ageing. A very scarce duo.

Est. 400.00+

## CANADA



529 E Bradbury, Wilkinson \& Co. 1p Dickens' Head Engraved plate essay in green on bond paper, large margins all around, appealing, VF and scarce

530 E Bradbury, Wilkinson \& Co. 1p Victoria Head Engraved plate essay printed in black directly to thick card (0.0085" thick), choice, VF

Est. 500.00+
E Bradbury, Wilkinson \& Co. 6p Viking's Head Engraved plate essay printed in bright green on wove paper, VF and scarce

Est. 500.00+


532 P Queen Victoria Portrait Die Elaborate engraved vignette prepared by Toppan, Carpenter, Casilear \& Co., depicting the Queen's portrait, lion and uniform at sides, used for Canadian banknotes and debentures (circa. 1850), on india paper $93 \times 59 \mathrm{~mm}$ mounted on larger card, the latter with light stains and adhesion marks away from the proof, VF

Est. 500.00+

## PENCE

## AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE EXAMPLE OF CANADA'S FIRST STAMP IN SOUND UNUSED CONDITION


$533 \star 1$, 1851 3p Red on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A highly desirable example of this valuable classic - Canada's first postage stamp, margin clear of design at foot, ample to unusually large margins, visible horizontal laid lines and in flawless condition, of which there are very few indeed. A keenly sought-after unused example in sound condition, F-VF

45,000.00
Expertization: 1968 RPS of London certificate
Provenance: F.G. Fletcher British North America Sale, Robson Lowe Ltd., July 1968; Lot 10
IN OUR OPINION, ONE OF THE RAREST UNUSED STAMPS IN ALL OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA PHILATELY. ONLY A FEW ARE KNOWN TO EXIST IN SOUND UNUSED CONDITION.


534 © 1, 1851 3p Red on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A large margined used single in sound condition, very prominent horizontal laid lines and neat concentric rings cancellation, VF; 2013 PSAG cert.
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535 © 1a, 1851 3p Orange Red on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A remarkable pair in choice condition, surrounded by mostly large margins and with distinctive bright colour and showing the most prominent horizontal laid lines one can hope to find on any 1851 laid paper, ideal face-free concentric rings cancels; a beautiful and elusive pair in such nice quality, VF; 2017 Greene Foundation cert.

3,200.00

## SIX PENCE CONSORT ON LAID PAPER IN UNUSED CONDITION



2, 1851 6p Slate Violet on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A rare unused single with bright colour and clear impression on pristine fresh paper showing prominent laid lines, slightly in frame at foot to noticeably full margins on other sides. An immensely rare unused stamp, Fine; 1983 APS cert.

30,000.00


537 〇 2b, 1851 6p Brown Purple on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A choice used example of this distinctive and scarce shade, well clear to unusually large margins on immaculate fresh paper with prominent laid lines, neat and centrally struck concentric rings cancel; a very nice stamp, VF; 1959 RPSL cert. ex. Carl Mangold (February 1986; Lot 236)

2,400.00


1851 (August 20) Folded lettersheet in clean condition from the famous Kennedy correspondence, mailed at Montreal to New York and bearing an unusually large margined example of the 6 p greyish purple on handmade paper with visible laid lines, neatly tied by concentric rings cancellation and further by Montreal AU 201851 double arc dispatch in red, exchange office Canada arc and PAID handstamps in red; no backstamp as customary for mail to the US. A choice cover, VF; 2018 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 2b) ex. Dale-Lichtenstein, Sale 10, H.R. Harmer, Inc., December 1970; Lot 70 - includes the original lotting card.

Est. 1,500.00+

## A VERY RARE INSTANCE OF CANADIAN POSTAGE AFFIXED ON A COVER ORIGINATING FROM THE UNITED STATES NOT ACCEPTED ALONG WITH PROPER DUE MARKINGS



1853 (October 24) Envelope franked with Canadian Postage - Used from the United States; bearing a 6 pence slate violet on laid paper, touching design at foot to large margins on other sides, tied by pen cancels; Ledyard, Connecticut dispatch CDS at left. Not accepted and according to regulations rated " $6 \mathrm{~d} "$ (due), U States cross border exchange marking in red, Brockville and Perth OC 28 receiver backstamps. Minor cover toning of no importance, a striking usage and ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED USES of the 1851 Six pence from the US, Fine (Unitrade 2)

Est. 3,000.00+
Expertization: 2013 Greene Foundation certificate
Literature: Illustrated in Winthrop Boggs handbook on page 86 (Figure 49)
Provenance: Dale-Lichtenstein, Sale 10, December 1970; Lot 20
Dr. John L. Robertson, April 2004; Lot 206
Warren Wilkinson, June 2007; Lot 180
Joseph Hackmey, March 2011; Lot 10339
Daniel Cantor, September 2011; Lot 339


540 P 3Pi, 12p Queen Victoria Plate proof single in black on india paper with vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine, in pristine, remarkably fresh condition, XF

541 P 3Piii, 12p Queen Victoria Plate proof single in black with the rare vertical SPECIMEN overprint IN GREEN, just clear to no margin at right, minor soiling visible from reverse only, one of the rarest plate proofs of the Pence issue, Fine (Unitrade cat. $\$ 6,500$ )

Est. 1,500.00+

# TWELVE PENNY BLACK ON LAID PAPER A VERY PRESENTABLE FULL MARGINED USED EXAMPLE OF THIS HIGHLY PRIZED CLASSIC STAMP 



542 © 3, 1851 12p Black on Handmade Laid Paper, Imperforate A large margined example of this keenly-sought classic stamp, without clear laid lines as is often the case on the 1851 issue; repaired horizontal crease at top and a lighter crease near bottom ending in small tear at right; still an affordable example of this iconic stamp, desirably struck with a light central concentric rings and of Very Fine appearance; 1946 RPS of London cert. (Unitrade cat. \$180,000 as VF)

Est. 25,000.00+
Stamp displays a very strong Re-entry with doubling marks throughout design - R. Trimble Re-entry No. 10 - the illustrated example being the actual stamp offered here.

543 F 12p Black Engraved facsimile sheetlet of eight measuring $147 \times 208 \mathrm{~mm}$ on white paper, showing wide spaced tête-bêche blocks of four, attributed to Peter Winter; few sheets exist intact, ex. Carl Walske collection
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 300.00


4c, 1858 3p Red on Soft Horizontally Ribbed Paper, Imperforate A very appealing unused example, characteristic shade and plainly visible horizontal ribbing, tiny nick at bottom left, otherwise in flawless condition with clear to very large margins including portion of adjacent stamp at right. A rare stamp unused let alone in sound condition, F-VF

4,500.00
Expertization: 2014 Greene Foundation cert.
Provenance: "Loch" Canadian Pence Issue Collection, Firby Auctions, April 1999; Lot 192 described as "Extremely rare \& VF+"


4iii, 1858 3p Brown Red on Medium Hard Ribbed Paper, Imperforate A rare unused example of this late printing, displaying dark rich colour and well clear to mostly large margins, characteristic strong horizontal mesh (ribbed effect) paper, VF; 2014 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00


囚 1858 (June 12) Brown envelope from Springville, U.C. to Shawnee Mound, Indiana, bearing an unusually select vertical pair of the scarce 3 pence bright red on soft horizontally ribbed paper, with full margins and in sound condition, tied by light pen cancels as there was no concentric rings post-mark at this small post office, light Canada / Paid 10cts exchange office handstamp in red and partially legible double arc dispatch at lower left with filled-in manuscript date, no backstamp as customary for mail to the US; a few stain spots near dispatch, a Fine cover with VF stamps (Unitrade 4 c cat. $\$ 1,800$ for the stamps only) According to the Firby census, 22 covers are reported franked with a pair of 3 pence soft horizontally ribbed paper for the 6 pence letter to the United States. Est. 750.00+

$547 \star$ 5b, 1856 6p Greenish Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate An appealing and rarely seen unused example, barely touching outer frameline at top to clear margins all around, printed in a beautiful and distinctive shade with sharp impression on pristine fresh paper; a challenging stamp to obtain in sound unused condition, Fine
$15,000.00$


548 ○ 5, 1857-1858 6p Slate Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate A very attractive plate imprint example, in outer frame at upper left, otherwise oversized margins and showing nearly complete plate imprint (Raw)don, Wright, Hatch, New (York) in sheet margin at foot. An exceptionally fresh and lightly cancelled stamp, very few exist with such a large portion of the plate imprint, Fine and a great stamp for the specialist; 2017 Greene Foundation cert. ex. Dale-Lichtenstein (Sale 7, January 1970; Lot 838)

Est. 1,500.00+
The first order of Six pence Consort where plate imprints were added to the plate of 100 subjects was sent from the printer on December 19, 1857.


549 ○ 5b, 1856 6p Greenish Grey on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate An appealing used example with small to very large margins, bright colour, partial four-ring '21' (Montreal) cancel, F-VF; 1957 RPS of London cert.
$\mathbf{1 , 2 0 0 . 0 0}$
550 - 7a, 1858 10p Blue Thick Wove Paper, Imperforate A very appealing example with excellent colour and bright impression, minute nick entirely confined to the right margin, displaying an unusually clear, centrally struck concentric rings in DARK BLUE. Coloured cancels are rarely encountered on the Ten pence, VF; 1994 Greene Foundation cert.

3,000.00
551 ○ 7a + variety, 1858 10p Bright Blue on Thick Wove Paper, Imperforate A very scarce used horizontal pair, skillfully repaired to improve its overall appearance, with light grid cancel; left stamp shows the constant Re-entry (Position 9) with doubling in oval, in "E" of POSTAGE, etc. 2008 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade cat. $\$ 3,000$ as normal fine used singles)

Est. 1,000.00+


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$552 \star$ 8, $18571 / 2$ p Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate A beautiful mint example with bright, fresh colour, clear margin at foot to large margins on other sides, remarkably retaining full OG in immaculate condition, as the day it was sold over a postal counter over 160 years ago. A lovely and desirable stamp, F-VF NH; 1981 Greene Foundation certificate (Unitrade cat. for mint OG only; it does not attempt to price NH status.)

2,100.00+
553 © 8, 1857 ½p Deep Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate Select example with full to noticeably large margins and rich colour, ideally and unusually cancelled by a face-free four at upper left, XF; 1978 PF cert.
$\mathbf{1 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$

$554 \bigcirc 8+$ variety, $18571 / 2 p$ Rose on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate An impressive used pair with ample to unusually large margins, showing the Major Re-entry (Position 58 in the pane of 120 subjects) on left stamp with doubling in "CAN" of"CANADA", "PE" of "PENCE", etc.; couple thin specks not readily visible, otherwise choice with exceptional colour and sharp concentric rings cancellations, VF (Cat. for normal used singles)

2,000.00+
$555 \bigcirc$ 8b, $18581 / 2 p$ Rose on Soft Vertically Ribbed Paper, Imperforate A remarkable used horizontal pair on this distinctive paper, completely sound, well clear to enormous margins, centrally struck concentric rings. To find a sound example of this stamp is challenging, furthermore to find a sound pair as the one offered here is exponentially difficult, vary rare, VF; 1987 Greene Foundation cert.
$10,000.00$
Provenance: Charles Lathrop Pack (Part One, December 1944; Lot 103 - for a block of six from which this pair originates). See Winthrop Boggs handbook page 150 for an illustration of the original block of six

556 - 8b, 1858 ½ p Deep Rose on Soft Vertically Ribbed Paper, Imperforate An appealing used single with amazing deep rich colour, tiny internal cut at "E" of POSTAGE in no detracts, much nicer than normally encountered for this notoriously fragile and rarely seen paper type, face-free diamond grid cancellation, F-VF; clear 1977 W.E. Lea cert.

3,875.00

$557 \boxtimes 1857$ (August 1) Folded entire circular titled "Montreal Brokers' Circular for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st August, 1857" and further printed dateline "Montreal 1st August, 1857" inside, endorsed "Printed Circular" and franked with $1 / 2 \mathrm{p}$ rose on medium wove paper, imperforate, touching outer frameline on one side to full margins tied by light four-ring ' 21 ' cancellation of Montreal, addressed to Toronto; no backstamp as customary for printed matter, shows docketing "Circular Montreal 1st August 1857" on reverse. A very impressive and quite likely FIRST DAY of issue usage of the Half penny imperforate as it was issued on August 1st, 1857; a wonderful showpiece, FVF (Unitrade 8)

Est. 1,500.00+


1857 (August 23) Folded circular bearing a single franking of the $1 / 2 p$ rose on medium wove paper, well clear to large margins, rich colour and neatly tied by four-ring ' 15 ' cancel of Guelph, sent to Kingston with well-struck Kingston AU 23 receiver backstamp; light central file fold. A choice, very scarce, first month of usage of the $1 / 2 \mathrm{p}$ rose on cover, VF (Unitrade 8) ex. Henry Lubke (June 1992; Lot 288)

Est. 1,500.00+

$559 \quad \star \quad 9,185771 / 2$ p Green on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate A brilliant fresh mint example with great colour and sharp impression, touching outer frameline at top right, otherwise large margins, large part original gum and very scarce thus, Fine OG; 1999 Greene Foundation cert.

12,000.00

$560 \star$ 9a, 1857 7½p Deep Green on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate An unused example in a deeper shade, slightly cut in at left, pencil signed by expert H. Bloch on reverse. A presentable example of this scarce stamp, Fine (Unitrade $\$ 7,500$ as fine)

Est. 2,000.00+
$561 \star 9$ variety, 1857 7½p Green on Medium Wove Paper, Imperforate A bright mint single with ample to large margins, light horizontal crease along top edge hardly discernible from the front, shows the rare constant Misplaced Entry "1d" Flaw variety (Position 69 in the plate of 120), similar to the well-documented Triangle Flaws of Position 47 and 83 (Unitrade 9iv). The variety is plainly visible and entirely confined to " 1 d " of " $71 / 2 \mathrm{p}$ " at upper right, mint with part original gum; pencil signed by expert H. Bloch on reverse, VF; 2018 Greene Foundation certificate (not mentioning the variety) (Unitrade cat. \$24,000)

Est. 5,000.00+

## SIX PENCE CONSORT ON VERY THICK FIBROUS SOFT PAPER RARELY FOUND IN MINT CONDITION AND WITH ORIGINAL GUM



10, 1857 6p Reddish Purple on Very Thick Fibrous Soft Paper, Imperforate An extremely rare mint single, characteristic bright colour and impression, in frameline at top to otherwise very large margins, small thin as is often the case with this notoriously fragile paper, large part original gum which is almost non-existent among the very small number of existing unused examples (in any condition). An immensely rare stamp missing from virtually all advanced collections, mint Fine OG stamp; 2014 Greene Foundation cert. ex. Edward Granger (October 1958; Lot 60)

36,000.00

## A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THREE PENCE STAMP THE FIRST PERFORATED ISSUE OF CANADA



12, 1859 3p Red, Perf $113 / 4$ A sound unused single with typical centering for the issue, rich colour, some gum present which may be original, Fine and rare (Unitrade cat. for unused)

12,000.00
Expertization: 1998 BPA certificate, stating: "unused with small part original gum disturbed, is genuine."

$564 \boxtimes 1859$ (August 17) Orange brown envelope in clean condition from Montreal to Stratford, U.C. bearing a single 3 p red, perf $11^{3 / 4}$, normal fine centering for the issue, intact perforations and fresh colour and tied by a well-struck four-ring '21' cancel, double arc Montreal dispatch alongside; next-day Stratford receiver on back. An interesting usage of a Pence stamp (equivalent to 5 cents) after issuance of the Decimal stamps on July 1, 1859, F-VF (Unitrade 12)

Est. 750.00+

## AN EXCEPTIONALLY FRESH MINT EXAMPLE WITH ORIGINAL GUM OF THE SIX PENCE CONSORT CANADA'S FIRST PERFORATED ISSUE



13, 1859 6p Brownish Violet, Perf 11 $3 / 4$ A lovely mint example of this difficult stamp from Canada's First Perforated Issue, very decent centering with perforations well clear of the design on three sides, displaying spectacular true rich colour and sharp impression on fresh paper, hinged twice with an unusually large portion of its original gum. A marvelous stamp with attributes superior to most examples we have seen; ideal for an advanced collection, F-VF OG
$\mathbf{5 0 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
Expertization: 1971 RPS of London certificate
Provenance: Alan Hudson, November 1971; Lot 2068
Charles Lathrop Pack, Part II, April 1945; Lot 151
A HIGHLY DESIRABLE MINT PERFORATED SIX PENCE CONSORT WITH EXCEPTIONAL COLOUR AND LARGE PART ORIGINAL GUM.

## CENTS



566 P 14P, 1860 1c Deep Rose An appealing plate proof strip of three on card mounted india paper, showing a full American Bank Note Co. New York imprint at top, good margins and printed in the distinctive deeper shade, VF (Cat. for normal proofs)
750.00


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567 * 14, 1865-1868 1c Rose, Perf 12 A remarkable unused example, showing precise centering within unusually well-balanced margins; a great stamp, XF
600.00+

$568 \star$ 14a, 1c Rose on Medium Wove Paper A very attractive imperforate pair with remarkable deep rich colour, surrounded by large to enormous margins, small scissor cut at top between stamps, nevertheless rarely seen with such huge margins, VF; 1982 Greene Foundation cert.
$9,000.00$
$569 \star$ 14b, ii, 1859-1862 1c Deep Rose on Thick Paper, Perf 113/4 An impressive mint single with amazingly colour, on thicker wove paper, decent centering for the issue and unusually full original gum, lightly hinged. A very scarce mint early printing in a most distinctive shade, Fine LH $\quad \mathbf{2 , 2 5 0 . 0 0}$

Total thickness of paper and gum is $0.0045^{\prime \prime}$ thick - the paper itself will measure very close to 0.004 " thick, as the gum normally measures approximately $0.0005^{\prime \prime}$ thick.
$\star \quad 14 i v, 1863$ (circa.) 1c Rose, Perf $12 \times 113 / 4$ An extremely rare unused example showing the best and most prominent "Q" Flaw one can possibly hope to find, with noticeable flaw below "O" and also a strong short entry at lower left. This is the well-documented Whitworth Plate Flaw 1a and the first we recall seeing in unused condition, Fine

2,500.00

c Rose, Perf $12 \times 113 / 4$ and $121 / 2$ green, perf 12 Two used singles, both cancelled by a superb diagonal FREE handstamp in black with italic serifed lettering, former with one short perf, latter has small faults; both with nice appearance and rarely seen markings on stamps. Also clean 1862 (December 29) white envelope sent free of charge from Windsor to Quebec with smaller type FREE handstamp in black and double arc dispatch at left. The $121 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ is illustrated in Jarrett handbook on page 371 (ex. Lewis Reford)

Est. 250.00+


1864 (January 30) Blue folded cover bearing a spectacular multiple franking - a single, two pairs and strip of five of the 1 c deep rose perf $113 / 4$, mostly well centered, all with rich colour and sound, cancelled by light concentric rings IN BLUE, same-ink St. Casimir, L.C. double arc dispatch at left with manuscript filled-in "Jan $30 / 64$ " date; on reverse large portion of Ste. Anne de la Perade transit with manuscript Jan 30 date and Quebec JA 31 split ring receiver. A stunning franking which represents a double domestic letter rate of 10 cents paid solely with One cent rose stamps - to the best of our knowledge no other is known with such a franking, domestic or otherwise. F-VF (Unitrade 14b)

Est. 750.00+

$573 \star 17 \mathrm{e}, 1859$ 10c Deep Red Purple, Perf $113 / 4$ A seldom encountered mint example of this very early printing, possessing strong colour and clear impression; large part original gum (a rare trait) and relatively lightly hinged. Very few mint example of this distinctive printing exist, Fine OG; 2016 Greene Foundation cert.

6,250.00
574 〇 17v, 1865-1867 10c Brown Purple, Perf 12 Used single displaying the "Double Epaulette" plate variety (Position 61), light duplex cancellation in BLUE ideally clear of the variety; a scarce and appealing stamp, F-VF
750.00

## LARGE QUEEN



575 * 22, 1868-1869 1c Brown Red on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper A very well centered unused example with lovely bright shade on fresh paper, VF
$1,000.00$
22a, 1868-1869 1c Brown Red on Watermarked Bothwell Paper A scarce unused example showing portion of papermaker's watermark - "BOT" of "BOTHWELL", deep rich colour, Fine+; 2001 Greene Foundation cert.

2,000.00

$577 \quad \star \quad 22 b, 1868$ 1c Brown Red on Thin Crisp Hard Paper A well centered unused example with wellbalanced large margins, couple trivial nibbed perfs, an elusive stamp with VF centering; 2007 Sismondo cert.

1,200.00
578 〇 22ii + variety, 1868-1869 1c Brown Red on Bothwell Paper A sound used single showing a HORIZONTAL STITCH WATERMARK near middle of the stamp (very prominent in fluid), very scarce, VG-Fine; unlisted on the 1c brown red Large Queen (any printing). 2014 Greene Foundation cert.

Est. 750.00+

$579 \star$ 23a, Early 1869 1c Deep Orange on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper A nicely centered unused single of the elusive first printing, characteristic deep colour and strong impression, VF; 2012 Greene Foundation cert.

3,000.00
$580 \quad \star \quad 23$ variety, Early 1869 1c Deep Orange on Soft White "Blotting" Paper An amazing stamp printed on the distinctive Duckworth Paper 8 - reported in the second edition handbook. Unused with exceptional colour and superb impression as characteristic of this paper type, showing the sharpest impression one can possibly find on this particular stamp. Extremely rare and highly desirable in sound condition. Unlisted in Unitrade and the first example (unused or used) we recall seeing, Fine; 2017 Greene Foundation cert.

Est. 1,500.00+


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581 - 23/25, Kingston "9" Fancy Numerals Five different numeral cancels, clear to superb central strikes, includes Lacelle 100 on \#23, 109 on \#25, 110 on \#24iii (the scarce soft blotting paper), 111 on \#23, 117 on \#23. Some with minor flaws, Fine

Est. 350.00+
$582 \star$ 24a, 1868-1870 2c Green on Watermarked Bothwell Paper Mint single on the distinctive vertical mesh paper, showing portion of watermark "OT" letters of "BOTHWELL" at foot, part original gum somewhat disturbed and tiny perf flaw at left; seldom encountered with OG, Fine; 1981 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00
$583 \star$ 24a, 1868-1870 2c Green on Watermarked Bothwell Paper Beautiful unused single of this elusive stamp showing portion of papermaker's two-line watermark - "LL" of "BOTHWELL" and "S" of "MILLS", with brilliant colour on pristine white paper, F-VF; 2012 Greene Foundation cert. 3,000.00
$584 \quad \star \quad$ 24iv, 1868-1870 2c Green on Bothwell Paper A scarce unused example in a distinctive bright shade of green on vertical mesh paper, couple shorter perfs at right as often seen on this strong mesh paper, still with well-above average centering and condition for this difficult stamp, F-VF

1,100.00

$585 \quad \star \quad 24$ shade, 1871-1872 2c Yellow Green on Thinner Horizontal Wove Paper A very well centered mint example in a striking, distinctive shade, bright impression on fresh paper, small hinging with large part original gum; ideal for the shade enthusiast, VF+ OG (Unitrade cat. for normal green shade)

2,800.00

$586 \star 25 b, 1868$ 3c Red on Thin Crisp Hard Paper An extremely well centered mint single of this elusive, short-live printing, exceptionally fresh, trivial shorter perf at top, unusually large part original gum. One of the nicest mint OG examples we have handled, VF OG
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25iii, 1868 3c Red on Thick Soft White "Blotting" Paper, Perf 12 A very scarce unused example, quite nicely centered and showing the characteristic bright shade and very sharp impression on chalk white soft paper, devoid of the usual flaws so prevalent on this distinctive and elusive paper type (Duckworth Paper 8) which was very short lived on this particular denomination. One the nicest unused examples we have seen, F-VF

3,875.00


588

$588 \quad \star \quad 27$, 1868-1872 6c Dark Yellowish Brown (Plate 1) on Medium Vertical Wove Paper A lovely unused example, nicely centered for this difficult stamp, with bright colour and impression on fresh paper, VF and scarce; 1981 Greene Foundation cert.

2,500.00

## AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE MINT WATERMARKED SIX CENT LARGE QUEEN


$\star \quad$ 27b, 1869-1870 6c Brown (Plate 1) on Watermarked Bothwell Paper An extremely rare mint single, some uncleared perf discs as often seen on Bothwell paper, displaying papermaker's watermark with near complete "LU" letters of "CLUTHA" at foot and small portion "\& G" of "E. \& G. BOTHWELL" along top; small sealed tear at right that is hard to see, remarkably still retaining a large portion of its original gum. Only a handful mint Six cent watermarked exist in any condition, one of the great rarities of the Large Queen issue, Fine OG; 2009 Greene Foundation cert.

30,000.00
O 27b, 1869-1870 6c Dark Brown (Plate 1) on Watermarked Bothwell Paper A superior used example of this notoriously difficult stamp; few nibbed perfs characteristic of the strong vertical mesh paper, showing a very large portion of papermaker's watermark "ELL" letters of "BOTHWELL", light two-ring " 7 " cancel of Saint John, NB. A truly difficult stamp in much better quality one is accustomed to seeing, VF; 2012 Greene Foundation cert.

3,500.00


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$591 \star$ 28i, 1869-1872 12½c Milky Blue on Smooth Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf 12 A premium unused example displaying superb centering with noticeably large margins and bright colour, showing small part OG. A beautiful unused stamp, XF
$1,500.00+$
592 © 28vi variety, 1868-1872 Dull Blue on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper An impressive large margined example, well centered and showing a VERTICAL STITCH WATERMARK, tiny wrinkle and hint of perf toning but a very scarce variety, VF (Unitrade only lists the horizontal stitch watermark in Fine centering)

Est. 1,000.00+


- 29d, 1891 15c Dark Brown Purple on Horizontal Wove Paper A choice mint imperforate pair with margin at left, showing only the faintest trace of hinging (appears NH at first glance), VF VLH

1,600.00

$594 \star$ 29v, 1868-1869 15c Deep Reddish Purple on Bothwell Paper, Perf 12 A well centered mint example on the distinctive vertical mesh paper, nibbed perfs at right, nevertheless scarce with exceptional colour and large part original gum, VF OG; 2007 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00
$595 \star$ 30a, 1881-1882 15c Slate on Medium Horizontal Wove Paper, Perf $11 / 2 \times 12$ Unused (regummed) example of this scarce, short-lived printing, quite well centered with nice bright colour, F-VF $\mathbf{1 , 7 5 0 . 0 0}$

596 © 30c, 1880 15c Deep Violet on Very Thick White Carton Paper, Perf 12 A nice example of this difficult stamp, showing the distinctive colour on completely sound paper, central grid "OTTAWA" grid cancel; couple tiny ink spots on back. F-VF
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[PRINTED CIRCULAR.]


## Cleats of the Municipality



ONTARIO.

30i, Printed envelope from Inspector of Asylums, Prisons \& c. Ontario with filled-in addressee, "PRINTED CIRCULAR" at top, franked with a single 15 c slate grey on medium vertical wove paper (circa. mid-1890s) tied by a geometric cork cancellation, mailed to Kingston, without dispatch or arrival postmarks; possibly paying postage for a group of circulars. A most unusual domestic usage of the 15 cent Large Queen, VF (Unitrade 30i)

Est. 750.00+


599
598 - 31, 1868 1c Brown Red on Laid Paper A lovely used single of this scarce stamp, in the distinctive darker shade on thick paper with prominent horizontal laid lines, minute corner crease at top left, unobtrusive dotted cancellation, a lovely example, F-VF; 2004 PF cert.

7,000.00
O 31, 1868 1c Brown Red on Laid Paper An attractive used example of this elusive stamp, quite well centered with intact perforations and a fairly light grid cancellation; much nicer and a brighter shade than normally encountered, F-VF; clear 2017 Greene Foundation cert.

7,000.00


- 33, 1868 3c Bright Red on Laid Paper An extremely well centered, lightly cancelled used single in the characteristic shade, prominent laid lines, hardly discernible pressed corner crease, XF appearance

2,500.00

## SMALL QUEEN


$601 \star$ 34a, 1890s $1 / 2$ c Black (Ottawa Printing) A selected, large margined imperforate pair with full original gum; the scarcest Small Queen denomination to find imperforate (only two sheets printed), VF NH

1,600.00
$602 \star$ 34a, 1890s $1 / 2$ c Black on Yellowish Wove Paper A scarce mint imperforate pair with full even margins and full original gum, only a small percentage (originating from only two sheets printed) survive in such condition, VF NH

1,600.00
$603 \star \quad 34 \mathrm{a}, 1890 \mathrm{~s} 1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ Black on Yellowish Wove Paper (Ottawa Printing) Mint imperforate vertical pair with sheet margin at left and large even margins on other sides, minute gum thin at foot, VF OG
800.00


35, 1890s 1c Yellow (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 A well centered mint block of eight with top margin showing "ONE" counter at right, shows wide / narrow spaced vertical perforations resulting in four narrow and four wide margined examples, full unblemished original gum, VF NH (Unitrade cat. $\$ 1,440$ as singles)

Est. 500.00+


35, 1896-1897 1c Yellow (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 A premium mint single, well centered with large margins, exceptional colour and full pristine original gum; a superb stamp, VF $+\mathrm{NH} \quad \mathbf{1 8 0 . 0 0 +}$

$\star \quad$ 35iii, 1879 1c Lemon Yellow (Montreal Printing), Perf 11 $1 / 2 \times 12$ An impressive mint block of six of this distinctive short-lived printing, with radiant colour on fresh paper and NEVER HINGED. A rare mint block in pristine condition, F-VF NH

6,600.00


607


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

Est. 750.00+
P 36, 2c Green (Defaced "Montreal" Plate) Imperforate block of four in choice condition on wove paper, defaced with a "blanket" of small dashes; very seldom seen in sound condition, VF

Est. 750.00+

$609 \star$ 36d, Early 1880s 2c Blue Green (Montreal Printing), Perf 12 Upper left corner margin plate imprint strip of five unused, showing portion of "A" plate letter, left half of BABN imprint (Boggs Type V) and full "TWO CENTS" counter with shading, small thin on fourth stamp. A scarce plate strip and especially desirable in this distinctive shade, Fine; ex. Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 91)

Est. 350.00+


610
36i, 1890 2c Blue Green (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 Upper left mint plate imprint strip of ten (from two-pane plate of 200) showing full BABN imprint (Boggs Type V) along with "B" (reversed) plate letter at centre, "TWO CENTS" counter with shading at right and "R" (reversed) indicating plate had been re-entered; full original gum, trivial ageing spots, partially severed between second and third stamps, creasing on stamps $5 \& 8$, five stamps NH. A rarely offered plate strip ideal for exhibition, FVF LH; ex. Emily Lindsey (January 1988; Lot 476), Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 92) Est. 1,500.00+


36iii, 1890s 2c Deep Green on Yellowish Wove Paper (Ottawa Printing) A selected, fresh and choice mint imperforate block of four with full original gum, lower pair is pristine NH, VF LH


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37a, Late 1870 3c Rose (First Ottawa Printing), Perf 11.85 Mint horizontal strip of three with true distinctive colour, some paper adherence on reverse but still retaining a large portion of its characteristic dull smooth white original gum and in sound condition. Early printing multiples of Small Queens are seldom seen, Fine OG
900.00


613


615
$\star \quad$ 37a, 1872 3c Rose Red (First Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 A nicely centered mint single in the distinctive bright shade, sharp impression, large part white dull original gum, all traits associated with an early printing, VF OG
750.00
$615 \star$ 38i, 1882-1883 5c Deep Olive Green (Montreal Printing), Perf 12 A well centered mint horizontal pair with amazingly deep rich colour on fresh paper, a seldom seen shade especially mint and well centered, VF OG

2,400.00

$616 \star$ 41ii, 1890s 3c Orange Vermilion Mint imperforate pair with deep colour and large part original gum, VF
600.00

42a, 1890s 5c Grey (Ottawa Printing) A full margined mint imperforate pair showing only the barest trace of a hinging, VF VLH
900.00+


618


619
$\star \quad$ 43, 1893-1894 6c Red Brown (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 A choice mint example, well centered with tall margins, bright colour and full original gum; a nice stamp, VF NH; 1998 RPS of London and 2018 Greene Foundation certs.

1,200.00
43b, 1890s 6c Red Brown A superb imperforate pair with lovely rich colour and large margins, ungummed as issued, XF
750.00+

$620 \quad \star \quad 45,1897$ 10c Brown Red (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 Beautifully centered mint single of the socalled "brick red" shade - the last printing of the Ten cent; minute natural paper inclusion (not mentioned on certificate), with exceptional colour and full original gum; a great stamp, VF+ NH; photocopy of 2010 Greene Foundation certificate for a strip of four from which this single originates.

2,700.00
$621 \star 45,1897$ 10c Brown Red (Ottawa Printing), Perf 12 A superb mint example in the true "brick red" shade of the last printing of 1897 , exceptional colour and precise centering with large margins, full original gum lightly hinged; a premium stamp, XF LH; 2017 Greene Foundation cert. ex. Bill Simpson (Part III, October 1996; Lot 1633)
900.00+
$622 \star 45 c, 1897$ 10c Brown Red (Ottawa Printing) An appealing and seldom seen mint imperforate block of four in this lovely distinctive shade, showing right portion of the BABN plate imprint (Boggs Type V ) in sheet margin at top, hinged along left edge leaving right pair $\mathrm{NH}, \mathrm{VF}$

2,625.00+
$623 \star 45 \mathrm{c}$, 1890s 10c Brown Red (Ottawa Printing) A bright, fresh mint imperforate pair with large margins, ungummed as often seen, VF
750.00
$\star$ 45i, 1890s 10c Rose Carmine (Ottawa Printing) A mint imperforate pair with portion of TEN counter imprint above left stamp, large part original gum relatively lightly hinged, VF
750.00+

## SMALL QUEEN POSTAL HISTORY

Arranged chronologically by date


1872 (July 20) Folded lettersheet from Quebec to France bearing three 3c orange rose and a 1c orange, all First Ottawa printings perf 12, 1c faulty at foot (prior to being affixed), all tied by Quebec duplex dispatch, additional strike at left; London PAID 29 JY transit CDS in red, crayon " 3 " denoting British Claim for 3 pence (6c) for delivery to France along with oval "PD" in red and clear Bordeaux 31 JUIL CDS receiver backstamp. An eye-appealing and very scarce franking, paying a 10 c pre-UPU letter rate (per quarter ounce) to France, VF (Unitrade 35ii, 37a)

Est. 1,000.00+

® 1874 (April 7) Small envelope mailed registered from Montreal to Alfred, Maine, USA, franked with pair and two single 3 c orange red, Montreal printing perf $11 \frac{1}{2} \times 12$, cancelled by straightline REGISTERED handstamps, Montreal split ring dispatch at left; overpays by 1 c for convenience the 6 c letter rate +5 c registration fee. An attractive multiple franking to the US, VF (Unitrade 37iii)

Est. 300.00+

$627 \Delta 1874$ (September 8) Cover mailed registered to Dublin, Ireland, bearing horizontal pair of 6c yellow brown and a 2 c emerald green, First Ottawa printings perf $11.85 \times 12$, tied by sharp cork grid cancels, McKellar, Ont split ring dispatch and straightline REGISTERED handstamps in red and in black, Parry Sound SP 9 and Toronto SP 10 transit backstamps; a scarce pre-UPU franking to Ireland, F-VF (Unitrade 36, 39 first printings) ex. Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 268)

Est. 500.00+
Until October 1st, 1875 the letter rate to Ireland was 6 c per half ounce. The registration fee of 8 c was paid by postage stamps prior to the introduction of registered letter stamps in late 1875.


1875 (July 16) Orange cover endorsed "voie d'Angleterre" mailed to France via Canadian Packet to the UK, showing an unusual three-colour franking consisting of 1 c orange yellow, 3 c dull orange red and 6 c yellow brown, all Montreal printings perf $11 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{x} 12$, cancelled by light two-ring numerals of Sherbrooke, split ring dispatch at left, small oval "PD" and clear London Paid 28 JY 75 transit in red, Calais 29 JUIL CDS and Bordeaux 30 JUIL arrival on back; couple small edge tears at foot. An eyeappealing and very elusive franking for the 10c pre-UPU letter rate (per quarter ounce) to France, effective October 1870 to December 1875, F-VF (Unitrade 35d, 37iii, 39b)

Est. 600.00+


』 1876 (December 7) Envelope from St. Thomas, Ontario to Menton, France, bearing a pair of 5c olive green, Montreal printing perf 12, one with negligible perf flaw, nicely tied by St. Thomas duplex, portion of London Paid transit ties stamp at top left, Calais 21 DEC 76 transit on front along with Menton 22 DEC arrival CDS on back. Redirected just across the border from Menton to San Remo, Italy with next-day CDS on reverse; a very nice pre-UPU cover, VF (Unitrade 38) ex. Bill Simpson (Part II, May 1996; Lot 180)

Est. 1,000.00+


1877 (April 2) Envelope from St. Jerome, Quebec to Gueret, France, redirected to Avignon, franked with two pairs of 3 c dull red, Montreal printing perf $111 / 2 \times 12$ tied by light concentric rings, light split ring dispatch, bold "TOO-LATE" instructional marking at foot; portion of backflap missing and couple edge faults, vertical fold clear of stamps. Various transit backstamps and circular London Paid datestamp on front tying right pair. Pays an elusive and very scarce pre-UPU 10 cent rate (per quarter ounce) plus the Cunard Line 2 cent surtax for service via New York. Fine (Unitrade 37ii)
ex. Ted Nixon (March 2012; Lot 178)
Est. 600.00+
Two matching segmented cork cancelled covers mailed from Barrie: 1) 1877 (May 29) clean orange envelope with well centered 3 c dull orange red, Montreal printing, perf $11 \frac{1}{2} \times 12$ tied by superb segmented cork in blue, same-ink Barrie split ring, to Caledonia with next-day arrival backstamp. 2) 1883 (April 3) clean white envelope with 3c orange vermilion shade, Montreal printing, perf 12 tied by lovely segmented cork in blue along with same-ink Barrie, Ont Canada AP 383 CDS to Toronto with same-day arrival and APL 4 carrier stamp. A lovely duo, VF (Unitrade 37iii, 37)
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 150.00+

$632 \boxtimes 1877$ (November 1) Cover registered to Ottawa bearing a 5c deep olive, Montreal printing perf $11 \frac{1}{2} \times 12$ tied by smudge cancel, straightline REGISTERED handstamp at left and clear Toronto split ring dispatch at left; the single-franking pays 3 c postage and 2 c registration. This was against postal regulations from October 1, 1876, which stated that registration fees could not be paid with postage stamp, VF and appealing (Unitrade 38a)

Est. 200.00+
$633 \Delta 1881$ (March 28) Envelope from Quebec to Italy, paying a triple UPU letter rate with 5c cent slate green vertical strip of three, Montreal printing perf $11 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{x} 12$, tied by Quebec duplex; partial Roma receiver on back. Minor edge wrinkles from contents; an elusive destination and usage of a perf $111 / 2 \times 12$ multiple on cover to Italy, F-VF (Unitrade 38a)

Est. 750.00+
$634 \boxtimes 1885$ (August 14) Clean cover endorsed "via Rimouski" and addressed to Tonsberg, Norway, bearing a 5 c dark olive green, Montreal printing perf 12, neatly tied by concentric rings, legible New Richmond, C.E. split ring dispatch at foot; no backstamp. A scarce destination, VF (Unitrade 38i)
ex. "Lindemann" collection
Est. 300.00+

$635 \Delta 1886$ (August 3) Clean cover bearing a vertically bisected Two cent green used to pay the One cent local drop letter rate, ideally tied by an oval mute grid cancel, equally clear Guysborough, NS split ring dispatch at left. A rare and unusually choice example of the Two cent bisect on cover, VF; 1998 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade 36c)

3,000.00+
Although unauthorized by Canadian postal administration, this cover demonstrates the ongoing acceptance of bisected stamps, which began during the early Colonial era throughout the Maritime Provinces, when Pence stamps were readily bisected into halves or even quarters pay required postal rates.
 perf 12, paying a One cent local drop letter rate, tied by neat Halifax duplex. A superb example of this rare franking, unauthorized by the Canadian postal administration but was tolerated without penalty, VF (Unitrade 36c)

3,000.00+

## COMPULSORY REGISTERED SMALL QUEEN COVER TO UNITED KINGDOM WITH POST OFFICE INSTRUCTION LABEL



1888 (December 6) Cover from St. Stephen, NB to Birmingham, England franked with a well centered, large margined 10c rose lilac, Montreal printing perf 12 tied by dispatch CDS, additional strike at left, St. John transit on back; pays the double weight (10c) UPU letter rate to the UK; on arrival in Liverpool it was found to contain a valuable enclosure (in this case coins). Postal laws required it to be registered, unpaid 4 d registration fee was rated " 8 " (to collect - double deficiency) and handstamp Registered / 16 DE 88 / Liverpool oval in black. British Post Office "Caution" label with manuscript "Coin" affixed on reverse at Liverpool, envelope opened on three sides for display. A different type of label than the one applied at London and furthermore much scarcer. This post office label explains the regulation and reason for its registration fee being charged; next-day arrival Birmingham registered handstamp. An extraordinary registered Small Queen cover, VF (Unitrade 40)

Est. 2,500.00+
Provenance: Stanley Cohen, October 1986; Lot 584
A VERY RARE COMPULSORY REGISTERED COVER AND MOST APPEALING WITH A SINGLE-FRANKING OF THE TEN CENT SMALL QUEEN.


638 1894 (March 7) A neat, small private postcard with handwritten message mailed from London to Stratford, franked with 1c yellow Ottawa printing for "postcard rate", which at the time was not authorized (in January 1895 it was reinstated), double the 2 cent deficiency for the 3 cent letter rate, MORE-TO-PAY instructional marking along with crayon " $4 \varnothing$ " marking; a lovely item with great eyeappeal, VF (Unitrade 35) ex. "Lindemann" collection

Est. 200.00+


1894 (August 29) Registered cover to France bearing an unusual three-colour franking consisting of 1 c yellow, pair of 3 c vermilion and 8 c blue grey Ottawa printings perf 12 , tied by double oval cancels, Toronto split ring dispatch at left, via London 6 SEP 94 and Calais 7 SEPT 94, Paris arrival backstamp; on reverse boxed "INCONNU" and on front "RETOUR A L'ENVOYEUR" instructional markings, sent back via New York 9-16 / 1894 and Toronto SP 18. A striking and unusual combination especially scarce with an 8 cent, pays a double UPU letter rate plus 5 cent registration, VF (Unitrade 35, 41, 44a)

Est. 750.00+

$640 \boxtimes 1894$ (December 21) Registered cover, opened on three sides and addressee crossed out, mailed from Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island to Birmingham, England and franked with an attractive vertical pair of the 10c rose lilac, Montreal printing perf 12 tied by a Charlottetown squared circle postmark; St. John NB DE 21 and Liverpool 4 JA 95 transits, oval Birmingham 4 JA arrival backstamp. A late usage of this particular Montreal printing paying a very scarce 15 cent triple UPU letter rate plus 5c registration, Fine (Unitrade 40) ex. Charles deVolpi (October 1965; Lot 281)

Est. 750.00+

$641 \boxtimes 1896$ (November 5) Registered cover from Montreal to Auckland, New Zealand via the US with San Francisco registration label affixed on front during transit, bearing single 5 c grey and 10c salmon Ottawa printings, clearly tied by large cork "R" cancels, squared circle precursor Montreal dispatch at right and on reverse, Vancouver NO 11, Seattle NOV 12, San Francisco NOV 16 transit backstamps along with registered double ring Auckland 31 DEC arrival. An attractive and very scarce double UPU letter rate plus 5c registration, F-VF (Unitrade 42, 45b) ex. Bill Simpson (Part IV, March 1997; Lot 1302)

Est. 600.00+

$642 \boxtimes 1897$ (January) Small neat handmade wrapper franked with $1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ black, well centered with large margins, clear Berlin, Ont. JA ? 97 CDS postmark and addressed to Mitchell, Ontario; pays the half cent newspaper (second class) rate for mailing under one ounce, effective as of March 1882, VF; stamp shows a Strong Re-entry (Plate 1; Position 50). (Unitrade 34 variety)

Est. 250.00+

$643 \boxtimes 1897$ (July 6) Registered cover from Montreal to London, England, endorsed "Via New York", bearing 5 c grey and 10 c salmon, Ottawa printings perf 12, tied by light Montreal roller, precursor squared circle dispatch at lower left; paying a double UPU letter rate plus 5 c registration superb oval Registered London 14 JV 97 receiver on front. Minor fault to flap and light horizontal fold at foot. A beautiful registered cover, VF (Unitrade 42, 45b)

Est. 1,000.00+

$644 \quad$ P 46-47, 1893 20c \& 50c Widow Weeds The set of two plate proof singles in the issued colours on white card. Difficult to find in such choice condition, XF

Est. 750.00+

$645 \quad \star \quad 46-47,1893$ 20c \& 50c Widow Weeds A lovely mint set in selected quality, very well centered with bright fresh colours and full original gum, VF-XF LH


1897 (April 9) Blue cover mailed registered to Switzerland displaying an impressive four-colour franking consisting of 2c green, 5c grey, 8c blue grey Small Queens (Ottawa printings) and a 20c Widow Weeds, all tied by Clinton Street / Toronto AP 9 postmarks, oval "R" registry at left; oval Registered London 21 AP 97 datestamp in red applied in transit on front, clear Genève 22.V arrival backstamp A few edge wrinkles but overall in an excellent state of preservation considering the heavy content it originally carried - paying a six times (30c) UPU letter rate plus 5 c registration fee; a fabulous franking and certainly one of the most impressive of all covers franked with a Widow Weeds stamp, VF (Unitrade 36i, 42, 44, 46)

Est. 2,500.00+


647 P 52, 1897 2c Diamond Jubilee Large Trial Colour Die Proof printed in orange, THE COLOUR OF THE ONE CENT, on india paper $64 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $226 \times 152 \mathrm{~mm}$; small natural paper inclusion, insignificant and well away from the rare, striking proof. A wonderful item for a serious collection, XF; ex. ABNC Archive Sale (September 1990; Lot 1684)

Est. 2,500.00+


648 P 54, 1897 5c Blue Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $65 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $227 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}$, in pristine condition. A rare proof as most are printed directly to card. XF

Est. 1,500.00+


649 P 55, 1897 6c Yellow Brown Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $63 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $227 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}$, in immaculate condition. A superb and rare proof, XF

Est. 1,500.00+


650 P 56, 1897 8c Dark Violet Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper, showing complete die sinkage $63 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$, sunk on slightly larger card; reverse with archival adhesive from previous archival mounting, VF and rare

Est. 1,000.00+


57, 1897 10c Brown Violet Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $62 \times 61 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $226 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}$, in pristine condition. Rarely seen as most existing proofs are printed directly on card, XF

Est. 1,500.00+


652 P 58, 1897 15c Steel Blue Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $63 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $227 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}$, superb in all respects. A rare proof ideal for exhibition, XF

Est. 1,500.00+


653 P 60, 1897 50c Ultramarine Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $63 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $226 \times 151 \mathrm{~mm}$, exceptionally fresh and in immaculate condition. Rare as most were printed directly to card, XF


654 ( 61, $1897 \$ 1$ Lake Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $63 \times 60 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $226 \times 151 \mathrm{~mm}$; a desirable proof in immaculate condition, XF




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P 64, 1897 \$4 Purple Large Die Proof printed in the issued colour on india paper $61 \times 60 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on full-size card $226 \times 150 \mathrm{~mm}$, in remarkably choice condition and ideal for exhibit, XF

Est. 1,500.00+


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P 50-65, 1897 1/2c-\$5 Diamond Jubilee The complete set of sixteen plate proofs, each with true rich colour, printed on card mounted india paper; the one dollar with smaller margin at top, otherwise all with large margins. A lovely and desirable set, VF-XF

7,000.00
659 P 50P-60P, $18971 / 2 c-50 c$ Diamond Jubilee Partial set of nine plate proof corner blocks of six ( $3 \times 2$ ) in issued colours on card mounted india paper $-1 / 2 \mathrm{c} \& 1 \mathrm{c}$ are UL corner, $2 \mathrm{c}, 3 \mathrm{c}, 5 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}, 15 \mathrm{c}, 20 \mathrm{c} \& 50 \mathrm{c}$ from UR corner, VF (Unitrade cat. \$9,600)
(Illustrated on Page 97) Est. 1,500.00+
Re-Entries -The Half cent proof block shows R. Trimble No. 1 (Position 11), Five cent with (Position 10 ) and 20c with (position 8).


T.W. Boyd \& Son Fire Arms, Fishing Tackle, Sporting Goods and Bicycles, large rifle illustrated advertising envelope with side seams, sent fifth class mail from Montreal to Dalhousie, NB, opened for inspection, bearing a 1c yellow Jubilee tied by light roller cancel. A striking and most appealing rate cover, hard to find in nice condition, VF (Unitrade 51)

Est. 300.00+


53, 1897 3c Bright Rose An exceptional mint example, very well centered within amazing large margins, brilliant fresh and full unblemished original gum. XF NH JUMBO
120.00+


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663 P 54P, ii, 1897 5c Deep Blue Matched set of corner margin plate proof blocks of four on card mounted india paper; upper right block has the only listed Re-entry (Position 10) found on this denomination with extended lines in right oval and doubling of "N" of "CENTS", VF (Cat. \$1,440 for normal proofs) Est. 350.00+

$\star \quad \mathbf{5 5}, 1897 \mathbf{6 c}$ Yellow Brown An unusually well centered mint Plate 17 strip of three, some split perfs strengthened by hinges in the margin only, full original gum, natural light gum wrinkles on left pair, fresh and VF NH (Cat. \$2,700 as stamps only) Est. 750.00+

$\star \quad$ 57, 1897 10c Brown Violet A post office fresh mint single, very well centered with full pristine original gum; a nice stamp, VF+NH
$666 \star \quad$ 59, 1897 20c Vermilion Nicely centered mint example with fresh pastel colour and full original gum; an attractive stamp, VF NH; 2012 Greene Foundation cert.

1,200.00

$667 \quad \star \quad 59 \mathrm{~s}-65 \mathrm{~s}$, 1897 20c-\$5 Diamond Jubilee Fabulous set of seven mint singles with SPECIMEN handstamps; the 20c \& 50c with usual fine centering, 20c small moisture spot on gum, 50 c is NH. More importantly, the key high values are remarkably well centered and exceptionally fresh and possessing full pristine original gum, NEVER HINGED. A lovely set in superior quality than one is accustomed to seeing, VF-XF NH (Unitrade cat. as fine for 20c and 50c and VF NH for dollar values) $\mathbf{1 2 , 9 0 0 . 0 0}$

$668 \quad \star \quad$ 61-65, 1897 \$1-\$5 Diamond Jubilee The set of five high values, selected for their better centering the $\$ 1, \$ 3, \$ 4$ and $\$ 5$ have full original gum, NEVER HINGED; the $\$ 2$ stamp shows a very light trace of a hinge, others with some slight imperfections not readily visible. Key values in well-above average condition, VF; the $\$ 3$ yellow bistre with 2004 Greene cert. (Unitrade cat. $\$ 19,600$ )

Est. 5,000.00+

$669 \quad \star \quad$ 61-65, 1897 \$1-\$5 Diamond Jubilee The five high values with lovely bright colours, $\$ 1$ with small gum thin and $\$ 4$ with vertical crease at right edge, both fine centered. The $\$ 2, \$ 3$ and $\$ 5$ values are in sound condition and nicely centered, VF OG (Unitrade cat. \$7,800)

Est. 1,500.00+


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$670 \quad \star \quad 61,1897 \$ 1$ Lake A remarkable mint single with full sheet margin at left, exceptional colour, nicely centered with full unblemished original gum; a beautiful stamp in premium quality, VF NH; 2014 Greene Foundation cert.

3,600.00
$671 \star$ 61, 1897 \$1 Lake A nice mint single with true rich colour, light wrinkling at right edge but with immaculate original gum, fresh and VF NH

3,600.00


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$672 \star$ 62, 1897 \$2 Dark Purple A very scarce mint block of four, displaying true deep rich colour, and possessing full original gum, barest trace of a hinge at top leaving lower pair NEVER HINGED. Very few mint multiples survive, Fine

7,200.00
673 62, 1897 \$2 Dark Purple A stunning used with exceptional rich colour, unusually postmarked with a three-ring Toronto (OC or NO) 2200 circular datestamp, VF

1,200.00

$674 \star$ 63, $1897 \$ 3$ Yellow Bistre A nice mint example of this key value, well centered with bright true colour and full original gum, VF LH
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$675 \star 65,1897 \$ 5$ Olive Green A nicely centered mint single with bright fresh colour and large part original gum; pencil signed by expert Peter Holcombe on reverse, VF OG

2,000.00
676 65, $1897 \$ 5$ Olive Green A very well centered used example with unusually deep, fresh colour, corner magenta Winnipeg CDS postmarks (employed for bulk mailing of the Winnipeg Free Press); a very nice stamp, VF +
$1,600.00$

## QUEEN VICTORIA LEAF \& NUMERAL


$677 \quad$ P 66-73, $18971 / 2 c-10 c$ Queen Victoria Leaf The complete set of eight plate proof pairs printed in the issued colours on card mounted india paper, each with large margins, a choice set, VF-XF

$678 \quad$ P 66-73, $18971 / 2 c-10 c$ Queen Victoria Leaf A choice set of eight plate proof singles in the issued colours, printed on card mounted india paper; 5 c has light card crease, otherwise a selected set, VF+

2,000.00
$679 \star \quad 67,1897$ 1c Blue Green on Vertical Wove Paper An attractive mint Plate 2 imprint strip of three, quite well centered; hinged in the margin leaving all stamps VF NH (Cat. $\$ 630$ as singles)

Est. 200.00+

$680 \quad \star \quad 68,1897$ 2c Purple on Vertical Wove Paper A selected mint Plate 3 imprint strip of four, deep rich colour, nicely centered with large margins, as fresh as the day it was printed, VF NH (Cat. \$960 as singles only)

Est. 350.00+

$681 \quad \star \quad 68 i, 1897$ 2c Purple on Vertical Wove Paper A large margined imperforate pair with bright colour on fresh paper, ungummed as issued, VF +
600.00

71, 1897 6c Brown on Vertical Wove Paper A brilliant fresh, well centered mint example with full pristine original gum, $\mathrm{VF}+\mathrm{NH}$
675.00


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$683 \boxtimes 1909$ (January 14) Cover to New Zealand bearing a well centered 6c Leaf tied by clear Montreal JAN 141909 machine cancel; Dunedin MAR 3 receiver backstamp. Somewhat late usage but no KEVII or KGV 6 cent was ever issued, pays an unusual and no doubt rare triple Imperial Penny Postage letter rate, VF (Unitrade 71) New Zealand joined the IPP scheme on January 1st, 1901, at which time the letter rate was reduced from five cents to two cents per half ounce.

Est. 350.00+
$684 \boxtimes 1898$ (December 14) The Beehive Wall Paper and Window Blinds yellow advertising envelope in brilliant fresh condition, bearing a mixed-issue franking of 2c purple Numeral and 6 c Leaf tied by dispatch CDS postmark, clear second Chatham Ont. strike below, correctly pays the 3 c letter rate to the United States plus 5c registration. A striking and unusual cover, VF (Unitrade 71, 76) ex. Carnegie (May 1980; Lot 162)

Est. 300.00+


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$685 \quad \star \quad 72,1897$ 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper An unusually choice mint single, very well centered with post office fresh colour and full pristine original gum, VF NH
$686 \quad \star \quad$ 72ii, 1897 8c Orange on Horizontal Wove Paper A brilliant fresh mint example, well centered with radiant colour on fresh paper and with full pristine original gum; considerably scarcer in choice condition than the Eight cent on vertical wove, VF NH

1,500.00
$687 \star$ 73i, 1897 10c Brown Violet on Vertical Wove Paper A selected, fresh, full margined imperforate mint pair with full original gum, scarce, VF LH
$1,000.00$


74-84, 1898-1902 $1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$-20c Queen Victoria Numeral The complete set of ten plate proof singles in issued colours on card mounted india paper; 10c with smaller margins, otherwise each with large margins; a lovely set, VF

4,000.00


P 74-84, 1898-1902 $1 / 2 \mathbf{c}$-20c Queen Victoria Numeral The complete set of ten plate proofs in issued colours on card mounted india paper, fresh and large margined, VF-XF

4,000.00

$690 \star 75 v, 1898$ 1c Blue Green on Thick Wove Paper A precisely centered, choice mint single of this scarce paper type, with rich colour and full original gum, XF NH, seldom encountered in such topquality; 2018 Greene Foundation cert. for a block from which it originates.
600.00+
$691 \star \quad 75 v i, 1898$ 1c Green on Vertical Wove Paper Superb imperforate pair with bright colour and large even margins, ungummed as issued, XF
900.00

$692 \star \quad 75 v i, 79 i i, 82 i i, 1898-18991 c, 5 c, 8 c$ Numeral Three different imperforate pairs, ungummed as issued; 1c green on vertical wove, 5 c blue on bluish horizontal wove and 8 c orange on vertical wove. All with bright fresh colours, VF

2,700.00

$694 \star \quad 76 a, 1899$ 2c Violet on Yellowish Thick Wove Paper A remarkable mint Plate 1 inscription block of twelve on this very distinctive paper (only found on this particular stamp), printed in a beautiful bright shade, trivial perf separation but rare in sound condition. Five stamps in the lower row are hinged leaving seven NH, Fine+ (Unitrade cat. \$1,900 as singles only)

Est. 1,000.00+

$695 \star$ 77d, 1898 2c Carmine, Die II on Vertical Wove Paper Imperforate pair of the scarcer die, full margins and unusually deep colour, ungummed as issued, $\mathrm{VF}+$

1,500.00
$696 \star$ 77d, 1898 2c Carmine, Die II on Vertical Wove Paper A selected, fresh imperforate pair of the elusive die, full to large margins, bright colour and ungummed as issued, VF

1,500.00

$697 \quad$ * 79ii, 1899 5c Blue on Bluish Horizontal Wove Paper Superb imperforate pair with noticeably large margins, brilliant fresh colour and ungummed as issued, XF
900.00+
$698 \star$ 79ii, 1899 5c Blue on Bluish Horizontal Wove Paper Select imperforate pair with brilliant colour on pristine paper, ungummed as issued, VF
900.00
 Rome, Italy, then redirected to Milan, Lucerne and Bruxelles; then returned via London to Ottawa where it entered Dead Letter Office on October 1st ( 5 months later), two different DLO markings and myriad transit / receiver backstamps. An interesting and well-travelled cover, F-VF (Unitrade 79)

Est. 300.00+ full unblemished original gum, never hinged. A very attractive stamp in top-quality, XF NH
 consisting of a vertical pair of the bc brown and single 2c purple Numeral Issues, tied by roller cancels, Montreal precursor dispatch datestamp at left, oval "R" handstamp; paying an elusive triple domestic letter rate ( 9 c ), plus 5 c registration. An early and very scarce multiple usage of the 6 c Numeral (replaced the bc Leaf on August 27), F-VF (Unitrade 76, 80)

$\star \quad$ 81, 1902 7c Olive Yellow Choice and elusive mint Plate 1 imprint strip of four, unusually well centered within large margins, large part original gum hinged. Centering for such plate imprint strip is as good as it gets, VF (Cat. \$1,000 as singles)

Est. 400.00+

$703 \star \quad$ 82, 1898 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper A superbly centered mint single with well balanced large margins, remarkably bright fresh colour and possessing full original gum that has never been hinged. A beautiful stamp in superior quality, XF NH

1,800.00+


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$704 \star$ 82ii, 1898 8c Orange on Vertical Wove Paper Premium imperforate pair with exceptional colour, large margins and ungummed as issued, XF
900.00+
$705 \star$ 83, 1898 10c Brown Violet A choice mint example of this tough stamp, showing plate number " 1 " in selvedge, lovely bright colour and very well centered; lightly hinged in margin only, stamp with full original gum, never hinged; a nice stamp in superior quality, XF NH; 2007 PF cert. Graded XF 90

2,250.00
$706 \star$ 83ii, 1898 10c Brown Violet on Horizontal Wove Paper A choice imperforate pair with full even margins, bright colour and ungummed as issued, VF +
$\mathbf{1 , 2 5 0 . 0 0}$


1902 (June 22) P.W. Ellis blue advertising cover in clean condition, sent registered to Switzerland bearing a well centered 10c brown violet neatly tied by oval "R" handstamp in black, clear Toronto split ring JUN 1002 dispatch on reverse, oval Registered London 22 JU datestamp in red applied in transit on front and choice Chaux de Fonds 23.VI.receiver. A remarkably choice and very scarce single franking cover paying a 5c UPU letter rate plus 5c registration, VF + (Unitrade 83) Est. 750.00+


E 189815 c Numeral Die essay (stamp size) printed in slate grey on card mounted india paper, just clear margins, sound with excellent intensity of this notoriously fugitive colour, Fine and very scarce (Minuse \& Pratt E-2) ex. American Bank Note Co. sale (September 1990; Lot 1820)

Est. 600.00+
P 84, 20c Numeral Trial colour die proof (stamp size) prepared circa. 1898 (issued in late 1900), printed in lime green on card mounted india paper, this distinctive colour is found only on die proofs, very rare, VF

Est. 750.00+

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1898 MAP STAMP - IMPERIAL PENNY POSTAGE

$711 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp A fabulous imperforate centerline block of four of the very scarce red colour completely omitted, light diagonal crease on left pair, oceans with slight "Muddy Water" effect coloured evenly. Without doubt a UNIQUE positional block, striking and VF (Unitrade 86iv cat. $\$ 4,000$ for a normal centerline block)

Est. 3,000.00+

$712 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Imperforate horizontal pair with engraved black colour only - missing both the red and the ocean colours, couple slight vertical bends as do most known examples of this elusive imperforate, VF (Unitrade 86v)

1,250.00

$713 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Imperforate pair with black (engraving) only - missing both red and ocean colours, uncleared engraver's guidelines mainly confined to margin at foot; scarce and attractive, VF (Unitrade 86v)
$\mathbf{1 , 2 5 0 . 0 0}$
$714 \quad 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Imperforate pair with red colour omitted, usual crease, "Muddy Water" effect for oceans as do most known pairs, positional coloured "dot" shown in lower margin, VF (Unitrade 86iv)

1,500.00

$715 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp An impressive mint imperforate block with American Bank Note Co. Ottawa imprint at right, oceans in a lovely and very scarce bright lavender shade, full OG, minor gum thin at top and negligible gum wrinkles, lower pair NH. Most unusual as the vast majority were issued ungummed; visually striking, VF (Unitrade 85a variety) ex. Alfred Lichtenstein (November 1954; Lot 161)

Est. 750.00+


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$716 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Imperforate block of four with oceans in grey, portion of sheet margin at right, issued ungummed but has been subsequently gummed, VF (Unitrade 85iii)

1,400.00
$717 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp A choice, exceptionally fresh imperforate block of four with blue green oceans, large even margins all around, ungummed as issued, VF+ (Unitrade 86a)

1,400.00

$718 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Four imperforate pairs with oceans in various shades of blue, ungummed as issued, large margined with one corner marginal, VF (Unitrade 85a-86ii)

2,800.00
$719 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp An exceptionally fresh imperforate pair with large margins, lavender oceans, ungummed as issued, XF (Unitrade 85a)
700.00

$720 \star 1898$ 2c Map Imperforate horizontal pair with grey oceans, sheet margin at top and ungummed as issued, VF (Unitrade 85iii)
700.00


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$721 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Brilliant fresh imperforate horizontal pair with blue green oceans, full margins and ungummed as issued, choice, VF+ (Unitrade 86a)
700.00

$722 \quad \star \quad 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Imperforate block of four with striking deep blue oceans, exceptionally fresh colours with sheet margin at top, ungummed as issued, XF (Unitrade 86ii)

1,400.00+


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$723 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp Post office fresh mint block of four with true lavender oceans, well centered with full pristine original gum; a beautiful block, VF NH (Unitrade 85)
720.00
$724 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp A very well centered mint block with deep blue oceans, shows noticeable Reentries in upper and lower right stamps (Plate 2; Position 9, 19), both with visible marks in "AGE", surrounding cable and phrase at foot; tiny moisture spot on upper left stamp, VF NH ( 86 b + varieties; cat. as normal stamps)
900.00
$725 \star 1898$ 2c Map Stamp A spectacular mint single with lavender oceans, exceptionally fresh with wellbalanced oversized margins, superb in all respects, XF NH GEM (Unitrade 85)
180.00+

## KING EDWARD VII


$726 \star$ 89a-93a, 1903 1c, 5c, 7c, 10c King Edward VII The set of four imperforate pairs with mostly very large margins; small faint marginal crease on 5 cent, otherwise all with exceptional colours and choice, ungummed as issued, VF-XF
$4,900.00$

$727 \star$ 89a, 1903 1c Bluish Green A selected imperforate pair with sheet margin at top and large margins on other sides, ungummed as issued, XF
900.00+

$728 \star 90 \mathrm{e}, 1903$ 2c Carmine, Type I A nice mint example of this distinctive and elusive design type, well centered with full pristine original gum, VF NH
700.00

$729 \quad \star \quad 91,1903$ 5c Blue on Bluish Vertical Wove Paper A fresh, nicely centered mint Plate 1 strip of three with full imprint, showing clear "hairlines" variety in an unusual double perforated top margin; natural gum skips on right stamp, both end stamps are NH; a visually striking plate multiple, VF LH (Unitrade cat. \$3,200 for stamps alone)

Est. 750.00+

$730 \star$ 91, 1903 5c Blue on Bluish Horizontal Wove Paper A nicely centered mint Plate 2 strip of three with complete inscription; minute tone spot on left stamp visible from reverse only, both end stamps are NH. A lovely plate multiple with full original gum, VF LH (Unitrade cat. \$3,200 as singles only)

Est. 750.00+

$731 \quad$ - 91, 1903 5c Blue on Bluish Paper Brilliant fresh mint, nicely centered with large margins and full unblemished original gum; a lovely stamp, VF NH; 2015 Greene Foundation cert.
$1,400.00$
91a, 1903 5c Blue on Bluish Horizontal Wove Paper A fresh imperforate pair with full margins, ungummed as issued, VF+
$\mathbf{1 , 5 0 0 . 0 0}$

$733 \star$ 92, 1903 7c Olive Bistre Mint Plate 1 imprint strip of three in a paler shade than normally encountered for a first printing, showing extra line of perforations in upper margin, quite well centered and large margined, both end stamps are NH. A beautiful and visually attractive plate multiple, F-VF (Unitrade cat. \$2,520 as singles)

Est. 750.00+

$734 \quad \star \quad$ 92iii, 1909-1911 7c Straw Mint Plate 2 imprint block of six in pristine condition with post office fresh colour and showing full immaculate original gum, never hinged. An appealing and nicely centered plate multiple in well-above average condition, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$7,200)

Est. 2,000.00+


$736 \star$ 94, 1904 20c Olive Green An impressive mint Plate 1 strip of three with full imprint, exceptional colour, nicely centered, light hinge mark and natural gum crease entirely confined to the sheet margin, stamps with full original gum, NEVER HINGED. A rare plate multiple destined for a serious collection, VF (Unitrade cat. \$13,125 as singles)

Est. 5,000.00+
Provenance: Bertram Collection, Shanahan's Auctions, February 1959; Lot 1165

$737 \star \quad$ 94, 1904 20c Olive Green A beautiful mint Plate 1 strip of three with full imprint, brilliant post office fresh colour, quite well centered within large margins, displaying intact perforations - hard to find as such on this particular denomination, full original gum with very light hinge on centre stamp, both end stamps are NEVER HINGED. A seldom encountered and most appealing plate multiple of this difficult stamp, F-VF (Unitrade cat. \$6,300 as singles)

Est. 2,500.00+


95, 1908 50c Purple Mint single in a lovely bright shade on fresh paper, nicely centered with large margins; natural gum skip at top, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$5,250)

Est. 1,500.00+

## 1908 QUÉBEC TERCENTENARY


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96-103, $19081 / 2 \mathbf{c}-20 c$ Québec Tercentenary A fabulous complete set of large die proofs in the issued colours and displaying full ABNC imprint and respective die number below each design, printed on india paper $70-76 \times 61-62 \mathrm{~mm}$, die sunk on large cards measuring $228-230 \times 150-155 \mathrm{~mm}$ (except One cent $146 \times 112 \mathrm{~mm}$ ). The Two cent has archival filing punch at upper left, along with "APPROVED BY A.S.M. / JUN 22 1908" handstamp (A.S.M. for A.S. Major - Head of Engraving Department), inscribed "OK for Ottawa DEW 6/22 08" in red ink. A remarkable set and an ideal cornerstone for a specialized Tercentenary collection, VF-XF; ex. ABNC Sale (September 1990), "Libra" Collection (October 2011; Lot 8)

Est. 10,000.00+

$740 \star \quad 96-103,19081 / 2 c-20 c$ Québec Tercentenary The complete set of eight in blocks of four, nice to superb centering, fresh colours and full original gum with the key values lightly hinged; a lovely set of these increasingly difficult blocks, VF

6,340.00


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$741 \star$ 96a, $19081 / 2$ c Black Brown An impressive mint corner margin imperforate pair, lovely fresh colour, full original gum hinged once in the selvedge away from the never hinged pair. A most attractive pair that really stands out, VF NH

2,500.00
$742 \star \quad 97 a, 19081 c$ Green A brilliant, fresh and full margined imperforate pair; shows a quite prominent "hairlines" variety at sides. Seldom encountered so nice, VF NH

2,500.00


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$743 \star$ 97ii, 1908 1c Green An attractive corner margin imperforate pair, ungummed as issued, small extraneous ink mark over a small thin on reverse, otherwise VF
$1,000.00$
$744 \star$ 98a, 1908 2c Carmine A selected mint horizontal imperforate pair with sheet margin at right; in pristine fresh condition, quite remarkable considering only 50 pairs with gum were issued, few can rival this beautiful pair, $\mathrm{VF}+\mathrm{NH}$

2,500.00
$745 \star$ 98ii, 1908 2c Carmine An unusually choice imperforate pair with full margins, in the noticeably deeper shade associated with the so-called first printing, ungummed as issued, XF
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$746 \star 100,19087 c$ Olive Green A premium quality mint single with amazing rich colour, very well centered with large balanced margins; a beautiful stamp, XF NH; 2011 Greene Foundation cert.
750.00+
$747 \quad \star \quad 100,19087 c$ Olive Green A brilliant fresh mint single, nicely centered with large margins and full pristine original gum, VF NH
750.00


100a, 1908 7c Olive Green An exceptionally choice, large margined 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 such top-quality, XF NH

2,500.00+


100i, 1908 7c Olive Green A superb imperforate pair with full even margins, in the distinctive deeper shade associated with the so-called first printing, ungummed as issued, XF

1,000.00


P 101, 1908 10c Québec Tercentenary Progressive die proof in the issued colour on india paper 75 x 63 mm , die sunk on slightly larger card measuring $80 \times 69 \mathrm{~mm}$ - the unhardened die of nearly complete design with numerous thin horizontal guidelines visible through lettering and design as well as prominent vertical engraved line in upper corners that are not present on the issued stamp. A very rare unfinished proof, VF

Est. 1,000.00+


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$751 \star$ 101a, 1908 10c Violet A wonderful top left margin mint imperforate pair, large margins on other sides, hinged once in selvedge only, stamps with full original gum, never hinged; VF NH

2,500.00

$752 \star$ 102a, 1908 15c Orange A remarkably choice mint imperforate pair with margin at left, exceptionally fresh and large margined, full pristine original gum, XF NH

2,500.00+


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$753 \star$ 103, 1908 20c Brown A well centered, post office fresh mint example with full unblemished original gum, VF NH

1,200.00
$754 \star$ 103a, 1908 20c Brown A scarce mint horizontal imperforate pair with ample to large margins, rich colour and large part original gum, F-VF
800.00
$755 \star$ 103ii, 1903 20c Deep Brown Imperforate pair in the deeper shade associated with this particular issue, ungummed as issued, VF

1,000.00

## ADMIRAL



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106, 1918-1920 2c Carmine A nicely centered mint single with large margins, clearly showing DOUBLING (9mm wide) of full strength Type B lathework, unusually choice, VF NH.
ex. "Crossings" (January 2010; Lot 362)
$600.00+$
$758 \star 106$ shade, 2c Carmine Red on Pink Paper A choice mint example in an unusual shade on a distinctive pink tinged paper; a beautiful stamp that really stands out from the myriad of shades found on this particular stamp, VF NH

Est. 150.00+
$759 \star$ 108b, 1918-1922 3c Yellow Brown (Wet Printing) An exceptionally fresh mint block, characteristic colour and gum associated with this scarcer printing, most appealing with remarkably strong, full strength Type B lathework. A beautiful block with pristine original gum, VF NH (Unitrade cat. for the more common shade)
675.00+
$\star \quad 108,1920$ 3c Brown (Wet Printing) Unusually nice mint single with remarkable full strength Type C lathework, rarely seen as most known examples show lesser strength (about 40\%), well centered with large margins, brilliant colour and full original gum. A lovely stamp for the Admiral collector, VF LH

Est. 500.00+

$761 \star$ 108, 1920-1921 3c Brown (Wet Printing) A nicely centered mint corner block of four showing Type D inverted lathework, beautiful rich colour and full original gum, natural gum skip on right pair. A scarce lathework block, VF NH

1,350.00

$762 \star$ 108ii, 1920-1921 3c Dark Brown (Wet Printing) A choice mint lower left corner block showing strong, nearly full strength Type D inverted lathework, exceptional colour and centering, lightly hinged on top left stamp only, otherwise never hinged and VF; a lovely multiple.
900.00+

$763 \star$ 110a, 1924 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry Printing - Plate 6) A remarkably fresh imperforate pair with superb margins, fresh deep colour and full unblemished original gum, never hinged - rarely seen in such superior quality and certainly ranking among the finest we have handled, XF NH

6,000.00+


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$764 \star$ 110, 1922 4c Olive Bistre (Wet Printing) A choice mint example with fabulous colour and showing usual strength Type D inverted lathework, VF+ LH
400.00
$765 \star$ 110b, 1922 4c Olive Yellow (Wet Printing) An attractive mint single in a lovely bright shade, displaying superb, unusually strong Type D inverted lathework - a reported ratio of only 1 in 20 show this strength. VF NH (Cat. is for the lesser $40 \%$ strength)
600.00+


110c, 1922 4c Golden Yellow (Wet Printing) A striking mint example in the distinctive shade, showing unusually strong Type D lathework (unlisted in this colour). A most unusual combination of lathework strength in a shade that really stands out, Fine OG

Est. 750.00+
Interestingly enough, Type D lathework on any shade of the 4 cent Admiral is generally of lesser strength. This particular shade in only listed (unpriced) with inverted Type D lathework in Unitrade.


110d, 1925 4c Yellow Ochre (Dry Printing) A post office fresh mint single, very well centered with rich colour and full immaculate original gum, XF NH
210.00+
$\star \quad 110$ shade, 4c Deep Olive Bistre (Wet Printing) A very well centered mint single with outstanding colour and full original gum; a choice stamp displaying a deeper shade than normally encountered, XF NH (Cat. for normal shade)
240.00+

$769 \quad \star \quad$ 111, 1912-1915 5c Dark Blue An attractive and selected mint block of four in a lovely dark rich shade, well centered with sheet margin at foot, full original gum; seldom encountered as such, VF NH

3,600.00

$770 \star$ 111, 1912-1915 5c Dark Blue A choice mint example in a remarkable rich shade on fresh paper, well centered with full unblemished original gum; a great stamp in all respects, XF NH
900.00+
$771 \star$ 112a, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet Printing) Spectacular mint single with exceptional centering and unusually large margins all around, lovely rich colour and full pristine original gum; a remarkable stamp in all respects, XF NH GEM
150.00+
$772 \star$ 112av, 1924 5c Violet on Thin Paper (Wet Printing) A post office fresh mint block of four showing a strong impression of the five-line Pyramid Guide in the right margin, full pristine original gum; a very scarce positional block in noticeably superior condition, F-VF NH; ex. "Lindemann" Collection

2,400.00

$773 \star$ 113, 1915-1918 7c Yellow Ochre A superb mint single with radiant colour, precise centering and full immaculate original gum, XF NH
$774 \star$ 113a, 1915-1918 7c Deep Olive Bistre Post office fresh, well centered mint example with exceptional colour and full unblemished original gum; a lovely stamp for the shade enthusiast, VF+ NH $\mathbf{3 6 0 . 0 0 +}$


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$775 \star$ 116, 1920 10c Brown Purple A brilliant fresh mint Plate 11 inscription strip of four, well centered, mild hinging on three stamps, second stamp NH. An attractive multiple in selected quality, VF (Unitrade cat. \$2,400 as singles)

Est. 1,000.00+

$\star \quad$ 116, 1917 10c Plum Mint block of four showing Type A ( $80 \%$ strength) lathework with clear DOUBLING of the lathework ( 10 mm wide) below left stamp, top pair lightly hinged, lower pair with pristine original gum, never hinged. A scarce lathework variety, Fine (Unitrade cat. for lower pair; no premium added for doubling of the lathework) ex. Harry Lussey (June 1981; Lot 1211) 3,200.00+
$777 \star$ 116, 1920 10c Brown Purple A marvelous mint block showing a nearly complete and very strong impression of the Type C lathework, nicely centered with radiant colour, slightest trace of hinging on top right stamp leaving the other three and sheet margins NH; light pencil "July 1922" notation entirely confined to ungummed portion of selvedge on reverse. A desirable lathework multiple in noticeably choice quality - in fact, superior to either of those in the Lussey or Marler collections. Ideal for a serious collection, VF VLH
$\mathbf{6 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$778 \star$ 116, 1913-1917 10c Brown Purple A very well centered mint example with exceptional colour and full pristine original gum; a beautiful stamp, VF+ NH

1,200.00
779 (March 4) Cover with "The Senate Canada" embossed crest on backflap, horizontal fold at centre, mailed special delivery to St. John, NB bearing a 10c reddish purple Admiral first printing tied by three-ring Ottawa MR 413 CDS, affixed to pay for special delivery service (the postage was free of charge), with legible Ottawa Free "keyhole" type cancel in red obliterated with Senate Canada "Crown and Beaver" handstamp in red (Davis SP-12ai) plus additional strike at left, countersigned at lower left; St. John MR 5 receiver CDS on back. An unusual and very scarce special delivery cover from the Senate of Canada, F-VF (Unitrade 116a)
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 250.00+

$780 \quad \star \quad$ 117, 1922-1924 10c Blue (Wet Printing) A nice mint example with post office fresh colour and wellabove average strength Type D lathework (most are at $40 \%$ or lesser strength); a lovely item for the specialist, F-VF NH

1,600.00
$\star \quad$ 117a, 1924-1925 10c Blue (Dry Printing) A choice, very well centered mint single with large margins, rich colour and sharp impression, XF NH
210.00+

$782 \star$ 117ii, 1922-1924 10c Light Blue (Wet Printing) A selected mint block in a distinctive pastel-like shade, post office fresh and well centered with full unblemished original gum; a choice block displaying a visually striking shade, VF+ NH
960.00
$783 \star$ 117ii, 1922-1924 10c Light Blue (Wet Printing) A choice mint example, nicely centered with large margins and showing normal strength Type D lathework (40\%), VF hinged
600.00
$784 \quad \star \quad$ 117iv, 1922-1924 10c Light Blue (Wet Printing) Scarce mint block of four showing the Pyramid Guide in the sheet margin at right, lightly hinged on top right stamp only, otherwise Fine+ NH and considerably scarcer than catalogue values indicate, this item was not present in most well-known Admiral collections of the past. Interestingly enough, this block is on a distinctive thicker wove paper than usually found on normal issued stamps. ex. Stan Lum (September 2013; Lot 1121) 2,000.00+
$785 \star$ 119iv, 1925 20c Olive Green (Dry Printing) A beautiful and exceptionally well centered mint block showing the retouched upper right vertical frameline, characteristic of Plate 9 ; a scarce multiple in fresh, choice quality, VF+NH
(Illustrated on Page 126) 2,160.00
$786 \star$ 120, 1925 50c Black Brown (Re-engraved; Dry Printing) Mint Plate 4 block of ten with full plate imprint, from the upper right pane, trivial perf separation in margin only, fresh and seldom seen, Fine NH
(Illustrated on Page 126) Est. 600.00+
$787 \star$ 120, 1925 50c Black Brown (Dry Printing) A precisely centered mint single with brilliant fresh colour and full immaculate original gum; a lovely stamp in premium quality, XF NH
(Illustrated on Page 126) 390.00+


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$788 \quad$ 122, 1925 \$1 Orange (Dry Printing) A highly select mint example, very well centered with large margins, gorgeous colour and full pristine original gum, XF NH
$789 \quad \star \quad$ 122b, 1923 \$1 Deep Orange (Wet Printing) A lovely mint single displaying true deep rich colour and strong, clear impression of the elusive first printing, nicely centered with full unblemished original gum; a tough stamp to find, VF NH

1,600.00
$790 \quad \star \quad 122 \mathrm{~b}, 1923 \$ 1$ Deep Orange (Wet Printing) A beautifully centered mint single of the scarcer wet printing with exceptionally deep colour, showing normal strength Type D (60\%) lathework; attractive and XF LH; ex. "Lindemann" collection

1,000.00+


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$791 \star$ 125iv shade, 1920 (circa.) 1c Dark Yellow Green, Perf 8 Vertically A superb mint single in a beautiful dark rich shade, very well centered with very large margins, intact perforations and full pristine original gum; a great stamp, XF NH GEM

Est. 150.00+
$792 \star$ 130, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Wet Printing), Perf 8 Vertically An impressive mint pair with bright colour, well centered with remarkably large margins, intact perforations and full pristine original gum; difficult to find this nice, $\mathrm{VF}+\mathrm{NH}$
500.00+


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$793 \star$ 135a, 1917 3c Fathers of Confederation A select imperforate pair with fresh colour, ungummed as issued, VF
$794 \star$ 136, 1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet Printing), Imperforate A radiant fresh mint block with Type B lathework of typical strength (40\%), large margins all around and full unblemished original gum without the usual bends so prevalent on these multiples. XF NH

2,250.00+
$795 \star$ 136, 1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet Printing), Imperforate A mint block of four with bright fresh colour, showing normal strength (40\%) Type D inverted lathework, full original gum, VF NH 1,500.00
$796 \star$ 136, 1924 1c Yellow, Die I (Wet Printing), Imperforate A bright fresh mint corner margin block showing normal strength Type D inverted lathework, showing only the faintest trace of a hinge mark on top left stamp, the lower pair is $\mathrm{NH}, \mathrm{VF}$
$1,000.00$
$797 \star$ 138, 1924 3c Carmine, Die I (Dry Printing), Imperforate Mint Plate 128 imprint block of twelve, showing full Type D lathework in lower margin; LH on three stamps in top row, otherwise VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 128) 970.00


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$798 \star$ 139c, v, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die II, One-Line Surcharge A very well centered mint vertical pair of the very elusive Die II, top stamp with large (essay) overprint, lower stamp with provisional surcharge as issued, hinged on top stamp, the valuable and key bottom stamp is XF NH (Cat. for lower stamp alone)

3,000.00+
$799 \star$ 139i, 1926 2c on 3c Carmine, Die I One-Line Surcharge A well centered mint block showing a striking vertical shift of the surcharge, which is positioned almost completely in the margins between stamps; each stamp with small "KB" (K. Bileski) guarantee backstamp. A visually striking block, VF LH
720.00


X801
$800 \star$ 146a-148a, $19275 \mathrm{c}, 12 \mathrm{c}$ \& 20c Historical The set of three mint imperforate pairs with large margins; tiny gum pinch on 12c, VF NH
720.00
$801 \star$ 146b-148b, 1927 5c, 12c \& 20c Historical Issue A well centered mint set of horizontal pairs imperforate vertically, VF NH

KING GEORGE V SCROLL

$802 \star 149 \mathrm{c}, 150 \mathrm{c}, 153 \mathrm{c}, 1928$ 1c, 2c \& 5c King George V Scroll The set of three imperforate tête-bêche booklet panes with side tab margins and narrow ( 4.5 mm ) vertical gutter margin between, fresh with full original gum, never hinged. A lovely set in nicer than what we are accustomed to seeing, VF NH

$803 \star 149 \mathrm{cvi}, 150 \mathrm{cvi}, 153 \mathrm{cvi}, 19281 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{c}$ \& 5c King George V Scroll The set of three mint tête-bêche pairs, each with narrow vertical ( 4.5 mm ) gutter margin between, large margins; tiny tone spot on 1 c , a scarce and sought-after set, VF NH

1,685.00

$804 \star$ 149b-159a, 1928-1929 1c-\$1 King George V Scroll Complete set of eleven mint imperforate blocks of four, disturbed original gum, otherwise a beautiful set with fresh colours, very seldom seen in blocks, VF
$\mathbf{6 , 9 5 0 . 0 0}$
$805 \star$ 149d-154b, 1928-1929 1c-8c King George V Scroll Short set of six horizontal pairs imperforate vertically, selected, fresh and VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 131) 1,350.00
$806 \star$ 149d-154b, 1928-1929 1c-8c King George V Scroll A nicely centered short set of six mint horizontal pairs imperforate vertically, bright fresh colours and full pristine original gum, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 131) 1,350.00


X805


X806


X807
$807 \star$ 149-157, 1928-1929 1c-20c King George V Scroll Issue A bright, fresh mint set to the 20c value in well centered mint blocks of four, post office fresh, VF NH


808 P 151, 1928 3c King George V Scroll Large Die Proof in dark carmine, issued colour, on india paper 75 x 85 , die sunk on card $118 \times 126 \mathrm{~mm}$; the unhardened die without imprint or die number. A fabulous proof in immaculate condition, XF and seldom seen

Est. 500.00+


809 P 155, 1928 10c Mount Hurd A choice Large Die Proof printed in green, colour of issue, on india paper $90 \times 75 \mathrm{~mm}$ die sunk on large card $158 \times 144 \mathrm{~mm}$; the unhardened die without die number or imprint. A beautiful and seldom seen proof ideal for exhibition, VF

Est. 750.00+


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$810 \star 158,1929$ 50c Bluenose A fresh and nicely centered mint example, VF NH $\quad \mathbf{7 0 0 . 0 0}$
$811 \star$ 158a, 1929 50c Bluenose A full margined imperforate mint pair; tiny natural gum inclusion on lower stamp, VF NH

1,500.00


812


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$812 \star$ 158iii, 1929 50c Bluenose An exceptionally well centered example of the sought-after "Man on the Mast" plate variety (Position 58), with post office fresh colour and full original gum showing only a trace of hinging. A superior example seldom encountered with such superb centering ideal for the collector seeking outstanding quality, XF VLH GEM; 2017 Greene Foundation cert.

3,000.00+
$813 \star$ 158iii, 1929 50c Bluenose An attractive mint single showing the sought-after "Man on the Mast" plate variety (Position 58), F-VF LH; 2017 Greene Foundation cert.

2,250.00
$814 \star 159,1929 \$ 1$ Olive Green A choice mint example of this difficult stamp, very well centered with noticeably large margins and full original gum, XF NH
(Illustrated on Page 132) 900.00+


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816
$815 \star$ 159a, 1929 \$1 Parliament A selected, fresh imperforate mint pair with full original gum, VF NH
1,350.00
$816 \star$ 159b, 1929 \$1 Parliament A well centered mint horizontal pair imperforate vertically, sheet margin at right, barest trace of hinging, VF VLH
900.00
$817 \star$ 159c, 1929 \$1 Parliament A precisely centered mint vertical pair imperforate horizontally, with brilliant fresh colour and full pristine original gum, XF NH

1,350.00+

$\mathbf{8 1 8} 1929$ (December 19) Large part of a Bank mailing tag; obverse with clear Winnipeg registered box to addressee at Fort Whyte, Manitoba; reverse franked with a 5c violet, pair of 20c Harvesting Wheat and two vertical pairs of the key \$1 Parliament, all stamps nicely postmarked with Winnipeg DE 1929 CDS. A scarce multiple usage of the high value, F-VF (Unitrade 153, 157, 159)

Est. 200.00+

## KING GEORGE V ARCH


$819 \star$ 163d, 1930 1c Deep Green Arch, Die II A superb example of this elusive imperforate in much superior than normally encountered with large margins and full unblemished original gum, rare in this exceptional condition, XF NH

4,000.00+

$820 \star$ 163d, 1930 1c Deep Green Arch, Die II Left margin imperforate pair, scarce as only 50 pairs exist, VF OG
$821 \star$ 163d, 1930 1c Deep Green, Die II A fresh, large margined imperforate pair with full original gum, relatively lightly hinged. A beautiful example, VF +

## ARCH ISSUE SET OF HIGH VALUE IMPERFORATE PAIRS IN SUPERB MINT NEVER HINGED CONDITION



174a-177a, 1930 12c, 20c, 50c \& \$1 King George V Arch A superb set of four imperforate pairs in GEM quality, each displaying large margins with post office fresh colour and full immaculate original gum, superior attributes seldom encountered on this challenging set, XF NH

10,000.00+

## ARCH ISSUE IMPERFORATE PAIRS IN PRISTINE NH CONDITION THE SET OF FOUR HIGH VALUES



174a-177a, 1930 12c, 20c, 50c \& \$1 King George V Arch The set of four mint imperforate pairs in remarkably choice condition, well-above what we are accustomed to seeing, each with large margins, brilliant fresh colour and full pristine original gum; a lovely and desirable set of these elusive imperforates, VF-XF NH
$10,000.00+$
Only 75 pairs of each denomination were printed; a much smaller number survive in the quality offered here.

$824 \star$ 174, 1930 12c Grey Black Citadel Lower right Plate 1 sheet of 50 ; folded between first and second rows, minor gum wrinkle on two stamps, an elusive sheet in an excellent state of preservation, well centered, VF NH; an extra line of vertical perforations shows in the right margin. (Unitrade cat. $\$ 5,100$ )

Est. 1,000.00+

$825 \quad \star \quad$ 175, 1930 20c Brown Red Harvesting Wheat Upper left Plate 1 sheet of 50; folded between ninth and tenth rows and tiny gum wrinkle on one stamp, well centered and fresh; a very scarce sheet, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$7,140)

Est. 1,500.00+
$826 \star$ 175a, 1930 20c Brown Red Harvesting Wheat Superb mint imperforate pair surrounded by large margins, post office fresh colour and with full immaculate original gum, scarce in such nice quality, XF NH
(Illustrated on Page 139) 2,500.00+
$827 \star$ 175a, 1930 20c Brown Red Harvesting Wheat Mint imperforate block with large margins, light gum disturbance, lovely rich colour and a very scarce multiple, VF OG (Illustrated on Page 139) 2,500.00

$828 \star$ 176, 1930 50c Dull Blue Grand Pré A superb mint single with precise centering amidst well balanced large margins, post office fresh, XF NH; 1999 Greene Foundation cert.
600.00+
$829 \star$ 176, 1930 50c Dull Blue Grand Pré A post office fresh, well centered mint single with full pristine original gum, $\mathrm{VF}+\mathrm{NH}$
600.00

$830 \star$ 177, 1930 \$1 Dark Olive Green Mt. Edith Cavell A premium mint block of four, unusually well centered and exceptionally fresh with full unblemished original gum; a great block of this high value, XF NH

2,400.00
$831 \star$ 177, 1930 \$1 Dark Olive Green Mt. Edith Cavell An amazing mint example with superb centering within large margins, deep rich colour and full pristine original gum; as nice as they come, XF NH GEM
600.00+

## KING GEORGE V


$832 \star$ 197b, 1932 3c Deep Red, Die I, Rotary Press Large margined imperforate pair, brilliant fresh, XF NH

$833 \star$ 201a, 1932 13c Dull Violet Citadel An exceptionally fresh mint imperforate pair with margin at foot, full immaculate original gum, XF NH

1,750.00+


202a, 1933 5c Dark Blue UPU Meeting Top margin mint imperforate block of four, huge margins including sheet margin at top, full original gum, top pair lightly hinged with tiny gum thin, lower pair pristine NH, VF

2,400.00

$835 \star$ 203a, 1933 20c Brown Red Grain Exhibition Overprint A superb mint imperforate block of four, remarkably fresh with large margins and full pristine original gum, never hinged. Very few imperforate blocks remain, especially in such nice quality, XF NH 3,200.00+

$\star$ 204a, 1933 5c Royal William An exceptional mint imperforate block of four with sheet margin at left, brilliant fresh colour and full immaculate original gum, as nice as they come and rarely seen as a block, XF NH

3,200.00+

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208a, 1934 3c Jacques Cartier A choice, post office fresh mint imperforate block of four with full margins, bright colour and full original gum; very few blocks still exist, XF NH

3,200.00+

$838 \star 209$ a, 1934 10c Olive Green Mint imperforate pair with deep rich colour, margin at right; very scarce as only a small number of the 50 pairs that exist are in this superior quality, VF NH

3,500.00
$839 \star$ 210a, 1934 2c Red Brown New Brunswick Seal Unusually choice mint imperforate pair with large even margins, lovely rich colour and full pristine original gum, XF NH

1,485.00

1935 SILVER JUBILEE PLATE PROOF INTERPANNEAU BLOCKS


840 P 211-216, 1935 1c-13c Silver Jubilee The complete set of six plate proof blocks of four in the issued colours on card mounted india paper, all with wide horizontal gutter margins between pairs; the Three cent and Ten cent are considerably rarer than the other denominations. A beautiful and rare set, VF (Unitrade cat. $\$ 3,000+$ as normal proofs only)

Est. 2,500.00 +

$841 \star$ 211a-216b, 1935 1c-13c Silver Jubilee Premium mint set of six imperforate blocks of four, large margins all around, three are sheet marginal, all with bright fresh colours and full original gum; a superb and extremely rare set of imperforate blocks, very few remain intact, XF NH

7,200.00+


$843 \star$ 216i, 1935 13c Royal Yacht, Silver Jubilee Upper right Plate 1 mint pane of 50 stamps, no margin at left, quite well centered and showing the "Shilling Mark" (Position 78) with near very fine centering, F-VF NH (Cat. for variety only)
975.00+


844 P 217-227, 1935 1c-\$1 King George V Pictorial Issue The complete set of eleven plate proof singles, printed in the issued colours on card mounted india paper; the 10 c to $\$ 1$ with matching lower left corner margins, VF-XF

1,800.00

$845 \star 217 \mathrm{c}-227 \mathrm{a}$, 1935 1c-\$1 King George V Pictorial Issue The complete set of eleven mint imperforate pairs; horizontal format for 1 c to 8 c and vertical format for 10 c to $\$ 1$, most with sheet margin on one side, exceptionally fresh colours, full to large margins; faint gum wrinkle on 10c, a lovely set with full original gum, VF-XF NH

5,850.00


846 P 218, 1935 2c King George V Large Die Proof in brown, colour of issue, on large surfaced india paper $99 \times 98 \mathrm{~mm}$, die sunk on full-size card $228 \times 153$; showing die "XG-601" number above design. A very scarce proof in pristine condition, XF

Est. 500.00+

$847 \quad \mathbf{P} \quad$ 219, 1935 3c King George V Large Die Proof printed in rose red, near issued colour on india paper 76 x 79 mm die sunk on vertical format full-size card $152 \times 230 \mathrm{~mm}$; showing die number "XG-579" and Canadian Bank Note Co. Ltd. imprint below design, annotated in pencil "wrong color" at lower right. In immaculate condition and seldom seen, XF


848 P 221, 1935 5c King George V Large Die Proof in blue, colour of issue, on india paper $98 \times 98 \mathrm{~mm}$, die sunk on full-size card $230 \times 153$; showing the small die number "XG-603" above design. A beautiful proof in immaculate condition, XF and very scarce


849 P 222, 1935 8c King George V Large Die Proof in orange, colour of issue, on india paper $99 \times 98 \mathrm{~mm}$, die sunk on full-size card $228 \times 153$; showing the small die number "XG-604" above design. An exceptionally choice proof, ideal for exhibit, XF and very scarce
 choice imperforate vertical pair with large margins, VF-XF NH

3,150.00


P 224, 1935 13c Charlottetown Conference Large Die Proof printed in violet, colour of issue, on india paper $88 \times 75 \mathrm{~mm}$, die sunk on large card $127 \times 134 \mathrm{~mm}$; the unhardened die without die number or imprint and in remarkably choice condition. Very rare as most existing proofs of this denomination are from the hardened state with number \& imprint; no unhardened die proofs were present in the ABNC sale, XF

Est. 1,000.00+

$852 \star$ 225, 1935 20c Olive Green Niagara Falls Lower left Plate 2 mint sheet of 50, lightly folded, well centered and fresh, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$1,760)


853 P 226, 1935 50c Parliament, Victoria B.C. Die Proof printed in deep violet, near issued colour, on india paper $75 \times 65 \mathrm{~mm}$ showing die number "XG-583" and Canadian Bank Note Co. Ltd. imprint below design; much scarcer than the more often seen blue violet and royal blue coloured proofs of this denomination, VF

Est. 600.00+
$854 \star$ 226a, 1935 50c Dull Violet Parliament, Victoria, B.C. An appealing mint imperforate block of four with nearly complete (Ca)nadian Bank Note Co. Ottawa No. 1 plate inscription (from upper left pane). Rare as a maximum of six can exist, VF NH Est. 1,000.00+


227, 1935 \$1 Blue Champlain Statue Lower right mint Plate 1 imprint strip of ten in choice condition, well centered, VF NH

1,350.00


227i, 1935 \$1 Pale Blue Champlain Statue A post office fresh mint Plate 1 block of six from the upper left pane in the paler distinctive shade, well centered with full pristine original gum; as nice as they come, XF NH

1,050.00

## KING GEORGE VI


 number and Canadian Bank Note Company Limited imprint below design. A beautiful proof in pristine condition, XF


237a, 1937 3c Carmine King George VI Coronation Lower left imperforate Plate 1 block of four in remarkably choice condition, minute gum wrinkle in margin only, full original gum NEVER HINGED. Very rare and highly desirable as only two others exist (any position). A wonderful block, VF NH

Est. 3,500.00+


P 241-245, C6, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue + 6c Airmail The complete set of five plate proof pairs including the airmail ( 13 c does not exist), printed in the issued colours on card mounted india paper, all with vertical gutter margin between; a very scarce and striking set of interpanneau pairs, XF (Cat. $\$ 1,600$ as normal pairs only)

Est. 1,000.00+

$861 \star$ 241b-245b, 241c, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue A fabulous and rarely seen set of six mint imperforate blocks of four, including the 10 c rose carmine shade, all with post office bright fresh colours and large margins; 10c dark carmine has a tiny natural inclusions, one stamp of the 20 c and 50 c with very small gum wrinkle, all mentioned for complete accuracy. Very few sets of blocks have survived and surely this is one of the nicest available, VF-XF NH

14,250.00

$862 \star$ 241c-245b, 1938 10c-\$1 Pictorial Issue A superb set of five mint imperforate pairs; 10c is the carmine rose shade and in horizontal format, others in vertical format. All with full to noticeably large margins, bright fresh colours and full original gum; a great set of imperforates, XF LH

4,000.00


241b, 1938 10c Dark Carmine Memorial Chamber A superb mint imperforate pair in the distinctive darker shade, XF NH


864 P 243, 1938 20c Fort Garry Gate Large Trial Colour Die Proof printed in deep green on india paper 86 x 75 mm , die sunk on large card $185 \times 147 \mathrm{~mm}$; showing die number "XG-677" and CBN imprint below design; annotated in pencil "issued in Brown" on reverse. A remarkable coloured proof, very scarce and in pristine condition, XF

Est. 1,000.00+


865 P 243, 244, 245, 1938 20c, 50c \& \$1 Pictorial Issue The three high values of the set in remarkably fresh and choice plate proof blocks of eight with vertical gutter margins between blocks, printed on card mounted india paper. All three in choice condition and rarely seen. A striking trio, XF Est. 2,000.00+


P 245, 1938 \$1 Château de Ramezay Progressive Trial Colour Die Proof printed in dark blue on india paper $89 \times 76 \mathrm{~mm}$ sunk on slightly larger card $113 \times 103 \mathrm{~mm}$; showing an unfinished design lacking some of the shading on sidewalk near entrance as on the issued stamp. A rare and appealing die proof, VF

Est. 1,000.00+


P 245, 1938 \$1 Château de Ramezay Large Trial Colour Die Proof printed in blue on india paper 89 x 75 mm , die sunk on larger card $129 \times 115 \mathrm{~mm}$; showing the die number "XG-679" and CBN imprint below design. A rare coloured proof in immaculate condition, XF

Est. 1,000.00+

$\star \quad$ 245a, $1938 \$ 1$ Aniline Violet Château Ramezay A brilliant fresh mint example of this sought-after pair, imperforate horizontally with sheet margin at right, full original gum, lightly hinged on upper stamp. A very scarce pair originating from the unique sheet, which was unmindfully divided into 12 pairs, one plate block of six $(2 \times 3)$ and six strips of three, VF LH
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$869 \star 245 b, 1938$ \$1 Dull Violet Château Ramezay A fresh imperforate mint pair with large margins, the key pair of the set and certainly among the nicest (only 75 pairs printed), XF NH

1,500.00+

$\star \quad$ 246a-248a, 1939 1c, 2c \& 3c Royal Visit A selected, fresh mint set of imperforate pairs; 1c with margin at left, 2c with lower left corner margin, all with pristine original gum and hard to find as such, VF-XF NH

KING GEORGE VI WAR EFFORT
THE COMPLETE SET OF FOURTEEN IMPERFORATE PAIRS
IN THE HIGHEST ATTAINABLE QUALITY


$\star \quad$ 249d-262a, 1942-1943 1c-\$1 King George VI War Effort A superb mint complete set of imperforate pairs, $\$ 1$ Destroyer with sheet margin at right, ALL OTHERS WITH CORNER MARGINS and large margins on other sides. Exceptionally fresh with full immaculate original gum, NEVER HINGED. One the very finest sets available, XF NH

10,500.00+

$872 \star$ 250d, 1942 2c Brown KGVI War Effort Mint vertical strip of three "imperforate" horizontally showing only a faint trace of blind perfs (as listed in the Unitrade specialized catalogue) between sheet margin and top pair; negligible flaws as normally found on this variety. A rare perforation variety, Fine NH; clear 2017 Greene Foundation cert.
$\mathbf{2 , 2 5 0 . 0 0}$

$873 \star 252$ i, 1943 3c Rose Violet KGVI War Effort A fabulous mint interpanneau gutter margin pair, unusually well centered for this challenging pair and among the very best of only 20 existing pairs, XF NH; 2017 Greene Foundation cert.

5,250.00+
$874 \star$ 253a, 1942 4c Grain Elevators War Effort Pristine fresh imperforate mint pair, VF NH
$875 \star$ 256a, 1942 8c Farm Scene War Effort Choice and full even margined imperforate mint pair, VF+ NH
600.00

P 260, 1942 20c Corvette War Effort Large Die Proof in chocolate, colour of issue, on india paper 83 x 69 mm die sunk on large card $159 \times 120 \mathrm{~mm}$; showing die "XG-747" number and CBN imprint below design. A rare proof perfect for a serious KGVI collection, VF
(Illustrated on Page 161) Est. 1,000.00+
270, 1946 (14c) Hydroelectric Station Progressive Large Die Proof in black WITHOUT VALUE TABLETS, on india paper $72 \times 62 \mathrm{~mm}$, sunk on full-size card $227 \times 152 \mathrm{~mm}$; without die number or imprint. A spectacular and extremely rare proof ideal for an advanced collection, XF
(Illustrated on Page 161) Est. 1,500.00+



$878 \star 271$ variety, 1946 20c Slate Black Lower right mint Plate 2 block of four showing a dramatic shift of the horizontal perforation lines ( 5 mm down and slanting), the imprint is shifted into the lower pair as a result; a most appealing perforation variety, mint NH

Est. 500.00+


879 P 290, 1950 2c King George VI "POSTES - POSTAGE" Omitted Large Trial Colour Die Proof in red brown on card mounted india paper, showing die number "XG886" and CBN imprint; archival adhesive mounting marks on reverse, a very scarce KGVI proof, VF

Est. 500.00+
880 P 293, 1950 5c King George VI "POSTES - POSTAGE" Omitted Progressive Trial Colour Die Proof in black - an unfinished design lacking the background diagonal lines, numerous shading in the King's portrait, no shading around secret date at right, etc., on card mounted india paper $64 \times 68 \mathrm{~mm}$; pencil signed by engraver "J. Hay" and annotated " $35-50 / 35$ " at bottom. A remarkable and very rare progressive proof, perfect for a serious KGVI collection, VF (Illustrated on Page 163) Est. 1,000.00+

881 P 293, 1950 5c King George VI "POSTES - POSTAGE" Omitted Large Die Proof in deep blue, colour of issue on india paper mounted on card $75 \times 73 \mathrm{~mm}$; showing die number "XG-881" and CBN imprint; an unusually nice and very scarce KGVI proof, VF (Illustrated on Page 163) Est. 500.00+

882 P 315, 1951 4c Royal Visit Die Proof printed in violet, colour of issue, on card mounted india paper 73 x 60 mm ; showing die number "XG-957" and CBN imprint; archival adhesive marks on reverse.
A rarely encountered proof, VF
Est. 750.00+
883 P 316, 1952 20c Forestry Products Large Trial Colour Die Proof in bistre brown on card mounted india paper; the unhardened die without imprint or die number. Reverse shows the usual archival adhesive from being originally mounted on printer's archival card or ledger. A striking and very rare item, VF
(Illustrated on Page 163) Est. 500.00+



## ELIZABETHAN

 MODERN ERRORS AND VARIETIES
$884 \star$ 387a, 1959 5c St. Lawrence Seaway An impressive mint single of the popular INVERTED SEAWAY PRINTING ERROR, remarkably well centered with brilliant fresh colours and full pristine original gum; select attributes that are difficult to find on this sought-after major error, VF+ NH

12,500.00
Expertization: 1977 \& 2010 PF and 2015 Greene Foundation certificates


387a, 1959 5c St. Lawrence Seaway A selected mint single of the famous INVERTED SEAWAY ERROR, precisely and unusually well centered, couple minute nibbed perfs at left mentioned for the record, full unblemished original gum, NEVER HINGED, VF NH

12,500.00

## AN EXTREMELY RARE AND VERY FINE USAGE OF THE INVERTED SEAWAY STAMP ON A POSTCARD ONLY THREE OTHER SUCH USAGES HAVE BEEN DOCUMENTED



886 《
1959 (September 3) Smith Falls, Ontario picture postcard bearing a remarkable franking consisting of a 5 cent INVERTED SEAWAY ERROR, well centered with bright fresh colours, intact perforations and in flawless condition, clearly tied by Smiths Falls 3 IX 1959 machine datestamp and sent to Toronto. A very rare use of the sought-after invert error on a postcard, VF (Unitrade 387a; cat. $\$ 25,000$ - no distinction given for use on cover or on postcard)

Est. 10,000.00+
According to the Jamieson \& Verge census (published 2009) only thirteen covers and three postcards have been recorded with the error. The card offered here has never previously been documented. Interestingly enough three covers are also postmarked at Smiths Falls, September 3, 5 and 13.

image scan has been slightly cropped at top due to its large size
$887 \quad \star \quad 1967$ (circa.) Undenominated "Baby Sisters" BABN Test Stamps Interpanneau sheet of 200 stamps on wove paper with Davac gum, perforated and partially imperforate, tête-bêche, transitional colours between blue and green with missing ink and gutter margin varieties displayed throughout. A very rare intact and visually striking sheet - a precursor to the BABN Centennial issue booklets, VF NH


* 455xx, 1967 2c Green, DF Paper, DEX Gum Wholesale lot of 15 matched sets of corner blocks of four, all precancelled (Bar Type - Style X), VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$10,800)


889 P 492, 1969 50c Suzor-Côté The complete set of seven trial colour plate proofs printed on thick bond paper - in yellow, magenta, cyan, brown (inscriptions), orange, the complete painting and the finished proof, VF, seldom seen complete
$\mathbf{1 , 5 0 0 . 0 0}$


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891
$890 \star$ 503a, 1969 (6c) Christmas - Children Praying A premium example of this striking error showing the omitted black colour, nicely centered with pristine original gum; scarce this nice, VF NH; 2015 Greene Foundation cert.
$891 \star$ 503a, 1969 (6c) Christmas - Children Praying Left margin mint single showing the scarce missing colour error, small spot of gum disturbance, VF NH; 2015 Greene Foundation cert.

2,500.00

$892 \star 518$ Footnote, 1970 6c Group of Seven Matched set of blank corner blocks with a striking misperforation error with horizontal perforations shifted brown and slightly slanting, resulting in extra Canada 6 on top margin of the upper blocks, lower blocks with large void panel - without inscriptions. Couple minor gum wrinkles and tiny adhesion spot. An incredible perforation shift on a unique set of corner blocks, VF NH

Est. 750.00+


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$893 \star$ 537i, 1971 (7c) Maple Leaves in Autumn A rare mint example showing grey inscriptions completely omitted, in pristine condition with intact perforations all around and very well centered. Among the rarest missing colour errors as only one pane of 50 was ever found, XF NH; 1984 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00
$894 \quad \star \quad 591$ vi, 1973 6c Lester B. Pearson A lovely lower right margin corner block of eight, blank without imprint as issued and showing the elusive part imperforate error; in pristine condition and very scarce, VF NH

1,750.00


895 P 610, 1972 8c Cornelius Krieghoff A spectacular large Die Proof on white glazed paper $110 \times 96 \mathrm{~mm}$; design surrounded by guidelines along with colour bars at foot. Annotated in pen "17-7-72" and "Jan 17, May 3". An exceedingly rare modern era die proof, in fact the only one we recall seeing, VF

Est. 500.00+

$896 \star$ 615a, 1973 8c Jeanne Mance An exceedingly rare multiple of the PRINTED ON THE GUM SIDE ERROR, a lower left corner margin block, blank without imprint as issued. A fabulous positional block in pristine condition; a very elusive modern error of which only 24 examples were ever found, one of only two known blocks of four, F-VF NH; photocopy of 2012 Greene Foundation certificate for a block of twenty from which this block originates.

4,500.00


897 P 649, 1974 15c Universal Postal Union Centenary British American Bank Note Engraved Die Proof in dark blue on glossy thick white wove paper measuring $75 \times 97 \mathrm{~mm}$, with uncleared guidelines, die "P72" number at top; most appealing and very rare, VF

Est. 500.00+
663ai, 1975 8c Dr. Chown \& Cook Mint se-tenant block of ten ( 2 x 5 ) showing the very rare DOUBLE PAPER variety, from a paste-up by the printer across the third row. Only five blocks exist, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 171) 1,000.00


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$899 \star$ 693b, 1976 8c Royal Military College Centenary A scarce, full margined imperforate pair, untagged; very scarce as only 25 pairs exist, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 172) 3,000.00
$900 \star$ 693c, 1976 8c Royal Military College Centenary Mint vertical block of ten ( $2 \times 5$ ) imperforate vertically and horizontally through second row of stamps due to a major perforation shift. Striking and rarely seen, VF NH

1,500.00


704a, 1977 (25c) Queen Elizabeth II Silver Jubilee A selected mint example with silver foil " 25 " completely missing and untagged in error; a very scarce modern error, VF NH

1,500.00

$902 \star$ 709a, 1977 4c Hepatica (CBN Printing), Perf 12x12 $1 / 2$ Lower right corner block of four PRINTED ON THE GUM SIDE, without imprint as issued; only two other corner blocks exist from the only sheet ever found. Small dull area in right margin from testing to ascertain its printed on gum side status, F-VF NH

2,000.00


903


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714a, 1977 12c Blue Parliament Top margin mint block of four printed on the gum side; a very scarce multiple with most of the less than 100 known being singles, VF NH

1,600.00

$904 \star$ 714iii, 1977 12c Parliament (BABN Printing; Coated Paper) Mint block of sixteen ( $2 \times 8$ ) showing the very rare DOUBLE PAPER variety, from a repair paste-up across the third to fifth rows. Only five such blocks exist, VF NH
$\mathbf{1 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$905 \star$ 715b, 1978 (14c) Parliament Lower left corner block of four with the very striking all colour omitted error, shows only the characteristic traces of albino embossing (shifted). The only known such positional block from the sole sheet found, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 172) 2,500.00

$906 \star 716 c, 1978$ 14c "White Queen" A striking mint example in pristine condition with red colour and tagging completely omitted, VF NH

2,000.00
$907 \star \operatorname{716c}, 1978 \mathbf{1 4 c}$ "White Queen" A choice mint example of this dramatic modern error - red colour completely omitted and untagged, VF NH

2,000.00
$908 \quad \star \quad 716 i, 1978$ 14c Cameo Queen Mint block of twenty ( $2 \times 10$ ) showing a distinctive and rarely seen DOUBLE PAPER variety, from a repair paste-up across the fifth to seventh rows. Only five such blocks exist, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 173) 1,000.00

$909 \star$ 723Ab, 1978 50c Prairie Street Scene Select mint example of the "Ghost Town" error - brown engraving being complete missing, sheet margin at right. A striking and popular modern error, VF NH

3,000.00


726b, 1979 (\$1) Fundy National Park (Plate 2 - Untagged) Upper left blank corner block with black (engraving) completely omitted; light gum wrinkle on lower right stamp. A very scarce positional block of this striking missing colour error, F-VF NH

4,000.00


## 911

$911 \star$ 726b, 1981 (\$1) Fundy National Park (Plate 2 - Untagged) Mint single with black (engraving) completely omitted with sheet margin at right, VF NH
750.00
$912 \star \quad 726 \mathrm{iii}, 1981 \$ 1$ Fundy National Park (Plate 2 - Untagged) A choice mint example displaying a dramatic double printing (kiss print) of the engraved inscriptions - reversed \& inverted, the result of a major paper fold during the printing process. In pristine condition and the most prominent examples of this variety we recall offering, VF NH

1,000.00+

$913 \star$ 741b, 1977 10c Christmas - Angelic Choir Upper left blank corner block of four with the PRINTED ON THE GUM SIDE MAJOR ERROR, minor wrinkling from postal clerk accounting, a rare positional block, VF NH

5,000.00


744-747 variety, 1977 12c Sailing Vessels Left margin mint se-tenant block with a major shift of the lithography ( 5 colours) and tagging ( 5 mm to left), black engraving and perforations are both in their normal position to dramatic effect, results as well in a one-bar tagging variety, VF NH Est. 200.00+


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$915 \star$ 749b, 1977 12c Inuit - Hunting Mint se-tenant pair with grey (inscriptions) colour completely missing on the top stamp and untagged. A very scarce missing colour error in flawless condition, XF NH

3,000.00

$916 \star \quad$ 752i, 1978 12c Peregrine Falcon Mint vertical strip of four with Repellex Error on the centre pair MISSING THE MAGENTA COLOUR resulting in the falcon being yellow green instead of slate blue. A rare and striking multiple, VF NH and under-catalogued in our view; with copy of 1996 Greene Foundation cert. for a block from which this originates.

2,000.00
774a, 1978 14c Christmas - Virgin \& Child Painting A pristine mint single with black colour omitted, VF NH The secret date "C1978" printed in black found below the "14" denomination on the issued stamp is missing on the error.


918 〇 818c, 1979 17c Canadian Authors Left margin se-tenant block in sound condition, right pair partially imperforate and left pair completely imperforate, used with clear Ste. Julie 16 IX 79 CDS postmarks; rarely encountered and most striking, VF (Cat. as mint; unpriced used)

2,500.00
Only one other used block of four and one defective used block of eight are known.

$919 \star$ 865a, 1980 35c Uranium A choice mint single of the very scarce PRINTED ON THE GUM SIDE ERROR. Only a part sheet (a mere 30 copies) were found in the Winnipeg area in 1980. Missing from many advanced collections and undervalued in our opinion, VF NH
$\mathbf{1 , 2 5 0 . 0 0}$

$920 \star$ 878i, 1981 (17c) Antique Mandora The visually striking triple error - printed on the gum side, missing gold inscriptions and untagged, in noticeably superior condition, VF NH
$\mathbf{2 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$921 \star$ 907a, 1980 Non-Denominated "A" Maple Leaf (CBN Printing; Uncoated Paper) A choice, well centered mint single with the seldom seen PRINTED ON GUM SIDE ERROR; very scarce error as only 27 examples exist, VF NH; 2008 Greene Foundation certificate for a block of twelve from which it originates.
$\mathbf{1 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$922 \star 907$ variety, 1981 " $A$ " Non-Denominated Maple Leaf (CBN Printing; Uncoated Paper) Mint block of forty ( $4 \times 10$ ) showing a major double perforation error running through centre columns from third to tenth row. A most striking and, no doubt, very rare perforation error, VF NH
(Illustrated on Page 173) Est. 500.00+

$923 \star$ 918b, 1984 2c Fishing Spear (CBN Printing) A superb mint imperforate pair originating from the foot of a sheet. Only two such sheets were found (maximum of ten pairs), XF NH (Cat. as part imperf block)

2,750.00

$924 \star \quad 924 c, 1983$ 32c "Maple Leaf in Winter" The striking modern error with beige background colour being complete completely and untagged, VF NH

1,500.00
925
$\star \quad 924 \mathrm{c}, 1983$ 32c "Maple Leaf in Winter" A striking missing colour error - the beige background colour being completely omitted, also untagged, in pristine condition, VF NH


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$926 \star$ 934a, 1984 (\$1) Glacier National Park A pristine mint single with blue (engraving) completely omitted, unusually well centered, most of the 75 examples known are off-center to some degree, XF NH
$\mathbf{1 , 2 5 0 . 0 0}$
$927 \star$ 934a, 1984 (\$1) Glacier National Park A choice mint single with blue (engraving) completely omitted, unusually well centered, VF+ NH; 2012 Greene Foundation cert.

1,250.00


* 934 variety, 1984 \$1 Glacier National Park A most amazing perforation shift on a matched set of blank corner blocks (originating from a unique sheet), displaying horizontal perforations running ( 17 mm down) through centre of each stamp to a most dramatic effect, both lower corner blocks as a result shows large "void" area on the lower pairs. An incomparable perforation shift and one of the best we have ever seen on any Canadian stamps, mint NH

Est. 2,500.00+


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$929 \star$ 935a, 1982 (\$1.50) Waterton Lakes A well centered, choice mint example with black inscriptions omitted - shows only the customary albino impression found on the unique sheet from which this example comes from (Position 9 in the sheet of 25). One of the rarest modern errors of Canadian definitive stamps issued in the last 60-70 years, VF NH; photocopy of 1982 Greene Foundation cert. for the unique sheet and 1997 Greene Foundation cert. (identified as old number 935i)

7,500.00

Interestingly enough, only the first four columns ( 20 stamps ) from the unique pane of 25 stamps had missing inscriptions. The remaining five stamps show "CANADA" with traces of black engraving.
$\star$ 936a, 1985 (\$2) Banff National Park A choice mint example with bluish green (engraving) completely omitted, F-VF NH and scarce

1,500.00

## THE UNIQUE MATCHED SET OF CORNER BLOCKS PRINTED ON THE GUM SIDE ERROR



981a, 1983 32c World University Games A spectacular and UNIQUE matched set of blank corner blocks of four PRINTED ON THE GUM SIDE ERROR - originating from the only sheet of 50 ever found. In pristine condition, lower right corner block with postal clerk accounting mark in the margin. An incredible set which accounts for a third of all known examples - even a single of this is very elusive and rarely offered on the market, VF NH; each block with 1986 Greene Foundation cert.

$932 \star$ 996a, 1983 32c Nickel A select mint example with omitted silver foil "NICKEL" omitted in error and untagged, VF NH
900.00
$933 \star$ 996ii, 1983 32c Nickel Two mint examples with major shift of the silver foil NICKEL inscriptions one is shifted 7 mm up and other shifted 7 mm down and slightly slanting, a visually striking duo, VF NH

1,000.00

$934 \star 1181 c, 1989$ (\$1) Runnymede Library A pristine mint single missing the dark blue engraved inscriptions, shows only an albino impression as do all of the very few that exist, VF NH $\quad \mathbf{2 , 5 0 0 . 0 0}$

$\star$ 1250ii, 1989 38c Canadian Infantry Regiments Matched set of plate inscription blocks of four; due to technical difficulties at the printer only a very small amount of plate blocks exist, VF NH $\quad \mathbf{1 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$

$936 \star$ 1259b, 1989 33c Christmas - Winter Landscapes Mint horizontal pair from the Greetmore booklet, imperforate vertically between and rarely seen - a total of three booklets panes are reported with this error, two of which have been split up for pairs (total of 10), VF NH

3,000.00

$937 \star$ 1278a, 1990 (39c) Canadian Flag Lower margin mint example in pristine condition, omitted silver inscriptions and untagged, rare with only one pane of 16 stamps reported, VF NH

3,000.00

$938 \star 1364$ Footnote, 1992 (circa.) 86c Delicious Apple (Ashton-Potter Limited) Imperforate essay pair with 86 c denomination instead of the issued 49 c ; large margined and in pristine condition, scarce and striking, VF NH
$\mathbf{2 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
The 86c stamp was eventually issued with a Bartlett Pear design.


1372 Footnote, 1992 (circa.) 49c Bartlett Pear (Ashton-Potter Limited) Imperforate essay pair with 49c denomination in the design of the issued 86 cent; large margined and in pristine condition; an elusive and visually striking pair, VF NH

2,000.00
The 49c stamp was issued with the Delicious Apple design instead.

$\star \quad 1375$ b variety, 1995 \$1 Court House (CBN Printing), Per 13.3x13 Lower right blank corner block with a dramatic shift ( 12 mm up) of the dark blue engraved inscriptions, resulting in the CANADA $\$ 1$ imprint being shown at foot of top pair and missing on lower pair, which only shows a small imprint "hidden" at centre of the building. A great variety, VF NH

Est. 750.00+


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$941 \star$ 1375c, 1995 (\$1) Court House (CBN Printing), Perf 13.3x13 Lower right corner margin mint single with the dark blue engraved inscriptions completely omitted, in pristine condition and very scarce (only 25 examples are known from this printing), VF NH
$\mathbf{2 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$942 \star$ 1376a, 1994 (\$2) Provincial Normal School (Leigh-Mardon Printing), Perf $141 / 2 \times 14$ Pristine mint example with dark green (engraving) completely omitted, very scarce as only 68 examples have been reported, VF NH

1,500.00


1376b, 1995 \$2 Provincial Normal School (CBN Printing), Perf 13.3x13 A pristine mint single showing the INVERTED ENGRAVED INSCRIPTIONS ERROR, well centered and exceptional in all respects, XF NH

12,000.00
Only four sheets were discovered with inverted inscriptions. Seventy stamps show this error, the remaining thirty are mostly without stamp design or show cutting guides and colour bars instead and are occasionally offered in se-tenant vertical pairs or strips of three. As a result of examples kept intact within se-tenant multiples, less than 50 examples of the fully printed stamps are still available; far rarer than the famous Seaway invert.


1376d, 1995 (\$2) Provincial Normal School (CBN Printing), Perf 13.3x13 A choice mint example with dark green engraved inscriptions completely omitted. An elusive stamp (only 25 examples are known from this printing), VF NH

2,000.00


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$945 \star$ 1441a, 1992 42c ANIK E2 Satellite A remarkable mint single showing the MISSING SILVER error; only about 20 examples have been reported making it considerably scarcer than its more publicized companion - the missing hologram error, VF NH

3,750.00

$947 \star$ 1499b, 1993 43c Christmas - Santa Claus Mint horizontal pair imperforate vertically between, sheet margin at foot, scarce, VF NH
$1,600.00$


1545a, 1995 88c Masterpieces of Canadian Art - Floraison A pristine mint single with gold foil omitted, the surrounding frame is white instead of the issued gold. A striking and very scarce modern error - only 32 stamps (two panes) are known, VF NH
$2,000.00$

$949 \star$ 1673ii, 2001 1c Bookbinding (CBN Printing) Mint block of eight MISSING GREY COLOUR with numeral "1" being white instead, shows complete UPC barcode in lower margin at foot - a unique positional block originating from the only sheet ever found with this error, VF NH; copy of 2010 Greene Foundation certificate for the sheet from which this block originates. (Unitrade cat. for singles alone)

3,200.00
$950 \star$ 1676a, 2005 4c Oyster Farming (CBN Printing) Upper right imperforate plate imprint block of four, in choice condition and rarely seen (only one sheet reported) making this a unique positional block, VF NH (Cat. as two pairs only)

2,500.00

## AN EXCEPTIONAL MODERN MISSING COLOUR ERROR IN IMMACULATE MINT NEVER HINGED CONDITION


$951 \star$ 1693a, 2003 \$5 "Missing Moose" The impressive major error, completely missing the engraved colours comprising the moose, grass and trees. In pristine condition and showing the upper right plate imprint; an important and wonderful modern error, XF NH

7,500.00+


1767a, 1999 46c Lunar New Year - Year of the Rabbit Upper left plate inscription block of four, completely missing the red colour and untagged; as a result the background is yellow instead of orange and the bottom panel being mauve instead of carmine. A rare plate block with this striking missing colour error, VF NH; 2007 Greene Foundation cert. (Unitrade cat. for singles only; unpriced as a plate block)

5,000.00


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$953 \star$ 1836a, 2000 46c Lunar New Year - Year of the Dragon A pristine mint single with RED COLOUR OMITTED, untagged; a very scarce modern error missing from even advanced collections, VF NH; copy of 2008 Greene Foundation certificate for a block from which it originates.

1,500.00

$954 \star$ 1878a, 2000 (47c) Stylized Maple Leaf, Self-Adhesive Mint coil pair with blue inscriptions completely omitted, choice and scarce, VF NH

1,800.00
$955 \star$ 1883a, 2001 47c Lunar New Year - Year of the Snake Lower left plate imprint example with gold colour (Chinese symbol) omitted and untagged - gold band along left edge of the margin and gold palette from "traffic lights" are also missing. A striking modern error, VF NH
$\mathbf{2 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$


1932a, 2002 48c Golden Jubilee A choice mint imperforate pair with sheet margin at right and large margins on other sides, VF NH

1,800.00


2001c, 2003 48c National Emblems Imperforate upper left plate imprint block, in choice condition. Very scarce as only five panes of 16 ( 20 plate blocks) can exist, VF NH

2,500.00

$958 \star$ 2011ai variety, 2004 49c Flag over Edmonton (CBN Printing), Self-Adhesive Two adjacent die cut booklets with a spectacular miscut error resulting in tête-bêche gutter margin pairs, partially complete and displaying major tagging varieties on both panes. Most striking and highly unusual, mint NH

Est. 750.00+
2083a, 2005 50c Lunar New Year - Year of the Rooster Choice mint example of this striking error RED COLOUR OMITTED, from the unique sheet of 25 stamps, very scarce, VF NH

2,000.00

$960 \star 2206 i i, 2007$ 52c Lilacs Mint imperforate souvenir sheet; rarely offered with a mere few known, VF NH 3,000.00

$961 \star 2348$ variety, 2010 " $\mathbf{P "}^{\prime \prime}$ (Permanent) Lunar New Year - Year of the Tiger Mint sheet of twentyfive with an incomparable major DOUBLE PERFORATION ERROR. Sheet was folded at various angles prior being perforated a second time in error resulting a stunning, highly unusual and without question, unique perforation error, VF NH

Est. 750.00+

## AIRMAIL \& SPECIAL DELIVERY


$962 \star \quad$ C1, 1928 5c Brown Olive Airmail Upper left mint Plate 2 pane of 50 with full imprint at top, nicely centered, fresh and with full original gum; faint natural gum wrinkle on one stamp and natural paper inclusion in selvedge. VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$2,110 as stamps only)

Est. 500.00+

$963 \star$ C5b, 1935 6c Red Brown Airmail A choice mint imperforate block with sheet margin at left, brilliant fresh colour and full original gum; exceptional quality, XF NH

2,400.00


964 P C6, 1938 6c Blue Monoplane over Mackenzie River Airmail Plate proof block of four printed in the issued colour on card mounted india paper, showing vertical gutter margin between pairs. Only a small number of interpanneau proof blocks exist, XF and appealing

1,200.00


* C6a, 1938 6c Blue Monoplane over Mackenzie River Airmail A large margined mint imperforate block of four with sheet margin at top, bright fresh colour, tiny moisture spot on lower left stamp, otherwise XF NH; only three sheets (75 pairs) were printed.

$966 \star$ C7a, 1942 6c Blue War Effort Airmail Upper right mint imperforate Plate 1 block of four in immaculate condition, with bright colour and full pristine original gum, never hinged. Exceedingly rare as only two others exist. A fabulous showpiece from this popular KGVI series, XF NH; the other two known imperforate plate blocks are Plate 1 UR and LR.

Est. 4,000.00+

$967 \star$ C7a, 1942 6c Blue War Effort Airmail A large margined mint imperforate pair in immaculate condition, seldom seen this nice, XF NH

1,200.00+


968 CL6 essay, 1926 (March 6) Rolling Portage - Red Lake flight cover franked with a well centered 3c carmine, Die I Admiral tied by Rolling Portage MR 6 split ring; on reverse Jack V. Elliot Air Service (25c) red on yellow zig-zag lines affixed over a partially removed unofficial flight essay, tied by Rolling Portage MR 6 split ring departure and oval Kenora Received MAR 61926 Red Lake cachet in blue on arrival; forwarded to Kitchener with MR 19 CDS receiver, VF

Est. 200.00+
969 CL19b, 1927 (June 21) Haileybury - Rouyn Flight; a clean cover from Richmond Hill, Ont. franked 1c yellow Admiral pair postmarked by light JUN 17 duplex and (50c) Patricia Airways, Style Two with 10c overprint (Type A) in deep red neatly tied on arrival by Rouyn JUN 23 CDS; clear Haileybury JUN 21 departure CDS backstamp, VF
900.00


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$970 \quad \star \quad$ CL20, 1927 (September 1) (50c) Patricia Airways, Style Two A fresh mint example with ascending 5c overprint (Type B) in black; faint printing ink offset on gum as often seen, VF NH
$971 \star$ CL20b, 1927 (September 1) (50c) Patricia Airways, Style Two A selected mint example with bright colours on fresh paper, well centered and showing an ascending 5c overprint (Type B) in red; a difficult stamp to obtain in such pristine condition, XF NH
$1,500.00$

$972 \quad \star \quad$ CL42, 1927 25c Blue Yukon Airways \& Explorations Co. Ltd An unusually well centered mint booklet pane of 10 with intact margin tab at top, VF+ NH
750.00


973 CL43, 1928 (March 9) Rainbow Lake - Sioux Lookout with Maple Leaf flight cachet; a clean flight cover bearing 2c Confederation and a (10c) Patricia Airways Ltd tied by airline unframed handstamp with manuscript "Rainbow Lake" and clean Sioux Lookout MR 928 receiver CDS on back; only 25 covers carried on this flight, VF (AAMC CL43-2802f)

Est. 200.00+


974 P CL48P, 1930 (10c) "AIR FEE" Commercial Airways Ltd. Plate proof set of all six colours - black, orange, deep carmine, green, violet and lemon yellow on thick glazed card, imperforate and ungummed; each with matching upper right corner margin, VF

2,000.00
975 CL51, 1934 (July 13) Registered airmail cover Fort McMurray to Montreal, franked with (10c) light blue \& orange (1st Printing) Canadian Airways Ltd. along with airmail C2 pair and C4 tied by large circular Registered JUL 131934 Fort McMurray, Alberta datestamps in purple, same-ink registered box handstamp and additional dispatch CDS; on reverse a myriad of transit postmarks with Canadian RPOs and US transits before arrival in Montreal July 17. Pilot-signed at left, a very scarce commercial \& registered use of the Canadian Airways Ltd. airmail, VF (Illustrated on Page 195) Est. 300.00+


975


976 E1, 1898 10c Blue Green Plate proof single in the colour of the first printing on card mounted india paper, large even margins all around and superb, XF
$\mathbf{1 , 0 0 0 . 0 0}$
$977 \star$ E2, 1926 20c Carmine (Dry Printing) A remarkable mint example, precisely centered with wellbalanced large margins, lovely rich colour and full immaculate original gum, XF NH
450.00+


E3a, b, c, 1927 20c Orange A nice select set of three mint pairs - imperforate with large portion of guideline arrow in sheet margin at foot, horizontal pair imperforate vertically and vertical pair imperforate horizontally; all three fresh and VF NH

$979 \star$ E5a, 1932 20c Henna Brown A brilliant, fresh and remarkably choice mint imperforate pair, sheet margin at top and large margins on other sides, with full pristine original gum, XF NH $\mathbf{1 , 6 0 0 . 0 0}$


980 P E6, 1935 20c Carmine Plate proof block of four in the issued colour, printed on card mounted india paper with vertical gutter interpanneau margin between pairs; vertical fold at centre as do all known examples. Rarely seen, VF


$982 \star$ E6a, 1935 20c Dark Carmine Mint imperforate pair in pristine condition with large margins, VF+ NH 1,400.00


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$983 \star$ E8a, 1938 20c Dark Carmine A selected mint imperforate pair with large margins, exceptionally fresh, XF NH

1,400.00+
$984 \star$ E10a, 1942 10c Green A superb imperforate mint pair with huge margins and immaculate original gum, XF NH

1,200.00+

## REGISTERED LETTER STAMP \& POSTAGE DUE



F1b, 1889 2c Rose Carmine A marvelous mint example of this elusive, short-lived Montreal Gazette printing, colour and impression characteristic of the later months of 1889, displaying superb centering with large margins, gorgeous rich colour and full original gum. Very seldom encountered in such premium condition, XF NH; 1986 Greene Foundation cert.

1,500.00+


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$986 \quad \star \quad$ F1d, 1870s 2c Dull Orange, Perf $12 \times 111 / 2$ A nicely centered mint example of the scarce perforation with large part characteristic dull white streaky original gum associated with early Montreal printings. A very difficult stamp to find in mint condition, VF OG; 1993 Greene Foundation cert.
800.00
$987 \quad \star \quad$ F2d, 1877 5c Green, Perf $12 \times 111 / 2$ A reasonably well centered example of this rare perforation gauge, unused with traces of gum, minute corner perf crease, often missing from even advanced collections; in fact, according to Harrison, Arfken and Lussey they were only able to find (a combined total of over 100 years of searching) about 20 copies (mint, used or on cover), Fine+; 1996 Greene Foundation cert.
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$988 \star$ F2i, 1880s 5c Green, Perf 12 Post office fresh mint, vivid colour, nicely centered and with full original gum, VF NH
$989 \star$ F2ii, variety, 1880s 5c Yellowish Green, Perf 12 A nicely centered mint single with wide margins, showing a prominent Re-entry (Plate II; Position 83) with visible doubling in second "A" of "CANADA" in "S" of "REGISTERED" and guideline through "R" of "LETTER", bright colour with full original gum; a very scarce plate variety in mint condition, VF NH

Est. 750.00+

$990 \quad \star \quad$ F3a, 1875-1877 8c Bright Blue, Perf 12 A bright mint example of this difficult stamp, precise centering, lovely fresh colour and possessing a large portion of its dull, white \& streaky original gum, $\mathrm{VF}+\mathrm{OG}$

$991 \quad \star \quad$ J2, 1917 2c Violet (Wet Printing) A remarkably fresh mint single with sharp impression and showing full strength Type A lathework, full immaculate original gum. Seldom seen with such overall freshness, F-VF NH

2,500.00
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J2a, 1924 2c Violet Thin Yellowish Paper (Wet Printing) A selected mint example with nearly full strength Type D lathework in left margin, well centered and scarce, VF OG

1,600.00


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993 © J2, 1921 2c Dull Violet on Medium Wove Paper (Wet Printing) Upper left corner margin block of four showing the rare Type D ( $40 \%$ strength) lathework, originating from Plate 4; a striking multiple still retaining its original gum, postmarked with well-struck St. Roch de Quebec AU 623 circular datestamps. Among the rarest of all listed lathework varieties, Fine + CDS
$994 \star$ J11a, 1934 1c Dark Violet (Third Issue) Imperforate block of four with sheet margin at top, brilliant fresh and with full pristine original gum, XF NH
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## WAR TAX \& OFFICIAL



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$996 \star$ MR2B, 1915 5c Dark Blue, WAR TAX Overprint in Black A superb mint example with precise centering and very large margins, dark rich colour, XF LH
400.00+
$997 \star \quad$ MR2C, 1915 20c Olive Green, WAR TAX Overprint in Black Mint example with extremely fine centering amidst superior size margins, deep colour and full unblemished original gum. An absolute GEM that really stands out, XF NH
720.00+
$998 \quad \star \quad$ MR2C, 1915 20c Olive Green, WAR TAX Overprint in Black Mint Plate 3 imprint strip of three, quite well centered, folded along perfs between stamps and sheet margin, with full pristine original gum, F-VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$1,380 for singles only)

Est. 500.00+

$999 \quad \star \quad$ MR2D, 1915 50c Black, WAR TAX Overprint in Red An attractive and rarely seen mint Plate 1 block of eight, Printing Order " 88 " etched out with part of "1(93)" number at right; a few split perfs and light hinging in margin only of no importance; stamps are fresh mint NH. Very few plate multiples of the key 50c War Tax have survived, Fine+ (Unitrade \$3,600 for singles alone)

Est. 750.00+

$1000 \star \quad$ MR3a, 1916 2c+1c Dark Carmine, Die II War Tax An extremely well centered mint example of the elusive die, rich colour and full unblemished original gum, XF NH

1,200.00+
$1001 \star \quad$ MR3b, 1916 2c+1c Rose Red, Die I War Tax An exceptionally fresh and very well centered mint single printed in a beautiful, distinctive shade, full immaculate original gum; a great stamp in all respects, XF NH
225.00+


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$1002 \star \quad$ MR4, 1917 2c+1c Brown, Die II War Tax A remarkably fresh mint single showing a superb impression of the rare and sought-after Type B inverted lathework, quite well centered with rich colour and large part original gum. An appealing and rarely seen item - surprisingly enough neither famous collections of Marler or Jephcott contained an example, F-VF LH

2,000.00+
1003 © MR4, 1917 2c+1c Dark Yellowish Brown, Die II War Tax Lower margin strip of three showing quite clearly below left stamp plate "A31" under full strength Type A lathework, also shows noticeable DOUBLING of the lathework ( 10 mm long) below centre stamp, postmarked with Winnipeg SP 2619 CDS. An multiple for an advanced collection, VF

1,165.00+


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$1004 \star$ MR4c, 1916 2c+1c Dark Brown, Die II (Plate 17) A remarkable imperforate pair of the elusive die with unusually large margins and in choice condition, characteristic shade, ungummed as issued, XF and scarce

3,000.00+
$1005 \star$ MR4c, 1916 2c+1c Dark Brown, Die II War Tax Imperforate pair of the elusive die with ample to large margins, in the characteristic shade and ungummed as issued, F-VF

2,250.00
$1006 \star$ MR6ii, 1916 2c+1c Rose Carmine, Die I War Tax, Perf 8 Vertically A nicely centered mint example in a lovely bright, distinctive shade, intact perforations and full original gum; scarce and in unusually choice condition, VF NH
675.00
$1007 \star \quad$ MR7iii, 1916 2c+1c Yellow Brown, Die I War Tax, Perf 8 Vertically A selected mint single of this difficult stamp with intact perforations and full original gum, VF NH
750.00


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$1008 \star$ O268, 1946 8c Farm Scene, 4-Hole OHMS (Position C) Upper left mint Plate 2 sheet of 50, partly separated at sides between fifth and sixth rows (couple tiny hinges in margins preventing further perf separation), a rare sheet, VF NH (Unitrade cat. \$3,120)
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 500.00+
$1009 \star$ O273, 1946 \$1 Train Ferry, 4-Hole OHMS (Position A) Lower left mint Plate 1 block of four, selected, fresh and well centered, VF NH
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$1010 \star$ O26a, 1949-1950 10c Furs - Drying Skins, "G" Official Overprint Mint unfolded vertical strip of five, second stamp without the "G" overprint in error, well centered and scarce, VF NH; 2011 Greene Foundation cert.

1,275.00

$1011 \star$ OX1, 1879 Brown Officially Sealed Stamp, Perf 113/4x12 A quite well centered mint single with wide margins, lovely post office fresh colour, sharp impression and full pristine original gum; one of the rarest of all Canadian stamps to obtain in this condition, VF NH; 2000 \& 2018 Greene Foundation certificates

3,750.00

$\star \quad$ PWF4a, 1944 Prisoner of War Free Franks, Black on Red, Rouletted A remarkable mint pane of five in an excellent state of preservation with " $5 \mathrm{M}-11-44$ " imprint at top right, exceptionally fresh full pristine original gum; rarely seen, XF NH

CANADA REVENUES (FEDERAL)

$1014 \star \quad$ FB8, 1864 8c Blue First Bill Issue, Perf $131 / 2 x 121 / 2$ An impressive sheet of 100 with EIGHT CENTS counter at top right, showing the scarce "Feather in Bun" plate variety (Position 29), split perforations mainly confined along centre of the sheet between fifth and sixth columns, strengthened by hinges, about two-thirds of the stamps are NH. A rare sheet, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$4,025)

Est. 750.00+


FB19, 1865 2c Red Second Bill A remarkable plate proof sheet of 100 printed in red, colour of issue, on card mounted india paper, traces of plate imprints can be seen at top and bottom. A very rare, if not unique proof sheet; a great showpiece, VF

Est. 750.00+



1018 © FSC13, 1929 10c Blue KGV Supreme Court, Perf 12 A key revenue stamp with blue serial number, customary punch cancel, bright colour on pristine fresh paper unlike many examples we have seen. Fine+ and very scarce

1,000.00
1019 ( FSC19, \$30 on \$1 Slate KGVI Supreme Court (Horizontal Bar) Surcharge in Dark Blue A pristine used example of this key revenue stamp, customary punch cancels, VF

2,000.00


Extensive and Overall Clean Used Revenue Collection On Van Dam pages, excellent coverage of Bill Stamps with perfs and papers noting FB13, 14, 15, 27a, 32b, 33, 34, Gas Inspection with FG6, 8, etc., most Weights \& Measures including blue \& purple control numbers, plus better FWM1-7, 9-12, 13/21 (less 17), 34-44, 45-59 (plus most shades of control numbers), strong representation of Supreme Court with FSC1 (2), 3 (2), 7, 11, 12, 20, etc., FWT19-15, extensive Excise Tax stamps including the key items, FCF1-FCF5, unused FLS2, etc. Also about 30 receipts, certificates with various Weights \& Measures, Electric Light Inspection, etc. usages (not catalogued). Some with minor flaws but most better valued stamps are sound and in overall selected condition. A great introduction to this fascinating field. F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$15,429)

Est. 2,500.00+

$1021 \star$ Balance of Consignment Interesting hoard comprising a duplicated stock from First Bill Stamps to Provincial Law Stamps, hundreds of stamps somewhat organized on stockpages and in stockbooks. Includes a wonderful array of Excise Tax Paid on Matches with 150 different covers, colourful and appealing, a few from French businesses and a few on rolling papers. Noted large selection of First Bill Issue to War Tax stamps \& Canada regular definitives being used on cheques; a duplicated range of Cigarette stamps, etc. Ideal working lot for studying papers, perforations, shades and countless types of handstamp cancels / manuscripts / punch cancels. Condition mixed to F-VF. Est. 750.00+

$1022 \star$ © First Bill Stamps Collection of about 70 First Bill Issues, mostly used and organized by perforation on two stockpages, light duplication, offers a nice range of different cancellations, noting nice used with company datestamps FB12, 13, 14, 15 pen cancel, FB8 NH block, FB16 mint single, FB17 NH block, etc. Mixed condition as to be expected but overall F-VF; also a few used Second Bill stamps. (Van Dam cat. \$2,520)

Est. 400.00+

$1023 \star \odot$ Interesting Lot of Supreme Court Stamps, Gas Inspection, Etc. Mainly displayed on stockpages in a binder with neat items sprinkled throughout, noting Supreme Court stamps, such as FSC2 NH single with full BABN imprint in right margin, used FSC3, pair of FSC4 and single FSC6 with compound perfs (with detailed write-up and documentation on subject), FSC6 used with serial "0030" (from first sheet). Selection of 10 certificates with Weights \& Measures, Electricity, Gas stamps, group of 1897 Gas Inspection mint NH stamps, including plate multiples, 1900 Electric Light Inspection mint NH stamps, plus some used Upper \& Lower Canada 1864 Law Stamps. Mixed condition in places but mainly sound and F-VF. (Van Dam cat. $\$ 2,680$, not counting the certificates or a premium for the unlisted varieties)

Est. 500.00+

$1024 \star$ Extensive Tobacco \& Cigarette Stamps A few hundred cigarette/ tobacco stamps from late 1800s to P modern era, some duplication, displayed on double-sided stockpages in a Lighthouse binder. Noted a wealth of Tobacco strips with or without serial numbers, specimen "CANCELLED", perf \& imperf, plate proofs, etc. Condition is typically mixed, offers plenty of material for someone who wants to delve into a new (and fascinating) field.

Est. 500.00+
$1025 \star \bigcirc$ Miscellaneous Assortment On cards or in small glassines noting Cigarette stamps, Bill stamps, Excise Tax including various on cheques, some Provincial; good run of Unemployment Stamps and Alberta Wildlife certificate stamps, etc. Mixed to F-VF
(Not Illustrated) Est. 200.00+

## CANADA REVENUES (PROVINCIAL)




1027
© AL8 variety, Alberta 25c Yellow (Black Inscriptions) A very rare example originating from Plate II (Bileski) where the background print is composed of six scrolls facing north east instead of south west (as in Plate 1). Considerably scarcer than the elusive 25 c grey (black inscriptions; Van Dam AL11) which coincidentally was also printed with a Plate 2 background. The second plate on the 25 c yellow was documented as early as 1922 by Senator Calder (Collectors Club of New York, Vol. 1, No. 4 pages 138-145) as Type III and assigned its own number in his Reference List (No. 8). Natural straight edge on two sides and showing the constant small " 2 " in upper left " 25 " (Position 3). According to K. Bileski only five examples (one mint and four used) exist; a fabulous exhibition piece for an advanced revenue collection, VF Van Dam AL8 unlisted Plate; Ed Zaluski ABL 10-Z2 listed Background Plate II and annotated as being "ER" - Extremely Rare.

Est. 1,500.00+
1027 © AL8 variety, Alberta 25c Yellow (Black Inscriptions) The very rare Law stamp originating from Plate II (background print is composed of six scroll blocks facing north east, instead of south west as on Plate I). Scarcer than the elusive 25c (black) on grey background, which coincidentally was also printed with a Plate II background. Documented as early as 1922 (see description of above lot) and of the utmost rarity as documented by K. Bileski, Senator Calder and Ed Zaluski. Natural straight edge at right, small portion of handstamp cancel at foot and single punch cancel, light horizontal crease at top. This example is one of only five that Bileski was able to find in his extensive research on this issue - a great showpiece for an advanced revenue collection, VF (Van Dam AL8 variety; Zaluski ABL10Z2)

Est. 1,250.00+


1028 © AL11, Alberta 25c Grey (Black Inscriptions) The elusive revenue from Plate II with grey background, perforated on all sides (Position 4 in the pane of 12), customary punch cancels. Seldom seen in such choice condition and without straight edges, VF
$1,500.00$


AL27/AL39, Alberta 1910-1930 5c-\$10 Justice Seated Law Stamps A beautiful set of thirteen plate proof singles on card mounted india paper, only missing the $\$ 3$ brown, includes another 20 c in orange vermilion. Each with American Bank Note Company security punch and horizontal SPECIMEN overprint in carmine. A scarce set - only one proof sheet of 50 for each value was printed, VF

Est. 500.00+

$1030 \star$ AL27-AL39, Alberta 1910-1930 5c-\$10 Justice Seated Law Stamps The complete set of thirteen with bright fresh colours and full original gum; very scarce (a maximum of 100 sets exists); F-VF NH

2,115.00


1032 P OL1-OL15, Ontario 1864 5c-\$5 "C.F." Overprinted Law Stamps The complete set of fifteen plate proof singles in green (green \& black for high values) on india paper with dark blue "C.F." (Consolidated Funds) overprint, as the issued colours; 90 c small fault at top, $\$ 2$ with tiny india thin, a scarce set, VF

Est. 350.00+
1033 P OL2/OL14, Upper Canada 1864 Law Stamps Selection of 12 different Trial colour \& plate proofs overprint on card mounted india paper, intended for either Upper or Lower Canada, all without the two-letter. Printed in green ( $10 \mathrm{c}, 40 \mathrm{c}, 70 \mathrm{c}, 80 \mathrm{c}, 90 \mathrm{c}$ ) or green \& black ( $\$ 2$ and $\$ 4$ ), also a 10 c proof in blue and another in brown. A scarce group, VF

Est. 250.00+

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-X1035

1034 P OL16-OL30, Ontario 1864 5c-\$5 "F.F." Overprinted Law Stamp Complete set of fifteen plate proof singles on card mounted india paper in green (green \& black for high values) on card mounted india paper, with yellow "F.F." (Fee Fund) overprint as the issued colours, A beautiful and seldom seen proof set, VF

Est. 350.00+
1035 P OL31/OL45, Ontario 1864 5c/\$5 Overprinted "L.S." Law Stamps Complete set of fifteen plate proof singles in green (green \& black for high values) on card mounted india paper, with "L.S." (Law Society) overprint in purple; no $\$ 4$ but includes extra $50 \mathrm{c}, \$ 1$ and $\$ 2$ with different shade of the overprint, VF

Est. 300.00+
OL52a, Ontario 1870-1911 50c Red Law Stamp, Perf 12 Used vertical pair imperforate horizontally, shows right portion of counter imprint at top, creased between stamps as often, nice double oval datestamps; an appealing and scarce perforation variety with VF appearance
(Illustrated on Page 210) $\mathbf{4 5 0 . 0 0}$


SL1a, Saskatchewan 1907 5c First Issue Law Stamp A well centered used example with the inverted centre in error (Position 19 in the sheet of 25), "R" punch and crayon line cancels, VF and scarce, a maximum of 80 examples can exist.
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1038 SL18 + SL18a, Saskatchewan 1907 \$1 Brown on White Second Printing Law Stamp Complete RECONSTRUCTION of the normal UPRIGHT BACKGROUND sheet with imprint "Dollar" 1 mm above bottom frameline - only Position 1 had the inverted background, similar to background setting of the First Printing. Only six sheets of the $\$ 1$ Second Printing were printed with upright background setting. An incredible feat with all stamps present in sound used condition, F-VF (Van Dam cat. $\$ 4,820$ )

Est. 1,000.00+

$\star \quad$ SL21-SL32, Saskatchewan 1907 5c-\$20 Third Issue Law Stamp A remarkable mint set of twelve, quite well centered to superb; small blemish on 75 c , gum bend on $\$ 3$ and dulled gum on $\$ 5$, otherwise all with full pristine original gum and never hinged. A rare set as only 100 examples were printed for each of the $\$ 5, \$ 10$ and $\$ 20$. Considerably fewer have remained mint NH, VF

3,375.00

$\star \quad$ SL57-SL78, Saskatchewan Law Stamps Collection of 51 mint blocks of four (of proof status) with sheet margins on one or two sides, 18 blocks with diagonal SPECIMEN overprint and 33 with security punch hole; various papers and gums included, thought to be a complete set of these "proofs", F-VF NH (Van Dam cat. \$4,376 as normal stamps)

Est. 750.00+


SL68-SL78, Saskatchewan 1968 5c-\$50 Law Stamps, Rouletted The complete set in full sheets of 50 , each with Canadian Bank Note Co. imprint at lower centre; in an excellent state of preservation with fresh colours and full original gum; interestingly enough, one had to fork out \$4,595 (face value) decades ago in order to obtain a set of these. VF NH. Only a handful of such sets still exist. (Van Dam cat. $\$ 6,000+$ )

Est. 1,500.00+

## EXTREMELY RARE SASKATCHEWAN FIRST ISSUE TELEPHONE FRANKS


$1042 \star \quad$ ST1, Saskatchewan Telephone Co. 1900 10c Black \& Red on Light Yellow Paper, Perf 12 Exceedingly rare mint single, ungummed as issued, manuscript "9" year date added to printed "190"; small tear at top which is hard to spot, only one other example exists, VF; clear 2015 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00

$1043 \star$ ST2, Saskatchewan Telephone Co. 1900 15c Red \& Black on Bluish Paper, Perf 12 An exceedingly rare mint single, ungummed as issued, manuscript "9" year date added to printed "190". In excellent condition, only one other example exists, VF; 2015 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00


ST4, Saskatchewan Telephone Co. 1900 50c Red \& Black on Dark Yellow Paper An exceedingly rare example with manuscript "9" year date added to the printed "190". In an excellent state of preservation, very rare with only one other example known to exist, ungummed as issued, VF; 2015 Greene Foundation cert.

4,000.00
$1045 \boxtimes$ Remarkable Collection of Law Stamps on Documents, Etc. Displayed in clear sleeves in 7 large binders with well over 400 items - an impressive amount of certificates and documents of myriad types with emphasis on Quebec Law Stamps 1880s to 1920s and Registration from first issues to 1960s with focus on Beaver series and Saskatchewan Law. Other Provinces represented such as Newfoundland, also Canada Federal excise tax on cheques, noted an intact small ledger (not counted) of "Registration Clerk's Abstract" with pages numbered from 1 to 100 from 1932 franked with Saskatchewan Law Stamps, $\$ 1$ frankings made up with 25 c (4), 50c (2) or a single $\$ 1$ stamp. A wonderful lot for the revenue enthusiast to study rates, perforations, printings, shades, etc. Worth viewing.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 2,000.00+


1046 © Comprehensive and Predominantly Used Revenue Collection In two Van Dam albums with nine provinces well represented plus some Telephone Franks. Includes Alberta (cat. \$599), British Columbia ( $\$ 1,075$ ) with Law Stamps and BC Telephone Franks (latter unused), Manitoba (\$497-not counting three forgeries of provisional issues), New Brunswick (\$488), Newfoundland (\$858), Nova Scotia (\$604), Ontario $(\$ 1,994)$ includes Vacation with Pay Stamp Book containing 44 used stamps from1c to $\$ 5$ which has a cat. $\$ 1,029$ for the stamps alone, Quebec $(\$ 9,006)$ the clear highlight section of the collection with a wealth of better Law Stamps including perforation \& printing varieties, plus most other revenue categories represented. Better items are used QL70-72 pen cancelled, QL29-31, QL96, QR4, QR6a, QCP6 thinned, and QV1-QV9 SPECIMEN set; Saskatchewan $(\$ 1,742)$, Telephone Franks (\$500). Also about 30 receipts, documents franked with various revenues (not counted). Some minor flaws but most of the better stamps are sound. An extensive collection that still has room for expansion, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$17,393)

Est. 3,000.00+

$1047 \star$ PEI 1942 Tobacco Tax Collection In clear mounts on written up pages with booklet panes (7) including better 2c lake on white pane PET2h and booklet singles (11) with PET3, etc. Ungummed as issued, F-VF (Van Dam cat. \$871)

Est. 150.00+
1048 CANADA WILDLIFE STAMPS (FEDERAL) Interesting Assortment of Booklets, Covers, Licenses Federal Conservation booklets duplicated stock, plus several NH plate blocks, NH sheets of FWH15, 17, 20 (2). Noted also 13 different watercolour cacheted FDC; some usages on Licenses, etc. Also Quebec Conservation duplicated assortment of booklets and sheetlets noting QW9A 1996 WWF $+\$ 2.50$ overprint mini sheet of one in pad of 50 , Alberta Wildlife certificate / licenses with various hunting stamps affixed inside. Inspect.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 750.00+

## CANADA WILDLIFE STAMPS (PROVINCIAL)



1049 * BCD1a, British Columbia Duck Stamps 1946 50c Azure \& Black, Rouletted A fabulous mint booklet pane of four with tab margin at left, in a superior state of preservation with bright colours on fresh paper, tiny natural paper inclusion on lower right stamp visible from reverse only. All stamps are well centered with full original gum, NEVER HINGED. A very rare intact pane and the ultimate item of all Canadian Wildlife Conservation stamps, VF NH; clear 2016 Greene Foundation cert. 21,000.00
$1050 \star$ Assortment of Booklets, Etc. A few dozen different Provincial and Federal Conservation booklets with panes of one, plus odds \& ends along with some federal stamps used on licenses, etc. Van Dam cat. well over $\$ 3,000$.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 300.00+

## CANADA TELEPHONE \& TELEGRAPH FRANKS

 including the rare 1923 unshaded background, original gum is disturbed from previous interleave but a sound example, TCN7 also has disturbed OG and TCN9 is without gum, all others are choice with full original gum, VF LH

3,030.00


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$1052 \star$ TCN4, 1923 Canadian National Telegraphs Yellow Green Frank The rare frank with unshaded signature panel, a brilliant fresh mint hinged example with large part original gum, XF; ex. Gaudio (June 2002; Lot 1638)

2,000.00
$1053 \star$ TCP26b, 1913 Canadian Pacific Railways Slate on Very Thin Watermarked Paper Mint intact booklet pane of four with full tab margin, distinctive very thin paper, well centered with full original gum; trivial natural gum wrinkles on top right stamp. Lower right stamp shows a double-line "crest" watermark - most unusual and unreported on this particular frank, VF NH (Cat. for NH pane on very thin paper; no premium added for the watermark)

2,400.00


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$1054 \star$ TDF1, 1906 Dominion DeForest Telegraph Co. Blue Frank on White Wove Paper, Perf 11 $1 / 2$ Reasonably centered mint single with serial number "037" in red, natural straight at right - being upper right stamp in the pane of four, part original gum that has been overall disturbed, small shallow thin. A very presentable example of this extremely rare Frank, F-VF part OG

7,500.00
$1055 \star$ TDF1, 1906 Dominion DeForest Telegraph Co. Blue Frank on White Wove Paper, Perf 11½ A nice mint single with serial number " 128 " in red, the lower right stamp in the pane of four, part original gum somewhat disturbed; tiny corner crease and perf thin at left an extremely rare Frank - few are known to exist and most have some degree of faults, F-VF

7,500.00

$\star$ TGN1/TGN31, 1890-1920 Great North Western Telegraph Co. Set of 30 serial numbered Telephone Franks 1890 to 1920 (ex 1891); three without gum (1893, 1896 \& 1897) and couple with minor flaws, otherwise F-VF mint hinged

1,385.00

$1057 \star$ TGT8, 1918 Grand Trunk Pacific Railways Black on White Paper Mint pane of four without tab margin at top, well centered with full original gum, top pair hinged, lower pair NH, VF; also includes the original booklet with printed pages inside (no panes) from which it came.
$1,650.00$
$1058 \star$ TGN2a/TGN31, 1891/1920 Great North Western Telegraph Co. An impressive selection of 23 different mint booklet panes of four (without tab margin). Includes 1891 rose on thin paper, then COMPLETE from 1899 to 1920 (TGN10-TGN31) all mint OG hinged and overall in excellent condition for these notoriously fragile panes. One stamp in 1904 pane has a gum thin. F-VF (Van Dam cat. $\$ 3,400$ )

Est. 1,000.00+

CANADA LARGE LOTS AND COLLECTIONS


1059 P
Selection of Pence \& Cents Proofs Group of 13 proofs ( 12 different) on india, some card mounted, includes Unitrade \#2TCv, xiii, ix, 8P, TCi, 9P, 15TCiv, 16P, 18P, i (2), TCi and 20TC. Mostly VF (Unitrade cat. \$4,450)

Est. 1,000.00+


1060
$\star$ © Selection of 1851-1859 Pence Issues Includes 29 stamps mostly used and in overall mixed condition, noted \#7 with horizontal stitch watermark, \#1 with cancel removed to appear unused, 9 (4; one is unused), \#10, \#11 (2; one appears unused), \#12 appears unused, etc. Inspection is required.

Est. 3,000.00+

$1061 \star \odot$ Useful Selection of Better Early Mint/ Used Stamps Includes used \#4, 4d, 4i, 12 manuscript cancel (2016 Greene cert.), 1897 Jubilee with nice \#54 VF NH, $60 \mathrm{VLH}, 61 \mathrm{VF}$ small part OG, 62 VF dist. OG, 63 regummed, \#90 VF NH, 99ii imperforate pair, etc.

Est. 1,500.00+

$1062 \star$ Specialized Mint 1870-1890s Small Queens Displayed on quadrilled pages, with two plate proofs, 35 mint or unused stamps and three imperforate pairs. Noting 5c Large Queen (issued 1875) with dull streaky OG, the scarcer 1c to 6 c perf $111 / 2 \times 12$ stamps, 18703 c copper red unused, 1870-1872 3 c rose mint OG strip of three, imperforate pairs of 1c yellow, 8c blue grey and 10c rose carmine, latter with OG. Overall F-VF including several nice early printings.

Est. 3,000.00+
1063 © 1874-1897 Ten Cent Small Queen Collection of Printings Sixty-four used stamps (includes four pairs) organized by printing, shade and perforation on pages; includes 1874 10c pale milky rose lilac to brick red shades of 1897 , we note eight examples perf $11 \frac{1}{2} \times 12$. Minor flaws on a few but mainly sound throughout with Fine to Very Fine centering. Ideal lot for study.

1898 Map Stamp - Reconstruction of Plate 1, 2 \& 3 Carefully identified and researched on annotated manila stockpages - organized by plate number and position (from 1 to 100). Includes Plate 1 with deep blue oceans ( 63 different positions), Plate 2 with very deep blue oceans ( 85 different) and Plate 3 with lavender oceans ( 90 different). Some duplicates, mainly F-VF; ex. Bradley, Boisclair
(Not Illustrated) Est. 300.00+

$1065 \star \quad$ Remarkable Lot of the 1912-1927 Admiral Issues Balance of a specialized collection condensed on ten stockpages with a wealth of shades \& printings, multiples, coils, lathework and war tax. Includes lathework blocks (9), about 50 mint blocks, 35 mint singles, 18 lathework singles or pairs, over 20 plate multiples, etc. Many better items to be found such as jumbo 104b XF NH, 116a reddish purple shade VF NH large margined imprint single, 120a XF VLH, MR2B XF LH, MR3a scarcer die I VF LH with "A1" imprint in lower margin, 106b 2c pink mint NH block, 113iii VF block left pair retouched frame, 114iii 7c red brown on thin paper fine block, 122 VF NH block; lathework with 105f 1c yellow, Die I dry printing LR NH block with unusually full Type D lathework, lower pair choice XF NH, 5c violet block full Type D lathework, 20c block Type A lathework, \$1 deep orange, wet printing VF OG lathework single; coils with \#123-124 VF NH, etc. Overall F-VF with many choice items. Enormous catalogue value and ideal lot for the Admiral specialist.

Est. 6,000.00+

$1066 \star \bigcirc$ Selection of Mint NH KGV \& KGVI Issues and Strong Back-of-Book On pages with emphasis on back-of-book issues. Noted better valued stamps in choice condition with \#106 VF NH, 132 VF NH pair, 156a VF NH, 215a VF NH, E1a VLH (appears NH at first glance), E1ii NH, E2a NH, E4 \& E5 VF NH, F1 VF NH but light gum bend and trace of oxidation, F1b mint OG with large margins, F1d used perf $12 \times 11 \frac{1}{2}$, F3 VF OG, a few irregular perfs at top, O8a VF LH Plate 1 block, O15b NH (2016 Greene cert.), O15Ab in block of 20, Blunt "G" overprint on 2c Cameo (3) and the elusive 50c Textile Industry. Worth inspection.

Est. 1,500.00+
1067 * Selection of High Values Mint NH Blocks of Four Includes 18 different mint NH blocks of four with \#120, 122, 174, 223-227, 241-245, 241a, 261, 262, 272 and 273. Mostly with VF centering
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 500.00+


1927-1929 Historical \& KGV Scroll Mint NH Panes \& Full Sheets 1927 Commemoratives with \#144 UR Pl. 1 and \#146 LR blank F-VF NH sheets of 100; \#147 LL blank and \#148 UR Pl. 1 F-VF NH sheets of 50, Scroll Issue with \#150 UR Pl. 5, \#153 UR Pl. 2 and \#154 LR blank F-VF NH sheets of 100; \#155 two LL blank panes of 50 - one is Fine NH and one F-VF NH; \#156 UL \& UR Pl. 2 fine+ NH left and right panes of 50, UL; \#157 UL Pl. 1 fine+ NH left pane of 50. A couple minor margin flaws or minor to moderate edge of sheet separation. An excellent group.

Est. 2,000.00+
1069 * 1930-1935 King George V Era Mint / NH Full Sheets Valuable selection of 24 sheets including \#169 UR Pl. 2, \#170 LL Pl. 3 and \#172 UR Pl. 2 F-VF NH sheets of 100; \#173 UL Pl. 1 fine NH sheet of 100; small piece of margin missing, \#190 LR Pl. 1 sheet of 100 F-VF NH; no selvedge at left, \#194 Pl. 1 VF NH right pane of 50, \#220 UR Pl 1 VF NH two sheets of 100, \#221 UR Pl. 1 VF NH sheet of 100; gum wrinkle on two, \#222 LL Pl. 1 VF NH two sheets of 100, 226 UL Pl. 2 VF NH sheet of 50, gum wrinkle on one, etc. Also a few larger multiples. Some usual perf separation to be expected, a comprehensive group of seldom seen sheets.
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 2,000.00+

$1070 \star$ 1920s-1930s Part Perforate \& Imperforate Mint Pairs Includes 23 different mint pairs, mainly VF NH noting \#217c/222a NH (missing 2c), C1b, C1c, C1 plate proof pair, E3c, plus several Scroll NH pairs. Also noted \#200a unused no gum, \#223a/227a (no 13c) imperforate pairs with glazed OG.

Est. 1,500.00+
$1071 \star$ 1937-1953 KGVI Era Mint NH Full Sheets Large group of 110 sheets, some duplication but offers different plate numbers and positions. Noted \#234 UL Pl. 1 (2), LR Pl. 1; 235 UL Pl. 3; 236 UR \& LL Pl. 1; 241 UL Pl. 2; 241a LR Pl. 2; 242 UR Pl. 1; 243 LL Pl. 1, 253, 256, 258, 260 LR Pl. 1, 270 UR Pl. 1, 271 LR Pl. 2, etc. Plus some additional large multiples. Minor separation or edge flaws on some but mostly in excellent shape and VF NH
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 2,500.00+
$1072 \star$ Extensive 1940s-1960s Commemoratives Lifetime accumulation of plate blocks, multiples, paper varieties, tagged stamps, sheetlets, full sheets, etc. In glassines, envelopes or on pages; duplication heavy to moderate, a remarkable holding for the era, VF NH
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,000.00+


1073 © Saskatchewan Socked-on-Nose CDS Postmarks A remarkable lot of a few hundred stamps mainly 1940s and 1950s. Carefully handpicked, no doubt over a lifetime of searching; from Arborfield to Wynyard (at a quick glance), for the most part organized by towns in glassines or displayed on stockpages. Duplication to be expected. Offers a wide range of different stamps displaying beautiful socked-on-nose town postmarks. A gold mine for the postmark enthusiast.

Est. 250.00+
$1074 \star$ 1953-1963 Karsh, Wilding \& Cameo Issue Large accumulation / collection of plate blocks, paper types, precancelled, tagged (notably sub-listing varieties on the Cameo), coils including start / end strips and a few complete rolls, miniature panes, full sheets, etc. In glassines, envelopes, album leaves, etc. Potential for better finds and a great lot for someone desiring to sort the combinations of paper \& tagging types, etc. Mostly VF NH.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 750.00+
$\star \quad$ Massive Hoard of 1967-1973 Centennial Issues An impressive lot from 1c to $\$ 1$ with hundreds of plate blocks (often in matched sets), part sheets and large multiples, with numerous paper varieties, tagged stamps, sheetlets, specialized coils, precancels (note 2c matched sets of blocks). Also about 60 full sheets from 1c to $\$ 1$ including papers / tagging, etc. Duplication from heavy to light; a fabulous lot for a dealer or specialist. Mainly VF NH with huge catalogue value. (Not Illustrated) Est. 2,000.00+
$1076 \star \bigcirc$ Extensive Mint / Used 1967-1973 Centennial Collection On quadrilled pages and stockpages including parallel mint AND used collections from 1c to $\$ 1$. In-depth coverage of papers, perforations, dies, tagging, noting better items such as the scarce \#459bpii used, guideline and repair paste-up coil strips, an extensive showing of mint NH plate (or blank) blocks often in matched sets, includes two 455 xx matched sets, $460 \mathrm{ii}, 465 \mathrm{ii}, 465 \mathrm{pi}$, precancelled Warning strips of 20, etc. Various blocks, coils in loose glassine envelopes. A substantial holding of this popular definitive series.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,000.00+
$1077 \star \quad$ Large Accumulation of 1970s-1980s Definitives \& Commemoratives Lifetime accumulation of plate blocks, multiples, paper varieties, tagged stamps, booklets, precancels, sheets and large multiples, high values, etc. Noted strong representation of 1977-1979 Parliament issues including 12c printed on gum side, 17c coil with three imperforate strips of 13 and 17c Cameo booklet untagged pane of 25 . Duplication heavy to moderate, a remarkable lot for the era, VF NH
(Not Illustrated) Est. 2,000.00+
$1078 \star$ Large Holding of 1973-1976 Caricature Series Accumulation of Prime Ministers and Landscapes 1c to $\$ 2$ with plate blocks, matched sets, multiples, paper varieties, tagged, coils, sheets, etc. In glassines, envelopes, on pages; duplication; a useful lot that will pay dividends for collector or dealer alike, VF NH
(Not Illustrated) Est. 500.00+
$1079 \star$ Study of Perforations Varieties and Oddities Various multiples displaying misalignment of perforations, shifts, H-Comb perf varieties, etc. Emphasis on modern era such as Caricature issues subtle (but visible) misalignment of the H-comb perforator, also major perforation varieties on Canada Third Bill stamps such as 1c misperf block, 4c imperf vertically between margin and stamp (two NH), 7 c pre-perforation paper fold mint pair, double perf 40 c mint block, etc. Inspect.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 250.00+


1080 * In-depth Collection of Modern Varieties \& Errors Displayed in a Lighthouse 2-post album with blank stockpages, contains many dozen different from flyspeck varieties (often identified according to Darnell catalogue) to major shifts and missing colours. Noted a wealth of better items such as $\# 595 \mathrm{x}$ 15 c double headed sheep on hibrite paper, 677 c black triple printed se-tenant pair, 726 with major shift of the engraving, $727 \mathrm{a}, 1181$ with striking misperf, perforations running through inscriptions, 1375 b with major shift of engraving with "Canada $\$ 1$ " missing and another example shifted vertically with CANADA $\$ 1$ shown at foot. Ideal lot for further expansion, mainly VF NH throughout Est. 1,000.00+
$1081 \star \odot$ Large Assortment of Untagged Stamps An unusually large selection of untagged errors - some valuable items present such as \#619T1, 621T1 LR block of four, 623-624T1, 648 T 1 used, 676-677T1 se-tenant block, 684 T 1 sheet of 50 (this sheet cat. $\$ 5,000$ alone); nice range of Caricature mint NH / used singles, mint NH blocks and untagged stamps on three covers. Many elusive to rare items. (Unitrade cat. $\$ 11,925$ )
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 1,500.00+
$1082 \star \bigcirc$ Large Assortment of Mint / Used Tagging Varieties Several dozen mint NH or used singles, plus various NH multiples and blank corner blocks, all with one-bar tagging varieties. Noted a most unusual \#730a imperf pair missing right margin tagging on right stamp, all over tagging on \#592 (3), earlier one-bar Winnipeg Tagged and other odd tagging varieties. Focus on Centennials and Caricatures series plus commemoratives and other later issues. A lifetime assembly with many being very scarce. An ideal lot ready for study and further specialization. (Not Illustrated) Est. 750.00+

KGVI War Effort \& Later Issues Booklets A substantial lot of about 250 complete booklets of which about $80 \%$ are 1942-1943 War Effort, noting types, French inscriptions, surcharges, rate changes, etc. Moderate duplication in places, plenty of useful material to identify the numerous subtle differences and varieties to be found. A high percentage are VF.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 600.00+
1085 * Large Lot of Complete Booklets Dozens of booklets mostly late 1980s to early 2000s. Definitive and commemoratives represented including sealed and unsealed, different card stocks and other varieties. Light duplication, overall clean and VF NH
(Not Illustrated) Est. 500.00+
$1086 \star$ Back-of-Book Mint NH Full Sheets Nice assortment of not often seen sheets (of 50 stamps ex J2 sheet of 100), all VF NH otherwise mentioned with C5 UL Pl. 1 (two, one with minor wrinkling and gum disturbance on one stamp), C6 UR Pl. 1 (2), C7 LR Pl. 1, C8 LR Pl. 1, CE1 UR, LL \& LR Pl. 1, CE2 UR Pl. 1, CE3 UL Pl. 1, CE4 UL Pl. 1 (2), E6 UL Pl. 1, J7 Plate "1" F-VF NH, some perf separation and minor creasing in lower margin. Larger sheets folded, typical for these. Also includes a selection of mint NH multiples (e. g. E3 block of 49).
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,500.00+

$1087 \star$ * 4-Hole OHMS Assortment Displayed on pages including mint NH and used blocks and singles, plus 12 plate blocks and a few covers; light duplication in places, offers plenty of material for study, different positions of perforated OHMS, etc. Mainly F-VF.

Est. 750.00+

$1088 \star \odot$ Comprehensive Assortment of Mint / Used OHMS \& G Official Overprints Displayed on pages or in glassines, with mint NH and used multiples, mint narrow spacing variety, etc. Noted better items such as O9, O10, O25 \& O27 NH blocks, O45a Flying "G" UL and UR Plate 2n blocks. Light duplication in places but offers a wide range of blocks, some NH larger multiples as well plus NH and used singles, etc. Useful lot for a dealer.

Est. 600.00+

$1089 \star 1850 \mathrm{~s}-1970$ Extensive Mint / NH Collection Housed in a Lighthouse album on hingeless pages, an excellent collection that goes beyond the basic listings, with watermarked stamps, shades and printings present. Starts with some Pence \& Cents in mint or unused in usual mixed condition, an unusually strong representation of Large \& Small Queens, no Jubilees but then nearly complete from 1897 Leaf to 1970 including coils, airmails, special delivery, dues and war tax noting many better valued stamps including much NH.

Est. 5,000.00+


1090
Impressive Used 1850s-2016 in Eight Albums A lifetime collection carefully assembled with stamps showing clear postmarks, includes some covers plus an impressive amount of souvenir sheets, sheetlets and especially booklets panes with selected postmarks (very seldom seen). Condition mixed in places but includes a nice 1897 Diamond Jubilee set of sixteen (many with nice postmarks). Years of valiant effort were necessary to assemble this comprehensive collection. Worth a close look to better appreciate this extensive holding.

Est. 3,500.00+


1091 ○
Old-Time Used 1859-1970 Collection Mounted on quadrille pages in a springback album, beginning with an assortment of Cents issues followed by Large \& Small Queens including watermarked stamps, shades, cancels and a few Small Queen covers. From 1897 on is quite extensive noting used $\$ 3$ and $\$ 5$ Jubilee with roller cancels, back-of-book and some early Maritime Provinces, the latter mostly mint. Mixed to F-VF with potential for better findings.

Est. 2,000.00+

$1092 \star \bigcirc 1850 \mathrm{~s}-1908$ Collection on Pages Displayed on old-style Lindner hingeless pages with Pence \& Cents (16), Large \& Small Queens (40), 1897 Jubilee set to $\$ 5 \mathrm{mint}$ or used, couple stockpages with later issues noting 1908 Quebec, Admirals and some varieties. Overall quality is mixed but includes sound, useful stamps throughout. Close examination is recommended.

Est. 1,500.00+


1093
1850s-1950s Mint / Used Collection Displayed on pages, from Pence to late KGVI. The early portion to King Edward VII is mostly and in overall mixed condition, then condition improves and mostly mint from Admirals onward. There is an excellent back-of-book section with airmails, special delivery, registration, perforated 4-hole OHMS, officially sealed and war tax noting a 20c War Tax lower margin Plate 3 block of eight. Also a few early stamps of British Columbia and PEI. Close examination is recommended.

Est. 1,000.00+


Old-Time 1870s-1950s Collection Mounted on quadrilled pages, emphasis (and value) of the collection on Small Queen issues including early First Ottawa printings, Montreal printings including better perf $111 / 2 \times 12 \mathrm{~s}$, shades, etc. many of which are well centered with clean OG. A few earlies noted such as Cents and Large Queen where we noted a 3c Laid Paper used; 1897 Jubilee complete to 50c including many shades, Leaf to 1950s well represented including coil pairs and couple back-of-book items (C3a and MR4b), etc. Condition varies in places but is mainly sound mint OG throughout. Worth a close look, particularly the Small Queen issues to appreciate their select fresh colours, etc.

Est. 2,500.00+

© Collection of Select Datestamp Cancelled Stamps A neat collection organized in a stockbook, from Small Queens (some earlier used included). A high percentage were carefully assembled with socked-on-nose split ring or CDS postmarks, concentration in British Columbia among others. Value is focused from Small Queens to Admirals but KGVI to 1980s stamps are often shown and are hard to find as such. Some minor flaws on earlies, overall nice quality. A great amount of effort was needed to assemble this attractive collection.

Est. 750.00+
$\star$ Clean Old-Time Collection of 1890s-1972 Mint Blocks Mounted on quadrilled pages in a SG Utile springback album, starts with Large Queen $1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ and 15 c (3) blocks of four, Small Queens noting different shades (four blocks of four) of the 8c and a 20c Widow Weeds, then jumps to Admirals to KGVI mint booklet panes (over 30 different) and mint blocks from 1942-1943 War Effort to early 1970s and very well represented including coils. A clean lot worth inspection.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,500.00+
$1097 \star$ Old-Time Stock In small glassines for the most part from Pence to early 1970s, plus special delivery and war tax, duplication from heavy to light. Noting better items such as used \#5 minor flaws, mint \#14, used \#16 black brown (faults at top), unused \#27, mint \#36e, etc. Condition and identification are often an issue here (to about Admiral period). However, this lot offers plenty of material perfect for someone wanting to spend time grading and re-classifying shades, printings, cancels, varieties, etc. High catalogue value; needs checking.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 2,000.00+
$1098 \star$ 1975-2003 Mint NH Collection Housed in two brand new Lighthouse 2-post hingeless albums with slipcases, well represented for period, noting scarce perf varieties such as 44 c Walrus (dist. OG), 61c Timberwolf, etc. Also 2003 Canada - Alaska pane of 10, 2004 (49c) Write Me... Ring Me set of four. Routinely VF NH throughout
(Not Illustrated) Est. 350.00+

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1099 Late Victorian to Early KGV Era Illustrated Advertising Covers Group of 25 covers with illustrated advertising, noting couple Patriotics, some hotels, etc., mostly Ontario or Quebec. An interesting lot; mixed to very fine.

Est. 500.00+
1100 Extensive Lot of KEVII Era Postcards to Foreign Destinations Great lot of 55 picture postcards to about 25 different destinations from Europe to more exotic and remote places such as Algeria, Brazil, Malta (2), St. Pierre \& Miquelon, Guatemala, Uruguay (2), Indo-China, Tonkin (2), Madagascar, China (4), Crete, South Africa, etc. A couple are short paid with tax handstamp and / or postage due. An excellent nucleus for further specialization. Condition varies from mixed to very fine Est. 750.00+


1101 Assortment of KEVII Postal History to Foreign Destinations Includes 12 covers and 4 postal stationery cards, destinations include Bermuda, France, Germany, Italy, Sweden, Switzerland, USA, noting better such as a clean 10c single-franking on 1911 registered cover Calgary to Germany, an unusual Japanese franked cover to Toronto forwarded with uncancelled 2c to England, two 5c stamps on double UPU cover to Switzerland, single 5c on clean 1905 cover to Italy, a short paid cover to France with French 20c +10 c postage dues. Condition varies from mixed to F-VF

Est. 400.00+


1102 Admiral Postal History An impressive lot containing over 110 covers and cards, including a myriad of rate and franking combinations, censors, advertising, foreign destinations, registered, other class mail, postcard rates, etc. All displayed on stockpages with an interesting and eclectic assortment ideal for study and expansion. Mixed to Very Fine

Est. 1,250.00+


1103 Assortment of KGV Admiral Postal History to Foreign Destinations Lot of 16 covers and 19 cards to about a dozen different destinations, various rates / frankings, noting several nice items to France \& Italy, scarcer destinations such as Costa Rica, British Guiana, etc. Mixed to Fine or better; worth a close look.

Est. 500.00+


1104
Assortment of KGV Scroll \& Arch Postal History to Foreign Destinations Lot of 23 covers and 11 cards to about 25 different destinations in Europe, Asia and beyond. Scarcer destinations noted such as Dutch East Asia, Egypt, Guadeloupe, Indo-China, Australia (various), Kenya, Samoa, etc. Mixed to Fine or better

Est. 400.00+
1105 KGVI Era Postal History Collection About 130 covers (some cards), for the most part on well researched, meticulously written-up pages, regarding rates, frankings, destinations, postal rules, airmails, special delivery, postage dues, registered mail, etc. Emphasis on KGVI War Effort series, plus later issues. Numerous postmarks, handstamps and instructional markings are shown. A wonderful collection for the KGVI collector offering an excellent introduction to the era's postal history. Worth close inspection.
(Illustrated on Website) Est. 750.00+
1106 Large Accumulation of Covers Dozens of covers noting stampless, modern postal envelopes with Sask. town postmarks, first flights, OHMS \& G officials, postal stationery, Newfoundland and other subjects. Mixed condition; needs checking.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 300.00+
1107 Postal Stationery Lot Large accumulation of mostly unused postal stationery envelopes, cards, aerograms, private orders, focused mainly KGVI to Centennials plus a few older and some Newfoundland postal cards. Duplication on some but unchecked for better types, surcharges, etc.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 200.00+
$1108 \star$ Balance of Collection Displayed on Lighthouse blank stockpages with some better early mint and modern errors, plus various used stamps and revenues in mixed condition. Noted \#35 NH, \#41a mint OG 1997 Greene cert., \#43 VLH, 79b NH, 120ii NH 2008 Greene cert. (as \#120i), E1ii NH, many are well centered, used \#1 colour somewhat oxidized but VF sound. Modern varieties / errors includes \#726b, 1534-1535ii, 1764b (2), etc. Inspect.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,000.00+
$1109 \star$ Balance of Consignment A real hodgepodge of collection remainders, accumulations, on pages or loose in glassines; noting a Postage Due collection with emphasis on Centennials, collection of earlier mint blocks, range of precancels, private perfins, Christmas seals in sheets 1934 / 1960, specialized coils with start / end strips, Centennial \& Caricature booklets, etc. Heavy lot, careful examination is recommended.
(Not Illustrated) Est. 1,000.00+

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| $\star$ | Mint | $\odot$ | Used | $\mathbf{E}$ | Essay |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\boxed{\Delta}$ | Cover | $(/)$ | Incomplete Set | $\mathbf{F}$ | Forgery |
| $(-)$ | Complete Set | $\mathbf{R}$ | Reprint | $\mathbf{P}$ | Proof |
| $\bullet$ | Graded Stamp | CDS | Circular Date Stamp | $\mathbf{L}$ | 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. <br> Lightly Hinged - with full original gum showing some evidence of a previous <br> hinge. |
| :--- | :--- |
| OG | Original gum - showing some evidence of a previous hinge, a portion of which <br> may still be present. |
| Part OG | Part original gum. <br> Unused |
| Unused without original gum, or regummed. |  |
| Ungummed | Without gum as issued. |

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## CATALOGUES AND HANDBOOKS USED IN LISTING

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