



# CANADIAN REVENUE NEWSLETTER

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## Coming Events

Nov. 21/23, 1986 - BNAPS Mid-Atlantic Group - at Virginia Beach, Va.

June 6, 1987 - Revenue Group Mini-convention, Willow Grove, Pa.

Sept. 17/19, 1987 - BNAPS Convention and Exhibition, Prince Edward Island

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Virginia Beach at the VAPEX Exhibition, the Mid-Atlantic Group of BNAPS will have a meeting on Saturday, Nov. 22, room will be announced. Anyone in the Mid-Atlantic area. We will have a great time at this get together Nov. 21 to 23. Be sure to come. I am looking forward to this. I know that at least 12 Revenuers will be there.

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Included in this Newsletter is a Study of the Third Issue Bill Stamps by our member Kirk Liggett.

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It is great saving Canadian Revenues, what other area of collecting has the continuing experience of new findings. See illustration of a new item, the Manitoba Search Fees. I am sure there are many more items to be uncovered. Keep on looking.

### UNLISTED MANITOBA SEARCH FEES

MG-8881 No. A <b>144251</b> Good For <b>ONE</b> <b>MORDEN</b> <b>SEARCH 75</b> L. T. O. Cents Void If Stub Detached	MG-8881 No. A <b>144251</b> This Stub is Your Receipt <b>ONE</b> <b>MORDEN</b> <b>SEARCH 75</b> L. T. O. Cents Not Good For Search
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75c black & red, "ONE SEARCH" to be used at the small Town of MORDEN, Manitoba only. These are now obsolete. \$1 black & red, "ONE SEARCH", L.T.O. LAND TITLES OFFICE Now used all over Manitoba.

BOTH ITEMS IN VF+ CONDITION ONLY ----- \$5.00 POSTPAID  
Complete booklet panes of 5 for only ---- \$25 postpaid.

Received in the Mail

Dick Lamb's list # 47 - In this listing Dick has 28 Revenue lots.

Bob Lee's Auction # 41 - November 29 with 24 Revenue lots. There is still time to get in your bids.

Jim Hennok's Auction to be held on Nov. 29. He has a listing of 8 revenue lots. There is still time to get in your bids.

van DAM'S ReneNews # 59 - This contains a fantastic listing of the Telephone and Telegraph Stamps. Also see the illustration of Manitoba Search Fee, an unlisted variety.

We seem to be fortunate in having a continuing source of Revenue material of all types and in all levels of price range, for us to add to our collections.

The dealers listed below support the Revenue Group and Newsletter  
Why not contact them for your Philatelic needs ?

K. Bileski Ltd., Station B., Winnipeg, Man., Canada R2W 3R4  
or Box 500, Pembina, North Dakota 58271

Jim A. Hennok Auctions, 185 Queen St. E., Toronto, Canada M5A 1S2

Robert Lee, Box 937, Vernon, B. C., Canada V1T 6M8

E. S. J. van DAM Ltd., Box 300, Bridgenorth, Ont., Can K0L 1H0

NEW MEMBER - Welcome to the Revenue Group

# 368 - Frank E. Oakes, 15 Beverly Place, Saint Louis, Mo. 63112

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I am sorry to announce the death of our member,

# 234 - Donald Makinen, Freeport, Texas. Don was the BNAPS Librarian Librarian is a time consuming task. It takes a really dedicated person to fill this post. We were fortunate to have Don.

Don did a splendid job and served the membership well.

It will be a tough assignment to fill this vacancy.

Some Notes on the Third Bill Issue

by Kirk Liggett

Authorized: 31 Victoria, Chapter 9, assented to 21 Dec. 1867.

Engraved: The British American Note Co.

From die proofs - the cent values measure  $3/4$ " x 1"

the dollar values are  $15/16$ " x  $1\ 3/16$ "

First issued in Feb. or March 1868. Printed in Ottawa until  
about Oct. 1872, thereafter in Montreal.

Sheets of 100 subjects (10 x 10).

Perforations are two types - some horizontal and vertical  
Horizontal differs from vertical, i. e., so called 12x12 or 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ x12  
(sic). Using Kiusalis gauge - to date - most common perf is 66x66  
(11.932 mm). I have about 10 other perfs and also not finished  
that phase.

Paper: Nelson Bond sorted out the paper into 5 categories.

- A. Pelure - a thin, porous, semi-transparent paper  
showing a faint horizontal or verticle mesh (1868-69)
- B. A medium to thick, fine quality wove paper, showing a  
horizontal mesh (1868-80)
- C. same wove paper, showing a distinct verticle mesh  
and a watermark (1868-69)
- D. A crisp, thinish, white to toned, wove paper showing  
a faint to distinct verticle (1870-73)
- E. A medium to thick, poor quality, grayish wove paper  
showing a horizontal mesh (1873-82)

The check sheet shows values reported to date, but only lets one put  
where the item fits in paper and perforation, i. e. The \$2 inverted  
center, I've seen, is paper B on the medium and perf 66x66.

Maybe some of you don't want to make these different classifications,  
but here it is.



