

Postal Stationery Notes

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The changeover to the year 2000 was commemorated with only one postal stationery item, very conservative compared to all the new stamp issues, although we had to pay \$8.99 plus tax for the 'Millennium Keepsake' to get the one card. Canada Post also created two special cancellations to mark the passing of the second and start of the third millennium. To receive this service, items with proper postage applied had to be sent to the National Philatelic Center in Antigonish by January 31, 2000. I had sent a millennium postal card for that special cancellation to Antigonish on December 29th, but have not received it back yet.

In this issue we resume the listing of 'orders for postal stationery supplies' Robert Lemire had photocopied from documents in Canadian Archives with information on the early QEII issues of the 1st Karsh and Wilding designs. Also in this issue is the first part of a listing of the Canadian Express Company cards. John Grace is attempting the listing of all Railway and Express cards with a different front and back. Please let us all help him, by letting him know about any corrections, additions or new items, so he can succeed in that gigantic job.

I would like to remind all members again, I need more material for the newsletter. Also I would like to revive the PSSG Marketplace. So let me know if you want to buy or sell any postal stationery. Remember, all ads are free.



DUES: If your label on the envelope reads V15#1, your study group fee is now due. Please make out the cheque (Can. \$8.00 or U.S. equivalent) to 'JOHN GRACE' not to the Postal Stationery Study Group.

Dues or any change of mailing address should be sent to John Grace, 734 Aspen Rd. Pickering, On. L1V 4H2
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What's New

in Postal Stationery

SELF MAILER

On January 17, 2000 Canada Post issued a self mailer with a \$0.46 denomination named "A Word of Love". The postage indicia has been developed to reflect the Valentine's Day theme. The shape of this item is similar to the letter cards 1893-1899, with perforations all around a glued salvage. This Valentine prepaid mailer is only available at the Philatelic Center and through selected postal outlets and in some Hallmark stores in Calgary and Edmonton.

The price is \$1.99 plus tax and the postage paid is only

for mailings within Canada.

CARDS

A prepaid 'Postcard Factory' card previously only known in brown printing was now reported in black printing also:

CY 55 •

SPECIAL ENVELOPES

A greeting inside a prestamped envelope was issued with the stamp impression similar to the stamp "IMAX: A New Kind of Movie". It is one of the stamps in the "Millennium Collection".

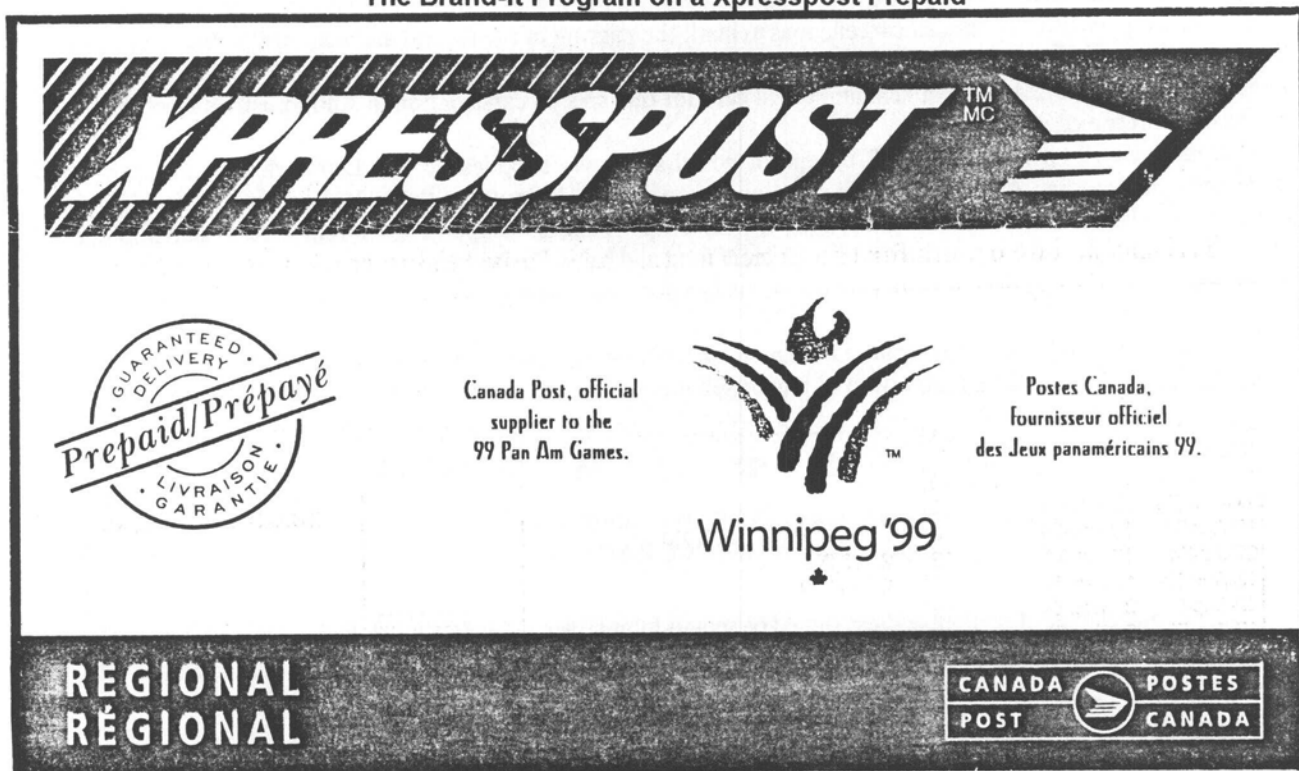
I have not received that item from the Philatelic Center yet, to give you more details, but I recommend to order soon, because not very many are available. Some

collectors may miss seeing it in the product listing in "Details", because it is not listed under postal stationery, instead it is listed under "Related Products" as "IMAX Greeting card" product number 341080. The price is a rather steep \$4.80 plus tax. Also listed there is the Valentine prepaid mailer under "A Word of Love" (product number 101644).

XPRESSPOST

I was fortunate to get two Xpresspost prepaid standard size envelopes (Regional and National) with the previously reported "Brand-It Program", regular Xpresspost envelopes with additional special order printings applied by Canada Post. Below is a reduced size photo copy of the Regional envelope. The Winnipeg '99 logo is multicoloured.

The Brand-It Program on a Xpresspost Prepaid



The Early CBNC Elizabethan Post Cards

Robert Lemire

Several years ago, I had photocopies made of many of the documents in Canadian Archives files RG3, acc. 86/87-396, Box 67, File 13-27-3 (PSN Vol. 12, p. 20) that are related to orders for supplies from the Canadian Bank Note Company (CBNC) during the 1950s. John Aitken went through the material and compiled summaries, two of which appeared in PSN Vol. 12, pp. 40-41 (the last George VI post card orders) and in Vol. 13, page 4 (the 1954 post card surcharge order). We resume the series with information on the early QEII issues of the 1st Karsh and Wilding designs.

The Post Office orders distinguished "regular", "ivory" and "advertising" cards. The regular cards were those issued as over-the-counter single cards, the ivory cards are the cards printed on what the catalogues call mimeo stock. The ivory cards were distributed (and ordered) either as single cards (1-on) or strips of three (3-on) rouletted between. The advertising cards were ordered only in sheet format (8-on, 16-on and 32-on). The order acknowledgment letters from CBNC also distinguish between the 1953 issue (1th Karsh), the 1954 issue (typographed Wilding) and the 1955 issue (offset Wilding). For example, the letter (dated November 23, 1955) from CBNC concerning the order of November 16 lists "2¢ Post Cards, 1955 Issue", "2¢ Post Cards, Ivory, 3/on, 1954 Issue" and "2¢ Advertising Post Cards, 8/on, 1953 Issue".

The orders for the regular and ivory cards are listed in Table 1; the orders for the advertising cards are listed in Table 2. There are several points worth noting.

The 1st Karsh design was used only for the advertising cards, and no other design was used for such cards, probably for the entire QEII portion of the CBNC contract, but at least until 1958.

It would appear that single, unused copies of Webb's P83, P83a and P85 (1st Karsh) were prepared by cutting the larger sheets kept in Post Office stock, although such single copies were probably sold through the philatelic agency.

The 2¢ regular offset Wilding cards were first available (late 1955) almost a year before the 2¢ ivory stock offset cards or the 4¢ offset cards (second half of 1956). This is in good agreement with the ERP list.

As suggested to me some time ago by John Aitken, the 1st Karsh ivory cards (both 1-on and 3-on (rouletted)), were apparently issued only late in the period of the CBNC contract. The records seem incomplete after early 1957; this is probably the reason there is no information about orders for Webb's P83i the 3-on 1st Karsh card (but, also see footnote (d) to Table 1). However, we also know CBNC expected to supply the Wilding design 3-on cards as late as January 3, 1959.

TABLE 2: The orders for the Elizabethan CBNC advertising cards to Dec. 1959

Webb's #			P83 2¢ advert. card		P83a 2¢ prec. advert. card	P85 4¢ advert. card	
ERP			8-on	16-on 26-Feb-54	32-on	8-on 06-Dec-54	16-on 3-Jul-54
ordered	confirmed	order #					
09-Nov-53	10-Nov-53	421	2,000,000	300,000			
08-Jan-54	15-Jan-54	(a,b) 427	2,000,000			1,000,000	
12-Feb-54	17-Feb-54	(a,c) 430					200,000 1,000,000
08-Apr-54	13-Apr-54	2					2,000,000 300,000
15-Apr-54	19-Apr-54	3		1,000,000			
07-Jul-54	12-Jul-54	12	2,000,000				
13-Aug-54	19-Aug-54	16	2,000,000				
29-Sep-54	30-Sep-54	18				1,000,000	
19-Jan-55	24-Jan-55	27				1,000,000	
20-Apr-55	04-May-55	36	1,000,000			1,000,000	
10-Jun-55	14-Jun-55	38	2,000,000	1,000,000			
22-Aug-55	24-Aug-55	41					
02-Sep-55	07-Sep-55	42				1,000,000	
26-Sep-55	06-Oct-55	43				1,000,000	
19-Oct-55	27-Oct-55	44	1,000,000				
16-Nov-55	23-Nov-55	45	1,000,000				
11-Jan-56	26-Jan-56	(d) 49B	2,000,000			2,000,000	1,000,000
08-Feb-56	10-Feb-56	(e) 52		300,400			500,000
13-Jun-56	25-Jun-56	58	2,000,000				
29-Jun-56	04-Jul-56	60		500,000			
16-Jul-56	18-Jul-56	62					1,000,000
20-Aug-56	22-Aug-56	64	3,000,000	1,000,000			
13-Sep-56	14-Sep-56	66				1,000,000	
29-Jan-57	31-Jan-57	(f) 73					200,000
12-Feb-57	21-Feb-57	(g) 4	1,000,000	500,000		1,000,000	
17-May-57	28-May-57	9	2,500,000			1,000,000	
22-Jul-57	24-Jul-57	11				1,000,000	
27-Sep-57	02-Oct-57	14					200,000
11-Dec-57		(h) ?		500,000			
NO RECORDS AVAILABLE FOR 1958							
03-Jan-59		(i) 3					2,500,000
19-Jun-59		13	1,500,000			1,500,000	500,000
TOTALS			25,000,000	5,100,400	266,752	13,500,000	9,900,000 1,500,000

- (a) George VI cards were also ordered on this requisition
- (b) for delivery Apr. 1, 1954
- (c) for delivery before Mar. 31, 1954
- (d) for delivery after Apr. 1, 1956

- (e) for delivery before Mar. 31, 1956
- (f) for delivery before Mar. 31, 1957
- (g) for delivery after Mar. 31, 1957
- (h) from the summary of outstanding orders dated Nov. 13, 1959

(i) a letter dated June 2 from the P.O. changes 3,000,000 to 2,500,000 and 18,000 8-ons to 16-ons to complete 50,000 16-ons for Montreal

Table 1: The orders for the Elizabethan CBNC regular and ivory cards to Dec. 1959

Webb's #	1954 design				1955 design		1953 design						
	ordered	confirmed	order #	regular (single) P87	2¢ card ivory 1-on P87a	ivory 3-on P87b	4¢ card regular (single) P88	regular (single) P89	2¢ card ivory 1-on P89a	ivory 3-on P89b	4¢ card regular (single) P90	2¢ card ivory 1-on P83d	ivory 3-on P83i
ERP													
	07-Jul-54	12-Jul-54	12	23-Oct-54	08-Nov-54	29-Oct-54	22-Feb-55	01-Nov-55	11-Nov-56	03-Jun-57	27-Sep-56	02-Apr-60	09-Aug-60
				5,000,000	200,000	900,000	300,000						
	13-Aug-54	19-Aug-54	16			600,000	2,000,000						
	29-Sep-54	30-Sep-54	18		300,000								
	04-Nov-54	05-Nov-54	20	1,000,000	200,000								
	09-Dec-54	17-Dec-54	23		200,000								
	19-Jan-55	24-Jan-55	27	5,000,000	400,000	900,000	2,000,000						
	19-Jan-55	26-Jan-55	(a) 28	1,000,000									
	08-Feb-55	18-Feb-55	(b) 31	3,000,000	300,000								
	20-Apr-55	04-May-55	36		300,000								
	10-Jun-55	14-Jun-55	38		300,000								
	02-Sep-55	07-Sep-55	42		300,000	900,000	2,000,000						
	19-Oct-55	27-Oct-55	44		300,000	600,000	1,000,000	3,000,000					
	16-Nov-55	23-Nov-55	45		300,000	900,000	2,000,000	2,000,000					
	14-Dec-55	20-Dec-55	48		300,000								
	11-Jan-56	26-Jan-56	(c,d) 49B		300,000								
	08-Feb-56	10-Feb-56	(e,f) 52	1,500,000	600,000	900,000							
	24-May-56	29-May-56	57		300,000	741,000							
	13-Jun-56	25-Jun-56	58		600,000								
	20-Aug-56	22-Aug-56	64		600,000								
	22-Oct-56	24-Oct-56	68		300,000								
	20-Dec-56	07-Jan-57	72										
	12-Feb-57	21-Feb-57	(g) 4										
	17-May-57	28-May-57	9										
	NO RECORDS AVAILABLE FOR 1968												
	03-Jan-59		(h) ?										
	03-Jun-59		(h) ?										
	19-Jun-59		13										
	26-Nov-59	02-Dec-59	(i) 3										
	TOTALS				16,500,000	4,000,000	5,541,000	9,300,000	32,000,000	3,600,000	3,600,000	10,500,000	800,000

(a) for delivery after Apr. 1, 1955
 (b) for delivery before Mar. 31, 1955
 (c) for delivery after Apr. 1, 1956
 (d) both the requisition and the confirmation show the ivory 3-on rouletted cards as the 1953 design - probably in error
 (e) for delivery before Mar. 31, 1956
 (f) the "1954 design" noted for the regular stock 2¢ card could be a typographical error for "1955 design"
 (g) for delivery after Mar. 31, 1957
 (h) from the summary of outstanding orders dated Nov. 13, 1959
 (i) to be delivered after Apr. 1, 1960 (note: this was arranged even though CBNC cancelled its contract for printing the post cards and bands effective Dec. 22, 1959)

THE CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY

The Canadian Express Company was incorporated in 1865.

In 1891 the Grand Trunk Railway purchased the capital stock for \$660,000. Thereafter the stock of the company was held for the Grand Trunk by trustees. From September 1, 1921, the company became the Canadian National Express Company.

This section will list cards headed «Canadian Express Company». Often there is another company name, like «American Express Company», or «National Express Company». These companies sometimes shared space with the Canadian Express Company under the name «General Express Office» and are included here.

The earliest date that we have seen is a text date on P1. It was used from Toronto ON, December 30, 1875.

In order to have a clear, uncluttered listing, we have tried to keep printed descriptions to a minimum, and let the illustrations of the backs speak for themselves.

In the printed listings, *Front: Blank* means that there is no printing other than the standard postal card heading.

Under *Back*: we give the heading; its length in millimeters; the total number of lines of text and/or rules, including the heading; and the *Dateline*: with the city or town if it appears. Additional information that we feel is necessary is added as a *Note*.

[Back #...] gives the number of the illustration.

We have tried to illustrate cards on the page on which they are listed.

The cards we list here represent the holdings of two collectors only. We invite members of the Study group to submit items in their collection that are not shown.

Photocopies should be of both sides, at 100%. Please include the Webb number of the card, and the measurement, in millimeters, of the heading on the back of the card.

Send to:

John Grace, 734 Aspen Road, Pickering, ON L1V 4H2, Canada

Our objective is to make as complete a listing as we can. It will be a big job, and we hope that we can count on your support. For the time being, we ask for submissions on cards with blank fronts from P1 to the end of Edward VII. Cards with printing added to the fronts will be the subject of Part II, so we are also seeking photocopies of «Express Collection Service», «Special Rates for Currency and Gold Coin», and «Facsimile Money Order» cards to the end of George V.

PART I - CARDS WITH PLAIN FRONTS - P1 to P22

1 cent blue FIRST ISSUE Montreal & Ottawa (P1)

1.	Front: Blank Back: «General Express Office» (77 mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: «Toronto,...187» [Back # 1]
2	Front: Blank Back: «Canadian Express Office» (73 mm.). Text: 11 lines. Dateline: «Picton, Ont.,...187» [Back # 2]
3	Front: Blank Back: «General Express Office» (87 mm.). Text: 13 lines. Dateline: «Toronto,...187» [Back # 3]

General Express Office,
55 AND 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, *Dec 30* 187*6*
CAN. EX. CO. }
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk *1.50* from *Chatham*
Charges, \$ *1.50*, C.O.D. \$ _____, Total, \$ *1.50*
Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

◀ Back # 1

Back # 2 ▶

Canadian Express Company,
Picton, Ont., *Nov 16* 187*7*
This day received per express to your address
It will be delivered on payment of following
Collection _____
Express Freight *1.50*
Postage *2*
Please present this card when calling for the above.
J. A. RAWSON, Agent.

General Express Office,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, *Apr 23* 187*7*
CAN. EX. CO. }
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk *1.00* from *N.Y.*
Charges, \$ _____, C.O.D. \$ _____, Total, \$ *1*
Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.
IN BOND
These goods cannot be forwarded until we receive invoice to pass Customs and guarantee for all charges. Will be sold by Public Auction under the existing Customs laws, unless duly cleared and Duty paid within thirty days from this date.

◀ Back # 3

Back # 10 ▶

General Express Office,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto *20 Dec* 187*6*
CAN. EX. CO. }
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk *1.13* from *London*
Charges, \$ *2.50*, C.O.D. \$ _____, Total, \$ _____
Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.
Please furnish invoice to enable us to pass entry at Customs, and take notice that the above mentioned property will be sold by Public Auction, under the existing Customs laws, unless duly cleared and duty paid within 30 days from the date of this advice.

1 cent blue MONTREAL PLATES ISSUE Montreal (P2)

1	Front: Blank Back: «General Express Office» (90 mm.). Text: 13 lines. Dateline: «Toronto,...187» [Back # 10]
2	Front: Blank Back: «General Express Office» (80 mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: «Toronto, ...187» [Back # 11]
3	Front: Blank Back: «General Express Office» (85 mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: «Toronto,...187» [Back # 12] Note: Back is handstamped

GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, *Oct 28* 187*6*
CAN. EX. CO. }
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk *45* from *Hamilton*
Charges, \$ *2.00*, C.O.D. \$ *2.00*, Total, \$ *4.00*
Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

◀ Back # 11

Back # 12 ▶

GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, *Dec 31* 187*7*
CAN. EX. CO. }
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk _____ from _____
Charges, \$ _____, C.O.D. \$ _____, Total, \$ *1.50*
Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

1 cent blue MONTREAL PLATES ISSUE Montreal (P2)

4	Front: Blank. Back: OFFICE OF THE(43 mm.)/CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY, (99 mm.). Text: 9 lines Dateline: Ottawa, ... 1877 [Back # 13]
5	Front: Blank. Back: GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE, (93 mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: Toronto, ... 187 [Back # 14]
6	Front: Blank. Back: GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE, (100 mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: Toronto, ... 187 [Back # 15]
7	Front: Blank. Back: General Express Office, (75 mm.). Text: 12 lines. Dateline: Toronto, 18 [Back # 16]

1 cent green NEWFOUNDLAND Prince of Wales 1880 (P3)

1	Front: Blank Back: CANADIAN EXPRESS CO. (53 mm.). Text: 11 lines. Dateline: St. John's, Nfld.,... 189 [Front # 1] Back # 20]
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OFFICE OF THE
CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY,
11 ELGIN STREET,
Ottawa, Dec 5th 1877.

We have received to your address and hold at your risk
1 Box from Toronto
Charges, \$ 1.10 C.O.D. \$ Total, \$ 1.10.

Please call for same and present this notice.
C. C. RAY, Agent.

◀ Back # 13

GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, May 15th 79
CAN. EX. CO. }

We have received to your address and hold at your risk
1 Box from Salt Pk
Charges, \$ C.O.D. \$ Total, \$

Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

Back # 14 ▶

GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, June 4th 1880
CAN. EX. CO. }

We have received to your address and hold at your risk
1 Box from Salt Pk
Charges, \$ C.O.D. \$ Total, \$

Please call for same and present this notice.
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

◀ Back # 15

General Express Office,
55 & 57 YONGE ST.,
AMER. EX. CO. } Toronto, Apr 18th 1880
CAN. EX. CO. }

We have received to your address, and hold at your risk
1 Box from Salt Pk
Charges, \$ 1.00 C.O.D. \$ Total, \$ 1.00

J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

BE IN BOND.
These goods cannot be forwarded until we receive Invoice to pass Customs and guarantee for all charges. Will be sold by Public Auction under the existing Customs laws, unless duly cleared and Duty paid within thirty days from this date.

Back # 16 ▶

NEWFOUNDLAND
POSTAGE
THE ADDRESS MUST BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE
Mr. Murray
St. John's
1880

◀ Front # 1

CANADIAN EXPRESS CO.
St. John's, Nfld. Apr 17th 1880

Dear Sir
I beg to notify you of the arrival in your address of
1 Box per Salt Pk from
charges on which
amount to \$ 2.50 on payment of which delivery
order will be given to Customs.

EDWIN MURRAY,
Agent.

WHEN APPLYING PRESENT THIS CARD.

Back # 20 ▶

1 cent blue/violet/gray POINTED ORNAMENTS ISSUE 1882 (P5)

1	Front: Blank. Back: GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE, (95mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: Toronto, ... 1883 [Back # 25]
1a	Front: Blank. Back: GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE, (95 mm.). Text: 9 lines. Dateline: Toronto, ... 1884 [Back # 26]

1 cent blue/violet/slate/gray SCROLLWORK ISSUE 1887 (P7)

1	Front: Blank. [Back # 30] Back: OFFICE OF CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (91 mm.). Text: 13 lines. Dateline: ... 188
2	Front: Blank. Back: OFFICE OF CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (103 mm.). Text: 15 lines. Dateline: Halifax, N.S. ... 189 [Back # 31]
3	Front: Blank Back: Office Canadian Express Company. (95 mm.). Text: 13 lines. Dateline: ... 188 [Back # 32]

1 cent ultramarine/blue FIRST ROSETTE ISSUE 1891 (P9)

1	Front: Blank. [Back #40] Back: OFFICE OF CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (91 mm.). Text: 15 lines. Dateline: ... 189
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GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET.
AMER. EX CO : Toronto, Oct 18 1883
CAN. EX CO :
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk, \$10.00 from _____
Charges, \$ 25 C.O.D. \$ _____ Total, \$ _____
Please call for same and present this notice
J. D. IRWIN, Agent.

◀ Back # 25

GENERAL EXPRESS OFFICE,
55 & 57 YONGE STREET.
AMER. EX CO : Halifax, N.S. 14/11 1883
CAN. EX CO :
We have received to your address, and hold at your risk, \$10.00 from _____
Charges, \$ 10 C.O.D. \$ 11 Total, \$ 20.00
Please call for same and present this notice
J. D. IRWIN, Agent

Back # 26 ▶

OFFICE OF CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY,
Beauséjour, N.S. 1883
Sir:—I have this day received per Express, to your address, \$10.00
which remains entirely at the risk of the owner, and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:
Charges advanced
Express freight
Cash paid Customs duty
Warehouse
Broker's commission for entry
Collection
Total, \$ 5.50
J. D. Irwin Agent.

◀ Back # 30

OFFICE OF CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY,
Halifax, N.S. 14/11 1883
Sir:—I have this day received per Express, to your address, \$10.00
which remains entirely at the risk of the owner, and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:
Charges advanced
Express freight 65
Cash paid Customs Duty 2
Warehouse
Broker's commission for entry 14 33
Collection
Total, \$ 14.98
H. McCallum, Agent.

Back # 31 ▶

Office Canadian Express Company,
Halifax, N.S. 1883
Sir:—I have this day received per Express, to your address, \$10.00
which remains entirely at the risk of the owner, and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:
Charges advanced
Customs charges
Express freight
Collection
Total, \$ 5.50
J. D. Irwin Agent.

◀ Back # 32

OFFICE OF CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY,
Beauséjour, N.S. 6/11 1892
Sir:—I have this day received per Express, to your address, \$10.00
which remains entirely at the risk of the owner, and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:
Charges advanced
Express freight 30 cts
Cash paid Customs duty
Warehouse
Broker's commission for entry
Collection
Total, \$ 10.00
J. D. Irwin Agent.

Back # 40 ▶

1 cent black BLACK ROSETTE ISSUE (152 X 92 mm.) (P13)

1	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Back:</i> CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (64mm.). Text: 29 lines. Dateline: 189 [Back # 50] <i>Note:</i> Vertical. At bottom: 20,000 places</p>
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1 cent black BLACK ROSETTE ISSUE (140 x 86 mm.)(P14)

1	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Back:</i> CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (64 mm.). Text: 29 lines. Dateline: ... 189 [Back # 60] <i>Note:</i> Vertical. At bottom: ...20,000 Places...</p>
2	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Back:</i> CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (99 mm.). Text: 17 lines. Dateline: ... 189 [Back # 61]</p>
3	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Back:</i> CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (71 mm.). Text: 30 lines. Dateline: ... 189 [Back # 62] <i>Note:</i> Vertical. At bottom: ...25,000 places...</p>
4	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Back:</i> CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (71 mm.). Text: 30 lines. Dateline: ... 189 [Back # 63] <i>Note:</i> Vertical. At bottom: ...45,000 places...</p>

CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.
Letin Oct 1 1893
 SIR: I have this day received per Express, to your address
Rareel Bond
 which remains entirely at the risk of the Owner, and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:

Charges advanced	
Express Freight	
Cash paid Customs Duty	
Warehouse	
Broker's Commission for Entry	
Collection	
Total	

J. A. Rawson Agent
 Agents will record date of giving this notice opposite entry of shipment in their record of way-bills received.
IF STRANGERS MUST BE IDENTIFIED.

MONEY ORDERS
 SOLD AT THE FOLLOWING LOW RATES:
 \$5 and under, 35c. Over 20 to 30, 12c.
 Over 5 to 10, 40c. " 30 to 40, 15c.
 " 10 to 20, 45c. " 40 to 50, 20c.
 Over \$50 at same rates.
 Payable at 20,000 Places in Canada and United States.
 Safest method of Remitting.
 Money refunded if Orders are lost.

Back # 50

CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.
Canada - Hamburg
 SIR: I have this day received per Express, to your address
Hamburg
 which remains entirely at the risk of the Owner, and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:

Charges advanced	
Express Freight	
Cash paid Customs Duty	
Warehouse	
Broker's Commission for Entry	
Collection	
Total	

J. A. Rawson Agent
 Agents will record date of giving this notice opposite entry of shipment in their record of way-bills received.
IF STRANGERS MUST BE IDENTIFIED.

MONEY ORDERS
 SOLD AT THE FOLLOWING LOW RATES:
 \$5 and under, 35c. Over 20 to 30, 12c.
 Over 5 to 10, 40c. " 30 to 40, 15c.
 " 10 to 20, 45c. " 40 to 50, 20c.
 Over \$50 at same rates.
 Payable at 20,000 Places in Canada and United States.
 Safest method of Remitting.
 Money refunded if Orders are lost.

Back # 60

CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.
Canada - Hamburg
 SIR: I have this day received per Express, to your address
 which remains entirely at the risk of the Owner and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:

Charges advanced	
Express Freight	
Cash paid Customs Duty	
Warehouse	
Broker's Commission for Entry	
Collection	
Total	

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 Over \$50 at same rates.
 Payable at 20,000 places in Canada & United States.
 SAFEST METHOD OF REMITTING.
 MONEY REFUNDED IF ORDERS ARE LOST.

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CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.
 55 & 57 YONGE STREET,
 TORONTO.
 JOHN D. IRWIN, Agent.
Jan 17 1894
 We have received to your address and hold at your risk, *Jan 17 1894*
IN HOND. from *Jan 17 1894*
CHARGES.

Expense	
Express freight	
Entry fee	
Cash paid Duty and Warehouse	
Collection	
Manifest No.	
Received Payment	

Jan 17 1894
 Please furnish invoice to enable us to pass Customs, and send guarantee for all charges. Will be sold by Public Auction under the existing Customs laws, unless duly cleared and duty paid within thirty days from this date.

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CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.
25 May 1897
 SIR: I have this day received per Express, to your address
1104
 which remains entirely at the risk of the Owner and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:

Charges advanced	
Express Freight	
Cash paid Customs Duty	
Warehouse	
Broker's Commission for Entry	
Collection	
Total	

Agent
 Agents will record date of giving this notice opposite entry of shipment in their record of way-bills received.
IF STRANGERS MUST BE IDENTIFIED.

MONEY ORDERS
 SOLD AT THE FOLLOWING LOW RATES:
 Up to \$3, 3cents. Over 30 to 40, 15cents.
 Over 3 to 5, 4cents. " 40 to 50, 18cents.
 " 5 to 10, 5cents. " 50 to 60, 20cents.
 " 10 to 20, 10cents. " 60 to 75, 25cents.
 " 20 to 30, 12cents. " 75 to 100, 30cents.
 Over \$100, each additional \$50 order 15cts.
 Payable at 45,000 places in Canada & United States.
 MONEY REFUNDED IF ORDERS ARE LOST.

Back # 63

1 cent black JUBILEE ISSUE (P16)

1	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Back:</i> CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY. (69mm.). <i>Text:</i> 20 lines. <i>Dateline:</i> Toronto, ... 189 <i>Note:</i> One vertical line at left. Reported with «Canadian Express Company» u & l case (SPW).</p>	<p>[Back #70]</p>
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1 cent green MAPLE LEAF ISSUE (P17)

1	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Type</i> 6. <i>Back:</i> Canadian Express Company. (69 mm.). <i>Text:</i> 30 lines. <i>Dateline:</i> 189 <i>Note:</i> Vertical. At bottom: ...45.000 places...</p>	<p>[Back # 80]</p>
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1 cent green EDWARD VII ISSUE (P22)

1	<p><i>Front:</i> Blank. <i>Type</i> 6. <i>Back:</i> OFFICE OF {CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY NATIONAL EXPRESS COMPANY} (54½ mm. bracket to bracket) <i>Text:</i> 21 lines. <i>Dateline:</i> MONTREAL, ___ 191 <i>Note:</i> Back printing in red.</p>	<p>[Back # 90]</p>
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CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.
 55 & 57 YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

R. G. WILSON, Agent. 189

We have received to your address and hold at your risk, **IN BOND**, from _____

CHARGES.

Expense	
Express freight	
Entry fee	
Cash paid Duty and Warehouse	
Collection	
Manifest No.	
Received Payment	

Please furnish invoice to enable us to pass Customs, and send guarantee for all charges. Will be add by Public Auction under the existing Customs laws, unless duty cleared and duty paid within thirty days from this date. Must be receipted before presenting at Custom House.

Back # 70

[CANADIAN EXPRESS COMPANY.] CANADIAN EXPRESS BUILDING,
 [AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY.] McGill Street,
 [NATIONAL EXPRESS COMPANY.] 55 & 57 1912

MONTREAL, 191

I beg to notify you of the arrival by one of the above named Express Companies of shipment to your address as follows:

Shipped by Quality From London
 via Canada Entered on Customs Manifest No. A 935214

Dated 191 This shipment is now **IN BOND** at the Customs Examining Warehouse (Express Department) Youville Square, where it remains entirely at owner's risk. It cannot be stored under Customs Entry Storage.
 If it is not removed within 10 days storage charges will accrue, and after 30 days it is liable to be sold as unclaimed by the Customs Authorities.

If you desire to take delivery at the Customs Examining Warehouse, please forward invoice. If you wish to take delivery at the Customs Examining Warehouse, this Express Office will collect charges, give receipt, and obtain a delivery note.

W. J. ROY, General Agent.

STRANGERS ARE REQUIRED TO BE IDENTIFIED.
 Please present this notice with invoice or when applying for delivery order.

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Canadian Express Company.
 JORDAN STATION, Feb 10 1908

SIR: I have this day received per Express, to your address Quebec which remains entirely at the risk of the Owner and will be delivered on payment of the following charges:

Charges advanced	
Express Freight	20
Cash paid Customs Duty	
Warehouse	
Broker's Commission for Entry	
Collection	
TOTAL	

D. G. SMITH, Agent.
Agents will receive and deliver goods on this order, separate entry of shipment is their receipt if not bills received.

STRANGERS MUST BE IDENTIFIED.

MONEY ORDERS

PAID AT THE FOLLOWING LOW RATES:

Up to 42 cents	Over 42 to 49	15 cents.
Over 42 to 49 cents	40 to 50	18 cents.
50 to 60	60 to 75	20 cents.
75 to 100	100 to 125	25 cents.
125 to 150	150 to 200	30 cents.

Payable at \$5.000 places in Canada & United States
 MONEY REFUNDED IF ORDERS ARE LOST.

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