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BNAPS CENTENNIAL DEFINITIVES STUDY GROUP

This is the fourth and final issue for 1991, so we call it the Fall issue. For the folks south of the equator, that's not far off.

I am pleased to report that our study group has a new Secretary-Treasurer. Leonard Kruczynski responded to my request for . help, and has assumed his duties with the mailing of this issue. Leonard will also be looking after back issues, and the study group funds. My sincere thanks to Wayne Harms, who likewise volunteered for the job.

Since the last issue, the following people have provided material for the newsletter: Jim Watt, Jeff Switt, Glenn Parker, Mike Painter, William Muttera, Bill McCann, Leonard Kruczynski, Horst Kahlmeier, Hugh Delaney, and Arnold Benjaminsen. Their help is much appreciated.

Thanks also to Eric Ranger, Keith Ott, and Ed Butler for financial contributions to the Study group.

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### FOLLOW-UP TO PREVIOUS ISSUES

Several recent newsletter topics have caught our readers' fancy sufficiently to prompt some feedback.

three 3 cent sheet stamps (plain, Wpg, 5 Ott; tag) and the 25

### 8 Cent Coil-Ottawa Tagged--Day of Issue?

Horst Kahlmeier reports having an airmail #8 cover with two coil pairs, Ottawa tagged, tied by a large circular handstamp dated Ottawa, 29 Feb. 1972. There is a blue cachet.



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Dave Smetzer sent in photocopies of two similar items, one with one pair of the tagged 8 cent coil, and another Malott cover with the regular 8 cent coil, dated Dec. 30/71.



Horst also reports having Ottawa Dec. 30/71 covers with the three 8 cent sheet stamps (plain, Wpg. & Ott. tag) and the 25 cent booklet panes, both plain and Ottawa tagged.

Mike Painter searched thousands of off-paper stamps, and several boxes of covers. His findings are rather curious.

His copies of the 8 cent coil run all the way back to Dec. 30, 1971 and there are plenty for each month of 1972. Yet, apart from one tagged copy dated May 1972, he has only a handful starting late September and then lots after that.

Mike did find two covers from Dawson Creek dated 23 II 1972. However, these were in a bundle where every other cancel was from 23 or 24 XI 1972, so he feels that a "II" was inserted in place of an "XI" slug by mistake.

Both Dave and Mike report having a Malott cover with the 8 cent tagged coil, dated Oct. 1972. It's not clear what purpose these covers served.

#### Dots on the 8 cent Library

In the May-June 1990 issue of the RPSC journal <u>Canadian</u> <u>Philatelist</u> (Vol.41 No.3 pp.231-237), there is an article by Hans Reiche, entitled "The Transfer Printing Method Used for Steel Engraved Stamps". At one point in the article, Mr. Reiche mentions that after the printing plates were hardened they were bent in a semi-cylindrical shape in order to fit high-production entry printing presses. Since the bending stretched the plate surface, in a few cases fine cracks resulted. I wondered if this had any

relevance to the dots on the 8 cent Library so I sent Mr. Reiche a copy of Mike Painter's article.

Mr. Reiche was very prompt in replying, for which I am grateful. In a letter dated March 17/92, he notes: "I must confess that I am not an expert in the Centennials ... [Re:] the dot problem. Have the impression that the printing plate contained this data prior to laying down the stamps. It was probably not erased. But this is only a guess. Quality control is costly and has [been] reduced considerably in the Bank Note companies."

Leonard Kruczynski has another possible explanation, after making a nice find of four sheets turned in at the Post Office last year for new ones. (Shades of Aladdin!)

See Len's article on p. 407.

Mike Painter points out that there is a definite repeating pattern to the dots on row two of the 7 cent, and wonders if the same might be true for the 8 cent. In his letter of Feb. 7/92, he continues: "Regarding Leonard's suggestion that these dots result from the gluing [of] the plates together, this is an interesting possibility. It would mean, however, that the plates were divided in the middle of a pane of 100 and not at edge of a pane as seems logical. We'd need some explanation of why it might have been done this way. Also, we'd need to think how the gluing would produce these fairly uniform sized dots and particularly how they might be in a constant pattern (if indeed they are). Obviously it raises more questions. Regarding the position of these dots, it is most interesting to have this confirmation that this type of dot is between rows five and six. I have two examples of the type II dots that occur between rows one and two, which suggests that each type may occur at a different row, or maybe even between different rows instead of at just one point on the pane."

#### Printing Processes Discussed at BNAPEX 91

Jim Watt responds to the suggestion that the Centennials were printed by offset lithography (letter to editor Jan. 21/92): "I had a long discussion with Yves Baril at Capex 1987. He engraved the \$1 value personally and with him he had a little booklet of his work which he's allowed to own for advertising his work. It contained 1 proof of the 5 cent value and 1 proof of the dollar wildcat issue. He also engraved the ships rigging for the 1975 8 cent ships issue (sorry not sure, here, if he did others also). He had a whole book of proofs which he did personally but my memory is only of those 3 items. (saw only 2 Centennials) He is allowed to own 1 proof of the items in question and whether or not these will eventually surface on the market, well who knows? ... He's not allowed to sell ANY proofs while working so please don't ask him."

#### 2 cent Dot Under "E" of POSTES

Your editor likes this flaw, so he has gotten Mike Painter to make an enlarged illustration for the newsletter. We previously showed it on p.292 and p.296.

#### DOTS ON THE 8 CENT LIBRARY: AN EXPLANATION

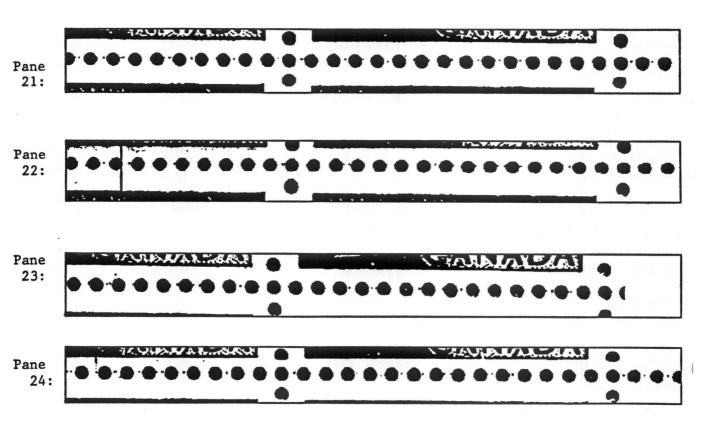
by Leonard Kruczynski

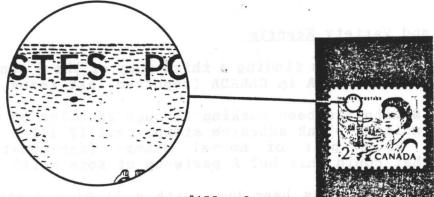
The rows of dots variety has been known for a long time and has remained a mystery for centennial collectors. Mike Painter revived the mystery and provided many important clues in his careful analysis published in Newsletter No. 52 (summer '91).

I have examined four complete field stock panes of the 8 cent library that have the "Type I" dot pattern. This is the most difficult one to work with, since the dots are few and far between and lie almost exactly along the perf line. The panes are (F) WT 2-bar PVA and therefore were printed after July/72.

For the Type I dot pattern, the dots lie between the fifth and sixth rows and NOT between the first two rows as mentioned in Keane & Hughes 2nd Ed. The dots are present for the entire width of the pane, extending right into the selvage on either side. The panes I have were numbered "21", "22", "23" and "24". The dots are present on all four sheets. The dot pattern on panes 21 and 24 are identical, panes 22 and 23 being still different. I have tried to show this in the figure. The figure is a close up of the bottom edge of the fifth row and the top edge of the sixth row and shows columns nine and ten, ie the last two on the right of the pane.

The explanation? Recall the pane layout for the Gobel web-fed press as shown in the article by Leopold Beaudet in Newsletter No. 9: The printing plate is circular with three plates around the circumference. Every third pane will be printed by the same plate. It just so happens that I was lucky enough to stumble across four NUMBERED panes. What this means is that the dots in the margin must be the remnants of some sort of seam that remains from gluing the cylindrical plates together to make the 2 by 3 pane printing plate. Where this seam occurs for the other four dot patterns is anyone's guess.





#455 - 2 cent Dot below E of POSTES, position 84

It's of continuing interest for a couple of reasons. It comes on several different versions of the two cent, yet it is still rather elusive. Also, so far it's the only reported constant flaw on a Canadian Banknote printed Centennial.

Ed Butler's original report was on three mint blocks of 455iv (i.e., fluorescent paper with PVA gum, and 1 bar Winnipeg tag).

Mike Painter reports scanning Vancouver dealer stocks. He found only one mint copy of the flaw, on untagged low fluorescent paper with PVA gum. His search for used copies yielded 6 examples in 20,000 ! Four of these are on untagged, low fluorescent paper, and two are general tagged. One of the untagged copies (455iii) has an unclear 1973 date. One of the general tagged copies (455p) on low fluorescent paper, is postmarked Winnipeg 17 XII 1973.

John Aitken found one used copy of 455iii on a CN Express form postmarked May 31, 1973.

Jim Watt reports finding mint copies on both PVA and dex gummed papers. The latter is particularly interesting for what it might be able to tell us about how the 2 cent was printed.

Jim found the flaw with dex on several pieces in a Toronto dealer's stock. The corner blocks were missing and Jim doesn't recall seeing any cutting lines or guide dots. As noted on p.66 of the 2ND edition of Keane and Hughes, their presence or absence may go a long way towards narrowing down which one of twelve panes the flaw is present on.

More reports of this flaw are desired, particularly of dated copies and mint pieces with or without selvedge markings.

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Mike Painter points out that with six panes of 100 per plate, and two plates of 600 printed at a time, the flaw may appear once in every 1200 stamps. The fact that it comes on both dex and PVA gummed stamps suggests that new plates were not made initially for the PVA stamps, if at all.

#### Other Flaws and Variety Reports

Mike Painter reports finding a third copy of the 6 cent orange with the doubled second A in CANADA (reported last issue, p.389).

Anthony Scuito has been working through 25 kilos of mixture. He reports finding a blank adhesive strip, perf 12 1/2 X 12 stuck on the back of a pair of normal stamps (denomination not specified). What could this be? A paste-up of some sort?

Ray Metcalf also has been busy with a 25 kilo mixture. His finds include "a single 8 cent coil 'imperf' (on piece but no CDS) ... also ... a very nice copy of the 6 cent orange counterfeit on piece, tied to it but no CDS, unfortunately."

Several members, including William Muttera, Mike Painter and Hugh Delaney, have been intrigued by the 8 cent Library with extended frame lines.

Hugh Delaney writes: "In the case of the extended lines and marks on the temple, they appear on plain, low fluorescence, medium, high and dull; all bear general tagging."

Hugh also comments on a like variety he has found. "With regard to the 'Broken Border' variety, it appears on Winnipeg tagged stamps with various fluorescence. The variety shows a weak irregular right border instead of the normal solid line."

Mike notes: "As I go through my kiloware I've noticed that there is a lot of variation on this item. Sometimes the cracked forehead is very prominent, but the frame lines aren't. Other times it's reversed. On still others there's a correlation. I've been setting aside all sorts of different examples with a view to sometime - making a sketch of the range that occurs. Since it's an inking rather than a plate problem it's not surprising that there's a lot of variation. When time permits, I'll do some sketches for the newsletter."

#### Sunlight Affects Paper Fluorescence

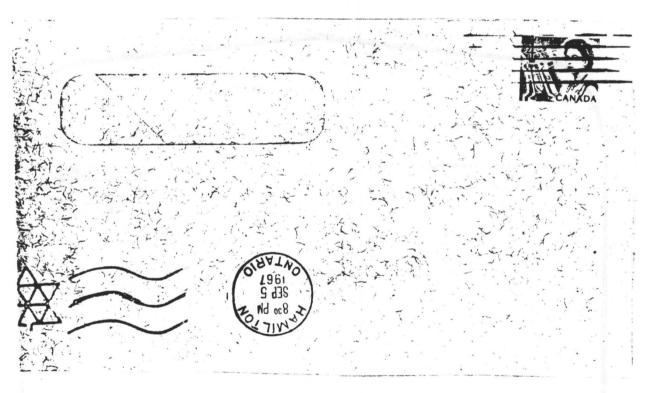
Len Kruczynski has some additional observations. He writes: "Find enclosed some Centennials that show a "two-tone" effect under the lamp. I acquired these items at a recent auction so I don't know their history, but I just bet they were sitting in a stock sheet in the sun (or maybe under the lamp overnight?). The 20 cent value clearly shows a higher level of HB on the right half. The 6 cent (a Winnipeg tag) clearly shows that the Winnipeg tagging is also very sensitive to sunlight. The "afterglow" on this stamp is much brighter on the lower half (presumably shielded by the stocksheet). There is also a change in the paper shade, but not as dramatic as the 20 cent HB. From a chemist's point of view, it is

not surprising that the optical brightener in the HB stamps should fade in sunlight: the active material (optical brightener) is spread in a very thin layer on the surface of the paper fibers and/or the binder; it is very vulnerable to chemical degradation by the uv light in sunlight. On the other hand, materials like calcium carbonate, titanium dioxide and kaolinite clay would NOT, per se, be susceptible to attack by uv light."

### Collecting Postmarks on Centennials

Mike Painter's article struck a chord with several people. Robin Harris sent in copies of pages he made to show time marks, times, months in letters and Roman numerals, and a calendar collection. (The pages are beautifully designed and printed on a laser printer.)

Jeff Switt wondered if there would be any interest in the Centennial logo slogan cancels. He sent a photocopy of an inverted one.



Arnold Benjaminsen provided an example of a London Emergency, postmark for 1969. More on this in a later issue.

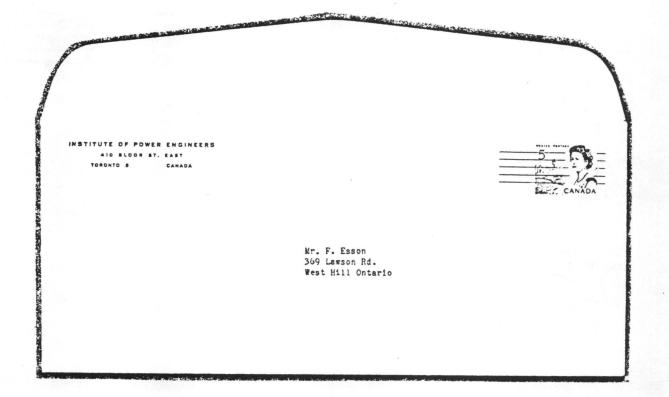
David Platt writes that he specializes in the 6 cent orange stamps. He is trying to complete a collection of Ontario town cancels (approximately 2500 including all subs) on 459 or 468A with 1968, 1969 or 1970 dates. If you can help David, write to him at RR1, Elgin, Ont. KOG 1E0.

#### NEW FIND -- UNLISTED SPECIAL ORDER ENVELOPE

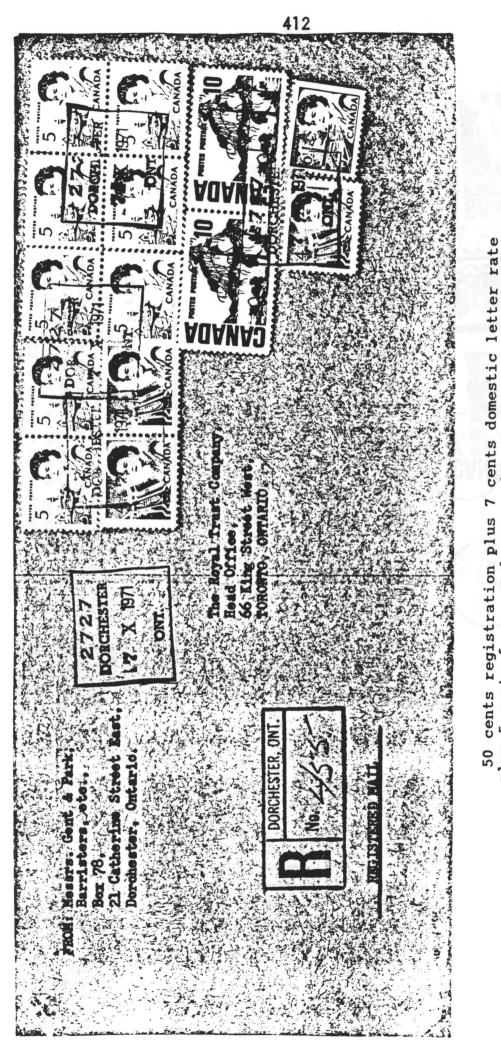
Wayne Harms made a nice find of a new Centennial special order envelope. It will be listed in the next edition of the Webb catalogue.

From the front the envelope appears to be a regular issue, but the absence of a "postal inspection" notice on the back, and a different shape of flap, disclose its true status.

The Institute of Power Engineers began using special order envelopes with the 2 cent Wilding in 1957, and also had a #10 envelope similar to the 5 cent precancel bearing the 2 cent revised Karsh, in 1963. The 5 cent was used in 1969 and was followed by a regular issue #10, 5 cent precancel. What did they use in the interim? Can anyone locate a 3 cent Centennial (or Cameo) special order, with the Institute's corner card?



On the following pages, we have two interesting registered covers from Scott Traquair, including one with the first military markings we have shown in the newsletter. As well, thanks to Robert Lemire, we have the valuable reference source promised last issue.



rate peculiar ಹ Here is a pretty four colour rate cover with from Scott Traquair. structure,

plus 5 cents for second ounce plus 6 cents for third ounce

plus 10 cents for 4-8 ounces. Used October 7, 1971.

Brigade Group from June 1, 1964 to August 31, 1970). The 30 cents airmail charge would be for 2 X 1/2 ounce @ 15 cents per 1/2 ounce. Note also a CFPO 5050 used January 31, 1969 from CFPO - 102 (Canadian Forces Post Office in Soest, Germany which was used by Unit 4 of the Canadian Mechanized 50 cents registration plus 30 cents airmail rate Backstamp - Werl, Germany 1 31 3 -E 97 CFP0-102 531 en Z -4.4. 3

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8	3-10-13	POSTAGE STAMP PROCEDUREPOSTAGE STAMP DIVISION RESPONSIBILITY RE:MARKETING PROGRAM.	1 2	1970 1971	1971
8	3-10-15-1	PROCEDURE (PHILATELIC) PROGRAM.	1	1972	1973-1984
12	8-1-1	SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS OF SPECIAL PHILATELIC VALUE OR INTEREST.	16	1968	1971
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14	8-1-36	NOTES ON STAMP DESIGNS OF CANADA.	1	1929	1968
14	8-1-38	DEMONETIZATION OF CANADIAN POSTAGE STAMPS.	1	1934	1970
14	8-1-40	QUESTION OF INDICATING YEAR/DATE ON ALL POSTAGE STAMP ISSUES OTHER THAN COMMEMORATIVES.	1	1935	1972
14	8-1-41	DISPLAY CASES FOR PHILATELIC PURPOSES IN POST OFFICES.	2	1964	1967
15	8-1-58	(PHILATELIC) FOREIGN GOVERNMENT PHILATELIC AGENCIES.	1.0	1965	1969
15	8-1-60	QUESTION OF PLACEMENT OF PLATE NUMBERS ON SHEETS OF POSTAGE STAMPS.	5	1960	1970
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16	8-1-93	PHILATELIC-GENERAL-KAULBACH ISLAND LOCAL CARRIAGE SERVICE.	1	1971	1971
16	8-2-1	DISPOSALS OF USED STAMPS TO PHILATELISTS-SALE.	2	1933	1970
17	8-4-1	PHILATELIC STOCK.	1	1929	1 <b>9</b> 69
17	8-4-3	VARIETIES AND ERRORS IN PHILATELIC STOCK.	1 .	1933	1968
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18	8-6-21-10	SOUVENIR CARDS AND FOLDER-SERIES 10.	1	1967	1968
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18	8-6-21-12	SOUVENIR CARDS AND FOLDER-SERIES 12.	1	1969	1970
18	8-6-21-13	SOUVENIR CARDS AND FOLDER-SERIES 13.	1	1970	1971
18	8-6-21-14	SOUVENIR CARDS AND FOLDER-SERIES 14.	1	1972	1972
18	8-6-24	CENTENNIAL SOUVENIR CARD.	1	1965	1966
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26	8-16-2	FIRST DAY COVERS-POLICY.	1 1	1959	1969
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26	8-16-13	PROVISION OF FIRST DAY COVER SERVICE IN LOCATIONS OTHER THAN OTTAWA.	1	1959	1971
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35	13-1-5	PLASTIC DISPENSERS FOR "ROLL-PAC".	1	1964	1969
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63	13-19-23	SPECIAL POSTCARDS-CITY OF CRANBROOK B.C	1	1960	1969
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63	13-21-1	POSTAGE STAMP BOOKS-SUGGESTIONS, ENQUIRIES,	3	1966	1968
		AND MISCELLANEOUS CORRESPONDENCE.	4	1968	1972
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			2	1969	1972
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		AND COLLECTION OF DEFICIENT POSTAGE.	6	1967	1969
			7	1969	1970
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		DEPARTMENTS.	5	1969	1971
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