

**Squared Circle Postmarks of Canada on the
1898 Canadian 2¢ Imperial Penny Postage Issue (The 'Map Stamp'):
A Cover Census and Analysis**

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1. Introduction

This publication provides a census (hereafter referred to as the 'Census') of covers franked with the Canadian 2¢ Imperial Penny Postage Issue of 1898, the 'Map stamp', and postmarked with Squared Circle hammer strikes. The Map stamp was used primarily in the 14 month period from December 1898 to the end of January 1900 and, in one study, 98% of used Map stamps were found to be from this period.¹ By the time the Map stamp was available to prepay postage in early December 1898, approximately 1/3 of the 313 towns/RPO's that had been issued a Squared Circle hammer (some of these had multiple hammers or states) had stopped using it in favour of alternative postmarking devices. Thus, the short period of time in which the use of Squared Circle hammers overlapped with the use of the Map stamp has contributed to a relative scarcity of Squared Circle postmarked Map stamp covers compared to, for example, Squared Circle postmarked 3¢ Small Queen covers.

1.1 Previous Population Studies

The first mention of collecting Squared Circle postmarks on specialized stamps, including the Map stamp, can be found in the 2nd edition of the BNAPS Squared Circle Handbook published in 1959.² However, there is no listing in this handbook of the hammer strikes that could be found on the Map stamp and there is no evidence that a formal census was taken. The first roster/checklist of Squared Circles known to exist on Map stamp covers was compiled in 1971 by W.G. Moffat and can be found in 3 sequential issues of *BNA Topics*.³ Moffat published updated checklists in the *Roundup Annex* in 1977⁴ and again in 1982⁵. R.B. Winmill also published a checklist in his 1982 book "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and The Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp".⁶ In no case was there a population report associated with the checklist. The first population report of Squared Circle strikes on Map stamp covers appeared in Appendix A of the 4th edition of the BNAPS Squared Circle Handbook published in 1981.⁷ Data collection for second a population report took place from 1996 to 2000 and was included in Appendix A of the 5th edition of the BNAPS Squared Circle Handbook (hereafter referred to as 'Handbook #5').⁸ It reported the existence of 620 Map stamp covers with Squared Circle postmarks from 148 different hammers, less than half of the total number of Squared Circle hammers issued. Handbook #5 also reported that 10 hammers were documented only on covers (ie no off-cover Map stamp strikes were reported: Rothesay, Eastman, Waterloo QUE, Beeton, Marmora, Martintown, Merritton, St. Ann's, Pipestone, Souris) and 4 were unique Squared Circle strikes on the Map stamp (Rothesay, Beeton, Merritton, and St. Ann's).

It is possible that a partial, detailed itemized list of Map stamp covers might have existed at one time since some strike details were provided in Handbook #5 for several hammers. For example, the strike dates for the 3 documented Acton (Hammer 2) Map stamp covers were listed. However, a comprehensive listing of the Squared Circle strike indicia on Map stamp covers for all hammers was not published, nor is it currently available if it ever existed at all. Other details of the covers, such as addressee, advertising, franking etc., are also not available. This compendium strives to fill that gap in the philatelic literature.

1.2 Data Collection

I started compiling a database of Squared Circle strikes on Map stamp covers in 2015 when it became clear to me that the population data in Handbook #5 was woefully out of date. I have included covers with canceling strikes, as well as free-strikes on the obverse/reverse of Map covers. Covers in this Census include complete envelopes, postal stationery, cover fronts, government-issued postal cards, private post cards, and large pieces that bear a postmark with at least an origin or destination, but not pieces or partial cover fronts lacking origin or destination information. After becoming aware of the amazing resource that was the Vincent Graves Greene Philatelic Research Foundation, specifically the Harry Sutherland Philatelic Library which has a substantial BNA philatelic reference collection, I carried out what I hope is a fairly comprehensive survey of the auction catalogues available in the library. Almost 60 years of public auction listings (starting with the 1960 J.N Sissons auction #178-179 of the Fred Jarrett collection, the earliest auction catalogue in which I have been able to find specific mention of a Squared Circle canceled Map stamp cover), were reviewed. Also included as source material were internet auctions (such as eBay), philatelic literature (including books and journals), exhibits, dealer stocks, personal communications from fellow collectors, and my own personal collection.

I have received numerous contributions from fellow collectors. Special thanks are given to George Basher, Laurent Bélisle, Brian Copeland, Richard Cromwell, Rich Deshais, Paul Grimm, Aaron Gulliver, Bruce Kalbfleisch, Bill Pawluk, Bill Radcliffe, David Robinson, Derek Smith, Scott Wiggins, Bill Wegman and Eugene Yount for their contributions to the database, including detailed lists and the generous provision of images of the covers in their collections. I would also like to thank them for their permission to use the cover images in this publication. Similarly, many auction houses (including Bow City Philatelics, Eastern Auctions, Sparks Auctions, and Vance Auctions) have generously sent me scans of covers when they haven't been included in the primary auction catalogue listings. However, it is probable that other Squared Circle Map stamp covers reside in dormant collections that have been off the market for many years, or in untapped specialty collections (for example RPO, regional or general

Map stamp collections) and it is my hope that this publication will encourage those who have such material to advise me of their holdings so that updates to the database can be made. You can contact the author for submissions/corrections by email at: rickfriesen5@gmail.com.

1.3 Census Content

The Census currently documents 1159 Squared Circle Map stamp covers, 87% more than the 620 covers reported in Handbook #5, and each of these covers is listed in **Section 2**.⁹ All of the available information about the cover is listed, including franking, postmarks, advertising, and addressee/destination. Where possible, this information has been extracted from an image of the cover. For 1012 (87%) of the covers, an image or a partial image is available from the published literature or was supplied to me by the current owner. In order to save space, early auction catalogues tended to illustrate only the stamp/cancel of interest by overlapping multiple covers on a page and covers such as these are listed in the database as OP (partial image of the obverse). Unfortunately, much of the ancillary information on these covers has been lost (such as addressee, sender, corner card advertising, other postmarks etc.) unless the cover has subsequently been reported by the current owner or has appeared in a more recent auction listing with greater detail. It is hoped that as collectors review and use the Census, these deficiencies can be recognized and better images of the covers can be submitted in order to update the database.

For those covers with no accompanying image, the cover details were obtained from the descriptions in auction listings or as supplied by the current owners. In these cases, I have had to rely on the reporters for accuracy in the identification of the town hammer and/or indicia. Therefore, while every effort has been made to verify the claims of towns, dates and indicia, it is possible that errors or duplications inadvertently appear in the Census since the Squared Circle postmark is sometimes difficult to decipher and is subject to individual interpretation. If so, it is my hope that these errors can be corrected over time. Please forward corrections to the author. The lack of a cover image can also lead to missing listings if 2 or more covers have identical dates and were sent to the same addressee. For example, multiple covers exist with DE 25/98 Halifax¹⁰ and Wolfville¹¹ Squared Circle strikes but in the absence of an image, it would be difficult if not impossible to determine whether a “newly reported” cover is truly an additional cover or is one that has already been documented. Ideally, every entry in the Census should be accompanied by an image (at least the obverse but preferably the reverse as well) since this is the only sure way to eliminate duplicate listings and to capture the wealth of postal history information contained therein.

Numerous auction catalogues list Squared Circle Map stamp covers with no accompanying date, detailed description or image. Such references are especially common in auction lots that include multiple stamps/covers and list only the town name of the Squared Circle postmark on the stamp/cover. The covers from such auction lots are included in the Census lists for completeness and the dates appear as '???''. Since it is possible that these entries may actually refer to one of the covers described in more detail further down in the list, entries with '???' dates are not included in the population report unless it can be determined that they are covers not included in the subsequent listings. For clarity, those entries not included in the population numbers are highlighted in grey in the following tables.

At the time of writing, 19 of the reported covers bear 2 (18) or 3 (1) different Squared Circle postmarks and a description of the cover can be found under both hammer listings. Therefore, in order to assemble a hammer population report, these covers were counted as 2 or 3 covers each. As a result, the number of physically distinct covers is 1140 (the population report total of 1160 minus 20).

Chapter 3 provides a discussion and analysis of the data found in the Census, including (1) the month of Squared Circle use, (2) the manner in which the individual post offices used the Squared Circle hammer (ie., as a canceling dater, a non-canceling dater etc.), (3) postal rates/franking on Map stamp covers, (4) destinations, and (5) the use of the Map stamp on noteworthy dates.

Finally, a population report listing all of the Squared Circle hammers with documented Map stamp covers, and comparing the Handbook #5 and Census data (data accumulated to September 14/2020), can be found in the **Appendix**.

2. The Census of Squared Circle Postmarks on Map Stamp Covers

2.1 How to Read the Census Tables

The Census is organized according to hammer Type, with the Type 2 hammers ordered by province/RPO as in the Handbook. Hammers not documented on a Map stamp cover are omitted from the lists. The number of covers reported in Handbook #5 and in the Census are listed after the town name (A summary of this population report can be found in the **Appendix**. For clarity, those Census entries not included in the population report are highlighted in grey.) A brief summary of the post office and postmaster,¹² the Squared Circle hammer,¹³ and other information (if warranted) is also included. The database tables are comprised of several columns.

1. **Strike Date:** standard listing of indicia, typically TM/MM DD/YY. Covers with a strike date of '???' represents an unreported or unreadable date (see above). A '?' in an indicia listing is an unreadable entry (for example, -/?? 25/99 is the 25th day of an unknown month in 1899; -/FE 2?/99 is the 2?th of February in 1899; -/FE (3?)/99 is possibly the 3rd day (could be another day) of February 1899). A '-' notation means that the letter/number is off-cover unless it refers to the time mark in which case it is the normal 'not used' notation. Map stamp covers that bear Squared Circle strikes from 2 (or more) different hammers are highlighted in yellow. Covers with combination frankings (Map stamp(s) used in combination with other issues), or multiple copies of Map stamps, used to pay postal rates >2¢ are highlighted in green. Covers that have Squared Circle postmarks with interesting indicia or indicia errors are highlighted in blue.
2. **Type:** the type of Squared Circle postmark found on the Map stamp cover. CC = canceling strike(s); DO = dispatch free-strike(s) on obverse; CC & DO = at least 2 Squared Circle strikes on the obverse, one or more canceling strike(s) and one or more dispatch free-strike(s); TR = transit free-strike(s) on reverse; RR = receiver free-strike(s) on reverse; UO = unreported strike type on obverse; UR = unreported strike type on reverse; C = cover with an unreported postmark type.
3. **Image:** refers to the availability of an image, scan or photo of the cover: N = no; O = image of the obverse; R = image of the reverse; O/R = image of both the obverse and reverse of the cover; OP = partial image of the obverse; RP = partial image of the reverse (OP and RP are typical in early auction catalogues where only that portion of the cover containing the Squared Circle postmark was presented).
4. **Description & Comments:** detailed descriptions of the covers appear under the following sub-headings:

- **Cover type:** descriptor based on destination (domestic, covers to USA, Empire, non-Empire), and, if applicable, registered, pre-addressed envelope, front only, or a description of the envelope if other than standard (such as legal sized)
 - **Advertising:** descriptions of the corner cards and/or cover/backflap advertisements, illustrations, and pre-addressed envelopes
 - **Franking & Cancel:** a description of the stamps making up the franking and the type of canceling postmark (SC = Squared Circle, CDS, split circle, duplex, flag, etc)
 - **Postage:** the postage amount on the cover (in ¢) and the rate it paid
 - **Origin:** explicitly stated only if the cover originated in a town other than the town of the Squared Circle postmark (typically for TR or RR covers)
 - **Addressee/Destination:** the addressee & address (as written on the cover if available) or the destination city/country. A lack of manuscript legibility may lead to errors in the reporting of names.
 - **Postmarks on Obverse:** postmarks, other than the canceling strike(s), on the obverse of the cover
 - **Backstamp(s):** described where available
 - **Other:** the full auction catalogue listing for the cover is provided if available and if it contains information other than just the date of the Squared Circle postmark. Other interesting information, such as an incorrect auction catalogue listing or an indicia error, is also noted.
5. **Reference for Cover:** the source of the Census entry is listed, such as auction, literature, exhibit reference, website (Squared Circle Cancellations website: <https://www.ece.uvic.ca/~agullive/squared.html>; Squared Circles of Canada website: <http://squaredcirclesofcanada.com>) or a 'Current owner personal communication'. An image of the cover is shown if available.

2.2 Type 1 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers

ALDERGROVE, BC

The Aldergrove post office opened in October 1885, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was P. Jackman Jr. (1893-1903). Although the Aldergrove Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/MY 16/93, was used from -/JY 14/93 to -/DE 26/08, only 49 Aldergrove strikes have been reported on all stamps. Strikes from this hammer are reported to be poorly inked and light to barely readable.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 15/99	UR	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Origin: unknown</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Backstamp: Aldergrove SC transit or receiver</p> <p>Other: Gordon's notes read: "one Map cover with FE15 backstamp"</p>	Jack Gordon notes



BEAVERTON, ONT

The Beaverton post office opened prior to 1844, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was James W. Harrison (1891-1937). The Beaverton Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/AP 26/93, was used from -/MY 4/93 to AM/JU 26/01, and AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/JA 21/99	CC & DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered legal size cover</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 4 SC strikes cancel Map stamps (3; 2 of them are a sideways vertical pair) & 1¢ Jubilee</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Allan McLean Howard Esqr, Clerk Div Court (Court House), Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • Beaverton SC on left side of cover <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 Beaverton SC dispatch strikes • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/JA 22/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "This magnificent type I cover, paying the domestic single rate registered, is one of the finest map squared circle covers known, in terms of clarity. The presence of the 1c Jubilee yields a pretty combination cover." • ref (4): "1¢ Jubilee and three copies 2¢ Map, all tied by ideal strikes of BEAVERTON 21 JA 99 Type 1 Squared Circles to registered legal size cover to Toronto, next day receiver on reverse, clean and very fine." • only known usage of Beaverton SC on 1¢ Jubilee 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jim Hennok collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 27 (1982) 3. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 30, #1, Whole #112, pg 1 (2007) 4. R. Maresch & Son June 2007 Auction #426, Lot #2502 5. Current owner personal communication





Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss L.W. White, Hancock, Michigan</p> <p>Backstamp: HANCOCK/MICH. duplex dated 1/ FE8/2PM/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Peter Henderson & Co., 35 & 37 Courtland, New York, U.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: partial P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 2-22-?/??-??</p> <p>Other: cover torn and partially missing</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/MY 9/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Toronto P.O., Ontario</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Beaverton SC on bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamp: received Toronto MY 9/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "proof like free strike on cover w/2¢ MAP stamp #86 tied by grid bar cancel to Toronto. (RF 20, handbook indicates only 1 map cover reported). GEM!" ref (2): lot of 32 Map stamp SC covers (26 covers and 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee May 1997 auction #84, Lot #1743</p> <p>2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/NO 16/99 & AM/NO 17/99	RR & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, forwarded</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: TORONTO Type A flag postmark dated NOV 15/23-0/1899 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> originally addressed to Miss Katherine Robinson, c/o Mr. Bruce, Beaverton, Ontario there also appear to be several other addressee handwriting examples (Miss Katherine R, Miss R, and Miss Kath) received in Beaverton and readdressed to Mr. John Cameron, c/o "Advertiser" Office, London <p>Postmarks on Obverse: BEAVERTON/ONT. SC dispatch free strike dated AM/NO 17/99 (for forwarding) to the left of the flag cancel</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beaverton SC receiver dated AM/NO 16/99 LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 16/NO 17/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 19/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar oval grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Tena White, Hancock, Mich, U.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Beaverton SC on top middle of cover</p> <p>Backstamp: HANCOCK, MICH./REC'D CDS receiver dated 20DEC/130PM/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


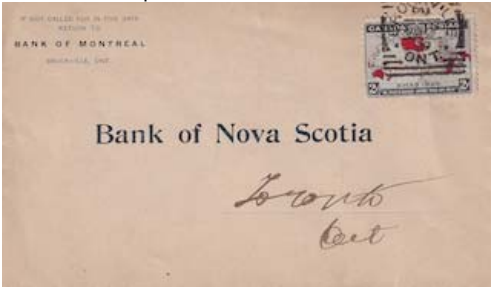
BEETON, ONT




The Beeton post office opened in October 1841, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was David A. Jones (1866-1910). The Beeton Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/MY 18/93, was used from -/JA 13/97 to -/FE 15/01 in Period 2. No off-cover strikes of the Beeton Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp..

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JU 21/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pale blue pre-addressed envelope, front only</p> <p>Advertising: Wm. Croft & Sons pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Croft & Sons, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Beeton SC on bottom left corner of cover</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "on a somewhat worn front. This is unique on map stamp or cover and is a new recent discovery. Exceedingly rare (H- unrecorded)." • ref (3): "free strike on dmg'd cover front only w/#86 tied by grid bar cancel. This is the recently discovered UNIQUE MAP SQUARED CIRCLE item. Cover front has repaired tear and heavy creases." • Vincent Graves Greene Certificate No. 2163 (1984) accompanies cover 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 5, #4, Whole #29, pg 1 (1982)</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #601</p> <p>3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #449</p> <p>4. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986)</p> <p>5. Current owner personal communication</p>
				
-/JA 20/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated (blue bell with red lettering) corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Beeton Bell, General Hardware, W.J. Bell, Beeton • a sticker with advertising in red lettering seals the backflap: The Beeton Bell, General Hardware, Stoves, Ranges, Furnaces, Beeton, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John Bell Esq, Clydesdale Farm, Amber, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Beeton SC on bottom left of cover</p> <p>Backstamps: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "GRAY, fine copy tied by bars to illustrated cover with BEETON ONT 20 JA 1900 fine strike of squared circle to AMBER, ONT (RF80)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son June 1999 auction, Lot #1408</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
				


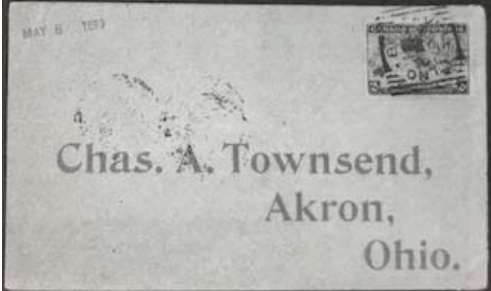

BROCKVILLE, ONT



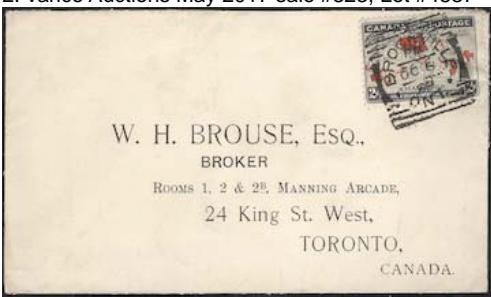
The Brockville post office opened prior to 1829, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was James W. Stagg (1894-1921). The Brockville Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/AP 26/93, was used from -/AP 28/93 to PM/SP 29/01, and PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period. The hammer sustained damage in FE/97 and this damage can be seen in the 'IL' of BROCKVILLE (shortened 'I' and corner of 'L' missing) on Map stamp covers.

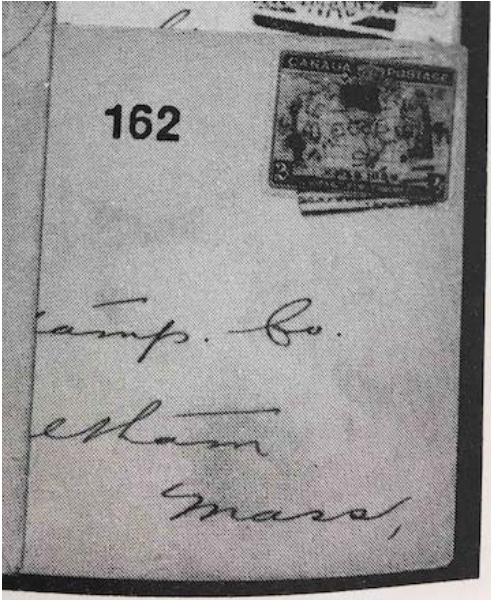
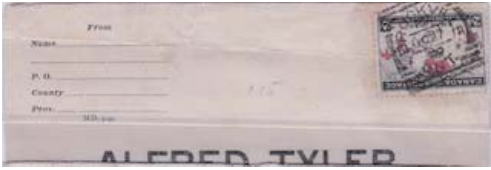

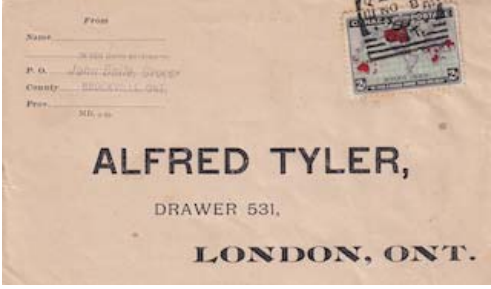
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of SC on Map stamps (32 stamps & 2 covers)	Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts collection, Lot #492
???	C	N	lot of 11 Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 1991 auction, Lot #732
???	C	N	lot of 6 covers	Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1436
???	C	N	2 covers in Lot #267, 1 cover in Lot #268	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lots #267, 268
???	C	N	3 covers in a 9 cover lot	Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1775
???	C	N	lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers and 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
PM/JA 12/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P.O. Box 433, Tilsonburg, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: TILSONBURG/ONT. duplex (DON-1660a) dated PM/JA 11/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Tilsonburg, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Toronto, Brockville, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 17/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Bank of Montreal, Brockville, Ont. • pre-addressed envelope: Bank of Nova Scotia <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, Ont (city and province in manuscript)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 29/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> C.H. Buell & Son, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Confectionery, Fruit, Oysters, Nuts, Cigars, Etc., Brockville, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm P Anderson, 64 Cooper St, Ottawa, Ont Backstamp: OTTAWA/CANADA CDS receiver dated 8/JA 30/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics January 2020 Sale #96, Lot #1662 2. Bow City Philatelics August 2020 Online Sale, Lot #855</p> 
PM/FE ??/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: Dominion Express Company illustrated (sample money order) advertising cover Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: George G. Cotton Esq, Solvay Process Co., Syracuse, N.Y.</p>	<p>Sparks Auctions August 2014 Sale #15, Lot #1354</p> 
PM/FE 2/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Canada Carriage Co. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "advertising corner PM/Fe 2/99 Brockville sq circle on printed in blue Canada Carriage Co to Toronto (b/s)" </p>	<p>J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #574</p>
PM/FE 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope, front only Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 


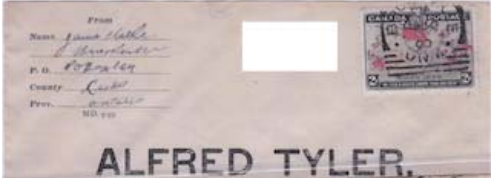
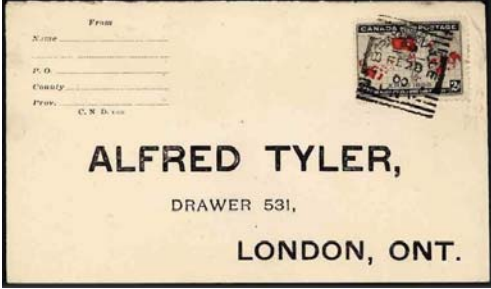
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PM/MR 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/MR 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover front (RF 5, 21 map covers recorded)" 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1971</p>
PM/AP 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels golden oceans Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: large 'b' in purple ink Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS reciever dated 6/ AP 10/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics October 2005 Sale #70, Lot #791 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 18/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The J.W. Mann Mfg. Co. Limited, Brockville, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels golden oceans Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Jno. Beare, Armadale, Ont. (typewritten) Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

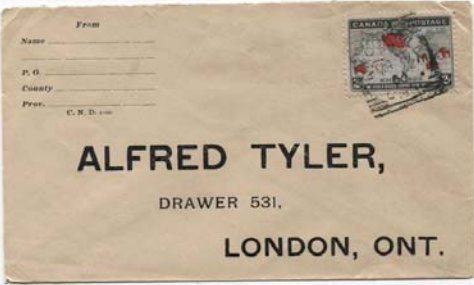
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PM/AP 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Editor, Christian Herald Bible House, New York, U.S.A. (typewritten) Backstamp: partial indistinct N.Y. CDS receiver dated 4-27/9-15</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics January 2020 Sale #96, Lot #1663 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
?/MY 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border, pre-addressed envelope to USA Advertising: Chas. A. Townsend pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Chas. A. Townsend, Akron, Ohio. Postmarks on Obverse: several illegible circular postmarks on obverse Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • hand stamped MAY 8 1899 in upper left corner • ref (1): "85 Brockville My 6/99 Ont Type I sq cir. B/S Akron Ohio. Pretty. VF" 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics April 2002 Sale #60, Lot #526 2. Bow City Philatelics March 2003 Sale #63, Lot #1006 3. Bow City Philatelics November 2004 Sale #68, Lot #733 4. Bow City Philatelics October 2006 Sale #71, Lot #806</p> 
?/MY 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1205
PM/MY 17/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: illustrated corner card and backflap advertising</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • backflap: The James Smart Man'fg Co. Ltd., Brockville, Ont., Canada contained within a stylized diamond in brown ink - "Perfection" Stoves, Ranges & Furnaces (Trade Mark), Hardware • corner card: "Kelsey" Corrugated Warm Air Generator illustrated in brown. In a Class by Itself. More Heat for...Less Fuel. Mildly Warm, Healthful Air Furnished. Warms Rooms at Long Distances. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mess Peck, Stow and Wilcox Co., Southington, Conn, U.S.A. Backstamp: partial SOUTHI.../REC'D CDS receiver dated MA.../19/9AM/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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PM/JU 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Willis Coates, Brockville, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Croft & Sons, Toronto</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
PM/OC 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Massey-Harris Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Massey-Harris Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/OC 4/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of 18 stamps and 2 covers of Type 1 strikes • ref (3) erroneously reports date as OC 31/99 but it is clearly the same cover as in the Pelletier collection 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #539 3. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 4. Current owner personal communication 
PM/OC 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: W.H. Brouse pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.H. Brouse, Esq., Broker, Rooms 1,2 & 2B, Manning Arcade, 24 King St. West, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/OC 7/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vance Auctions January 2017 sale #321, Lot #5152 2. Vance Auctions May 2017 sale #323, Lot #4837 

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PM/OC 16/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Buckman Fire Insurance, Brockville <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: ? Stamp Co., Waltham, Mass</p> <p>Backstamp: WALTHAM/MASS/USA CDS receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "1899 #86 tied by BROCKVILLE/ONT type-1 sq circle dated PM/OC16/99 to WALTHAM/MASS/USA cds b/s, "BUCKMAN FIRE INSURANCE, BROCKVILLE" adv cc, closed tear LHS, o/w F" ref (2): "Brockville PM/OC 6/99 ties 2¢ Map oxidized copy on cover to Mass US (b/s)" difficult to read date, could be either 6 or 16 	<p>1. Ron Leith auctions November 1990 public auction #6, Lot #162</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok October 2004 auction, Lot #441</p> 
PM/OC 27/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
PM/NO 7/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Alfred Tyler, Tea Importers, London, Ontario</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/NO 8/99</p> <p>Other: Map stamp from plate position 5-B-15</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
-/NO 8/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover, cancel is high, timemark off cover. Bit of foxing around edges." time mark off cover 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee July 1984 auction #32, Lot #653</p> <p>2. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1204</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 


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PM/NO 8/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Athens, ONT Addressee/Destination: R.J. Carson Esqr, Kingston, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: ATHENS/ONT. CDS dispatch dated NO 8/99 to the left of the Map stamp Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brockville SC transit • postmaster CDS handstamp dated 3/NO 9 • KINGSTON/CANADA CDS receiver dated 1/NO 9/99 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1204 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/NO 13/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: Murdock Macleod Esq</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
PM/NO 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Box 699, Brockville, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: "The Journal", Summerside, P.E.I. (typewritten) Backstamp: partial Summerside receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 15/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 6/DE 16/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics October 2005 Sale #70, Lot #791 2. Dealer stock</p> 


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PM/DE 19/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, cut down cover</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes tie a horizontal pair of Map stamps</p> <p>Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Jones Esq, Prescott, ONT</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Brockville SC barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamps</p> <p>Backstamp: indistinct postmark</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 17/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: London, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 12/JA 18/00</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p>
PM/FE 10/00	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
PM/FE 28/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/MR 2/00</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee March 1983 auction #26, Lot #420 2. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #484 3. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale, April 2016, Lot #714 4. Bow City Philatelics November 2017 auction of the Mercator collection, Lot #273 5. Bow City Philatelics February 2019 Sale #94, Lot #1577 6. Bow City Philatelics September 2020 Sale #97, Lot #1305 

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PM/MR 7/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
?/AP 10/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to complete cover, some water staining (RF 5, 21 map covers recorded)" 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1971</p>

DUTTON, ONT



The Dutton post office opened in October 1874, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Archibald J. Leitch (1874-1912). The Dutton Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/AP 26/93, was used from -/MY 5/93 to PM/FE 20/08 (Period 1). Blank and PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period. The hammer was damaged in JY/97 and 2 nicks can be seen at the centre of the lower bar.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp in the top left corner Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. William Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ontario Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "ideal strike (stamp torn through). Two covers known on Map" • ref (3): "gorgeous SON strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #86 to cover to Toronto, stamp w/tear rt. side (may even be separated), still a LOVELY ITEM & RARE MAP COVER!" • ref (4): lot of 42 Type 1 SC covers "Map (torn) - one of two known covers" • stamp and cancel on top left corner 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #540 3. Robert A. Lee June 1992 auction #67, Lot #1156 4. Eastern Auctions June 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #360 5. Current owner personal communication 

-/FE 7/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp • the Map stamp is Major re-entry at plate position 2-A-7 Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Ontario Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/FE 8/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
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GRIMSBY, ONT




The Grimsby post office opened in 1817, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Mrs. Maria L. Nelles (1892-1898) & William Forbes (1899-1915). The Grimsby Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/MY 18/93, was used from -/MY 20/93 to PM/MR 30/99. AM/PM time marks, with occasional blanks, were used during the Map stamp period.




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PM/JA 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/JA 27/99 Other: incorrectly listed as JA 23/99 on eBay</p>	<p>1. eBay 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 11/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Independent, Grimsby, Jas. A. Livingston, Publisher Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Carscallen & Cahill, Hamilton, Ont Backstamp: HAMILTON CDS receiver dated FEB 11/20-0/1899 Other: • ref (2): "VF strike, 2 covers known on Map, Fine" • ref (3): "ideal strike tying DEEP BLUE copy to immaculate cover to HAMILTON (two covers recorded) very fine. From the Nels Pelletier collection."</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #541 3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #69 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/FE 14/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "PM FE 14 '99 ties Map to a front (H-2)" • ref (2): "lovely strike ties #85 to cover front only. RF 15 but only 2 recorded Map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #604 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #451 3. eBay</p> 
PM/MR 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "with ideal strike on clean cover to LONDON, ONT (three covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1717 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/MR 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card • Bank of Hamilton Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Nordheimer Co Ltd, Hamilton Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS hand stamp dated ?/MR 28/? Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "very fine, corner fault, front only, rare (2)" • ref (3): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover front, some cover stains, several perf. flts. Handbook shows only 3 Map covers!" • cover torn along top edge 	<p>1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #108 2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 16, #2, Whole #70, pg 469 (1993) 3. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1209 4. Robert A. Lee March 1999 auction #93, Lot #2512 5. Current owner personal communication</p> 

LONDON.EAST, ONT

The London East post office (also named Lilley's Corner Post Office) opened prior to July 1873, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William E. Lang (1890-1902). The London East Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/MY 31/93, was used from -/JU 2/93 to -/OC 15/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 32 Map stamp SC covers (26 covers and 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
-/DE 12/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Denmark</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC strikes cancel Map stamps (2) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to Europe</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Hjorring, Denmark</p> <p>Backstamp: Hjorring, Denmark receiver with indistinct date</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated, fancy advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C.R. Somerville Paper Boxes and Fine Chewing Gums, 644 Dundas Street, London, ONT • illustrated with 2 faces of a commemorative coin in bronze and fancy lettering • also includes a description of attributes of London, ONT <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. J. McLaughlan & Sons, Owen Sound, ONT. (typewritten)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Note that the business name is misspelled, should be J. McLauchlan & Sons <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "on illustrated cover, almost VF strike ties 2¢ green ocean variety Map on "CR Somerville/ Paper Boxes/and Fine Chewing Gums" cover to Owen Sound (b/s), VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #822</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Canada Chemical Mfg. Co., Limited., London East, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Albert E. Evans, Church Road, Aston Manor, England</p> <p>Backstamp: Birmingham, England transit</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Deep blue shade of the 1898 map stamp, sent from The Canada Chemical Manufacturing Company in London East, Ontario, to Aston Manor. Dated January 18, 1899 with a Birmingham transit on rear. Type 1 squared circle with only THREE copies reported in the handbook on cover with this this cancel!!!" 	<p>eBay February 2019</p> 


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-/JA 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Will Paasch, 1432 W. 4th St, Davenport, Iowa, U.S.A.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DETROIT,MICH/TRANSIT CDS transit dated JAN 30/630PM/99 • DAVENPORT//IOWA. flag cancel receiver dated JAN 31/4-PM/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "JA 30 '99 (H-3)" • ref (2): "light but identifiable strike ties #86 to cover to USA. Cover a bit aged, sm. tear at bottom. RF 15 but only 3 recorded map cover!" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #606</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #453</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP ??/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Han??, Wimborne Minster, Dorsetshire, England</p> <p>Backstamp: WIMBORNE CDS receiver dated A/MY 8/99</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2018</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 29/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, drop letter, front only</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Queen City Oil Co., Limited, Branch Office: London, Canada. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: S F Woods Esq, Dundas St, City</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 8/AM MY/1</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 1/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, front only</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated, fancy advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C.R. Somerville Paper Boxes and Fine Chewing Gums, 644 Dundas Street, London, ONT • illustrated with 2 faces of a commemorative coin in bronze and fancy lettering <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid an unknown rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "2¢ lavender and carmine tied to illustrated ad cover (front) C.R. Somerville by London East MY 1 99 squared circle" 	<p>John Sheffield Public Stamp Auction, Sale #57, May 1989, Lot #110</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • C.R. Somerville, Paper Boxes and Fine Chewing Gums, 644 Dundas Street, London, Ont. (fancy lettering and shading) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: R. Carson, Esq., Kingston, Ont (typewritten) Backstamp: KINGSTON/CANADA CDS receiver dated 1/ON 3/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): "VF strike tied to Somerville illustrated, 3 covers known on Map, Fine" ref (3): "ideal strike tying BLUISH copy to immaculate ADVERTISING cover (three covers recorded) very fine. From the Nels Pelletier collection." ref (4): "C.R. Somerville Paper Boxes and Fine Chewing Gums advertising cover bearing a single 2¢ Map tied by complete and clear London East, Ont. Type I squared circle postmark, addressed to Kingston with receiver backstamp. A superb cover and most likely the finest of the mere three reported bearing a Map stamp, VF; ex. Nels Pelletier (1982)" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #542 R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #698 Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #267 Current owner personal communication
-/MR 5/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, baby-blue envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Miss E. Marilla Crysler, Mount Sinai Training School for Nurses, 1499 67th St, New York, U.S.A. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cove to USA. 8mm tear at top, slightly cut down at left. RF 15 only 3 reported on MAP covers!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Robert A. Lee February 1986 auction #37, Lot #1144 Current owner personal communication


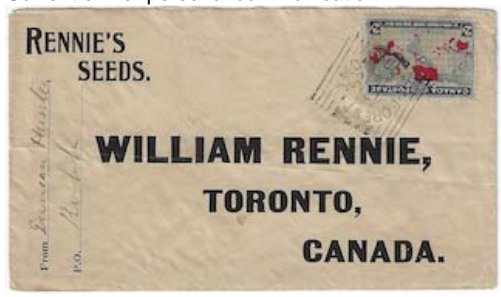





MOUNT FOREST, ONT

The Mount Forest post office opened in June 1853, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Thomas G. Smith (1862-1920). The Mount Forest Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/MY 16/93, was used from -/JU 1/93 to -/AP 28/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/?? 12/??	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels vertically bisected Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 1¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate without carrier service from JA 1/99</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Howard Skales, Mount Forest</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "In that same letter to the Editor (see ref (1)), a photograph is provided of a bisect of the 2c MAP STAMP tied by MOUNT FOREST/ONT. type 1 squared circle addressed locally, hence the rate would be correct. I thought the MAP STAMP SQUARED CIRCLE collectors might like to be informed of this unusual item again. It was also pictured on the front cover of the same issue of Topics." • ref (3): "MAP BISECT, black-brown ocean shade variety of #85, rare un-official bisect pays the 1¢ drop letter rate at MOUNT-FOREST/ONT, allowed by the Postmaster and tied by a MOUNT-FOREST type-1 sq. circle, likely used when the supply of 1¢ stamps was depleted, this cover was written up in the July-August 1956 issue of BNA Topics, rough opening at top, a rare cover and VG-F" • ref (4): "Unofficial vertical bisect. One cent drop letter rate tied by Mt. Forest ON Type 1 square circle." • ref (5): "Vertical bisect tied by Mr. Forest Type 1 square circle cancel - date is unreadable." • ref (6) is a written-up page displaying the cover and states "Bisecting of stamps, although not officially sanctioned, was allowed in the Maritimes, especially Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Stamps were usually cut in half to create values that the Postmaster did not have on hand. Full covers are required for proof of genuiness." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 13, #7, Whole #137, pg 175 (1956) 2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 13, #2, Whole #57, pg 405/408 (1990) 3. Ron Leith auctions February 1997 public auction #19, Lot #1122 4. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 3, #1, Whole #8, pg 64 (2002) 5. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 5, #2, Whole #16, pg 142 (2004) 6. Imperial Penny Postage 1898 – John T. Anders ORAPEX 2002 Exhibit 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA ?/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, cover cut down at right</p> <p>Advertising: photo corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • James McNally, Manufacturer, Aylmer, Ontario. • b&w photo of the manufacturing building <p>Franking & Cancel: AYLMER/ONT CDS dated JA 9/99 cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Aylmer, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Garner & Son Esq, Mount Forest, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Mount Forest SC receiver is a partial, very faint but readable strike</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2018</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 6/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Mount Forest SC dispatch</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/MR 7/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1) & (2): "85i (Superb) light Mt. Forest Type 1 SQ CIR. B/S LONDON 6/MR 7 (ONT) 1899 VF" 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics September 2002 Sale #61, Lot #488</p> <p>2. Bow City Philatelics July 2003 Sale #64, Lot #407</p> 
-/AP ??/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 14/AP 3/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 8/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G Marshall & Co, Drawer 546 London, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: smudge cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Gleneden, ONT Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Ontario Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mount Forest SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 24/AP 21/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 32 Map stamp SC covers (26 covers and 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 6/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Cedarville, ONT Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Postmarks on Obverse: CEDARVILLE/ONT CDS dispatch dated MY 5/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mount Forest SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/MY 6/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): very fine b/s ex Cedarville - Rennie, bit rumbled" 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1216 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Premier Co, 345 Washington Street, Contest Dept., 8 Boston, Mass. Backstamp: BOSTON,/MASS/MAY 27 7-AM'99/ RECEIVED receiver (horizontal line framing) Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "tied by VF MY 25,99 MOUT FOREST, ONT SQUARED CIRCLE CANCEL on neat small cover to Boston, Mass. (b's). VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok February 1988 auction, Lot #329 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/OC 1/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: LONDON/ONT. duplex (DON-913) dated OC 1/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: London, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr. E.J. Vanstone, Mount Forest, Ont Backstamp: Mount Forest SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1)-(3): "86 London Ont Oc 1/99 duplex. B/S light Mount Forest Type 1 sq cir. F-VF" 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics July 1998 Sale, Lot #539 2. Bow City Philatelics November 1999 Sale, Lot #444 3. Bow City Philatelics December 2000 Sale #56, Lot #595</p> 
-/OC 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Presbyterian Review, Aberdeen Chambers, Toronto, Ont. Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/OC 2/99</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 
-/DE 8/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: New York, NY Backstamp: New York De 10/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "85 Mt Forest (type 1 sq cir, weak strike), Dec 99. B/S New York De 10/99. F" 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics March 1999 Sale, Lot #757 2. Bow City Philatelics October 2006 Sale #72, Lot #1036</p>

OTTAWA, CANADA


There were several Ottawa post offices open during the Map stamp period, and it is not clear which office used the Squared Circle hammer. The Ottawa Squared Circle hammer, proofed on 3/MY 5/93, was used from ?/MY 3/93 to 5/FE 9/01 (Period 1), and time marks 1-8 were used during the Map stamp period.


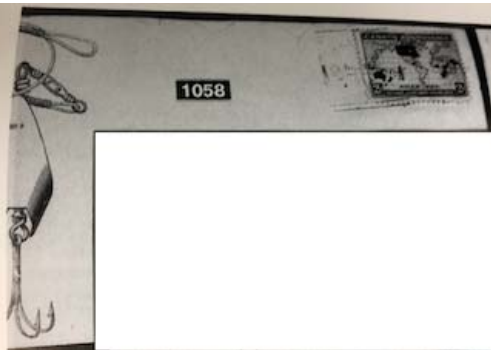

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
7/FE 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A.W. Ault & Co., Wholesale Boots & Shoes, Ottawa, Ont. (green ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs S & J Carreire, Coteau Landing, Que</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "on larger size envelope. Unique on cover (H-1)" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #609</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
5/AP 11/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Joseph L. Tull, Esq., Assignee, 702 Harrison Buildings, South West Corner Fifteenth & Market Streets, Philadelphia, Penn., U.S.A.</p> <p>Other: ref (1) reports ex Moulton, Hennok</p>	<p>1. eBay April 2017</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/FE 9/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p>	<p>1. eBay</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 



<p>"?/DE 18/00"</p>	<p>C</p>	<p>O/R</p>	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic post card to Turkey Franking & Cancel: OTTAWA/DEC 8/9-0 machine cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the UPU post card rate to Europe Addressee/Destination: Monsieur Marghetitch, Drogman de la degation de Belgique, Constantinople, Turquie Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RETURNED straight line postmark • OTTAWA/ONT. SC underneath Map stamp • Consulat Général de Belgique au Canada - Ottawa handstamp in red <p>Backstamp: BRITISH.POST.OFFICE/CONSTANTINOPLE CDS receiver dated B/JA 3/01 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "a card sent to Constantinople to the Belgian Delegation from the House of Commons (on reverse) Dec. 8, 1900, and franked with a 2c Map stamp from Ottawa. A British Post Office receiver JA 3 is on the back. The card was first sent without stamp, handstamped with an Ottawa Type I squared circle, "RETURNED", and then franked with the 2c stamp. What lies beneath is sometimes interesting." 	<p>1. <i>Beaver Chatter</i>, Vol. 31, #4, Whole #122, pg 2 (2006) 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
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POINT.ST.CHARLES, QUEBEC

The Point St. Charles post office opened in June 1860, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was James S. Keith (1874-1908). The Point St. Charles Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 3/93 and was used starting on -/MY 15/93. After a period of inactivity from -/FE 16/96 to -/JA 27/99, the hammer was used for two months during the Map stamp period from -/JA 28/99 to -/MR 23/99 (Period 3).


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
<p>-/JA 28/99</p>	<p>DO</p>	<p>O/R</p>	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. P. Henderson, 35 Cortlandt St., New York, U.S.A. Postmarks on Obverse: Point St. Charles SC in the lower left corner of cover Backstamp: P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 1-29-99/8-1P Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "a fine (very light and unreadable date) strike on a 2¢ Map cover with JA 29/99 receiver on back, RF 45" • earliest date of hammer use on any stamp in Period 3 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3066 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 25/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels</p> <p>Map stamp in the lower left corner of cover</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bluine Mfg. Co., Concord Junc., Mass., U.S.A.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Point St. Charles SC dispatch in the middle of cover</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "fine strike, 8 strikes known on Map, Fine" • ref (4): "only 12 covers with <u>any</u> stamp recorded - 6 on Map - outstanding example of this rarity. Ex Pelletier (H-6)" • ref (5): "free strike on cover w/#86 tied by grid bar cancel to USA. Sm. tear and sm. cover scrape. Rare with map stamp, lovely cover! Ex Pelletier" • incorrectly listed as JA 24/99 in ref (5) • with a Vincent Graves Greene Certificate 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 25 (1976), Nels Pelletier 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #543 4. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #610 5. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #456 6. eBay 7. Current owner personal communication 
-/MR 13/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: fishhook lure illustration on R.N. Scott & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: R.N. Scott & Co., Montreal, QUE</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to illustr. adv. cover showing 'fishing lure & hook' to Montreal, mtd & ID as plt. 3 stamp #97 re-touched. Tears along top edge from rough opening, bit of soiling." • Map stamp from plate position 3-A-97 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1993 auction #71, Lot #1058</p> 
-/MR 13/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont., Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: partial TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated (MR) 14/(9)9</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 20/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: fishhook lure illustration on R.N. Scott & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: R.N. Scott & Co., Montreal, QUE Postmarks on Obverse: Point St. Charles SC dispatch free strike in the lower middle of cover Backstamp: MONTREAL CDS receiver dated MAR 20/13-0/1899 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "sq. circle free strike on illustr. adv. cover shows 'fishing lure & hook' w/2¢ MAP STAMP tied by grid bar cancel to Montreal. (RF 45, late date)" • ref (2): lot of 42 Type 1 SC covers "Pointe St. Charles 2c Map on Fishhook illustrated (MR 20 99)" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 1993 auction #73, Lot #1173 2. Eastern Auctions June 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #360 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 23/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Rev. Wm. M.A. Thomson B.D., New Glasgow, Nova Scotia Postmarks on Obverse: Point St. Charles SC in the lower left corner of cover Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "2¢ Tied by a grid to a cover to NS, with a fine Point St. Charles, Quebec, Mr.23'99 strike LL (RF45) very scarce on a Map cover, VG" • latest date of hammer use on any stamp 	<p>1. J.N. Sissons October 1988 auction of the Alex Csucs collection, Lot #214 2. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1219 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 


ST. ANN'S, ONT




The St. Ann's post office opened in October 1851, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Joseph H. Snyder (1881-1899) and Samuel Kennedy (1899-1913). The St. Ann's Squared Circle hammer, proofed on -/MY 31/93, was used in Period 1 from -/JY 24/93 to -/MY 19/99. No off-cover strikes of the St. Anns Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp..

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 19/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Jordan Station, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mrs. W.G. Adams, St. Anns, Gainsborough, Ontario Postmarks on Obverse: JORDAN STATION/ONT Type A1 split circle dispatch dated MY 18/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grimsby CDS transit dated PM/MY 18/99 • St. Ann's SC receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "This is the first legibly dated 1899 report, and the first Map report." • ref (2): Gordon's notes that are still in his collection after the cover sold read "St. Ann's -/MY19/99 receiver on cover from Jordan Station with Grimsby transit. This is the only St. Ann's Map strike reported." A photocopy of the cover front remains in his collection notes. • latest reported date of hammer use on any stamp in Period 1 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 20, #6, Whole #87, pg 1 (1998) 2. Jack Gordon collection/notes (front cover scan) 3. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 40, #1, Whole #136 (2019) 

SHANNONVILLE, ONT



The Shannonville post office opened prior to 1833, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Thomas Creepar (1881-1917). The Shannonville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 31/93 and used in Period 1 from -/JU 27/93 to -/FE 9/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	3 Map covers reported but no details given	<i>Maple Leaves</i> , Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986)
-/JA 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, elongated legal envelope Advertising: corner card purple ink hand stamp</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A.B. Randall, Clerk, 3rd Division Court, County of Hastings, Commissioner in H.O.J., Issuer Marriage Licenses, &c., Shannonville, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Thos. White H.S.C.O.F., Brantford, Ont Backstamp: no backstamps Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ Tied by a moderate strike of Shannonville, Ont., Ja.3'99 to a #10 size cover to Brantford (RF35) very scarce on a Map cover, VG" • ref (3): "very fine #10 envelope, crease, c.c., local Div. Court, only (1)" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 11, #1, Whole #49, pg 378 (1988) 2. J.N. Sissons 1988 auction of the Alex Csucs collection, Lot #217 3. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1223 4. Squared Circle Cancellations website 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Adam Mather, Box 115, Tweed, Ontario Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto, Ont {Seedsman} Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/AP 5/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "very fine strike on clean cover (with Tweed return address) to Toronto (no cover recorded)." note that ref (1) incorrectly lists the cover date as -/AP 3/99 and the town as Shannonville, QUE 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1712 2. Rob Lunn collection 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/AP 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esqr, Toronto, Ont. Backstamp: Toronto receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "A glorious cover - probably the finest existing Map squared circle cover (in terms of clarity of strike)" ref (3): "well centered single an attractive cover, affixed slightly over the edge but perforations largely intact, tied by beautiful strike of "Shannonville/Ont./AP 20 99" type 1 squared circle cancel, backstamped Toronto, an extremely fine postmark on a very fine cover; the type 1 squared circle pmks. were only used in a very few towns, this being a scarcer town (rated scarcity B by Winmill), but of much greater significance is the magnificent quality of the strike of which Winmill states "Probably the finest existing Map squared circle cover (in terms of strike)"; a lovely cover and rare thus; illustrated on page 26 of Winmill" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 26 (1982) 2. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 54 (2004) 3. Spink Shreves Galleries November 2007 Sale #96 of the Fred Fawn collection, Lot #1525 
-/AP 27/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 7-ring target cancels (not tied) the Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Ontario Postmarks on Obverse: Shannonville SC strike in bottom left corner of cover Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/AP 27/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "nice free strike on cover w/2¢ MAP stamp #86 w/SON target cancel, stamp not tied. RF35. Not reported on cover w/MAP stamp" ref (2): "very fine strike on fine and clean "RENNIE" cover to TORONTO. (no covers recorded)." ref (3): "Shannonville Type I on clean 2¢ Map AP 27 99 cover (only one 2¢ map cover reported)" ref (4): "Nice clean free strike 27 Ap '99 on 2¢ Map cover to Toronto. VF. NO MAP COVERS REPORTED FOR THIS TOWN" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee June 1982 auction #22, Lot #672 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #699 3. Eastern Auctions Public Auction November 2017, Lot #1075 4. Vance Auctions January 2018 Sale #328, Lot #5431 5. Current owner personal communication 


TERREBONNE, QUE

The Terrebonne post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was T. Rodrigue Deschambault (1897-1912). The Terrebonne Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 26/93 and used from -/MY 1/93 to -/MR 5/06.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. R.N. Scott & Co., St James St. McGill St, Montreal Postmarks on Obverse: large manuscript 'B' in purple (postmark?) Backstamp: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 6/ FE 23/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "lavender with centre line marking LR corner, dated TERREBONNE/QUE type-1 sq circle FE23/99 to MONTREAL, closed tear at top, F" 	<p>1. Ron Leith auctions February 1994 public auction #13, Lot #122 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 2/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: R.N. Scott & Co., McGill St., Montreal Postmarks on Obverse: Terrebonne SC in top left corner of cover Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> inverted 2 in day ref (2): "The unique Terrebonne Map cover with inverted digit in the date was submitted ...; we are indeed fortunate that the stamp didn't become bundle stock." 	<p>1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 28 (1982) 2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 20, #1, Whole #82, pg 3 (1998) 3. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-18</p> 

THREE RIVERS, QUE

The Three Rivers post office opened in 1765, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Charles K. Ogden (1854-1902). The Three Rivers Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 18/93 and used from -/MY 20/93 to -/AU 28/02.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/-- --/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: M. W.H. Rennie, Toronto, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> illegible date lot of 3 Quebec SC Map stamp covers 	<p>Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2249</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: L.W. Robitaille, Box 411, Sacramento, Cal</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 1/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: GRAND MERE/QUE Type A1 split circle dated JA 31/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Monsieur R.W. Williams, Pharmacie, Trois Riviere, PQ Backstamp: Three Rivers SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1) & (2): "86i GRAND MERE JA 31/99 QUE Spl. cir B/S THREE RIVERS FE 1/99 QUE. Type 1 SQ. cir. VF" 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics March 2003 Sale #63, Lot #1020 2. Bow City Philatelics November 2004 Sale #68, Lot #744</p> 
-/FE 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., 258 Dundas Street, London, ONT Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 11/FE 14/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of 18 stamps and 2 covers of Type 1 SC on the Map stamp • ref (3): lot of 47 stamps and 14 covers of SC on the Map stamp 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #539 3. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 8/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fine strike tying GRAYISH copy to clean cover to TORONTO (six covers recorded)." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #700</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service Addressee/Destination: R.W. Williams Esq., Druggist, 3 Rivers Que Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "SON strike ties 2¢ MAP to cover to local address, bit of aging. RF 7.5 but only 6 RECORDED MAP COVERS!" • ref (2): lot of 32 Map stamp SC covers (26 covers and 6 fronts) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee September 1991 auction #64 of the Bill Moffatt collection, Lot #946 2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 3. Current owner personal communication 


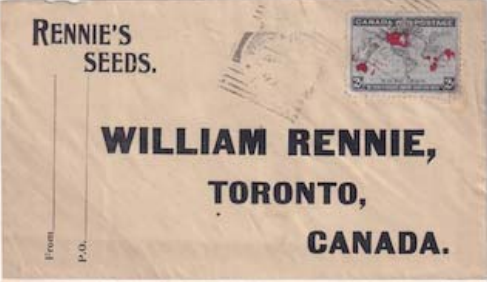
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Pacific cover to Japan</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamps (2) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to non-Empire countries</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fred J. Turck, General Delivery, Yokohama, Japan</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • straightline 'Advertised' (and manuscript 3/8/1899) • 'Non-réclame' (in French and Japanese) violet handstamps <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TACOMA/WASH. CDS transit dated MAY 10/130PM/99 • partial YOKOHAMA/JAPAN CDS receiver (Jun 23) • DEAD LETTER BRANCH/CANADA CDS dated W/ OC 25/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "... shows a nice mixed franking of two two-cent Map stamps and a one-cent Numeral making up the five-cent half ounce UPU first class rate from Canada to Japan. It was cancelled by a Three Rivers squared circle dated May 8, 1899. The cover was routed via Tacoma, Wash., and passed through there May 16 and has a Yokohama, Japan receiving handstamp on the reverse. Since the letter was addressed to General Delivery and it wasn't picked up in a specified time, it was advertised and so marked on Aug. 3, 1899. The letter was marked "Non reclame" in French and Japanese and was returned to Canada, where it was received by the Dead Letter Office on Oct. 25, 1899, and then returned to the sender...Mail from Tacoma to Japan was carried by the steamships of the Northern Pacific Steamship Co. In this case, the cover was probably carried in the <i>Glenogle</i>." • ref (5): "two singles with strong deep colors, along with 1¢ Gary green "Numeral" tied by two clear strikes of "Three Rivers/Que. MY 8 99" type 1 squared circle pmks., posted general delivery to Yokohama, Japan, with "Advertised" and Non reclame." violet handstamps on the front, Tacoma, Wash. transit, Yokohama backstamp and Canadian dead letter branch c.d.s. on the reverse, trace of edge soiling to cover, very fine; an incredibly rare cover to Japan, this being the only recorded Two Cent Map cover known to this rare and popular destination" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A.L. Steinhart collection 2. <i>Canadian Stamp News</i>, Vol. 3, #1, pg 16 (1978) 3. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 16 (1982) 4. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 130 (2004) 5. Spink Shreves Galleries November 2007 Sale 96 of the Fred Fawn collection, Lot #1496 - sold for \$1600 US 6. All Nations Stamp & Coin Auction #1150 March 2018, Lot #44 - sold for \$275 CDN



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 12/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed pale grey envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Toronto Type Foundry Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto Type Foundry Co., Ltd, 646 Craig Street, Montreal, P.Q.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: "REMOVED TO 787 TO 791 CRAIG STREET." purple ink handstamp</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • postmaster CDS dated 6/MY 12/99 • MONTREAL CDS receiver dated MAY 12/16-0/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Pre-printed addressed cover franked with single 2¢ Map and clearly tied by Three Rivers, Que squared circle postmark to Montreal with same day receiver backstamp, VF" 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #270</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 12/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed pale grey envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Toronto Type Foundry Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto Type Foundry Co., Ltd, 646 Craig Street, Montreal, P.Q.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: "REMOVED TO 787 TO 791 CRAIG STREET." purple ink handstamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. L. Wilson Robitaille, P.O. Box 411, Sacramento, Cal., U.S.A.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • faint Three Rivers SC dispatch • SACRAMENTO/CAL. CDS receiver dated SEP 10/8:30PM/1899 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

WESTVILLE, NOVA SCOTIA


The Westville post office opened in August 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Duncan Balfour (1868-1908). The Westville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 26/93 and used from -/JU 8/93 to -/MY 1/08. Handbook #6 states that strikes of the Westville hammer are weak and under-inked, as exemplified by the examples below.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	journal reports: "the first Map cover report (date not legible) from Savaka Trading in Thailand"	<i>Roundup Annex</i> , Vol 30, #2, Whole #113, pg 1 (2007)
-/MR 23/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: advertising cover (left 1/3 of cover and along top in blue ink)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The People's Grocery, Groceries, Feed and Seeds, Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, Westville, N.S., A.R. Munro also a 22-line PR writeup of Westville on the front cover <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Westville SC to left of Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike Backstamp: received Toronto MR 25/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "A.R. Munro -The People's Grocery, 2¢ Map tied by sq circle (2 front strikes) on printed in blue 22-line promotional cover to Toronto Ont (b/s) - Westville sq circle is unreported on a map cover. F+" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok September 1991 auction, Lot #312 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 20/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Postmarks on Obverse: Westville SC to left of Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated AP 22/99</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles of Canada website 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 




2.3 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Nova Scotia




ANNAPOLIS





The Annapolis post office opened prior to 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was G. Andrew Hardwick (1897-1924). The Annapolis Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 9/94 and used from -/JU 22/94 to -/AU 29/00. All strikes lack indicia bars above and below the date and later strikes show some rounding of the corners (Handbook #6).




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	CC	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of SC on 12 Map stamps & 2 covers Annapolis cover has a corner card 	J.A. Hennok April 1992 auction, Lot #633
???	CC	N	lot of 4 advertising covers from 1899	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #795
???	CC	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers auction listing: "...includes...ANNAPOLIS-NS with a Corbitt Coal adv cc, a few faults but mostly F-VF" possibly one of the many Corbitt Coal corner card covers below 	Ron Leith auctions April 2010 public auction #42, Lot #162
-/DE 27/98	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 GRANVILLE FERRY/N.S. CDS dispatch dated DE 27/98 cancel Map stamp (upside down) & 1¢ Numeral (sideways) Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Granville Ferry, NS Addressee/Destination: Mr. J. Kimble & Son, St. John., N.B. Postmarks on Obverse: Granville Ferry CDS dispatch free strike Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annapolis SC transit ST. JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/DE27/98 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale #88, Lot #284 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 4/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annapolis Royal Drug Store, Est. A.B. Cunningham, Prop., Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bennie Trask, Yarmouth, N.S. (G.J.A. Craig in bottom left corner (sender?))</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: one of SC strikes barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/JA 4/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> listed as poor in ref (1) attached to the Map stamp is the torn remaining portion of second stamp 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1202</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. William Smith, Kingston, Kings Co., New Brunswick</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> KINGSTON STATION/N.S. Type A1 split circle transit dated JA 19/99 straight line 'MISSENT TO' hand stamp <p>Backstamp: KINGSTON (KINGS)/N.B. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JA 21/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "nice strike ties 2 MAP STAMP to cover to KINGSTON (KINGS)/N.B. JA 21/99 split circle b/s, also has str. line 'MISSENT TO' and KINGSTON STATION/N.S. JA 19/99 split circle on front, bit of aging, tear along left edge. RF 15, 7 RECORDED MAP STAMP COVERS!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee November 1989 auction #57, Lot #651</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 15/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W Roland Mellish, Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: one of SC strikes barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: partial HALIFAX CDS receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 16/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: The Bank of Nova Scotia (red lettering) pre-addressed envelope</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “The Bank of Nova Scotia” belt-buckle in red on backflap <p>Franking & Cancel: ANNAPOLIS/N.S. SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, N.B. (handwritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/N.B. SC receiver dated -/FE 16/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): “ties 2¢ MAP stamp #86 to cover to WOODSTOCK/N.B. -/FE 16/99 sq. circ. b/s. SCARCE ON MAP COVER! Bit of aging.” 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee January 1992 auction #65, Lot #1684</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee June 1992 auction #67, Lot #1166</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 18/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: Halifax receiver</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #519</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 3/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Mimmi Maxwell, Bear River, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 10/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Yarmouth, NS</p> <p>Backstamp: YARMOUTH/NS CDS receiver dated PM/MY 10/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): “bit lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to Annapolis c.c. cover to Yarmouth, N.S., some perf. tip staining. (RF 15).” 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #2078</p> <p>2. Jack Gordon collection</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 19/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Canada Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated (9?)/MY 22/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 22/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S. Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS receiver dated 3/SP 22/99 Other: • ref (2): lot of Nova Scotia SC on Map stamps (14 stamps and 5 covers) • ref (3): "Two light to clear strikes SP 22 '99 tying 2¢ Blue Map to cover (some tears) to Halifax corner card. Rare, only 7 known on Map covers" • same correspondence as SP 29, NO 9, NO 18, NO 25</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #545 3. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts collection, Lot #183 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 29/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esqr, Halifax, N.S. Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike Other: • ref (2): "2¢ blue, tied by ANNAPOLIS, NS 29 SP '99 squared circle to advertising cover to Halifax, CABLE RE-ENTERED along bottom right, scarce and very fine." • same correspondence as SP 22, NO 9, NO 18, NO 25</p>	<p>1. Charles G. Firby January 2002 auction, Lot #673 2. R. Maresch & Son June 2003 auction, Lot #2017 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/OC 23/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Yarmouth, NS Backstamp: YARMOUTH/NS CDS receiver dated OC 23/99</p>	<p>Don Slaughter website, Item #13068</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/OC 28/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Halifax, NS</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "ties 2¢ Map on clean cvr. to Halifax (only 7 Map covers recorded). Scarce. VF" 	<p>J.A. Hennok December 1985 auction, Lot #552</p> 
-/NO 3/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, pale green envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T. Bohaker, Barrister, Attorney, Conveyancer and Notary Public., Annapolis Royal, N.S. "For Leading Fire, Life, Accident and" <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic/USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale Jan 2017, Lot #1478</p> 
-/NO 9/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: Halifax received NO 9/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as SP 22, SP 29, NO 18, NO 25 • ref (1): "two nice strikes (one ties stamp) on Geo E Corbitt (coal, etc) cover to Halifax NS (b/s), VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #823</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/NO 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Other: same correspondence as SP 22, SP 29, NO 9, NO 25</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


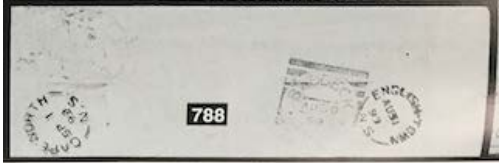
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-/NO 22/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: James Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S. (typewritten) Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): 2 strikes tying 2¢ Map to VF cover with Corner Card. None reported in Glen Hansen's Guidebook & Catalogue of Canadian Stamps. SCARCE" • possibly same correspondence as SP 22, SP 29, NO 9, NO 18, NO 25 but in this case, the address is typewritten rather than manuscript 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.C. Michaud Special Offer List #1, Lot #56 2. A.D. Hanes collection 3. R.B. Winmill, The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp, pg 26 (1982) 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/NO 25/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Geo. E. Corbitt, Dealer in Hard and Soft Coal, Flour, Feed, Meal, etc., Annapolis, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S. Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS receiver dated NO 27/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as SP 22, SP 29, NO 9, NO 18 • ref (1): lot of Annapolis SC on 8 covers & 5 post cards 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3088 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/DE 14/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. J.A. Craig, Yarmouth, N.S. Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/DE 14/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


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-/JA 1/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 11-bar oval grid cancels and SC barely ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. R.H. Hunter, 364 Gilmour Street, Ottawa, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC strike is essentially a free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: OTTAWA/CANADA CDS receiver dated D/JA 3/00</p>	<p>1. eBay</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

BADDECK

The Baddeck post office opened prior to 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Donald J. McRae (1898-1908). The Baddeck Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 20/93 and used in Period 4 from -/SP 15/98 to -/AP 6/05.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	<p>auction listing: "Baddeck cover, <u>Backstamp</u> - poorest but scarcer (H-no covers recorded)"</p>	J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #612
-/JA 7/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX, N.S./CANADA SC dated 2/JA 6/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Halifax, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Backstamp: BADDECK/N.S. SC transit</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "transit b/s, light strike on cover w/ #86 tied by HALIFAX, N.S./CANADA 2/JA 6/99 sq. circle. Cancel is a light 50% strike but enough to positively ID" 	Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #458
-/AP 8/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: smudge cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Big Hill, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: USA</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: BIG HILL/N.S. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated AP 8/99</p> <p>Backstamp: Baddeck SC transit</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "lt. transit b/s from BIG HILL/N.S. AP 8/99 (1888-1914) split circle free strike w/2¢ MAP STAMP tied by lt. smudge cancel to USA, considerable aging, rough edges w/tears. NO RECORDED MAP COVERS! RF 35" 	Robert A. Lee September 1989 auction #56 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1277

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 20/99	CC & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC strikes cancel Map stamps (3) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.A. Clark Esqr., 164 Hallis St., Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: 2 oval "R" postmarks</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 additional SC dispatch strikes • POINT TUPPER & SYDNEY/M.C. RPO (MT-276) transit dated W/MY 22/99 • HALIFAX.NS/CANADA CDS receiver dated MY 22/99 <p>Other: red wax seal on backflap</p>	<p>1. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 67 (2004)</p> <p>2. Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 22/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown postmark cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Origin: Halifax, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Backstamp: Baddeck SC transit</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "b/s Ju 22,99 transit 2¢ Map ex Halifax, one reported" 	Richard Lamb Special Offers List #78, Lot #1209
-/AU 30/99	TR	RP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: Halifax corner card</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX N.S./CANADA duplex (NS-133) dated 2/AU 29/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Halifax, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Aspy Bay, NS</p> <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baddeck SC transit • ENGLISH-TOWN/N.S. Type A1 split circle transit dated AU 31/99 • CAPE-NORTH/N.S. Type A1 split circle transit dated SP 1/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "b/s on Halifax c.c. cover w/2¢ Map stamp tied by HALIFAX N.S./CANADA 2/AU 30/99 duplex (DNS-133) to Aspy Bay, N.S., bit of edge wear. RF 35. NONE RECORDED ON COVER IN HANDBOOK!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee December 1988 auction #52, Lot #788</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 11/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • D.F. MacRae, General Merchant, Shipper of Farm Produce, Baddeck, Cape Breton Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messers Emerson & Fisher, St. John, NB Postmarks on Obverse: Baddeck SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: ST. JOHN, N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/DE 12/99 Other: • auction listing: “-with “SON” grid and BRODERICK N.S. 11 DEC ‘99 squared circle on advertising cover to ST. JOHN N.B., very fine.” • note mis-spelling of BADDECK in auction listing</p>	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son January 2000 auction, Lot #1696 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 



CANSO



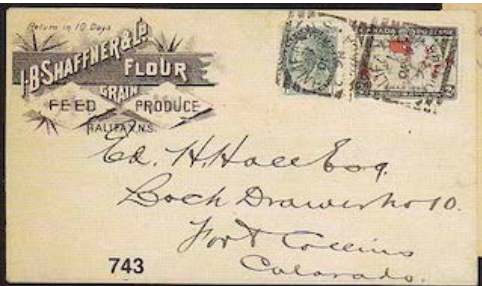
The Canso post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Alex M. Roberts (1897-1911). The Canso Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 5/95 and used from -/AP 26/95 to -/DE ?/99 (on a Map stamp).




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???	C	N	lot of 26 covers and 3 fronts	R. Maresch & Son November 1977 auction, Lot #654
???	C	N	journal: “Two strikes are known on map stamp and a further example on cover was sold by Wm. Maresch some years ago. Two map covers are also recorded.”	<i>Maple Leaves</i> , Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986)
-/MY 10/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: • auction listing: “very light but identifiable SON strike on #85, date could be questioned. RF 40, only one recorded strike on map stamp”</p>	Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #459
-/JU 9/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: • pre-addressed envelope: J.E. Roy & Co., 157 and 159 Hollis Street, ?? Barrington St (manuscript), Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: very faint SC strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy & Co., 157 and 159 Hollis Street, ?? Barrington St (manuscript), Halifax, N.S. Backstamp: received Halifax 4/JU 10/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



HALIFAX, HAMMER 2

The Halifax post office opened in the spring of 1755, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Hugh W. Blackadar (1874-1914). Hammer 2 of the Halifax Squared Circle was proofed on -/JA 12/94 and used in Period 2 from 1/MR 30/97 to 3/JY 30/99, although strikes after FE 9/99 are scarce (unknown on Map stamp covers after this date). During the Map stamp period, numeral time marks 1-4, with occasional blanks, were used.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	6 cover lot	Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1436
???	C	N	4 Halifax covers in a 9 cover lot	Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1775
???	CC	N	lot of 4 advertising covers from 1899	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #795
???	CC	N	lot of 8 SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776
???	CC	N	lot of "muddy waters" Map stamps, corner card front	Spink Shreves Galleries November 2007 Sale #96, Lot #1447
???	C	N	5 Halifax covers in a lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers and 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
3/DE 11/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beautiful 'Summer Carnival, Halifax, N.S., July 28th 29th 30th 31st 1896' cover illustrated with Halifax harbour scene, flowers and a sailor, all in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (not tied; stamp has bottom selvage attached)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. F. Van Malder, 7 Agricola St., Halifax, N.S., Canada</p> <p>Other: Map stamp has the bottom border intact containing the writing 'American Bank Note Company'</p>	<p>1. eBay</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/DE 11/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to Empire countries prior to DE 25/98</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: James H. Cochrane, Esq, Burston House, Pittville, Cheltenham, England ('England, Via New York' in top left corner)</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "cover to UK via NY, 2¢ Map (Lavender shade) + 3¢ Numeral tied by Halifax squared circle on VF small cover to England" • ref (3): "mailed Halifax to Cheltenham, England, franked with a 2c Map plus a 3c Numeral, paying the UPU 5c per 1/2 oz rate up to December 24th. A nice cover paying a scarce UPU rate with the Map stamp, even more so on the 4th day of known use. Very fine and fresh." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #650</p> <p>2. BNAPEX 2016 exhibit</p> <p>3. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #375</p> <p>4. Current owner personal communication</p> 



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3/DE 13/98	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Halifax, NS</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: 'Paul Creighton' handstamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Early dated cover franked with 2¢ Map with lavender oceans tied by neatly struck Halifax, N.S. squared circle (Hammer II), addressed locally, central cover crease; paying a two cent local drop letter rate with carrier delivery service, very scarce thus and especially desirable with such an early date, F-VF" 	<p>Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #292</p> 
4/DE 13/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp and 1/2¢ Numerals (2)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Florence M. Daking, Pond Avenue, Brookline, Mass</p>	<p>1. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1085</p> <p>2. Imperial Penny Postage 1898 – John T. Anders ORAPEX 2002 Exhibit</p> 
1/DE 14/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I.B. Shaffner & Co., Flour, Feed, Grain, Produce, Halifax, N.S. (stylized lettering and designs) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Ed. H. Hall Esq, Lock Drawer No 10, Fort Collins, Colorado</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "-and 1¢ NUMERAL, tied by HALIFAX 14 DE squared circles to ADVERTISING COVER paying the 3¢ rate to FORT COLLINS, COLORADO, minute opening tear, otherwise very fine" • ref (2): "-bluish, and 1¢ NUMERAL, tied by HALIFAX N.S. 14 DEC 98 SQUARED CIRCLES in illustrated FLOUR advertising cover to Fort Collins, CO, minute opening tear otherwise very fine." 	<p>1. Maresch October 1998 Auction #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #743</p> <p>2. R. Maresch & Son June 2007 Auction #426, Lot #2502</p> 




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3/DE 14/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Advertising: 'Compliments of the Season' corner handstamp in red ink</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to Empire countries prior to DE 25/98</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Moss Esqr., 36 Union Road, Newington Causeway, London, G.B.</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "two cancels tie 3¢ Numeral #78 + 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover to ENGLAND, no receiving cancel. Note scarce 1898 date for MAP stamp + 5¢ rate prior to 2¢ Imperial rate. Couple sm. tears, somewhat aged." ref (2): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers and 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee 1985 auction #34, Lot #813</p> <p>2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/DE 18/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: J.W. Gorham & Co., Halifax (return address on back)</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: M.B. Huestis Eq, Federal Life Ins Co, City</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "single franking cover, some toning, edge faults, etc, strike very fine." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 2005 auction, Lot #1362</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/DE 18/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eastern Oil Co., Halifax Dept., Oils & Naval Stores, Halifax, N.S. illustrated with a train oil car in purple ink <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs, R. Dawson & Son, Bridgewater, NS</p> <p>Backstamp: BRIDGEWATER/NS CDS receiver dated MY 22/99</p>	<p>1. Rob Lunn collection</p> <p>2. Bill Longley April 2017 Mail List, Item #27</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/DE 22/98	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 3¢ postal stationery (EN10)</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to Empire countries prior to DE 25/98</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Jenkins, London, England</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ties #85 to v. fly. pstl. stry. from EN10 to England, some perf. stains, noted as plt 1. SCARCE PRE XMAS DATE!" ref (2): "85 (true lavender) & three cents P/STAT on cvr front, Halifax NS 3/De 22/98 sq cir (2 excellent strikes) to Miss Jenkins London England. Early date. F" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 1995 auction #79, Lot #865</p> <p>2. Bow City Philatelics December 2000 Sale #56, Lot #588</p>




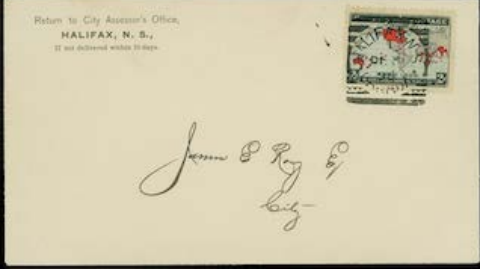
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3/DE 25/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland, redirected to England</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A. & W. MacKinlay, Manufacturing, Publishers, Stationers, Halifax, N.S. (fancy lettering in blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fred Pearson, 3 Inchinnan Road, Renfrew, Scotland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • redirected to Brickendonbury, Hertford, Herts (England) <p>Postmarks on Obverse: RENFREW/295 2-ring CDS/double split circle dispatch dated A/JA 5/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RENFREW/295 2-ring CDS/double split circle receiver dated A/JA 5/99 • GLASGOW/8 2-ring CDS/double split circle transit dated 9 30AM/JA 5/99 • HERTFORD CDS receiver dated 3 30.AM/JA 6/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Current owner personal communication 2. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #3, Whole #560, pg 44 (2019) 
3/DE 25/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland, redirected to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fred Pearson, 3 Inchinnan Road, Renfrew, Scotland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • redirected to Brickendonbury, Hertford, Herts (England) <p>Postmarks on Obverse: RENFREW/295 2-ring CDS/double split circle dispatch dated D/JA 6/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RENFREW/295 2-ring CDS/double split circle receiver dated C/JA 5/99 • GLASGOW/8 2-ring CDS/double split circle transit dated 5 20PM/JA 6/99 • HERTFORD CDS receiver dated 8.45AM/JA 7/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles of Canada website 2. Current owner personal communication 3. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #3, Whole #560, pg 44 (2019) 




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3/DE 25/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland, redirected to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fred Pearson, 3 Inchinnan Road, Renfrew, Scotland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • redirected to Brickendonbury, Hertford, Herts (England) <p>Postmarks on Obverse: RENFREW/295 2-ring CDS/double split circle dispatch dated D/JA 6/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renfrew receiver (JA 5) • Glasgow transit (JA 6) • Hertford receiver (JA 7) <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): lot of Halifax SC on Map stamps (4 stamps with indicia 1-4 on FE 1/99 & 1 cover) • ref (4): "Christmas Day cover mailed from Halifax to Renfrew, Scotland, franked with 2¢ Map tied by superb Halifax, NS (DE 25 98) squared circle postmark; Renfrew (JA 5) backstamp and on front (JA 6), then redirected to Hertford, via Glasgow (JA 6) and arriving at its final destination (JA 7). A desirable First Day cover of the new Two cent Empire rate to Scotland, F-VF; ex Nels Pelletier (1982), Stewart Kenyon (1989), Beverlie Clark (1998)" • this was not the cover in the Clark collection (see cover below from the Maresch auction of the Clark collection) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 28 (1976), Nels Pelletier 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #547 4. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #299 5. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #3, Whole #560, pg 44 (2019)
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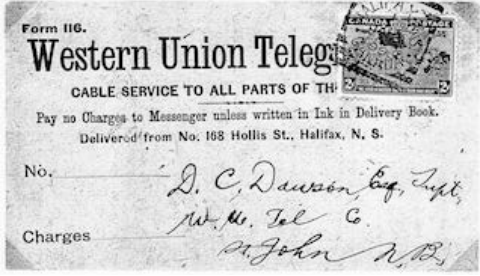





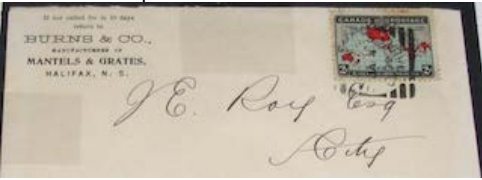

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3/DE 25/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland, redirected to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fred Pearson, 3 Inchinnan Road, Renfrew, Scotland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • redirected to Brickendonbury, Hertford, Herts (England) <p>Postmarks on Obverse: RENFREW/-- 2-ring CDS/ double split circle dispatch dated D/JA 6/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renfrew receiver (JA 5) • Hertford receiver (JA 7) <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "COVER TO THE UK -FIRST DAY OF THE EMPIRE RATE, tied by 3/DE 25/98 Halifax sq circle on re-directed cover to Scotland (3 UK b/s's). VF" • ref (2): "several identical covers have been reported. The exact number is not certain, estimates range from 5 to 8." • ref (3): "tied by 25 DE '98 <u>Hamilton</u> squared circle to OFFICIAL FIRST DAY OF RATE COVER to Renfrew, SCOTLAND, 5 JA '99 receiver on back, and redirected to Hertford, ENGLAND, received 7 JA, scarce and very fine. Ex - Brigham." • note that ref (2) incorrectly reports the SC as <u>Hamilton</u> 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #562 2. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 3, #4, Whole #10, pg 4 (2002) 3. Brigham June 2014 auction of the Brigham collection, Lot #952 4. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #3, Whole #560, pg 44 (2019) 




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3/DE 25/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland, redirected to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fred Pearson, 3 Inchinnan Road, Renfrew, Scotland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • redirected to Brickendonbury, Hertford, Herts (England) <p>Postmarks on Obverse: RENFREW/-- 2-ring CDS/ double split circle dispatch dated D/JA 6/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RENFREW/295 2-ring CDS/double split circle receiver dated C/JA 5/99 • GLASGOW/13 2-ring CDS/double split circle transit dated 5 20PM/JA 6/99 • HERTFORD CDS receiver dated 8.45AM/JA 7/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): “-tied by HALIFAX N.S. 25 DE to RENFREW, SCOTLAND and there forwarded to HERTFORD, choice OFFICIAL FIRST DAY COVER, v.f.” 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son October 1998 Auction #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #759</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> <p>3. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #3, Whole #560, pg 44 (2019)</p> 
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2/DE 27/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smith & Power, Retail Dry Goods, 37 George St., Halifax, N.S., P.O. Box 431. in brown lettering • overprinted with 'George T. Smith' handstamp in black ink <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. Wm. Cummings & Son, Truro, Nova Scotia</p> <p>Backstamp: TRURO/N.S. CDS receiver dated -/DE 28/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as 3/JA 1/99 • ref (1): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
4/DE 28/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mers H Scheuer, 435 Broome Street, New York</p> <p>Backstamp: S/N.Y. CDS receiver dated 12.29 98/5P</p>	<p>1. Sparks Auction October 2016 Sale #22, Lot #1203</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/DE 31/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs B.L. Drew & Co, 23 Court Street Room 219, Boston, Mass, U.S.A.</p> <p>Other: last day of 3¢ USA rate before being reduced to 2¢ on Jan 1/99</p>	<p>Imperial Penny Postage 1898 – John T. Anders ORAPEX 2002 Exhibit</p> 
1/DE 31/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City Assessor's Office, Halifax, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: James E Roy Esq, City</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of over 100 Victorian covers • ref (2): "tied by "HALIFAX N.S. CANADA/1/DE 31/98" Sq. Circle to local cover. Last day for the 2¢ local rate." • ref (3): "Clean cover franked with well centered 2¢ Map with lavender oceans tied by neat Halifax "1" (DE 31 98) squared circle, the drop letter rate (last day of the rate before it was reduced to 1¢ on Jan. 1). A pretty cover with much appeal, VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1991 auction, Lot #414</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok June 1984 auction, Lot #742</p> <p>3. Eastern Auctions October 2009 Public Auction of the Roger Boisclair collection, Lot #373</p> 





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1/DE 31/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Longard Bros. Manufacturers & Jobbers of Steamfitters' & Plumbers' Goods, Halifax, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC strikes cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate (last day before being reduced to 2¢ on Jan 1/99)</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Walworth Mfg Co, 16 Oliver St, Boston, Mass, USA</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): " 2¢ Map (#85) & 1¢ Numeral (#75) DEC.31, 1898 last day of 3¢ rate to USA Halifax, N.S. Squared circle" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok April 1982 auction, Lot #974</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/DE 31/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage short paid by 1¢ the 3¢ domestic letter rate which was not reduced to 2¢ until the next day</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. G.W. Graham, Jeweller, Windsor, N.S.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


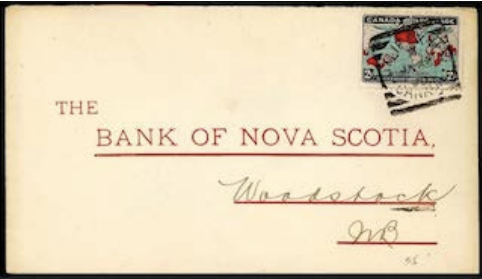

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3/JA 1/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Advertising: illustrated advertising <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Le Bon Marche Millinery, Halifax illustrated with lady wearing fancy hat Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the rate Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to 'LE BON MARCHE MILLINERY, HALIFAX' illustr. adv. cover front shows 'lady wearing fancy hat'. Scarce Jan. 1st usage!" </p>	Robert A. Lee May 1997 auction #84, Lot #713
1/JA 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: telegraph cover from 'Western Union Telegr..., Cable Service to all Parts of th....' Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: delivered from No. 168 Hollis St., Halifax, N.S. Addressee/Destination: D.C. Dawson Esq, W.U. Tel Co., St. John, N.B.</p>	<p>Imperial Penny Postage 1898 – John T. Anders ORAPEX 2002 Exhibit</p> 
1/JA 3/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid several rates Addressee/Destination: Sam Hing (also in Chinese)</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale January 2017, Lot #1478</p> 

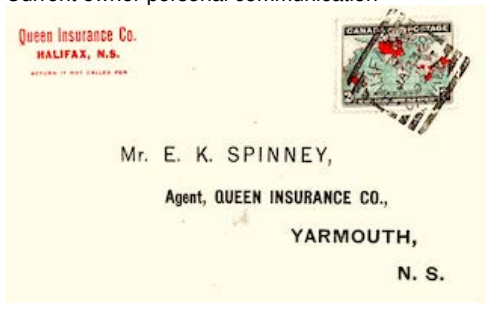



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?/JA 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Burns & Co., Manufacturers of Mantels & Grates, Halifax, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, City</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/JA 5/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revere House, Halifax, N.S., Wm. Wilson, Prop'r (fancy lettering) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co, London, Ont, Tea Importers, Dundas St.</p> <p>Backstamp: received London JA 9/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

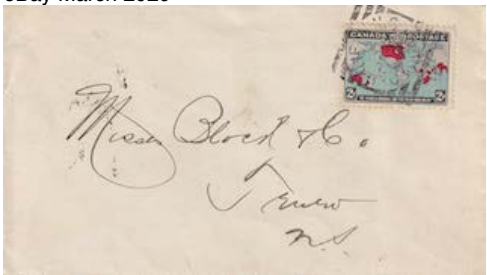


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2/JA 6/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX, N.S./CANADA SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: unknown Backstamp: BADDECK/NS SC transit dated -/JA 7/99 Other: • auction listing: "BADDECK transit b/s, light strike on cover w/#86 tied by HALIFAX, N.S./CANADA 2/JA 6/99 sq. circle. Cancel is a light 50% strike but enough to positively ID"</p>	<p>Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #458</p>
1/JA 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card • T.C. Johnson & Sons, The Barrington St. Jewellers, Importers of Fine Watches, Silverware, &c, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Levy Bros Co., Hamilton, Ont</p>	<p>1. Jack Gordon notes/collection 2. eBay September 2020</p> 
2/JA 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Christie Bros & Co, Amherst, N.S. Backstamp: AMHERST/NS CDS receiver dated AM/ JA 21/99 Other: • ref (1): "very fine, envelope crease, and a bit rumbled"</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1210 2. eBay 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 




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3/JA 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (3; horizontal strip)</p> <p>Postage: 6c postage paid the triple domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.K. Spinney, Yarmouth, N.S.</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale Jan 2017, Lot #1478</p> 
1/JA 21/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: R.I. McDonald Esq, Port Hastings, CB (NS)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
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1/JA 21/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Western Union Telegraph, Cable Service to all Parts of Th... <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: St. John, NB</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: " 'WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH' cover w/2c MAP stamp #86 tied by HALIFAX N.S./ CANADA 1/JA 21/99 hmr. II sq. circ. to St. John. Clean cover!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee May 1997 auction #84, Lot #714</p> 
2/JA 22/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Western Union Telegraph Co. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: " 'WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO' lot of 3 c.c. covers each franked w/2c MAP stamps, inc. HALIFAX 2/JA22/99 hmr. II sq. circ.;..." 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1993 auction #71, Lot #583</p>



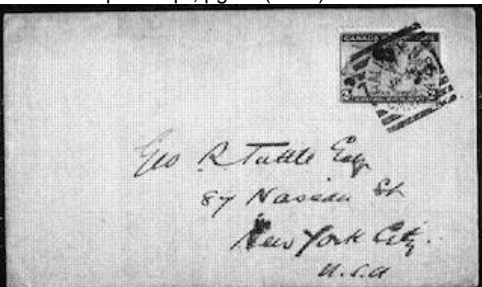
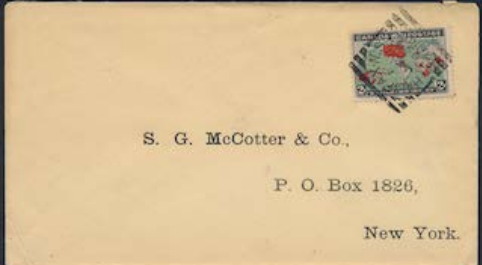
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1/JA 23/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maritime Provinces Branch, Confederation Life Association, F.W. Green, Manager, Halifax, N.S. (lettering in blue ink) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. A.H. Jones, Agt Confederation Life, Moncton, NB Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): lot of Halifax SC on 3 Map stamp corner card covers </p>	<p>1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3100 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/JA 23/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX,N.S./CANADA SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wolfville, NS, redirected to Halifax, NS Postmarks on Obverse: WOLFVILLE/NS SC redirected transit dated -/JA 4/99 (presumably '4' for '24', missing day digit error) Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "Wolfville NS on 2¢ Map cover front. F+ (RF55) receiver strike of -/JA (2)4/99 on front from Halifax with VF 1/JA 24/99 sq circle, re-directed to Halifax, rare with two NS cancels, ex Whitehead" note Halifax strike incorrectly listed as JA 24/99 </p>	<p>J.A. Hennok April 2000 auction, Lot #542</p> 
1/JA 23/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geo. E. Smith & Co., P.O. Box 453, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.E. Jean, Esq., Arichat, C.B. (Cape Breton, NS) (typewritten)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


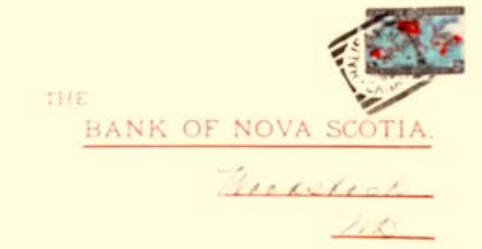


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2/JA 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: 'The Bank of Nova Scotia' belt buckle advertising on back flap of pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, N.B. (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: partial WOODSTOCK CDS receiver</p> <p>Other: incorrectly written up in ref (2) as 3/JA 23/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale, April 2016, Lot #714</p> <p>2. Bow City Philatelics November 2017 auction of the Mercator collection, Lot #307</p> <p>3. Bow City Philatelics February 2019 Sale #94, Lot #1573</p> <p>4. Bow City Philatelics September 2020 Sale #97, Lot #1306</p> 
2/JA 23/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "...tie #86, nice cover" 	<p>Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #460</p>
2/JA 23/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mott's Spices, Strictly Pure, P.O. Box 575, Halifax, N.S. • illustrated with a spice box <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John Lewis Childs Esq, Floral Park, Queens County, New York, NY</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map stamp bears the signature of Sir William Mulock • auction listing: "DEEP BLUE v.f. and bearing the signature of MULOCK (Sir Wm Mulock) tied by v.f. strike of Halifax squared circle 23 JA '99 on immaculate multicoloured advertising cover, superb Est. value 150+ V.G.G." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son October 1988 auction, Lot #748</p> 

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1/JA 24/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Advertising: hand-stamp corner card</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale Jan 2017, Lot #1478</p> 
1/JA 24/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Guysbough, NS</p> <p>Backstamp: Guysbough, NS, receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "86b HALIFAX 1/24/99 SQ Cir (Hammer 2) B/S GUYSBOUGH NS. VF 	<p>Bow City Philatelics March 2006 Sale #71, Lot #392</p>
2/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mott's Spices, Strictly Pure, P.O. Box 575, Halifax, N.S. • illustrated with a reddish-brown spice box and lettering in green <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs R. Dawson & Son, Bridgewater, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamps: 2 partial overlapping BRIDGEWATER/-S. CDS receivers dated -- 25/-9</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): " 'MOTT'S SPICES, HALIFAX' red, green & brown ink illustr. adv. cover showing 'spice box', HALIFAX N.S./CANADA 2/JA 24/99 sq. cir. hammer II ties 2¢ Map stamp to Bridgewater, N.S. Bit of age stain at bottom, sm. edge fault" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee December 1988 auction #52, Lot #718 2. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #522 3. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale, April 2016, Lot #714 4. Current owner personal communication 
2/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card: belt buckle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Payzant & King, Grocers, Halifax, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: JH Townsend Esq, Merchant, Tangier, NS</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


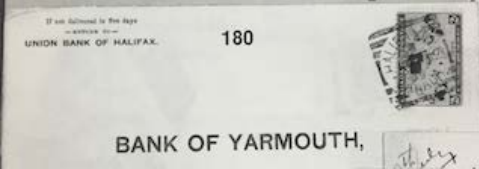

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3/JA 24/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Yarmouth, NS Backstamp: Yarmouth, NS receiver</p>	<p>Bow City Philatelics October 2005 Sale #70, Lot #800</p>
1/JA 25/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB Backstamp: Woodstock, NB receiver</p>	<p>Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #501</p>
3/JA 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card: • Smith Brothers, Wholesale Dry Goods, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.A. McAuley Esq, South Side River Dennis, CB (Cape Breton) Backstamp: RIVER DENNIS SOUTH/N.S. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JA 26/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics November 2017 auction of the Mercator collection, Lot #27 2. Bow City Philatelics July 2018 postal bids sale #93, Lot #217</p> 
2/JA 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card • Faulkner & Co., General Insurance Agents, Halifax, N.S. • corner card with purple lettering enclosed in a stylized oval Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Keystone Fire Ins. Co, St. John, N.B. Backstamp: ST.JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/JA27/99 Other: most of backflap and large part of back of envelope missing</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 

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3/JA 26/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Arichat, NS Backstamp: ARICHAT/NS CDS receiver dated JA 26/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p>
3/JA 26/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs H.H. Ayer & Co, Moncton, N.B. Backstamp: Moncton, NB, receiver Other: • ref (1) & (2): "86 (Deep green oceans) HALIFAX NS 3/JA 26/99 CANADA SQ. CIR. B/S MONCTON F HR"</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Bow City Philatelics September 2002 Sale #61, Lot #495 Bow City Philatelics July 2003 Sale #64, Lot #414 Bow City Philatelics August 2004 Sale #67, Lot #384 Bow City Philatelics October 2006 Sale #71, Lot #812 
2/JA 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Geo. E. Smith & Co., P.O. Box 453, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.E. Jean, Esq., Arichat, C.B. (typewritten) Other: • ref (1): lot of Halifax SC on 3 Map stamp corner card covers</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3100 Current owner personal communication 

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3/JA 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Crowell Bros., Importers of Hardware and Ship Chandlery, 81 Upper Water Street, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. J.E. Jean, Esq., Arichat, C.B. (Cape Breton) Other: • ref (1): lot of Halifax SC on 3 Map stamp corner card covers</p>	<p>1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3100 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
4/JA 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: O. James Esq, Moncton, Westmorland, NB Backstamp: MONCTON/N.B. CDS receiver dated PM/JA 27/99 Other: • part of a date matched TM set with TM 1-3 off-cover • ref (1): "Halifax on stamp & cover. Halifax 1(2), 2,3, and 4(cover) all JA 27 '99 fine and rare matched set on Map. Ex Whitehead & Doull. 4 stamps, 1 cover (H-838)"</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #614 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/JA 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Geo. R. Tuttle Esq, 87 Nassau St, New York City, U.S.A</p>	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 29 (1982)</p> 
1/JA 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border, pre-addressed envelope to USA Advertising: S.G. McCotter & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: S.G. McCotter & Co., P.O. Box 1826, New York. Backstamp: partial P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 1-30-99/?-1A</p>	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 auction #329, Lot #5335 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 






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1/JA 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Methodist Book Room and “Wesleyan” Office, 141 Granville Street, Halifax, N.S. • S.F. Huestis, Book Steward; G.J. Bond, B.A., Editor Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. W.P. Chittick, Canso, N.S. Other: • Plating position of Map stamp 1-A-76 • ref (2) incorrectly states that the strike date is JA 28/98</p>	<p>1. Canada Map Stamp of 1898 - Exhibit by Robert Lighthouse (website of the Rochester Philatelic Association, http://www.rpastamps.org) 2. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #2, Whole #559, pg 39 (2019)</p> 
2/JA 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: • pre-addressed envelope : Bank of Nova Scotia (in red ink), Woodstock, NB (town, province handwritten) • backflap: The Bank of Nova Scotia “belt buckle” in red ink Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX,N.S./CANADA SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, NB (manuscript) Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/N.B. SC receiver dated -/JA 28/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/JA 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated corner card • J.A. Leaman & Co., Halifax, N.S. • illustrated with a head of a bull enclosed in a double oval Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.N. Sutherland Esq, General Freight Agent, C.P.R., St. John, N.B. Backstamp: ST.JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/JA 30/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics December 2012 Sale #82, Lot #367 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/JA 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Confederation Life Association (Maritime provinces Branch), F.W. Green, - Manager. Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: A.H. Jones Esq, Moncton Backstamp: light MONCTON/N.B. CDS receiver dated AM/JA 31/99</p>	<p>eBay March 2020</p> 

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3/JA 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. John W. Webb, c/o Mr. J.S. Stephens, Maywood, Illinois, U.S.A. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "...tie #86, nice cover" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #460 2. Squared Circles of Canada website 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/JA 31/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • pre-addressed envelope : Bank of Nova Scotia (in red ink), Woodstock, NB (town, province manuscript) • backflap: The Bank of Nova Scotia "belt buckle" in red ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, NB (manuscript) Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/N.B. CDS receiver dated FE 1/99</p>	<p>eBay April 2020</p> 
2/JA 31/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Amherst, NS Backstamp: Amherst, NS, receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "86i (weak impression LL value tablet) Halifax '2' Ja 31/99 sq cir. B/S Amherst NS. F-VF" 	<p>Bow City Philatelics February 2000 Sale #53, Lot #408</p>
3/JA 31/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: backflap card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Bank of British North America (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Victor Leitz Esq, The Farmers & Merchants Nat Bank, Fremont, Nebraska Backstamp: FREMONT, NEBR./REC'D CDS receiver dated FEB 4/10AM/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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?/FE 1/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Map 2c on cover with HALIFAX NS FE 1 99 squared circle" • unknown whether it is one of the other listed FE 1/99 strikes on cover so not included in population numbers 	CPS of GB September 1982 Convention Auction, Lot #332
?/FE 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North American Life Assurance Company, Halifax, N.S. • Geo. E. Lavers, Provincial Manager <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Yarmouth, Yarmouth, N.S. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/FE 2/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Map 2¢ tied Halifax sq.circle, c.c. N. Am. Life Assoc. Co." • ref (2): lot of 3 Halifax SC Map stamp covers 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Special Offer List #67, Lot #1295</p> <p>2. eBay March 2020</p> 
2/FE 1/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Advertising: Bank corner card</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Very fine strike tying #86 to Bank corner card cover. Small tear at top but o/w fine and fresh." 	Robert A. Lee March 1980 auction #11, Lot #30
3/FE 1/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Union Bank of Halifax • Bank of Yarmouth pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Yarmouth</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "1899 #86 2c MAP tied by HALIFAX.NS/CANADA SQUARED CIRCLE HAMMER II dated 3/FE 1/99, Union Bank cc, stamp damaged LR and minor faults" 	<p>Ron Leith auctions February 1989 public auction #1, Lot #180</p> 
3/FE 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • backflap: Union Bank of Halifax, Nova Scotia <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamps (2)</p> <p>Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Victor Leitz Esq, ? Cashier, Farmers Merchants Bank, Fremont, Neb.</p> <p>Backstamp: FREMONT,NEB'R CDS receiver dated FEB 3/10:30AM/99</p>	<p>1. Rob Lunn collection</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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2/FE 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated back flap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Black Bros & Co, Halifax, N.S. illustrated with a sailing ship within an oval that bears the company name, all in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. C.U. Mader, Mahone Bay, NS</p> <p>Backstamp: MAHONE-BAY/N.S. CDS receiver dated FE 3/99</p> <p>Other: cover is reduced at both ends</p>	<p>eBay April 2020</p> 
2/FE 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated back flap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Black Bros & Co., Halifax, N.S. illustrated with a sailing ship within an oval that bears the company name, all in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mass Rob Dawson & Sons, Bridgewater</p> <p>Backstamp: partial Bridgewater, NS CDS receiver</p> <p>Other: part of a date matched TM set with TM 1&4 off-cover</p>	<p>1. Rob Lunn collection</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
3/FE 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: back flap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> C.W. Outhit, Wholesale Fruits, Halifax, NS (oval belt buckle, all in blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.A. McDermid Esq, Liscomb, NS</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> partial blurry SHERBROOKE/NS transit CDS dated FE 4/99 LISCOMBE/N.S. Type A1 split circle receiver dated FE 4/99 <p>Other: part of a date matched TM set with TM 1&4 off-cover</p>	<p>1. Rob Lunn collection</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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3/FE 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • W.H. Johnson Co. Ltd., Dealers in Pianos & Organs, Halifax, N.S. • fancy lettering complimented by flowering vines <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr J.D. Medcalfe, Yarmouth, N.S. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/3 FE/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
?/FE 3/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Advertising: Gordon & Keith Furniture advertising cover</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>Halifax Buildings Illustrated on Victoria and Edward Advertising Covers - Keith MacKay BNAPEX 2016 Exhibit</p>

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?/FE 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Halifax Hotel, Halifax, Canada • illustrated back: picture of hotel and street scene, hotel crest <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate (but why a registered postmark?)</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Capt Arthur Lantz, Shelburne, Queens County, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' • 'MISSENT TO' in pointing hand, with 'PLEASE RETURN COVER TO POSTMASTER FOR ENQUIRY' <p>Backstamp: partial split circle with only 'P.../N.S.' showing and partial '99' of date</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • not included in population report since several odd features • why registered but only 2¢ postage? Registration fee still applied to soldiers (A.L. Steinhart, <i>The Rates of Postage of Canada 1711-1900</i>, PHSC, pg 371 (2011)) • SC cancel not tied to cover - not seen elsewhere in Halifax covers • illustration on reverse has stylized automobiles - really, in 1899? This cover was used in 1936!   <p>• no receiver - backstamp town name starts with a 'P'</p> <p>• postmark on obverse not common although it has been seen on another non-SC Map stamp Morrison's Hotel corner card cover (see right), although this cover also appears to have issues - two canceling strikes, one from 1899 and one from 1933 (Sparks Auctions January 2015 auction #16, Lot #1358)</p>	<p>Roger Boisclair collection</p>   



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
2/FE 3/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of 5 Victorian period SC covers auction listing: "...timemark '2' choice strike on MAP STAMP cover..." unknown whether it is one of the other listed 2/FE 3/99 strikes on cover so not included in population numbers 	Robert A. Lee December 1980 auction #15, Lot #6
2/FE 3/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Advertising: Austen Bros corner card Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Richard Lamb Special Offers List #73, Lot #1324
2/FE 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Toronto Type Foundry, 146 Lower Water St., Halifax, N.S., The ONLY House in Canada equipped for supplying ALL the Printer's Requirements <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto Type Foundry Co Ltd, Montreal, PQ Backstamp: MONTREAL CDS receiver dated FEB 5/11-0/1899</p>	<p>Bow City Philatelics January 2020 Sale #96, Lot #1657</p>
3/FE 3/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Webster, Smith & Co. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "v.f., c.c. Webster Smith, Map 2¢ #86" 	Richard Lamb Special Offers List #81, Lot #1194
2/FE 4/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Henderson & Potts, N.S. Paint and Varnish Works <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale January 2017, Lot #1478</p>
3/FE 5/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope, front only Advertising: Wm. Croft & Sons pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Croft & Sons, Toronto</p>	Jack Gordon notes/collection


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3/FE 5/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. J.A. Humphreys & Son, Moncton, N.B.</p> <p>Backstamp: Moncton NB receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Commercial usage sent to Moncton, NB with a receiver on rear. Dated February 5, 1899, time mark 3. A bit reduced when opened." 	eBay February 2019
2/FE 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: belt buckle on backflap in blue ink</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.H. Fuller & Co., Hardware, Halifax, NS <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Peck Stowe & Wilcox Company, Southington, Conn., U.S.A. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: SOUTHINGTON CONN/REC'D CDS receiver dated FE 8/8/6 PM/1899</p>	Current owner personal communication
2/FE 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Merchants' Bank of Halifax, Halifax, N.S. • Bank of Yarmouth pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Cashier, Bank of Yarmouth, Yarmouth, N.S.</p>	Current owner personal communication
2/FE 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G.P. Mitchell & Sons, Importers of West India Produce, General Commission Merchants, Halifax, N.S. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: James E. Graham Esq, Windsor, NS</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "1899 #86 tied by HALIFAX/NS sq circle hammer-2 dated FE7/99 with time indicia "2", "MITCHELL WEST INDIES IMPORTERS, HALIFAX" adv cc, front only, F" • ref (2): "VF 2/Fe 7/99 strike ties 2¢ Map with muddy water variety (Ocean almost black) on G.P. Mitchell & Sons General Commission Merchants cornercard cover front to Windsor NS" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ron Leith auctions November 1990 public auction #6, Lot #161 2. J.A. Hennok February 2002 auction, Lot #264 3. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 44 (2004) 4. Map Stamp Study Group website

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2/FE 7/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Christie Bros & Co, Amherst, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: AMHERST/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/FE 8/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
3/FE 7/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.K. Spinney Esq, Yarmouth, NS</p> <p>Other: addressee hand-stamped in purple ink</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale January 2017, Lot #1478</p>
3/FE 7/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> pre-addressed envelope : Bank of Nova Scotia (in red ink), Woodstock, NB (town, province manuscript) backflap: The Bank of Nova Scotia "belt buckle" in red ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Manager, Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, NB (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/N.B. CDS receiver dated FE 8/99</p>	<p>eBay June 2020</p>
1/FE 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.C. Wilson "The Flag that Braved" red patriotic envelope (WLS-E02 series) with flag in upper left corner <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Dorothy Fife, Charlottetown, P.E. Island</p> <p>Backstamp: CHARLOTTETOWN/P.E.I. CDS receiver dated ?/FE 9/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
3/FE 9/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> corner card: Alfred J. Bell, General Insurance Agent, Halifax, N.S. (hand-stamped in purple ink) back flap advertising: National Assurance Company of Ireland, Established in 1822 (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Acadia Sugar Ref'g Co Ltd, Neallis St., City</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

LUNENBURG


The Lunenburg post office opened between 1866 and 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Jas. M. Anderson (1891-1932). The Lunenburg Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 29/94 and used from -/OC 16/94 to JU 3/99 (Period 1). The AM time mark was used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/JA 23/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "60% partial strike on #86. Shows 'LUNENB..., N.S.' RF 25 1 recorded map stamp strike and 6 recorded map covers. Small thin" 	Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #461
AM/FE 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: D.C. Dawson, Supt. W.U. Tel. Co., St. John, N.B. Backstamp: partial ST. JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/FE 16/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "light strike tying DEEP BLUE copy to immaculate cover to ST. JOHN N.B. with 16 FEB '99 arrival. (seven covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #701 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/FE 16/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • embossed Rising Sun Lodge No. 59, I.O.O.F. (International Order of Odd Fellows), Lunenburg, N.S., Inst. Feby. 18.1892, with emblem of order within the circular seal Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: C.U. Mader Esq., Mahone Bay, N.S. Backstamp: received Mahone Bay, NS FE 16/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Nova Scotia SC on Map stamps (14 stamps & 5 covers) • ref (3): lot of SC on 32 Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #545 3. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 

AM/MR 23/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Robert Dawson & Son, Bridgewater Backstamp: partial BRIDGEWATER/N.S. CDS receiver dated MR 24/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "on 2¢ Map cover. None reported in Glen Hansen's Guidebook & Catalogue of Canadian Stamps. SCARCE cancel on this stamp. VF" • ref (2): "Envelope franked with 2¢ Lavender Map tied by clear Lunenburg N.S. Type II squared circle (AM/MR 23/99), sent to Bridgewater with light receiver backstamp, seven covers have been reported with the Map stamp, VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.C Michaud Special Offer List #1, Lot #55 2. Eastern Auctions October 2009 Public Auction of the Roger Boisclair collection, Lot #430 3. Current owner personal communication 
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MACCAN

The Maccan post office opened in November 1872, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Robert D. Roach (1872-1901). The Maccan Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 26/94 and used from -/JU 6/94 to -/SP 23/01.

Strike Date	Type	Scan	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/OC 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. ?B.W. Ralston & Co, Amherst, NS. Backstamp: Amherst NS receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "on cover, OC 20? Very rare cover (H-none recorded)" • ref (2): "unable to read date, light but SON strike on #85 cover. Slightly cut-down at rt. RF 35, no map covers and only 2 on map stamps recorded. A rare cover!" • ref (3): "Rare MACCAN NS sq Circle Map cover -/OC 20/? strike ties stamp (perf flt) on cvr to Amherst NS (b/s). Handbook states no covers recorded" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #617 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #462 3. J.A. Hennok June 1993 auction, Lot #321 4. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-27 5. Current owner personal communication 


NEWPORT LANDING




The Newport Landing post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Edmund McCarthy (1896-1929). The Newport Landing Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 2/94 and used from -/DE 4/94 to -/JU 28/16, although strikes after -/DE 15/99 are relatively scarce.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA (9?)/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. J.E. Graham, Windsor, N.S.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

NORTH SYDNEY


The North Sydney post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were D.W. Mackinnon (1893-1899) and Robert Musgrave (1899-1912). The North Sydney Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used from -/MR 14/97 to -/FE 5/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 3 Map stamp SC covers	J.N. Sissons January 1961 auction #185, Lot #389
???	C	N	lot of 26 covers and 3 fronts	R. Maresch & Son November 1977 auction, Lot #654
???	C	N	10 cover lot, 6 of which are backstamps	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #278
???	C	N	lot of 3 Map stamp covers	John H. Talman November 1994 auction #163, Lot #303
-/JA 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • A.C. Thompson & Co., Hardware & Tinware, North Sydney, C.B. (Cape Breton) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. John A. McAulay, South Side River Dennis, CB (Cape Breton) Backstamps: 2 RIVER DENNIS STATION/N.S. Type A1 split circle receivers, one dated JA 17/99 and the other JA 19/99</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 

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-/FE15/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Presto House, Peppett Street, North Sydney, C.B. Bart Musgrave, Prop. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Christie Bros & Co, Manufacturers, Amherst, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: partial ??/N.S. CDS receiver dated FE 15/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Belmont, Commercial Street, North Sydney, C.B., J.D. McDonald, Proprietor. (reddish-purple coloured lettering) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Roy Building, Barrington Street, Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX, CANADA CDS receiver dated 4/FE 28/99</p> <p>Other: upside down 8 in date on SC strike</p>	<p>1. Rob Lunn collection</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 27/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Moncton, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: MONCTON/NB CDS receiver dated AM/MR 29/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p>
-/AP 29/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: Western Union Telegraph Co. cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cable Service to all Parts of the..., Pay no Charges to Messenger unless written in Ink in Delivery Book. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ties Map to Western Union Telegraph cover (H-11)" ref (2): "ties #86 to nice 'WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.' cover addressed to Toronto. RF 25, 11 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #621</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #467</p> <p>3. Charles G. Firby January 2002 auction, Lot #673</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 11/99	CC & DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Advertising: back cover illustrated, handstamped</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> W.H. Kelly, Manuf. of Staple Leathers &c, Riverside Tannery, North Sydney, C.B. (ornate illustration featuring an eagle with a banner in its' beak, all in blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 4 SC tie Map stamps (3, 1 of them sideways) & 1¢ Numeral (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Webster Brothers, Seedsmen, Hamilton, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> oval "R" postmark North Sydney SC free strike in bottom left corner <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 North Sydney SC dispatch strikes Montreal barred circle dated MY 14 A7/99 3 MONT. & TOR. G.T.RY/12 RPO (QC-294.12) dated NW/MY 14/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): "5 strikes tying 2¢ (3) + 1¢ Numeral to reg'd cover to Hamilton, dated My 11'99, Fine" ref (3): "Fine strikes tie three 2¢ Maps and a 1¢ Numeral on commercial registered cover to Hamilton, five strikes on front and two on back, ornate handstamped ad for the Riverside Tannery on reverse minor faults, Fine. A most unusual usage." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #549 Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2023 Current owner personal communication 
-/MY 11/99	CC & DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Advertising: back cover illustrated, handstamped</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> W.H. Kelly, Manuf. of Staple Leathers &c, Riverside Tannery, North Sydney, C.B. (ornate illustration featuring an eagle with a banner in its' beak, all in blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 5 SC cancel Map stamps (3, 2 are a horizontal pair, 1 sideways) & 1¢ Numeral (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> oval "R" postmark North Sydney SC strike barely ties Map stamp on left of cover so essentially a dispatch free strike <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 North Sydney SC dispatch TORONT/CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/MY 15/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "5 strikes tie three 2¢ Maps + 1¢ Numeral on registered W.H. Kelly cover to Toronto, small stain on front cover, o/w Fine" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> J.A. Hennok 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #266 Current owner personal communication 

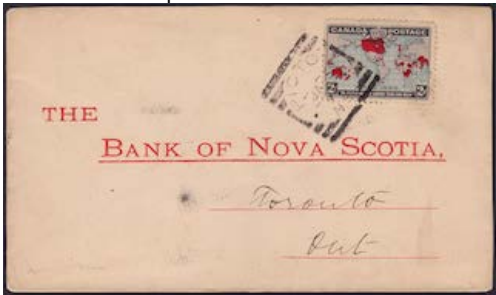

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-JU 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Hon. D. McKeen, c/o J.R. Blorekelt Esq, Glace Bay, CB (Cape Breton) Backstamp: SYDNEY/N.S. CDS receiver dated JU 3/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-JU 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Robt. Dawson & Sons, Bridgewater, NS Backstamp: BRIDGEWATER/NS CDS receiver dated JU26/??</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
-JU 24/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: Halifax postmark cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Halifax, NS Addressee/Destination: Aspy Bay, Cape Breton Backstamp: North Sydney SC transit Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "#85. 2c Map, trifle soiling at UL, tied to cover from Halifax, June 24, 1899 via North-Sydney sq circle bs to Aspy Bay, CB. Slight ink smearing on front o/w VF." 	<p>Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1083</p>
-/SP 2/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Cape North, NS Addressee/Destination: D.C. Dawson Esq, Supt E. Section Telegraph, St John NB Postmarks on Obverse: CAPE.NORTH/N.S. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated SP 1/99 Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Sydney/NS SC transit • ST. JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/SP 5/99 <p>Other: ref (1) states year error 98 for 99 but this is incorrect - simply a blurred strike</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1217 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • C.H. Clements & Co., Scotia House, North Sydney, C.B. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Cooper Drauer?, ? 531, London, ONT Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS dated 3/ PM NO/5 Backstamp: London, ONT receiver</p>	<p>eBay</p> 




PICTOU



The Pictou post office opened prior to 1827, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Edmund McPhail (1877-1907). The Pictou Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 16/94 and used from -/JU 23/94 to -/OC 31/00.

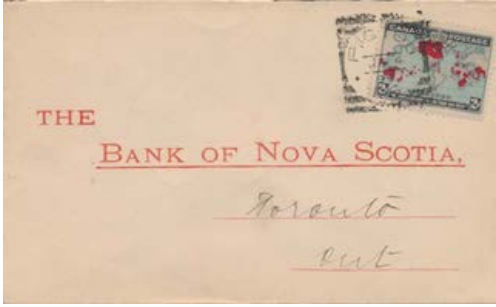

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	6 Map stamp covers with SC	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #268
-/DE 21/98	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: New Glasgow, NS Other: • auction listing: "ties 1¢ Numeral #75 + 2¢ Map stamp to Pictou c.c. cover to New Glasgow, N.S., slightly cut down at left, bit of aging"</p>	<p>Robert A. Lee December 1988 auction #52, Lot # 696</p> 
-/DE 27/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 3¢ Numerals (2, horizontal pair) Postage: 8¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Addressee/Destination: H. Stanway & Co., P.O. Box 475, Halifax, NS Postmarks on Obverse: oval "R" postmark Other: • ref (1): "3¢ Numeral pair, 2¢ Map tied by Pictou, NS squared circle (DE 27 98) on cover to Halifax, paying the 8¢ registered letter rate. A scarce example used in the period between Dec. 25, 1898 and January 1, 1899 where the domestic letter rate was 3¢ and more expensive than the Empire rate which would allow a letter to travel around the world for less money A one week period when domestic mail cost more than the Empire rate."</p>	<p>1. Longley Auctions January 2014 Sale #22, Lot #325 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/JA 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Gordon Leavett, c/o Rev'd Fraser, 66 Hazen Street, St. John, NB Backstamp: ST. JOHN/NB CDS receiver dated AM/JA 5/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "very fine (H-18)" • ref (2): "nice strike ties #86 to cover to St. John, N.B. RF 15, 18 covers recorded. Nice, clean cover!" • ref (4): "Easy to read strike and moderately scarce with 18 copies reported in the handbook on cover. Dated January 4, 1899. Scan is a little tight; all perfs are complete." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #622 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #468 3. Charles G. Firby January 2002 auction, Lot #673 4. eBay February 2019</p> 
-/JA 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope in red ink Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope • back flap advertising: The Bank of Nova Scotia "belt buckle" (red ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Toronto, Ont (manuscript) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/JA 6/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope in red ink Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope • back flap advertising: The Bank of Nova Scotia "belt buckle" (red ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Toronto, Ont (manuscript) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/JA 8/99</p>	<p>1. eBay November 2015 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 10/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. E.F. Snow, Mabou Coal Mines, C.B. • same address as cover on MR 9/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MABOU/N.S. CDS transit dated JA 11/99 • MABOU COAL MINES/N.S. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JA 12/99 	<p>1. eBay December 2018 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/JA 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Amherst, NS Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "...ties 2¢ MAP to cover to Amherst" • possibly the cover below? 	Robert A. Lee September 1991 auction #64 of the Bill Moffatt collection, Lot # 965
-/JA 11/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: The Merchants Bank of Halifax, Halifax, N.S. • Halifax Banking Company pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Agent, Halifax Banking Company (pre-addressed), Amherst, NS (manuscript) Backstamp: partial AMHERST/N.S. CDS receiver dated -/A 11/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 23/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Caribou Island, NS Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "1899 #86 tied by PICTOU/NS sq circle dated JA23/99 to CARIBOU-ISLAND/NS , reduced LHS and closed tear UL, VG+" 	<p>Ron Leith auctions November 1990 public auction #6, Lot #160</p> 
-/FE 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: T.C. Allen & Co, 126 Granville St, Halifax, N.S.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 13/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Miss Maud Rutherford, Box 133 Sydney, CB (red ink)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




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-/FE 21/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: bank cover Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Amherst, NS Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "v. nice strike ties 2¢ MAP #85 to bank cover to Amherst. (RF 15)." 	Robert A. Lee January 1992 auction #65, Lot #1693
-/FE 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: PICTOU/N.S. SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. D.F. McDonald?, Stellarton Backstamp: STELLARTON/N.S. SC receiver dated -/FE 27/99</p>	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2017 auction #322, Lot #4835 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 9/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Fred. MacLennan, House Furnishings & Hardware, Pictou, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Col. C. L. Snow, Mabou Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MABOU COAL MINES/N.S. Type A1 split circle transit dated MR 11/99 • partial MABOU/N.S. CDS receiver dated MR 11/99 	<p>eBay November 2018</p> 
-/MR 11/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Peter Henderson & Co, 35 and 37 Cortlandt St., New York Backstamp: P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 3-14-99/4-1P</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




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-/MR 13/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: registered, cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (2) & 1/2¢ Leaf (2, horizontal pair) & 2¢ postal stationery (reddish-orange)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the USA registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: L.B. Elliott Esq, 4 Hilton Avenue, Rochester, N.Y.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • Pictou SC dispatch free-strike in bottom left corner <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Pictou SC dispatch • TRURO & POINT TUPPER/M.C. RPO CDS (MT-350) transit dated W/MR 13/99 • ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA CDS transit dated MR 14/99 • large red ink 'S' 3/15/99 CDS transit • ROCHESTER, N.Y. / ? DIVISION CDS receiver dated MR/16/1899 in purple ink 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: over 1/2 of front</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neil Fraser, Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc, Manufacturer of Picket and Wire Fencing • 1/2 of front is an advertisement for the city of Pictou • all in red lettering <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One item in a lot of 200+ stamps and 30+ covers/postcards with squared circles on all issues 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son Auctions Ltd. April 2020 Sale #557, Lot #194</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: back flap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • red emblem with "Concordia Salus" slogan from Pictou Academy <p>Franking & Cancel: PICTOU/N.S. SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Rev. Jon. Johnson, Stellarton, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: STELLARTON/NS SC receiver dated -/MY 5/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


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-/JY 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Toronto, Ont (manuscript)</p> <p>Other: lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers)</p>	<p>Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348</p> 
-/JY 13/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: USA</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to USA, bit of aging" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee January 1992 auction #65, Lot #1684</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee June 1992 auction #67, Lot # 1166</p>
-/NO 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Jack Grant Esq, New Glasgow, N.S.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

PORT MAITLAND

The Port Maitland post office opened in January 1869, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was W.S. Porter (1883-1912). The Port Maitland Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 9/94 and used from -/NO 19/94 to -/DE 29/99.



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???	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a lot of 3 Map stamp covers with square circle cancels • auction listing: "...includes PORT-MAITLAND-NS with an accompanied postcard showing a town view..." 	Ron Leith auctions April 2010 public auction #42, Lot #162
-/FE 4/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Exchange Bank, Yarmouth Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/4 FE/99 Other: year error 98 for 99</p>	<p>1. eBay 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 4/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Bennie F. Trask, Yarmouth, Yarmouth Co., N.S. Other: year error 98 for 99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Miss R.I. Griffiths, Yarmouth, N.S. Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/28 FE/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/MY 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. J.H. Munro, Yarmouth, N.S. Backstamp: received Yarmouth MY 27/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • W.S. Porter, Postmaster and General Merchant, Port Maitland, N.S. (fancy border) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.A. Craig, Esq., Yarmouth, N.S. Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/5 JU/99 Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Clear strike JU 5 '99 tying 2¢ gray to clean cover with fancy corner card to Yarmouth. Unique" • ref (2): references the Laird auction • ref (3): "only recorded sq circle 2¢ Map cover, almost VF strike ties stamp on "W.S.Parder/Postmaster and General Merchant" cover to Yarmouth NS (b/s), VF" </p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of John Siverts Collection, Lot # 494 2. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 43, #5, Whole #415, pg 19/20 (1986) 3. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #824 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/AU 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.C. Wilson "The Flag that Braved" red patriotic envelope (WLS-E02 series) with flag in upper left corner Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate Addressee/Destination: Miss R.J. Pottinger, Gilbert House, Moffat, Scotland, G.B. Backstamps: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS transit dated PM/AU 21/99 • illegible multiple-ring CDS receiver from Scotland </p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/AU ??/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.C. Wilson red patriotic envelope (WLS-E02 series) with flag in upper left corner Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Postmarks on Obverse: blue Queen's head silhouette cancel "Long Live The Queen" Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "THE FLAG THAT BRAVED" multicoloured patriotic envelope with a Map stamp with blue Queen's head silhouette canc. "Long Live The Queen" and Port Maitland squared circle Aug '99, light creases, fine" • possibly the -/AU 31/99 cover below? </p>	<p>R. Maresch & Son March 1979 auction, Lot #394</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-AU 31/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.C. Wilson "The Flag that Braved" red patriotic envelope (WLS-E02 series) with flag in upper left corner <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Madame E. Loomis, 227 Columbus Ave, New York City, U.S.A.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: blue-purple Queen's head silhouette cancel "Long Live The Queen" on top of flag</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS transit dated PM/AU 31/99 STATION/W/RECEIVED oval receiver NEW YORK/N.Y. CDS receiver dated SEP 1/5-30P/18 99 (possibly a duplex with the oval 'W' receiver?) <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> incorrectly listed in ref (1) as AUG 1 ref (1): "BLUE, tied by PORT MAITLAND N.S. 1 AUG squared circle to patriotic Wilson envelope (some edge wear) to NEW YORK N.Y., trifle stamp and envelope creasing, otherwise very fine" ref (2): erroneously listed as -/AU 1/99; "ties 2c MAP stamp #86 to J.C. Wilson red & blue flag patriotic cover to N.Y. Aging & edge wear, (RF 40). Only one strike reported on map cover!" 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son October 1998 Auction #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #794</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee March 2004 auction #109, Lot #1842</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 




PORT WILLIAMS

The Port Williams post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John W. Fullerton (1884-1913). The Port Williams Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 26/93 and used from -/NO 3/93 to -/SP 7/00.

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-/JA 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Sawyer Publishing Co., 44 Sawyer Building, Waterville Maine US Backstamp: PORT.WILLIAMS.STATION/N.S. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated JA 26/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map stamp is a major re-entry at plate position 1-A-3 • ref (1): "light strike, Ex Cohen (H-3)" • ref (2): "SON but light strike ties #86 to cover to USA. Has PORT WILLIAMS STATION, N.S. JA 26/99 split ring b/s (1870-1902). RF 30, only 3 recorded map covers. Ex Cohen" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #625 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #469 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/MR 22/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.W. & W.Y. Fullerton, General Merchants, Port Williams, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq, Toronto, Canada Postmarks on Obverse: Port Williams SC free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "two very fine strikes on clean cover to TORONTO. (three covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #702 3. Current owner personal communication 




SPRINGHILL




The Springhill post office opened prior in February 1873, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Anderson (1882-1903). The Springhill Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 29/95 and used from -/MY 6/95 to -/MR 21/03.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Halifax Banking Co., Halifax, N.S.- Springhill, N.S. (blue ink handstamp) • pre-addressed envelope: Halifax Banking Company, Amherst, N.S. (blue ink handstamp) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Halifax Banking Company, Amherst, N.S. (blue ink handstamp)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP to Springhill c.c. cover. RF 25" • light strike could be DE 27/99 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 1991 auction #64 of the Bill Moffatt collection, Lot # 967</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 17/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 2/MR 20/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "Springhill cover, MR 17 '99 (H-6)" • ref (3): "SON but light strike ties #85 to cover to Toronto. RF 25, 6 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. Roundup Annex, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 26 (1976)</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #626</p> <p>3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #470</p> <p>4. Charles G. Firby January 2002 auction, Lot #673</p> <p>5. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 25/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar oval grid cancels Map stamp (barely tied, upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Cor Aedelade & Jarvis Sts, Toronto, Can</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Springhill SC free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 24/AP 26/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of Nova Scotia SC (8 stamps & 5 covers) 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3157</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

STELLARTON

The Stellarton post office opened prior in July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Fraser (1882-1932). The Stellarton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 26/95 and used from -/FE 1/95 to -/AU 11/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Acadia Coal Co., L'td., Stellarton, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Peters Peters & Ings, Charlottetown, P.E. Island</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 27/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: PICTOU/N.S. SC dated -/FE 27/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Pictou, NS Addressee/Destination: Mr. D.F. McDonald?, Stellarton Backstamp: STELLARTON/N.S. SC receiver</p>	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2017 auction #322, Lot #4835 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 28/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Other: • auction listing: "very fine strike tying GRAYISH copy to very fine cover to TORONTO (six covers recorded)."</p>	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #703</p>
-/MR 3/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: lot of Nova Scotia SC on 4 Map stamp covers</p>	<p>Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2248</p> 




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-/MR 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Eq, Seed House, Toronto, Canada Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • text reads: "Rare on cover with map stamp." 	<p><i>Roundup Annex, Vol 1, #3, Whole #3, pg 40 (1977)</i></p> 
-/AP 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stellarton Brick and Tile Company, Stellarton, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: J.J. Wallace Esq, Genl Freight Agent S.C. Bldg, Moncton, N.B. Backstamp: MONCTON/N.B. CDS receiver dated PM/AP 27/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Stellarton cover, AP 26 '99 (H-6)" • ref (2): "nice strike ties #85 to 'Stellarton Brick & Tile Co.' c.c. cover. Top of cover w/repaiored tears. RF 20, 6 recorded map covers" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #627 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #471 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/MY 5/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: back flap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • red emblem with "Concordia Salus" slogan from Pictou Academy Franking & Cancel: PICTOU/NS SC dated -/MY 5/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Rev. Jon. Johnson, Stellarton, N.S. Backstamp: STELLARTON/N.S. SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


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-/MY 25/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Amherst Boot & Shoe Manuf'g Company., Amherst, Nova Scotia <p>Franking & Cancel: unreadable AMHERST/N.S. CDS cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Amherst, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: D.N. McDonald Esq, Stellarton, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: Stellarton SC receiver</p>	<p>1. eBay August 2020</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Willis Piano and Organ Co., Stellarton, N.S. (company crest) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.W. Grun, Esq, Manager Confederation Life Association, Halifax NS</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX CANADA CDS receiver dated 4/JY 5/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> list of distinguished patrons on the reverse including the Queen ref (1): lot of SC on 6 Map stamp covers 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #267</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 4/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Munro, PO Box 325, Yarmouth, N.S.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the purpose of the sticker on the obverse is not obvious if it is a forwarding address, there are no additional postmarks 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

SYDNEY, HAMMER 1

The Sydney post office opened in 1784, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Alexander Matheson (1880-1918). Hammer 1 of the Sydney Squared Circle was proofed on -/MY 19/94 and used from -/MY 23/94 to -/JA 2/00. Although a second hammer was proofed on -/JA 9/95, no strikes of this hammer have been reported.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 22/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1c Numeral Postage: 3c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: E.G. Milledge Esq, Govt Engineer, Antigonish, N.S. Backstamp: ANTIGONISHE/N.S. CDS receiver dated DE 23/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC (purple strike) cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mgr Jack Bell, Halifax, N.S., London Guarantee Resident Co. Backstamp: HALIFAX CANADA CDS receiver dated 4/JA 5/99 Other: novel purple SC strike</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/FE 24/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Merchants Bank of Halifax, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Cashier, Bank of Yarmouth, Yarmouth, N.S. Postmarks on Obverse: Sydney SC free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 29 (1982) 2. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #831 3. Current owner personal communication





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-/AP 20/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dominion Coal Company, Int. Pier, C.B. (Cape Breton) with pen modified city <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Whitney Pier, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: WHITNEY.PIER/N.S. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated AP 20/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sydney SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/AP 23/99 	<p>eBay</p> 
-/AP 22/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Mainadieu, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: MAINADIEU/N.S. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated AP 25/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sydney SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/AP 28/99 	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
-/OC 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: beautiful illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Sydney Hotel, Geo. L. Hanington, Proprietor, Sydney, C.B. • illustrated with a view of the hotel and street scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Lloyd Briggs Esq, 82 Devonshire St, Boston, Mass</p> <p>Backstamp: BOSTON/MASS/RECEIVED barred receiver dated OCT 3 10-PM '99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay November 2018 2. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 7/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp & 5¢ Numeral Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Origin: New Victoria, NS Addressee/Destination: Halifax, NS Backstamp: Sydney SC transit Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fair strike as TRANSIT MARK on reverse of REGISTERED cover from NEW-VICTORIA N.S. of same date to HALIFAX (two covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #704
-/NO 11/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: GABAROUSE.BARACHOIS/ N.S. Type A1 split circle dated NO 11/99 cancels muddy waters Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Gabarouse Barachois, NS Addressee/Destination: Messer Payzant & King, Merchants, Halifax, N.S. Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sydney SC transit • GABAROUSE/N.S. CDS transit dated ON 11/99 (note inverted month error ON for NO on Gabarouse CDS) • HALIFAX/CANADA CDS receiver dated 4/NO 13/99 <p>Other: back cover partially torn, affecting 20% of SC</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

TRURO

The Truro post office opened prior to 1815, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William McCully (1871-1901). The Truro Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used with AM/PM time marks from PM/AU 1/93 to PM/FE 13/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 11 Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 1991 auction, Lot #732
???	C	N	lot of 14 NS and NB SC covers	Robert A. Lee June 2000 auction #99, Lot #2505
???	C	N	lot of 5 NS SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby January 2002 auction, Lot #673
???	CC	N	lot of 8 SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776
PM/DE 20/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> F.A. Laurence, Q.C., Barrister, &c., Merchants Bank Building, Truro, N.S. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.A. Craig Esq, Chemist, Yarmouth, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/DE 21/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/JA 2/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smith & Power (crossed out and replaced with George T. Smith black hand stamp), Retail Dry Goods, 37 George St., Halifax, N.S., P.O. Box 431 in brown ink <p>Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX, NS/CANADA SC dated 3/JA 1/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Wm Cumming & Son, Truro, Nova Scotia</p> <p>Backstamp: TRURO/N.S. SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "tied by ideal Halifax 1 JA 99 Squared Circle to advertising cover to Truro, the FIRST DAY OF THE TWO CENT DOMINION RATE, vert cover crease, otherwise attractive and scarce." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son September 2013 auction, Lot #814</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Peter Henderson & Co., 33 & 34 Cortlandt St, New York City, U.S.A.</p> <p>Backstamp: P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 1-27.99/7-1A</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

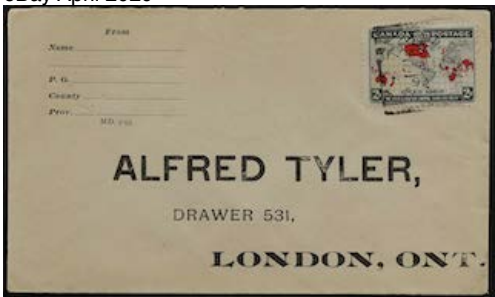


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PM/FE 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Dickie Esq, Lower Stewiacke, NS</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: D. Logan Esq, Pictou, N.S. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "very fine strike tying DEEP BLUE copy to clean cover to PICTOU N.S. (seven covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #705 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/FE 10/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/FE 13/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties No. 85 to clean cover. Faint but clear strike." 	<p>1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #114 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/FE 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blanchard, Bentley & Co. Dry Goods Warehousemen, Truro, N.S. (purple scroll) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs R.G. D??, Halifax, NS Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map to Blanchard, Bentley & Co. advertising corner card (H-7)" • ref (2): "ties #86 to nice adv. cover 'Blanchard, Bentley & Co. Dry Goods, Truro'. Centre fold. RF 7.5 but only 7 map covers recorded" • ref (3): "'BLANCHARD-BENTLEY DRY GOODS', fancy illustrated adv logo on cover dated TRURO/NS sq-circle h/s FE10'1899, light vertical crease, still scarce and F-VF" • ref (4): "decent strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #86 to nice 'Blanchard, Bentley' c.c. cover to Halifax, wee bit of aging, centre fold." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #630 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #472 3. Ron Leith auctions February 2000 public auction #25, Lot #1140 4. Robert A. Lee June 2000 auction #99, Lot #1034</p> 

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PM/FE 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • J.J. Snook, Importer and Dealer in Saddlery Hardware of All Kinds, 39 Prince Street, Truro, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Edward Brownell, Sheet Harbor, Halifax Co, N.S. Backstamp: no backstamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 17/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, cut down at left Advertising: partial corner card visible Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: R. Crosby Esq., Diamond Lodge, Yarmouth</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions January 2017 Mail Sale, Lot #1478</p> 
AM/FE 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (doubled strike) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. T.B.T. Baxter, 8 Jasper St., Hanley-Staffordshire, England Postmarks on Obverse: via New York 20th Feb (manuscript)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Jas D. Cox, Upper Stewiacke West Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 Sale #329, Lot #5335 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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PM/FE 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs Baxter, 8 Jasper Street, Hanley, Staffordshire, England Backstamp: HALIFAX,CANADA CDS transit dated 5/FE 24/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/MR 16/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The S.B. Chandler Sons & Co Ltd, 108-110 Victoria St, Toronto, Ont</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
PM/MR 17/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope front Advertising: corner card • Halifax Banking Co., Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Halifax Banking Company (pre-addressed), Parrsboro, N.S. (manuscript) Other: • ref (1): "Map 2c on cover with TRURO NS PM MR 17 99 squared circle." • front only</p>	<p>1. CPS of GB September 1982 Convention Auction, Lot #331 2. eBay May 2020</p> 
?/MR 24/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Moncton, NB Backstamp: Moncton, NB CDS receiver Other: • auction listing: "1899 #85 tied by TRURO/NS sq circle dated MR24/99 to MONCTON/NB cds b/s, stamp has red plate markings along entire top margin, F+"</p>	<p>Ron Leith auctions November 1990 auction #6, Lot #159</p> 




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PM/MR 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: backflap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ??, Lovett, Solicitors, Truro, N.S. "belt buckle" <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.E. Roy Esq, Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: illegible CDS</p>	<p>eBay</p>
AM/MR 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. A.B. Cutten, No. 20 Glenwood Avenue, Cambridgeport, Mass, USA</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BOSTON/MASS. CDS transit dated MAR 29/2-AM/1899 • CAMBRIDGEPORT/RECEIVED/STATION oval receiver 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
AM/AP 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.T. Craig & Co., Groceries & Provisions, Truro, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "2c Map tied to advertising cover by "Truro AM Ap 1 99 N.S." squared circle cancel." 	<p>John H. Talman April 1978 auction #5/6, Lot #162</p>
PM/AP 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office of Walter C. Sumner, Victoria Mills, Truro, N.S. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Dickie Esq, Lower Stewiacke, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: partial LOWER STEWIACKE/N.S. CDS receiver dated AP 13/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
AM/AP 22/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clerk & Treasurer, Town of Truro <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other: incorrectly listed in ref (2) as FE 22/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Richard Lamb Special Offers List #80, Lot #1188 2. Richard Lamb Special Offers List #82, Lot #1161 3. Richard Lamb Special Offers List #85, Lot #1399



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PM/MY ??/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Truro Knitting Mills Co., Manufacturers of Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear, Truro, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Dominion Coal Co. Ltd., Glace Bay, C.B.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
?/JY 19/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Learment Hotel, A.M. Learment, Proprietor, Truro, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.G. Sternshorn Esq, 9 Russell Str, Halifax, N.S.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): lot of Nova Scotia SC on Map stamps (14 stamps & 5 covers) ref (3): lot of Nova Scotia SC on 4 Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #545 Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2248
AM/SP 26/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Wm Croft & Sons, #53 Bay St, Toronto, Can</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
AM/SP 28/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "1899 #86 tied by TRURO/NB sq circle dated AM.SP 28/99, slightly reduced RHS, F" ref (2): lot of 3 Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Ron Leith auctions June 1989 public auction #2, Lot #174 Robert A. Lee January 1995 auction #77, Lot #500



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AM/OC 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 overlapping SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/OC 16/99</p>	<p>eBay April 2020</p> 
?/NO 8/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1205
PM/NO 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Merchants Bank of Halifax, Halifax, N.S. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Cashier, Bank of Yarmouth, Yarmouth, N.S.</p> <p>Backstamp: received Yarmouth NO 11/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): lot of 56 stamps & 5 covers of NS squared circles 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 1996 auction #82, Lot #1118</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
?/JA ?/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: London, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: London, ONT, receiver dated JA 4/00"</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "85i, Truro NS sq cir (faint). B/S London Ja 4/00. F" 	Bow City Philatelics March 1999 Sale, Lot #361
AM/JA 10/00	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: St. John, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/JA 11/00</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA AM/JA 11/00 CDS b/s, tear along rt. side, some perf. stain. (RF 7.5 but only 7 recorded map covers)" ref (2): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover to ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA AM/JA 11/00 CDS, tear along rt. side, some perf. stain. (7 recorded map covers)" ref (3): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA AM/JA 11/00 cds b/s. Tear along rt. side, some perf. stain. & 7 recorded map covers!" ref (4): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA AM/JA 11/00 cds b/s. Tear along rt. side, some perf. stain. & 7 recorded map covers!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee November 1989 auction #58 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1780</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee March 1990 auction #59, Lot #1954</p> <p>3. Robert A. Lee March 2004 auction #109, Lot #1846</p> <p>4. Robert A. Lee June 2004 auction #110, Lot #1604</p> 

WHYCOCOMAGH

The Whycocomagh post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. C. McDonald (1877-1908). The Whycocomagh Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 13/94 and used from -/NO 19/94 to -/MY 3/99 (on a Map stamp cover). AM/PM time marks were used starting on PM/NO 1/97 and during the Map stamp period, with occasional blank time marks being recorded.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of 3 Map stamp covers with squared circle cancels auction listing: "...includes...WHYCOCOMGH-NS also with a town view postcard..." 	Ron Leith auctions April 2010 public auction #42, Lot #162
PM/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: P.J. Macdonald, M.P., Port Hawkesbury, C.B. Backstamp: PORT.HAWKESBURY/N.S. CDS receiver dated AM/JA25/99</p>	Current owner personal communication 
PM/JA 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: James W Wilson Esq, Emerald Mines, N.E. Margaree (N.S.) Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp #86 to reduced cover front, aging & sm. edge tears. (RF 35). Very scarce on Map cover." 	1. Robert A. Lee May 1997 auction #84, Lot #1781 2. Current owner personal communication 
PM/JA 26/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: W. McStevens Esquire, North East Margaree, Emerald Mines, Inverness County, NS Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "lovely strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to cover front to Emerald Mines, N.S. (RF 35). Scarce on Map stamp!" 	1. Robert A. Lee May 1995 auction #78, Lot #1669 2. Current owner personal communication 

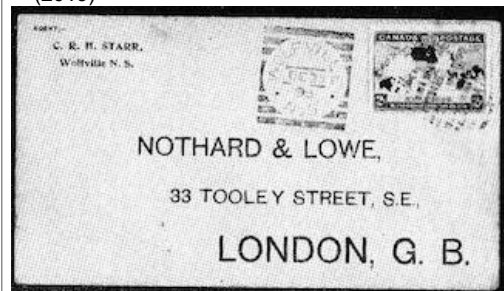
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PM/FE 2/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, large registered envelope Franking & Cancel: unknown postmarks cancel Map stamps (3), not stated what the 1¢ stamp is to make up the registered rate Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Origin: East Margaree, NS Addressee/Destination: T.T. Jean, Arichat, NS Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whycocomagh SC transit • transit marks from Margaree Forks, Cleveland, Port Hawkesbury <p>Other: Gordon notes read: "bs transit on 3X2c Map large reg'd cover East Margaret to TT Jean, Arichat (with transit marks Margaree Forks, Cleveland, Port Hawkesbury)"</p>	Jack Gordon notes/collection
PM/MR 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs R.J. Macdonald, Pt. Hastings, C.B. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Nova Scotia SC on 4 Map stamp covers 	<p>1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 30 (1982) 2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2248</p> 



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-/MY 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Sarah McKinnon, #82 Magazine Street, Cambridge, Mass</p> <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval CAMBRIDGEPORT/STATION/RECEIVED postmark • BOSTON/MASS. CDS receiver dated MAY 5/7-AM/1899 <p>Other: rare blank time mark on SC</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Eastern Auctions Mail Sale August 2015 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/MY 3/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Emily D. MacAulay, S.S. River Denis, Inverness County, C.B. (Cape Breton)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Whycomagh SC dispatch free strike on top middle of cover</p> <p>Backstamp: RIVER DENIS/N.S. Type A1 split circle receiver dated MY 4/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rare blank time mark on SC • latest reported date of hammer use on any stamp • stamp autographed by W. Mulock • ref (3): "2¢ tied by grid, fine strike My 3'99, stamp autographed by W. Mulock, P.M. General, 6 covers known, Fine" • ref (4): "a fine strike on cover (stamp signed Mulock), 6 recorded on Map covers, Fine" • ref (5): "2¢ Tied by a grid to a cover with a fine Whycomagh, NS, My.3'99 strike (RF35, scarce on Map cover) stamp is signed by P.M.G. Mulock, Fine" • ref (6): "Envelope mailed to River Dennis, Inverness County, Cape Breton, franked with single 2¢ Map signed by Postmaster General Wm. Mulock and tied by circular grid and clear Whycomomach squared circle dispatch cancel, light River Dennis Station, NS split ring arrival backstamp. A desirable and very scarce squared circle postmarked cover bearing a 2¢ Map, VF; ex Nels Pelletier (1982)" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2/2, pg 15 (1976), Nels Pelletier 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #550 4. J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1222 5. J.N. Sissons October 1988 auction of the Alex Csucs collection, Lot #213 6. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #271 7. Current owner personal communication 



WOLFFVILLE

The Wolfville post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was George V. Rand (1868-1908). The Wolfville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 29/94 and used in Period 1 from -/OC 1/94 to -/JA 24/99. Winmill states in *The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp* that “a photo of one find of 6 gorgeous Wolfville covers was seen” (pg 26 (1982)) but no are details given – they are probably the DE 25/98 covers. There are actually 14 documented examples. An article describing this set of covers appeared in *BNA Topics* (Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019)).

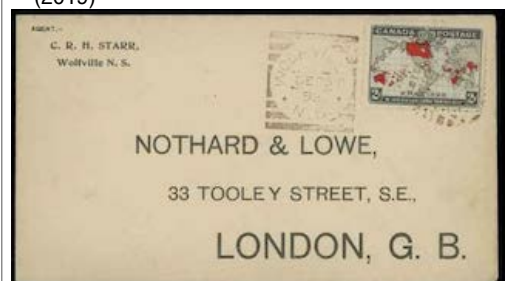
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-/DE 25/98	DO	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. • Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: cork cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): “This cover shows a 2c Map stamp properly used to prepay the new 2c Empire rate on the day of inauguration of that rate.” • ref (3): lot of Nova Scotia SC on 4 Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A.L. Steinhart collection 2. R.B. Winmill, “The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp”, pg 30 (1982) 3. Matthew Bennett December 2005 Auction #296 of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2248 4. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019)

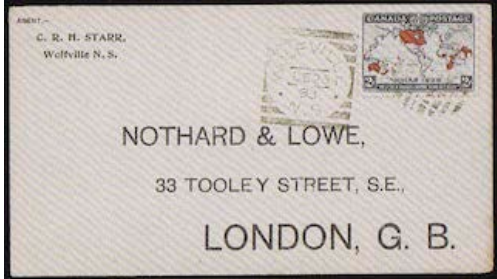




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-/DE 25/98	DO	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. • Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: cork cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A.D Hanes collection 2. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 4, #1, Whole #11, pg 98 (2003) 3. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019) 

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-/DE 25/98	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. • Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: cork cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS transit dated 4/DE 27/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "fine copy (trifle perf stains, tied by segmented cork to v.f. cover from WOLFVILLE 25 De '98 N.S., with v.f. strike of the squared circle to LONDON, ENGLAND, the OFFICIAL FIRST DAY and the FIRST DAY OF THE EMPIRE PENNY POSTAGE, RARE." • ref (2): "1898 Christmas Day cover with pre-printed addressed cover from Wolfville, NS to London, England, franked with single 2¢ Map tied by light segmented cork cancellation and alongside with clear and complete Wolfville, NS (DE 25 98) squared circle postmark; light Halifax (DE 27) transit backstamp. A beautiful and desirable squared circle cover mailed on First Day of the newly adopted two cent Empire rate to England, VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R. Maresch & Son June 1987 auction, Lot #227 2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #273 3. Current owner personal communication 4. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019) 


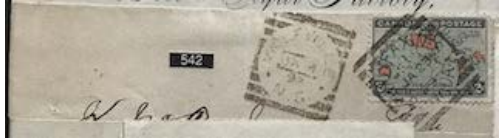
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-/DE 25/98	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. • Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: cork cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville SC barely ties Map stamp but essentially a free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS transit dated 4/DE 27/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "a very fine free strike dated Christmas Day DE 25/98 on a 2¢ Map cover addressed to London, G.B., with DE 27 Halifax transit on back. Very fine. RF 55" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3148 2. Current owner personal communication 3. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019)
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-/DE 25/98	DO	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. • Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: cork cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville SC free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS transit dated 4/DE 27/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): “2¢ blue Map, tied by cork to printed return envelope from Wolfville, NS 25 DE 98 to London, an OFFICIAL FIRST DAY COVER, hint of toning at right edge of cover and one perf, still clean and very fine.” 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son June 2013 Auction, Lot #710</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> <p>3. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019)</p> 
-/DE 25/98	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. • Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: cork cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville SC dispatch barely ties Map stamp but essentially a free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS transit dated 4/DE 27/98</p>	<p>1. Current owner personal communication</p> <p>2. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 76, #4, Whole #561, pg 13 (2019)</p> 

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-/DE 25/98	DO	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • not known whether it is one of the covers listed above • lot of 83 Nova Scotia SC covers and cards reads: “...Wolfville 2c Map (-/DE 25/98) first day cancels...” 	Eastern Auctions 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #363





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-/DE 29/98	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> corner card: Agent - C.R.H. Starr, Wolfville N.S. Nothard & Lowe pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Nothard & Lowe, 33 Tooley Street, S.E., London, G.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolfville, NS SC dipatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: none</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "DE 29/98 two nice strikes, one ties 2c MAP STAMP (#85) to c.c. cover to ENGLAND, no receiving b/s. Note 1898 usage! RF 55, 14 Map stamp covers reported. Wee bit of edge staining, mentioned just for the record. A LOVELY ITEM!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee September 1985 auction #36, Lot #80</p> 
-/JA 4/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX, N.S./CANADA SC dated 1/JA 23/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wolfville, NS, redirected to Halifax, NS</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: WOLFVILLE/N.S. SC redirected dispatch dated -/JA 4/99 (presumably '4' for '24', missing day digit error)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "Wolfville NS on 2c Map cover front. F+ (RF55) receiver strike of -/JA (2)4/99 on front from Halifax with VF 1/JA 24/99 sq circle, re-directed to Halifax, rare with two NS cancels, ex Whitehead" note Halifax JA 23/99 strike incorrectly listed as JA 24/99 	<p>J.A. Hennok April 2000 auction, Lot #542</p> 

2.4 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - New Brunswick


MILLTOWN

The Milltown post office opened in 1839, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Chas. E. Casey (1897-1941). The Milltown Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 9/93 and used with AM/PM time marks from PM/NO 2/93 to AM/OC 17/04.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/JU 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Christian Herald, Bible House, New York City, N.Y.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/MY 13/02	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Canadian Colored Cotton Mills Co., Milltown, N.B. <p>Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr George Hosser, 32 Manchester St, Manchester, N.H.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Milltown SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: MANCHESTER/N.H. CDS & flag "2" receiver dated MAY 14/11-AM/1902</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "Free strike 13 My '02 on 2¢ Map cover to Manchester NH (rec b/s). Has corner card for The Canadian Colored Cotton Mills Co. in Milltown. VG+, cover has fits / soiling" 	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 Sale #329, Lot #5316</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 


ROTHESAY


The Rothesay post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J. Renwick Robertson (1894-1931). The Rothesay Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 15/93 and used from -/JU 22/93 to -/OC 1/09. No off-cover strikes of the Rothesay Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.

Strike Date	Type	Scan	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/OC 19/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: OTTAWA 7-bar machine dated OCT 17/8-0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Ottawa, ONT Addressee/Destination: Miss Grace E. Robertson, "The Cottage", Rothesay, Kings County, N.B. and redirected to 197 G?? St., St. John Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • postmaster CDS handstamp dated 8/OC 20/99 • Rothesay SC transit • ST.JOHN.N.B/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/OC 19/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Backstamp OC 19'99 This is the <u>ONLY</u> recorded example associated with the Map stamp (H-1)" • ref (2): "nice strike as transit b/s on cover w/#85 tied by OTTAWA OCT 17/1899 machine cancel, fwd. to St. John, N.B. Cover w/tear faults. RF 35, this is the only recorded strike associated with the map stamp." • ref (3): "#85. 2c Map tied to cover (tear at T) by 7 bar machine cancel of Ottawa, Oct 17, 1899 to Rothesay, New Brunswick (VF strike sq circle bs) from where it was forwarded to St. John. VF." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #636 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #479 3. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1078 4. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 40, #1, Whole #136 (2019) 5. Current owner personal communication 

SACKVILLE

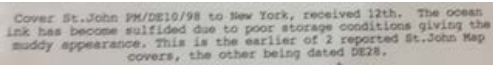
The Sackville post office opened prior to July 1868, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J. Fred Allison (1893-1921). The Sackville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 30/94 and used from -/FE 10/94 to -/MR 21/00.





Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Robb. A. Dawson, Pictou, N.S. Backstamp: PICTOU/N.S. Feb. 2/99 receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

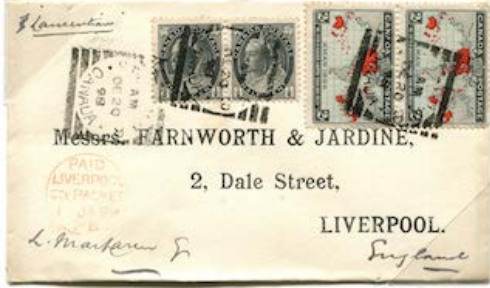



-/FE 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: M.B. Huestis, St. Paul's Bld'g, Halifax, NS</p> <p>Backstamp: HALIFAX.CANADA CDS receiver dated 4/FE 27/99</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 
-/NO 22/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.M. Fulton, Dealer in Shelf and Builders' Hardware, House Furnishings, Trunks, Valises, Etc., Sackville, N.B. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Emerson & Fisher, St. John, N.B.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

ST. JOHN, HAMMER 3

The St. John post office opened in 1783, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Thomas B. Hannington (1891-1901). Hammer 3 of the St. John Squared Circle (proofing date unknown) was used with AM/PM time marks from AM/OC 23/97 to PM/DE 28/98. Although only used for 3 weeks in the Map stamp period, 9 covers have been documented.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/DE 10/98	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & unknown 1¢ stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: New York</p> <p>Backstamp: received DE 12/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): information taken from Gordon's writeup of the cover (the writeup remains in his notes after the cover sold (see scan)) • ref (2): "the second reported 2c Map cover, PM/DE 10/98, in Bill Longley's stock" 	<p>1. Jack Gordon collection</p> <p>2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 24, #2, Whole #102, pg 1 (2002)</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/DE 12/98	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card in red print</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Imperial Oil Co. Ltd, St. John, N.B. advertising Arclight Oil, Petrolia in an oil barrel <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. H.P. Kerr, Celebration St., St. John, N.B. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: St. John SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 4/ DE 12/98</p>	<p>1. All Nations Stamp and Coin March 28, 2020 auction #1254, Lot #27</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 14/98	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: A.W. Kinney, S.?.?. Salem, Yarmouth, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: one SC strike barely ties Numeral so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions Mail Sale Jan 2017, Lot #1478</p> 
PM/DE 16/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edmund G. Kaye, Attorney and Barrister-at-Law, P.O. Box 182, Saint John, New Brunswick <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Winslow Lanier & Co., 17 Nassau Street, New York City (typewritten)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “-and 1¢ NUMERAL, tied by ST. JOHN N.B. 16 DE squared circles to NEW YORK N.Y. paying the 3¢ rate, minute tape stains, otherwise very fine.” 	<p>R. Maresch & Son October 1998 Sale #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #745</p> 
PM/DE 18/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England (via New York)</p> <p>Advertising: Farnworth & Jardine pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (2) & 1/2¢ Numerals (2, horizontal pair)</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to England</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. Farnworth & Jardine, 2 Dale Street, Liverpool, England</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: red PAID/LIVERPOOL/ U.S. PACKET/31 DEC 98/10 CDS receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/DE 20/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, pre-addressed envelope to England (via the S.S. Laurentian)</p> <p>Advertising: Farnworth & Jardine pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (2, vertical pair sideways) & 1/2¢ Numerals (2, horizontal pair)</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to England</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. Farnworth & Jardine, 2 Dale Street, Liverpool, England</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: red PAID/LIVERPOOL/ COL. PACKET/1 JA 99/3B CDS receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 20/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic private post card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.C. Wilson "The Flag that Braved" red patriotic private post card (WLS-P02 series) with flag in upper left corner <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage overpaid the 1¢ domestic post card rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: James Scrimgeour, Amherst, N.S.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "tied by St John 20 DE 98 PATRIOTIC FLAG THAT BRAVED postcard to Amherst, very fine." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son June 2012 auction, Lot #853 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 23/98	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: St. John, NB</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "ties 2¢ Map to local letter, part of flap missing, o/w F-F+" 	<p>J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #284</p> 
PM/DE 28/98	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Katherine Clarke, Woodstock, N.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: St. John SC dispatch free strike to left of 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "1¢, 2¢ tied De 28'98, latest date for this cancel, only known Map cover, age stains on stamps" • ref (4): "partial strike ties 2¢ Map and 1¢ Numeral on cover to Woodstock, N.B., stronger free strike at left; some perf toning, Fine" • latest reported date of hammer use on any stamp 	<p>1. Roundup Annex, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 27 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #551 4. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2040 5. Current owner personal communication</p> 

SHEDIAC

The Shediac post office opened prior to October 1867, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J. Valentine Bourque (1894-1944). The Shediac Squared Circle was proofed on -/OC 30/94 and used from -/NO 8/94 to -/JY 28/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown Postage: unknown Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: journal states: "At Orlando, Chuck Firby's stock contained the first reported Map cover, which has been sold."</p>	<p><i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 20, #6, Whole #87, pg 1 (1998)</p>
-/JA 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card • Weldon House, Shediac, N.B., J.D. Weldon, Proprietor. (fancy lettering) Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: John Craig Esqr, Druggist, Yarmouth, N.S. Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/JA 5/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card • Weldon House, Shediac, N.B., J.D. Weldon, Proprietor. (fancy lettering) Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Fisher, c/o Emerson & Fisher, St. John, N.B. ('Personal' in manuscript) Backstamp: illegible ST. JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • James McQueen, Barrister, Etc., Shediac, N.B. Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: A.H. Jones, Moncton, N.B. Other: • ref (2): lot of New Brunswick SC on Map stamps (6 stamps & 1 cover)</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #553 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AU 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, registered cover to British India</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamp, 2c Numeral Provisional, 2c Leaf Provisional, 2c red Numeral (sideways & canceled with a black handwritten X) & orange 2c postal stationery (overprinted on 3c)</p> <p>Postage: 10c postage overpaid by 3c the Empire registered letter rate (7c)</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Prof. W.H. Wilson, Prendering College, Madras, British India, Mylapore</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • oval REGISTERED/LONDON dated 8 SP 99 in orange • part of a fourth SC can be seen on the bottom edge <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ST. JOHN.N.B./CANADA CDS transit dated PM/AU 28/99 • SEA POST OFFICE/B/SE 18/99 CDS transit • TRIPLICANE CDS transit dated 25SE 99/2 30 PM • TRIPLICANE CDS transit dated 2NDDELY/25SE./99 • MYLAPORE CDS receiver dated 4THDELY/25SE99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "1899 Overpayment of the Old UPU Registered Rate to India, mailed Shediac NB on AUG.28.1899 (squared circles) registered to Madras, British India, through St John NB, London England (SEP.6), SEA POST OFFICE (SEP.18), Triplicane (SEP.25) and Mylapore (SEP.25). 2c stationery cover is uprated with a 2c Map, two different Provisionals and a 2c Numeral, paying the old UPU rate of 10c, overpaying by 3c. The new 7c (2c + 5c) rate took effect on January 1st, and not everyone must have known, or some would say they refused to acknowledge it. Very fine." 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #386</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/SP 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cover to Bermuda</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.C. Tait, Produce & Commission Merchant, Selected Potatoes, Shediac N.B. • advertising contained within a barrel <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. A. Smith & Co., St. Georges, Bermuda (via New York)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boston transit mark (SP 29/99) • very partial St. Georges, Bermuda receiving mark 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>






Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 22/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed blue envelope (front only)</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: People's Bank of Halifax • Halifax Banking Co. pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Agent, Halifax Banking Co. (pre-addressed), Parrsboro, NS (manuscript)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/NO 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ NO 27/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "#85. 2c Map used on cover tied Shediac, NB, NO 23, 1899 sac to London, Ont bs. Small tear o/w VF." 	<p>1. Charles G. Firby January 2004 auction, Lot #2117</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/MY 8/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

WOODSTOCK

The Woodstock post office opened in 1830, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were D. McL. Vince (1896-1899) and Charles L. Smith (1899-1911). The Woodstock Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/94 and used from -/AU 25/94 to -/JA 30/01.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #489
???	UR	N	lot of 4 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #490
???	UR	N	cover backstamp in a lot of 44 Maritime SC stamps/covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #237
???	RR	N	2 covers in a lot of 4 advertising covers from 1899	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #795



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Glassville, NB Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB</p>	Richard Lamb Special Offer List #31, Lot #879
-/DE 22/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Form 131, Office of The Western Union Telegraph Co. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: D.O. Dawson Esq, Supt. W.U. Tel Co, St. John, NB Backstamp: ST. JOHN/N.B. CDS receiver dated AM/DE 23/98 Other: • ref (1): "unrecorded on 2¢ Map cover, 1¢ Numeral + 2¢ Map tied by F+ strike on Western Union Telegraph Co cover to St John NB (b/s). Cover is additionally a very early use of the 2¢ Map stamp, very Rare"</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #826 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 2/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: Montreal flag cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB Backstamp: Woodstock NB SC receiver Other: • auction listing: "on back of Map cover. Stamp tied by Montreal flag cancel. No Map covers recorded. F"</p>	John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #117
-/JA 5/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: advertisement cover • Fire & Life Assurance Company, Ltd. of London, Total Funds Exceed \$22,500,000, Head Office for Canada, - - Guardian Assurance Building, Montreal. Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. JOHN-N.B./CANADA duplex (DNB-167A) dated ?/JA 5/99 cancel Map stamp Postage: 4¢ postage paid double the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Miss Hartley Barvell, Woodstock, NB Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver Other: • auction listing: "85 Pair (very scarce Deep Lavender) Double rate cvr FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE CO OF LONDON advert. folder envelope, ST JOHN NB JA5/99 NB Duplex. B/S Woodstock NB Square circle. Fine"</p>	<p>Bow City Philatelics September 2014 sale #86, Lot #162</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 7/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver dated -/JA 7/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fine strike as arrival mark on fine cover with opening tears, from Montreal (no covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1713
-/JA 21/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: grid bar cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Canterbury Station, NB Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB Postmarks on Obverse: CANTERBURY STATION/ N.B. CDS free strike dated JA 20/99 Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice strike as b/s on cover from CANTERBURY STATION, N.B. JA 20/99 CDS free strike w/2¢ MAP STAMP #86 not tied, SON N.B. grid bar cancel. No recorded MAP stamp covers. RF 30" • ref (2): "sq. circle as receiving b/s on MAP stamp franked cover, #86b w/grid bar cancel, not tied, CANTERBURY STATION, N.B. JA 20/99 CDS free strike. WOODSTOCK very scarce on MAP cover" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee August 1983 auction #28, Lot #558 2. Robert A. Lee January 1984 auction #30, Lot #513</p>
-/JA 21/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Canadian Bank of Commerce, Walkerville, ONT. Franking & Cancel: WALKERVILLE/ONT. CDS dated JA 18/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Walkerville, ONT Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock, NB Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

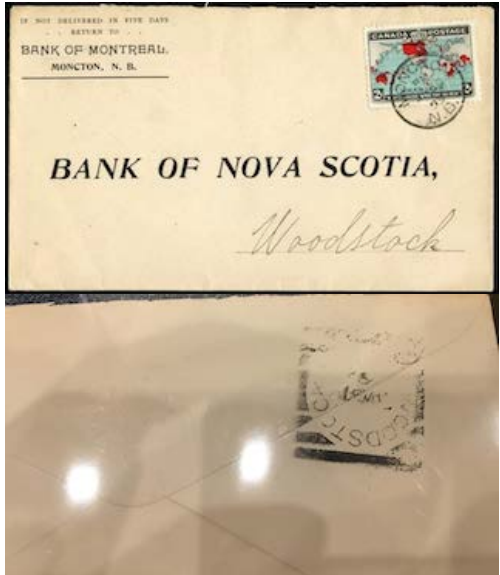
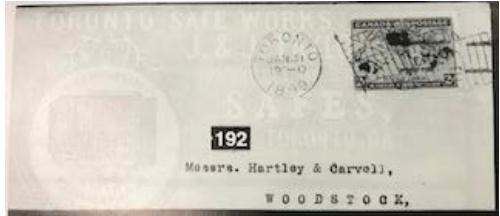
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-/JA 26/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Halifax Banking Co., Halifax, N.S. • Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: ST. JOHN.N.B./CANADA duplex (DNB-168) dated PM/JA 25/99 cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. John, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, NB (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<p>1. eBay</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 26/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pale green envelope</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.W. Boyer & Co., Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in Boots, Shoes, Leather and Harness, Victoria, Carleton Co., N.B. <p>Franking & Cancel: 12-bar oval grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Victoria, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Geo. Sanderson, Bank Nova Scotia, Woodstock, N.B.</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



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-/JA 28/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA duplex (DNB-167A) dated PM/JA 28/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map stamp is a Major re-entry at plate position 1-A-71 <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. John, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Agent, Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, N.B. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other: the Map stamp is a Major Re-entry at plate position 1-A-71</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 28/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: grid bar cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Berwick, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: BERWICK/N.S. CDS free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "sq. circle as receiving b/s on MAP stamp cover, #86b tied by grid bar cancel, BERWICK, N.S. CDS free strike, unable to read date. RF 30" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee January 1984 auction #30, Lot #514 2. Bow City Philatelics April 2015 Sale #87, Lot #664
-/JA 28/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • pre-addressed envelope : Bank of Nova Scotia (in red ink), Woodstock, NB (town, province handwritten) • backflap: The Bank of Nova Scotia "belt buckle" in red ink <p>Franking & Cancel: HALIFAX, N.S./CANADA SC dated 2/JA 28/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Halifax, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/N.B. SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

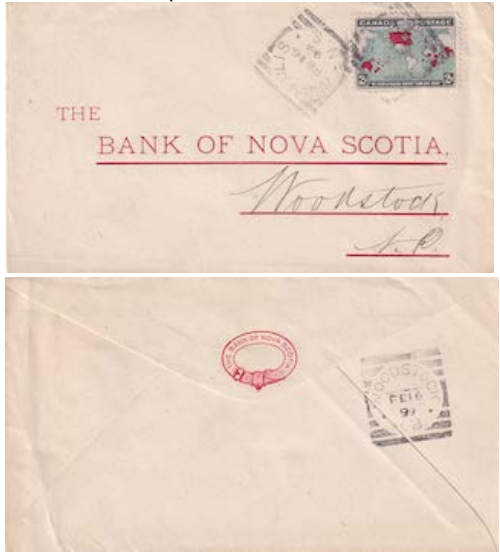

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-/JA 31/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: fancy 'N' of Newcastle cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Newcastle, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "fancy "N" cancel of Newcastle (cancels Map stamp), backstamped receiver (-/JA 31 99)" 	Eastern Auctions June 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #362

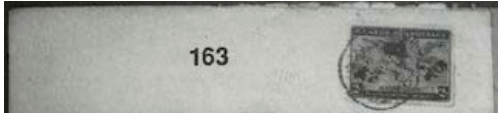

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-/JA 31/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown postmark cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Origin: Hartland, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "very fine strike as arrival mark on reverse of cover from HARTLAND N.B. (no covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #706
-/FE 2/99	RR	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toronto Safe Works, J. & J. Taylo..., Safes, Toronto, Ont • overall light green ink with illustration of a safe <p>Franking & Cancel: TORONTO JAN 31/19-0/1899 type 'A' flag cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. Hartley & Carvell, Woodstock</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "8-17 TORONTO/1899 JAN 31/19-0 'A' virtually complete impression ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to lovely overall lt. green ink illustr. adv. cover for 'TORONTO SAFE WORKS' showing 'safe', to WOODSTOCK/N.B. -/FE 2/99 lt. sq. cir. b/s, slightly cut down at rt" 	<p>Robert A. Lee November 1989 auction #57, Lot #192</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 7/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope in red ink</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • backflap: The Bank of Nova Scotia "belt buckle" in red ink • Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA CDS dated PM/FE 6/99 cancels Map</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. John, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, N.B. (manuscript)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: additional St. John, NB CDS dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bow City Philatelics February 2019 Postal Bids Sale #94, Lot #1575 2. eBay August 2020 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/FE 9/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unidentifiable (probably St. John) CDS dated FE 8/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. John, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "sq. circle as b/s on MAP stamp franked cover w/unidentifiable CDS dated FE 8/99. Probably is St. John, N.B. RF 30" • ref (2): "as b/s on cover w/#86 tied by unidentifiable CDS dated FE 8/99, probably St. John, N.B. RF 30, unrecorded on map cover" • ref (3): "#86. 2c Map tied to cover from Canada, Feb 8, 1899 to Woodstock, NB sac bs. VF." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee November 1983 auction #29, Lot #454 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #481 3. Charles G. Firby January 2004 auction, Lot #2118
-/FE 9/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: Banque D'Hochelaga cover</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: MONTREAL flag dated FEB 7/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Montreal, QUE</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee March 1983 auction #26, Lot #420 2. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #523

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 9/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card • Gus Tweeddale & Co., Dealers in General Hardware, &c, Fredericton, N.B.</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: FREDERICTON/N.B. CDS dated ?/FE 9/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Fredericton, N.B.</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Connell Bros, Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock NB SC receiver dated -/FE 9/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 11/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: HARTLAND/N.B. Type A1 split circle dated FE 11/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Hartland, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: George Sanderson Esq, Manager, Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: additional HARTLAND/N.B. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated FE 11/99</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 11/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, E.W. Hendershot, Manager, Maritime Provinces, St. John, N.B. • advertising contained within a red circular crest with a sunrise illustration <p>Franking & Cancel: ST. JOHN N.B./CANADA CDS dated PM/FE 11/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. John, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G.W. Sanderson Esq, Mg Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock, New Brunswick</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p> <p>Other: lot of 17 Map stamp advertising covers</p>	<p>Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #397</p> 
-/FE 16/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: PERTH CENTRE/N.B. CDS dated FE 14/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Perth, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock, N.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: ARTHURETTE/N.B. Type A1 split circle transit dated FE 14/99</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 16/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: The Bank of Nova Scotia (red lettering) pre-addressed envelope</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "The Bank of Nova Scotia" belt-buckle in red on backflap <p>Franking & Cancel: ANNAPOLIS/N.S. SC dated -/FE 16/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Annapolis, NS</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, N.B. (manuscript)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Annapolis SC to the left of the Map stamp barely ties stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/N.B. SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2c MAP stamp #86 to cover to WOODSTOCK/N.B. -/FE 16/99 sq. circ. b/s. SCARCE ON MAP COVER! Bit of aging." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee June 1992 auction #67, Lot #1166</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 18/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.K. Flemming, General Dealer. Shipper of Country Produce, Lumber, Wood, Bark, Etc. <p>Franking & Cancel: oval grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Peel, NB</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock, NB</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: PEEL/N.B. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated FE 18/99</p> <p>Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver dated -/FE 18/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "very fine strike of arrival mark on reverse of very fine cover from PEELE N.B. same date (no covers recorded)." • ref (2): "DEEP BLUE tied by grid from PEEL N.B. 18 FE '99 to ADVERTISING COVER to WOODSTOCK N.B. with SQUARED CIRCLE arrival same day on back, vf." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1714</p> <p>2. R. Maresch & Son Mail Sale May 1998, Lot #3394</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 18/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.W. Boyer & Co., Boots, Leather & Harness, Victoria, N.B. Franking & Cancel: cork cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Victoria, NB Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB Postmarks on Obverse: VICTORIA/N.B. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated JA 3?/(99) Backstamp: Woodstock, NB SC receiver Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): " 'J.W. BOYER & CO., BOOTS, LEATHER & HARNESS, VICTORIA, N.B.' adv. c.c.cover, 2¢ Map stamp w/SON cork cancel, not tied, w/ VICTORIA/N.B. JA 3?/(99) smudgy free split circle to WOODSTOCK/N.B. -/FE 18/99 lt. sq. cir. b/s, bit rough along top" </p>	<p>1. Robert A. Lee December 1988 auction #52, Lot #711 2. Robert A. Lee April 1989 auction #54, Lot #140</p>
-/FE 21/99	RR	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: FREDERICTON/N.B. CDS dated FE 20/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Fredericton, NB Addressee/Destination: Woodstock, NB Backstamp: Woodstock SC receiver Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "1899 #86 tied by FREDERICTON/ NB cds dated FE20/99 to WOODSTOCK/NB VF sq circle receiver b/s the next day, VF" </p>	<p>Ron Leith auctions November 1990 public auction #6, Lot #163</p> 
-/AP 18/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Meductic, NB Addressee/Destination: Emerson & Fisher, Prince William St., St. John, N.B. Postmarks on Obverse: MEDUCTIC/N.B. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated -/AP 17/99 to the left of the Map stamp Backstamp: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Woodstock NB SC transit • ST. JOHN. N.B./CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/ AP 19/99 </p>	<p>eBay January 2019</p> 

2.5 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Prince Edward Island



CHARLOTTETOWN


The Charlottetown post office opened prior to 1874, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Katharine Buchanan (185-1900) and Ralph Gaudet (1900-1901). The Charlottetown Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was not used in DE/98 or in 1899, but was used 4 times in 1900 in Period 3 from ?/MY 26/00 to PM/JU 13/00. No off-cover strikes of the Charlottetown Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated Franking & Cancel: unknown postmark cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: unknown Backstamp: Charlottetown SC transit or receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "P.E.I., Georgetown & Summerside (1 known) strikes on stamp, plus 2¢ illustrated, Charlottetown B.S." (assuming B.S. means backstamp) 	J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #554
?/JU ?/00	CC & DO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Charlottetown, PEI Addressee/Destination: Halifax, NS Postmarks on Obverse: Charlottetown SC dispatch free strike Backstamp: Halifax dated JU 15/00 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "A Charlottetown cover, long rumoured to exist, suddenly appeared for examination! It bears two strikes dated June ? '00." • ref (2): "...a cover, bearing two definite, distinct and clear strikes, both bearing a Ju ?/00 indicia was presented for examination. A Halifax backstamp was dated June 15, 1900." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 17, #6, Whole #174, pg 143 (1979) 2. R.B.Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 24 (1982)

GEORGETOWN

The Georgetown post office opened in July 1874, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Angus D. McPhee (1894-1913). The Georgetown Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 21/94 and used from -/DE 1/94 to -/MY 15/03.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 6/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: backflap • Lawrence A. Wilson & Co., Montreal Franking & Cancel: MONTREAL flag dated JAN 3/20-0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: W.W. Jenkins, Esq, Georgetown, P.E.I. (typewritten) Backstamp: Georgetown SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Ewen Stewart Esq, Charlottetown, P.E.I. Backstamp: partial CHARLOTTETOWN/P.E.I. CDS receiver dated JU ??/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 23/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Higgins & Co., Boots & Shoes, Moncton Franking & Cancel: MONCTON/N.B. CDS dated AM/SP 22/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Moncton, NB Addressee/Destination: Georgetown, PEI Backstamp: Georgetown, PEI, SC receiver Other: • auction listing: "MONCTON.N.B. AM/SP 22/99 cds SON on 2¢ Map stamp & tied to nice text adv. cover for 'Higgins & Co., boots & shoes, Moncton' to GEORGETOWN/P.E.I. -/SP 23/99 sq. circ. b/s, some aging & slightly reduced at rt. Very attractive!"</p>	<p>Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #686</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/OC 28/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Merchants Bank of Halifax, Halifax, N.S. Franking & Cancel: CHARLOTTETOWN/P.E.I. duplex (DPE-15a) dated PM/OC 27/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Charlottetown, PEI Addressee/Destination: W.W. Jenkins Esq, Georgetown, P.E.I. Backstamp: Georgetown SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) • Map stamp is a Major re-entry at plate position 2-A-37 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 1/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: all-over illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illustrated with several buildings (factories) and street scenes in green • Mark Wright & Co., P.E.Island, Furniture Factory, Charlottetown <p>Franking & Cancel: CHARLOTTETOWN/P.E.I. duplex (DPE-15a) dated PM/OC 30/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Charlottetown, PEI</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. W.W. Jenkins, Georgetown</p> <p>Backstamp: Georgetown SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • note that in the scan in ref (1), the backstamp Georgetown SC receiver is reproduced on the obverse • ref (2): "fine strike as arrival mark on reverse of choice illustrated cover from CHARLOTTETOWN (two covers recorded)." • ref (3): "#86. tied to neat all-over illus adv cover from Charlottetown, Oct 30, 1899 to Georgetown, with SQC cancel bs. 1 of only 2 reported on a Map cover." • ref (4): collector suggests that there is an inverted ON for NO in month and zero spacer in day (-ON 01/99), but in reality is a doubled strike since year shows '999' 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #707 3. Charles G. Firby January 2002 auction, Lot #674 4. Current owner personal communication 

SUMMERSIDE

The Summerside post office opened in 1850, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Louis B. Hunt (1893-1924). The Summerside Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 11/93 and used from -/NO 14/93 to -/JU 23/00.

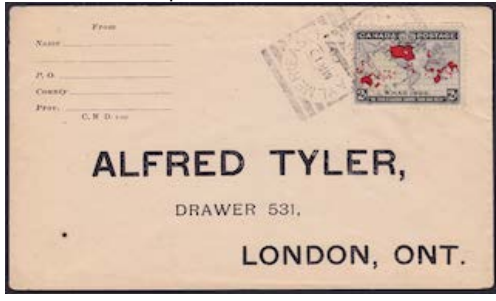
Strike Date	Type	Image	Reference for Cover	Reference for Cover
-/DE 28/98	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: several cork strikes cancel Map stamps (5, 4 of them upside down) and 1¢ Numeral (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 11¢ postage paid the scarce domestic double weight registered letter rate prior to JA 1/99</p> <p>Origin: Maddock, PEI</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: R. Holman Esq, Summerside, P.E.I.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MADDOCK/P.E.I. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated DE 27/98 • straight line 'REGISTERED' handstamp <p>Backstamp: Summerside SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "Envelope mailed from Maddock, PEI to Summerside, franked with five 2¢ Maps, light crease on three stamps and one 1¢ Numeral, cancelled by cork cancels and light split ring dispatch at lower left, REGISTERED handstamp, pays the scarce registered double weight; clear Summerside squared circle (DE 28) receiver backstamp. A nice multiple franking of the Map issue. F-VF" 	<p>1. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 91 (2004)</p> <p>2. Eastern Auctions October 2009 Public Auction of the Roger Boisclair collection, Lot #370</p> 

2.6 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Quebec

AYLMER (EAST)


The Aylmer (East) post office (named so as distinguish it from Aylmer (West) in Elgin County, Ontario) opened in January 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Gilhelwine Woods (1896-1903). The Aylmer (East) Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 29/94 and used from -/OC 3/94 to -/AU 27/03.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 4/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Aylmer East cover, JA 4'99 (H-2)" • ref (2): "ties #86 to cover, strike a bit light but very easy to ID. Lt. cover crease. RF 30, only 2 recorded map covers" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #641 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #484
-/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTTAWA/CANADA CDS transit dated B/JA 24/99 • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/JA 25/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay 2. Current owner personal communication
-/JA 17/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Dorothy Black, Pub. Women's Ideas, Philadelphia, PA Backstamp: partial RECEIVED/JAN/19/12:30PM/?? CDS receiver</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jack Gordon notes/collection 2. Current owner personal communication
-/FE 22/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: London, ONT receiver</p>	<p>eBay</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 10/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTTAWA/CANADA CDS transit dated F/MR 10/00 • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/MR 12/00 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "a 2¢ Map cover with two fine strikes MR 10/00 (one of two known)" 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3198 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 


CLARENCEVILLE

The Clarenceville post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was H.C. Hyde (1898-1906). The Clarenceville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 16/95 and used from -/JA 29/95 to -/NO 8/00.

Strike Date	Type	Scan	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/MR 24/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Clarenceville cover MR 23'99 (H-2)" • ref (2): "reasonably nice strike ties #85 to cover. Couple of light wrinkles. RF 40, only 2 recorded map covers" • ref (3): "#85. 2c Map tied to <i>Rennies Seeds</i> cover by sq circle of Clarenceville, Que, Mar 23, 1899 to Toronto bs. Attractive & Scarce." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #643 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #486 3. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1079 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 



EASTMAN

The Eastman post office opened in November 1881, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Joseph O. Bouchard (1898-1899) and Arthur E. Blunt (1899-1905). The Eastman Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 21/93 and used in Period 2 from -/AP 19/95 to -/FE 15/03. No off-cover strikes of the Eastman Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 6/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: fancy cork ring cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Eastman SC dispatch in top left corner of cover Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 8/MR 7/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): lot of Quebec SC on Map stamps (12 stamps & 2 covers) • ref (4): "an excellent strike on cover, 4 strikes known of Maps on cover (none on stamp), VG" • ref (5): "2¢ Map cover (only 3 others recorded) to Toronto (b/s), trivial cover fault at top, nice strike and scarce on cover" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 28 (1976), Nels Pelletier 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #555 4. J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1225 5. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #827 6. Current owner personal communication 

IBERVILLE

The Iberville post office opened in October 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Calixte Goyette (1895-1932). The Iberville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 12/93 and used in Period 1 from -/JA 13/94 to -/MR 9/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 2/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Iberville SC dispatch on top edge</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 spit circle receiver dated 20/MY 3/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1) incorrectly reports date as -/JY 2/99 • ref (2): "2¢ tied by grid, VG strike My 2'99, 2 covers known, VG" • ref (3): "tied by grid Ex Pelletier" • ref (4): "80% free strike on cover w/#85 tied by grid bar cancel. Lt. crease at left. RF 25, only 3 reported map covers. Ex Pelletier." • ref (5): "#85. 2c Map, couple toned perfs UL, tied by bars cancel with free standing sq circle of Iberville, Que, May 2, 1899 to Toronto bs. VF." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #558 3. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #644 4. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #487 5. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1082 6. eBay 7. Current owner personal communication 
-/JY 25/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • stamp in top left corner <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. W.R. Schoonhover, Byron, Minn.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Iberville SC dispatch in top right corner</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

LOTBINIERE





The Lotbiniere post office opened in July 1831, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were M. Lemay (1863-1899) and Ernest Filteau (1899-1932). The Lotbiniere Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/93 and used from -/SP 12/93 to -/OC 4/01.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "2¢ tied Mr. 4'99, fine strike, small tear in cover, 2 covers known, Fine" • ref (4): "ex Pelletier (H-2)" • ref (5): "nice strike ties #85 to cover. Couple edge tears. RF 45, only 2 recorded map covers!" • ref (6): "#85. 2c Map tied to neat cover (small tear at R) by nice strike of Lotbiniere, Que, Mar 4, 1899 sq circle to Toronto bs. VF & Scarce." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 14 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #557 4. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #645 5. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #488 6. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1080
-/MR 9/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp on left side of cover Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: St. Jean-des-Chaillons, QUE Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Toronto, ONT Postmarks on Obverse: ST. JEAN-DES-CHAILLONS/ QUE. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated MR 9/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lotbiniere SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/MR 10/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "fine strike as a transit mark on reverse of clean cover from ST. JEAN DES CHAILLONS QUE to TORONTO (2 covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #708 2. Current owner personal communication



MAGOG



The Magog post office opened in April 1831, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Erasinus D. Smith (1896-1901). The Magog Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 26/94 and used from -/MR 3/94 to -/MY 1/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 4/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Rev. G.G. Nicolls, Fitch Bay, Que</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Magog SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: FITCH BAY/QUE CDS receiver dated JA 5/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "fine strike on clean cover to FITCH BAY QUE, and weak strike tying BLUISH copy (four covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #709</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Dominion Cotton Mills Co., Magog, PQ (Montreal crossed out and Magog, PQ handwritten) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Geo. R. Tuttle, 87 Nassau Street, New York city, U.S.A.</p> <p>Backstamp: P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 1-22-99/10P</p>	<p>Squared Circles Cancellations website</p> 
-/JA 23/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Dominion Cotton Mills Co., Montreal. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrssrs Wm Cummings & Son, Truro, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Magog SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: none</p> <p>Other: cover front torn completely from top to bottom</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 26/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp in top left corner</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: R.N. Scott & Co, Montreal, Que</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Magog SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamp: MONTREAL CDS receiver dated JAN 26/8-0/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 28/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Rev. G.G. Nicolls, Fitch Bay, PQ Postmarks on Obverse: Magog SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: FITCH BAY/QUE. CDS receiver dated JA 30/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Magog cover JA 28'99 (H-4)" • ref (2): "two strikes ties #86 to clean cover. RF 20, only 4 recorded covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #646 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #489 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 8/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ontario Postmarks on Obverse: Magog SC dispatch free strike in bottom right corner of cover Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Quebec SC on Map stamps (12 stamps & 2 covers) • ref (3): "excellent strikes on a cover, 4 known covers on Maps, Fine" • ref (4): lot of 3 Quebec SC Map stamp covers 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #555 3. J.N. Sisson August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1227 4. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2249</p> 
-/MR 27/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Rev'd. G.G. Nicolls MA, Fitch Bay, P. Que Postmarks on Obverse: one Magog SC barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike Backstamp: FITCH.BAY/QUE CDS receiver dated MR 28/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Magog Que, (only 4 recorded), F-VF strikes tie 2¢ pale green ocean variety Map on cover to Fitch Bay Que (b/s)" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #828 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

MELBOURNE

The Melbourne post office opened in July 1835, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Royal H. Stinson (1894-1914). The Melbourne Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 12/94 and used during Period 1 from -/FE 12/94 to -/DE 31/13, although use is sparse after 1900.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 4/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, reduced at left</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hovey Bros. Packing Coy., Pork, Lard, Hams, Bacon, &c, Sherbrooke, P.Q. • Illustrated with a picture of the factory and street scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SHERBROOKE/QUE. CDS dated FE 2/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Sherbrooke, QUE</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: R.H. Cross, Weedon, redirected to Melbourne</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WEEDON STATION/QUE. Type A1 split circle transit dated FE 3/99 • Melbourne SC receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "fair strike as ARRIVAL mark on back of ILLUSTRATED cover from SHERBROOKE with unusual DEEP GREEN water colour (one cover recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #710</p> <p>2. eBay</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 17/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lock Box No. 19, Windsor Mills, Que. <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Windsor Mills, Que</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. R.H. Cross, Melbourne, Que</p> <p>Postmarks on the Obverse: WINSOR.MILLS/QUE. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated MY 17/99 in the bottom left of cover</p> <p>Backstamp: Melbourne SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


MONTREAL, HAMMER 1

The Montreal post office (the largest city in Canada in 1898) opened in 1765, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Clement A. Dansereau (1891-1899) and Cleophas Beausoleil (1899-1904). Hammer 1 of the Montreal Squared Circle was proofed on -/JU 28/93 and used from -/JY 15/93 to 5/JA 26/03. Numeral time marks 4-7, and 15 were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) It is surprising that this cover has not been reported previously or since 	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275

QUEBEC, CANADA

The Quebec post office opened in 1765, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was E. Theo Paquet (1894-1916). The Quebec Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used from ?/JY 4/95 to 1/NO 24/99, and the numeral time mark 1 was used (rare use of 4) during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
1/MY 29/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pale blue, pre-addressed envelope, front only</p> <p>Advertising: Wm.Croft pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm.Croft, Toronto?</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Quebec SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: lot of 3 Quebec SC Map stamp covers 	<p>Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2249</p> 


RIVIERE DU LOUP STATION

The Riviere du Loup Station post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J. A. Savard (1897-1910). The Riviere du Loup Station Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 16/94 and used in Period 1 from -/JU 30/94 to -/AU 23/00 with blank time marks. The Handbook states that in 1899 the day typically preceded the month in the date arrangement (-/DD MM/99). However, all of the reported strikes on off-cover Map stamps have the normal -/MM DD/99 arrangement except on -/AP 6/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	no description	5th edition Handbook, pg A-3


STE. CUNEGONDE

The Ste. Cunegonde post office opened on April 1, 1877, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Olivier Dupuis (1897-1908). The Ste. Cunegonde Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 6/93 and used from -/SP 13/93 to PM/AU 20/99. AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/JA ?/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: E.A. Bogart Esq, Ontario Bank, Kingston, Ont. Backstamp: KINGSTON/CANADA CDS receiver dated 1/JA 5/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "(H-no cover recorded)" • ref (2): "fair strike ties #85 to cover. Sm. cover tear at bottom. RF 15, no recorded map covers" • light strike could be JA 3 or JA 4 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #647 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #491 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 




ST. HYACINTHE


The St. Hyacinthe post office opened in October 1834, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Henri Page (1898-1924). The St. Hyacinthe Squared Circle hammer was proofed on AM/NO 9/93 and used with AM/PM time marks from PM/NO 9/93 to ?/AP 18/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	CC	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons November 1985 auction #446, Lot #1200
AM/DE 6/98	CC & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered, philatelic Franking & Cancel: 5 SC and 2 oval "R" strikes cancel the Map stamp, 1/2¢ Jubilee, 1¢ Jubilee, 2¢ Jubilee, 1/2¢ Leaf, 1/2¢ Numeral & 1/2¢ Small Queen on 1¢ postal stationary (EN3) Postage: 8¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H.K. Meyer, c/o J. Goldstein Esq, 52 Fort Str, Montreal, Q Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. Hyacinthe SC dispatch • RPO transit CDS dated DE 6/98 • MONTREAL.CANADA barred circle precursor receiver dated DE-6-PM/98 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the earliest known SC Map stamp strike • likely philatelic rather than commercial 	<p><i>Postal History Society of Canada Journal</i>, No. 88, pg 2 (1996)</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/DE 19/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: private post card to Europe (non-Empire) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the extremely rare UPU post card rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs Prof Dr J. Bachtold, Zurich V, Plattenstrasse 52 Postmarks on Obverse: fancy ZURICH 1/ BRIEFTBGR. III CDS receiver dated 11.1.99.X- Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "2¢ Map tied by St. Hyacinthe, Que squared circle(DE 19 98) on pioneer postcard view of the town (edge creases) to Zurich, Switzerland (11 1 99) paying 2¢ UPU postcard rate. An early pre-Christmas use." • same correspondent and post card as DE 29 and 29/98 • it is possible this strike is also DE 29/98 based on the date of the Zurich receiver strike (see DE 29/98 post cards below) 	<p>Longley Auctions May 2009 Sale #17, Lot #239</p> 
AM/DE 28/98	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: d'YAMASKA/QUE. Type A1 split circle dated DE 28/98 cancels 1¢ Numeral (sideways) & fancy cork cancels Map stamp Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Origin: Yamaska, QUE Addressee/Destination: Franklin Stearns Jr., Box 6, Richmond, VA, U.S.A. Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. Hyacinthe SC transit • RICHMOND,VA CDS receiver dated DEC 30/9AM 	<p>eBay</p> 
AM/DE 29/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: private post card to Europe (non-Empire) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the extremely rare UPU post card rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Pfaffhauser, Hirschengraben, Zurich I, Switzerland Postmarks on Obverse: fancy ZURICH/BRF. EXP. CDS receiver dated 10.1.99.-12 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • reverse shows an aerial view photo of St. Hyacinthe • same correspondent and post card as DE 19 and 29/98 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
?/DE 29/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: private post card to Europe (non-Empire) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the extremely rare UPU post card rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs Therese Stiegler, c/o Mrs. Pfaffhauser, Zurich I, Hirschengraben, Switzerland Postmarks on Obverse: fancy ZURICH 1/BRF. EXP. CDS receiver dated 10.1.99.-12 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Private post card from St. Hyacinthe Que mailed to Zurich, Switzerland and franked with 2 cent Map Stamp tied by light strike of the St Hyacinthe squared circle cancel. Exceptionally early use of the Map Stamp - one of the earliest known and also unusual but correct use to pay the postcard rate to UPU country. Fine condition and very scarce." • same correspondent and post card as DE 19 and 29/98 • note that the auction listing date is incorrect - same receiver postmark as on the other DE 29/98 cover and the stamp is a light blue colour which was not printed until mid-December 1898 	<p>Canadian Philatelic Society of Great Britain October 2020 auction, Lot #42</p> 
?/?? ?/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grand Hotel, St. Hyacinthe, Que. • illustrated with hotel scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: USA Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: " 'GRAND HOTEL, ST. HYACINTHE' b/w illustr. adv. cover shows 'lovely 4-storey hotel' (sharp engraving), w/2¢ MAP stamp tied by indistinct Que sq circ. to USA, 1899 b/s, reduced along top" 	Robert A. Lee January 1997 auction #83, Lot #91
?/JA 31/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bernier & Cie, Farines, Grains et Grains de Semence, Bureau et Entrepot, Station GTR, St. Hyacinthe, Que. • full cover illustration of railway and mill scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto, Que. (typewritten) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 24/FE 1/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • note province error Que. for Ont. • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

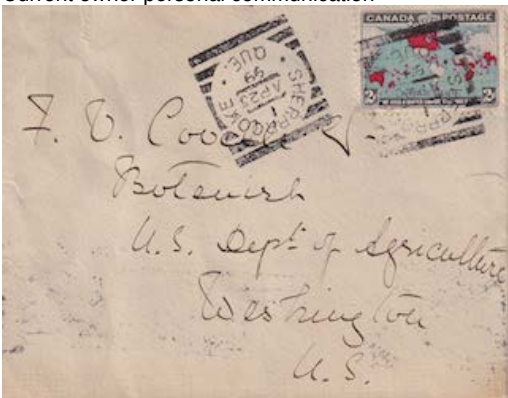

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
?M/FE 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bernier & Cie, Farines, Grains et Grains de Semence, Bureau et Entrepot, Station GTR, St. Hyacinthe, Que. (cover reduced) full cover illustration of railway and mill scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto. <u>Que.</u> (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/FE 17/99</p> <p>Other: note province error Que. for Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 17/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, cover reduced</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bernier & Cie, Farines, Grains et Grains de Semence, Bureau et Entrepot, Station GTR, St. Hyacinthe, Que. full cover illustration of railway and mill scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels dark bronze ocean Map</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto. Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/FE 19/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> note the correct use of 'Ont.' compared to 2 covers above that have Toronto, Que. (can still see part of 'Q') ref (1): "DEEP BLUE, very fine, tied by ST. HYACINTHE 17 FE '99 squared circle to clean (trifle used) illustrated GRAIN advertising cover, ex V.G. Greene." ref (2): "overall greenish illustrated adv showing the mill, on muddy water variety #85 franked cover posted at ST-HYACINTHE noting a square circle cancel dated FEB17'1899 and addressed to TORONTO, ex Greene collection, cover reduced right and left sides, F+" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> R. Maresch & Son October 1996 auction, Lot #1799 Ron Leith auctions March 2012 public auction #44 of the Scott Harnsberger collection, Lot #138 Current owner personal communication 
PM/FE 21/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bernier & Cie, Farines, Grains et Grains de Semence, Bureau et Entrepot, Station GTR, St. Hyacinthe, Que. full cover illustration of railway and mill scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels deep blue oceans Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> note the correct use of 'Ont.' compared to covers above that have Toronto, Que. (no part of 'Q' visible) ref (2): "very fine strike tying DEEP BLUE copy to all-over ILLUSTRATED cover to TORONTO (five covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #711 Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
?/MR 18/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, partial pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: La Banque Nationale, St. Hyacinthe • Bank of Toronto pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Bank of Toronto (pre-addressed), Brockville, Ont. (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: BROCKVILLE/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/MR 19/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

SHERBROOKE, HAMMER 1

The Sherbrooke post office opened in 1819, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were the Hon. Joseph G. Robertson (1892-1899) and W. A. Moorehouse (1900-1914). Hammer 1 of the Sherbrooke Squared Circle was proofed on AM/JU 20/93 and used from ?/JU 22/93 to 1/JY 17/00. The numeral 1 was used as the time mark throughout.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 9 Map stamp covers (7 SC covers)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #277
1/JA 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Le Pionnier", Sherbrooke, P.Q. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto Type Founding Co., No. 646 Craig St., Montreal, Que.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • postmaster CDS handstamp dated NT/JA 16/99 • MONTREAL CDS receiver dated JAN 16/23-0/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of SC on Map Stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/AP 22/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Peter Henderson & Co., Seedsmen, 35 & 37 Cortlandt St., New York, U.S.A</p> <p>Backstamp: P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 4-28-99/7P/24-2</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
1/AP 25/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: F.V. Coville Esq., Botanist, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, US</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Sherbrooke SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: WASHINGTON/D.C. machine '1' cancel dated APR 26/7-PM/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/MY 1/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Empire (Ireland)</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.C. Fitzherbest Esq, Millbrooke, Abbeyleix, Queens County, Ireland</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Sherbrooke SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: ABBEYLEIX double circle CDS dated 4 AM/MY 11/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

WATERLOO

The Waterloo post office opened in April 1836, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Gardner Stevens (1873-1916). The Waterloo Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 16/93 and used from -/OC 18/93 to -/MY 19/01. No off-cover strikes of the Waterloo Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 25/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H. Hills, Baker and Grocer, Waterloo, P.Q. <p>Franking & Cancel: smudge cancel ties Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. F.P. Williams, Knowlton, P.Q.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Waterloo SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: partial KNOWLTON/QUE. Type A1 split circle dated JA 25/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the 2 of JA 25 is reported (ref (4-6)) to be an inverted 3? is it really? it could be a poorly struck and dirty strike of a 2 since the curvature of the middle of the numeral looks more like a 2 than an inverted 3 • Pelletier also reports this as JA 25 in ref (1) and (2), with no mention of an error • ref (3): "2¢ tied by smudge cancel, fine strike dated Ja 25'99 2 covers known (none on stamp), Fine" • ref (4): "JA 25 (2 is an inverted 3) '99. No strikes recorded on stamp (H-2 covers) a quaint error which gives additional character to this rare item" • ref (5): "nice bold free strike on c.c. cover w/#86 tied by smudge cancel. RF 25, only 2 recorded map covers and NO map stamp strikes. Note the '2' of date appears to be an inverted '3'. Very rare cover!" • ref (6): "This magnificent goof (referring to the indicia error) appears on a map cover." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 25 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #559 4. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #648 5. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #492 6. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986) 7. eBay 8. Current owner personal communication








2.7 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Ontario

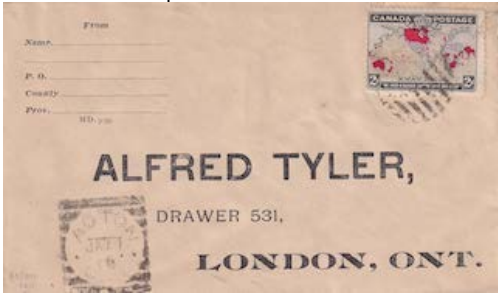
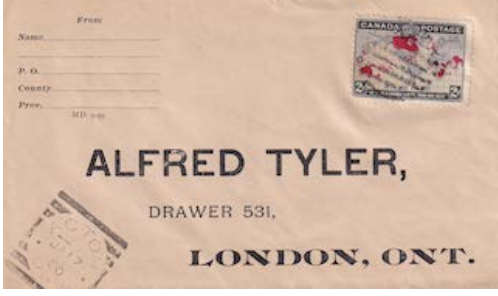
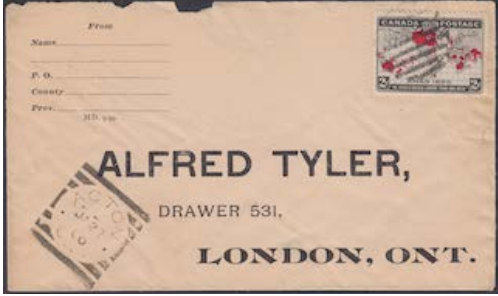
ACTON, HAMMER 2

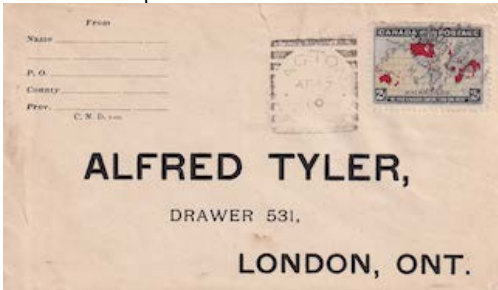

The postmaster during the Map stamp period was J. Matthews. Hammer 2 of the Acton Squared Circle was proofed on -/DE 15/94 and used from -/DE 18/94 to -/FE 7/03.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #489
???	UR	O	lot of 4 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #490
???	C	N	2 covers in a lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC strikes	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
-/DE 24/98	CC	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> article reads: "ACTON II, DE 24/98 tying Map stamp to cover; this town was not reported on Map stamp in the 140 returns received in the '70 roster." it is not known to which, if any, of the four DE 24/98 covers below the article refers 	<i>BNA Topics</i> , Vol 29, #11, Whole #318, pg 298 (1972)
-/DE 24/98	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1/2¢ Jubilees (2)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Kit Spencer, 1441 Genesee Ave, Saginaw, Mich. (town & state in purple handstamp)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike in left middle of cover</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1) reports this is the first strike on 1/2¢ Jubilee same correspondence as 3 covers below 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 38, #2, Whole #127, pg 1 (2017) Current owner personal communication 
-/DE 24/98	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1/2¢ Jubilees (2)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Norman M. Spencer, 1441 Genesee Ave, Saginaw, Mich. (town & state in purple handstamp)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike in bottom left of cover</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> same correspondence as cover above and 2 below ref (1): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 24/98	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1/2¢ Leaf (2)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Florence Spencer, Saginaw, Mich. (town & state in purple handstamp)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike in left middle of cover</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as 2 covers above and 1 below • ref (1): "2¢ Map + 1/2¢ Leaf (2) used one day before Christmas (2¢ Empire rate) on cover to the USA (slightly reduced at left), F-VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok June 1994 auction, Lot #588</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 24/98	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamp & 1/2¢ Jubilee (2)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs Jno. J Spencer, 1441 Genesee Ave, Saginaw, Mich. (town & state in purple handstamp) (see Strathroy FE 16/99)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike in bottom left of cover</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as 3 covers above • ref (3): "1/2¢ (2) 2¢ tied De 24'98, fine strike LL, 2 covers known, VG" • ref (5) reports cover belonged to Winmill, then Fawn then to a Jubilee collector in England • ref (7): "three partial strikes tie 2¢ Map and two 1/2¢ Jubilees on registered cover to Saginaw, Mich., clear free strike at lower left, no backstamps, Fine. Only three 2¢ Map covers are recorded." 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 13 (1976)</p> <p>2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #561</p> <p>4. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-78</p> <p>5. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 5, #1, Whole #15, pg 134 (2004)</p> <p>6. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book)</p> <p>7. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2063</p> 
-/AP 21/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.J. McNabb, Division Court Clerk, Conveyancer, Insurance Agent, Etc., Acton, Ont. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Registrar of Deeds, Registry Office, Milton, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: ACTON/ONT. SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GEORGETOWN/ONT SC transit dated -/AP 21/99 • MILTON WEST/ONT SC receiver dated PM/AP 21/99 <p>Other: unique cover with 3 different SC hammers</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/OC 4/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: BERLIN/ONT. duplex (DON-142) cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Berlin, ONT Addressee/Destination: MR. A.J. Brown, Acton West, Onto. Backstamp: Acton SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • blue wax seal on backflap • same correspondence as OC 17/99 cover 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/OC 7/99	UR	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Backstamp: Acton SC transit or receiver</p>	<p>1. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-78 2. Jack Gordon collection</p>
-/OC 17/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: BERLIN/ONT duplex (DON-142) dated PM/OC 17/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Berlin, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr. A.J. Brown, Acton West, Ont. Backstamp: Acton SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as OC 4/99 cover • Gordon's notes read "receiver on cover from Berlin, dispatched PM same day." • image is a photocopy of the cover front that remains in Gordon's notes after the cover was sold 	<p>Jack Gordon collection</p> 
-/JA 3/00	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Berlin, ONT Addressee/Destination: Acton, ONT Backstamp: Acton SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fair strike as arrival mark on reverse of cover from BERLIN ONT. (2 covers recorded)." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1716</p>

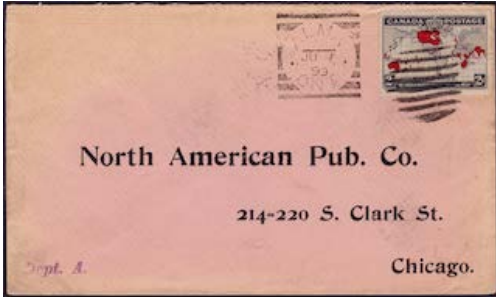
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 5/00	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Berlin, ONT Addressee/Destination: Acton, ONT Backstamp: Acton SC receiver dated -/JA 5/00 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fine strike as ARRIVAL MARK on reverse of cover from BERLIN ONT. (two covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1715
-/JA 7/00	C	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	5th edition Handbook, pg II-78
-/JA 11/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, ONT. Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 5/ JA 11/00</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1201 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 17/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, ONT. Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 22/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike on bottom left corner Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ JA 23/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 27/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, ONT.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 4/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Acton SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “very fine strike on cover with GRAYISH copy tied by bars to very fine cover to LONDON ONT (two covers recorded).” 	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #712</p> 

ALMA, STATE 2



The Alma post office opened in July 1854, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Anthony Griffin (1895-1914). State 1 of the Acton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 23/93 and has thick bars at the top and bottom. Some time after FE 4/94 (exact date unknown), these bars were filed down to form rounded edges so that later strikes (State 2) display thin bars at top and bottom. The 2nd state of the Alma Squared Circle hammer was used from -/FE 8/94 to -/AP 14/09.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 3/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Thos. White, Brantford, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Alma SC dispatch barely ties Map stamp so it is essentially a free strike to the left of the Map stamp Backstamp: BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated FE 3/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "It. strike just ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 also tied by grid bar cancel to Brantford, some soiling. (RF 35). HANDBOOK SHOWS ONLY 1 STRIKE ON MAP." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1495 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 28/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Thomas Organ Co., Woodstock, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Alma SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "2¢ barely tied by bold grid, fine strike dated Mr 28'99, only known cover or strike, VG" • ref (5): lot of 5 Alma SC (3 covers (1 Map stamp cover) & 2 stamps) 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 14 (1976), Nels Pelletier 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #563 4. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 5. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2066 6. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 14/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Toronto, ONT Postmarks on Obverse: Alma SC dispatch barely ties Map stamp so it is essentially a free strike to the left of the Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ Map on VF Wm. Rennie cover. (Only known/recorded strike on a Map Stamp or Map cover) Unique? VF" • ref (2): "only recorded 2¢ Map cover, (no strikes on stamp known), VF strike ties 2¢ Map on cover to Wm Rennie Toronto (b/s). Very rare" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1985 auction, Lot #553 2. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #829 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/JU 1/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border, pre-addressed envelope to USA</p> <p>Advertising: North American Pub. Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: North American Pub. Co., 214-220 Clark St., Chicago.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • purple 'Dept A' handstamp in bottom left corner • Alma SC to the left of the Map stamp <p>Backstamp: CHICAGO, ILL./JUN 2 - 8AM'99 bar postmark receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


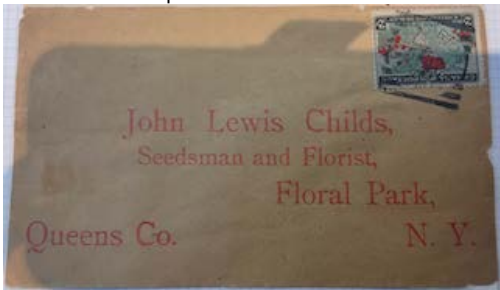
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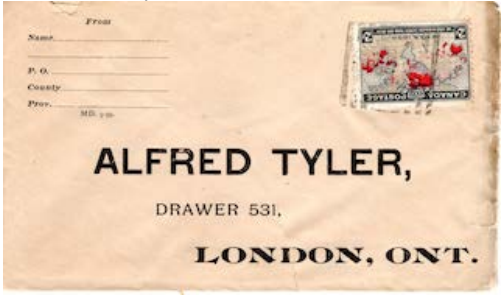
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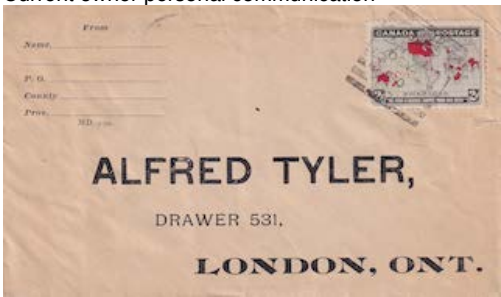
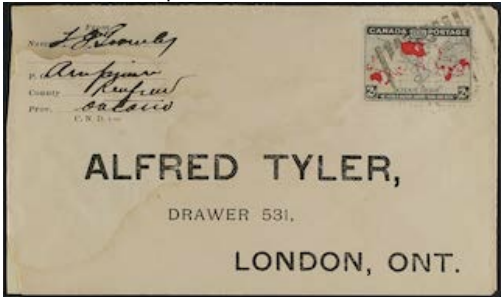
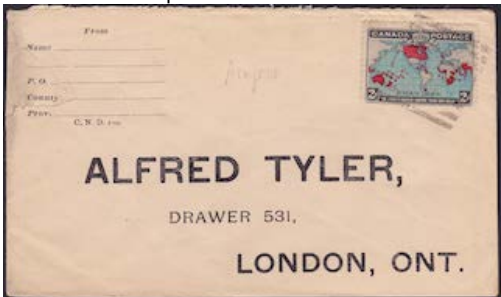
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-/JA 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Toronto Type Foundry Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto Type Foundry Co., Ltd., 646 Craig Street, Montreal, P.Q.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 7/99	CC	OR	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peter Young, Almonte, Ontario, Manufacturer of Doors, Sash, Blinds and House Furnishings of all Kinds. Custom Planing Done on Shortest Notice. Fanning Mills a Specialty. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Sawyer Publishing Co., 59 Sawyer Building, Waterville, Maine, US</p> <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • parital Almonte SC transit • OTTAWA/CANADA CDS transit DATED G/FE 7/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an portion of an additional torn Map stamp is attached to the Map stamp on obverse 	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 Sale #329, Lot #5335</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

ARNPRIOR

The Arnprior post office opened in July 1841, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Edouard Derenzy (1891-1911). The Arnprior Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 28/93 and used from -/JA 5/94 to -/JA 18/09. While early strikes have the normal 2-line date arrangement (-/MM DD/YY), in 1900 the 2-line date arrangement has the year in the top slot (00/MM DD/-).



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/? 15/?9	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to cover front to London, Ont., edge tears, sm. pc. LR corner missing. (RF 10). RARE ON MAP COVER!" 	Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1880
-/JA ??/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cover to Newfoundland Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate to Newfoundland Addressee/Destination: Mr. A. Vayn Clerk, Dead Letter Branch, St. John's, Newfoundland Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTTAWA/CANADA CDS transit dated C/JA 24/99 • ST. JOHNS/NEWF'D. CDS receiver dated ?M/??/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • only documented SC Map stamp cover to Newfoundland • ref (1): lot of 50 Map stamp covers • page write-up in ref (1) reads: "Intriguing cover sent to a clerk at the St. John's Dead Letter office. A possible reason for this is that someone had posted a letter to the sender with neither proper postage attached nor a return address. The processing post office sent the letter to the Dead Letter Branch who then in turn contacted the addressee to forward the amount of postage. Upon receiving this cover containing the postage, the office then forwarded on the letter. Canadian stamps would possibly be acceptable to the Newfoundland DLO under the circumstances as Newfoundland stamps would not have been available in Arnprior." 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #396 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: John Lewis Childs pre-addressed envelope in red ink Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: John Lewis Childs, Seedsman and Florist, Floral Park, Queens Co., N.Y. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ Map on cvr. to N.Y. (only Map cover recorded by Hansen & Moffatt), few tiny edge faults in cvr.(trivial). Very Rare. Fine to Very Fine." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1985 auction, Lot #554 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

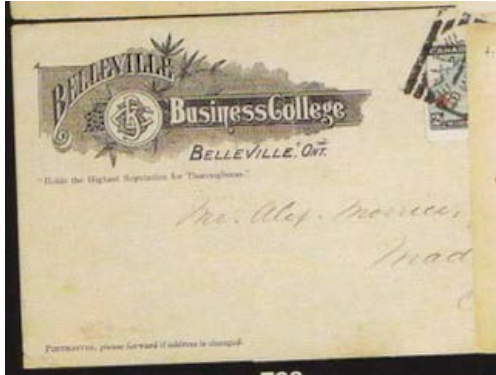
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-/MR 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic registered cover to non-Empire (Germany)</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Riddell, P.O. Box 66, Arnprior, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp, 1c Numeral, 2c purple Numeral, and 5c Leaf (torn)</p> <p>Postage: 10c postage paid the UPU registered letter rate to non-Empire countries</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. J. Alex Riddell, Schletter Strasse 2R, Leipzig, Germany (via New York)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ARNPRIOR/ONT CDS dispatch dated MR 16/99 • oval "R" postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 additional Arnprior CDS dispatch • MONTREAL.CANADA H II barred circle dated MR17A7/99 • OTT. & PARRY.SOUND/M.C. RPO (ON-403) dated E/MR 16/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • red wax seal on backflap • ref (1): "two lt. strikes tie 2c Map stamp, fly. #70, fly. #75 & #76 (10c) to reg'd Arnprior c.c. cover to GERMANY, indistinct receiving b/s, corner tear UL, some aging but only 1 Map stamp cover has been reported!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #2099</p> <p>2. Jack Gordon collection</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p>
				
-/MY 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "lt. strike ties 2c MAP STAMP to cover front, considerable aging (RF 10, only 1 map cover recorded)" • ref (2): "lt. strike ties 2c MAP STAMP # 85 to cover front, age toning. (1 recorded strike on map cover)" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1983</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee June 1991 auction #63, Lot #1632</p>
-/MY 15/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "lt. strike ties 2c MAP STAMP to cover front, aging & edge tears" • ref (2): "lt. strike ties 2c MAP STAMP #85 to cover front, aging & edge tears" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1984</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee June 1991 auction #63, Lot #1633</p>
-/DE 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTTAWA/CANADA CDS transit dated D/DE 20/99 • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 11/DE 21/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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00/JA 30/-	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 overlapping SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
00/MR 31/-	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 overlapping SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/AP 2/00</p>	<p>1. eBay</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
00/JU ?/-	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 11/JU 19/00</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "v. lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, bit of aging, 30mm left edge tear" • date listed as JU 16/00 but not definitive 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1985</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

BELLEVILLE, HAMMER 3


The Belleville post office opened in October 1885, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. Agnes Henderson (1883-1903). Hammer 3 of the Belleville Squared Circle (proofing date unknown) was used from 3/JU 14/93 to 2/MR 27/99. The numerals 2 and 3 were used (2 in JA & MR, and 3 in FE) during the Map stamp period.


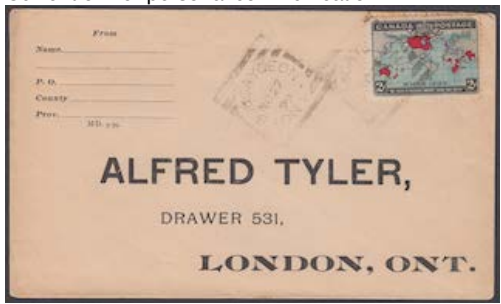
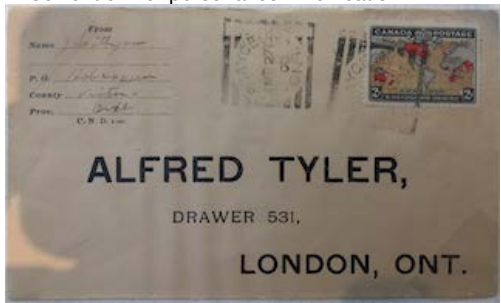

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of Belleville SC on all stamp issues (2 stamps & 57 covers)	Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3277
2/JA 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: John Dougal & Sons, Witness Office, Montreal Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "(H-2)" • ref (2): "nice bold strike ties #85 to cover. Cover somewhat toned w/sm. tear at top. Hammer 3, RF 7.5 yet only 2 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #652 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #494 3. eBay 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/FE 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Cor Adelaide Streete, Toronto Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/FE 24/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map stamp is a major re-entry at plate position 2-A-37 • ref (1): "ties 2¢ Map on clean cvr. to Toronto (Hansen & Moffatt record only 2 Map cvrs.), rare. VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1985 auction, Lot #555 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

2/MR 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Belleville Business College, Belleville, Ont. • illustrated with College seal, vines and stylized lettering <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Alex Morrice, Madoc, Ontario</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "DEEP BLUE, tied by BELLEVILLE ONT 4 MR squared circle to pretty illustrated advertising cover to MADOC, ONT, very fine." • ref (2): "1899 MR4 time mark 2 Belleville Ont Hammer # III ties 2c Map on attractive Belleville College illustrated car to Madoc Ont MR4 B/S. Stamp has extra island in Pacific between islands 9 and 10. Fine." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son October 1998 auction sale #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #798</p> <p>2. CPS of GB September 2008 Convention Auction, Lot #897</p> 
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BOBCAYGEON, STATE 2


The Bobcaygeon post office opened in April 1853, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Miss Edith Junkin (1897-1908). The Bobcaygeon Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 28/93. The 2nd state of the hammer (differentiated from State 1 by the lack of indicia bars) was used from -/MY 3/94 to -/JA 20/09.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 6 SC on Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #268
???	C	N	lot of 10 Ontario SC Map stamp covers	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
-/JA 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Crown Land Dept, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/JA 2/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 3/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC and oval "R" cancel Map stamp (upside down) & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.H. Fudger, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Bobcaygeon SC dispatch free strike in lower left corner</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map and 5¢ Leaf to a registered cover - tear at left (H-2)" • ref (2): "free strike + 2nd strike ties #85 + 5¢ Leaf to REG'D cover to Toronto. Cover opened on 3 sides, tear along left side. Still a rare and lovely Reg'd cover! RF 25, only 2 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #654</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #496</p> 
-/NO 27/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Bobcaygeon SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ NO 28/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 27/00	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Bobcaygeon SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map to Tyler cover. Only two Map covers recorded. VF." • ref (2): "2¢ Map tied by "BOBCAYGEON ONT./-/ MR 27/00" Sq. Circle to clean cover. Only two Map covers recorded." • ref (3): "ties 2¢ Map on VF A. Tyler cvr. to London Ont. (1 of 2 recorded Map cars), rare, VF" 	<p>1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #107</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok June 1984 auction, Lot #761A</p> <p>3. J.A. Hennok December 1985 auction, Lot #556</p> <p>4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 10/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book)</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

BRACEBRIDGE

The Bracebridge post office opened in August 1864, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Robert Peter Perry (1879-1938). The Bracebridge Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 30/94 and used from -/FE 13/94 to -/OC 4/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 16/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: fancy cork cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Bracebridge SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "free strike. Stamp is cancelled by cork (H-no covers recorded)" 	<p>1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 32 (1982)</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #656</p> 



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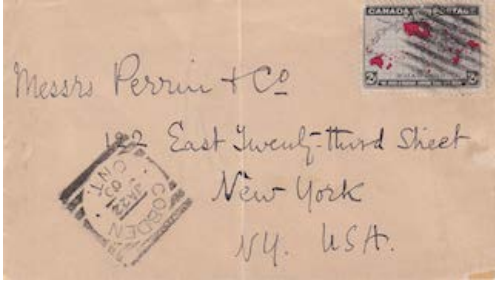

The Brantford post office opened prior 1827, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were A.D. Clements (1862-1899) and William G. Raymond (1899-1921). The Brantford Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 28/93 and used in Period 1 from PM/JY 29/93 to AM/NO 22/98, and in Period 2 from ?/OC 4/99 to 2/SP 10/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "only one example is recorded on Map stamp, though there are also 2 covers reported" • ref (2): "This strike is now known both on and off cover on map." • no details given in either of these reports and no confirming image(s) were included so not included in population count 	<p>1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 24 (1982)</p> <p>2. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986)</p>

COBDEN




The Cobden post office opened in June 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Robert Delahey (1894-1913). The Cobden Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 12/94 and used from -/FE 5/94 to -/FE 5/03.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 18 Ontario SC on Map stamp covers	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
-/NO 14/99	RR	R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered greeting size cover Advertising: corner card • Unknown Stamp company Franking & Cancel: Map stamp is on the back cover along with a 5c Leaf and a Spanish stamp, all of which are canceled by 7 SHERBROOKE/N.S. CDS dispatch strikes dated NO 10/99 Postage: 7c postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Origin: Sherbrooke, NS Addressee/Destination: Cobden, ONT Backstamps: • unidentified MONTREAL.CANADA barred circle transit postmark • TRURO & POINT TUPPER RPO (MT-350) dated W/NO ?/99 • 2 Cobden SC receivers Other: • ref (1): "Map and 5c Leaf are on back with Cobden strikes. A cover with real character! (H-4)" • ref (2): "-as receiving b/s on REG'D greeting size cover from SHERBROOKE, N.S. NO 10/99 CDS ties #85 + 5c Leaf + Spanish stamp, all to back of cover. Stamp Co. c.c. Centre fold, tear at top. RF 30, only 4 recorded map covers. Unusual item." • ref (3): "#70,85. Tied to reverse of Registered cover, file fold, from Sherbrooke, NS, Nov 10, 1899 to Cobden, Ont & with 2 VF strikes of sq circle. Small opening tear at T o/w VF"</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #658 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #499 3. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1074</p> 
-/DE 2/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Cobden SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner Other: • ref (3): "very fine strike on clean cover to LONDON ONT with GREENISH copy tied by grid (four covers recorded)."</p>	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 32 (1982) 3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #715 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 


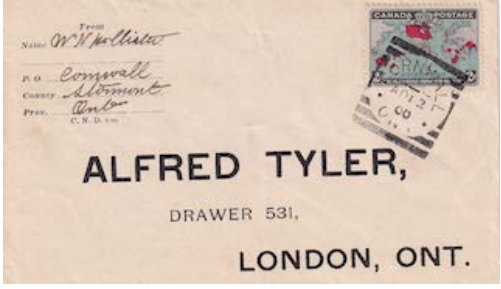
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-/FE 13/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Perrin & Co., 122 East Twenty-third Street, New York, NY, USA</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Cobden SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTTAWA/CANADA CDS transit dated C/FE 14/00 • partial, indistinct CDS dated 2-15 900/10A • oval MADISON SQUARE/STATION/RECEIVED • NEW YORK/N.Y. CDS receiver dated FEB 15/11-30A/1900 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as JA 22/00 cover • small zero in year 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 2. Current owner personal communication 

CORNWALL

The Cornwall post office opened in 1789, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was George McDonnell (1870-1902). The Cornwall Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 9/94 and used from -/OC 11/94 to -/MY 8/00.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 19/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New York and Ottawa Company, Cornwall, Ontario (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1c Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3c postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Cornelia Neltnor, West Chicago, DuPage Co., Illinois</p> <p>Backstamp: WEST CHICAGO, ILL/REC'D CDS receiver dated DEC/20/1898/5 PM</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Corner Adalade & Jarvis Streets, Toronto</p> <p>Backstamp: Toronto receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1)-(3): "85 (Scarce Greenish Oceans) CORNWALL JA 28/99 ONT SQ. cir. B/S TORONTO. Scarce. VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bow City Philatelics March 2003 Sale #63, Lot #1007 2. Bow City Philatelics November 2004 Sale #68, Lot #734 3. Bow City Philatelics March 2006 Sale #71, Lot #347 
-/FE 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pale green envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bank of Montreal, Cornwall. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thos. Gillean Esq, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 8/AM FE/3</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "cover, FE 2'99 (H-7)" • ref (3): "nice SON strike ties #86 to clean c.c. cover, lt. crease at bottom. RF 7.5 but only 7 recorded map covers." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee June 1981 auction #18, Lot #53 2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #660 3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #500 4. eBay 

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-/FE 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Ontario Bank, Cornwall, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Bank of Toronto, Brockville, Ont. Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle transit (?) dated 9/FE 7/99 Other: • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP#86 to Cornwall c.c. to TORONTO/CANADA 9/FE 7/99 split circle b/s. (only 7 recorded map covers)"</p>	<p>1. Robert A. Lee March 1990 auction #59, Lot #1975 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 11/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Canadian Colored Cotton Mills Co., Cornwall. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs. W. Cummings & Son, Truro, NS Backstamp: TRURO/N.S. CDS receiver date FE 13/99</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1202 2. eBay 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 12/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Other: • auction listing: "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP to cover to London. ONLY 7 MAP STAMP COVERS RECORDED IN CATALOGUE."</p>	<p>Robert A. Lee September 1991 auction #64 of the Bill Moffatt Collection, Lot #1035</p>
-/NO 20/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other: • auction listing: "2¢ Maps 6 on 6 Alfred Tyler, London, Ont. covers. Various origins all 1899 dates inc. "Cornwall No 20" squared circle."</p>	<p>John H. Talman October 1982 auction #50/51, Lot #235</p>
-/NO 28/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Burt Electro-Plating Co., P.O. Box No. 17, Cornwall, Ont. (fancy font for name) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Montreal, QUE Other: • ref (1): "Sharp strike NO 28 '99 tying 2¢ blue to clean cover to Montreal, extremely scarce, only 7 covers known" • ref (2): "fine strike tying LIGHT BLUE copy to very fine advertising cover (seven covers recorded)."</p>	<p>1. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts Collection, Lot # 497 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #714</p> 




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-/MR 6/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toronto Paper Man'g Co., Cornwall, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto Lithog Co., Toronto</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
-/AP 12/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP cover to London. ONLY 7 MAP STAMP COVERS RECORDED IN CATALOGUE." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee September 1991 auction #64 of the Bill Moffatt collection, Lot #1035 2. Current owner personal communication 




DUNDAS




The Dundas post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William Graham (1891-1913). The Dundas Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 6/94 and used with AM/PM time marks from PM/AP 9/94 to AM/DE 21/00.

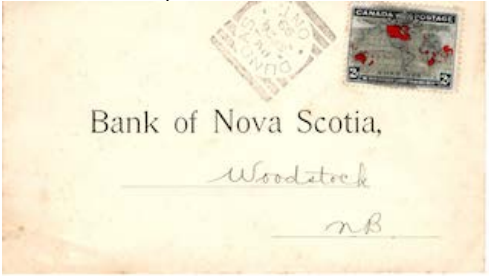
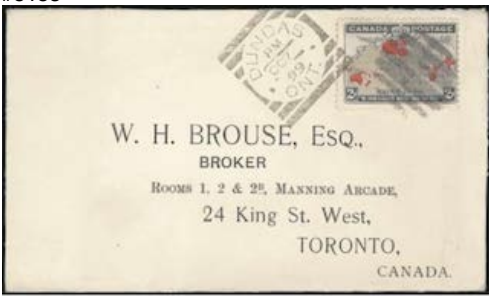

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???	UR	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of SC on 12 Map stamps & 2 covers Dundas cover is a backstamp 	J.A. Hennok April 1992 auction, Lot #633
???	C	N	2 covers in a lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC strikes	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
???	C	N	lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
PM/DE 10/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: HAMILTON Type "B" Flag dated DEC 10/13--0/1898 cancels Map stamp & 1c Numeral Postage: 3c postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Hamilton, ONT Addressee/Destination: Dundas Drug Co, Dundas, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: 2 partial unidentified SC in top left corner Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dundas SC receiver boxed hand stamp in purple ink from the sender (unable to read sender's name) that reads "NAME/DEC 10 1898/Return in 10 days to/P.O. BOX 313/HAMILTON, CANADA" 	<p>1. Vance Auctions #323, May 2017, Lot #4557 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA -/--	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SPADINA.AVE/TORONTO CDS dated PM/JA 10/99 cancels the Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Toronto, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr A. McRoberts, Mr. J.E. McCrimmon, Sheffield, Ontario Backstamp: only partial Dundas SC transit on back cover since envelope torn</p>	<p>eBay</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 10/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thomas White, High Sec COF, Brantford, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
PM/JA 16/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Toronto Auer Light Co. Limited, Hamilton Branch, 10 John St. North. illustrated with a lamp <p>Franking & Cancel: HAMILTON Type 'B' flag dated JAN 16/18-0/1899 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Hamilton, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. H.G. Robertson, Dundas, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Dundas SC receiver dated in error PM/ JA 6/99 (missing a '1')</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the date of the Dundas backstamp is either missing a '1' or else the Hamilton flag has an extra '1' in the day auction listing: "The Toronto Auer Light Co. Light Fixture illustrated advertising cover franked with a 2c Map Stamp tied by Hamilton Flag "B" cancellation, same-day Dundas, Ont. squared circle receiver backstamp, VF" 	<p>Eastern Auctions October 2020 auction, Lot #702</p>
PM/JA 23/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> John Fisher & Son, Paper Manufacturers, Dundas, Ontario (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrssrs C. MacKenzie Milne & Co, Sarnia, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<p>1. Jack Gordon notes/collection</p> <p>2. eBay</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p>

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PM/JA 26/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "The Safety", Acetylene Gas Machine, Dundas, Ont. • illustrated with the acetylene generating machine <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs H.H. Ayer & Co, Moncton, N.B.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice sq. circ. strike on black ink illustr. adv. cover 'The Safety Acetylene Gas Machine, Dundas', showing 'acetylene machine', w/2¢ MAP stamp tied by grid bar cancel to Moncton, N.B. Wee bit of aging. Only 6 recorded strikes on MAP stamp covers!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee November 2005 auction #113, Lot #870</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 28/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ JA 30/99</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
AM/JA 30/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>eBay</p>
PM/JA 31/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss. Ally. Schroeder, (213) Firstst Detroit, Mich</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike in top left corner</p> <p>Backstamp: DETROIT, MICH./REC'D. CDS receiver dated FEB 1/8 AM/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




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PM/FE 8/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, mourning cover</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: STEVEN ST./HAMILTON.ONT CDS dated PM/FE 8/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Hamilton, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: L.H.A. Bejue? Esq, Barrister &c, Dundas</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: STEVEN ST./HAMILTON.ONT CDS free strike dated PM/FE 8/99 in bottom right corner</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HAMILTON CDS transit dated FEB 8/?-0/1899 • Dundas SC receiver 	<p>1. Peter Pryko Stamps dealer stock, ORAPEX 2017</p> <p>2. eBay</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 5/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: unknown</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ROCKTON/ONT. SC transit dated -/AP 5/99 • DUNDAS/ONT. SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 11/AP 6/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "This is now known (Rockton) on map cover.", with no details reported 	<p>1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 39 (1986)</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/MY 10/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: heavy blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "...Cvr. is VF with AM/MY10/88 Dundas..." • note incorrect date in auction listing • lot of squared circle strikes on 7 stamps and 1 cover 	<p>J.A. Hennok December 1987 auction, Lot #396</p> 

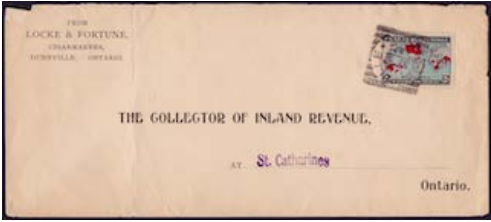
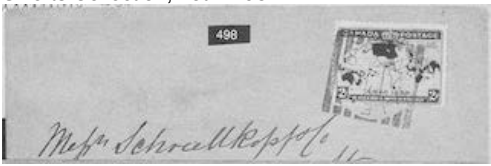

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PM/JU 12/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: heavy 9-bar grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. Wm. Croft & Sons, Toronto, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "perfect free strike on cover w/#85 tied by heavy grid bar cancel to cover front only. RF 10, 6 recorded map covers" 	<p>Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #501</p> 
PM/JY 17/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawer 5, Dundas, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. William Stowe, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dundas SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp • postmaster CDS handstamp dated 8/AM JY/18 <p>Backstamp: London, ONT receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice free strike on Dundas c.c. cover w/2¢ Map stamp w/SON grid bar cancel, not tied, to London, wee bit of aging. VERY SCARCE ON MAP COVER!" • ref (2): "lot of Ontario SC on all stamps (323 cover/postal cards) with "...Dundas 2c Map free strike (PM/JY17/99)..." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee June 1992 auction #67, Lot #1209</p> <p>2. Eastern Auctions June 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #367</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/SP 22/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawer 57, Dundas, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H. Carscallen Esq, Q.C., Barrister &c., Hamilton, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: Hamilton, ONT receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "proof like strike on c.c. cover w/2¢ MAP (fity.) stamp tied by cork cancel to Hamilton b/s, edge tears to 8mm, rounded corner, some aging. (RF 10). ONE OF ONLY 6 RECORDED MAP STAMP COVERS!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 2001 auction #102, Lot #3158</p> <p>2. J.A. Hennok October 2004 auction, Lot #442</p> 



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PM/SP 26/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Bank of Nova Scotia pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Nova Scotia (pre-addressed), Woodstock, NB (manuscript)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HAMILTON CDS transit dated SEP 26/18--0/1899 • WOODSTOCK/ONT. CDS receiver dated SP 28/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "lovely free strike on cover, w/2¢ MAP stamp w/SON grid bar cancel, not tied, to Woodstock, N.B., some aging. (RF 10)." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee October 2000 auction #100, Lot #2193</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/OC 7/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: W.H. Brouse pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: heavy 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.H. Brouse, Esq., Broker, Rooms 1, 2 & 2^B, Manning Arcade, 24 King St. West, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC essentially a free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Vance Auctions January 2017 auction #321, Lot #5153</p> 
PM/DE 21/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Canada Can Co., Limited, Dundas, Ontario. (red lettering) <p>Franking & Cancel: heavy oval grid cancels Map stamp (upside down, not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.H. Gillard & Co., Hamilton, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dundas SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560</p> <p>3. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book)</p> <p>4. Current owner personal communication</p> 




DUNNVILLE



The Dunnville post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Thomas Armour (1864-1916). The Dunnville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 1/95 and used from -/FE 4/95 to -/AU 22/99.

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???	C	N	lot of 6 SC Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #267
???	C	N	lot of 11 SC covers with 1899 dates	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
-/DE 19/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ prepaid envelope</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Will. C. Riddell, ?? Office, Weston</p> <p>Backstamp: WESTON/ONT SC receiver dated -/DE 20/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Tied to 1¢ Entire with two strikes DUNNVILLE DE 19 '98 Squared Circle, Weston squared circle b/s, fine" 	<p>1. J.N. Sissons May 1960 auction #178-179 of the Fred Jarrett collection, Lot #441</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 26/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: BLEECKER ST./TORONTO SC dated -/DE 25/98 cancels Map plus another 1¢ stamp (assumed)</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 3¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Dunnville, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 26/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/?? ?/?/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: A Bradshaw & Son, Wellington St, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dunnville SC dispatch free-strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lot of 11 Map stamp covers 	<p>CPS of GB October 2019 Convention Auction, Lot #9</p> 

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-/JA 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, legal size pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Locke & Fortune, Cigarmakers, Dunnville, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Collector of Inland Revenue, at 'St. Catharines' (city is a handstamp in purple ink), Ontario.</p> <p>Backstamp: ST. CATHARINES/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/JA 3/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of SC on Map stamps (over 100 stamp & 1 cover) 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2009 auction of the Roger Boisclair collection, Lot #435</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 5/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Schoullkopf & Co</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Clean strike JA 5 '99 tying 2¢ blue to slightly stained cover to USA. Extremely Rare, one of two covers known. Very early 2¢ USA rate." 	<p>Robert Laird November 1982 auction of John Siverts Collection, Lot # 498</p> 
-/JA 17/99	CC & DO	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dunnville SC dispatch free strike</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "1898 2c Map stamp tied to cover with Dunnville JA 17 99 Ont Sq, circle with another strike alongside. Stamp damaged on three corners and cover is torn." 	<p>CPS of GB October 1986 Convention Auction, Lot #343</p>
-/JA 18/99	RR	R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: PARKHILL/ONT CDS dated JA 17/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Parkhill, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Dunnville, ONT</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STRATFORD/ONT. CDS transit dated C/JA 17/99 • GODERICH/ONT. SC transit strike dated -/JA 17/99 (single digit year), • DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Sharp strike (Goderich) plus a partial JA 17 '9(9) used as a transit on cover "Parkhill, Ont Ja 17 '99" to Dunnville, franked with a 2¢ rich blue. A DUNNVILLE JA 18 '99 slightly fuzzy strike as receiver - a double on Map cover, scarce!" • ref (2): "fine strike, and GODERICH ONT 17 JA '99, fine strike on reverse of cover as TRANSIT and ARRIVAL MARKS on fine cover from PARK HILL ONT 17 JA '99 (two and five covers recorded respectively)." 	<p>1. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts Collection, Lot # 500</p> <p>2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #716</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 


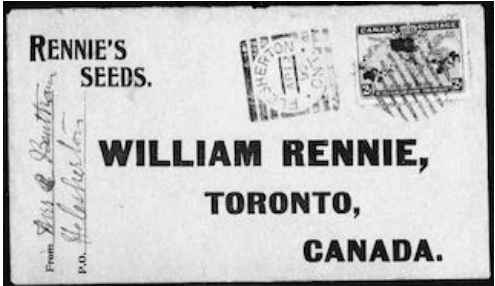
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • W.W. Krick, Grain and Seeds, Dunnville, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ont Other: • ref (2): "2¢ tied by VF Ja 20'99 strike, 2 covers known, Fine"</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #565</p> 
-/JA 26/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed cover Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Dunnville SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 30/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: • ref (1): "bit fuzzy strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, bit of aging (RF 15, only 2 map covers recorded)" • ref (2): "muddy strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover, bit of aging. (Only 2 recorded strikes on Map covers!)"</p>	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1989 2. Robert A. Lee June 1991 auction #63, Lot #1646</p>
-/MR 1/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card Franking & Cancel: RAINHAM/ONT Type A1 split circle dated MR 1/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Rainham, ONT Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Postmarks on Obverse: RAINHAM/ONT Type A1 split circle free strike dated MR 1/99 Backstamp: Dunnville SC transit Other: • ref (1): "Dunnville cover, <u>BACKSTAMP</u> MR 1'99 on a Rainham corner card. (H-2)" • ref (2): "nice strike as transit b/s on cover w/#86 tied by SON RAINHAM, ONT MR 1/99 split ring + free strike, Rainham c.c. to Toronto. RF 15, 2 recorded map covers"</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #662 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #502</p>



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Holt & Kitchen, Dunnville Carpet Works, Dunnville, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrss T.H. Pratt Co Limited, Hamilton, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: HAMILTON CDS receiver dated MAR 13/12--0/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 25/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joseph High & Son, Rainham, Ont (green lettering) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 RAINHAM/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated MR 25/99 cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Rainham, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dunnville SC transit TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle dated 22/ MR 25/99 (overlaps Dunnville SC) <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "fine GREEN OCEAN, small scuff, Rainham c.d.s." 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1206</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 18/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed cover</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Dunnville SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "on 2¢ Map cover, 2 strikes, 1 tying stamp to G. Marshall & Co London Ont cover, only 2 covers recorded. Rare, F-VF" 	<p>J.A. Hennok March 1991 auction, Lot #591</p> 




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 2/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Weston, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr. Jack Riddell, Dunnville, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: WESTON/ONT. SC dispatch dated -/MY 1/99 in bottom left corner Backstamp: DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "WESTON, 2¢ tied by grid, VG strike LL dated My 1 '99, 2 covers known (Weston), VG" • ref (3): "WESTON free strike on cover w/#86 tied by grid bar cancel, addressed to DUNNVILLE, ONT MY 2/99 sq. circle receiving b/s, couple sm. cover faults around cancel. Slightly cut-down at left. RF 35, 2 recorded map covers (Weston)." 	<p>1. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #587 2. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 40 (1986) 3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #587 4. eBay 2015</p> 
-/JU 3/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Brown Brothers Company, Browns Nurseries, Ont. Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Browns Nurseries, ONT Addressee/Destination: A. Couper, Esq., Dunnville, Ont. (typewritten) Postmarks on Obverse: BROWNS NURSERIES/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated -/JU 1/99 to the left of the Map stamp Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WELLAND/ONT. CDS transit dated */JU 2/99 • Dunnville SC receiver 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

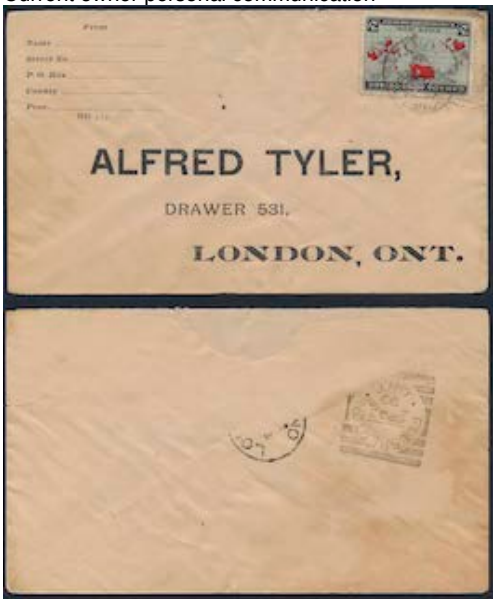


FLESHERTON

The Flesherton post office opened in July 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Robert J. Sproule (1872-1909). The Flesherton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 23/94 and used from -/AP 24/94 to -/NO 18/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of SC from 25 Ontario towns (125 stamps & 2 Map stamp covers)	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #482
-/JA 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Charles Cockshutt & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Charles Cockshutt & Co., 57 & 59 Front St. W., Toronto.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 12/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "very fine strike on clean cover to TORONTO with deep blue copy tied by grid (three covers recorded)." 	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection</p> <p>2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 33 (1982)</p> <p>3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #717</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 12/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular smudge cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Vandeleur, ONT Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: VANDELEUR/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated AP 12/99 Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flesherton SC transit • very partial Toronto split circle receiver 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics September 2006 Sale #72, Lot #1037 2. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale #88, lot #645 3. Bow City Philatelics November 2017 auction of the Mercator collection, Lot #145 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 25/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Adelaide St, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC dispatch free strike in top left corner of cover Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/AP 25/99 	<p>Dealer stock</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 9/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Corner Adelaide & Jarvis Street, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 20/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm Rennie, Seedsman, cor Adelaide & Jarvis St, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC transit to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/MY 20/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 20/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: fancy advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Advance, Flesherton, Ont. • "Get Your Job Printing Done With Us. Subscribe for The Advance." (blue ink) • advertising takes up 1/3 of cover <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.T. Parker, Bethlehem, Pa, U.S.A.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: received Bethlehem, PA MY 22/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/SP 23/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: MAXWELL/ONT. CDS dated SP 22/99 cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Maxwell, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flesherton SC transit • partial LON---/S- --/ON- CDS receiver (backflap missing) 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/OC 17/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, special delivery</p> <p>Advertising: fancy advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Advance, Flesherton, Ont. • "Get Your Job Printing Done With Us. Subscribe for The Advance." (blue ink) • advertising takes up 1/3 of cover <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 oval 8-bar grids cancel Map stamp & 10¢ Special Delivery</p> <p>Postage: 12¢ postage paid the domestic special delivery rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Can. Paper Co., Front St. W., Toronto</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC free strike in lower right corner</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 13/OC 18/99</p>	<p>1. Jack Gordon notes</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/NO 20/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: A. White Esq, Asst Commissioner of Crown Lands. Toronto</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Flesherton SC dispatch free strike in lower right corner</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "crease affecting bottom of cover only (H-3)" • ref (2): "free strike on cover w/somewhat oxidized #85 tied by grid bar cancel. Crease along bottom of cover. RF 20, only 3 recorded map covers." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #663</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #503</p> <p>3. eBay</p> 

FORMOSA, HAMMER 2, STATE 2



The Formosa post office opened in December 1861, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Julius Noel (1897-1914). Hammer 2 of the Formosa Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was modified in October 1896 to generate a 2nd state. State 2 of Hammer 2 has rounded corners and was used in Period 1 from -/OC 15/96 to NO/7/99. A 3-line date arrangement (MM/DD/YY) was used from December 14/98.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
JU/22/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weiler & Son, Manufacturers and Dealers in All kinds of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Broom Handels, Chopping, Etc, Formosa, Ont. • illustrated with a tree branch <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Goold, Shapley & Muir Co., Brantford, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Formosa SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TEESWATER/ONT. CDS transit dated JU22/99 • HAMILTON CDS transit dated JU 23/22-0/1899 • BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/JU 24/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "gorgeous free strike on Formosa c.c. adv. cover w/2¢ MAP #85 tied by 2nd lt. Formosa strike to Brantford. ROSTER IN HANDBOOK (1981) - NO REPORTED STRIKES ON MAP COVERS & THIS ONE SO NICE ON ADV. COVER!" • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on all stamps (323 covers/post cards) with "...Formosa State 2 2c Map (JU 22 99)..." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee January 1992 auction #65, Lot #1781 2. Eastern Auctions June 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #367 3. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 31, #2, Whole #115, pg 1 (2008) 4. Squared Circle Cancellations website 5. Current owner personal communication





GEORGETOWN



The Georgetown post office opened in May 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was H.B. Henderson (1894-1903). The Georgetown Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 30/94 and used from -/FE 1/94 to -/JUL 11/03.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 15/JA 2/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "It. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to Toronto, wee bit of aging. (RF 15, 8 reported Map covers)." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #2106 2. Jack Gordon collection 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Thms White, High Sec Canadian Foresters, Brantford, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 8/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Advertising: backflap advertising</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Sykes & Ainley Mfg. Co. Limited, Woollen Manufacturers, Glen Williams, Ont. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: several smudge strikes cancel Map stamp, 3¢ Numeral & 2¢ purple Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Glen Williams, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thomas White Esq, High Secretary C.O.F., Brantford</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 faint purple GLEN WILLIAMS.ONT/CANADA Type A4 split circle dispatch dated FE 8/99 2 faint purple 'REGISTERED' straight line postmarks <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Georgetown SC transit HARRISBURG & SOUTHAMPTON M.C. RPO (ON-212) dated T1S/FE 8/99 2 TOR. & SAR. M.C./Nº2 RPO (ON-811.02) dated FE 8/99 BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated FE8/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "2¢ Map + 2¢ Purple & 3¢ Numerals on purple Fe 8,'99 Glen Williams Ont split ring cvr to Brantford (b/s + Georgetown Ont sq circle & 2 diff RPO b/s's). F-VF" ref (2)-(4): "86 (Green Oceans) +78+76, REGISTERED H/S, GLENWILLIAMS FE 8/99 ONT CANADA. B/S TOR.& SAR MC NO.2, HARRISBURG & SOUTHAMPTON MC, GEORGETOWN ONT SQ. Cir (super strike). BRANTFORD arrival. F" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #585 Bow City Philatelics April 2005 Sale #69, Lot #265 Bow City Philatelics May 2007 Sale #73, Lot #311 Bow City Philatelics October 2009 Sale #76, Lot #321 Current owner personal communication
				
-/FE 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Peter Henderson & Co, Seedsman, 35 & 37 Cortlandt St, New York</p> <p>Backstamp: unreadable CDS receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 9/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: MARKDALE/ONT CDS dated FE 8/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Markdale, ONT Addressee/Destination: D.B. Arrowsmith, Georgetown, Ont Backstamp: Georgetown SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 17/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshal & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Other: • ref (1): "fine to very fine inverted strike, Marshall envelope"</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1207 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs G. Marshall & Co., London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



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-/MR 20/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Georgetown cover MR 20 '99 (H-8)" • ref (2): "nice strike ties #85 to cover with bit of age stain. RF 15, 8 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #666</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #505</p>
-/MR 22/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, double weight, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp, 2¢ purple Numerals (2), & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 9¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate plus registration</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "two very fine strikes tying bluish copy and two 2¢ purple and 3¢ to clean REGISTERED cover to TORONTO (eight covers recorded)." • ref (2): "two strikes tie 2 x #75, #77, 2¢ Map (muddy waters) to cover to Toronto, wee bit of aging. (RF 15). NOT COMMON ON COVER!" 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #718</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee September 1995 auction #79, Lot #2078</p> 
-/AP 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.J. McNabb, Division Court Clerk, Conveyancer, Insurance Agent, Etc., Acton, Ont. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Acton, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Registrar of Deeds, Registry Office, Milton, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: ACTON/ONT. SC dispatch free strike dated -/AP 21/99 in bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GEORGETOWN/ONT. SC transit • MILTON WEST/ONT. SC receiver dated PM/AP 21/99 <p>Other: unique cover with Squared Circle strikes from 3 different hammers</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 5/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: ESQUESING/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated MY 3/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Esquesing, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: ESQUESING/ONT Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated MY 3/99 to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Georgetown SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 15/MY 6/99 	<p>eBay</p> 
-/MY 27/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: The Atlantic Refining Co., Toronto, Ont. in blue ink</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: B...EET/TORONTO CDS (Bloor, Bleeker or Bathurst St.?) dated ?/MY 27/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: D.B. Arrowsmith Esq, Georgetown, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: B...EET/TORONTO CDS dispatch free strike dated ?/MY 27/99 to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: Georgetown SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "B(LEEKER STR)EET/TORONTO MY 27/99 part lt. cds free strike + 2nd SON strike on 2¢ MAP stamp #85 on 'Atlantic Refining Co.' blue ink c.c. cover to Georgetown, Ont. sq. circ. b/s, lt. perf. stains" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee March 2002 auction #103, Lot #1788 2. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JU 3/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wm. Hughes, Dealer in Harness, Carriages, Implements, Etc., Marmora, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Marmora, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: D.B. Arrowsmith, Georgetown, Ontario</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: MARMORA/ONT. SC</p> <p>dispatch free strike dated -/JU 2/99 to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: GEORGETOWN/ONT. SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/OC 11/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: Illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.N. O'Neill, Successor to Culp & McKenzie, Mfr. of Fine Carriages, Wagons, Etc., And Dealer in Agricultural Implements, Georgetown, Ont. • photo of factory and street in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Palmerston Carriage Co, Palmerston, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Georgetown SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ tied by grid, fine strike Oc 11'99, illustrated for O'Neill Carriages, Fine" • ref (4): "Very Fine free strike on 2¢ Map cover with building advertising cover to Palmerston, Ont., Very Fine. RF 15." • ref (5): "illustrated adv showing factory and store, on muddy water variety #85 franked cover posted at GEORGETOWN noting a square circle cancel dated OCT11'1899, addressed to PALMERSTON-ONT, VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #566 3. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 4. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2094 5. Ron Leith auctions March 2012 public auction #44 of the Scott Harnsberger collection, Lot #131 6. Current owner personal communication 

GLAMMIS


The Glammis post office opened in July 1860, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Richard W. Harrison (1873-1903). The Glammis Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 23/94 and used from -/29 OC/94 to MR/20/03. Starting in JY/1/98, a 3-line date arrangement (MM/DD/YY) was used, including the Map stamp cover dated JA/23/99. However, Map stamp strikes from -/FE 22/?? onward have the normal 2-line date arrangement (-/MM DD/YY). Therefore, sometime after JA 23 and prior to FE 22, the hammer was returned to the normal 2-line date arrangement, suggesting that there may be an additional period of 2-line date use.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
JA/23/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: WALKERTON/ONT CDS dated JA 23/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Walkerton, ONT Addressee/Destination: M Frank H Leslie, Glamis (mis-spelled) Backstamp: Glammis SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "BACKSTAMP but only one cover reported (H-1)" • ref (2): "as receiving b/s on somewhat tatty cover w/#86 tied by WALKERTON ONT JA 23/99 CDS weak strike. Cover has tears & stains. RF 35, only 1 recorded cover." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #668 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #508 3. eBay 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/AP 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp in upper left corner of cover Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. J. Boyer, Broker, Kincardine P O, Ont Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Port Elgin transit • received Kincardine on AP 7/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • note normal date arrangement • ref (1): "lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to Kincardine, Ont., lt. crease, slightly reduced at right. (RF 35, 1 Map cover reported)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #2107 2. Jack Gordon collection 3. Squared Circle Cancellations website 4. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JU 3/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Dr. Watson, Dentist, Tiverton P.O., Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Glammis SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • note normal date arrangement • ref (2): incorrectly reports the date as -/JU 8/99 • ref (2): "This is a very rare squared circle Map cover, only one other example being known (and it is a backstamp)." • ref (4): "light complete free strike on 2¢ Map cover to Tiverton, Ont., Fine. THE CENSUS RECORDS ONLY ONE 2¢ MAP COVER FROM GLAMMIS." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jim Hennok collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 33 (1982) 3. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 4. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2097 



GODERICH


The Goderich post office opened in October 1835, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Galt (1897-1938). The Goderich Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 25/94 and used from -/JA 26/94 to -/AP 2/06. The year appears as a single digit '9' on numerous days in JA/99 to AP/99. The normal two-digit year is observed on a Map stamp cover dated -/SP 19/99 so the year error was corrected sometime between AP 4 (see 6th edition Handbook, pg 304) and SP 19 (no Map stamp examples documented during this period).

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 20 single franking Map stamp covers (all cancel types)	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #286
???	C	N	lot 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
-/DE 21/98	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border, registered cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel a block of 4 Map stamps</p> <p>Postage: 8¢ postage paid the USA registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: A.C. Merser, 30 South St., New Bedford, Mass, U.S.A.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Goderich SC strike barely ties Map stamp so essentially a dispatch free strike • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'HUGO MEYER' handstamp (sender?) • oval 'R' postmark • 2 GODERICH/ONT. SC dispatch strikes • BRANTFORD & GODERICH RYP.O RPO (ON-37) dated E/DE 22/98 • MONTREAL.CANADA Hammer II barred circle dated DE23A11/98 • HAMILTON/CANADA CDS transit dated ?/DE 22/98 • BOSTON,MASS./REGISTRY DIV. oval transit dated DEC 24 1898 in purple • RECEIVED/DEC 24 1898/NEW BEDFORD, MASS. 3-line straight line receiver in purple 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 3/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Washington, DC</p> <p>Backstamp: WASHINGTON, D.C./USA receiver dated JAN 5/1899</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #86 to sm. cover to WASHINGTON, D.C./USA, JAN 5/1899 receiving b/s. Large 30mm tear at top. RF 10. Only 5 MAP COVERS reported!" • ref (2): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to sm. cover to USA. Large 30mm tear at top. RF 10, only 5 Map covers reported!" • ref (3): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to sm. cover to USA. 30mm tear at top. Only 5 Map covers reported!" • no mention of single digit year 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee September 1985 auction #36, Lot #1684 2. Robert A. Lee May 1986 auction #38, Lot #1027 3. Robert A. Lee November 1986 auction #41, Lot #962

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-JA 12/9	CC & DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp, 1c Leaf, 1c Numeral (upside down) & 3c Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7c postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The T.A. Slocum Chemical Co., 186 West Adelaide Street, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 oval 'R' • Goodrich SC dispatch free strike to right of stamps <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' • Goderich SC dispatch • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/JA 13/99 <p>Other: single digit year</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-JA 16/9	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 partial SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: ??, 52 Bloor St W., Toronto, Onto.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • 2 very partial SC strikes with a tentative assignment based on partial town name and single digit year common to Goderich • lot of 11 Map stamp covers (all cancel types) 	<p>CPS of GB October 2019 Convention Auction, Lot #9</p> 
-JA 17/9	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Parkhill, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Jn. Riddell, Dunnville, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: PARKHILL/ONT. CDS dispatch dated JA 17/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 GODERICH/ONT. SC transit • STRATFORD/ONT. CDS transit dated C/JA 17/99 • DUNNVILLE/ONT SC receiver dated -/JA 18/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • ref (1): "Sharp strike plus a partial JA 17 '9(9) used as a transit on cover "Parkhill, Ont Ja 17 '99" to Dunnville, franked with a 2c rich blue. A DUNNVILLE JA 18 '99 slightly fuzzy strike as receiver - a double on Map cover, scarce!" • ref (2): "fine strike, and GODERICH ONT 17 JA '99, fine strike on reverse of cover as TRANSIT and ARRIVAL MARKS on fine cover from PARK HILL ONT 17 JA '99 (two and five covers recorded respectively)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts Collection, Lot # 500 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #716 3. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 28/9	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie (seedsman), Toronto P.O., Canada Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/JA 29/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560 3. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/JA 30/9	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. William Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont. Other: single digit year</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 4/9	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, greyish-blue envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. W.D. Smith, 20 Wibird St., Portsmouth, N.H., U.S.A. Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BUFFALO, N.Y./TRANSIT CDS transit dated FEB 6/2PM/99 • PORTSMOUTH, N.H./REC'D CDS receiver dated FEB/7/1 PM/1899 <p>Other: single digit year</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 7/9	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Brantford, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • auction listing: "#86. 2c Map, #10 cover bears single tied by Goderich, Feb 7, 9_ (missing second 9) sq circle. Addressed to Brantford & bs." 	<p>Charles G. Firby February 2001 auction, Lot #876</p>




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 8/9	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Drawer 324, Goderich Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Clinton, ONT Backstamp: Clinton ONT 1899 receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • ref (1): "FE 8'9 Immaculate (H-5)" • ref (2): "tied by Goderich -/FE 8/9 (Note: ERROR "9" for "99") on cover to Clinton, Ont (b/s), cvr has tiny trivial stain LR corner, VF" • ref (3): "nice strike ties #86 to c.c. cover, note year date error '9-'. Has 1899 dated receiving b/s. Small corner stain. RF 10, 5 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #671 2. J.A. Hennok February 1988 auction, Lot #338 3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #510</p> 
-/SP19/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: WINDSOR/ONT duplex (DON-1983) dated PM/SP 18/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Windsor, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mrs. E.F. Armstrong, Goderich, Ont, Box 89 Backstamp: Goderich SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

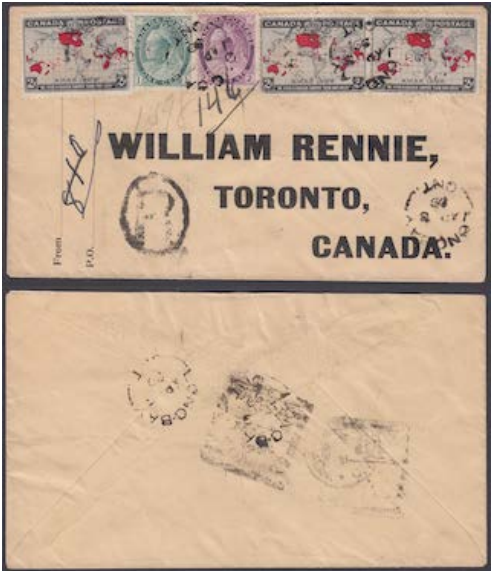

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-/JA 6/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1) & (2): "85i GODERICH JA 6/00 ONT SQ. cir. B/S LONDON ONT. Attractive. VF. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bow City Philatelics March 2003 Sale #63, Lot #1015 2. Bow City Philatelics November 2004 Sale #68, Lot #740 3. Bow City Philatelics October 2006 Sale #71, Lot #811 4. Current owner personal communication 

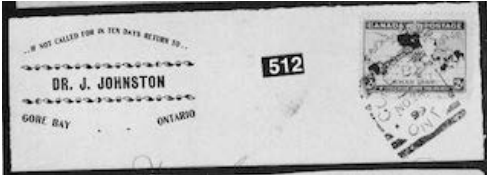
GORE BAY

The Gore Bay post office opened in August 1874, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Frank Jennings (1898-1900) and Mrs. Wilhemina Jennings (1900-1934). The Gore Bay Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 29/95 and used in Period 1 from -/MY 6/95 to -/FE 2/20.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of SC from 21 Ontario towns (90 stamps & 4 Map stamp covers)	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #483
???	UR	N	<p>Cover type: assumed domestic, registered Franking & Cancel: unknown postmark cancels Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Origin: Long Bay, ONT Addressee/Destination: unknown, assumed domestic Backstamp: Gore Bay SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Long Bay reg'd (#70 + 85) with Gore Bay sq circle b/s" • unknown whether the Gore Bay SC is a transit or receiver postmark 	J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #641

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-/JA 9/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. B.H. Turner, Little Current, Ont (Via Providence Bay & Manitowaning) Other: • ref (2): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. B.H. Turner, Little Current, Ont. Backstamp: no backstamps Other: • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) • ref (4) : incorrectly reported as -/JA 14/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560 3. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1208 4. Squared Circle Cancellations website 
-/JA 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card • Mrs. P. McRae, Dealer in Millinery and Fancy Goods, Etc., Gore Bay, Ontario Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: W.M. Croft & Sons, 53 Bay St, Toronto, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP ??/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: William Rennie pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 LONG BAY/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated AP 3/99 cancel Map stamps (2), 1¢ Numeral & 2¢ purple Numeral, and a LONG BAY/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated AP 4/99 cancels a third Map stamp and the 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 9¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate with registration</p> <p>Origin: Long Bay, ONT (Manitoulin Island)</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • LONG BAY/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated AP 3/99 <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 LONG BAY/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strikes dated AP 3/99 • 2 blurry Gore Bay transit strikes • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/AP 7/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • why were Long Bay dispatch strikes with 2 different dates used? • possible that the postmaster in the small post office realized on the day after posting that the envelope was double weight and so an additional 2¢ stamp was required and the Map stamp was used? • ref (2): "Double Weight Cover, Registered, mailed from Long Bay, Ont to Rennie in Toronto registered, franked with there 2c Maps, plus a 1c and 2c numeral for a rate of 4c postage and 5c registration. Very fine." 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 auction of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #367</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 22/99	TR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Kagawong, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: KAGAWONG/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated AP 22/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gore Bay SC transit • Toronto receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "85 (With Variety-red dots in L.L. under left value tablet) KAGAWONG AP 22/99 ONT Spl cir. B/S GORE BAY SQ Cir, TORONTO arrival. Scarce. VF-F" 	<p>Bow City Philatelics March 2006 Sale #71, Lot #365</p> 
-/JY 4/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: R.N. Thorburn front</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Crofts & Sons, Toronto</p>	<p>Jack Gordon notes/collection</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 24/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, front only</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. J. Johnston, Gore Bay, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "FRONT NO 24'99 ties Map to Dr. Johnston's corner card (H-6)" • ref (2): "nice strike ties #85 to nice c.c. cover front only. RF 20, only 6 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #673</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #512</p> 


HARRISTON



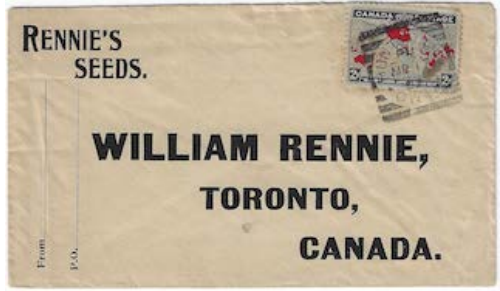
The Harriston post office opened in February 1856, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Alexander McCready (1866-1905). The Harriston Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/93 and used from -/AU 29/93 to -/AU 6/01.



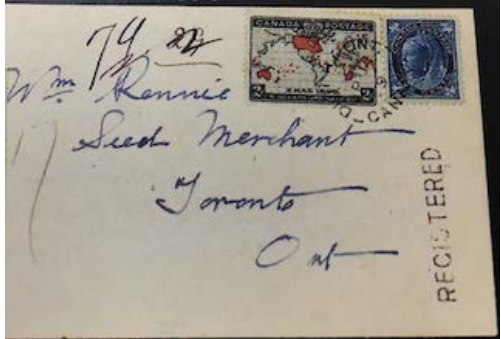
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HUNTSVILLE

The Huntsville post office opened in January 1870, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were James F. Hanes (1873-1900) and F.W. Clearwater (1900-1912). The Huntsville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 25/94 and used from -/OC 29/94 to ?/DE 16/99. AM/PM time marks, with occasional blanks, were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 6 SC Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #268
PM/JA 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 12/JA 31/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "ideal strike tying deep blue copy to clean cover to TORONTO (seven covers recorded)." 	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection</p> <p>2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 34 (1982)</p> <p>3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #719</p> <p>4. Current owner personal communication</p> 



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-/FE 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/FE 21/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 28/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 4 RAVENSCLIFF/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated FE 28/99 cancel Map stamps (3, 2 of which are a horizontal pair) & 1¢ Numeral (in the bottom right corner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • straightline 'REGISTERED' postmark ties Map stamp <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Ravenscliff, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Cor Adelaide Jarvis St, Toronto, Ont, Seedsman</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 RAVENSCLIFF/ONT CDS dispatch • Huntsville SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/FE 28/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "7¢ registered to Toronto, Numeral #75 and #86b (X3) pays the 2¢ letter rate + 5¢ registration fee on cover dated FEB28-1899 and addressed to Rennie's Seed Company, routing via Huntsville-Ont noting a superb square circle transit b/s on the same day, VF" 	<p>1. eBay 2. Ron Leith Auctions Sale #50, March 2018, Lot #139</p> 
PM/MR 17/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/MR 18/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



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PM/AP 8/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: A. White, Crown Lands Department, Toronto Postmarks on Obverse: Huntsville SC to the left of the Map stamp Other: • ref (1): "VF strike on cover to Toronto (b/s)"</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #830 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered Advertising: corner card • J.W. Hart, MD., Huntsville, Ontario Franking & Cancel: 6 8-bar grid strikes cancel Map stamp, 1¢ Leaf (3) & 1¢ Numeral (2) • SC ties the Map stamp & 1 of the 1¢ Numerals Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Cor Adelaide & Jarvis Sts, Toronto, Canada, Ontario Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark Other: • ref (2): "1¢ (5) 2¢ tied Ap 10'99 to reg'd cover to Toronto, the odd perf. age stain. Fine" • ref (3): "with fine strike tying BLUISH copy and three copies 1¢ LEAF and two copies 1¢ NUMERAL to clean REGISTERED cover to TORONTO, with two additional very fine strikes of the squared circle on reverse. (seven covers recorded)."</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #568 3. R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1718</p> 
?/AP 11/99	TR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered Franking & Cancel: DWIGHT.ONT/CANADA Type A4 split circle dated AP 11/99 cancels Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Origin: Dwight, ONT Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: straight line 'REGISTERED' Backstamp: Hunstville SC transit Other: • auction listing: "GRAY and 5¢ Leaf tied by DWIGHT ONT. CANADA 11AP c.d.s. to clean registered cover to TORONTO with HUNTSVILLE SQUARED CIRCLE same day transit on reverse, very fine."</p>	<p>R. Maresch & Son October 1998 auction #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #775</p> 



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PM/AP 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 4 red GRASSMERE/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated AP 21/99 cancel Map stamp, 2c purple Numeral (2) & 1c Numeral (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 7c postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Grassmere, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Corner Adelaide & Jarvis Streets, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: straight line red 'REGISTERED'</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Grassmere split circle dispatch • Huntsville SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated ?/AP 22/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref(1): "Red split ring GRASSMERE ONT ties 1 & 2c (2) Numerals + 2c Map with Ap 21,'99 CDS on reg'd (red S/L) cvr to Toronto (Huntsville sq ccl & Toronto CDS b/s). Attractive F+VF" • ref (2): "tied by Grassmere, Ont red cancel (AP 21 99) and red 'REGISTERED' hs on cover to Toronto paying 7c registered letter rate. Reverse with Huntsville, Ont squared circle, two red Grassmere, Ont and "REGISTERED" hs." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #666</p> <p>2. Longley Auctions January 2018 Sale #24, Lot #258</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 22/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Thomas Organ Co, Woodstock, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Huntsville SC to the left of the Map stamp (doubled strike)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JU 2/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • S. Snyder, Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines, Etc., Etc., Huntsville <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thomas Organ & Piano Co, Woodstock, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Huntsville SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HAMILTON CDS transit dated JUN 3/12--0/1899 • WOODSTOCK/ONT. CDS receiver dated JU 3/99 	<p>ORAPEX 2017 dealer</p> 



IROQUOIS

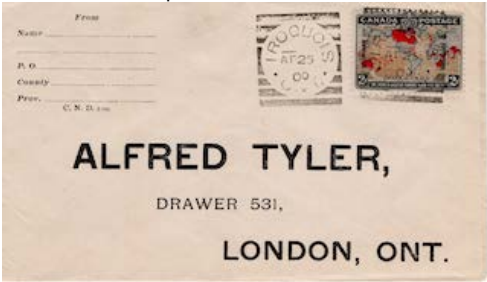

The Iroquois post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Adam Harkness (1883-1904). The Iroquois Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 19/94 and used from -/DE 22/94 to -/OC 11/00.

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-/MR 1/99	DO	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Postmarks on Obverse: Iroquois SC dispatch free strike in lower right corner</p>	Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1211
-/MR 4/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Iroquois SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated 19/MR 4/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of SC on Map stamps (44 stamps & covers) • ref (2): lot of 29 SC on Map stamp covers and cards 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok June 1993 auction, Lot #320 2. J.A. Hennok July 1998 auction, Lot #493 3. Jack Gordon collection 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 8/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied, sideways) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs S & J Carriere, Coteau Landing, Que (typewritten) Postmarks on Obverse: Iroquois SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: no legible backstamp Other: Map stamp is a Major Re-entry at plate position 2-A-29</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/AP 21/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq, Cor Adleade & Jarvis Streets, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Iroquois SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map stamp has pale blue oceans in ref (3) Hennok exhibit (early 2000's) and by 2018 has oxidized to brown oceans • ref (4): lot of 18 Ontario SC on Map stamp covers 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560 3. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 4. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 5. eBay 6. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 23/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Postmarks on Obverse: Iroquois SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Tied to cover with two strikes Iroquois JU 23 '99 squared circles, very fine" 	<p>J.N.Sissons May 1960 auction #178-179 of the Fred Jarrett collection, Lot #440</p> 
-/OC 20/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated corner card in red ink • Employer's Liability Assurance Corp., Montreal Franking & Cancel: MONTREAL type 8 flag dated OCT 20/19-0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: Iroquois, ONT Backstamp: Iroquois SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: " 'EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY ASSURANCE CORP., MONTREAL' red ink illustr. adv. cover, shows 'company logo & text adv.' w/2¢ MAP stamp #85 tied by MONTREAL/1899 OCT 20/19-0 type 8 flag cancel to Iroquois, Ont. sq. circ. b/s, some aging, back flap missing, couple soiled perfs." 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 2000 auction #98, Lot #873</p>

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-/NO 15/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A.A. Whitteker, Graduate Optician, Morrisburg, Ont. • illustrated with head-shot photo of Whitteker <p>Franking & Cancel: MORRISBURG/ONT. CDS dated AM/NO 15/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Morrisburg, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Ira W. Becksted Esq, Iroquois, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Iroquois SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lot of 17 Map stamp advertising covers (all cancel types) 	<p>Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #397</p> 
-/DE 4/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Croft & Sons, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 15 Map stamp covers & 3 fronts 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok September 1992 auction, Lot #559 2. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1205</p> 

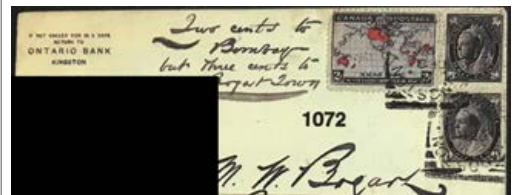
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-/MR 26/00	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: IRENA/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated MR 26/00 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Irena, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. James McIntosh, Merchant, Winchester Springs, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: IRENA/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free-strike dated MR 26/00</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Iroquois SC transit • MORRISBURG/ONT. CDS transit dated AM/MR 27/00 • WINCHESTER SPRINGS/ONT. Type A1 split circle receiver dated MR 27/00 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "BACKSTAMP (H-6)" • ref (2): "nice strike as transit b/s on cover w/#85 from IRENA, ONT MR 26/00 split ring to WINCHESTER SPRINGS, ONT MR 27/00 split ring receiving b/s. Slightly cut-down at right. RF 20, only 6 recorded map covers." • 1 of 10 examples of small zero in year 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #677</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #516</p> <p>3. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 21, #3, Whole #91, pg 1 (1999)</p> <p>4. eBay</p> <p>5. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/AP 25/00	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Iroquois SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/AP 26/00 Other: 1 of 10 examples of small zero in year</p>	<p>1. Frank Hoyles May 1997 Special Offers List #12, Lot #1085 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 27/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Other: 1 of 10 examples of small zero in year</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

KINGSTON, HAMMER 2



The Kingston post office opened in June 1886, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Alex Campbell (1886-1911). Hammer 2 of the Kingston Squared Circle was proofed on AM/DE 28/93 and used with numeral time marks 1-4 from 4/JA 1/94 to 1/DE 8/98 (on a Map stamp cover).

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
1/DE 8/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ontario Bank, Kingston <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp, 1/2c Leaf & 1/2c Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. M.W. Bogart, Box 114, Newmarket, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: NEWMARKET/ONT CDS receiver dated DE 8/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "The Map stamp is from Plate 1 Position 94. Cancellation is by Kingston square circle Type-2, Hammer-2, dated 8th December 1898 with the scarce numeral '1' time-mark which hints this cover was actually posted 7th December. Backstamp is (c.d.s.) Newmarket, 8th December 1898." • ref (2): "A December 8/98 map cover is well known. This represents a new late date." • ref (3): "#66,74,85. All tied to neat cover by scarce sq circle Type 2, hammer 2 with 1 time mark from Kingston, Dec 8, 1898 to Newmarket bs Dec 8. A nice early usage with ms protest <i>Two cents to Bombay but three cents to Bogart Town</i>. VF (see <i>Maple Leaves</i> Aug, 1972)." • ref (5): "1898 (December 8) Ontario Bank, Kingston cover with 1/2c Leaf, 1/2c Numeral and 2c Map with "Muddy Waters" effect, small corner fault, tied by Kingston / 1 / DE 8 / 98 squared circles (2nd day of issue) for 3c domestic letter rate; same-day Newmarket DE 8 98 CDS on back. The Imperial Penny Postage scheme was to be introduced December 25, 1898 and there was no intention to reduce the domestic letter rate from 3c to 2c, thus the writer's protest in manuscript "Two cents to Bombay but Three cents to Bogart Town". A very scarce and desirable second day usage, F-VF" • "protest" handwriting on cover: "Two cents to Bombay but three cents to Bogart Town" • latest reported date of hammer use on any stamp • note how Map stamp has oxidized from 1999 to 2019 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 14, #5, Whole #137, pg 122 (1972) 2. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 39 (1986) 3. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1072 4. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 4, #3, Whole #13, pg 120 (2003) (reprint of ref (1)) 5. Eastern Auctions November 2019 auction, Lot #525 6. Current owner personal communication



LAKEFIELD





The Lakefield post office opened in January 1856, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William Henry Casement (1875-1938). The Lakefield Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 20/94 and used with numeral time marks 1 and 2 (occasional blanks) from 2/MR 3/94 to 2/AP 23/05.

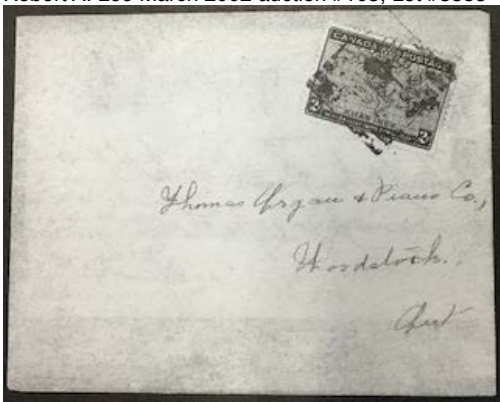
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2/JA 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pale blue envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.C. Sherin & Son, Lakefield, ONT. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs A. Bradshaw & Son, 7 Wellington St. East, Toronto, Ont..</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/JA 5/99</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2019</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/MR 29/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jas. Linton & Co., Bankers and Financial Agents, Lakefield, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq., Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/MR 29/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Lakefield cover MR 29'99 (H-1)" • ref (2): "ties #85 to c.c. cover. Stamp has tear. RF 20, only 1 recorded map cover." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #678</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #519</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

LEAMINGTON

The Leamington post office opened in June 1854, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John McR. Selkirk (1876-1920). The Leamington Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 6/94 and used from -/AU 9/94 to -/AU 16/99.


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???	CC	N	lot of 8 SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776
-/JA 4/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Kingsville, ONT</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "very fine strike tying deep blue copy to torn envelope (far at left) to KINGSVILLE ONT (four covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #720

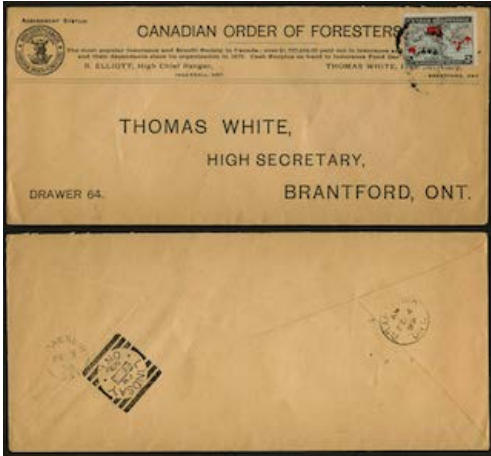

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-JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Traders Bank, Leamington, Ontario, Canada Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Cuddy Falls Co, Amherstburg, Ont Backstamp: AMHERSTBURG/ONT. CDS receiver dated JA 24/99 Other: • ref (2): "21 Jan 1899 strike on 2¢ Map cover with THE TRADERS BANK Leamington corner card. Addr to Amherstburg Ont (b/s). ONLY 4 MAP COVERS REPORTED." • incorrectly listed in ref (2) as JA 21 (partial 4 looks like a 1)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Eastern Auctions November 2017 Public Auction, Lot #1075 2. Vance Auctions January 2018 Sale #328, Lot #5412 3. Current owner personal communication 
-JA 31/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • J.B. Tuckwell, Prop., Hotel Exchange, Kingsville, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: F.P. Scratch Esq, Amherstburg, Ont Other: • ref (1): "nice strike ties #86 to nice 'HOTEL EXCHANGE, KINGSVILLE, ONT' c.c. cover. Small tear at left. RF 15, only 4 recorded map covers."</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #520 2. eBay 3. Current owner personal communication 
-AP ??/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Toronto P.O., Ont. Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 1/AP 10/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-MY 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: The Traders Bank of Canada pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels 2 Map stamps Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Traders Bank of Canada (pre-addressed), Toronto, Ont (manuscript) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/MY 3/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



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-/MY 31/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Addressee/Destination: Thomas Organ & Piano Co., Woodstock, Ont Backstamp: Woodstock, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "part lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to greeting card size cover to Woodstock, Ont. b/s, bit of perf. staining, sm. top edge tears. (RF 15). Only 4 map stamp covers recorded!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee March 2002 auction #103, Lot #3585</p> 





LINDSAY

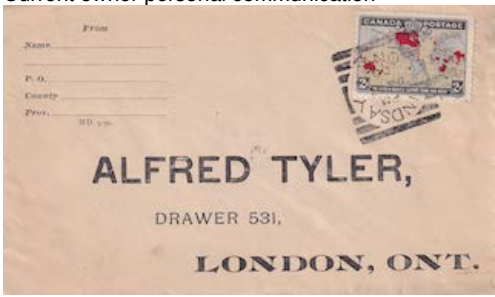
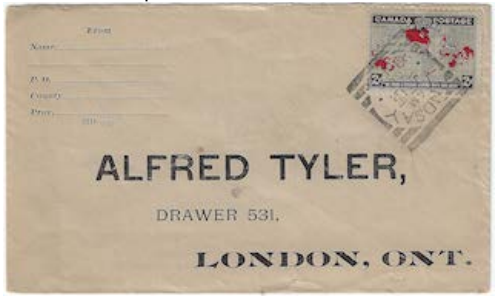
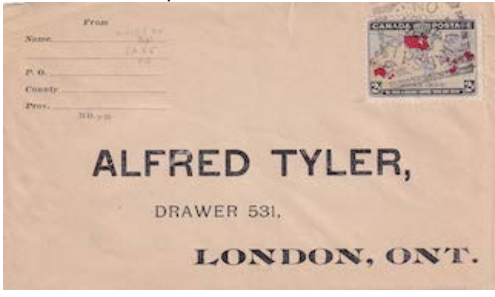
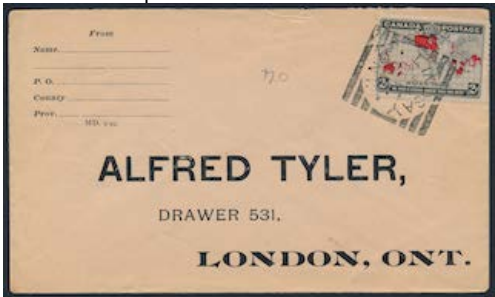
The Lindsay post office opened in 1836, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Henry Gladman (1875-1912). The Lindsay Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 23/93 and used from -/SP 27/93 to ?/FE ?/06. AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	lot of Ontario town cancels (9 covers & 6 fronts)	J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #661
???	C	N	lot of SC from 21 Ontario towns (90 stamps & 4 Map stamp covers)	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #483
???	C	N	lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
PM/DE 12/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (2, vertical pair, sideways) & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to England to DE 24/98 Addressee/Destination: M. Walter Morley, 15 Brownhill Gardens, Gatford S.E., London, England Backstamp: GATFORD/S.E. CDS receiver dated 6/ DE 21/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/FE 3/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed legal size envelope</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated, 1/3 top of cover advertising</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High Court of Canada/Canadian Order of Foresters seal with a Moose illustration • Canadian Order of Foresters, The most popular Insurance and Benefit Society in Canada; over \$1,727,434.00 paid out in insurance and ... and their dependents since its organization in 1879..." • Thomas White, High Secretary pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 blurry FLEETWOOD/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated -/FE ?/99 cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Fleetwood, ONT.</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thomas White, High Secretary, Drawer 64, Brantford, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FRANKLIN/ONT. Type A1 split circle transit strike dated FE 3/99 • LINDSAY/ONT. SC transit • BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/FE 4/99 <p>Other: see similar cover Stouffville FE 7/99</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2020</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 23/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
AM/AP 17/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/AP 17/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "lovely strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover to TORONTO/CANADA 22/AP 17/99 split circle b/s, bit of aging. (Z recorded on maps covers)" 	<p>Robert A. Lee March 1990 auction #59, Lot #1986</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/AP 18/99	CC	OP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SC cancels Map stamp (not tied), also 3¢ large queen not tied, on cross-border cover to Michigan • appears to be fake since cancels do not carry over onto envelope • also, 5¢ postage an unused rate except as an overpayment of a double weight letter 4¢ rate 	<p>Eastern Auctions January 2017 Mail Sale, Lot #1478</p> 
AM/AP 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 9-bar circular grids cancel Map stamp, 3¢ Numeral, and 1¢ Leaf (2, vertical pair)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Linden Valley, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Ont. Seedsman</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LINDEN-VALLEY.ONT./CANADA Type C4 split circle dispatch free strike dated AP 20/99 • straight line 'REGISTERED' <p>Backstamp: Lindsay SC transit</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "1¢ Leaf pair and 3¢ Numeral and 2¢ Map paying 7¢ registered rate from "LINDEN VALLEY CW CANADA/AP 20/99" split ring to Toronto. B/S Toronto and "LINDSAY/AM/AP 21/90/ONT" squared circle" • ref (2): "1¢ Leaf pair + 3¢ Numeral + 2¢ Map tied on reg'd AP 20'99 cvr. to Toronto (B/S), also with Lindsay squared circle B/S. F-VF" • ref (3): "Registered, #67 (X2), 78 and "MUDDY WATERS" variety of #85 pays the 2¢ letter rate + 5¢ reg fee on cover dated LINDEN-VALLEY/ONT cds AP20'99 (Victoria County 1879-1915) to TORONTO, routing via LINDSAY/ONT with sq.circle transit b/s, good town cancels and lovely franking, F-VF" • ref (4): "1899 REGISTERED 7¢ RATE, mixed franking 2¢ Map "MUDDY WATERS" variety + Leaf 1¢ (pair) + Numeral 3¢ pays the 2¢ letter rate + 5¢ registration fee, on cover from LINDEN-VALLEY-ONT on APR20'1899 (Victoria County 1879-1915), addressed to TORONTO with a LINDSAY-ONT squared-circle transit b/s, a scarce Ontario town origination and good franking, F-VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok October 1984 auction, Lot #685 2. J.A. Hennok April 1987 auction, Lot #538 3. Ron Leith auctions February 1997 public auction #19, Lot #1128 4. Ron Leith auctions February 2006 public auction #36, Lot #100 


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PM/MY 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sylvester Bros. M'fg Co., Lindsay, - Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.W. Caldwell, Esq, Port Hope, Ont (typewritten)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/OC 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: George Seymore Esq, c/o H.A. Seymore Esq, Washington, DC and redirected several times including to New Haven, CT</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: WASHINGTON, DC "3" duplex dispatch (from redirection post office) dated OCT 26/11AM/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WASHINGTON, D.C. 'flag' receiver dated ??/1899 NEW HAVEN/CONN. CDS receiver dated OCT27/2-30A/1899 oval 'RECEIVED 1' 	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 
PM/OC 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Col. Jones, Crown Land Department, Toronto</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> "Personal" crossed out in red <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/OC 29/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/NO 2/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "very fine slanting sideways" 	<p>Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1213</p>
PM/NO 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Msrrs Nuestis & Mills, Sussex, N.B.</p> <p>Other: light strike could be NO 23/99</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 



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PM/JA 12/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/JA 15/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 18/JA 15/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 25/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other: • ref (1): very fine inverted, tear, Tyler envelope”</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1212 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 26/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: • ref (1): “ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, v. It crease (RF 7.5, 7 map covers recorded)” • ref (2): “ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover, v. It crease. (Only 7 recorded strikes on Map covers)”</p>	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1992 2. Robert A. Lee June 1991 auction #63, Lot #1658</p>
PM/FE 1/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/FE 2/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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AM/AP 14/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Lindsay cover, AP 14'00 (H-7)" • ref (2): "lovely strike ties #85 to cover. RF 7.5, 7 recorded map stamps." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #682</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #522</p> <p>3. eBay</p> 



LISTOWEL



The Listowel post office opened in June 1856, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was W.H. Hacking (1856-1902). The Listowel Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 21/93 and used in Period 2 from OC/18/97 to AP/18/00. A 3-line date arrangement (MM/DD/YY) was used throughout, and numerals of 2-digit days are sometimes shifted far to the left and right.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	lot of 10 SC Map stamp covers (6 backstamps)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #278
???	C	N	lot of 21 SC Map stamp covers (5 backstamps & 7 fronts)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #279
JA/??/99	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card in brown-red ink</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morris-Feild-Rogers Co., Limited, Piano Manufacturers, Listowel, Ontario, Canada • illustrated with company crest <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 BERLIN/ONT. CDS dated JA14/99 cancel Map stamp, 2¢ purple Numeral & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Berlin, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messers the Morris Feild Rogers Co, Listowel, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 BERLIN/ONT. CDS free strikes dated JA14/99 • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamp: Listowel SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "2¢ Map plus 2 & 3¢ Numeral, all tied by BERLIN 4 JA '99 c.d.s. cancels to illustrated registered PIANO MANUFACTURERS advertising cover to LISTOWEL 2 diff. R.P.O.'s and squared circle receiver on reverse, v.f." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son March 2004 auction, Lot #2256</p> 

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JA/1 3/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Otto Higel Co. Limited, Toronto, Canada, Piano Actions, Keys & Hammers (factory and street scene) <p>Franking & Cancel: PARKDALE/TORONTO duplex "2" (DON-1815) dated 6 PM/JA 12/99 cancels the Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Morris, Feild, Rogers Co., Listowel, Ont (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: Listowel SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Clean Otto Higel piano makers cover mailed from Parkdale to Listowel, Ont., franked with single 2¢ Map with deep blue oceans and tied by Parkdale duplex "2" cancel, clear Listowel squared circle receiver backstamp. VF; ex. Vincent Graves Greene" 	<p>Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #266</p> 
JA/2 3/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Cor Adelaide & Jarvis Sts, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Listowel SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 13/JA 24/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Two sharp strikes error dated JA/2 3/99, one tying 2¢ to cover to Toronto. Rare, only 5 covers known." • ref (2): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts Collection, Lot # 501 2. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 3. Current owner personal communication 
JA/23/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP COVER to front, some red staining (RF 15, 5 map covers recorded)" 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1993</p>
JA/31/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "with two crisp strikes with indicia error, tying DEEP BLUE copy to fine cover to TORONTO. (five covers recorded)." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1719</p>

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FE/10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Ontario, Canada Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "clear strike tying No. 86 to cover. F+" • ref (2): "very fine strike tying deep blue copy with trifle age staining at perfs to very fine cover to TORONTO (five covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #110 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #721 3. eBay 4. Current owner personal communication 
FE/10/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: Morris-Feild-Rogers Co., Limited • Piano Manufacturers, Listowel, Ontario, Canada • company crest and writing in red ink Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: D. MacMillan Esq, Charlottetown, P.E.I. Postmarks on Obverse: Listowel SC free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: CHARLOTTETOWN/P.E.I. CDS receiver dated 2/FE 16/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
FE/10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs F. Robertson & Co., 20 Front St. West, Toronto, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "2¢ Map tied by "LISTOWELL ONT./FE/10/99" Sq. Circle to cover to Toronto. Only 5 covers recorded." • ref (2): "ties 2¢ Map on neat cvr. to Toronto (only 5 Map cvrs. recorded). Scarce, F-VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok June 1984 auction, Lot #763 2. J.A. Hennok December 1985 auction, Lot #557 3. Current owner personal communication 4. eBay June 2020 
FE/1 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Dr. A.J. Johnson, 52 Bloor St West, Toronto Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 13/FE 13/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay February 2019 2. Current owner personal communication 


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FE/1 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., 258 Dundas Street, London, Ontario Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 10/FE 15/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AP/1 3/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Cor Jarvis & Adelaide Sts, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Listowel SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) • ref (3): "very fine with additional free strike, to Rennie" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560 3. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1214 4. J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #483 5. Current owner personal communication 

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AP/1 4/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 KURTZVILLE/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated AP 12/99 cancel Map stamps (2) & 3c Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7c postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Kurtzville, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Seedsman Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KURTZVILLE/ONT. Type A1 split circle free strike dated AP 12/99 • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 KURTZVILLE/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated AP 12/99 • GOWANSTOWN/ONT. Type A1 split circle transit dated AP 14/99 • LISTOWEL/ONT. SC transit • STRAT. & WIARTON.M.C./No1 RPO CDS dated T. 2S/AP 14/99 (ON-534) • 2 PALMERSTON & KINCARDINE/M.C. RPO CDS dated N/AP 14/99 (ON-442) • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/AP 14/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "7c Registered Map Cover, sml flaws" 	<p>1. All Nations Stamp and Coin Auctions May 9, 2020 auction #1260, Lot #24</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AP/2 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/AP 25/99</p> <p>Other: the date is not completely obvious, could be AP 23</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 

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OC/13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Morphy & Carthew, Barristers, Etc., Listowel, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John Iddington Q.C., County Crown Attorney, Stratford, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> rectangular 'FILED/DEC 30 1899/JOHN IDDINGTON/Clerk of the Peace, Co. Perth' in purple STRATFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated B/OC13/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "Listowel cover, OC 13 '99 (H-5)" ref (2): "attr. Strike ties #86 to c.c. cover. Has centre fold. RF 15, only 5 recorded map covers." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #684 Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #523 Current owner personal communication 

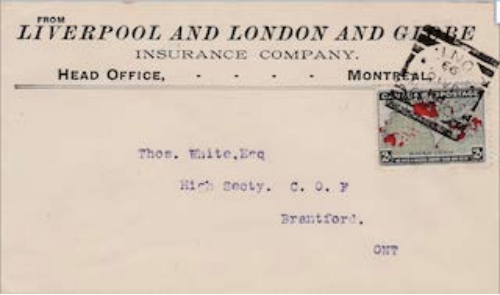
LITTLE CURRENT

The Little Current post office opened in July 1864, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Byron H. Turner (1896-1899) and John Young (1899-1916). The Little Current Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 22/94 and used from -/MY 25/94 to -/JY 24/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> journal reads: "...reports several relatively new acquisitions of Map stamp covers for SHANNONVILLE, ONT., LITTLE CURRENT, ONT. and THORNHILL, ONT. all first reported examples of these towns on Map covers." possibly the cover below? 	<i>Roundup Annex</i> , Vol 11, #1, Whole #49, pg 378 (1988)
-/JA 30/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: TORONTO Type "A" flag cancel dated JAN 27/19-0/1899 cancels the Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Byron Turner, Little Current, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Little Current SC receiver</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> eBay Current owner personal communication 

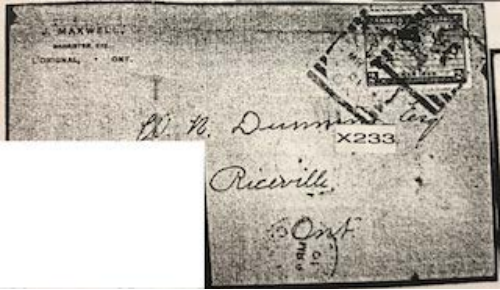
LONDON

The London post office opened in 1825, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were R.J.C. Dawson (1881-1899) and Thomas A. Browne (1899-1902). The Type 2 London Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 29/95 and used in Period 1 from AM/FE 1/95 to 17/FE 16/00. 1899 strikes are generally scarce. Nels Pelletier, when reporting his find of an off-cover Map stamp strike dated 24/FE 3/00 (*BNA Topics*, Vol 36, #4, Whole #372, pg 31 (1979)) said, "The London hammer had not been known during the map period, except for about a week in 1900". Based on this 1899 cover report, and the off-cover Map stamp strikes reported since Pelletier's article (PM/JA 21/99 and 7 strikes from 9/FE 3/00 to ?/FE 13/00), it is clear that the London hammer was in use during the Map stamp period in at least January 1899 and in early- to mid-February 1900.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company, Head Office, Montreal <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thos. White Esq, High Secty. C.O.F, Brantford, Ont (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: BRANTFORD/ONT CDS receiver dated AM/JA 11/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 20, #6, Whole #87, pg 1 (1998) Jack Gordon collection/notes eBay January 2016 Current owner personal communication 



L'ORIGINAL

The L'Original post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Miss Anna M. Wright (1898-1906). The L'Original Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 25/94 and used from -/JA 29/94 to -/DE 20/01, although strikes in 1899 are scarce.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR ??/01	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J. Maxwell, Barrister, Etc, L'Original, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.N. Du... Esq, Riceville, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: unreadable CDS</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "1901 Map cover. Stamp tied by "L'ORIGINAL/ONT." squared circle cancel. Various BS - return address "J. Maxwell, Barrister, etc./ L'Original, Ont." 2c Map creased thru cover, o/w fine. Only 4 covers reported for map stamp." note incorrect spelling for L'Original in listing and incorrect statement - 4 off-cover map stamps reported in Handbook #5 	<p>John H. Talman November 2010 auction #293, Lot #233</p> 

LUCKNOW

The Lucknow post office opened in July 1860, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Malcolm Campbell (1860-1901). The Lucknow Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used from -/JY 30/95 to -/SP 5/00.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons January 1961 auction #185, Lot #389
???	C	N	lot of 26 covers and 3 fronts	R. Maresch & Son November 1977 auction, Lot #654
???	C	N	lot of SC from 21 Ontario towns (90 stamps & 4 Map stamp covers)	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #483
-/DE 15/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (2) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to England</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.P. Fox Esqr, "Cambridge House", High Street, Portsmouth, Hampshire, England</p> <p>Backstamp: HAMILTON.CANADA CDS transit dated 12/DE 16/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 24/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: fancy cork cancels Map stamp (not tied, upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. Helen's, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. A.J. Wells, Greenfield Hill, Conn</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: ST.HELEN'S/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated JA 24/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lucknow SC transit • SOUTHPORT,CONN./REC'D CDS transit dated JAN/26/11AM/1899 • partial GREENFIELD HILL/CONN CDS receiver dated JAN/26/7PM/1898 (error for 1899) 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Sanders Pub Co, 358 Dearborn St, Chicago, Ill, U.S.A</p> <p>Backstamp: CHICAGO, ILL oval receiver dated FEB 8/9-AM/1899</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 
-/FE 11/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 14/FE 13/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: embossed seal corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bank of Hamilton, Hamilton, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Ontario Bank (pre-addressed), Toronto (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 14/MR 14/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "A very scarce squared circle, RF25, with only 3 copies reported in the handbook on cover. Dated April 24, 1899." 	<p>eBay February 2019</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 13/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 fancy cork strikes cancel Map stamps (2) & 3c Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7c postage paid the registered domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: St. Helen's, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 ST. HELEN'S/ONT Type A1 split circle dispatch dated MY 13/99 • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 additional St. Helen's split circle dispatch • 2 Lucknow SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/MY 15/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Florist, Toronto, Ontario</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) • ref (3): "two very fine overlapping strikes to Rennie, only (3)" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560 3. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1215 4. Current owner personal communication 

MANITOWANING



The Manitowaning post office opened in October 1846, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was H. McLaughlin (1897-1908). The Manitowaning Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 1/94 and used from -/SP 5/94 to 19/SP 28/00. Blank time marks were used except in 1900 where the indicia arrangement is a split year, 19/MM DD/00.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	journal states: "This is now known on map cover"	<i>Maple Leaves</i> , Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986)
???	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered, pre-addressed cover</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: Big Lake ONT split rings cancel Map stamps (2) & 1¢ Numeral (3)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Big Lake, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Rennie, Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: Manitowaning SC transit</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "backstamp on reg'd cover with 2¢ Map (2) + 1¢ Numeral (3) tied by Big Lake Ont split ring on Rennie cover to Toronto. No Map covers recorded with this squared circle -strike is G-VG" 	J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #668
-/AP 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Imperial Penny Postage letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. W.T. Wilson, 192 Birchfield Road, Birmingham, England</p> <p>Backstamp: BIRMINGHAM/19 CDS receiver dated 1.30PM/AP 21/99</p>	<p>1. Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 16/99	C	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Jack Gordon notes

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP ??/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed cover</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 MINDEMOYA/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated AP 25/99 cancel Map stamps (3, horizontal strip) & 1¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the registered domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Mindemoya, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: 3 additional MINDEMOYA/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strikes dated AP 25/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 additional Mindemoya dispatch split circles • Manitowaning SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/MY 2/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "AP 8/99 decipherable strike as TRANSIT mark on back of REGISTERED cover with three greyish copies and 1¢ Leaf to TORONTO (no covers recorded)." • the SC is a weak strike that is overlapped with one of the split circles and has an unreadable day but must be later than AP 25/99 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #722</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 23/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (barely ties)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: ? Stamp Co., Sherbrooke, N.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Manitowaning SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Manitowaning cover SP 23'99 (H-no covers reported)" • ref (2): "lovely bold free strike on cover w/#85 just tied by grid bar cancel. Some aging. Map on this cover is questioned, may not be the original stamp for the cover. RF 30, no recorded map covers." • ref (3): "slight edge toning, tied to envelope with Superb strike of MANITOWANING SC Sep 13, 1899 to Nova Scotia bs. F." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #690</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #530</p> <p>3. Charles G. Firby September 1995 auction, Lot #702</p> 

MARMORA



The Marmora post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Francis Carscallen (1894-1899) and John Hughes Shannon (1899-1922). The Marmora Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 9/94 and used from -/FE 25/94 to -/FE 9/03. No off-cover strikes of the Marmora Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 14/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Marmora SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ MR 15/99</p>	<p>1. eBay July 2015</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 19/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont (Dealer in seeds and plants)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Marmora SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) • ref (4): lot of 18 Ontario SC on Map stamp covers 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560</p> <p>3. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book)</p> <p>4. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250</p> <p>5. Current owner personal communication</p> 

-MY 20/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Rat Portage, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mrs. L.M. Barry, Marmora, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: RAT•PORTAGE/ONT. CDS dispatch dated MY 17/99 Backstamp: Marmora SC receiver Other: handwritten notes on the back: "Received Saturday May 20, 1899; Answered Thursday Nov 2, 1899; J.K.D."</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-JU 2/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card • Wm. Hughes, Dealer in Harness, Carriages, Implements, Etc., Marmora, Ont. Franking & Cancel: blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: D.B. Arrowsmith, Georgetown, Ontario Postmarks on Obverse: MARMORA/ONT. SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: GEORGETOWN/ONT. SC receiver dated -/JU 3/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

MARTINTOWN


The Martintown post office opened in 1825, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Andrew Foulds (1875-1899) and John M. McCallum (1899-1907). The Martintown Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 20/93 and used from -/JY 3/93 to -/5 SP/99. The normal date arrangement throughout was -/DD MM/YY and, in 1899, a single digit year is typical. No off-cover strikes of the Martintown Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.

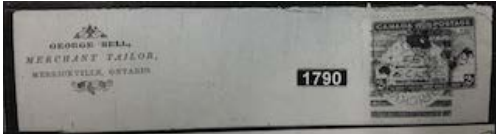
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/25 MR/9	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Martintown SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner Backstamp: no backstamps Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • ref (1): "This arrangement is most peculiar to begin with, but why the missing "9"?" • ref (3): "Martintown cover, 25 MR '9 (H-3)" • ref (4): "free strike on cover w/#85 not tied by grid bar cancel. Note year date error '9-'. Addressed to Toronto but no receiving b/s. RF 45, only 3 recorded." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 17, #6, Whole #174, pg 144 (1979) 2. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986) 3. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #691 4. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #531 5. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-128 6. eBay 7. Current owner personal communication 
-/25 AP/9	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered Franking & Cancel: 3 9-bar circular grids cancel Map stamps (3, sideways vertical triplet) & 1¢ Leaf (upside down) Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie., Toronto., Ont. Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Martintown SC dispatch free strike in bottom right corner • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lancaster PM/AP 25/99 transit • received Toronto AM/AP 26/99 <p>Other: single digit year</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. C.G. Firby and V.L. Wilson, "The Canadian Postal Letter Guide", pg 127 (1996) 2. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/27 AP/9	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 12-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: W. Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto Postmarks on Obverse: Martintown SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: partial split circle receiver with only '...NADA' showing Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • single digit year • ref (3): "2¢ tied by grids, fine strike 27 Ap '9-, 3 strikes known, VG" • ref (5): Map stamp oceans are pale blue in early 2000's but have oxidized to dark bronze by 2019 • ref (6): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 13 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #571 4. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-128 5. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 6. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 7. Current owner personal communication 

MERRICKVILLE



The Merrickville post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Samuel Jakes (1868-1912). The Merrickville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 12/94 and used from -/SP 19/94 to NO/29/02. AM/PM time marks with the normal 2-line date arrangement (XM/MM DD/YY) were used during the Map stamp period.

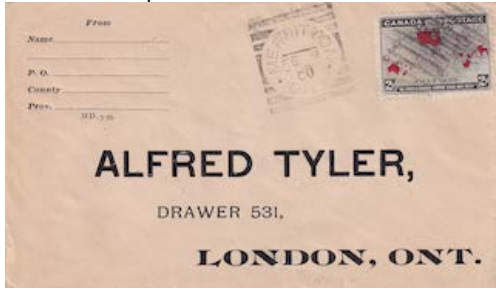

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/MR 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on Map stamps (86 stamps & 15 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #560 3. J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #484 4. Current owner personal communication 

AM/MY 23/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • George Bell, Merchant Tailor, Merrickville, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to c.c. cover to Toronto, some aging. (RF 20). Scarce on map covers!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee May 1997 auction #84, Lot #1790</p> 
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MERRITTON

The Merritton post office opened in January 1862, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. Mary Schooley (1885-1916). The Merritton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 29/94 and used from -/DE 6/94 to -/NO 14/02. No off-cover strikes of the Merritton Squared Circle hammer have been reported on the Map stamp.

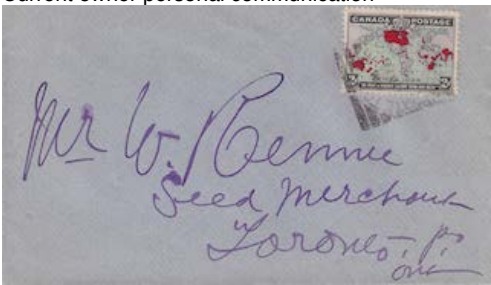



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 3/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Canadian Colored Cotton Mills Co., Merritton, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar oval grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs, The Ham. Stamp & Stencil Works, Hamilton, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Merritton SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "2¢ Tied by grid to a cover to Hamilton with a VF strike of Merritton, Ont., Ja.3'99, a tear in the cover at top (RF25) very scarce on a Map cover, VG" • ref (2): "nice cpt. free strike on c.c. cover w/2¢ MAP stamp #85 tied by grid bar cancel to Hamilton, cover has nicely repaired 15mm tear to the left of the cancel which does not detract. Handbook shows no recorded strikes on map stamps & only <u>one</u> on cover. RARE MAP ITEM!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.N. Sissons October 1988 auction of the Alex Csucs collection, Lot #215 2. Robert A. Lee May 1997 auction #84, Lot #1791 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/SP 30/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs Wm Jas Farrow, 204 Elmwood Ave, Traverse City, Michigan Postmarks on Obverse: Merritton SC barely ties the Map stamp but is essentially a dispatch free strike Backstamp: TRAVERSE CITY-MICH./REC'D. CDS receiver dated OCT/2/130PM/1899 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "lovely strike ties 2¢ MAP (bit oxidized) to cover to USA b/s, crease through stamp, reduced & repaired at right. ONLY RECORDED MAP COVER! (RF 25)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee October 2002 auction #106, Lot #3315 2. Bill Radcliffe collection 3. Current owner personal communication 




-/FE 9/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Merritton SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 16/00	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: smudgy circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Postmarks on Obverse: Merritton SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "The strike, dated My 16 '00, is a free strike on the front of a cover. The stamp is barely tied by a distinctly ugly killer, also observed on one or two other (non map) covers from this office" • ref (3): "Merritton cover MY 16'00 unique on Map. New Discovery (H-1)" • ref (4): "nice free strike on cover w/#85 barely tied by smudgy grid bar cancel. RF 25, the UNIQUE map cover" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 17, #6, Whole #174, pg 143 (1979) 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 24 (1982) 3. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #694 4. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #535 5. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-130 

MILTON WEST

The Milton West post office opened prior to 1842, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Solomon Hannant (1896-1901). The Milton West Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 29/95 and used from -/JA 31/95 to PM/SP 27/99. The PM time mark was used during the Map stamp period.

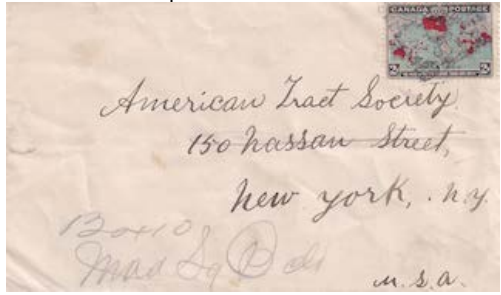
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?/JA 12/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, double weight Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamps (2) Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Brantford, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "#86. 2c Map 2 copies tied by Milton, Jan 12, 1899 sq circle. Addressed to Brantford & bs." 	Charles G. Firby February 2001 auction, Lot #876

Strike Date	Type	Scan	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr W. Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto PO, Ont Other: same correspondence as JA 20 and JA 21//99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr W Rennie, Seed Merch, Toronto PO Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Milton West cover, PM JA 20'99 (H-1)" • ref (2): "fair strike ties #86 to cover. RF 20, only 1 recorded map cover." • same correspondence as JA 18 and JA 21//99 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #696 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #536 3. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-131 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr W Rennie, Seed Merch, Toronto PO Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/JA 21/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Map stamp a major re-entry at plate position 1-A-89 • ref (1): "very fine strike tying blue copy to immaculate cover to TORONTO (one cover recorded)." • same correspondence as JA 18 and JA 20//99 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #723 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 31/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada. Postmarks on Obverse: Milton West SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle dated ?/JA 31/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Scan	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/AP 1/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C. Kloepper, Wholesale Carriage Goods, Guelph, Canada (purple-blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: GUELPH/ONT duplex (DON-691) dated A/AP 1/99 cancels the Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Guelph, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: M W McKenzie, Milton, Ont</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GALT/ONT. CDS transit dated AM/AP 1/99 • Milton West SC receiver 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 13/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thos Derian(?) Esq., Walkerton, Ontario</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Milton West SC barely ties the Map stamp so essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: WALKERTON/ONT. CDS receiver dated AP 15/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "-ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to WALKERTON/ONT AP 15/99 CDS b/s, has repaired torn back flap. <u>ONLY 1 RECORDED MAP COVER!</u>" • ref (2): "VF PM/AP 13/99 strike ties 2¢ Map stamp on neat cover to Walkerton Ont (b/s), extremely rare only one recorded on Map stamp" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee August 1988 auction #50 of Hansen/Davey Collection, Lot #956 2. J.A. Hennok December 2000 auction, Lot #436 3. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-131 4. Current owner personal communication 
PM/AP 21/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.J. McNabb, Division Court Clerk, Conveyancer, Insurance Agent, Etc., Acton, Ont. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Acton, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Registrar of Deeds, Registry Office, Milton, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: ACTON/ONT. SC dispatch free-strike dated -/AP 21/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GEORGETOWN/ONT. SC transit dated -/AP 21/99 • MILTON WEST/ONT. SC receiver <p>Other: unique cover with strikes from 3 different Squared Circle hammers</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


MOUNT BRYDGES

The Mount Brydges post office opened in November 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Henry A. Bartlett (1897-1938). The Mount Brydges Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 12/93 and used in Period 1 from -/SP 23/93 to -/MY 29/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: American Tract Society, 150 Nassau Street, New York, N.Y., U.S.A.; redirected to Box 10, Mad Sq ? Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "A Map cover was offered on eBay." • not specifically stated that this is the cover reported in the 2008 Roundup Annex 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 31, #1, Whole #114, pg 1 (2008) 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 




NIAGARA

The Niagara post office opened in November 1802, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Robert Warren (1861-1904). The Niagara Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 9/94 and used in Period 2 from -/MR 14/99 (on a Map stamp cover) to -/FE 23/02.

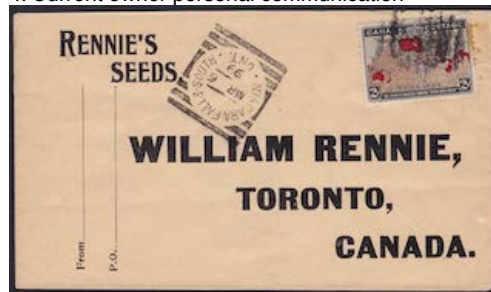
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 14/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Launcelot C. Servos, Hotel Royal Palm, Miami, Fla, U.S. Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • partial BUFFALO CDS transit • MIAMI/FLA. CDS receiver dated MR/17/9 AM/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "the first Map cover report, a tying strike, received from a dealer in Calif. It was in a group of Niagara Map covers, all cds, about the same period. The 99 revival of this hammer was very brief." 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 23, #1, Whole #98, pg 2 (2001) 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

NIAGARA FALLS SOUTH

The Niagara Falls South post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Abel Sand (1893-1902). The Niagara Falls South Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 25/94 and used from -/AU 29/94 to -/JA 7/02.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 2/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Wm. Hickman, Dorchester, NB Postmarks on Obverse: Niagara Falls South SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "free strike + v. lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to tiny cover to Dorchester N.B., some aging, crease, top edge of stamp w/perf. faults, back flap missing. Very scarce on Map covers." 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1993 auction #71, Lot #1297</p> 
-/JA 2/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Court Niagara Falls South, No. 532, C.O.F., Niagara Falls South, Ontario Franking & Cancel: very weak SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Thos. White Esq, H.S. C.O.F., Brantford, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Niagara Falls South SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 25/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, small cover Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Charles S. Hickman, Dorchester, New Brunswick Postmarks on Obverse: Niagara Falls South SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: DORCHESTER/N.B. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JA 27/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • red/purple wax seal on backflap • ref (1): "2¢ tied by grid, fine Ja 25'99 strike, 2 covers known." • ref (2): "Ex Pelletier (H-2)" • ref (3): "free strike on cover w/#86 tied by grid bar cancel. Top part of cancel is off the cover. Still a nice rarity! RF 30, only 2 recorded covers" • ref (4): "2¢ Tied by a grid to a cover to NB with a fine strike of Niagara Falls South, Ja.25'99 (RF30) very scarce on a Map cover, Fine" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #573 2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #699 3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #541 4. J.N. Sissons October 1988 auction of the Alex Csucs collection, Lot #216 5. Current owner personal communication 

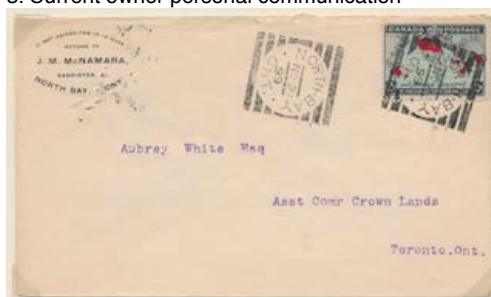
-/MR 6/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Niagara Falls South SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 11/MR 6/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "This cover, being the only recorded Map cover remains unique. The clarity of the strike is exceptional." • ref (2): Map stamp oceans pale blue in early 2000's and are bronze by 2019 • ref (3): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 34 (1982) 2. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 3. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 4. Current owner personal communication
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NORTH BAY

The North Bay post office opened prior to 1884, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William McDonald (1884-1907). The North Bay Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 19/93 and used from -/OC 21/93 to -/JU 28/00. Blank time marks were used with an occasional PM.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 28/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Halpenny & Co., Dealer in Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings, Etc., North Bay, Ont. (fancy border encloses advertising) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mess R.N. Scott & Co, Montreal, Q</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: North Bay SC dispatch free strike in top left corner</p> <p>Backstamp: received Montreal MR 29/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 6 SC Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #268 2. Current owner personal communication
-/NO 2/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.M. McNamara, Barrister, &c., North Bay, Ont <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Aubrey White Esq, Asst Comr Crown Lands, Toronto, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: North Bay SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): incorrectly reports date as -/NO 21/99 • ref (2): lot of North Bay SC (3 stamps & 5 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 35 (1982) 2. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3418 3. Current owner personal communication



-/DE 15/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs W.H. Gillard & Co, Hamilton, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: North Bay SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: HAMILTON CDS receiver dated DEC 16/18-0/1899 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "two very fine strikes, one tying deep blue copy to clean and very fine cover to HAMILTON (three covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #724 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
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ORILLIA

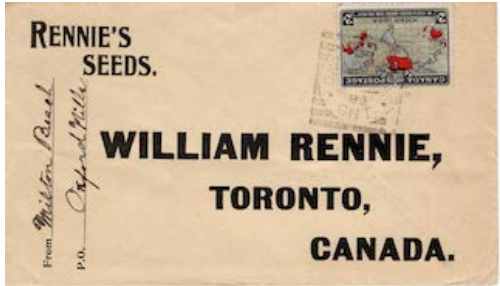
The Orillia post office opened in October 1835, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Melville Millar (1898-1905). The Orillia Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 20/93 and used from -/DE 23/93 to AM/NO 19/00. Both blank and AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/MR 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed postal stationery</p> <p>Advertising: Aetna Life Insurance Company pre-addressed postal stationery</p> <p>Franking & Cancel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 SC cancel Map stamps (2, one of them partially torn & missing), 1¢ Numeral & 3¢ postal stationery (EN10) • Map stamps were a vertical pair that was separated before attaching to the cover (Plating: 3-A-15/25) <p>Postage: 8¢ postage overpaid the domestic registered letter rate by 1¢</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Aetna Life Insurance Company, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 Orillia SC dispatch • partial TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated -7-R 21/9 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Orillia cover, MR 12'99 four strikes on face & three on back. Tie 1¢ Numeral & 2 Maps to a three cent piece of stationery. Fabulous (H-1)" • note that ref (1) incorrectly lists this cover as MR 12/99 • ref (2): "light strikes tie 2X#85 + 1¢ Numeral to pstl. stry. Cover EN10 REG'D to Toronto. Has Orillia, Ont CROWN wax seal on back. One map stamp dmg'd., has sm. stain on front of cover. Still a lovely, unique item! RF 25, one 1 recorded cover" • red ORILLIA/ONT crown wax seal on back, the only example known (ref 4) • ref (4): "...with a rather interesting example of four Orillia squared circles cancelling a map stamp etc. The Orillia PO must have considered this as a Very Important Letter (a VEL? A newword?) as they also affixed the "official" Orillia crown wax seal and three more (!) squared circles on the back. This is a new listing to our Appendix 4a, Crown wax Seals" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #701 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #543 3. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 70 (2004) 4. <i>BNAPS Fancy Cancel Newsletter</i>, #76, pg 4 (2017) 5. Current owner personal communication



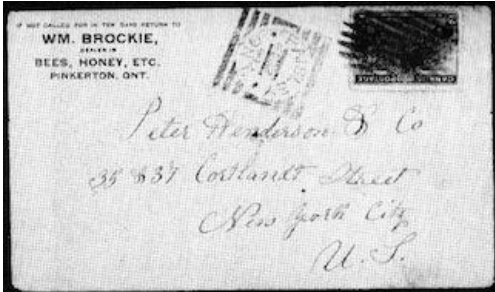
OXFORD MILLS




The Oxford Mills post office opened in July 1852, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William Lindsay (1887-1908). The Oxford Mills Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/94 and used from -/AU 29/94 to -/JY 4/05.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MERRICKVILLE/ONT. CDS transit dated MY/2/99 • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/MY 3/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "It. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to TORONTO/CANADA 9/MY 3/99 split circle b/s. ONLY 2 RECORDED MAP COVERS! RF 35" • ref (2): "It. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover to TORONTO/CANADA MY 3/99 split circle b/s. (RF 35, only 2 recorded map covers)" • ref (3): "It. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to Rennie return envelope to Toronto, MY 3/99 b/s, sm flap tear. (RF 35). Only 2 recorded map covers!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee September 1989 auction #56 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1376 2. Robert A. Lee March 1990 auction #59, Lot #1994 3. Robert A. Lee March 2002 auction #103, Lot #3601 4. Current owner personal communication 

PAISLEY

The Paisley post office opened in February 1856, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. Mary A. Saunders (1883-1917). The Paisley Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 9/94 and used from -/MR 15/94 to -/OC 1/00.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 22/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wm. Brockie, Dealer in Bees, Honey, Etc., Pinkerton, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Peter Henderson & Co., 35 & 37 Courtlandt Street, New York City, U.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Paisley SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "Paisley, during the Map era, is found almost exclusively as a free strike on cover." • ref (3): "very fine strike with bluish copy tied by grid to fine cover from PINKERTON ONT to N.Y. (six covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jim Hennok collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 37 (1982) 3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #725 




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 8/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq., Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Paisley SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/AP 11/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Paisley SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 14/AP 12/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 2000 auction, Lot #452 2. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/AP 18/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Paisley SC barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ tied by VF Ap 18'99 strike, some damage to stamp at top, 8 strikes known" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #575 





Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JY ??/00	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: VESTA/ONT Type A1 split circle dated JY 3/00 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Vesta, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. W.H. Gillard, Hamilton</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: 2 VESTA/ONT Type A1 split circle dated JY 3/00 (note the 3 different indicia set-ups in the 3 split circle postmarks - the postmaster must have had some difficulty setting up the indicia!!)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • very weak Paisley SC transit (only '...SLEY/...' visible) • HAMILTON CDS receiver dated JAN 4/13-0/00 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • part of a lot of 722 covers from Bruce County, Ontario 	<p>Sparks Auctions June 2020 sale #33, Lot #1152</p> 


PARIS

The Paris post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Peter H. Cox (1892-1911). The Paris Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 29/93 and used from 2/JU 30/93 to ?/SP 12/00. Time marks A-D were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
A/DE 19/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1c Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. J. Springate, 99 Bay St. South, Hamilton, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS dated ?/DE 19/3</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


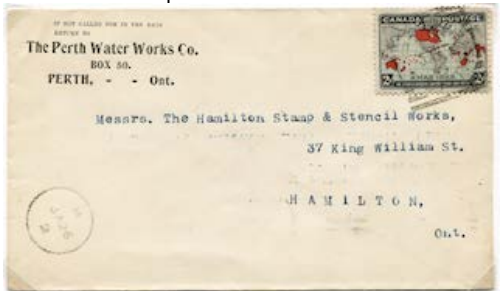
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
B/?? ??/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Jno. Springate Junr, 104 Pearl St. S., Hamilton, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: illegible postmaster CDS Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • illegible month/day in SC cancel • ref (2): lot of Paris SC on Map stamps (4 stamps & 1 cover) 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #576</p> 
C/JA 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • The Penman Manufacturing Co.(Limited), Paris, Ontario Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: A. Bradshaw & Son., Toronto (typewritten) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/JA 4/99</p>	<p>1. eBay February 2019 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
B/JA 11/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, #10 envelope Advertising: corner card • Court Charity, C.O.F., No. 203, Paris, Ont., Jas.Maltus, Geo Hoffman (manuscript), Secretary Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamps (2) Postage: 4¢ postage paid double the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Thomas White Esq, High Secty C.O.F., Brantford, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current owner suggests time mark looks more like and '8' than a 'B' 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


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B/JA 19/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Auburn Mills, W.H. Meldrum, King of Patents, Gladioli Flour, Peterboro, Ont. • advertising enclosed within a bag of flour in blue with red striping <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: C.E. Creighton Esq, Halifax, N.S., (typewritten) redirected to Dartmouth (manuscript) Postmarks on Obverse: 'PAUL CREIGHTON' handstamp Backstamp: DARTMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated JA 23/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • date matched TM with cover below • back cover torn and held together with 2 hinges • one hinge remnant on back • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
D/JA 19/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dominion Hammock Co., Manufacturers of High Grade Woven Hammocks, Baby Cradle Hammocks, Counterpanes, School Bags & Portieres, Paris, Ontario, P.O. Box "73" <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Sons, 53 Bay St., Toronto Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • date matched TM with cover above • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
A/JA 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paul L. Scott, Druggist & Optician, Paris, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Dominion Paper Box Co, Toronto, Ont Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 14/JA 20/99 Other: full back cover writeup advertises the residential amenities and industrial activities of the town</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
D/JA 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canadian Hammock Mfg. Co. Ltd., Paris, Ont., Canada. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Wm Croft & Sons, 53 Bay Street, Toronto, Ont. (typewritten)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
B/AP 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: The Penman Mfg. Co. (Limited), Paris, Ontario (name of company crossed out)</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.A. Chapman Esq, Box 72, Rocky Hill, Conn</p> <p>Backstamp: ROCKY HILL, CONN./REC'D. CDS receiver dated APR/4/1899/5 PM</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

PERTH


The Post Offices and Postmasters website of Library and Archives Canada does not list the opening date of the Perth post office opened, nor the postmaster during the Map stamp period. The Perth Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 30/94 and used from -/JA 31/94 to -/JY 6/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs A Bradshaw & Son, 7 Wellington St. East, Toronto</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lot of 11 Map stamp covers (all cancel types) 	<p>CPS of GB October 2019 Convention Auction, Lot #9</p> 
-/JA 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Perth Water Works Co., Box 50, Perth, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. The Hamilton Stamp & Stencil Works, 37 King William St., Hamilton, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: blurry postmaster CDS</p> <p>Backstamp: received Hamilton JA 26/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): incorrectly lists date as JA 26/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #483 2. Current owner personal communication 

-/OC 25/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated advertising back</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hick's House, Perth, Ont., John Wilson, Proprietor, E.T. Williamson, Manager • full back illustrated with hotel and street scene in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs Annie Hamilton, Yarmouth, N.S. Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM7/30 OC/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
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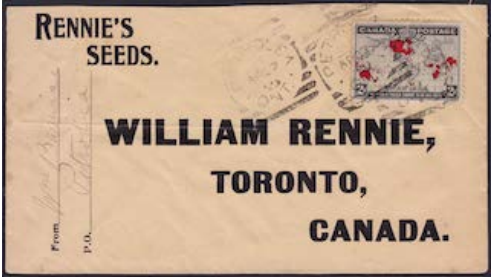
PETROLEA

The Petrolea post office opened in April 1859, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Patrick Barclay (1863-1902). The Petrolea Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 9/94 and used from -/FE 14/94 to -/MY 16/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 25/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: Franking & Cancel: WIARTON/ONT. CDS dated JA 24/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Wiarton, ONT Addressee/Destination: Miss Rilla Crysler, Petrolea, Ontario Backstamp: Petrolea SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • includes letter • ref (1): "ft. strike as receiving b/s on cover w/2¢ MAP STAMP tied by WIARTON/ONT JA 24/99 CDS. Only 3 reported MAP STAMP covers!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee February 1986 auction #37, Lot #1280 2. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #521 3. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale #91, May 2017, Lot #1098 4. Current owner personal communication 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 13/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.C. Wilson Patriotic multi-coloured cover (WLS-E06 Type I; Anglo-Saxon, One Aim, One Goal, Gloria Mundi) <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss H.C.M. Reid, Powhatan, Baltimore Co., Maryland, U.S.A.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Petrolea SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BALTIMORE,MD/REC'D CDS transit dated FEB15/830PM/99 POWHATAN,STA BALT.M.C./REC'D CDS receiver dated FEB 16/730AM/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> several hinge remnants on back cover ref (1): "Single, tied by grid & dated by Petrol, Ont., Fe.13'99 Squared circle [RF10] to a 'Gloria Mundi' multicoloured Patriotic cover to the US, some wearing, faults & soiling but scarce." ref (2): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<p>1. Brigham September 2001 auction, Lot #873</p> <p>2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/MR 24/99	CC & DO	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Petrolea SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "free strike + 2nd strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, bit of edge toning (RF 10, 3 map covers recorded)" ref (2): "free strike + 2nd strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover (Only 3 recorded Map stamp covers)" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1998</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee June 1991 auction #63, Lot #1672</p>
-/MR 25/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Petrolea SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>









Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 12/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Willam Rennie, Toronto, Canada. Postmarks on Obverse: Petrolea SC dispatch barely ties left side of Map stamp so is essentially a free strike Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/AP 13/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Petrolea cover AP 12'99 Ex Lewis (H-3)" • ref (2): "two strikes tie #86 to cover w/some light wrinkles and small tear at left. RF 10, but only 3 recorded map covers." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #704 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #545 3. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-144 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 27/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Postmarks on Obverse: Petrolea SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/AP 27/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

PICTON

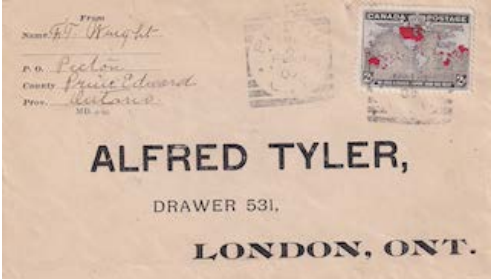
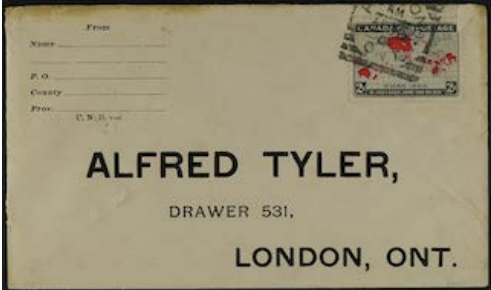
The Picton post office opened in 1821, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Thomas Shannon (1873-1899). The Picton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 28/94 and used from 2/JY 31/94 to AM/AP 28/00. During the Map stamp period, numeral time marks 1 and 2 were used until 1/JA 3/00, and then AM/PM were used. First reported in 1896, the decade "9" is often misshapen/damaged resembling an inverted "5". Occasionally the time mark 2 is cocked at an angle leaning to the right.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	6 cover lot	Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1436
???	C	N	lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
2/JA 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Delaney, Black River Bridge, Ont Backstamp: BLACK RIVER BRIDGE/ONT Type A1 split circle receiver dated 9/AP 5/99JA 7/99</p>	<p>All Nations Stamp and Coin November 2019 auction #1237, Lot #43</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
2/JA 27/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The John H. Allan Seed Company, Picton, Ont. (large green pea pod) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: John Lewis Childs, Floral Park, New York Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> first 9 in 99 appears as an inverted 5 ref (1): "blue, fine, tied by PICTON ONT 27 JA '98 Squared Circle to coloured illustrated PEA advertising cover to New York, clean and very fine." Incorrectly reported as JA/98 - blurry '99' 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son June 2003 auction, Lot #2015 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/MR 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., 258 Dundas Street, London, Ontario Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> first 9 in 99 appears as an inverted 5 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
1/MR 13/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J. Burns, Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Paints and Oils, Guns and Fishing Tackle, Picton, - Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Addressee/Destination: Mess W Croft & Son, Bay St, Toronto, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> first 9 in 99 appears as an inverted 5 same correspondence as MR 21/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
5/MR 21/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.D. Burns, Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Paints and Oils, Guns and Fishing Tackle, Picton, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mess Wm Croft & Sons, 53 Bay St, Toronto, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> first 9 in 99 appears as an inverted 5 inverted 5 in TM for 2 (this is not very obvious) according to Handbook #5, the 'inverted 5' indicia error should only be found on MR 22/99 same correspondence as MR 13/99 	<p>1. Jack Gordon notes/collection 2. Roundup Annex, Vol 19, #6, Whole #80, pg 1/2 (1997) 3. eBay 4. Current owner personal communication</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
5/MR 28/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> inverted 5 in TM for 2 according to Handbook #5, the 'inverted 5' indicia error should only be found on MR 22/99 	Current owner personal communication
2/AP 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: advertising cover • The John H. Allan Seed Company, Picton, Ont. (large green pea pod) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Toronto, Ont (Seedsman) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/AP 5/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> first 9 in 99 appears as an inverted 5 ref (1): "fair strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #86 to nice 'H. ALLAN SEED Co., PICTON ONT.' illustr. black & green ink adv. cover to Toronto. Bit of stain LR corner. PICTON MAP stamp covers are rare, only 5 recorded covers" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee August 1983 auction #28, Lot #595 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
2/AP 5/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: assumed domestic Advertising: advertising cover • The John H. Allan Seed Company, Picton, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "ties Map to "Allan Seed" advertising cover. Only five Map covers known. Light but clear strike. Slightly cut down at L. F." 	John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #112
2/JU 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: R. Carson pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: R. Carson, Wholesale Grocer, Kingston, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "fine light strike, printed envelope to Kingston, bit rumbled" 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1218 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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2/SP 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Sons, 53 Bay St, Toronto Backstamp: partial TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 24/SP 20/--</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
3/OC 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Undecipherable addressee, town in Ontario</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
2/NO 14/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: USA Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Picton cover NO 14'99 (H-5)" • ref (2): "nice strike ties bit oxidized #85 to cover to USA w/bit of cover aging. RF 10 but only 5 recorded map covers." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #706 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #546</p>
PM/JA 30/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
AM/JA 31/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/FE 1/00	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Picton SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "While the use of PM is well documented in 1900, no map collector has any recollection of this timemark on map." • ref (2): "Picton cover FE 1'00 (H-5)" • ref (3): "two strikes, one ties #85 to cover. RF 10, 5 recorded covers." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 17, #6, Whole #174, pg 144 (1979) 2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #707 3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #547 4. eBay 5. Current owner personal communication 
AM/AP 16/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 

PORT ARTHUR



The Port Arthur post office opened in November 1869, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William S. Beaver (1897-1921). The Port Arthur Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 13/94 and used in Period 1 from -/FE 17/94 to -/DE 16/05. The time mark was blank until JU 16/99 when the use of the AM time mark began.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 28/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: corner card (handstamp) • W. Russell Brown, D.P.A. 284S P.A. 104, Port Arthur, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Geo. A. Hunt Esq, Woburn, Mass Postmarks on Obverse: partial Port Arthur SC dispatch free strike on bottom edge of cover</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



-/AP 9/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: recycled, cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> corner card: W. Russell Brown, D.P.A. 48, L. of C.P. 11, L.P.A. 104, Port Arthur, Ont (handstamp in purple ink) backflap advertising: Gordon, Ironside & Fares, Abattoir & Cold Storage, Winnipeg, Man. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Herbert Gile Esq, 33 Howard St., Melrose Highlands, Mass</p> <p>Backstamp: MELROSE HIGHLAND STA, REC'D./MEL., MASS. CDS receiver dated APR/12/230PM/1899</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2018</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/OC 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Delineator Publishing Co., 33 Richmond St West, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: partial TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/-C 6/-9</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




PORT HOPE


The Port Hope post office opened in 1817, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was E.J. Baird (1878-1929). The Port Hope Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 16/95 and used from -/MR 17/95 to -/MY 17/0o. In 1900, the second '0' in the year appears as a small 'o'.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #489
???	UR	N	lot of 4 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #490
???	C	N	2 covers in a lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
-/JA 2/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • William Bryce, Importer of Fancy Goods, Publisher of Books, Games, Etc., 31 Front Street West, Toronto, Canada Franking & Cancel: TORONTO Bickerdike Type 'C' flag dated JAN 1/19-0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: L.B. Randall, Port Hope, Ontario Backstamp: Port Hope SC receiver Other: • ref (1): "January 1, 1899 First Day of Lowered 2c Domestic Rate, a William Bryce corner card cover mailed Toronto (Bickerdike flag) to Porte [sic] Hope (JAN.2 squared circle receiver on back). Christmas day 1898 fell on a Sunday, and many people purposely mailed their letters on that day, but when it comes to January 1st, also a Sunday, far fewer people mailed on that day, and as result fewer than 10 covers are know dated that day with this franking. Very fine. Ex. Bain and Fawn."</p>	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #354 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: P.H. Harty Esqr, Lighthouse Inspector, Marine Department, Ottawa, Canada Other: • auction listing: "Envelope, reduced at left, franked with well entered 2¢ Map and tied by clear Port Hope, Ont (-/JA 3/99) Type II squared circle, addressed to Ottawa, only three covers bearing the Map stamp are known with this postmark, rare thus, F-VF."</p>	<p>Eastern Auctions October 2009 auction of the Roger Boisclair collection, Lot #432</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 11/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: advertising cover with unknown advertising Franking & Cancel: MONTREAL flag cancel dated JAN 10/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: Port Hope, ONT Backstamp: Port Hope SC dated -/JA 11/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "No. 86. 2c Map tied by Montreal Jan. 10, 99 flag cancel to slightly cut down and bit faulty advertising cover. B-S with "Port Hope Ja 11 99" sq. circle cancel." 	John H. Talman April 1978 auction #5/6, Lot #163
-/JA 11/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The London Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Canada, London, Ont. in red ink • illustration of office and street scene <p>Franking & Cancel: LONDON/CANADA 3-ring orb dated 14/JA 10/99 cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: London, ONT Addressee/Destination: Thos. Long Esq, Agent, Port Hope, Ont. Backstamp: PORT HOPE/ONT. SC receiver dated -/JA 11/99</p>	<p>1. eBay August 2020 1. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 21/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Toronto, ONT Addressee/Destination: Port Hope, ONT Backstamp: Port Hope SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "with very fine strike as arrival mark on back of fine cover from TORONTO. (three covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1720
-/JA 22/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated cover Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: Port Hope, ONT Backstamp: Port Hope SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "with bold strike as arrival mark on reverse of fine illustrated cover from MONTREAL. (three covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1721


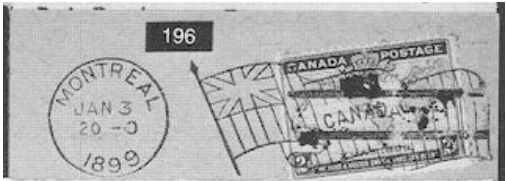

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-/FE ?/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial Agency of the United States of America, Port Hope, Ontario (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Colonial Stamp Co., J.H. Lyons, Manager, 345A Washington St., Boston, Mass.</p> <p>Backstamp: received Boston FE 10/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to Port Hope c.c. greeting size cover to USA, some aging. (RF 10, only 3 recorded map covers)" ref (2): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Robert A. Lee November 1989 auction #58 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1862 Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 Current owner personal communication 
-/FE 4/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, ratty/re-used envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 MOOSOMIN/ASSA CDS strikes dated JA 31/99 cancel Map stamps (2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the 2 Map stamps were a horizontal pair that were separated before attaching to the cover plating positions 2-A-91 and 2-A-92 <p>Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Moosomin, ASSA</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Port Hope Stamp Co, Port Hope, Ont., Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: blurry Port Hope SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


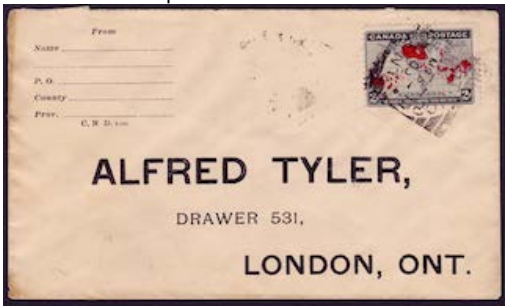
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 7/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Lifford, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs Margret Marvin, John St, Port Hope</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: LIFFORD/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated FE 6/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PETERBORO/ONT. CDS transit dated 4/FE 6/99 • Port Hope SC receiver 	<p>BNAPEX 2017 dealer stock</p> 
-/FE 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to the USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. John Wilson, No 4 Woodside Avenue, Jamaica Plains, Boston, Mass</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BOSTON, MASS oval duplex dated FEB 9/5 PM/1899 with a rectangular fancy cancel • JAMAICA PLAINS RECEIVED/BOSTON, MASS. CDS receiver dated 99/11 PM/FEB 9 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 18/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: TORONTO Type "B" flag dated FEB 17/23-0/1899 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J.W. Shinlon Esq, Port Hope, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Port Hope SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 6/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: BRANTFORD/ONT CDS dated MR 6/99 cancels the Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Brantford, ONT Addressee/Destination: Port Hope, ONT Backstamp: Port Hope SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "BACKSTAMP MR 6'99 (H-3)" • ref (2): "choice strike as receiving b/s on cover w/ #85 tied by BRANTFORD, ONT MR 6/99 CDS. RF 10 but only 3 recorded map covers." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #708 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #549</p>
-/AP 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • W. Craig & Son, Port Hope, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Thomas Organ & Piano Co., Woodstock, Ont. Backstamp: Woodstock, ONT receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP to c.c. cover to Woodstock, Ont. b/s, sl. reduced at left, aging. Only 3 recorded MAP covers!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee October 2002 auction #106, Lot #3333 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 1/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall pre-addressed cover Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., London, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "ties 2¢ Map on G Marshall & Co London Ont cover, some water staining on lower part of cover, only 3 covers recorded, scarce" 	<p>J.A. Hennok March 1991 auction, Lot #590</p>

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-/AP 5/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: fancy cork cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Elizabethtown, ONT Addressee/Destination: Goold, Shapley & Muir Co, Limited, Brantford, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: ELIZABETHVILLE/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated AP ??/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Port Hope SC transit • BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/AP 6/99 <p>Other: the dispatch split circle is not completely clear but Elizabethtown is likely since the routing via Port Hope to Brantford makes sense</p>	<p>1. eBay June 2020 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: GARDEN HILL/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated AP 21/99 cancels the Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Garden Hill, ONT Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Port Hope SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/AP 21/99 	<p>eBay</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 25/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: GARDEN HILL/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated AP 25/99 cancels the Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Garden Hill, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: GARDEN HILL/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated AP 25/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Port Hope SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 2?/AP ?/99 	<p>eBay</p> 
-/JU 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. E.G. Quantz Esq, Organist &c., Guelph, Ont. Backstamp: no backstamps Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2,3,4) lists as -/JU 23/99 - date not clear, could be 25 • ref (6) lists as -/AU 25/99 • missing side flap 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bow City Philatelics April 2005 Sale #69, Lot #778 2. Bow City Philatelics October 2012 Sale #82, Lot #519 3. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #452 4. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale #90, Jan 2017, Lot #714 5. Bow City Philatelics November 2017 auction of the Mercator collection, Lot #328 6. Bow City Philatelics February 2019 Sale #94, Lot #1572 
-/SP 15/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "#86. 2c Map tied by Port Hope, Sept 15, 1899 sac (only 3 reported on Maps) to neat & pristine cover to London, Ont." 	<p>Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776</p>


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-/SP 20/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: MONTREAL flag (Die 2) dated SEP 19/19-0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: J.S. Hamly Esq, Port Hope, Ont (P.O. Dept) Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P.O. Box 2377, Montreal, Canada handstamp on back flap in purple • Port Hope SC receiver 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/NO 4/99	RR	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: MONTREAL flag dated JAN 3/20-0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Montreal, QUE Addressee/Destination: Port Hope, ONT Backstamp: Port Hope SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Not too clear strike NO 4 '99 used as b/s on clean cover from Mtl. With 2¢ Map cancelled by sharp flag -- most attractive" 	<p>Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts collection, Lot #196</p> 
-/DE 2/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Owen Sound, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1) & (2): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to cover to Owen Sound, Ont., bit of aging, slightly reduced at rt. (RF 10). Very scarce on Map cover!" • ref (3): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to Owen Sound, Ont., some aging. (RF 10). RARE ON MAP COVER!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1145 2. Robert A. Lee September 1994 auction #76, Lot #1145 3. Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1912 




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?/DE 22/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A. Smith, General Merchant, Campbellcroft, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp & 5¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Campbellcroft, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: R.N. Scott & Co., 196 & 198 McGill St., Montreal</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • straight-line 'REGISTERED' • CAMPBELLCROFT/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated DE 22/99 <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Port Hope SC transit • MONTREAL-CANADA barred circle receiver dated DE 23 N12/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • appears to be the remnants of a wax seal on the back flap • some sort of 'ornament' appears in the time mark slot of the Port Hope SC • ref (1): "85 (True Lavender) + 79, A.SMITH MERCHANT crn card, REGISTERED H/S CAMPBELLCROFT DE 22/99 ONT Spl. cir. B/S Super PORT HOPE SQ. cir, MONTREAL Precursor DE 23/N12/99. F-VF 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics March 2003 Sale #63, Lot #507</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 5/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: partial LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 6/MR 6/--</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one small zero in year • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, bit of edge toning (RF 10, 3 map covers recorded)" • ref (2): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, bit of aging (Only 3 recorded Map stamp covers)" • ref (3): "bit lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to cover to London, Ont., some edge aging, note sm. 'o' in year date. (RF 10). Very scarce on Map cover!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #1999</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee June 1991 auction #63, Lot #1674</p> <p>3. Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1913</p> <p>4. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #453</p> <p>5. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 6/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "large part of strike tying grayish copy to fine cover to TORONTO (three covers recorded)." • one small zero in year? 	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #726</p>


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-/MR 7/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one small zero in year 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

POWASSAN

The Powassan post office opened in December 1886, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Andrew H. Porter (1891-1910). The Powassan Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -AP 29/95 and used from -/MY 10/95 to -/JAN 8/06.



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-/JA 12/99	UO	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: this cover is possibly the -/JA 12/00 cover below with the year reported incorrectly?</p>	Jack Gordon notes
-/JA 19/99	UO	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Other: this cover is possibly the -/JA 19/00 cover below with the year reported incorrectly?</p>	Jack Gordon notes
-/MR 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ MR 23/99</p>	<p>1. eBay 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 29/--	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: George Marshall Co., London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Powassan SC strike barely ties the Map stamp so is essentially a dispatch free strike</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 12/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SC cancels Map stamp • Ottawa fancy crown receiver (Jarrett #853, Lacelle #1284) also cancels Map stamp <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. W.H.A. Fraser, 135 McLaren St, Ottawa</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover front to Ottawa, stamp also has SON Ottawa crown cancel. New sq. circ. roster reports only one known example on Map cover, this is thought to be the one! A SQUARE CIRCLE RARITY!" • ref (2) incorrectly lists cover as JA 17/00 • same correspondence as JA 19/00 cover • Lacelle #1284 is known to be faked, but in this case is likely a late usage of the hammer that was used as an incoming obliterator/receiver (to cancel the Map stamp that was perceived to be incorrectly canceled with a dater) • <i>PHSC Journal</i> (#97, pg 8, March 1999) states "Strikes recorded canceling DLO mail and re-canceling lightly cancelled mail directed to Ottawa", so the latter could be the case here • however, John T. Anders, noted Map stamp collector has commented on the Ottawa crown cancels (in his 2002 ORAPEX Exhibit) and noted differences between genuine copies (the diameter of circle is 22mm, and the centre ornament at the base of the crown is a short rectangle 2mm long) and fake copies (circle diameter 20.5mm or less, centre ornament at the base 2.8mm) • based on this information, the example here would fall into the fake category 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee March 2002 auction #103, Lot #3609 2. eBay July 2018 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/JA 19/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. W.H.A. Fraser, 135 McLaren Street, Ottawa</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "It. strike ties MAP stamp to cover front only to Ottawa. (RF 30, this would be 2nd reported example on Map cover!)" • same correspondence as JA 12/00 cover 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #2116 2. Current owner personal communication 





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-/AP 5/04	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 oval 'R' postmarks cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Edward (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Master Louis Porter, c/o John Selleck Esq, Box 15, Kemptville, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • Powassan SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner of cover <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "bit lt. free strike on reg'd cover front only, w/2¢ MAP + 5¢ Edw. tied by 'R' in oval h/s's to Keptville, Ont. Rare sq. circ. on Map stamp cover, handbook shows only one recorded example!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee June 2004 auction #110, Lot #1630</p> 

PRESCOTT

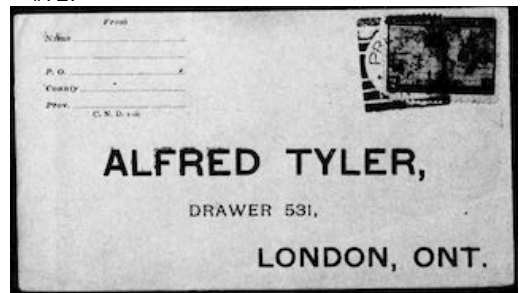
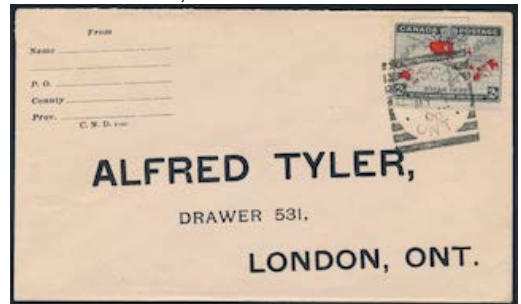
The Prescott post office opened prior to 1831, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Dowsley (1872-1904). The Prescott Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 26/93 and used from -/AU 2/93 to -/FE 23/01.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 6 SC Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #268
???	CC	N	lot of 8 SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776
-/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.P. Wiser & Sons, Limited, Distillers of Highwines, Whiskies and Alcohol, Prescott, Ont. Canada (red ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H. Lanter, Esq, Corner West Washington & Harding Sts, Indianapolis, Ind</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'RECEIVED/1' • INDIANAPOLIS/IND CDS receiver dated J? ??/1-AM/1899 	<p>eBay</p> 
-/JA 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed front cover only</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p>	<p>eBay</p> 

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-/FE 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Ont., (Seedsman) Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/FE 5/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 9/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daniel's Hotel, L.H. Daniels, Proprietor, Prescott, Ont. • "Old Windmill near Prescott, Ont. on River St. Lawrence. Held by Patriot Rebels in 1837." • illustrated with a lakeshore scene and lighthouse, and fancy banner with hotel name, all in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: D.F. Chandler Esq Mgr, The S.B. Chandler Ltd, 112 Victoria St, Toronto Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/FE 10/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): " 'DANIELS' HOTEL, PRESCOTT' b/w illustr. adv. cover shows 'lighthouse & harbour view w/hotel banner', w/2¢ MAP stamp #85 tied by PRESCOTT/ONT -/FE 9/99 sq. circ. to Toronto. SHOWPIECE!" • ref (2): "GRAY tied by v.f. strike of PRESCOTT 9 FEB squared circle to immaculate and choice illustrated hotel cover to TORONTO." • ref (3): "fancy illustrated adv logo on golden water variety #85 franked cover, posted at PRESCOTT noting a square circle cancel dated FEB9'1899 and addressed to TORONTO, small cover reduction RHS, F-VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee January 1997 auction #83, Lot #65 2. R. Maresch & Son June 1997 auction, Lot #1190 3. Ron Leith auctions March 2012 public auction #44 of the Scott Harnsberger collection, Lot #126 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/FE 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, wrinkles, aging, back flap missing (RF 10, 6 map covers recorded) 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #2001</p>


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-/FE 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Merchants Bank of Canada • pre-addressed envelope: Bank of Toronto <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Toronto (pre-addressed), Brockville, Ont (manuscript)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Merchants Bank of Canada • pre-addressed envelope: Bank of Toronto <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Bank of Toronto (pre-addressed), Brockville, Ont (manuscript)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T.W. Chamberlin & Co., Wholesale Dealers in Patent Medicines, Prescott, - - Ont. • "Don't Spend a Dollar For Medicine Until You Have Tried Celery King" in blue stylized crest <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messr Wm Croft & Sons, Toronto, Ont (53 Bay Street)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: PRESCOTT/ONT. SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Greenhill, c/o A. Greenhill Esq, Smiths Falls, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: SMITHS FALLS/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 30/99</p> <p>Other: red wax seal on backflap</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/FE 8/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Non-Empire (Denmark)</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chas Clint, Prescott, Ont (handstamp) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel the Map stamp, 1¢ Numeral & 2¢ purple Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to non-Empire countries</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: N.S. Nedergaard, Primarke Handel, Skive, Denmark (handstamp)</p> <p>Backstamp: SKIVE/20.2.00.810F CDS Danish receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "FE 5'00 ties 1¢ & 2¢ Numeral and Map to Denmark (5¢ UPU rate) (H6)" • ref (4): "FE 5/00 two strikes ties #85 + 1¢ + 2¢ Numerals to UPU rate cover to DENMARK, w/ receiving b/s. Some edge wear, still a very nice item! RF 10 but only 6 recorded map covers" • ref (3 & 4): list cover as FE 5/00 – difficult to determine which day it is from the scans • ref (5): reports the cover is in John Anders' collection 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A.L. Steinhart collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 17 (1982) 3. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #707 4. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #553 5. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 5, #1, Whole #15, pg 135 (2004) 6. Current owner personal communication
-/MY 1/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: lot of Prescott SC (5 stamps & 7 covers) 	<p>Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3462</p>
-/MY 7/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "very fine strike tying grayish copy to clean cover to LONDON, ONT (six covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A.D. Hanes collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 37 (1982) 3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #727



ROCKTON

The Rockton post office opened in August 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was David Bell (1886-1913). The Rockton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 16/93 and used from -/AU 30/93 to -/DE 25/16. However, the hammer was used only sporadically from 1896 onward.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 5/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Toronto, Ont Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ROCKTON/ONT. SC transit • DUNDAS/ONT. SC transit dated PM/AP 5/99 • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 11/AP 6/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "This is now known on map cover.", with no details reported 	<p>1. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 39 (1986) 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 


RODNEY

The Rodney post office opened in January 1865, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Alexander Humphrey (1865-1902). The Rodney Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 2/93 and used from -/DE 12/93 to -/JY 2/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	2 covers reported in 5th edition Handbook with no further detail	5th edition Handbook, pg A-5


ROSENEATH



The Roseneath post office opened in February 1863, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J.J. Muirhead (1882-1904). The Roseneath Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 5/93 and used from -/JY 12/93 to AM/JA 11/13. Blank time marks were used during the Map stamp period.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COBURG/ONT. CDS transit dated AP 6/99 • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/AP 6/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Roseneath cover, AP ?'99 (h-3)" • ref (2): "very light but identifiable strike ties #85 to cover to TORONTO, ONT AP 6/99 split ring b/s. RF 35, only 3 recorded map covers" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #714 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #555 3. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-155 4. Current owner personal communication 


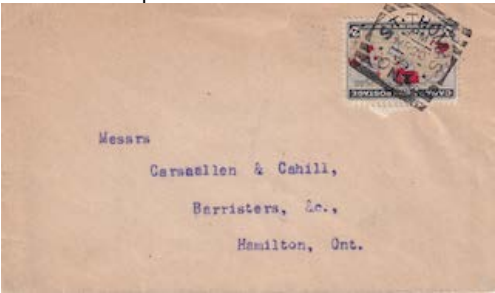

ST. THOMAS




The St. Thomas post office opened in 1825, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William H. Ingram (1893-1915). The St. Thomas Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JA 12/94 and used with AM/PM time marks from AM/JA 15/94 to ?/DE 5/99.





Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot 6 SC Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #267
???	C	N	9 cover lot	Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1775
???	C	N	lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC strikes	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
???	C	N	lot of 12 stamps and 1 cover	Robert A. Lee March 1999 auction #93, Lot #2493
???	C	N	lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
AM/DE 21/98	C	N	lot of 15 Map stamp covers and 3 fronts with no further information	J.A. Hennok September 1992 auction, Lot #559
PM/DE 20/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Grand Central Hotel, T. Donley, Proprietor, St. Thomas, Ontario Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp (upside down) and 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mess. A. Bradshaw & Son, 7 Wellington St East, Toronto Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/DE 20/98</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay January 2019 2. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/DE 23/98	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Tara, ONT Backstamp: Tara receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "very fine, added #75, to and b/s TARA (4), tears" • possibly another double SC cover? (see 3 following covers) 	Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1220
AM/DE 26/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. THOMAS/ONT. SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H. Maude Tribe., Tara., Ont. c/o Mrs. Ed. Gerolamy? Backstamp: TARA/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 27/98 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as DE 28,29/98 • ref (1): "MATCHING PAIR of covers, each bearing a 2¢ MAP and 1¢ NUMERAL, each tied by two v.f. strikes of "ST. THOMAS Dec 26 & Dec 29 '98" squared circles to TARA, ONT. with sq. circle arrivals on reverse. Still paying the 3¢ DOMESTIC LETTER rate, v.f." • ref (2): "...the second is mailed from St. Thomas to Tara, Ontario (140 miles) franked with a 2c Map plus a 1c Numeral." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1986 auction, Lot #923 2. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #364</p> 
AM/DE 28/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. THOMAS/ONT. SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H. Maude Tribe., Tara., Ontario, c/o Mrs. Ed. Gerolamy? Backstamp: TARA/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 30/98 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as DE 26,29/98 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/DE 29/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. THOMAS/ONT. SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H. Maude Tribe., Tara., Ontario, c/o Mrs. Ed. Gerolamy? Backstamp: TARA/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 30/98 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as DE 26,28/98 • ref (1): "MATCHING PAIR of covers, each bearing a 2¢ MAP and 1¢ NUMERAL, each tied by two v.f. strikes of "ST. THOMAS Dec 26 & Dec 29 '98" squared circles to TARA, ONT. with sq. circle arrivals on reverse. Still paying the 3¢ DOMESTIC LETTER rate, v.f." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R. Maresch & Son February 1986 auction, Lot #923 2. Vance Auctions March 2017 auction #322, Lot #5130 3. Current owner personal communication 
AM/JA 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Box No. 447, St. Thomas, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Malcolm Campbell, Fingal (Ontario)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/JA 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Box No. 414, St. Thomas, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: John Paul Esq, Michigan Central Offices, London, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 8/AM JA/21 Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 14/JA 20/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bow City Philatelics November 2017 auction of the Mercator collection, Lot #124 2. Bow City Philatelics February 2019 Sale #94, Lot #1574 
PM/JA 26/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated 10/JA 27/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p>



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
?/FE 11/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Backstamp: London, ONT receiver Other: • ref (1): "It. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, wee bit of aging (RF 7.5, 11 map covers recorded)"</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #2003 2. Bow City Philatelics March 1999 Sale, Lot #758 3. Bow City Philatelics December 2002 Sale #62, Lot #1006
AM/FE 23/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1221
PM/MR 11/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border to USA, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr W.K. Firth, 75 Churchill St, Chicago, Ill, U.S.</p>	eBay 
PM/MR 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Carscallen & Cahill, Barristers &c., Hamilton, Ont. (typewritten)</p>	Current owner personal communication 
AM/MR 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Backstamp: received London MR 25/99 Other: • ref (1): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 2. Current owner personal communication 


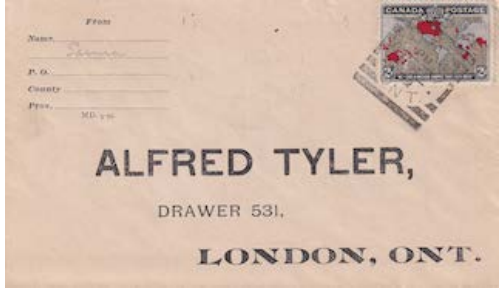
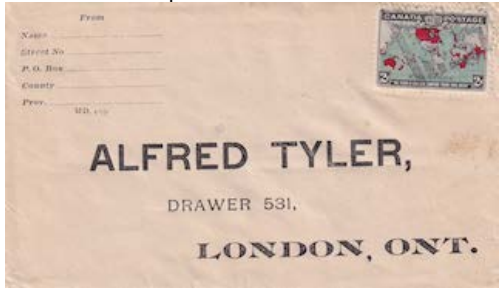
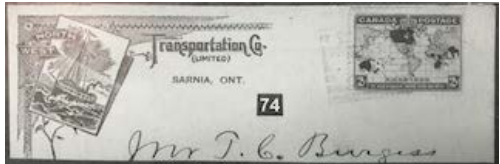
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AM/AP 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Municipal World, St. Thomas, Ont. wording over an illustration of a globe in light blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.H. Ballard Esq, Pittsfield, Mass, U.S.A.</p> <p>Backstamp: PITTSFIELD/MASS. flag '1' receiver dated APR 6/9-30A/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 10/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> P.O. Box 1108, St. Thomas, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Thomas Organ & Piano Co., Woodstock, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: WOODSTOCK/ONT. CDS receiver dated AP 11/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/AP 19/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Jnr. McKinnon, Box 123 Guelph, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: GUELPH/B/ONT CDS receiver dated AP 20/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 22/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "ties 2¢ Map on cover to Toronto (b/s). Only 11 covers recorded. F-VF" 	J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #669

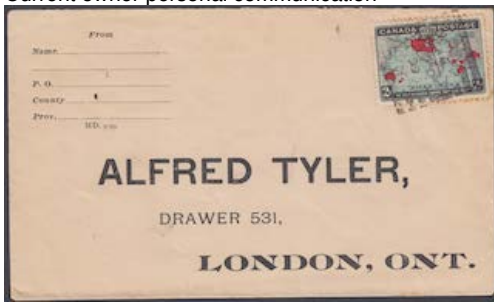
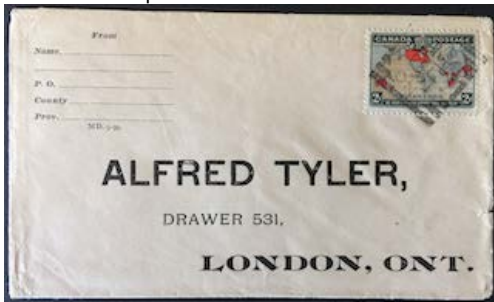

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PM/MY 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, postal stationery</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ QV postal stationery</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage overpaid the 2¢ domestic letter rate by 1¢</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. G.H. Newcomb, 20 Nepean St, Ottawa</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book)</p> <p>2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250</p> 
PM/JU 15/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: S.B. Chandler Son & Co Ltd, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/JU 16/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
AM/JU 16/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope (green)</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • illustrated advertising: Invalid Chairs in red ink • S.B. Chandler, Son & Company pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The S.B. Chandler, Son & Company, Limited, 108-110-112 Victoria Street, Toronto, Canada</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
PM/AU 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss E E Reynolds, c/o W. Chapman, Wingham, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "very fine front, stamp and envelope with tears" 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1221</p> <p>2. eBay</p> 

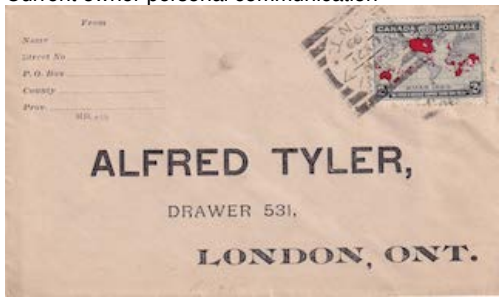


SARNIA

The Sarnia post office opened in February 1837, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John P. Dawson (1886-1924). The Sarnia Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used from -/JA 5/97 to AM/SP 22/00. AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 11/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Charles Cockshutt & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Charles Cockshutt & Co., 57 & 59 Front St. W., Toronto. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Sarnia cover, PM JA 11'99 (H-4)" • ref (2): "ties #85 to cover w/wee bit of tropical staining. RF 15, only 4 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #716 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #557 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
?/MR 16/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Geneva, N.Y. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "with fine strike tying BLUIISH copy to clean cover to GENEVA N.Y. (four covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1722
PM/AP 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ontario</p>	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 26 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> 

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?/AP 21/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fine strike tying grayish copy to clean and very fine cover to TORONTO (four covers recorded)." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #728</p> 
PM/NO 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book)</p> <p>2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/NO 6/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #72, Lot #1338</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/NO 22/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northwest Transportation Co. (Limited), Sarnia, Ont. • illustrated with a steamer in a fancy border <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. T.C. Burgess...</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: " 'NORTHWEST TRANSPORTATION CO., SARNIA' black ink illustr. adv. cover, shows 'steamer & fancy logo', w/2¢ MAP stamp #85 tied by bit it. SARNIA/ONT AM/NO 22/99 sq. circ. to USA., wee bit of aging. Lovely!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee October 2000 auction #100, Lot #74</p> 

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AM/NO 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 14/NO 30/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/DE 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 14/DE 1/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 12/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: PETROLEA/ONT. duplex (DON-1293) dated AM/DE 12/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Petrolea, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr. John Garroch, Sarnia, O. Backstamp: Sarnia ONT SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • partially doubled SC strike • letter enclosed 	<p>1. eBay January 2019 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/DE 21/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/DE 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamps (2) Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
?/JA 3/00	RR	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: CORUNNA/ONT CDS dated JA 3/00 cancels and ties imperforate Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Corunna, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr. D.A. Brebner, Sarnia, Ontario Backstamp: Sarnia SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "85iii var: -single IMPERFORATE tied by CORUNNA 3 JA '00 c.d.s. to cover to SARNIA (same day squared circle receiver on reverse), cover and stamp somewhat affected by toning and edge creases, with vague 1988 RPSL certificate stating "2c blue - variety imperf - used on cover - is illicit use - unauthorized status". Sold as is." • if authentic, is the only recorded use of an imperforate Map stamp with a SC postmark • for a discussion on the illegal use of imperforate Map stamps, see Lamb in <i>The 1898 Christmas Map Stamp Newsletter</i>, Vol 4, #3, Whole #13, pg 114 (2003) 	<p>R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #819</p> 

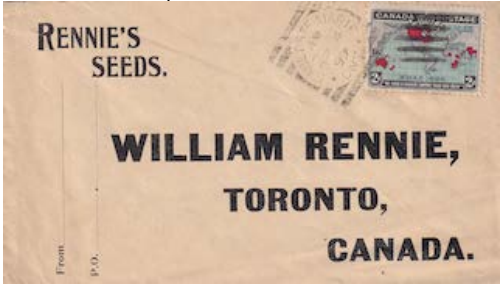


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?/FE ??/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2¢ postage underpaid the double weight USA letter rate by 2¢ • taxed 2¢ with a red U.S. postage due stamp <p>Addressee/Destination: Herbert F. Butler, Newton Centre, Mass, U.S.A.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Due 2¢' manuscript in purple • 2¢ USA postage due stamp in bottom left corner <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BUFFALO,N.Y./FEB 6 10 AM 1900 rectangular transit • NEWTON CENTER/REC'D receiver dated FEB 7/??/1900 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "The cover in Figure 7 was mailed in Sarnia, Ontario in February 1900. Routed through Buffalo, NY on 6 February (inset), it was received at Newton Centre MA on the next day. The manuscript "Due 2¢" was added, most likely in Canada, to indicate that the letter weighed over the first ounce but less than two ounces. A 2¢ US postage due stamp was attached to pay for the simple deficiency. Michael Furfie comments, "The single rate postage due is as a result of an agreement between Canada and the USA to charge only the deficiency on such letters. (Strictly, prepayment was compulsory, but this seems to have been interpreted as prepayment of at least one rate.)" • ref (2): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) • ref (2): incorrectly assigned as 'SHANNONVILLE' dated -/AP 3/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 67, #1, Whole #522, pg 32 (2010) 2. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 3. Current owner personal communication



SAULT STE. MARIE


The Sault Ste. Marie post office opened in October 1846, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. M.C. Pim (1870-1903). The Sault Ste. Marie Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 9/93 and used from -/OC 6/93 to AM/MY 17/99. AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons January 1961 auction #185, Lot #389
???	CC	N	lot of 8 SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776
PM/FE 17/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • A.W. Lenhorwood, Elmbrook Dairy, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario. (overstamped with additional "Central Algoma Farmer's Institute, Secretary-Treasurer" handstamp in purple) Franking & Cancel: grid and SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 8/FE 20/99 Other: • ref (3): "2¢ tied by fine Fe 17'99 strike, 4 covers known, Fine" • ref (4): "Ex Pelletier (H-4)" • ref (5): "ties #85 to c.c. cover. RF 15, 4 recorded map covers"</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 26 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #577 4. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #717 5. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #558 6. Current owner personal communication
AM/FE 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: W.H. Gillard & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: grid and SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: W.H. Gillard & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Hamilton, Ont Backstamp: HAMILTON/1899 CDS receiver dated FEB 22/12--0 Other: tape residue on reverse</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/MR 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: grid and SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/MR 25/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay 2. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/AP 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: grid and SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to Toronto. (RF 15). VERY SCARCE ON MAP COVER!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1538 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/AP 8/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada. Postmarks on Obverse: 2 Sault Ste. Marie SC dispatch free strikes, to the left of and below Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "two very fine strikes on clean cover with deep blue copy cancelled by grid to TORONTO, very fine (four covers recorded)." 	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 38 (1982) 3. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #729</p> 
PM/AP 14/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 3 GOULAIS RIVER/ONT. Type A1 split circles dated AP 13/99 cancel Map stamps (3) & 1¢ Numeral (sideways) Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Origin: Goulais River, ONT Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Postmarks on Obverse: 2 oval 'R' postmarks Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sault Ste. Marie SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/AP 17/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Tied by Goulais River Ont splitting cancels 13 Ap 1899 on Reg'd cover to Toronto. Has Sault Ste Marie Ont Squared Circle transit b/s. F, light cover crease. Interesting cover with 2 diff Map stamp shades." 	<p>Vance Auctions March 2017 auction #322, Lot #4815</p> 


SCHREIBER, STATE 2


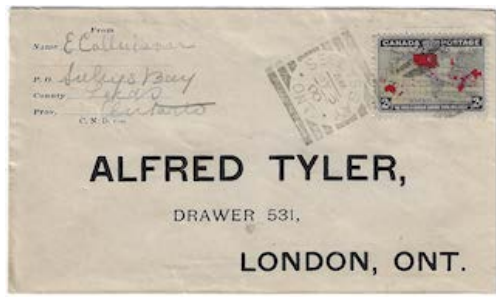
The Schreiber post office opened in June 1886, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was James E. Walker (1887-1907). The Schreiber Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 6/94. State 2 of the hammer was formed by cutting down the surround of bars of the original State 1 hammer in late 1896 or early 1897, forming a broken circle similar to that encountered at Bobcaygeon, ONT and Nanaimo, BC. It was used in Period 1 from -/JA 11/97 to NO/06.

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-/AP 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> James E. Walker, Merchant, Schrieber, Ont. (red ink) note mis-spelling of 'Schreiber' on corner card <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr W Rennie, Toronto, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "2¢ grey Map (toning spots) tied by SCREIBER 15 AP '99 BROKEN CIRCLE (ALTERED SQUARED CIRCLE (state 2) to advertising cover to Toronto, EXTREMELY RARE, the only one known pre-1900 strike on cover." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 2013 auction, Lot #249 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

SEELYS BAY

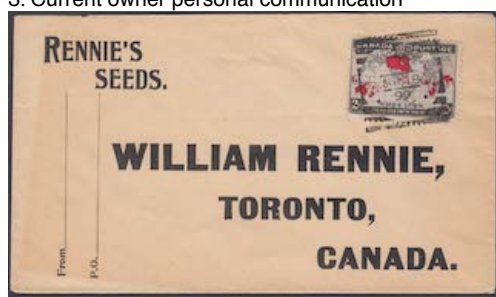
The Seelys Bay post office (spelled Seeleys Bay) opened in August 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was C. C. Gilbert (1898-1911). The Seelys Bay Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/93 and used from -/AU 23/93 to AM/JA 13/02. AM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

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?M/? 2/(9)9	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/MR 3/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "v. It. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to TORONTO/CANADA 9/MR 3/99 split circle b/s, bit of aging. (RF 35, ONLY 2 RECORDED MAP COVERS!)" 	<p>Robert A. Lee November 1989 auction #58 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1876</p> 

AM/FE 28/99	CC & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5c Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7c postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: 2 oval 'R' postmarks</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Seelys Bay SC dispatch • KINGSTON/CANADA CDS transit dated MR 1/99 • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/MR 2/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/MY 3/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 circular grids cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Seely's Bay SC dispatch strike to the left of Map stamp barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a free-strike</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KINGSTON/CANADA CDS transit dated 2/MR 4/00 • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 11/MY 5/00 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



SHAKESPEARE

The Shakespeare post office opened in ~1852, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was George Brown (1860-1916). The Shakespeare Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 25/94 and used from -/SP 25/94 to -/JA 23/01.

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-/MR 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/MR 8/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Magnificent strike, Ex Cohen (H-1)" • ref (2): lovely SON strike ties #85 to clean cover. RF 30, only 1 recorded map cover. Ex Cohen. Superb item!" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #720</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #561</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

SMITHS FALLS


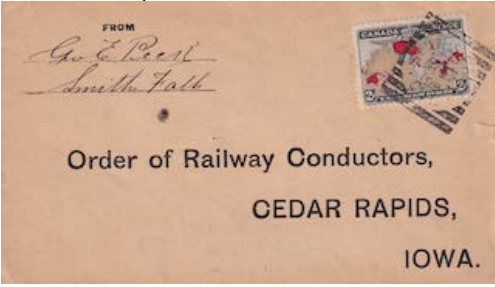

The Smith's Falls post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was D. A. Fergusson (1876-1914). The Smiths Falls Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/93 and used from -/AU 24/93 to -/DE 28/01. In 1900, the second digit of the year is weak or missing.



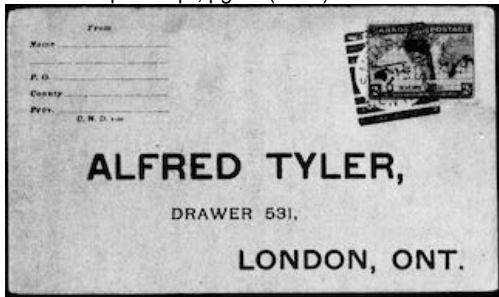
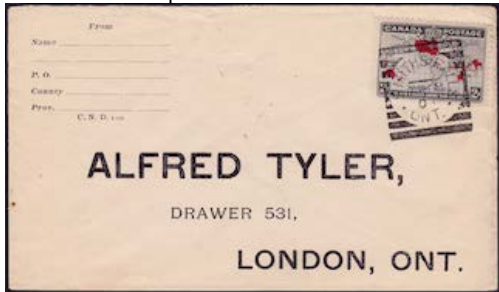
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???	CC	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons November 1985 auction #446, Lot #1200
-/DE 15/98	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Montreal, QUE</p> <p>Backstamp: Montreal receiver dated DE 15/98</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "-ties 2¢ Map + 1¢ Numeral on cover to Montreal (b/s Dec 15), nice early use of the Map stamp, F+" 	<p>J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #283</p> 
-/DE 21/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Jubilee Stamp Co., Smiths Falls, Ont., Can., Dealers in, Canadian and Foreign Postage Stamps for Collectors, Established 1894 (in reddish-brown ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamp (upside down), 1¢ Numeral (sideways) & 5¢ Leaf (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 8¢ postage paid the registered USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Smith, Norwood, Ohio, USA</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • SMITH'S FALLS/ONT. CDS dispatch dated DE 21/98 • 'MISSENT-TO' straight line postmark besides NORWOOD/ONT. CDS receiver dated DE 22/98 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "#85 + 70 + 75 used on 1898 Registered cover from Smith's Falls (sqc) Dec 22, 1898 to USA" (note incorrect day '22' in listing) • ref (2): "5¢ dark blue plus 1¢ Numeral and 2¢ Map, paying the 8¢ registered rate and all tied by 21 DE Smith's Falls squared circles to Jubilee Stamp Co advertising cover to Norwood, Ohio but sent to Norwood, Ontario instead, stamped straightline MISSENT-TO and finally correctly delivered to USA fine and most interesting. <i>Ex-Brigham.</i>" 	<p>1. Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1771</p> <p>2. Brigham June 2014 auction of the Brigham collection, Lot #457</p> 

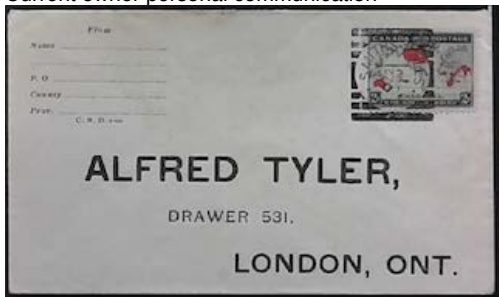



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-/JA 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic, registered cover to England</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Jubilee Stamp Co., Smiths Falls, Ont., Can., Dealers in, Canadian and Foreign Postage, Stamps for Collections (corner card in red ink) • advertising on reverse: Stamps on Approval. We have all kinds of stamps at from nett to 60% discount. Try a selection. Price List Free. (red ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamps (2) & 5¢ Leaf (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 9¢ postage paid the double weight registered letter rate to Empire countries</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Albert E. Evans, Church Road, Aston Manor, England, Gt. Brit.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMITHS FALLS/ONT. CDS dispatch dated JA 23/99 • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 SMITHS FALLS/ONT. CDS dispatch dated JA 23/99 • MONTREAL.CANADA H IV barred circle transit dated JA24 A11/99 • oval REGISTERED/C/2 E99/WINGHAM receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2); "mailed from The Jubilee Stamp Co. in Smiths Falls on JAN.23.1899 (three squared circle datestamps tie three stamps) and addressed to Aston Manor in England. Backstamps are Smiths Falls c.d.s., Montreal squared circle precursor (illegible date) and Wingham oval registration datestamp (DEC.2.1899). Franked with two 2¢ Map stamps (slightly muddy waters) and a 5¢ QV Leaf paying the double UPU registered rate. Slightly reduced at left, with minor edge or corner wear, crease at upper right (not affecting stamp), still a nice combination franking on a two-sided advertizing cover." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circle Cancellations website 2. Sparks Auctions Sale #26 January 2018, Lot #257 3. Current owner personal communication
-/JA 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, partially pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: The Molson's Bank (in bottom left corner) • Ontario Bank pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Ontario Bank of Canada, Kingston, Ont</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'The' and 'Bank of Canada' pre-addressed on envelope • 'Ontario' and 'Kingston, Ont' in manuscript <p>Backstamp: KINGSTON/ONT CDS receiver dated 1/ JA 27/99</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p>



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-/FE 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Jubilee Stamp Co., Smiths Falls, Ont., Canada, Dealers in, Canadian and Foreign Postage Stamps for Collectors, Established 1894 (in reddish-brown ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. F.H. Giddings, Ruthven, Iowa, U.S.A.</p> <p>Backstamp: RUTHVEN,I.../REC'D. CDS receiver dated 10AM/9/FEB/1899</p>	<p>1. eBay May 2020</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/FE 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> G.C. Keith Stamp Co., Smith's Falls, Ont., Canada. <p>Franking & Cancel: 5 SC cancel Map stamp, 2¢ purple Numerals (2), 2¢ Leaf, 1/2¢ Numeral & 1/2¢ Leaf (1/2¢ stamps in bottom left corner)</p> <p>Postage: 9¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate with registration</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Master Murray Campbell, Milton West, ONT</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> oval 'R' postmark SMITHS FALLS/ONT CDS dispatch dated FE 27/99 	<p>Richard Lamb Special Offers List #73, Lot #1328</p>
-/MR 8/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/MR 9/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/AP 13/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont</p>	<p>Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p>




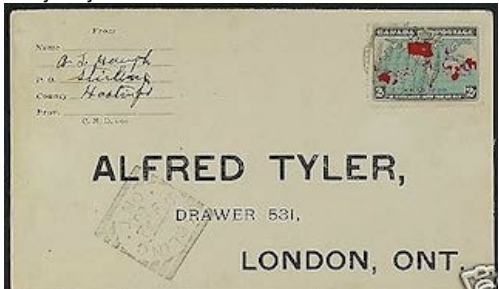
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-/OC 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Empire (England)</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> G.C. Keith Stamp Co., Smith's Falls, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. W.F. Dick, 43 Abbotsford Ave, West Green, London, Eng.</p> <p>Backstamp: London, England receiver</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics September 2014 Sale #86, Lot #482</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/NO 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border, pre-addressed envelope to USA</p> <p>Advertising: Order of Railway Conductors pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Order of Railway Conductors, Cedar Rapids, Iowa</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 30/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: PRESCOTT/ONT. SC dated -/DE 30/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Prescott, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Greenhill, c/o A. Greenhill Esq, Smiths Falls, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: SMITHS FALLS/ONT. SC receiver</p> <p>Other: red wax seal on backflap</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/?? ??/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: London, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON CDS receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Eight 2c Map covers, one squared circle (Smith Falls "1900"). All B/S C.D.S. London, Ont., 1899-1900 usages. Fine condition." • same as one of the London destination covers below? 	<p>John H. Talman December 1981 auction #38/39, Lot #115</p>

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-/JA 3/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, cor. Clarence & York Sts., London, Ont Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ JA 4/00 Other: second 0 in year almost missing and looks like a partial 1</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 5/00	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Numeral Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Addressee/Destination: Kingston, ONT Backstamp: KINGSTON/CANADA CDS receiver dated JA 6/00 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “-/JA 3/00 2 nice strikes ties 2¢ MAP STAMP + 5¢ Numeral #79 to REG'D cover to KINGSTON/CANADA JA 6/00 CDS b/s. VERY ATTRACTIVE! RF 7.5” • date listed as JA 3/00 but likely JA 5/00 • second 0 in year almost missing and looks like a partial 1 	<p>Robert A. Lee September 1989 auction #56 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1379</p> 
-/JA 14/0	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other: 0 missing in year</p>	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection 2. R.B. Winmill, “The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp”, pg 38 (1982)</p> 
-/AP 28/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ AP 30/00 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • second 0 in year almost missing and looks like a partial 1 • ref (1): lot of 15 Map stamp covers and 3 fronts 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok September 1992 auction, Lot #559 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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-/MY 2/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other: second 0 in year almost missing and looks like a partial 1</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 16/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover (RF 7.5, 9 map covers recorded)" • ref (2): "nice cpt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to cover to London, Ont. Tiny stain. (RF 7.5). Only 9 recorded strikes on Map stamp covers!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #2002 2. Robert A. Lee March 2004 auction #109, Lot #1876</p>
-/MY 19/00	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other: second 0 in year almost missing and looks like a partial 1</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 22/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other: second 0 in year almost missing and looks like a partial 1</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 13/01	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Robt. McCharles, Maberly P.O., Ontario</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


STIRLING



The Stirling post office opened prior to 1833, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. Agnes Judd (1872-1913). The Stirling Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 29/94 and used from -/MR 30/94 to -/MR 27/07.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 21 SC Map stamp covers (5 backstamps & 7 fronts)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #279
-/MR 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq., Cor Adelaide & Jarvis St's, Toronto, Ont Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/MR 1/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Hard to Read. Ex Cohen (H-4)" • ref (2): "light SON strike ties #86 to cover, cancel bit hard to read. Ex Cohen. RF 25, only 4 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #723 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #564 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 19/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messr Wm Croft & Sons, 53 Bay St, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Stirling SC dispatch free strike below Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 7/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stirling SC dispatch free strike in bottom left of cover</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 30/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stirling SC dispatch free strike in bottom left of cover</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p> 

STOUFFVILLE

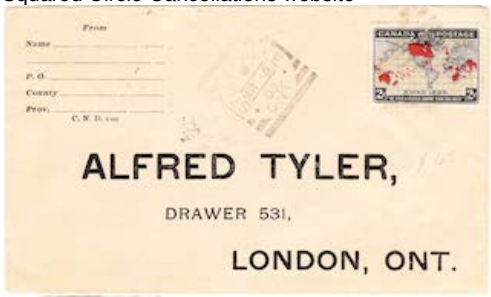
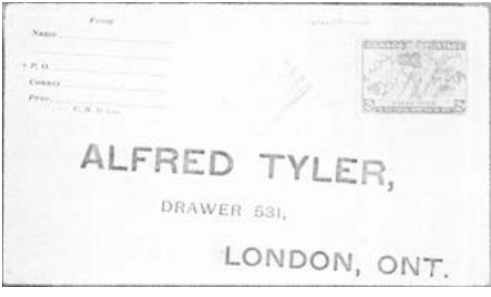

The Stouffville post office opened in July 1841, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William B. Sanders (1878-1912). The Stouffville Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 29/95 and used from -/AP 30/95 to */JY 21/00 (on a Map stamp cover). An ornament time mark (*) was used from JA 2/99 (on a Map stamp cover) to JY 21/00.


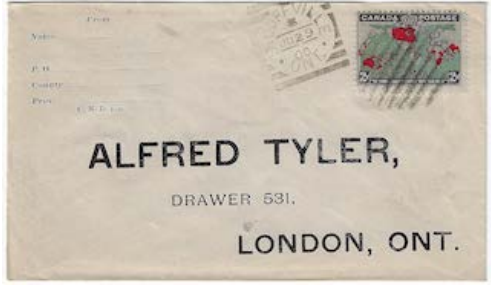
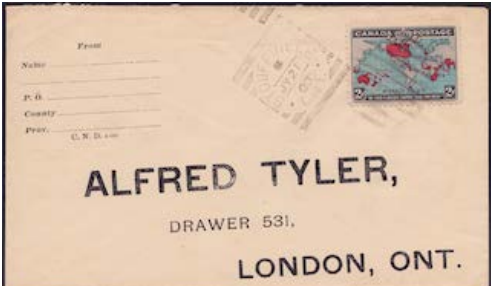
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of SC from 25 Ontario towns (109 stamps & 1 Map stamp cover)	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #485
???	C	N	lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
*/JA 2/99	UO	RP	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Erie, PA</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: not stated whether SC a canceling or dispatch free strike</p> <p>Backstamp: ERIE/PA. flag cancel receiver dated JA 3/7-AM/1899</p> <p>Other: earliest use of the * ornament in the Stouffville SC</p>	Jack Gordon collection/notes
*/JA 30/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> W.A. Clark, Dealer in Groceries, Boots and Shoes, &c., Stouffville, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Seeds, Toronto, Jarvis St.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/JA 30/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "nice free strike on Stouffville c.c. cover, w/2¢ MAP stamp tied by grid bar cancel to Toronto. (RF 20). Lovely cover!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee October 2000 auction #100, Lot #2206</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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*/FE 7/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed legal size envelope</p> <p>Advertising: advertising cover, 1/3 of top of cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canadian Order of Foresters, H. Gummer, High Chief Ranger, Guelph, Ont., Thomas White, High Secretary, Brantford, Ont. • The Most Popular Insurance and Benefit Society in Canada; over \$1,514,082.00 paid out in Benefits to its Members and their dependants since its organization in 1879. Cash reserve on hand in Insurance Fund, Sept. 1st, 1897, \$565,274.84. • circular crest of the Order with a moose head and crown • Thomas White pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thomas White, High Secretary, Drawer 55 64, Brantford, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/FE 8/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • see similar cover Lindsay FE 3/99 • ref (1): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
*/FE 28/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R.P. Coulson, Somerville, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "2¢ lavender and carmine tied by Stouffville, Ont. */FE 28 99 squared circle, very fine." 	<p>John Sheffield May 1989 Public Stamp Auction Sale #57, Lot #111</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
*/MR 23/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: purple 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Bethesda, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: purple BETHESDA/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated MR 23/99</p> <p>Backstamp:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stouffville SC transit dated */MR 23/99 • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/MR 23/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
*/AP 25/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beautiful J.C. Wilson Patriotic multi-coloured envelope (WLS-E03 Type II series; Rule Britannia) <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.E. Saunders & Co., 68 King St., London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "#85. 2c Map tied to neat <i>Rule Britannia</i> patriotic cover from Stouffville, Apr 25, 1899 to London bs. Very scarce usage of a map on a patriotic cover." 	<p>Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1774</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
*/SP 26/99	DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beautiful J.C. Wilson Patriotic multi-coloured envelope (WLS-E06 series; Anglo=Saxon, One Aim, One Goal, Gloria Mundi) <p>Franking & Cancel: 5 oval 'R' cancel Map stamps (2) & 5¢ Jubilee</p> <p>Postage: 9¢ postage paid the domestic double weight registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.E. Saunders & Co., 352 Clarence St., London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stouffville SC dispatch free strike below Jubilee stamp • oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Stouffville SC dispatch • TORONTO/ONT. Type A1 split circle transit dated NT/SP 26/99 • LONDON/CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/SP 27/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "a very fine (light at bottom) free strike */SP 26/99 on a lovely multi-colour Gloria Mundi patriotic registered cover, franked with two 2¢ Maps and a 5¢ Jubilee addressed to London, Ont. Two additional strikes on back plus a Toronto transit and a London SP 27 receiver. Very fine. RF 20." 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3502</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
*/MR 2/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/ MR 3/00</p>	<p>1. eBay July 2015</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
*/MR 3/00	DO	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: smudgy grid bar cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Stouffville cover, MR 3'00 (H-7)" • ref (2): "nice free strike on cover w/#85 tied by smudgy grid bar cancel, w/small repaired tear at top. RF 20, 7 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #724</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #565</p>


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
*MR 5/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/ MR 6/00</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 
*MR 6/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1224</p> 
*MR 28/00	DO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "No. 85 2c Map on Alfred Tyler cover. Front of cover cancelled with "Stouffville Mr 28 00 Ont." squared circle cancel." • ref (2): "fine strike on clean cover to LONDON, ONT (7 covers recorded)." 	<p>1. John H. Talman April 1978 auction #5/6, Lot #161 2. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #730</p>
*AP 2/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
*/AP 11/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 18/AP 11/00</p>	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection 2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 39 (1982) 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
*/JU 29/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated JU 30/03 • The '03' appears to be an error for '00' </p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
*/JY 21/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 9-bar oval grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Stouffville SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp (just barely tying Map) Backstamp: LONDON/CANADA 3-ring orb receiver dated 2/JY 22/00 Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • latest reported date of hammer use • ref (1): "a very fine (little light) free strike */JY 21/00 on a 2¢ Map cover to London (JY 22 receiver). This is a unrecorded new latest known date for this hammer. Very fine. RF 20" </p>	<p>1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3501 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

STRATHROY



The Strathroy post office opened in November 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Hugh McColl (1876-1910). The Strathroy Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 9/93 and used from -/NO 6/96 to -/OC 17/00.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 26/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: YARMOUTH CENTRE/ONT Type A1 split circle cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Yarmouth, ONT Addressee/Destination: Miss Said Campbell, Strathroy, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: YARMOUTH CENTRE/ONT Type A1 split circle to left of Map stamp Backstamp: Strathroy SC receiver</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p> 
-/FE 9/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: YARMOUTH CENTRE/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated FE 9/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Yarmouth, ONT Addressee/Destination: Strathroy, ONT Backstamp: Strathroy SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Strathroy cover <u>BACKSTAMP</u> on faulty but scarce cover (H-2)" • note lack of date in ref (1) listing • ref (2): "-as receiving b/s on tatty cover w/#86 (dmg'd) tied by YARMOUTH CENTRE, ONT FE 9/99 split ring cancel. Back flap is missing, affects about 20% of the cancel. RF 30, only 2 recorded map covers" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #725 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #566 3. Jack Gordon notes/collection

-/FE 16/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: 9-bar grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Jno. J. Spencer, Deputy P.M., Saginaw, Mich. • see Acton DE 24/99 for same addressee Postmarks on Obverse: Strathroy SC dispatch free strike in top middle of cover Other: • ref (1): "This is probably the finest example of the Strathroy squared circle associated with the Map stamp" • ref (3): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 40 (1982) 2. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 3. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 
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SUDBURY



The Sudbury post office opened in April 1883, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Jeremiah M. Kelly (1897-1908). The Sudbury Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 9/95 and used in Period 1 from -/AP 11/95 to -/JU 29/99 (on a Map stamp).

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 21/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Geo. Marshall & Coy, Tea Importers, London, Ont Backstamp: London FE 27/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 6/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Sudbury SC dispatch strike to left of Map stamp barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a free strike Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 9/MR 8/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 17/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ross & Burton, General Merchants, Copper Cliff, Ontario <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.H. Gillard & Co, Hamilton, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: HAMILTON/1899 CDS receiver dated MAR 18/16--0</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250 Current owner personal communication 
-/MR 19/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Sudbury SC dispatch strike to left of Map stamp barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a free strike</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p> 
-/MY 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> H.J. Purvis, High Class Groceries, Fruits, Confectionery &c., Superior Toilet and Laundry Soaps, Special Lines of Teas, Sudbury, Ont., advertising cover to Toronto illustrated with a tea box of 'Ram Lal's Pure India Tea' all advertising enclosed within a fancy border, all in blue <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Sons, Bay St, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): "2¢ tied by light strike to Tea Illustrated in blue, 4 covers known, Fine" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #579 
AM/JU 15/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "Sudbury cover AM JU 15'99 (H-4)" 	<p>J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #727</p>




SUTTON WEST



The Sutton West post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Henry Treloar (1897-1901). The Sutton West Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 29/95 and used from -/MY 2/95 to -/DE 2/02.


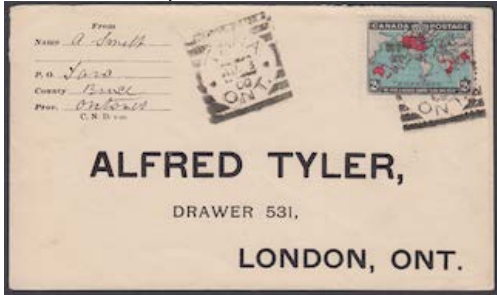
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-/MR 23/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Virginia, ONT Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: VIGINIA/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike to left of the Map stamp Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sutton West SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 12/MR 24/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 25/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Vachell, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Cor Adelaide and Jarvis Sts, Toronto, O Postmarks on Obverse: VACHELL/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated AP 24/99 in upper left corner Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sutton West SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 21/AP 25/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

TARA

The Tara post office opened in March 1862, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William Young (1878-1923). The Tara Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 26/94 and used from -/FE 28/94 to -/MY 18/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 27/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. THOMAS/ONT. SC strikes dated AM/DE 26/98 cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H. Maude Tribe., Tara., Ont. c/o Mrs. Ed. Grolamy? Backstamp: TARA/ONT. SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • same correspondence as DE 30,30/98 • ref (2): lot of 2 Map stamp covers canceled on DE 26/98 reading "...the second is mailed from St. Thomas to Tara, Ontario (140 miles) franked with a 2c Map plus a 1c Numeral...." 	<p>1. Rob Lunn BNAPEX 2016 Exhibit 2. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #364</p> 
-/DE 30/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. THOMAS/ONT. SC dated PM/DE 28/98 cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: St. Thomas,, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H. Maude Tribe., Tara., Ontario, c/o Mrs. Ed. Gerolamy? Backstamp: TARA/ONT. SC receiver Other: same correspondence as DE 27,30/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 30/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 ST. THOMAS/ONT. SC dated PM/DE 29/98 cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: St. Thomas,, ONT Addressee/Destination: Mrs. H. Maude Tribe., Tara., Ontario, c/o Mrs. Ed. Grolamy? Backstamp: TARA/ONT. SC receiver Other: same correspondence as DE 27,30/98</p>	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2017 auction #322, Lot #5130 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 15/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar oval grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Croft & Sons, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Tara SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "on front only. 2¢ Map tied by cork cancel. Extremely scarce with Map. VF strike." 	<p>John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #113</p> 
-/MR 17/99	UR	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Jack Gordon notes
-/MR 28/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Box 142, Tara, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Tara SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated ?/MR29/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 18/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Eady, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: Tara SC transit dated -/AP 18/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "v.f. strike on reverse as TRANSIT MARK on fine cover from EADY, ONT to TORONTO (4 covers recorded)." 	R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #731

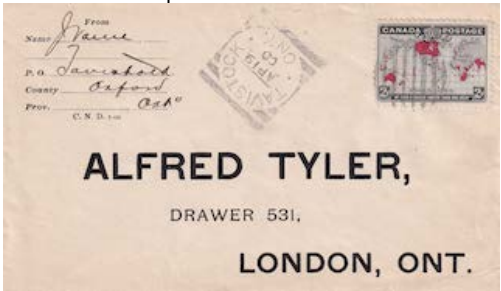
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 18/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: KILSYTH/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated DE 19/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Kilsyth, ONT Addressee/Destination: Miss Mary Kerr, Clavering P.O., Ont. (N.C.D.) Postmarks on Obverse: KILSYTH/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated DE 19/99 to left of Map stamp Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tara SC transit CLAVERING/ONT. Type A1 split circle receiver dated DE 19/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "No. 85 - fine 2¢ Map tied to cover by broken ring "Kilsyth De 18 99 Ont." cancel. B/S "Tara De 18 99 Ont." squared circle cancel and "Clavering Ont. De19 99" arrival cancel" 	<p>1. John H. Talman October 1979 auction #15/16, Lot #210 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 3/00	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Tara SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 11/AP 4/00 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "2¢ tied Ap 3'00, plus additional strike at L, 4 strikes known, Fine" ref (2): "-ties #86 to cover + has another free strike. RF 25, only 4 map covers." 	<p>1. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #580 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #569 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 3/00	UR	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown Backstamp: Tara SC transit or receiver on reverse Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "BACKSTAMP AP 3'00 (H-6)" 	<p>J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #725</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 4/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Tara SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

TAVISTOCK


The Tavistock post office opened in June 1857, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Frederick Krug (1885-1925). The Tavistock Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 29/95 and used from -/AP 2/95 to -/MY 3/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 19/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 TAVISTOCK/ONT. SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral (both upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs D Kennedy, Wingham, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: WINGHAM/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 20/98</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 21, #5, Whole #93, pg 1 (1999) 2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 23, #2, Whole #99, pg 3 (2001) 3. Squared Circle Cancellations website
-/AU 28/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Goldie & McCulloch Co., Limited, Galt, Ontario • Beautifully illustrated with 'The "Model" Gas and Gasoline Engine' (A Simple and Inexpensive Power) in reddish-brown ink <p>Franking & Cancel: mis-shapen fancy ink grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Galt, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. John K. Lemp, Tavistock, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: GALT/ONT CDS dispatch dated AU 26/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HAMILTON CDS transit dated AUG 26/13- -0/1899 • Tavistock SC receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "tied by misshapened ink grid to illustrated 'MODEL' GAS & GASOLINE ENGINE advertising cover from Galt 26 AU '99 to Tavistock, 28 AU squared circle receiver on back, very fine. Ex - Brigham." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Brigham Auctions June 2014, Lot #931 2. Brigham Auctions June 2016, Lot #583 3. Current owner personal communication

-/AP 19/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Tavistock SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>1. eBay July 2015 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
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THAMESFORD



The Thamesford post office opened in June 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Nelson C. McCarty (1863-1915). The Thamesford Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 26/93 and used from -/OC 28/93 to -/DE 31/07.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 22/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Seeds Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): "two Fine to Very Fine strikes tie 2¢ Map, 5¢ Leaf on registered cover to Toronto, Very Fine. RF 30. THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE ON COVER UTILIZING A 2¢ MAP STAMP." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2161</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 14/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 8-bar circular grid strikes cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: unknown</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Publisher of Citizen & Country, 293 King St West, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thamesford SC transit • partial TOR. & LON. M.C. / N° 3 RPO (ON-634.031) CDS dated E/D? ??/?? • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/DE 14/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to London, Ont. Centre fold. RF 25, only 1 recorded strike on Map covers)." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee November 2005 auction #113, Lot #1802</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 19/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): incorrectly lists date as -/DE 20/99 	<p>1. eBay July 2015</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

THORNHILL

The Thornhill post office opened prior to 1832, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John H. Francis (1891-1905). The Thornhill Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 1/95 and used with AM/PM time marks in Period 1 from AM/FE 3/95 to PM/AP 1/03.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	article states at least 4 Map covers are known	<i>Maple Leaves</i> , Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 38 (1986)
???	C	N	article states this is the first reported Thornhill Map cover	<i>Roundup Annex</i> , Vol 11, #1, Whole #49, pg 378 (1988)
???	UR	N	lot of 4 SC Map stamp covers, all backstamps	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #490
???	C	N	lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC strikes	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
AM/M? 4/??	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: TORONTO Type "C" flag postmark dated MAR 4/12-0/1899 cancels the Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss M.E. West, Thornhill, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: weak and partial Thornhill SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/AP ??/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: illegible BC CDS dated AP 13/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: BC</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr F.H. James, Thornhill P.O., Ontario, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: weak and partial Thornhill SC receiver</p>	<p>1. eBay July 2015 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/JU 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.A. James, Don P.O, Ont</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle transit dated 23/JU 21/99 • DON/ONT. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JU --/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Thornhill cover AM JU 21'99 (H none rec)" • ref (2): "light but identifiable strike ties #86 to slightly cut-down at left cover. RF 45, NO REPORTED MAP COVERS" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #735</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #573</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/JY 20/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Denmark</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to non-Empire countries</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: N.S. Nedargards, Skive Denmark, Europe</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Thornhill SC dispatch free strike in top left corner</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "PALE BLUE and 3¢ Numeral tied by THORNHILL ONT AM 20 JY squared circles (stamps perf stained) to SKIVE, DENMARK, clean and otherwise very fine." • ref (2): lot of Ontario SC on all stamps (323 covers/post cards) with "...Thornhill 3c Numeral & 2c Map (AM/JY20/99) to Denmark..." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son October 1998 auction #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #785</p> <p>2. Eastern Auctions June 2006 auction of the Michael Woods collection, Lot #367</p> 
?/SP 6/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown strike of BROADVIEW AVE./TORONTO cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thornhill, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: Thornhill SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "with light strike on reverse as arrival mark on clean and very fine cover with DEEP BLUE copy, from BROADVIEW AVE, TORONTO. (no covers recorded)." 	<p>R. Maresch & Son June 1990 auction, Lot #1723</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/OC 4/99	RO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: target postmark cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Willowdale, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: David James Esq, Thornhill, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WILLOWDALE/ONT. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated OC 4/99 • Thornhill SC receiver in bottom right corner <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "fine strike as arrival mark on front of clean cover (slightly reduced at L) from WILLOWDALE ONT same date, DEEP BLUE copy with target (no covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #732</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

TORONTO, CANADA




The Toronto post office opened in 1799 or 1800, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Thomas C. Patteson (1879-1907). The Toronto Squared Circle hammer was proofed on 3AM/JU 16/93 and used from 6PM/JU 23/93 to 12PM/SP 3/00. Hourly time marks from 7AM to 12PM were used throughout.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	CC	N	lot of 8 SC Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 2002 auction, Lot #1776
11??/DE 8/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: Empire cover to Australia via Vancouver, likely philatelic in origin</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geo. D. Nicol, Dealer in Foreign Stamps, 6 Bernard Ave., Toronto, Can. <p>Franking & Cancel: 8 SC cancel Map stamps (2) and 1/2¢ Numerals (12, 8 of them sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 10¢ postage paid the UPU double weight letter rate to Empire countries prior to DE 25/98 (note that Australia did not join the IPP scheme until May 25, 1903)</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. B. Blumenthal, Watkin St., Newtown, Sydney, N.S.W., Australia (via Vancouver)</p>	<p>Imperial Penny Postage 1898 – John T. Anders ORAPEX 2002 Exhibit</p> 
?/JA 1/99	U	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	Jack Gordon notes

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
2PM/JA 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, legal size envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp (upside down), 1¢ Numeral, 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 6¢ postage paid triple the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: T. White Esq H.S., Drawer 55 P.O., Brantford, Onto</p> <p>Backstamp: BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated PM/JA 13/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
11AM/JA 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rare 'NORTHERN RAILWAY' straight line cancel (RY-127) also cancels the Map stamp <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "...has a map stamp with Toronto squared-circle cancel and part of a NORTHERN RAILWAY straight-line (R.R.-108)" • <i>The Newsletter of the Canadian R.P.O. Study Group (BNAPS)</i>, Vol 33, #1, Whole #174, pg 1847 (2004) comments on the use of the RPO strike: "This straight line post-mark was apparently used at Toronto Union Station, to mark mail which had been received on board the Toronto bound train from Collingwood. Its purpose was to show that the mail had not originated in Toronto. It is always accompanied by one of a variety of Toronto cancellations, usually with an 11:00 AM time mark. The Northern Railway had ceased to exist under that name in 1881, however this postmark was used between 1896 and 1902." • ref (2) & (3): "86b NORTHERN RAILWAY Straight Line H/S (RR108), TORONTO JA27/99 CANADA Sq.Cir. VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>The RPO Newsletter of the RPO Study Group</i>, Vol 14, #6, Whole #56, pg 8 (1986) 2. Bow City Philatelics February 2014 Sale #85, Lot #915 3. Bow City Philatelics November 2015 Sale #88, Lot #866 4. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale #90, Lot #955 5. Current owner personal communication 

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2PM/FE 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, parcel post, legal size envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card handstamp in purple reading "From the Office of the Clerck in Chamers, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, Ont."</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • also a backflap seal in blue of the "Master in Chambers, Supreme Court of Judicature, Ontario" <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map, 1¢ Leaf (2, sideways), and 3¢ Jubilee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TORONTO/CANADA 2-ring orb dated FEB 16/99 also cancels Map, in addition to 2¢ Leaf & 3¢ Leaf <p>Postage: 12¢ postage paid the domestic parcel post rate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • from 1879 to 1900, the parcel post rate for domestic packages weighing >4 oz but <8 oz was 12¢ (see A.L. Steinhart, "The Rates of Postage of Canada 1711-1900", PHSC, pg 364 (2011)) <p>Addressee/Destination: John McBeth Esq, Deputy Clerk of the Crown, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: additional TORONTO/CANADA 2-ring orb dated FEB 16/99</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • carrier CDS handstamp dated 8/AM FE/? • endorsed "Parcel Post, no correspondence" in manuscript on the obverse <p>Backstamp: LONDON/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/FE 16/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "A wild cover for the specialist in squared circles on the 2c Map, 1c Jubilee and Queen Victoria Leaf issues, here paying the 12c parcel post rate to London, ON. Dated February 16, 1899, and sent from the Office of the Clerk in Chambers at Osgoode Hall, using the illustrated stationery of the Master in Chambers of the Supreme Court of Ontario, and snet to the Deputy Clerk of the Crown in London. Endorsed "Parcel Post no Correspondence", and presumably only contained printed or copies of legal documents. Sender had a bit of fun using available contemporary stamps, but not likely "philatelic". Carrier's mark on front. Receiver on rear." 	<p>1. eBay July 2019</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
1PM/MR 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • F.V. Clisdell, People's Coal Co., Toronto, Ont. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel block of 4 Map stamps (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 8¢ postage paid quadruple weight letter rate to USA</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. H.C. Davis, Pres., 204 Walnut Pl., Philadelphia, PA. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'RECEIVED/2' • PHILADELPHIA/PA. CDS receiver dated MR 6/1-30P/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Scarce used block of the 2¢ Map cancelled by Toronto 4 Mr 1899 Squared Circles on cover to Philadelphia (rec b/s 6 Mr 1899). Has corner card for the People's Coal Co. in Toronto. VF. VERY SCARCE USED BLOCK ON COVER" 	<p>Vance Auctions March 2018 Sale #329, Lot #5098</p>





Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
?PM/MY 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card • Missus Jawg' Augustus Lee, The Latest Coon Song Hit, Whaley, Royce & Co., Publishers, 158 Younge Street, Toronto, Ont. (fancy lettering) Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messr A. & S. Nordheimer, Hamilton, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: TORONTO Type "D" flag dispatch dated MAY 15/11-0/1899 • possibly the flag postmark missed the stamp and so it was canceled with the SC Other: • ref (2): lot of Toronto SC on Map stamps (6 stamps & 1 cover)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #582 
11AM/SP 29/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Advertising: corner card • Canadian Office of the American Patent & Investment Co., Detroit, Mich. on a multi-coloured illustrated patriotic cross-border cover • illustrated with red and blue crossed US and Canadian flags and shaking hands Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Geo. Davis Esq, Seattle, Wash Postmarks on Obverse: TORONTO Type "C" flag dispatch dated SEP 29/?-0/1899 Backstamp: SEATTLE/WASH. duplex receiver dated OCT 3/1-30P/1899 with oval 'RECEIVED 1' Other: • ref (1): "two Fine strikes tie 2¢ Map on patriotic cover (opening tear at right) to Seattle, Washington, Fine +. RF 2.5. The flag cancel missed the stamps and the squared circle was used to obliterate the 2¢ Map."</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2162 Current owner personal communication 
7PM/NO 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, a legal sized but cut down, pre-addressed return envelope Advertising: (Keys??)tone Fire Insurance Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamps (2, vertical pair, sideways on cover) Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double weight domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: (Keys??)tone Fire Insurance Co., St. John, N.B. Backstamp: no backstamps Other: • ref (1): "Toronto cover PM NO 30'99 cut down double rate cover. (H-13)" • ref (2): "7PM/NO 30/99 ties nice pair #85 to much cut down long cover, some edge faults. Multiples are scarce!" • ref (3): "#85. 2c Map vert pair just tied to much of #10 cover by Toronto, Nov, 1899 sq circle pmk to New Brunswick. Scarce & attractive." • ref (1 & 2) incorrectly list date as NO 30/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #737 Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #577 Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1081 Current owner personal communication 

BLEECKER ST., TORONTO, HAMMER 2


The Bleecker St. post office was a Toronto substation, just E of Queen's Park in the Rosedale area of Toronto, located at Bleecker St. and Wellesley St. The postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. Eliza Newton. Hammer 2 of the Bleecker St. Squared Circle (spelling of street name corrected from Hammer 1 'Bleeker', proofing date unknown) was used from -/MR 4/95 to -/JY 25/00.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 7 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #277
-/DE 25/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 BLEECKER ST./TORONTO SC cancels Map stamp & 1c Numeral Postage: 3c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Jack Riddell Esq., Dunnville, ONT Backstamp: DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC receiver dated -/DE 26/98</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the Empire letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Edward Caw, Blackwall, Halifax, England</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p>
-/FE ??/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/FE 3/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

-/AP 3/99	DO	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Gertrude Dietrich, Galt, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: SC essentially a dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp since barely ties Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “fine strike tying GRAYISH copy to clean cover to GALT (four covers recorded).” 	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #713</p> 
-/NO 4/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr J.A. Craig, Yarmouth, N.S. Postmarks on Obverse: Bleecker St. SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: YARMOUTH/N.S. CDS receiver dated PM/7 NO/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

QUEEN ST. EAST, TORONTO


The Queen St. East post office was a substation in the east end of Toronto, located at Queen St. East and Parliament St. The postmaster during the Map stamp period was W.H. Boody. The Queen St. East Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 12/94 and used from -/MY 29/94 to PM/AU 14/00. Blank time marks were used until AM/PM time marks were used starting on DE 19/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 13/98	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter Advertising: fancy advertising cover <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gendron Mfg. Co. Limited, Makers of Childrens Bicycles Vehicles &c., Toronto, Canada Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service Addressee/Destination: H.H. Fulger Esq., 50 Younge St., City Postmarks on Obverse: Queen St. East SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): “illustrated cover (stamp faulty)” 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #583</p> 
-/JA 18/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: USA Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “usual only fair but readable strike on VF MAP cover to USA. Stamp torn at LR & re-attached before sending. RF 20” 	<p>Robert A. Lee November 1982 auction #24, Lot #380</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JU 11/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Wm. Davies Co., (Limited), Pork Packers, Toronto, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Jas Redden, Kingston, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: KINGSTON/CANADA CDS receiver dated 3/JY 12/99</p> <p>Other: which month is correct, JU or JY?</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JU 12/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Wm. Davies Co., (Limited), Pork Packers, Toronto. - Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr R Carson, Kingston, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Kingston CDS receiver dated JY 12/99</p> <p>Other: which month is correct, JU or JY?</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 12/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: fancy advertising cover (all in blue ink)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Canada's Great Industrial Fair of 1898 in Toronto, Aug. 29th to Sept. 10th 'The St. Lawrence Foundry Co., Toronto, Ont.' corner card <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: C.H. Rust Esq., "City Engineer", Toronto Corporation, City Hall, Toronto</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): " 'CANADA'S GREAT INDUSTRIAL FAIR, TORONTO 1898' blue ink illustr. adv. cover, shows 'fancy logo', c.c. for 'St. Lawrence Foundry', w/2¢ MAP stamp tied by QUEEN ST. EAST/TORONTO -/SP 12/99 sq. circ. to Toronto, bit of aging, tiny edge tears, part of back flap missing. M & A" ref (3): "lovely single with clear blue oceans tied to illustrated cover from Canada's Great Industrial Fair of 1898 in Toronto, merchants corner card for the St. Lawrence Foundry Co. of Toronto, stamp tied by "Queen St. East/Toronto/AP 12/99" type 2 squared circle pmk., posted within the city with 2¢ being the domestic letter rate for local usages as well as throughout Canada, portion of back flap missing, very fine and attractive" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Robert A. Lee February 1998 auction #87, Lot #1972 Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 135 (2004) Spink Shreves Galleries November 2007 Sale #96 of the Fred Fawn collection, Lot #1528 - sold for \$150 US 
PM/FE 8/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the rate</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "Toronto Queen St. East cover PM FE 8'00 (H-6)" 	<p>J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #740</p>


SPADINA-AVE, TORONTO

The Spadina Ave post office was a substation in NW Toronto, located at Spadina Ave. and College St. The postmaster during the Map stamp period was Jos. Reading. The Spadina Ave Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used with AM/PM time marks from ?/MR 19/96 to PM/AP 5/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/MR 6/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamps (2, horizontal pair)</p> <p>Postage: 4¢ postage paid the rare double weight letter rate to Empire countries</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: England</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "very fine, pair to U.K., rare double rate" ref (2,3): "#85 pr tied by SPADINA AVE TORONTO/AM/MAR6/99 split circle overseas rated to Eng. SCARCE COMBINATION F-VF PH" ref (4): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp cover to ENGLAND, receiving b/s. Some soiling & tiny stain. (RF 20). Only 3 recorded map covers!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1222 2. Wild Rose Philatelics October 1995 auction #47, Lot #139 3. Wild Rose Philatelics June 1998 auction #54, Lot #1047 4. Robert A. Lee November 2004 auction #111, Lot #1465 

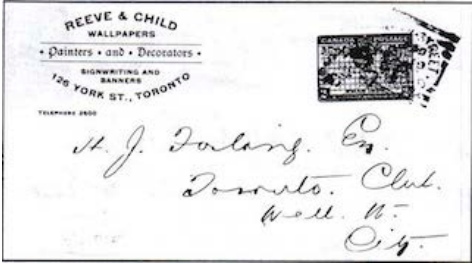


STRACHAN AVENUE, TORONTO






The Strachan Avenue post office was a substation in the W end of Toronto, located at Strachan Ave. and Queen St. West. The Strachan Avenue post office opened in January 1892, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was W.J. King (1894-1903). The Strachan Avenue Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 29/93 and used from AM/OC 4/93 to AM/AP 8/99. AM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.



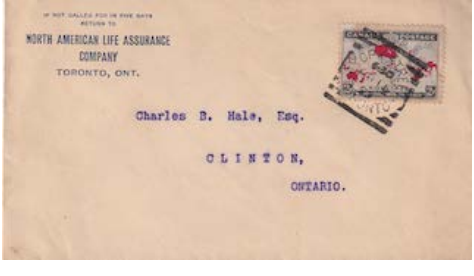

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/MR 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: entire cover advertising in green ink</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John B. Smith & Sons, Manufacturers of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Doors, Sash, Blinds, &c., Toronto • Doors, Sash and Bill Lumber are our Specialties • Estimates Given on Application • Established 1851 <p>Franking & Cancel: very weak SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Goolf Shapley & Muir Co., Brantfrd, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Other: day of strike not clear</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "AM/MR ???/?? v. lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to Toronto c.c. cover to Brantford, partial 1899 cds b/s, (RF 25). Just identifiable strike. Handbook doesn't show any strikes on Map covers!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1554 2. Current owner personal communication 

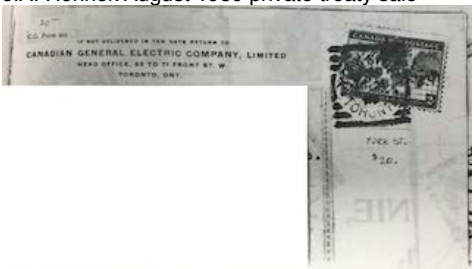



YORK STREET, TORONTO

The York Street post office was a busy Toronto substation, located at King St. and York Street and 3 blocks N of Union Station. The York Street post office opened in August 1892, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was F.W. Nye (1892-1901). The York Street Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used from -/JA 13/94 to 7PM/AU 13/00. A complex set of time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

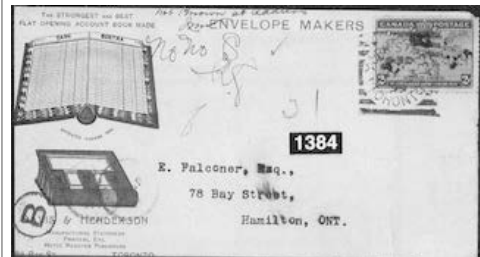
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 6 SC Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #267
???	C	N	lot of SC on Map stamps (32 stamps & 2 covers)	Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the John Siverts collection, Lot #492
???	C	N	advertising front only	Robert A. Lee January 1983 auction #25, Lot #418
???	C	N	lot of 11 Map stamp covers	Charles G. Firby November 1991 auction, Lot #732
???	C	N	1 illustrated advertising cover in a lot of 11 covers with 1899 SC strikes	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #796
???	C	N	2 covers in a lot of 98 York Street SC covers/cards of all stamp issues	Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3545
?:30/DE 19/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reeve & Child, Wallpapers, Painters and Decorators, Signwriting and Banners, 126 York St., Toronto <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service prior to JA 1/99</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.J. Forlong Esq, Toronto Club, Well. W., City</p> <p>Other: possibly the first cover with blue oceans Map stamp (see reference)</p>	<p>BNA Topics, Vol 49, #5, Whole #451, pg 32 (1992)</p> 
6:30/DE 31/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> P.M. Clark & Son, Tailors &c., 95 King Street West., Toronto. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service prior to JA 1/99</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Dr. A.J. Johnson, Bloor St West, City</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/DE 31/98</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2019</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/DE 31/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: local drop letter, pale blue envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maloney & Bocquet, Ladies' Tailors and Habit Makers, 91 and 93 King Street West, Toronto. Telephone 1660. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service prior to JA 1/99</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Johnson, 52 Bloor West, City</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/DE 31/98</p>	<p>1. eBay January 2019</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 





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6:30/JA 16/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co. of Toronto, Limited, 61.63 Front St. W., Toronto, Ont. all advertising in red ink and contained in a stylized cross <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Hamilton Stamp & Stencil Co., Hamilton, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS dated ?/JA 17/?</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok March 1994 auction of the Alan Selby collection, Lot #831</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/JA 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eckardt Casket Co., 66 to 78 West Esplanade St., Toronto, Ont. Illustration of factory and street scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Christie Bros & Co., Amherst, N.S. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: partial AMHERST CDS receiver dated PM/JA 17/??</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/JA 24/99	CC	O/R	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a partial SC cancels Map stamp (not tied, stamp upside down) a split circle postmark appears to be underneath Map stamp (above addressee last name) remnant of removed stamp appears to the left of the Map stamp for these reasons, cover deemed to be fake and not included in population report 	<p>David Robinson collection</p> 
6:30/JA 31/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: H.J. Forlong Esq, Toronto Club, City</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 




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6:30/FE 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • E. & S. Currie, Neckwear Manufacturers, 43 Front Street West, Toronto, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Cummings & Son, Truro, NS</p>	<p>Bow City Philatelics October 2005 Sale #70, Lot #796</p> 
6:30/FE 9/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co. of Toronto, Limited, 61.63 Front St. W., Toronto, Ont. • all advertising in red ink and contained in a stylized cross <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Secretary, Toronto Club, Wellington St. West, City</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/FE 9/99</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #681</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/MR 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North American Life Assurance Company, Toronto, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Charles B. Hale, Esq., Clinton, Ontario. (typewritten)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/MR 22/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Hemming Manf'g Co./The Dominion Regalia Co., 76 York Street, Toronto <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thos. Gillean, Esq., London, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 5/AM MR/23</p> <p>Backstamp: received London MR 23/99</p> <p>Other: auction incorrectly lists TM as 5:30</p>	<p>1. Ron Leith auctions May 1992 public auction #10, Lot #382</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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6:30/MR 28/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Canadian General Electric Company, Limited, Head Office, 65 to 71 Front St. W., Toronto, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>J.A. Hennok August 1980 private treaty sale</p> 
3:30/MR 31/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maloney & Bocquet. Ladies' Tailors and Habit Makers, 91 and 93 King Street West, Telephone 1660, Toronto. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the local drop letter rate with carrier service</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Hodgins, 23 Bloor West, City</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 16/MR 32/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "Toronto York St. Cover, 3:30 MR 31'99 *H38)" ref (2): "nice strike ties #86 to nice Toronto corner card cover" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #743</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #581</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/AP 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Merchants Dyeing & Finishing Co. of Toronto, Limited, 42 Front St. West, Successors to Caldecott, Burton & Spence <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs F.P. Scratch & Co, Amherstburg, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
3:30/AP 13/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: A.A. Collyer & Bristow, 4 Bedford Row, London, England (Private)</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON W. CDS receiver dated 17/ AP 24/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
3:30/AP 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. Leon Mineral Water Co. Ltd., Springs at St. Leon, Que., Head Office Toronto, Canada • photo of a head of a lion in a crowned double circle <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: JR. Gillean Esq, Lake View House, Amherstburg</p> <p>Backstamp: Amherstburg receiver dated AP 29/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map to St. Leon's Mineral Water Co. illustrated cvr." • ref (2): "bit smudgy strike ties #86 to nice 'ST. LEON MINERAL WATER CO.' illustr. b/w adv. cover. Date could be questioned" • ref (3): "2c deep blue Map tied by 28 AP '99 York St Toronto squared circle to illustrated ST LEON MINERAL WATER CO. advertising cover to Amherstburg, next day receiver on back, clean and very fine. Ex - Brigham." 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #744</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #582</p> <p>3. Brigham June 2014 auction of the Brigham collection, Lot #925</p>
6:30/JY 5/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Davis & Henderson, Envelope Makers, Manufacturing Stationers Printers, Etc., Hotel Register Publishers, 84 Bay St., Toronto • illustrated with ledger books • additional advertising on reverse <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E. Falconer, Esq., 78 Bay Street, Hamilton, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • unusual hand stamped 'B' in a circle • several illegible carrier CDS • manuscript 'Not known at address' <p>Backstamp: HAMILTON machine hub receiver dated JUL 6/2-0/1899</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice strike ties 2c MAP STAMP to attr. multi-coloured illustr. adv. cover for 'DAVIS & HENDERSON, MFG. STATIONERS, PRINTERS, TORONTO' showing 'ledger books', adv. on back as well, to HAMILTON/1899 JUL 6/2-0 machine hub b/s, with m/s 'Not known at address', several sm. carrier's marks and unusual 'B' in circle, some age stains. PRETTY!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee September 1989 auction #56 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1384</p>


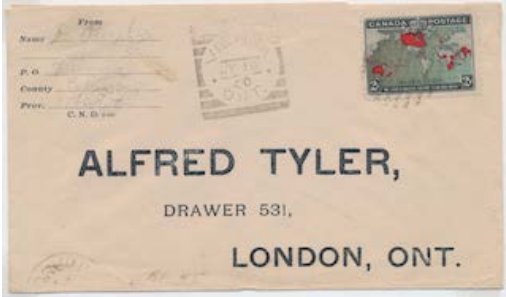



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3:30/SP 9/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, blue-green envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card and illustrated backflap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toronto Type Foundry, 44 Bay Street • The ONLY House in Canada equipped for supplying ALL the Printer's Requirements (corner) • backflap: Toronto Type Foundry, Everything for the Printer in oval seal with illustration of type-face (all in blue) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Toronto Type Foundry Co., 787 Craig St., Montreal, Que. (typewritten)</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: partial unreadable CDS</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MONTREAL CDS receiver dated SEP 10/9-0/1899 • postmaster CDS handstamp dated 1/SP 10/99 	<p>All Nations Stamp & Coin April 4, 2020 auction #1255, Lot #30</p> 
6:30/SP 14/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: unknown, blue envelope</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p> 
6:30/OC 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: fancy corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Julian Sale Leather Goods Co. of Toronto Ltd., 105 King St. W., Toronto, Ont. (red ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Thos. Gillelan, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS dated ?/AM OC/7</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/CANADA CDS receiver dated AM/OC7/99</p>	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1228 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
??/OC 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • St. Leon Mineral Water Co. Ltd., Springs at St. Leon, Que., Head Office Toronto, Canada • photo of a head of a lion in a crowned double circle <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E Berube, Amherstburg, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2c tied '99 to St. Leon Mineral Water illustrated cover, Fine" • Map stamp is a Major re-entry at plate position 5-B-42 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #588</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
6:30/OC 20/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pale greenish-blue envelope</p> <p>Advertising: fancy illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warwick Bro's & Rutter, Wholesale Stationers, Toronto • illustrated with a fancy 'coat of arms' crest bearing the company trade mark (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. R. Uglow & Co., Kingston, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • several illegible transit CDS strikes • KINGSTON/CANADA CDS receiver dated 1/OC 21/99 <p>Other: Map stamp is a Major Re-entry at plate position 5-B-42</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
6:30/DE 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Merchants Portrait Co. of Toronto, Limited, 114B King Street, West, Toronto, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. E. Berube, Amherstburg, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: Amherstburg, ONT, receiver</p>	<p>Bow City Philatelics October 2005 Sale #70, Lot #793</p> 
7PM/MY 15/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border, registered cover to USA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.C. Wilson patriotic envelope (WLS-E09 series) illustrated with multi-coloured 'Soldiers of the Queen' (Type I design) <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Numeral (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the USA registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Gehrs Esq, Milwaukee, Wis, U.S.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p>	<p>J.C. Wilson website (www.jcwilson.ca)</p> 



VIENNA


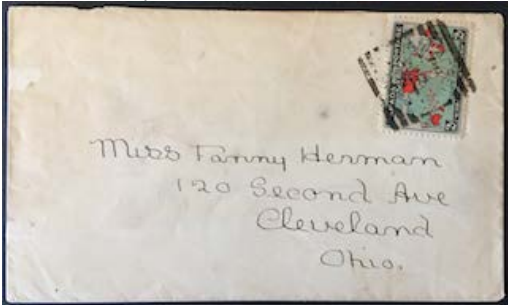

The Vienna post office opened in October 1836, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was A.E. Brosher (1893-1903). The Vienna Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MY 12/94 and used in Period 1 from -/MY 16/94 to -/JY 17/00.




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-/AP 25/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Cor. Adelaide & Jarvis St., Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TILSONBURG/ONT. CDS transit dated AM/AP 25/99 • partial TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "bit lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to Toronto, bit of aging. (RF 35, unreported on Map cover!)" • ref (2): "Lee's May sale has the first Map cover report" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee May 2003 auction #107, Lot #2128 2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 25, #2, Whole #104, pg 2 (2003) 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/JY 16/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TILSONBURG/ONT. CDS transit dated AM/JY 17/00 • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/JY 17/00 <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Vienna SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/JY 17/00	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Vienna SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay July 2015 2. Current owner personal communication 

WALLACEBURG

The Wallaceburg post office opened prior to 1839, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Daniel B. McDonald (1876-1899) and Delos C. MacDonald (1900-1916). The Wallaceburg Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/94 and used with AM/PM time marks from PM/AU 31/94 to -/MY 19/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 27/99	DO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: circular bar grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Hamilton, ONT Postmarks on Obverse: Wallaceburg SC dispatch free strike Backstamp: HAMILTON machine hub receiver dated JAN 28/1899 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "free strike on cover w/2¢ MAP STAMP tied by grid bar cancel to HAMILTON/1899 JAN 28 machine hub b/s, cover is quite tatty w/ aging, tears, stamp faulty. (RF 20, 5 recorded map covers!)" • ref (2): "nice free strike on cover w/2¢ oxidized MAP stamp #85 tied by heavy grid bar cancel to Hamilton, 2 top edge tears to 15mm, some aging. (RF 20). VERY SCARCE ON MAP COVER!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee November 1989 auction #58 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1887 2. Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1929
PM/MR 27/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: blurry grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. William Rennie, Toronto, Ontario Postmarks on Obverse: Wallaceburg ONT SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/MR 28/99</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. eBay February 2019 2. Current owner personal communication 
PM/MY 9/99	DO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card • McDonnell & McDougall, Lumber Dealers, Wallaceburg, Ont. Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: R. Laidlaw Lumber Co., 700 King St West, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Wallaceburg SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/MY 24/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar oval grid cancels Map</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. B. Cornell Finley, Estherville, Iowa</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wallaceburg SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: ESTHERVILLE, IOWA/REC'D CDS receiver dated MAY/26/7 AM/1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JU 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Fanny Herman, 120 Second Ave, Cleveland, Ohio.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CLEVELAND, OHIO/REC'D CDS receiver dated JUN 24/7.30PM/99 • CLEVELAND/OHIO "duplex" receiver dated JUN 25/11-AM/1899 with oval STATION/B/ RECEIVED 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/NO 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, partial pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Bank of Montreal, at Wallaceburg, Ont. • embossed seal on back flap: Bank of Montreal • Merchants Bank of Canada pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Merchants Bank of Canada (pre-addressed), Windsor, Ont (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: WINDSOR/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/NO 3/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice though part lt. 100% strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp #85 to c.c. return envelope to Windsor, Ont. b/s, bit of aging. (RF 20). ONLY 4 MAP COVERS RECORDED!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 2001 auction #102, Lot #3180</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

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PM/NO 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, partial pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: Bank of Montreal, at Wallaceburg, Ont. • backflap has an oval embossed logo of the Bank of Montreal depicting native Indians and a beaver • Merchants Bank of Canada pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Merchants Bank of Canada (pre-addressed), Windsor, Ont (manuscript)</p> <p>Backstamp: Windsor, ONT receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “tied by an ideal strike of a Wallaceburg squared circle. Cover is addressed to Windsor (receiver on back). Backflap also has a lovely oval embossed logo for the Bank of Montreal, depicting Native Indians and a beaver. A lovely Map stamp cover, ex. Stan Lum, very fine.” 	<p>Sparks Auctions May 2015 sale #17, Lot #185</p> 
PM/DE 4/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Sydenham Glass Co. of Wallaceburg • illustrated, in blue, with a factory and street scene and fancy lettering <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. W.H. Gillard & Co., Hamilton, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): “2¢ tied by VG De 4’99 strike to Sydenham Glass illustrated, in blue, 5 covers known, Fine” 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX ’78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #584</p> 
AM/JA 23/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 24/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “lt. strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover, aging, bit of top edge stain (RF 20, 5 map covers recorded)” 	<p>Robert A. Lee February 1991 auction #62, Lot #2004</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/MR 16/00	CC & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & 5¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Wallaceburg SC dispatch • RIDGETOWN & SARNIA.RWYP.O. RPO (ON-492) transit dated N/MR 16/00 • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/ MR 16/00 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map and 5¢ Numeral to fine cvr. (H-5)" • ref (2): "nice strike ties #86 + 5¢ Numeral to REG'D cover to Toronto. Has scarce RPO O-302 b/s. Couple sm. stains. RF 20, only 5 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #746</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #584</p> <p>3. Vance Auctions sale #318, Lot #4832</p> <p>4. Current owner personal communication</p>









WARKWORTH


The Warkworth post office opened in August 1857, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Israel Humphries (1859-1920). The Warkworth Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 20/93 and used from -/JA 1/94 to -/NO 13/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 21 SC Map stamp covers (5 backstamps & 7 fronts)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #279
-/FE 27/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer546, London, ONT.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warkworth SC dispatch barely ties Map stamp so is essentially a free strike to left of Map stamp <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COLBORNE-ONT./CANADA CDS transit dated FE 27/99 • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 12/FE 28/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "-greenish, tied to advertising cover from WARKWORTH ONT 27 FEB '99 to clean cover to LONDON ONT, very fine." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son August 2001 auction, Lot #1525</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>





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-/MR 22/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: weak SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr George Decke, 712 Mineral Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COLBORNE.ONT./CANADA CDS transit dated MR 22/99 • MILWAUKEE/WIS CDS receiver dated MAR 24/1-AM/1899 • MILWAUKEE,WIS.REC'D CDS receiver dated MAR 24/8AM/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 10/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warkworth SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp • oval 'R' postmark <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "This is a fine example of a registered cover." • ref (2): "ties 5¢ Leaf & Map to neat reg. Cover (H-3)" • ref (3): "ties #85 + 5¢ Leaf to clean REG'D cover to Toronto, tiny tear at bottom. RF 25, only 2 recorded map covers" • same correspondence as AP 19/99 and AP 24/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 40 (1982) 2. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #746 3. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #586 
-/AP 19/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Warkworth SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp • oval 'R' postmark <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ + 5¢ tied by strikes dated Ap 19'99 to large cover, cut down at left, 2 covers known, VG" • ref (3): "2+5¢ Tied Ap.19'99 by a VF strike on a large cover, cut down at L (2 Known on Map covers) VF" • same correspondence as AP 10/99 and AP 24/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #585 3. J.N. Sissons 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1254 

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-/AP 24/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm Rennie, Seed, Merchant, Toronto, Ont Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 22/AP 24/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "v.f. strike tying DEEP BLUE copy to fine cover to TORONTO (2 covers recorded)." • ref (3): "Two strikes 4 Ap '99 on 2¢ Map cover to Toronto (rec b/s). VF. ONLY 2 MAP COVERS REPORTED" • same correspondence as AP 10/99 and AP 19/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #733 2. Eastern Auctions November 2017 Public Auction, Lot #1075 3. Vance Auctions January 2018 Sale #328, Lot #5438 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/JU 9/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered front only Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp (upside down) & 5¢ Leaf Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Son, 53 Bay Street, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Warkworth SC dispatch free strikes, one to the left of Leaf stamp and one on bottom • oval 'R' postmark <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "ties Map and 5¢ Leaf to registered front only. F." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #115 
-/(SP)? 19/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card • H.J. Walker & Son, Hardware and Seed Merchants, Warkworth, Ont. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Sons, 53 Bay St., Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: 2 Warkworth SC dispatch free strikes in bottom left and right corners Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "poor strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #86 to cover front only w/WARKWORTH c.c. Cover front is dmg'd. A rare sq. circle item with only two covers recorded w/map stamp. Also has 75% free strike. RF 25" • ref (2): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee August 1983 auction #28, Lot #610 2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 3. Current owner personal communication 

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-/FE 15/00	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm Rennie, Seed Merchant, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Warkworth SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot of 3 Map stamp covers • ref (2): "bit lt. free strike on cover w/2¢ MAP stamp #85, tied by grid bar cancel to Toronto. (RF 25). Very scarce on Map cover!" 	<p>1. J.N. Sissons November 1985 auction #446, Lot #1200</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee February 1993 auction #71, Lot #1302</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 



WELLINGTON

The Wellington post office opened prior to 1832 and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was David Clinton (1893-1901). The Wellington Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/DE 8/94 and used from -/DE 11/94 to 00/AP 30/-. During the Map stamp period, the date arrangement placed the year in the top slot (YY/MM DD/-) of the indicia.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
99/JA ??/-	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jas. M. Squier & Son, Wellington, Ontario, Canada • Squier's Dandy Quickest and Best Extra Early Pea Grown. • illustrated with pea plants and bucket of picked peas <p>Franking & Cancel: indistinct SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: Toronto receiver dated JA 21/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "DARK BLUE with large part of CENTER CROSS (perf fit) tied by indistinct squared circle to illustrated advertising cover from WELLINGTON ONT to TORONTO with 21 JA 1899 arrival on reverse." • since the SC cancel is completely indistinct and unreadable (no part of the strike is readable), this assignment is tentative and is made only because of the corner card address 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son Mail Sale December 1998, Lot #3519</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
99/JY 18/-	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robt. B. Warder, Howard University, Washington, D.C. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC and circular grid cancel Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm. McGeorge Jr., Bullitt Bldg., Philadelphia, Penna.</p> <p>Backstamp: PHILADELPHIA/PA. duplex receiver dated JUL 19/10-30P/1899 with oval 'RECEIVED 2'</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




WESTON

The Weston post office opened in October 1842, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Mrs. Rebecca Johnson (1894-1903). The Weston Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 19/93 and used from -/AU 31/93 to -/FE 09/03.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 20/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC dated -/DE 19/98 cancel Map stamp & 1¢ prepaid envelope Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Dunnville, ONT Addressee/Destination: Will. C. Riddell, ?? Office, Weston Backstamp: WESTON/ONT. SC receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Tied to 1¢ Entire with two strikes DUNNVILLE DE 19 '98 squared circle, Weston squared circle b/s, fine" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.N. Sissons May 1960 auction #178-179 of the Fred Jarrett collection, Lot #441 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/MY 1/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr. Jack Riddell, Dunnville, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: WESTON/ONT. SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner Backstamp: DUNNVILLE/ONT. SC receiver dated -/MY 2/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ tied by grid, VG strike LL dated My 1'99, 2 covers known, VG" • ref (3): "Weston cover, MY 1'99 very scarce (H-2)" • ref (4): "free strike on cover w/#86 tied by grid bar cancel, addressed to DUNNVILLE, ONT MY 2/99 sq. circle receiving b/s, couple sm. cover faults around cancel. Slightly cut-down at left. RF 35, 2 recorded map covers" • ref (5): "A brownish strike also exists MY 1/99 on map cover." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #587 3. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #749 4. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #587 5. <i>Maple Leaves</i>, Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 40 (1986) 6. eBay 2015 7. Current owner personal communication 



WHITBY




The Whitby post office opened in 1823, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Dundas Howden (1885-1924). The Whitby Squared Circle hammer was proofed on AM/DE 28/93 and used in Period 2 from -/SP 27/99 to -/MR 31/00.

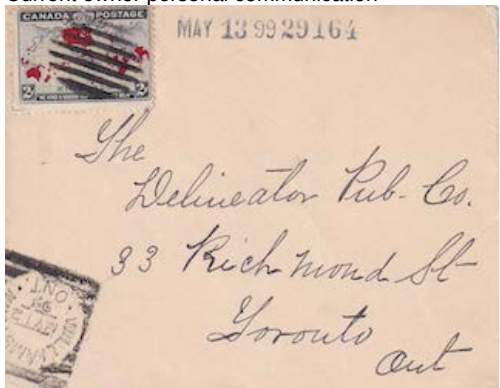
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 07/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. J.S. Authes, Berlin, Ont., No.5</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Berlin CDS receiver missing the month/day <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> zero spacer in day ref (1): "the first Map cover report" letter enclosed confirms NO 7 date 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 30, #1, Whole #112, pg 1 (2007)</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geo. Cormack, Lumber Merchant, Whitby, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Shepard & Morse Lumber Co., No. 1 Liberty Square., Boston, Mass. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> oval 'RECEIVED/5' postmark BOSTON/MASS. CDS receiver dated DEC 5/8-PM/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "Light 4 Dec '99 strike ties 2¢ Map (with Golden Oceans variety) on cover to Boston Mass (rec b/s). Has corner card for Geo. Cormack, Lumber Merchant in Whitby. VF" same correspondence as DE 7/99 	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 Sale #329, Lot #5333</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/DE 7/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geo. Cormack, Lumber Merchant, Whitby, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Shepard & Morse Lumber Co., No. 1 Liberty Square., Boston, Mass. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> oval 'RECEIVED/4' postmark BOSTON/MASS. CDS receiver dated DEC 8/7-30PM/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "GOLDEN OCEAN variety tied by Whitby 7 Dec 1899 Squared Circle on VF cover to Boston Mass (rec b/s). Has corner card for Geo. Cormack Lumber Merchant in Whitby Ont. VF" same correspondence as DE 4/99 	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 Sale #330, Lot #5492</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

WILLIAMSTOWN

The Williamstown post office opened prior to 1833, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William McPherson (1879-1901). The Williamstown Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 21/93 and used from -/SP 2/93 to -/JY 18/00.



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 7 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #277
???	C	N	lot of SC strikes on 74 stamps & 1 cover	J.A. Hennok December 1990 auction, Lot #486
-/JA 6/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: TORONTO Type "B" flag postmark (8-18) dated JAN 5/19-0/1899 cancels the Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. James A. McArthur, Williamstown, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LANCASTER/ONT. CDS transit dated AM/JA 6/99 • Williamstown SC receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "BACKSTAMP JA 6'99 but scarce (H-7)" • ref (2): "nice strike as receiving b/s on cover w/#86 tied by TORONTO JAN 5/1899 FLAG cancel 8-18. Slightly cut-down at right, couple repaired tears. RF 30, 7 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #752</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #590</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JA 21/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Chas. E. Cox, 14 River St., Plattsburgh, Clinton C, N.Y.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Williamstown SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "very fine free, inverted, front, light stains, tear" • same correspondence as JA 25, 27 and FE 2/99 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1227</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 25/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (barely tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Chas. Cox, 14 River St., Plattsburgh, Clinton Co, N.Y.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Williamstown SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "a -/JA 25/99 free strike on 2c Map cover (same correspondence as illustrated in Handbook)" • same correspondence as JA 21, 27 and FE 2/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sparks Auctions February 2017 Sale #23 of the Ted Kerzner collection, Lot #3568 2. Current owner personal communication 
-/JA 27/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (barely tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Chas. E. Cox, 14 River St., Plattsburgh, Clinton Co, N.Y.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Williamstown SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "lovely free strike on large pc. cover front w/ 2c MAP #86 tied by grid bar cancel addressed to USA. Scarce on Map stamps! RF 30" • same correspondence as JA 21, 25 and FE 2/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert A. Lee November 1987 auction #46 of Norman C. Tunna Collection, Lot #818 2. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 54 (2004) 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/FE 2/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Chas. E. Cox, 14 River St., Plattsburgh, Clinton Co, N.Y.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Williamstown SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other: same correspondence as JA 21, 25 and 27</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jack Gordon collection 2. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-181 3. Current owner personal communication 



Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 12/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: circular grid cancels Map stamp in top left corner</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Delineator Pub. Co., 33 Richmond St, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Williamstown SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




WINGHAM, STATE 2

The Wingham post office opened in April 1862, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Peter Fisher (1867-1914). The Wingham Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 21/93. Sometime after AU 22/93, the hammer was modified locally producing State 2 with thin top and bottom bars. State 2 of the hammer was used from -/SP 21/93 to -/SP 29/02.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> lot of 18 Ontario SC Map stamp covers erroneously listed as Winnipeg (State 2) 	Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2250
???	C	N	undescribed cover	Robert A. Lee January 1983 auction #25, Lot #418
-/DE 20/98	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 TAVISTOCK/ONT. SC dated -/DE 19/98 cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Tavistock, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs D Kennedy, Wingham, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: WINGHAM/ONT. SC receiver</p>	<p>Squared Circle Cancellations website</p> 
-/JA 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Herb. V. Hutton, Verity Plow Co., Brantford, Ontario</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 23/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: S.B. Chandler Son & Co., Rich. & Victoria Sts, Toronto, Ont. Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/JA 23/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "tied Ja 23'99 by fine Type 2 strike, 3 covers known, Fine" • ref (2): "Ju.23'99 STATE II, an excellent strike, 3 known Map covers, Fine" • ref (2,3) incorrectly list cover as -/JU 23/99 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #586 2. J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1256 3. Squared Circle Cancellations website 4. Current owner personal communication
-/MR 16/9	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Queen's Hotel, Wingham, Ont., A. Roe - Proprietor., Large Sample Rooms. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Post Master, Brantford, Ont Other: single digit year error for 1899</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/MR 24/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont ("Seeds &c") Postmarks on Obverse: Wingham SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 24/MR 24/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 6/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, damaged at right</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Independent Cordage Company Limited, Toronto, Canada <p>Franking & Cancel: BATHURST ST./TORONTO duplex (DON-1778) dated PM/AP 5/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messers. The Wingham Farmer's Flax Co. Limited, Wingham, Ont. (typewritten)</p> <p>Backstamp: Wingham SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 25/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm Rennie, Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "v.f. strike tying GREENISH copy to clean and v.f. cover to TORONTO (3 covers recorded)." ref (2): this cover was from the A.D. Hanes collection, a poor copy of the obverse is in the newsletter 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #734</p> <p>2. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 4, #1, Whole #11, pg 98 (2003)</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JU 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed pale green envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> illustrated advertising cover: illustrated with an 'Invalid Chair' on obverse and a large microscope on the reverse, both in red ink S.B. Chandler, Son & Company pre-addressed envelope advertising on the reverse: "Canadian Agents for Bausch & Lomb's Microscopes" (in red) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The S.B. Chandler, Son & Company, Limited, 108-110-112 Victoria Street, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 10/JU 3/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ties Map to illustrated "Chandler" env. BS "Toronto Ju 3 99". F." ref (2): "Wheelchair all-over illustrated envelope (with large microscope on reverse) franked with single 2¢ Map and tied by light Wingham, Ont (second State) squared circle to Toronto with next day receiver backstamp. Only three covers bearing 2¢ Map stamp have been reported, VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #116 Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #272 Current owner personal communication 
-/SP 5/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Herb. V. Hilton, 211 Darling St., Brantford, Ont.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> addressee could be 'Hutton' - see JA 10/99 cover <p>Postmarks on Obverse: postmaster CDS handstamp dated 2/SP 5/99</p> <p>Backstamp: BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated AM/SP 5/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> black wax seal on backflap ref (1): "2¢ Map Stamp tied on Sept. 5/99 cvr. by Wingham State 2 squared circle (no clean date) to Brantford Ont. (B/S). One of 3 recorded. Scarce. VG-F+" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> J.A. Hennok December 1987 auction, Lot #397 Current owner personal communication 
-/SP 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope, front only</p> <p>Advertising: Wm. Croft & Sons pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Croft & Sons, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "fair strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #85 to cover front addressed to Toronto. Only 3 recorded covers w/MAP stamp. RF 15" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Robert A. Lee August 1983 auction #28, Lot #613 Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/NO 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: full cover illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Union Furniture Limited, Wingham in blue ink • illustrated with a factory and street scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E Berube Esq, Amherstburg, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map to an all over UNION FURNITURE illustrated cover. (H-3)" • ref (2): "state 2, ties #85 to nice 'UNION FURNITURE, WINGHAM, ONT' all over illustr. adv. cover, slightly cut-down at right. RF 15, only 3 recorded map cover" • ref (4): "overall illustrated adv showing the Factory, #85 Golden Waters variety tied by WINGHAM state-2 sq. circle h/s dated NO3'1899 to AMHERSTBURGH, this cover is illustrated on page 120 in the F&W Catalogue, trivial reduction RHS does not detract, F-VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #754 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #592 3. V.L. Wilson and C.G. Firby, <i>The Canadian Posted Letter Guide</i>, pg 120 (1996) 4. Ron Leith auctions September 1998 public auction #22, Lot #1094 5. Current owner personal communication
-/NO 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card (takes up 1/4 of cover on left side)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wm. Button, Manufacturer and Exporter, Chair Stock, In the Square or Band Sawed to Shape. Maple Mangle Rollers, Broom Handles, Dowel Rods, Window Blind Rollers, Oak Picture Moulding, Panel Doors, Meat Skewers, Lumber Timber In square or round, Wingham, Ont. Canada <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messers Jllingworth & Ingham, Buyers of American Lumber & Logs, Cincinnati, Ohio</p> <p>Backstamp: CINCINNATI,OH/REC'D CDS receiver dated NOV 14/9AM/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JU 13/00	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wingham SC dispatch free strike to the left of the Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/CANADA 3 ring orb receiver dated 19/JU 13/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

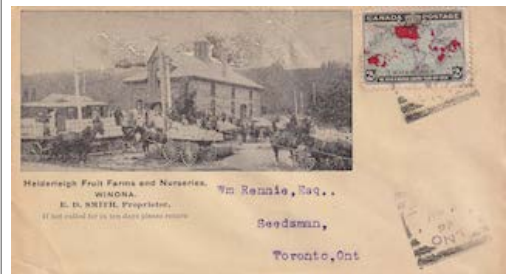



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-/JU 19/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 18/JU 19/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 14/00	CC & DO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Wingham SC dispatch free strike Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 10/JU 15/00</p>	<p>Rob Lunn collection</p>
-/AU 10/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Brantford, ONT Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "ties 2¢ MAP #85 to cover to Brantford, bit of aging. RARE ON MAP COVER!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee January 1992 auction #65, Lot #1862</p>

WINONA

The Winona post office opened in December 1851, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was W.K. Secord (1887-1901). The Winona Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/FE 9/95 and used from -/FE 25/95 to -/FE 15/01.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 1/99	C	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	5th edition Handbook, pg II-184
-/AP 1/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated photo advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beautiful Helderleigh Fruit Farms and Nurseries, Winona. E.D. Smith, Proprietor. • photo shows wagons laden with fruit baskets at the Winona trolley station <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr John Beare, Armadale, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Winona SC dispatch free strike below Map stamp Backstamp: HAMILTON CDS transit dated APL 1/20-O/1899 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "very poor strike ties 2¢ MAP + another just identifiable free strike on photo view advertising cover 'Helderleigh Fruit Farms, Winona' to Armadale, Ont. Has HAMILTON APL 1/1899 CDS transit b/s. RF25, rare w/MAP stamp, only one cover noted in inventory" • ref (2): "Tied to advertising cover with Winona squared circle, illustrated corner card, fine" • ref (3): "ex. Jarrett, May 1960". Part of a 26 cover and 6 front lot. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.N. Sissons 1960 auction #178-179 of the Fred Jarrett collection, Lot #439 2. Robert A. Lee June 1983 auction #27, Lot #383 3. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 4. Current owner personal communication
-/AP 4/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated photo advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beautiful Helderleigh Fruit Farms and Nurseries, Winona. E.D. Smith, Proprietor. • photo shows wagons laden with fruit baskets at the Winona trolley station <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Esq Postmarks on Obverse: Winona SC dispatch free strike below Map stamp Backstamp: TORONTO receiver dated AP 5/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "E.D. Smith Fruit Farms illustrated adv showing dozens of laden wagons at the Winona Trolley Station, Map stamp #86 tied by WINONA/ONT sq circle h/s dated AP4'1899 and addressed to TORONTO receiver b/s the next day, a scarce Map adv cover and very scarce Winona sq-circle on a Map cover (only one reported), F-VF" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ron Leith auctions October 1997 public auction #20, Lot #1244 2. Current owner personal communication

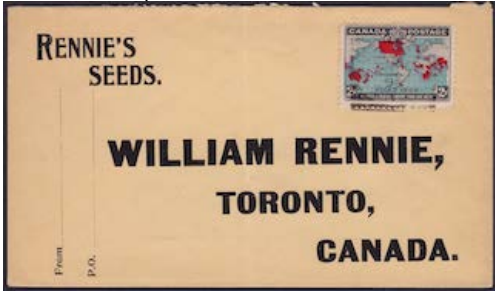




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 24/99	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: VINEMOUNT/ONT. Type A1 split circle dated AP 23/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Vinemount, ONT Addressee/Destination: unknown Backstamp: Winona SC transit Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Winona cover AP 24'99 (H-1)" • ref (2): "nice transit b/s on cover w/#86 tied by VINEMOUNT, ONT AP 23/99 split ring cancel, slightly cut-down at left, bit of age stain. RF 25, only 1 recorded cover" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #756 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #594 3. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-184
-/MY 21/00	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Carscallen & Cahill, Hamilton, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Winona SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "2¢ Tied by a fine Winona, Ont. My21'00 strike to a cover (corner missing UL and that portion added) to Hamilton (RF25) very scarce on a Map cover" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.N. Sissons October 1988 auction of the Alex Csucs collection, Lot #218 2. eBay 

WOOLER

The Wooler post office opened in April 1854, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were T. R. Garrett (1896-1899) and William Anderson (1899-1906). The Wooler Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 1/94 and used from -/SP 24/94 to -/AU 12/12.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 18/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr G. Marshall & Co., Wholesale Tea Importers, 258 Dundas St, London, Ont Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TRENTON/ONT. CDS transit dated 1/FE 18/99 • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/FE 20/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "fine strike tying BLUISH copy to clean cover to LONDON ONT (2 covers recorded)." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #735 2. eBay July 2015 3. Current owner personal communication 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/?? ?/?/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated MR 4/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "It. strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover addressed to LONDON/ONT MR 4/99 ads b/s, handbook records only 2 map covers." 	Robert A. Lee January 1995 auction #77, Lot #1501
-/MR 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TRENTON/ONT CDS transit dated MR 5/99 • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 23/MR 6/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: hand stamped corner card in purple</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T.R. Garratt, Township Clerk, Clerk of 10th Division Court, Wooler, Ont. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont, Seedman Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Wooler cover, MR 24'99 (H-2)" • ref (2): "light strike ties #86 to c.c. cover. RF 35, only 2 recorded covers" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #759 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #596 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/DE 11/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Sons, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Wooler SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "excellent strike with 2¢ Map front only. Only two Map covers known" • ref (2): lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #118 2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275 3. Current owner personal communication 

2.8 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Manitoba

BIRTLE

The Birtle post office opened in September 1879, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was W. Hubert H. Wood (1887-1912). The Birtle Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/NO 30/93 and used from -/DE 18/93 to -/JY 4/02.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/FE 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: John Dougall & Son pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John Dougall & Son, "Witness" Office, Montreal (newspaper 'Montreal Witness')</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "single franking cover, some toning, edge faults, etc, strike very fine." • lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 2005 auction, Lot #1362</p> <p>2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 29, #1, Whole #110, pg 1,3 (2006)</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p>





BRANDON

The Brandon post office opened in August 1881, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J.C. Kavanagh (1881-1900). The Brandon Squared Circle hammer was proofed from -/AU 21/93 and used from -/AU 26/93 to 18/FE 8/00. From JA/99 to AP/99, the first '9' in the year '99' is broken. Sometime between AP/99 and OC/99, the broken '9' was moved from the first position to the second '9' of the year date, and on/after OC 19, is either broken or missing altogether.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 7 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #277
???	C	N	6 cover lot	Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1436
???	UO	N	lot of 6 SC Map stamp covers	J.A. Hennok September 1995 auction #103 of the Whit Bradley collection, Lot #267
???	C	N	lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
-/JA 1?/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 14/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Messrs Hartz & Gray, Box 407, New York, N.Y., U.S.A. Backstamp: P.O.N.Y. CDS receiver dated 1-18-99/1-1P</p>	<p>1. Vance Auctions March 2018 auction #329, Lot #5335 2. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 21/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • D.H. Scott, Insurance, Farm and City Property for Sale and Rent, Money to Loan, General Commission Agency, Brandon, Manitoba Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esqr, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 25/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • A.E. McKenzie & Co., Grain and Seed Merchants, P.O. Box 147, Brandon, Man. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont. (typewritten)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 27/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assiniboine Lumber Company, Brandon, Man. (blue ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs. Toronto Lithograph Coy, Toronto, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Palace Hotel, D.W. Beaubier, Prop., 8th Street, Brandon, Man. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Thos. White Esq, Box 55, Brantford, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: BRANTFORD/ONT. CDS receiver dated PM/FE 4/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<p>Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348</p> 
-/FE 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Geo. Marshall & Co., London, Ontario</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/FE 7/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 3/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: ROUNTHWAITE/MAN CDS dated ?? ??/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Rounthwaite, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brandon SC transit TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 18/MR 6/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 1/9	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, ONT</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/AP 5/99</p> <p>Other: single digit year</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 17/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 15/MY 19/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/OC 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Langham Hotel, Twelfth Street, Brandon, Manitoba. W.W. Shore, Prop. illustrated with the hotel and a street scene <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Scott, Eastertyre House, Ballinluig, Perthshire, Scotland</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/NO 21/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parrish & Lindsay, Grain Merchants, Winnipeg overstamped with a purple handstamp reading 'Wm. J. Lindsay, Brandon, Man.' <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.I. Parker Esq, Bethlehem, PA</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> unknown CDS dated 11-25-99/230PM BETHLEHEM•PA./REC'D. CDS receiver dated NOV/25/7 PM/1899 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/NO 25/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: Winnipeg duplex code 6 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Brandon, MAN</p> <p>Backstamp: Brandon SC receiver</p>	<p>Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1203</p>

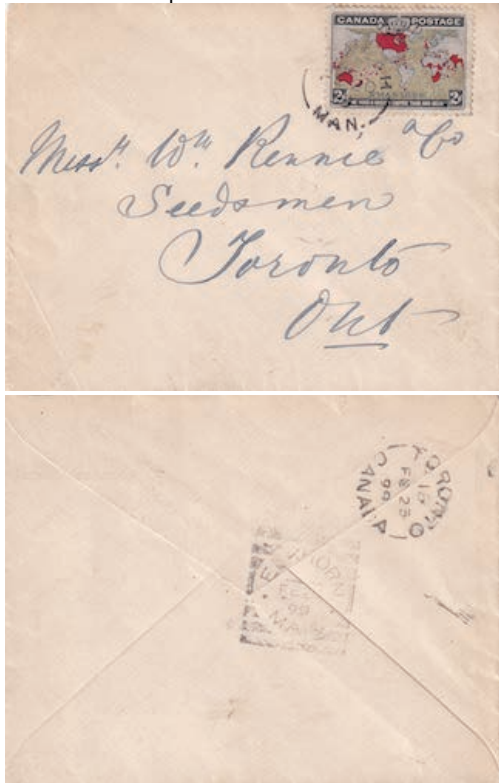
DELORAINÉ



The Deloraine post office opened in March 1882, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was James Cavers (1884-1910). The Deloraine Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JU 3/95 and used in Period 1 from -/JU 12/95 to AM/FE 19/00. AM/PM time marks were used beginning on PM/FE 14/99.

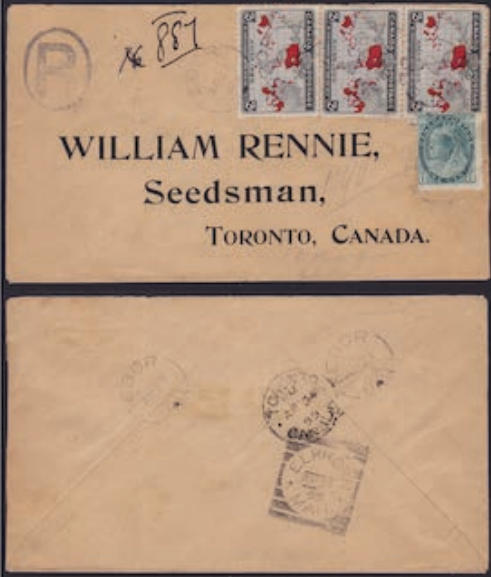

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 23/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Falconer & Martin, Hardware Merchants, Deloraine, Man. Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Consolidated Stationery Co, Winnipeg Backstamp: Winnipeg receiver Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "1¢, 2¢ tied by 2 fine strikes dated De 23'98, the only known cover, Fine" • ref (3): "1+2¢ Tied by excellent DELORAINÉ, MAN, De.23'98 strikes to a clean cover, THE ONLY KNOWN MAP COVER, VF" • ref (4): "Clean Falconer & Martin Hardware Merchants envelope franked with well centered 2¢ Map and 1¢ Numeral tied by Deloraine, Man (DE 23 98) squared circle postmarks, addressed to Winnipeg with receiver backstamp. A pretty cover; only one cover has been reported bearing a map stamp with Deloraine squared circle, VF; ex Nels Pelletier (1982)" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #590 3. J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1262 4. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #265 5. Current owner personal communication
?/NO 3/99	DO	N	<p>Cover type: unknown Franking & Cancel: grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage Origin: Deloraine, MAN Addressee/Destination: unknown Postmarks on Obverse: Deloraine SC dispatch free strike Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "fine, canceled by grid on v.f. cover (fold vertically through centre) from DELORAINÉ, MAN 3 NO '99 with SQUARED CIRCLE on front (1 cover reported)." 	R. Maresch & Son March 1996 auction, Lot #814
PM/AP 1?/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Waskada, MAN Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: 2 WASKADA/MAN. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated AP 18/99 Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deloraine SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA type A4 split circle receiver dated 20/AP 21/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

ELKHORN

The Elkhorn post office opened in December 1883, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William M. Cushing (1897-1908). The Elkhorn Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 26/93 and used from -/OC 31/93 to -/OC 9/99.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	UR	N	backstamp in a lot of SC on Map stamps (36 stamps & 3 covers)	J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection (backstamp), Lot #1213
???	UR	N	backstamp in a lot of 21 SC Map stamp covers (5 backstamps & 7 fronts)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #279
???	C	N	lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers and 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
-/FE 20/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: BEULAH/MAN. split circle dated FE 20/99 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Beulah, MAN Addressee/Destination: Messr Wm. Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elkhorn SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 15/FE 23/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "No. 86 used - Rennie cover bearing 2¢ Map tied by C.D.S. Be"ulah, Man. Fe 20 99" cancel. B/S "Elkhorn Fe 20 99 Man." Squared circle cancel and "Toronto Fe 23 99" cancel. Clean and F." 	<p>1. John H. Talman October 1979 auction #15/16, Lot #211 2. eBay July 2015 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 27/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: PARKISIMO/MAN. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated MR 27/99 cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Parkisimo, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Geo. Marshall & Co, London, Ont</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elkhorn SC transit • LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 16/MR 31/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp in bottom left corner of cover</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Geo. Marshall & Co, London, Ont</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Elkhorn cover, AP 7-99 (H-5)" • ref (2): "reasonably nice strike ties #86 to cover, back flap missing, bit of foxing around stamp perfs. RF 30, only 5 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #764</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #601</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 5 EBOR/MAN CDS strikes dated AP 21/99 cancel Map stamps (3, a vertical pair and a single although all from the same strip, plating positions 3-A-21,31,41; sideways) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Ebor, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 EBOR CDS dispatch strikes • Elkhorn SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated PM/AP 24/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ (3) + 1¢ tied by Ebor Ap 21'99 cds cancels, BS Elkhorn, sq. circle strike, Fine" 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #591</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 25/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: smudge cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Parkisimo, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, London, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: weak PARKISIMO/MAN. Type A1 split circle dispatch dated SP 23/99</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elkhorn SC transit • LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated ?/SP 29/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "v.f. strike as transit mark on reverse of v.f. cover from PARKISIMO MAN 23 Sp '99 to LONDON ONT (5 covers recorded)." 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #736</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

HARTNEY

The Hartney post office opened in July 1885, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Blair (1897-1906). The Hartney Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 12/93 and used from -/AU 28/93 to -/JU 9/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/-- 4/--	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • partial SC strike showing only ‘...NEY’ but clearly identifiable <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 8/MR 4/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: poor SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Sanders Pub. Co., 358 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill</p> <p>Backstamp: partially legible CHICAGO, ILL oval receiver dated FEB 10/3?? AM/1899</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): “Hartney cover FE 4’99 (H-none rec)” • ref (2): “looks like FE 4/99 poor strike ties #86 to cover to USA, receiving b/s looks like FEB 10/99. RF 25, no recorded map covers” • ref (3): “#86. Tied to cover from Hartney, Man, Feb, 1899 (legible sq circle) to Illinois. F & Scarce.” 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #767 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #605 3. Charles G. Firby September 1999 auction, Lot #1096 4. Current owner personal communication 
-/AP ??/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “large part of strike tying BLUISH copy to fine cover to TORONTO (no covers recorded).” 	<p>R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #737</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/DE 4/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ DE 8/99</p>	<p>David Robinson collection</p>
-/DE 8/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, (Tea Importer), London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver Other: same correspondence as JA 3/00</p>	<p>1. eBay July 2015 2. Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 3/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler Esq, (Tea Importer), Box 531, London, Ont Backstamp: partial LONDON CDS receiver (back flap missing) Other: same correspondence as DE 8/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
-/JA 5/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "nice strike ties #85 to cover to London, some splitting along heavy centre fold. (RF 25). Handbook shows no recorded strikes on cover!" • ref (1) incorrectly lists date as -/JA 3/00 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 1995 auction #79, Lot #2111 2. Current owner personal communication</p>

McGREGOR STATION




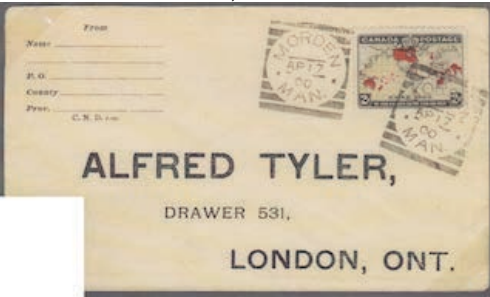
The McGregor Station post office opened in July 1883, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was William Hay (1897-1900). The McGregor Station Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 23/93 and used from -/OC 24/93 to -/AU 2/99.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Peter Laing Kyle, 105 Sherman Street, Portland, ME (Maine) Backstamp: partially legible CDS receiver POR.../ REC dated J?/5??/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>

MORDEN

The Morden post office opened in August 1884, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Jas. H. Dunsford (1888-1901). The Morden Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 29/94 and used in Period 1 from -/AP 3/94 to -/JY 28/03.

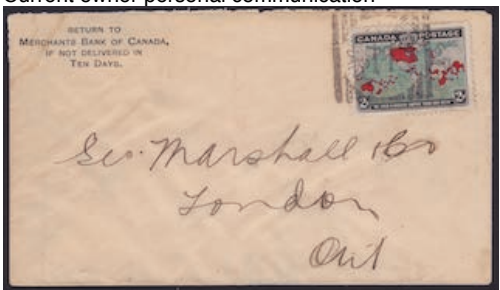

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 24/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr Wm Rennie, Toronto, Ont Postmarks on Obverse: Morden SC dispatch free strike in bottom right corner Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 17/MR 27/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "v.f. strike on cover to TORONTO with 'BROWNISH' oceans tied by grid (2 covers recorded)." • ref (2): "Cover bearing a single 2¢ Map with 'Muddy Waters' tied by grid and nice strike of Morden, Man squared circle postmark, addressed to Toronto with receiver backstamp. One of only two reported covers bearing a Map stamp, F-VF" • Map stamp has oxidized from golden oceans in 2011 to dark bronze in 2020 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #738 2. Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #269 3. Current owner personal communication</p>


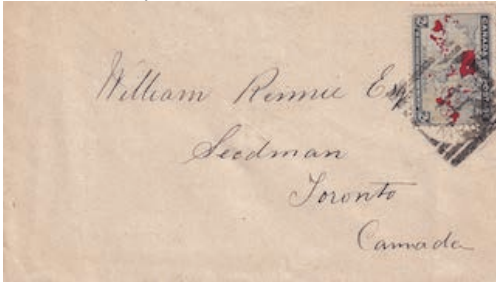

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 27/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: fancy corner card • Knox, Morgan & Co., Dry Goods Importers, Hamilton, Ont. • advertising enclosed in a 'belt buckle', all in blue ink Franking & Cancel: HAMILTON Type "B" flag dated MAR 25/13--0/1899 cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: Hamilton, ONT Addressee/Destination: Carley & Studor, Morden, Man Backstamp: Morden SC receiver</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>  
-/MY 9/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar grid cancels Map stamp (not tied) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie Esq., Toronto, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: 2 Morden SC dispatch free strikes to the left of Map stamp Other: • ref (1): "Morden cover, MY 9'99 (H-2)" • ref (2): "two free Handbook Covers w/#86 w/grid bar cancel, not tied. RF 20, only 2 recorded map covers"</p>	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #770 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #607 3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 17/00	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Postmarks on Obverse: Morden SC appears to barely tie the Map stamp but is essentially a dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp Other: • ref (1): "A fantastic western cover." • ref (3): "two Western covers: Morden, Man., Extremely Fine,...; only two Map covers of each are recorded."</p>	<p>1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 41 (1982) 2. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 3. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2251</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/AP 18/00	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Morden SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ AP 23/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

NEEPAWA

The Neepawa post office opened in August 1882, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was W.F. Young (1897-1905). The Neepawa Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 22/94 and used from -/MR 26/94 to -/DE 3/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	2 covers, 1 a front only, in a lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
-/FE 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Merchants Bank of Canada <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Geo. Marshall & Co, London, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ FE 6/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Richardson House, P.B. Hazelton, Prop., Neepawa, Manitoba. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr William Rennie, Seed House, Toronto</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ tied by fine strike, Mr 24'99, to Toronto, 4 covers known, stamp slightly damaged at top, VG" • ref (3): 2¢ tied by a VF strike of the NEEPAWA, MAN, hammer, Mr. 24'99, only 2 map covers known. Fine." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #592 3. J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1263 4. <i>The Northerner</i> (Newsletter of the Study Group of the Postal History Society of Canada), #95, Item 2137, pg 2899 (2015) 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 25/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont. Other: incorrectly listed as MR 31/00</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p> 
-/MR 27/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "bold strike tying GRAYISH copy to v.f. cover to TORONTO (4 covers recorded)." </p>	R. Maresch & Son February 1990 auction, Lot #739
-/MR 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways) Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Canada</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 8/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2c postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "It. strike ties 2c MAP stamp to cover to Toronto, 3mm edge tear. (RF 15, only 4 recorded Map covers)." </p>	<p>Robert A. Lee June 1998 auction #89, Lot #3082</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 24/99	CC	○	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mssrs. Wm. Croft & Sons, Toronto, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties Map to front only. Excellent strike. Only four covers known." • possibly from the Westgate collection? 	<p>1. John H. Talman June 1983 auction #59/60, Lot #111 2. Current owner personal communication</p>

PIPESTONE

The Pipestone post office opened in January 1884, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J.W. Crawford (1897-1929). The Pipestone Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 23/93 and used from -/DE 7/93 to -/JA 23/99 (on a Map stamp cover).

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/JA 23/99	CC	○	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The S.B. Chandler Co., 108 Victoria St., Toronto, Ont. Other: latest reported date of use on any stamp Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 16/JA 26/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "Shown here is a Type 2 squared circle cancellation on cover from Pipestone, Man. Only one other Pipestone squared circle on a Map stamp on cover has been reported (semi-unique)." 	<p>1. <i>The Northerner</i> (Newsletter of the Study Group of the Postal History Society of Canada), #53, Item 1238, pg 1715 (2004) 2. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 30, #1, Whole #112, pg 2 (2007) 3. G.B. Arfken & W.S. Pawluk, "A Canadian Postal History 1897-1911 - The Maple Leaf, Numeral, and King Edward Era", BNAPS Handbook, pg 266 (2006) 4. Current owner personal communication</p>



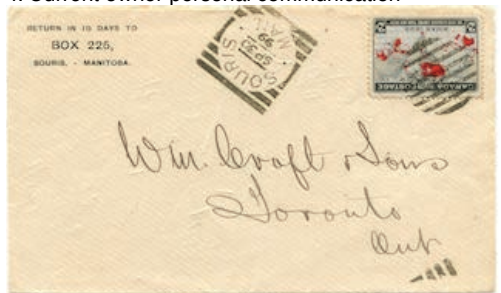
SELKIRK


The Selkirk post office opened in January 1876, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was R.H. Gilhuly (1890-1935). The Selkirk Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 9/93 and used in Period 1 from -/OC 20/93 to PM/FE 17/99. AM/PM time marks were used during the Map stamp period.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
AM/FE 10/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Canadian Pacific Hotel, Selkirk, Manitoba, J.H. Montgomery, Proprietor <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. John W. Irwin, 32 Trinity Square, Toronto, ONT</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Selkirk SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: Toronto receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "nice strike on 2¢ Map (green ocean), Canadian Pacific Hotel cc cover to Toronto (b/s), extremely rare on Map cover -only one recorded, tiny cover edge tears, appears VF" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok 1995 auction #104, Lot #995</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>
AM/FE 16/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co, 259 Dundas Str., London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Selkirk SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>
AM/FE 17/99	RR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Macdonald, Tupper, Phippen & Tupper, Box 1276, Winnipeg, Manitoba (blue ink) from the law offices of Former Prime Ministers Macdonald & Tupper's sons <p>Franking & Cancel: WINNIPEG/CANADA duplex (DMB-39?) dated ?/FE 16/99 cancels the Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Winnipeg, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John O'Reilly Esq, Barrister &c, Selkirk, Man</p> <p>Backstamp: Selkirk SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> latest date of SC hammer use in Period 1 on PM/FE 17/99 ref (1): "nice receiving b/s on c.c. cover w/2¢ MAP stamp #86 tied by WINNIPEG/CANADA FE 16/99 duplex, sm. pc. of UR corner missing, some aging. LRD & ONLY ONE RECORDED MAP COVER!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 2001 auction #102, Lot #3192</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p>

SOURIS

The Souris post office opened in March 1882, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was J. Dolmage (1882-1909). The Souris Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 23/93 and used from -/SP 30/93 to -/MY 10/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 4/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Souris SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ MR 7/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MY 20/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp (not tied)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Seedman, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Souris SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>1. eBay June 2019</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/SP 30/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Box 225, Souris, Manitoba. <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Croft & Sons, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Souris SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Souris cover, SP 30'99 FRONT (H-2)" • ref (2): "gorgeous free strike on c.c. cover front only w/#85 tied by grid bar cancel. RF 35, only 2 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #773</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #611</p> <p>3. eBay 2015</p> <p>4. Current owner personal communication</p> 

-/AP 21/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/ AP 21/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
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2.9 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Assiniboia



MAPLE CREEK

The Maple Creek post office opened in June 1883, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John Dixon (1884-1905). The Maple Creek Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AU 23/93 and used in Period 3 from -/OC 21/96 to -/SP 2/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Strike
-/DE 21/98	CC & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 4 SC cancel Map stamps (4, horizontal pair and 2 singles; one sideways) & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 11¢ postage paid the double weight registered letter rate to the USA</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Colonial Stamp Co., 345A Washington St., Boston, Mass, U.S.A</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Maple Creek SC dispatch • WINNIPEG/CANADA CDS transit dated DE 22/98 • C.P.RY WEST OF WINNIPEG/C. RPO (RR-30.23) dated E/DE 21/98 • straight line REGISTERED/DEC 24 1898/ST.PAUL, MINN transit • BOSTON, MASS./REGISTRY ? oval date stamp receiver dated DEC 27 1898 <p>Other: red wax seal on backflap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Four 2¢ maps and 3¢ numeral tied by "Maple Creek, Assa. De 21 98" to registered cover to U.S.A. Many BS inc. "C.P.Ry. West of Winnipeg C. E De 21 98" and Boston arrival. Early date for map usage and a beautiful cover. Opened a bit roughly at left but still exceptionally F and int." • ref (2): "sq. circ. ties 4 x 2¢ MAP stamps + 3¢ Numeral #78 to reg'd cover to USA (RF 25), bit of aging. 1898 date! Super cover!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. John H. Talman October 1983 auction #63/64, Lot #485 2. Robert A. Lee June 2000 auction #99, Lot #1027 3. Current owner personal communication






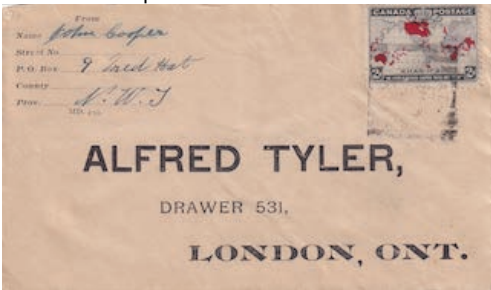
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Strike
-/FE 13/99	DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 8-bar circular grids cancel Map stamps (2; sideways) & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark • Maple Creek SC dispatch free strike in bottom right corner <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Maple Creek SC dispatch • C.P.RY. WEST OF WINNIPEG/C. RPO (RY-30.23) dated E/FE 13/99 • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/FE 16/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "sq. circ. (RF 25) free strike on cover (single strike on front + 2 strikes on reverse) w/3¢ Numeral + 2 X 2¢ MAP stamps #86 w/SON grid bar cancels to Toronto, reverse has CPR WEST OF WINNIPEG/RPO transit & TORONTO/ONTARIO FE 16/99 receiving b/s. Cover flty. w/ vertical tear front & back, sm. tear in one map stamp. Pays 2¢ per oz. postage & 5¢ reg'n fee. No single stamp to pay the combined 7¢ until DE 1902. (RF VS). (Pg. 350, fig. 465). A nice territorial franking!" 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee October 2003 Public Auction Sale #108 of the Horace Harrison collection, Lot #361</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 15/99	DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.G. Pruitt Esq, Sec Stock Association, Helena, Montana</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Maple Creek SC dispatch free strike to left of Map stamp</p> <p>Backstamp: HELENA, MONT./REC'D CDS receiver dated FEB 18/9AM/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/MR 10/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SC cancels Map stamp • blurry grid also cancels Map stamp <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Paulin & Co, Winnipeg, Man.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Maple Creek SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p>	<p>1. A.D. Hanes collection</p> <p>2. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 41 (1982)</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Strike
-/JU 12/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Consolidated Stationery Co, Winnipeg, Man</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Maple Creek SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles of Canada website</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 14/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: blurry 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Crawford, Dee Banks, Chester, England</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Maple Creek SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "#86 2¢ Map tied by circular grid hs on cover with free strike of Maple Creek, Assa squared circle (- MY 14 99) paying 2¢ Empire rate to Chester, England. Only three strikes recorded on Map stamp (2 on stamp, 1 on cover) Ex Carstairs." • note incorrect date in the auction listing 	<p>1. Longley Auctions April 2006 Sale #9, Lot #507</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

MEDICINE HAT


The Medicine Hat post office opened in June 1883, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Francis F. Fatt (1891-1906). The Medicine Hat Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 28/94 and used in Period 2 from -/JY 10/97 to -/NO 7/99 (on a Map stamp).

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Strike
???	C	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons January 1961 auction #187, Lot #890
-/JA 19/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Chas. F. Smith, Medicine Hat, N.W.T. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: S.B. Chandler Son & Co, Toronto</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "2¢ tied Ja 19'99, VG strike, 2 known on cover, VG" 	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #596</p> 

-/MR 23/99	UO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Advertising: A. MacDonald corner card</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Winnipeg, MAN</p>	Jack Gordon collection/notes
-/MR 28/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 6/AP 1/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to London, some edge wear. (RF 25 though only 2 map covers recorded in handbook)." 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee September 1993 auction #73, Lot #1272</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/JY 12/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AU 20/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

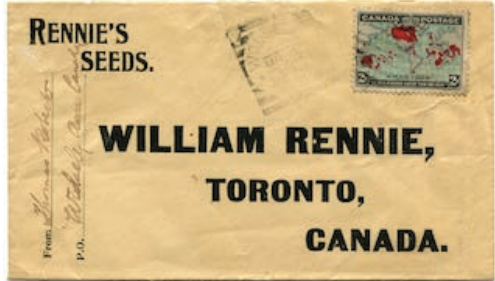

MOOSE JAW


The Moose Jaw post office opened in June 1883, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were Charles A. Goss (1889-1900) and John H. Grayson (1900-1907). The Moose Jaw Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/OC 16/93 and used with the PM time mark (with occasional blanks) from -/OC 25/93 to -/AP 12/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Strike
PM/JA 31/99	CC & DO	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Hartz & Gray, Box 407, New York, N.Y.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Moose Jaw SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

WOLSELEY, HAMMER 2

The Wolseley post office opened in October 1882, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Miss Nellie Dill (1889-1902). Hammer 2 of the Wolseley Squared Circle (proofing date unknown) was used from -/OC 12/95 to -/AP 3/00.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Strike
-/MR 4/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: smudgy circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolseley SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Wolseley cover, MR 4'99 (H-1)" • ref (2): "light free strike on cover w/#86 barely tied by smudgy grid bar cancel, couple light wrinkles, stamp w/5mm. tear. Hammer II. RF 40, only 1 recorded map cover" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #777 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #615 3. Current owner personal communication 
-/MR 21/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card handstamped in purple ink</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fas. Evans, Chickney, ASSA, NWT <p>Franking & Cancel: CHICKNEY/ASSA Type A1 split circle dated MR 21/99 cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Chickney, ASSA</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall. & Co, London, Ontario, Canada (handstamped in purple ink)</p> <p>Backstamp: Wolseley SC transit</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


-MR 23/99	DO	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Return to Box 35, Wolseley, Assa (handwriting) <p>Franking & Cancel: 8-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Ont.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Wolseley SC dispatch free strike to the left of Map stamp</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "Clean strike MR 23 '99 on face of impeccable cover to Toronto franked with the 2¢ gray. Handbook reports only one known." ref (3): "Very Fine free strike on cover with 2¢ Map tied by neat grid, to Toronto, Very Fine." 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Robert Laird November 1982 auction of John Siverts Collection, Lot # 503 2. J.A. Hennok Squared Circle Exhibit (Bill Longley book) 3. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Hennok collection, Lot #2202 
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2.10 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - Alberta

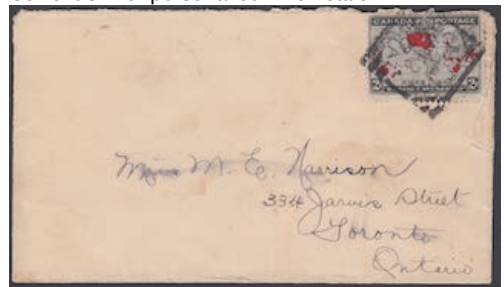
CALGARY, HAMMER 2




The Calgary post office opened in September 1883, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was G.C. King (1885-1921). Hammer 2 of the Calgary Squared Circle (proofing date unknown) was used from PM/JA 10/94 to ?/OC 22/00. The PM time mark (with occasional AM and 7) was used throughout.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 22 covers	J.N. Sissons August 1971 auction, Lot #253
???	C	N	lot of 32 Ontario SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
PM/JA 7/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope, front only</p> <p>Advertising: Levy Brothers Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Levy Brothers Co., Limited, Hamilton, Ont.</p> <p>Other: in his notes, Gordon states that TM appears blank</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/JA 31/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/FE 2/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: G. Marshall & Co. pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., Tea Importers, Drawer 546, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/FE 7/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/AP 1/99	CC & DO & DR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 SC cancel Map stamp, 2¢ purple Numeral (sideways) & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. W Rennie, Cor. Adelaide & Jarvis Sts., Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Calgary SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Calgary SC dispatch • 2 oval 'R' postmarks • C.P.RY WEST OF WINNIPEG.C. RPO CDS (RY-32.01) transit dated E/AP 2/99 • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated ?/AP 5/99 <p>Other: journal reads: "...registered cover addressed to Rennie Seeds Co. in Toronto, mailed at Calgary on April 1, 1899. A 2¢ purple Numeral stamp paid the postage, and the registration fee was paid by a 2¢ Map stamp and a 3¢ Numeral. The cover has six strikes of the Calgary squared circle."</p>	<p><i>The Northerner</i> (Newsletter of the Study Group of the Postal History Society of Canada), #80, Item 1881, pg 2541 (2011)</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/MY 27/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Turkey Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp Postage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate • accepted by British Post Office at 2¢ Empire rate, any other destination in Turkey would have been 5¢ UPU rate <p>Addressee/Destination: Nicholas D. Djebaroff, Robert College, Roumeli Hissar, Constantinople, Turkey. (via London) (typewritten) Backstamp: BRITISH.POST.OFFICE/CONSTANTINOPLE CDS receiver dated A/JU 14/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • only known Map cover to Turkey • ref (3): "2¢ tied by 2 strikes My 27'99 to cover to Turkey, via London, British P.O., Constantinople BS, 7 covers known VG" • ref (4): "accepted by the British Post Office Constantinople. Other destination in Turkey would have been subject to the 5¢ UPU rate." • ref (5): "The Empire rate was paid by a single Map and accepted by the British Post Office, Constantinople. The 5 cent UPU rate would have applied in other parts of Turkey." • ref (6): "well centered single with deep colors, posted in single franking to Constantinople, Turkey, tied by two strikes of "Calgary/Alta/MY 27 99" squared circle pmks., backstamped by "British Post Office/Constantinople/JU 14 99" c.d.s., very fine; a most unusual legitimate usage to Robert College, apparently accepted as a proper 2¢ Empire rate with no due markings, it was probably accepted thus because it was handled by the British Post Office in Constantinople, but there is no evidence that the Imperial Penny Postage scheme applied here because this was a non-British country; a wonderfully rare and fascinating piece of postal history, especially since this is the only known Two Cent map cover of any type to Turkey" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 28 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #598 4. Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 131 (2004) 5. <i>Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter</i>, Vol 5, #1, Whole #15, pg 134 (2004) 6. Spink Shreves Galleries November 2007 Sale 96 of the Fred Fawn collection, Lot #1503 - sold for \$525 US
AM/MY 30/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Miss M.E. Harrison, 334 Jarvis Street, Toronto, Ontario Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 16/ JU 3/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p>





Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JU 7/99	CC & DO	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr H L Hart, 71 Gottingen St, Halifax, NS</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calgary SC dispatch free strike in bottom left corner • oval "R" postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Calgary SC dispatch strikes • oval 'R' • MONTREAL.CANADA barred circle transit dated JU13A7/99 • C.P.R. WEST OF WINNIPEG/C. RPO (RY-30.21 or RY-30.22) CDS dated EAST/JU 9/99 • HALIFAX.N.S./CANADA CDS receiver dated JU 14/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JU 16/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: W.F. Thomas Esq, Melita, Man</p> <p>Backstamp: Melita, MAN receiver dated JU 20/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "rec'd JU 20 99 Melita Man CDS. Rough opening at btm" 	<p>1. eBay October 2018</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/OC 19/99	RR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Griswold, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Calgary, AB</p> <p>Backstamp: Calgary SC receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Sharp strike with the rare AM time mark dated AM OC 19 '99, used as b/s on 2¢ Map cover (some opening tears) from Griswold, Manitoba" 	<p>Robert Laird November 1982 auction of the Clarence Kemp collection, Lot #446</p>
PM/OC 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Cooper Esq, Drawer 531, London, Ontario</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT CDS receiver dated 11/OC 25/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/NO 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P.O. Box 49, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Investors Trust, 1221 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa, US</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "RECEIVED 2" oval postmark • PHILADELPHIA/PA. CDS receiver dated NOV 5/4-30P/1899 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): lot SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<p>1. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 23/00	TR	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: High River, ALTA</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Newcastle, ONT</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calgary SC transit • Toronto transit • Newcastle, ONT receiver <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "86 HIGH RIVER JA 20/1900 ALTA (cvr tears & aging) B/S CALGARY PM JA 23/00 ALTA SQ.Cir, TORONTO, Redirect to & canc NEWCASTLE ONT. VG-F" 	Bow City Philatelics October 2005 Sale #70, Lot #931

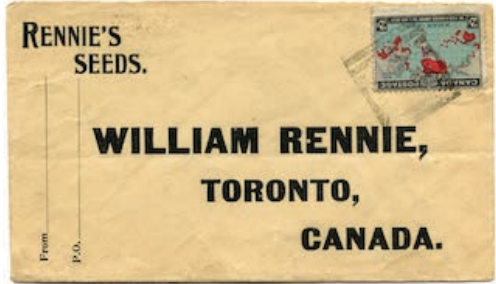

EDMONTON

The Edmonton post office opened in March 1878, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Alex Taylor (1893-1906). The Edmonton Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP 6/94 and used from -/AP 13/94 to -/AP 22/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 7 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #277
-/FE --/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: London, ONT Backstamp: London, ONT receiver dated 6/FE 11/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "2ct Map stamp - Postmark used as canceller" • part of a 30 page lot of Western Squared Circles 	Sparks Auctions January 2019 Sale #29, Lot #847
-/FE 8/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jno. F. Forbes crossed out, and 'Jno. C. Hayes, Local Agent' over-stamped with a hand stamp in purple ink, Customs Broker, Insurance and Commission Agent, Edmonton, Alberta Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler Esqre, Drawer 546, London, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP ??/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: G. Marshall & Co., London, Ont</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 



INNISFAIL

The Innisfail post office opened in April 1891, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Norman W. Stiles (1891-1906). The Innisfail Squared Circle hammer (proofing date unknown) was used from -/DE 31/95 to -/MY 14/03.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 22 covers	J.N. Sissons August 1971 auction, Lot #253
-/FE ??/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/FE 22/99	C	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p>	5th edition Handbook, pg II-204
-/MR 7/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancels Map (3, vertical strip sideways) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'R' postmark also cancels Map stamps <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "It. strikes ties 1¢ Numeral + strip 3 2¢ MAP STAMPS to REG'D cover to Toronto, bit of aging. RF 35, ONLY 3 MAP STAMP COVERS RECORDED!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee October 1988 auction #51, Lot #1246</p> 
-/?A 3/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: unknown, assumed domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "It. 60% strike on 2¢ MAP cover, shows '...IL/ALTA'. RF 35. Rare on map stamp." 	Robert A. Lee June 1992 auction #67, Lot #1293



LETHBRIDGE

The Lethbridge post office opened in October 1885, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John D. Higinbotham (1888-1910). The Lethbridge Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/AP23/94 and used from -/AP 30/94 to -/NO 2/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	journal states: "At least 2 Map covers exist."	<i>Maple Leaves</i> , Vol 20, #2, Whole #206, pg 40 (1986)
-/MR 2/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "Light strike MR 2 '99 tying 2¢ gray to clean cover to Toronto, Unique" 	<p>Robert Laird November 1982 auction of John Siverts Collection, Lot # 504</p> 
-/MY 31/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only Advertising: corner card <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • J.D. Higinbotham & Co., Chemists and Druggists, Lethbridge, Alberta in fancy font Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrss Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, Que (wholesale druggists and manufacturing chemists) Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Lethbridge FRONT, MY 31'99 (H-1)" • ref (2): "nice SON strike ties #85 to c.c. cover front only. RF 20, this is the first recorded cover, UNIQUE!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #779 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #618 3. Current owner personal communication 

RED DEER

The Red Deer post office opened in December 1884, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was John H.H. Gaetz (1895-1911). The Red Deer Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 20/94 and used from -/NO 5/94 to -/MY 6/03.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MR 2/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Seed Merchant, Cor Adelaide & Jarvis Streets, Toronto, Canada</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
-/AP 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie Esq, Toronto, Ont Other: • ref (3): "2¢ tied by fine Ap 3'99 strike, 4 covers known, Fine"</p>	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 28 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #599</p> 

2.11 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - British Columbia



DONALD


The Donald post office opened in April 1886, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were R.W. Patmore (1890-1899) and R.D. Davis (1890-1902). The Donald Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/MR 3/94 and used from -/MR 12/94 to -/NO 8/99.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	undescribed cover	5th edition Handbook, pg A-7

KAMLOOPS


The Kamloops post office opened in July 1871, and the postmasters during the Map stamp period were E.H. Jones (1888-1899) and W.P. Slavin (1899-1912). The Kamloops Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/SP 2/93 and used in Period 2 from -/FE 17/99 (on a Map stamp) to -/DE 1/00.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
-/MY 16/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Rennie Esq, Seedman & Florist Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to cover to Toronto, bit of aging. ONLY TWO RECORDED MAP COVERS! RF 40" 	<p>Robert A. Lee September 1989 auction #56 of the Norman Brassler collection, Lot #1410</p> 
-/JU 24/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: The Consolidated Stationery Co Ltd, Winnipeg, Man Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (3): "2¢ tied by fine strike dated Ju 24'99, 2 known covers, Fine" • ref (6): "nice strike ties 2¢ MAP stamp to cover to Winnipeg. Nice clean cover! (RF 40). Only 2 recorded MAP stamp covers!" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #2, Whole #2, pg 28 (1976) 2. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 3. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #601 4. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 9, #1, Whole #43, pg 337 (1986) 5. 5th edition Handbook, pg II-208 6. Robert A. Lee June 2004 auction #110, Lot #1644 7. Current owner personal communication 

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-/OC 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Dr E M Radcliffe, 713 First Av, Seattle, Wash, U.S.A</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • oval 'RECEIVED/1' postmark • SEATTLE/WASH. CDS receiver dated OCT 27/6-PM/1899 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son March 2013 auction of the Ben Jacobson collection</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

NANAIMO, STATE 2


The Nanaimo post office opened prior to 1872, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Adam H. Horne (1890-1928). The Nanaimo Squared Circle hammer was proofed on -/JY 26/93. The hammer was altered in late DE 1896 to form State 2, a broken circle similar to Schreiber, ONT and Bobcaygeon, ONT. State 2 of the hammer was used in Period 1 from PM/DE 30/96 to AM/MY 14/20. The AM time mark was used during the Map stamp period.




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons January 1961 auction #187, Lot #890
???	C	N	lot of 26 covers and 3 fronts	R. Maresch & Son November 1977 auction, Lot #654
AM/JA 11/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England, pale blue envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.G. Morescaux Esq, Junior Constitutional Club, Picadilly, London W., England (via New York)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "two Western covers: ..., and Nanaimo, B.C. (state 2), Extremely Fine strike, slight cover faults; <i>only two Map covers of each are recorded.</i>" 	<p>1. R.B. Winmill, "The Evolution of Imperial Penny Postage and the Postal History of the Canadian 1898 Map Stamp", pg 42 (1982)</p> <p>2. Matthew Bennett December 2005 auction of the Jim Henok collection, Lot #2251</p> 

AM/MR 11/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card • Hotel Wilson, Nanaimo, B.C., Geo. R. Raymond, Prop. Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mr J.C. MacNab, P.O. Box 573, Winnipeg, Man Backstamp: WINNIPEG receiver dated 6/MR 14/99</p>	<p>1. C.G. Firby & V.L. Wilson, "The Canadian Postal Letter Guide", pg 123 (1996) 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
?/DE 16/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland, oversize cover Franking & Cancel: 4 SC cancel Map stamps (3) Postage: 6¢ postage paid triple Empire letter rate Addressee/Destination: Scotland Other: • auction listing: "Four VF strikes state 2 on triple rate oversize cover to Scotland De.16/99 with 3 copies 2¢ Map #85"</p>	<p>F.E. Eaton & Sons Vancouver Stamp Auctions Ltd March 1984 auction, Lot #783</p>




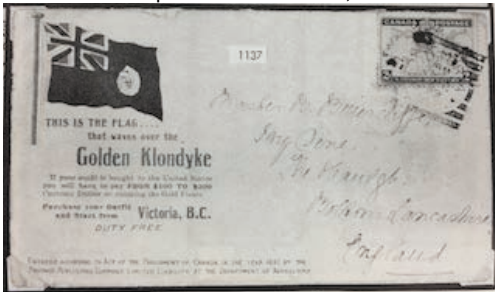
VICTORIA, HAMMER 3


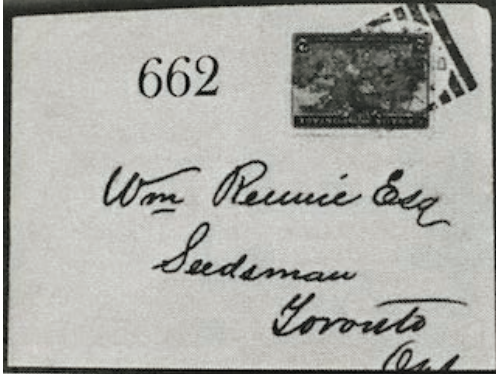
The Victoria post office opened prior to July 1871, and the postmaster during the Map stamp period was Noah Shakespere (1888-1914). Hammer 3 of the Victoria Squared Circle (proofing date unknown) was used with AM/PM/NT time marks from NT/OC 12/97 to NT/JA 28/00.





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???	C	N	to England	Robert A. Lee January 1983 auction #25, Lot #418
???	C	N	lot of 21 SC Map stamp covers (5 backstamps & 7 fronts)	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #279
???	C	N	2 covers in a 6 cover lot	Robert A. Lee January 1994 auction #74, Lot #1436
???	C	N	9 cover lot	Robert A. Lee February 1996 auction #80, Lot #1775
???	C	N	lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
NT/DE 16/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamp & 1¢ Numeral Postage: 3¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Thos. Cunningham, Vancouver, B.C Other: • auction listing: "-and 1¢ Numeral, tied by VICTORIA B.C. 16 DE squared circle to VANCOUVER paying the 3¢ rate, fine"</p>	<p>R. Maresch & Son October 1998 auction #334 of the Beverlie Clark collection, Lot #744</p> 



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NT/DE 30/98	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Ireland, pale blue envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Dickin, Casino, Malahide, Co Dublin, Ireland</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: partial Dublin CDS</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • partial (MALAHIDE?) multi-ring CDS dated ?/JA 16/99 • DUBLIN/AM/8 15/JA 16/99/7 CDS receiver 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/DE 31/98	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: A.A. Armstrong Esq, Denstone College, Staffordshire, England (Please forward)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • forwarded to: 77 Loughboro Road, West Bridgford, Nottingham <p>Postmarks on Obverse: partial UTTOXETER duplex dispatch (forwarding) dated 7.50PM/JA 19/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Nice last day of the year usage, and at the end of the first week of "official" usage. Sent to Denstone College with redirection. NT time mark. Tiny pin hole at top centre where the letter was probably processed for forwarding." 	<p>1. eBay February 2019</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/JA 3/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Advertising: photo advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "The Colonist, Victoria, B.C., Job Printing, Bookbinding, Lithographing, Embossing and Label Printing" in red ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E.B. Eddy & Co, Hull, Canada</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

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NT/JA 8/99	CC	OP	<p>Cover type: domestic, local drop letter</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Caledonia General Mining Association, Limited Liability, Williams Building, Victoria, B.C. <p>Franking & Cancel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SC cancels Map stamp VICTORIA/B.C. CDS dated NT/JA 1/99 also cancels Map stamp <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Victoria, BC</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: local address</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> VICTORIA/B.C. CDS dated NT/JA 1/99 to the left of Map stamp partial straight-line hadstamps "...D TO" and "...CALLED FOR" <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "ties 2¢ Map stamp to 'CALEDONIA MINING ASSN., VICTORIA' c.c. cover, to local address, fwd. several times & returned. ATTRACTIVE!" 	<p>Robert A. Lee December 1988 auction #52, Lot #809</p> 
NT/JA 13/99	UO	N	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown strike cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Levy Bros., Hamilton</p>	Jack Gordon collection/notes
NT/JA 13/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Rev. S.W. Taylor, Nanaimo, B.C.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/JA 16/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: back flap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Savannah Photo' Parlors, Victoria, B.C. (purple ink) <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: J. Phiep Esq, 821 3rd Ave, Seattle, Wash.</p> <p>Backstamp: SEATTLE, WASH CDS receiver dated JAN17/3 AM/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> auction listing: "#85 tied by VICTORIA BC/NT/JA 16/99 squared circle on SAVANNAH PHOTO PARLORS VICTOR back flap to Seattle, some aging else F PH" 	<p>Wild Rose Philatelics October 2016 Sale #74, Lot #1007</p> 

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NT/JA 19/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card (bottom left corner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attorney-General's Department, Victoria. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Caspar Phair Esq, Government Agent, Lillooet, B.C. (typewritten)</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/FE 1/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: corner card (bottom left corner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasury Department, Victoria, B.C. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: C. Phair, Esq., Assessor &c, Lillooet, B.C.</p> <p>Backstamp: LILLOOET/B.C. Type A1 split circle receiver dated FE 3/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "ties 2¢ MAP stamp lavender shade to 'Treasury Dept., Victoria, B.C.' c.c. (w/ Government embossed seal on back flap) cover to LILLOOET, B.C. FE 3/99 split ring b/s. Clean cover" • ref (2): "85 (True Lavender) VICTORIA NT FE 1/99 BC SQ.Cir. B/S LILLOOET BC (lovely unsealed Govt of BC logo in blue on flap) A Beauty. VF-SUP" • envelope sealed with a lovely Government of BC logo in blue on the backflap 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee January 1984 auction #30, Lot #540</p> <p>2. Bow City Philatelics March 2004 Sale #66, Lot #886</p> 
PM/FE 6/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corner card: The Merchants Bank of Halifax, Vancouver, B.C. • Merchants Bank of Halifax pre-addressed envelope <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Manager, Merchants Bank of Halifax, Victoria, British Columbia.</p> <p>Backstamp: no backstamps</p>	<p>1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit</p> <p>2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #602</p> <p>3. Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/FE 13/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated advertising cover</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "This is the Flag...that waves over the Golden Klondyke" • Illustrated with a Canadian Flag <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Master B. Briercliffe, Lancashire, England</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "#85 tied Victoria sq. circle, flag re Klondyke, env. worn edges-GB" 	<p>Richard Lamb Special Offer List #46, Lot #1137</p> 





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AM/FE 27/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Toronto, ONT Backstamp: Toronto receiver dated MR 6/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Victoria cover AM FE 27'99 (H-18)" • ref (2): "ties #85 to cover to Toronto, MR 6/99 receiving b/s, slightly cut-down at left. RF 7.5, 18 recorded map covers" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #786 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #625</p>
NT/MR 15/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Driard (hotel), Victoria, B.C. • illustrated with the hotel and street scene in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs CS Pickford, "The Pines", Willow Park, Halifax, NS</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/MR 22/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down) Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "85 (Muddy Waters) VICTORIA NT MR 22/99 B.C. Square Cir. B/S Toronto Very dark Muddy Waters shade. Very attractive cvr. VF" 	<p>Bow City Philatelics April 2015 Sale #87, Lot #662</p> 
NT/MR 30/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Halifax, NS Backstamp: HALIFAX/CANADA CDS receiver dated 6/AP 6/99</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p>



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NT/AP 22/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm Rennie Esq, Seedsman, Toronto, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: TORONTO/CANADA Type A4 split circle receiver dated 15/AP 28/99</p>	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics Postal Bid Sale #90, Lot #358</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/AP 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic private post card to Holland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.C. Wilson patriotic multi-coloured private post card (WLS-P05 P-1) illustrated with 'Old Glory and the Maine' <p>Franking & Cancel: SC barely ties the Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the UPU post card rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss C.M. Bland & ? Berg, Diergaardelaan I, Rotterdam, Holland</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: Rotterdam double circle CDS receiver</p>	<p>J.C. Wilson website (www.jcwilson.ca)</p> 
PM/MY 1/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Advertising: backflap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Turner, Beeton & Co. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (sideways)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: E. Maude, Duncans Station, E&N. R. R. (Vancouver Island)</p> <p>Backstamp: DUNCANS' STATION/B.C. Type A1 split circle receiver dated -/MY 2/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/MY 10/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Edith Hawkes, 511-11th Street, Tacoma, Wash</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TACOMA/WASH. CDS receiver dated MAY 12/1-AM/18 99 oval 'RECEIVED/1' <p>Other: letter enclosed from "Arthur"</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 




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NT/MY 12/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada</p>	<p>Dealer stock</p> 
PM/JU 3/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Advertising: corner card Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Savona, BC Backstamp: SAVONA/B.C. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JU 5/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "nice bold strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to Victoria c.c. cover SAVONA/B.C. JU 5/99 split circle b/s, some aging & edge tears" 	Robert A. Lee October 1988 auction #51, Lot #1295
AM/JU 10/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Louis Frank, 408 Battery St., San Francisco, Cal.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/JU 15/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Addressee/Destination: Nanaimo, BC Backstamp: NANAIMO/B.C. Type A1 split circle receiver dated JUL 16/99 Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "Victoria cover NT JU 15'99 (H-18)" • ref (2): "ties #85 to cover to NANAIMO, B.C. JUL 16/99 split ring b/s. Nice clean cover" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #787 2. Robert A. Lee 1984 auction #32 of the Ron Winmill collection, Lot #626</p>

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NT/JY 26/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Scotland</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Driard, Victoria, B.C. Illustrated with a picture of the hotel & street scene, all in blue ink <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamps (2) & 1¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5¢ postage paid the old UPU letter rate since it is addressed to an Empire country, overpaid by 3¢ based on IPP rates <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Johnron-Frynron, Springhill, Ecclefechan, Scotland</p> <p>Backstamp: Ecclefechan Scotland CDS receiver dated AUG 11/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): "1899 Overpayment of the Old UPU Rate to Scotland, being an illustrated advertising cover for The Driard, mailed Victoria BC on JUL. 26. 1899 (squared circles) and received in Ecclefechan Scotland on AUG. 11 (neat receiver on back), and franked with two 2c Maps plus a 1c Numeral, paying the old UPU 5c rate, which had recently changed to 2c, so an overpayment of 3c was made. Tear at right, still fine." the Map stamps were a vertical pair that was separated before attaching to the cover (plating positions 1-A-61 (left stamp) and 1-A-71 (right stamp)) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Rob Lunn BNAPEX 2016 Exhibit Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #385 Current owner personal communication
NT/JY 28/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to Ireland</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamps (2, one in bottom left corner)</p> <p>Postage: 4¢ postage paid the double weight Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mrs. Hampton, The Donahues, Raheny, Co Dublin, Ireland</p> <p>Backstamp: Dublin AU 12/99 receiver</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (2): "two singles with uniform grayish brown "muddy water" effect to the oceans, tied to attractive double rate cover to Dublin, Ireland by "Victoria/B.C./JY 23 99" squared circle postmark, backstamped Dublin, very fine and choice cover; double rate covers with sole 2¢ Map franking to any country other than England are extremely rare according to Winmill, being particularly nice to the popular destination of Ireland" incorrectly listed as NT/JY 23/99 in ref (2) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Imperial Penny Postage of 1898 – BNAPS Exhibit #32 by Fred Fawn, pg 100 (2004) Spink Shreves Galleries November 2007 Sale 96 of the Fred Fawn collection, Lot #1480 - sold for \$350 US



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PM/JY 29/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Miss Lucy Wilmot, Belmont, Oromocto, N.B.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
AM/AU 19/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic post card to Belgium</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp & 1¢ QV Canada Postal Card</p> <p>Postage: 3¢ postage overpaid by 1¢ the UPU postcard rate to Europe which was 2¢ from 1897 to 1911</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Monsieur Chioph Bourgevis, Congres, Belgium</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: indistinct CONGRES CDS</p> <p>Other: according to the exhibit, "Only two postal items using the Map stamp and mailed to Belgium have been recorded."</p>	<p>Imperial Penny Postage 1898 – John T. Anders ORAPEX 2002 Exhibit</p> 
PM/AU 19/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic to Germany</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SC cancel Map stamps (2, horizontal pair) & 1¢ Numeral (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage paid the UPU letter rate to Europe</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Frau Brader, Ichenhausen, Ulm, Baiern, Germany</p> <p>Backstamp: ICHENHAUSEN CDS receiver dated 3/SEP/5-??/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "#85 (pair) and #75 on cover from Victoria (Au19,1899,square circle) to Germany" • ref (2): "5¢ UPU RATE TO GERMANY, 2¢ Map pair + 1¢ Numeral tied by Au 19,'99 Victoria BC sq circle on cover to Schenhausen (b/s). F+-VF" • ref (3): lot of SC on Map stamps (47 stamps & 14 covers) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. J.K. Stobernack Fine Stamps January 1981 Private Treaty List #2, Lot #T1461 2. J.A. Hennok July 1989 auction, Lot #603 3. Sparks Auctions September 2018 Sale #28 of the Rob Lunn collection, Lot #348 4. Current owner personal communication 
NT/SP 23/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic Canada post card to Germany</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 SCs cancel Map stamp, 1¢ Numerals (2), & 1¢ Leaf Canada Postal Card</p> <p>Postage: 5¢ postage overpaid by 3¢ the UPU post card rate to Europe which was 2¢ from 1897 to 1911</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: (undecipherable name), Stettin, (undecipherable address) No 5, Germany</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: STETTIN/1t CDS receiver dated 9.10.99 ?-12N</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 


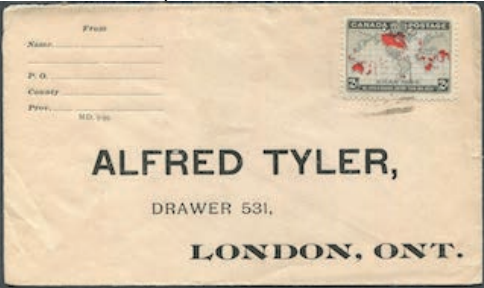
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
NT/NO 27/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA, front only</p> <p>Advertising: illustrated corner card in brown ink</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • E.J. Saunders & Co. Groceries, Victoria, B.C. • illustrated with views of Victoria <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: USA</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: “ ‘E.J. SAUNDERS & CO. GROCERIES, VICTORIA, B.C.’ brown ink illustr. adv. cover front only, shows ‘Victoria views’, w/2¢ MAP stamp #85 tied by VICTORIA/B.C. NT/NO 27/99 hmr. ll sq. circ. to USA, bit of aging, edge flts., stamp crease.” 	Robert A. Lee June 2000 auction #99, Lot #1039
PM/NO 30/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gore, Burnet & Co., Provincial Land Surveyors, Victoria, B.C. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Lambs, Lumbermen, Clinton, Iowa, U.S.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/DE 23/99	CC	N	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Langley Prairie, BC</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vancouver, BC, transit dated DE 25/99 • Langley, BC, transit dated DE 25/99 • Langley Prairie, BC, receiver dated DE 26/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • auction listing: "85 VICTORIA PM DE 23/99 BC SQ Cir. B/S VANCOUVER, LANGLEY DE 25/99, LANGLEY PRAIRIE DE 26/99 BC Spl cir Very Scarce. F" 	Bow City Philatelics May 2007 Sale #73, Lot #845
NT/JA 3/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • British Columbia Elec. RY Co. Ld, Victoria Branch, Victoria, B.C. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: The Ohio Brass Co., Mansfield, Ohio. (typewritten)</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): “single franking cover, some toning, edge faults, etc, strike very fine.” 	<p>1. R. Maresch & Son February 2005 auction, Lot #1362</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
PM/JA 6/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, front only</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp (upside down)</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Croft, 53 Bay Street, Toronto, Ont</p>	<p>1. Robert A. Lee March 1983 auction #26, Lot #420</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
NT/JA 9/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: trans-Atlantic cover to England</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the Empire letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Messrs Daniel Watney & Sons, 33 Poultry, London – E.C.</p>	<p>eBay</p> 
PM/JA 10/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John J. Sanfield Esq, Vancouver, BC</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
PM/JA 27/00	CC	N	<p>Cover type: cross-border cover to USA</p> <p>Advertising: corner card</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heisterman & Co. <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: USA</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1) "very fine, c.c. Heisterman & Co., GOLDEN OCEAN" • ref (2): "nice SON strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP #86 to c.c. cover to USA. Bit of age stain, small tear on back" • ref (3): "nice SON strike ties 2¢ MAP STAMP to c.c. cover to USA. Bit of age stain, sm. back tear" 	<p>1. Richard Lamb Sale #86, Lot #1229</p> <p>2. Robert A. Lee September 1985 auction #36, Lot #1805</p> <p>3. Robert A. Lee May 1986 auction #38, Lot #1109</p>

2.12 Type 2 Squared Circle Map Stamp Covers - RPOs


NAPINKA & WINNIPEG M.C., No. 1



The No. 1 version of the Napinka & Winnipeg RPO Squared Circle hammer is listed in Gray's handbook of RPO strikes as WT-481.01. This Squared Circle hammer was proofed on EAST/JA 16/94 and used from ?/JA 26/94 to EAST/JY 9/07. The EAST direction mark was used during the Map stamp period with a few WEST and the occasional E.

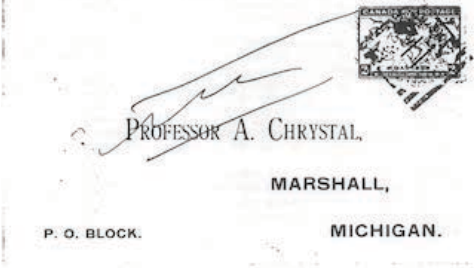

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
EAST/FE 14/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: unknown Addressee/Destination: L.O. Leucienes Esq, 556 Alexander St., Winnipeg Postmarks on Obverse: carrier CDS hand stamp dated 1/FE 15/99 Backstamp: WINNIPEG/CANADA CDS receiver dated ?/FE 14/99</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
EAST/FE 17/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: unknown Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont. Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/FE 20/00</p>	<p>1. eBay August 2019 2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

NAPINKA & WINNIPEG M.C., No. 2

The No. 2 version of the Napinka & Winnipeg RPO Squared Circle hammer is listed in Gray's handbook of RPO strikes as WT-481.02. This Squared Circle hammer was proofed on EAST/JA 16/94 and used with EAST/WEST direction marks in Period 3 from EAST/DE 31/98 to WEST/DE 22/04.


Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover & Comments
???	C	N	lot of 3 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons January 1961 auction #187, Lot #890
???	C	N	lot of 26 covers and 3 fronts	R. Maresch & Son November 1977 auction, Lot #654
EAST/MR 3/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate Origin: unknown Addressee/Destination: JC MacNab Eq, Box 373, Winnipeg, Man</p>	<p>eBay July 2015</p> 




Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover & Comments
EAST/AP 17/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Rennie's Seeds corner card & pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 4 ALCESTER/MAN. Type A1 split circles dated AP 15/99 cancel Map stamps (3, 2 a horizontal pair and one in bottom left corner) & 1¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Alcester, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: William Rennie, Toronto, Canada.</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ALCESTER/MAN. Type A1 split circle free strike dated AP 15/99 oval 'R' postmark <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Alcester split circle dispatch Napinka & Winnipeg SC transit BOISSEVAIN/MAN. CDS transit dated AP 15/99 TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated NT/AP 19/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ref (1): "ALCESTER/MAN. AP 15/99 lt. split circle free strike + 3 additional strikes ties #75, 3 x 2¢ MAP stamps to reg'd cover to Toronto (1884-1907, RF D). Has NAPINKA & WINNIPEG M.C./No.2 EAST/AP 7/99 sq. circ. b/s. Bit of aging, wrinkles & creases." note incorrect date for RPO strike in auction listing 	<p>1. Robert A. Lee November 2005 auction #113, Lot #871</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
EAST/MY 15/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 9-bar circular grid cancels Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Wakopa, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Wm. Rennie, Toronto</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WAKOPA/MAN. Type A1 split circle dispatch free strike dated MY 13/99 straightline 'REGISTERED' <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 Wakopa split circle dispatch Napinka & Winnipeg SC transit KILLARNEY/MAN. CDS transit dated MY 13/99 <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> wax seal on backflap ref (1): "85 + 70 REGISTERED H/S, WAKOPA MY 13/99 MAN Spl cir. B/S Same x3, NAPINKA & WINNIPEG MC NO.2 EAST MY 15/99 SQ Cir (Super strike) KILLARNEY MAN to Toronto. VF" 	<p>1. Bow City Philatelics May 2007 sale #73, Lot #304</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 

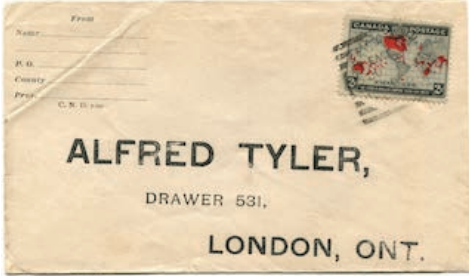
Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover & Comments
EAST/JU 18/99	CC	O	<p>Cover type: cross-border pre-addressed envelope to USA</p> <p>Advertising: Professor A. Chrystal pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the USA letter rate</p> <p>Origin: unknown</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Professor A. Chrystal, Marshall, Michigan.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • journal: "A previously unreported Map cover..." 	<p>Roundup Annex, Vol 5, #1, Whole #26, pg 246 (1982)</p> 
EAST/FE 14/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Killarney, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

SOURIS & WINNIPEG M.C., No. 2

The No. 2 version of the Souris & Winnipeg RPO Squared Circle hammer is listed in Gray's handbook of RPO strikes as WT-778.02. This Squared Circle hammer was proofed on EAST/JA 16/94 and used from EAST/JU 21/95 to ?/SP 16/08. The EAST direction mark was used predominantly, with W used occasionally in 1898 and 1899.

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
???	C	N	lot of 7 SC Map stamp covers	J.N. Sissons February 1989 auction #486 of the Howard Bryce collection, Lot #277
???	C	N	lot of 32 SC Map stamp covers (26 covers & 6 fronts)	Eastern Auctions October 2011 auction of the Hugh Westgate collection, Lot #275
EAST/FE 28/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 3 GLENBORO/MAN. CDS dated FE 28/99 cancel Map stamps (2, horizontal pair, upside down) & 3¢ Numeral</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Glenboro, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: John Dougall & Son, "Witness" office, Montreal</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: oval 'R' postmark</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 oval 'R' postmarks • 2 Glenboro CDS dispatch • 3 Souris & Winnipeg SC transit • MONTREAL.CANADA barred circle receiver dated MR4 A10/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
EAST/MR 14/99	TR	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, registered</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: 2 GLENBORO/MAN. CDS dated MR 14/99 cancel Map stamp & 5¢ Leaf</p> <p>Postage: 7¢ postage paid the domestic registered letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Glenboro, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Mr. Wm .Rennie, Cor Adelaide & Jarvis Stes, Toronto, Canada</p> <p>Postmarks on Obverse: 2 oval 'R' postmarks</p> <p>Backstamps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 oval 'R' postmarks • 2 Glenboro CDS dispatch • 2 Souris & Winnipeg SC transit • TORONTO/CANADA CDS receiver dated ?/MR 1?/99 	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 
EAST/NO 14/99	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: light SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Palmerston Carriage Co, Palmerston, Ont</p> <p>Backstamp: PALMERSTON/ONT. Type A1 split circle receiver dated NO 16/99</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (2): "Type 2, VG, strike tying stamp to cover, to Palmerston 1899, 2 covers known, Fine" • ref (3): "Type 2, a light but clear strike, No'99, 2 Map covers known, Fine" 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Squared Circles on the 1898 Canadian Map Stamps – N.A. Pelletier CAPEX '78 Exhibit 2. J.N. Sissons May 1982 auction of the Nels Pelletier collection, Lot #604 3. J.N. Sissons August 1985 auction #443 of the Max Rosenthal collection, Lot #1266 4. eBay 5. Current owner personal communication 
EAST/MR 27/00	CC	O/R	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Origin: Glenboro, MAN</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Backstamp: LONDON/ONT. CDS receiver dated 6/MR 30/00</p>	<p>Current owner personal communication</p> 

Strike Date	Type	Image	Description & Comments	Reference for Cover
EAST/JU 5/00	CC	O	<p>Cover type: domestic, pre-addressed return envelope</p> <p>Advertising: Alfred Tyler pre-addressed envelope</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: SC cancels Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: 2¢ postage paid the domestic letter rate</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: Alfred Tyler, Drawer 531, London, Ont.</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "EAST JU ?'00 only a total of three SC RPO Map covers are recorded. (H-2)" 	<p>1. J.A. Hennok December 1983 auction, Lot #795</p> <p>2. Current owner personal communication</p> 
?/DE 27/00	C	N	<p>Cover type: unknown</p> <p>Franking & Cancel: unknown, assumed single Map stamp</p> <p>Postage: unknown, assumed 2¢ postage</p> <p>Addressee/Destination: unknown</p> <p>Other:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ref (1): "The Souris & Winnipeg (No.2) R.P.O. has not previously been reported on cover with Map Stamp." 	<p>1. <i>Roundup Annex</i>, Vol 1, #4, Whole #4, pg 51 (1977)</p> <p>2. <i>BNA Topics</i>, Vol 34, #5, Whole #361, pg 32 (1977)</p>

3. Analysis of the Squared Circle Map Stamp Cover Census

The analysis of the cover Census information gives insight into the usage patterns for the markings and frankings on Map stamp mail in the Squared Circle era. After a review of some basic statistics from the Census, sections in this chapter will look at the month of Squared Circle hammer use, the manner in which the post offices used the Squared Circle hammer, postal rates/franking on Map stamp covers, the use of the Map stamp on noteworthy dates, and destinations.

3.1 Basic Statistics from the Map Stamp Cover Census

- 1159 Map covers from 167 Squared Circle hammers are listed in the Census
 - approximately half of the 167 hammers are documented on 4 or fewer covers
 - 18 covers bear Squared Circle postmarks from 2 different hammers
 - one cover has Squared Circle postmarks from 3 different hammers (see Acton/ONT, cancelling strike, Georgetown/ONT transit, and Milton West/ONT receiver)
- Squared Circle postmarks from 19 hammers that were undocumented on Map stamp covers in Handbook #5 have been reported since its' publication
- 3 hammers that were reported in Handbook #5 to have at least 1 Map cover do not have a cover recorded in the database (Riviere du Loup Station, Rodney, Donald) - the current owners of these covers are unknown and no reports have surfaced in the philatelic literature to augment or verify the Handbook #5 data
- 21 hammers have fewer covers documented in the Census than are reported in Handbook #5 (totalling 47 covers, with the greatest discrepancy being York Street with -15)
- 119 hammers have a greater number of covers documented in the census than are reported in Handbook #5 (largest difference is Halifax with +43)
- 9 hammers are reported only on cover (no off-cover Map stamp strikes⁹) - Charlottetown, Rothesay, Eastman, Waterloo QUE, Beeton, Marmora, Martintown, Merritton, and St. Ann's
 - of these 9 hammers, Rothesay and St. Ann's are unique strikes on the Map stamp
- 30 hammers have a single reported Map stamp cover in the Census but also have one or more documented off-cover strikes⁹
 - note that of these 30 hammers, 6 are listed as having more than 1 cover in Handbook #5
- 1012 (87%) of the 1159 reported covers have an image, whether full or partial, associated with the listing

- 74 covers have partial images (71 OP, 3 R or RP), fairly typical in early auction catalogues where only the portion of the cover bearing the Squared Circle postmark and/or the Map stamp(s) was included
- 433 covers are accompanied by a full image of only the obverse (O)
- 505 covers are accompanied by full images of both the obverse & reverse (O/R)
- 147 (13%) of the 1160 covers do not have an image associated with the listing
 - most of these are from auction lots, journal articles, or collector reports (personal communications) that list only the town and strike date, while others are from covers that I have seen in dealers stock or stamp show exhibits for which no scan/photo was obtained
- dates of the Squared Circle postmarks on cover range from DE 6/98 (St. Hyacinthe) to AP 5/04 (Powassan)
 - 2 covers documented in 1901, 1 cover documented in each of 1902 and 1904, and none in 1903
- Earliest recorded domestic use: DE 6/98 (St. Hyacinthe to Montreal)
- Earliest recorded use to the USA: DE 10/98 (St. John, NB, to New York)
- Earliest recorded use to an Empire country: DE 8/98 (Toronto to Sydney, Australia)
- Earliest recorded use to a non-Empire country: DE 12/98 (London East to Denmark)

3.2 Month of Squared Circle Hammer Use on Map Stamp Covers

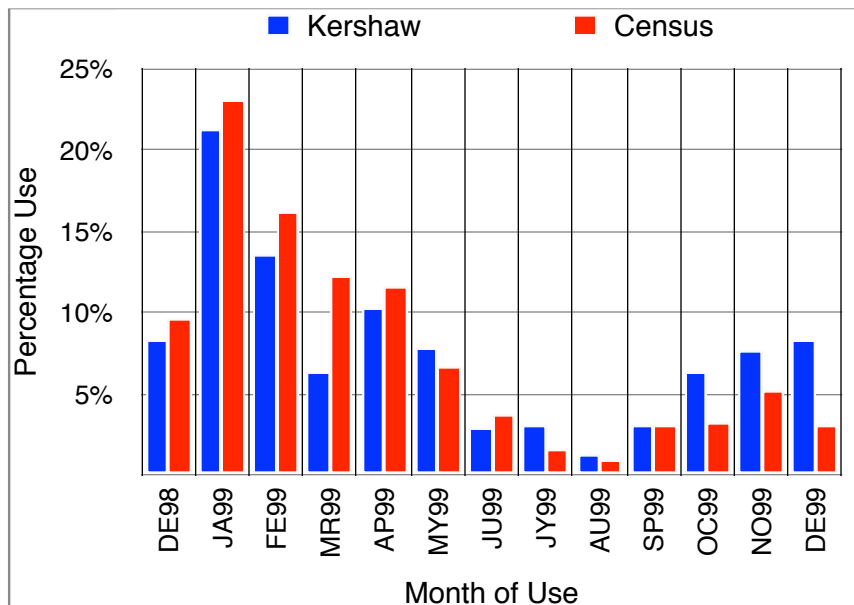
Ken Kershaw analyzed ‘about 1000’ clear and readable cancelled off-cover Map stamps (all cancel types) in 2003 and reported, in graphical format according to plate number, their month of commercial use in the 13 months DE/98 through DE 31/99.¹⁴ According to W.L. Bradley,¹ this time period accounts for about 94% of all cancelled Map stamps. In a similar manner, I have examined the use of the Map stamp over the same time period using the Squared Circle Map stamp covers in the Census database. 1024 covers have strikes with legible month/year indicia in the requisite time period, making the dataset similar in size to the dataset in the Kershaw study.

The values that were extracted from the graphs presented by Kershaw in *The 1898 Christmas Map Stamp Newsletter* are tabulated below (**Table 3.1**, columns 2-6) and summarized in column 7. Columns 8,9 in **Table 3.1** list the monthly use of the Map stamp as determined by the number of Squared Circle cover strikes in the Census. The data in Columns 7 and 9 are plotted in **Graph 3.1**. For comparison, the number of Map stamps delivered monthly to the Post Office by the America Bank Note Company (from their records) are tabulated in Columns 10 and 11 of **Table 3.1**.¹⁵

Table 3.1 Month of Map Stamp Use: Comparison of Kershaw Study and Census Database

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Month of Use	Plate 1 Map Stamps	Plate 2 Map Stamps	Plate 3 Map Stamps	Plate 5 Map Stamps	Kershaw Totals	% Kershaw	Census Map Covers	% Census	Sheets Delivered by ABNC	% Delivered
DE 98	74	0	0	0	74	8.3	99	9.7	29100	14.6
JA 99	112	78	0	0	190	21.2	235	22.9	51500	25.8
FE 99	30	86	4	1	121	13.5	165	16.1	11500	5.8
MR 99	8	16	22	11	57	6.4	125	12.2	15000	7.5
AP 99	8	10	20	53	91	10.2	118	11.5	14000	7.0
MY 99	2	15	19	34	70	7.8	68	6.6	9000	4.5
JU 99	4	12	7	3	26	2.9	38	3.7	4000	2.0
JY 99	1	15	7	5	28	3.1	17	1.7	0	0.0
AU 99	1	5	4	1	11	1.2	9	0.9	5000	2.5
SP 99	0	1	16	11	28	3.1	31	3.0	16000	8.0
OC 99	5	9	13	30	57	6.4	34	3.3	17000	8.5
NO 99	8	4	27	29	68	7.6	53	5.2	17000	8.5
DE 99	13	11	20	30	74	8.3	32	3.1	10175	5.1
Total					895		1024		199275	

Graph 3.1 Month of Map Stamp Use: Comparison of Kershaw Study and Census Database



Graph 3.1 compares the monthly use of the Map stamp in the Squared Circle cover Census and the Kershaw off-cover stamp study. The primary variable in the Kershaw study is the use of the Map stamp over time - there was no limitation to the town or type of cancellation, only that a legible date be present on the cancelled stamp. Presumably, therefore, the Kershaw study reflects the pattern of use of the Map stamp in Canada during the time period in question. A priori, it would not be surprising if the Squared Circle postmarked Map stamp covers in the Census did not reflect the general use of the Map stamp in Canada. Recall that these covers come from only 167 of the more than 9000 post offices¹⁶ in Canada in 1898 and, in some of these towns, the SC hammer saw interrupted use, or was used for only special purposes. However, we find a monthly use of the Map stamp that is generally similar when comparing the Squared Circle cover Census study and the Kershaw off-cover stamp study. The comparison also reveals several noteworthy observations.

First, in both studies we find a sharp uptake in the use of the Map stamp in January 1899 compared to December 1898. Even though the Map stamp was available to prepay postage in early December 1898, presumably the rapid January uptake was due to the change in postal rates (from 3¢ to 2¢) in late December (Imperial Penny Postage took effect on December 25) and January 1 which made the use of a single 2¢ stamp feasible, not only as the basic rate for Empire country destinations (DE 25/98), but also for domestic and USA destinations (JA 1/99).

Second, in the Census study we observe a constant gradual decline in the use of the Map stamp from JA/99 (22.9%) to AU/99 (0.8%). A similar trend is observed in the Kershaw study except for an outlier month, MR/99, in which the Kershaw study reports an anomalously low percentage use (6.4%) when compared with the use in FE/99 (13.5%) and AP/99 (10.2%). I have no good explanation for this observation.

Thirdly, August 1899 dates are relatively uncommon in both studies (0.9% and 1.2%). The preferential use of the 2¢ Numeral and 2¢ Maple Leaf provisionals, issued on July 28/99 and Aug 8/99, respectively, may well have temporarily superseded the use of the 2¢ Map stamp, leading to this observation.

Fourthly, the Kershaw study registers a percentage use of the Map stamp in the Christmas season of 1899 (OC-DE, 22.3%) that is significantly higher compared to the use in the Census study (OC-DE, 11.6%). This observation may reflect the gradual general disuse of Squared Circle hammers in many towns by the end of 1899 rather than a selective declining use of the Map stamp, compared to other alternative stamp issues, in those towns using a Squared Circle hammer. This explanation is supported by the fact that only 48 Squared Circle hammers (out of the 167 hammers known on Map stamp covers) appear as postmarks on Map stamp covers after DE 31/99.

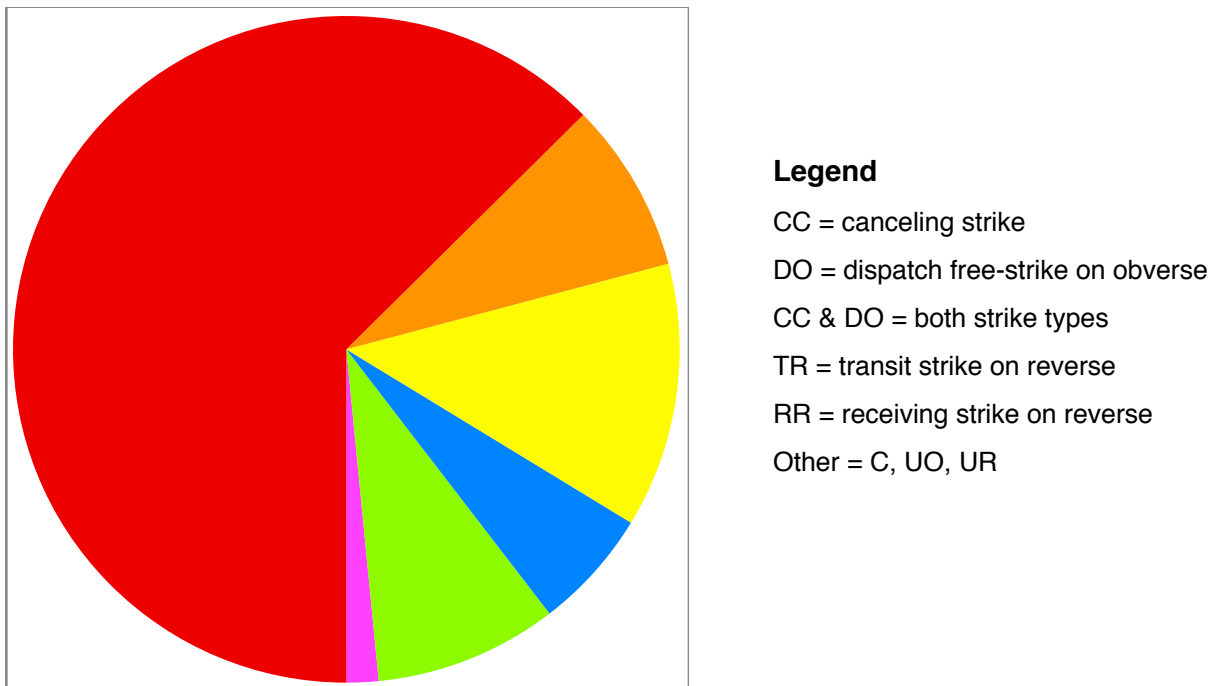
Finally, the number of Map stamps delivered monthly to the Post Office by the America Bank Note Company generally follows the use pattern as documented in both studies. The first delivery was made on December 2/98 (100 sheets x 100 stamps) and the final delivery was made on December 12/99 (5175 sheets x 100 stamps).¹⁵

3.3 Post Office Use of the Squared Circle Hammer (Type of Postmark)

During the Map stamp period, the post office ‘General Laws and Regulations’ read that “Postmasters should be careful to postmark distinctly all letters posted or received at their offices and to effectually cancel all stamps thereon”.¹⁷ Specifically, in 1894 the Postal Regulations read that “... the ordinary office Dated Stamp is in all cases to be made to serve the double purpose of dated stamp and obliterator”.¹⁸ Therefore, the Squared Circle hammer could have been used to satisfy all of the official postmarking activities required of the postmaster.

Using the Census database, we can study the manner in which the Squared Circle hammer was used by the postmasters during the Map stamp period, whether as a combination dater/canceling device (obliterator) (CC), or as a town dispatch free-strike date stamp on the obverse (DO) with another device being used as the obliterator, or as a backstamp transit (TR) or receiving dater (RR). The breakdown for each town can be ascertained from the detailed listings and an overall summary is presented in **Graph 3.2** and detailed below.

Graph 3.2 Type of Squared Circle Postmarks on Map Stamp Covers (Percentage)



- 1141 covers with known postmark types (CC, DO, TR, RR)
- 18 with unknown postmark types (C, UO, UR)
- 71% are Squared Circle canceling strikes (CC or CC & DO) from the dispatching town
- 13% are Squared Circle dispatch free-strikes on the obverse of Map covers (DO only) with another postmark (grid, duplex, flag, cork, etc) canceling the Map stamp
- therefore, on 84% of the covers, the Squared Circle hammer was used by the postmaster in the dispatching town/RPO
- 6% are Squared Circle backstamp transit free-strikes (TR)
- 9% are Squared Circle backstamp receiving free-strikes (RR)

Therefore, it is clear that the predominant use of the Squared Circle hammer on Map stamp covers, by a wide margin, was as a combination dater/obliterator (CC, or CC&DO), followed by use as a dispatch free-strike dater (DO), a backstamp free-strike receiver (RR), and finally a backstamp free-strike transit dater (TR). It is possible that this result is somewhat skewed toward strikes on the obverse of covers since, over the years, Map stamp covers with Squared Circle backstamps were probably discarded by collectors who were more focussed on collecting specific stamps on cover, or cancellations of stamps on cover.

It is interesting to note that in many of the towns with significant numbers of documented Map stamp covers, the postmasters used the Squared Circle hammer almost exclusively as an obliterator/dater. For example, I have not documented the use of the Halifax (100 covers), Victoria (37 covers), York Street (23 covers), or St. Thomas (22 covers) hammers in any other way. Only 8 towns are documented to have used the hammer for all postmark types (Mount Forest, Dundas, Dunnville, Georgetown, ONT, Goderich, Iroquois, Listowel, and Tara).

3.4 Postal Rates and Frankings

The postal rates in the “Map stamp period” are numerous.¹⁹ In part, this can be attributed to the postal rate changes that were brought about by the establishment of Imperial Penny Postage on December 25, 1898, and the domestic/USA rate changes that occurred on January 1, 1899. Both of these rate modifications made the use of a single 2¢ Map stamp sufficient to pay the basic first class letter rate domestically (per ounce), to the USA (per ounce) and to most British Empire countries (per 1/2 ounce). As a result, domestic and USA Squared Circle covers that are franked with a single Map stamp, paying the basic 2¢ rate from January 1, 1899, are numerous. However, many of the other rates, both old and new, can also be found on combination franking Squared Circle covers where the postage was partially paid with the Map stamp(s). The Tables below list those “non-common rate” covers that have been identified from the Census.

The Tables are broken down by destination - first domestic (**Table 3.4.1**), followed by the USA (**Table 3.4.2**), the British Empire (**Table 3.4.3**), and finally foreign non-Empire (**Table 3.4.4**). The Tables are arranged in order of decreasing postage, with the rate explained. Also included are the number of Map stamps used in the franking, along with the other stamps that made up the postage rate for combination frankings. Covers from January 1, 1899 onward that are franked with a single Map stamp, paying the common 2¢ rate for domestic and USA destinations, are not included in **Table 3.4.1** or **Table 3.4.2**.

3.4.1 Postal Rates on Domestic Destination Map Stamp Covers

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
12¢	2¢ Domestic rate from JA 1/99 + 10¢ special delivery	1	10¢ Special Delivery	Toronto, ONT	Flesherton (-/OC 17/99)
	12¢ Domestic parcel post rate (from 1879 to 1900 the parcel post rate for domestic packages weighing >4 oz but <8 oz was 12¢ (see ref (19), pg 364)	1	2 x 1¢ Leaf, 2¢ Leaf, 3¢ Leaf, 3¢ Jubilee	London, ONT	Toronto (2PM/FE 16/99)
11¢	Double 3¢ domestic rate to DE 31/98 + 5¢ registration	5	1¢ Numeral	Summerside, PEI	Summerside (-/DE 28/98)
9¢	Double 2¢ domestic rate from JA 1/99 + 5¢ registration	1	2 x 2¢ Numeral, 2¢ Leaf, 1/2¢ Numeral, 1/2¢ Leaf	Milton West, ONT	Smiths Falls (-/FE 27/99)
		1	2 x 2¢ Numeral, 3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Georgetown, ONT (-/MR 22/99)
		2	5¢ Jubilee	London, ONT	Stouffville (* /SP 26/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral, 2¢ purple Numeral	Toronto	Gore Bay (-/AP ??/99)
8¢	3¢ Domestic rate to DE 31/98 + 5¢ registration	1	2 x 3¢ Numeral	Halifax, NS	Pictou (-/DE 27/98)

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
		1	1/2¢ Jubilee, 1¢ Jubilee, 2¢ Jubilee, 1/2¢ Leaf, 1/2¢ Numeral, 1/2¢ Small Queen, 1¢ postal stationery	Montreal, QUE	St. Hyacinthe (AM/DE 6/98)
8¢	2¢ Domestic rate from JA 1/99 + 5¢ registration; overpaid by 1¢	2	1¢ Numeral, 3¢ postal stationery	Toronto, ONT	Orillia (PM/MR 21/99)
7¢	2¢ Domestic rate from JA 1/99 + 5¢ registration	1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Bobcaygeon (-/JA 3/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Cobden, ONT	Cobden (-/NO 14/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	???	Gore Bay (??)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Huntsville (?/AP 11/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Seelys Bay (AM/FE 28/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Thamesford (-/AP 22/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Thamesford (-/DE 14/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Warkworth (-/AP 10/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Warkworth (-/AP 19/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Warkworth (-/JU 9/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Halifax, NS	Calgary (PM/JU 7/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Napinka & Winnipeg No.2 (EAST/MY 15/99)
		1	5¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Souris & Winnipeg No. 2 (EAST/MR 14/99)
		1	5¢ Numeral	Campbellcroft, ONT	Port Hope (-/DE 22/99)
		1	5¢ Numeral	Kingston, ONT	Smiths Falls (-/JA 5/00)
		1	5¢ Numeral	Halifax, NS	Sydney (-/NO 7/99)
		1	5¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Wallaceburg (AM/MR 16/00)
		1	5¢ Edward	Kemptville, ONT	Powassan (-/AP 5/04)
		1	1¢ Leaf, 1¢ Numeral, 3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Goderich (-/JA 12/99)
		1	2 x 1¢ Leaf, 3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Lindsay (-/AP 21/99)

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
		1	2¢ Numeral, 3¢ Numeral	Brantford, ONT	Georgetown, ONT (-/FE 8/99)
		1	2¢ Numeral, 3¢ Numeral	Listowel, ONT	Listowel, ONT (-/JA ??/99)
		1	2¢ Numeral, 3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Calgary (PM/AP 1/99)
		1	2 x 2¢ Numeral, 1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Huntsville (PM/AP 21/99)
		1	3 x 1¢ Leaf, 2 x 1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Huntsville (PM/AP 10/99)
		2	3 x 1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Manitowaning (??)
		2	3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Listowel (-/AP 14/99)
		2	3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Lucknow (-/MY 13/99)
		2	3¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Maple Creek (-/FE 13/99)
		2	3¢ Numeral	Montreal, QUE	Souris & Winnipeg No. 2 (EAST/FE 28/99)
		3	1¢ Jubilee	Toronto, ONT	Beaverton (AM/JA 21/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Halifax, NS	Baddeck (-/MY 20/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Hamilton, ONT	North Sydney (-/MY 11/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	North Sydney (-/MY 11/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Huntsville (-/FE 28/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Sault Ste. Marie (PM/AP 14/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Elkhorn (-/AP 21/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Innisfail (-/MR 7/99)
		3	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	Napinka & Winnipeg No.2 (EAST/AP 17/99)
		3	1¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Manitowaning (-/AP ??/99)
		3	1¢ Leaf	Toronto, ONT	Martintown (-/AP 25/99)
		3	1¢ ?	Arichat, NS	Whycocomagh (PM/FE 2/99)
6¢	Triple 2¢ domestic rate from JA 1/99	1	1¢ Leaf, 3¢ Numeral	Brantford, ONT	Toronto (2PM/JA 13/99)
		3	None	Yarmouth, NS	Halifax (3/JA 20/99)

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
4¢	Double 2¢ domestic rate from JA 1/99	2	None	Prescott, ONT	Brockville (PM/DE 19/99)
		2	None	Woodstock, NB	Woodstock, NB (-/JA 5/99)
		2	None	Toronto, ONT	Leamington (-/MY 2/99)
		2	None	Brantford, ONT	Milton West (?/JA 12/99)
		2	None	Brantford, ONT	Paris (B/JA 11/99)
		2	None	Port Hope, ONT	Port Hope (-/FE 4/99)
		2	None	???	Sarnia (AM/DE 24/99)
		2	None	St. John, NB	Toronto (7PM/NO 2/99)
3¢	3¢ Domestic rate to DE 31/98	1	1¢ Numeral	St. John, NB	Annapolis (-/DE 27/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Bridgewater, NS	Halifax (3/DE 18/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Truro, NS	Halifax (2/DE 27/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	New Glasgow, NS	Pictou (-/DE 21/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Antigonish, NS	Sydney (-/DE 22/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Yarmouth, NS	Truro (PM/DE 20/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Yarmouth, NS	St. John (PM/DE 14/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Woodstock, NB	St. John (PM/DE 28/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	St. John, NB	Woodstock, NB (-/DE 22/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Dundas, ONT	Dundas (PM/DE 10/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Dunnville, ONT	Dunnville (-/DE 26/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Hamilton, ONT	Paris (A/DE 19/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Toronto, ONT	St. Thomas (PM/DE 20/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Tara, ONT	St. Thomas (AM/DE 23/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Tara, ONT	St. Thomas (AM/DE 26/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Tara, ONT	St. Thomas (AM/DE 28/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Tara, ONT	St. Thomas (AM/DE 29/98)

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
		1	1¢ Numeral	Montreal, QUE	Smiths Falls (-/DE 15/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	St. Thomas, ONT	Tara (-/DE 27/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	St. Thomas, ONT	Tara (-/DE 30/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	St. Thomas, ONT	Tara (-/DE 30/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Wingham, ONT	Tavistock (-/DE 19/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Tavistock, ONT	Wingham (-/DE 20/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Winnipeg, MAN	Deloraine (-/DE 23/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Vancouver, BC	Victoria (NT/DE 16/98)
		1	1¢ postal stationery	Weston, ONT	Dunnville (-/DE 19/98)
		1	1¢ postal stationery	Weston, ONT	Weston (-/DE 20/98)
		1	1/2¢ Numeral, 1/2¢ Leaf	Newmarket, ONT	Kingston (-/DE 8/98)
		1	1¢ ?	Dunnville, ONT	Bleecker St. (-/DE 25/98)
3¢	2¢ Domestic rate from JA 1/99; overpaid 1¢	1	1¢ postal stationery	Ottawa, ONT	St. Thomas (PM/MY 15/99)
2¢	3¢ Domestic rate to DE 31/98, short paid 1¢	1	None	Windsor, ONT	Halifax (3/DE 31/98)
2¢	1¢ Domestic post card rate to DE 31/98, overpaid by 1¢	1	None	Amherst, NS	St. John (PM/DE 20/98)
2¢	2¢ Local drop letter rate with carrier service to DE 31/98 (domestic rate is normally 3¢ at this time)	1	None		Halifax (3/DE 11/98)
		1	None		St. John (AM/DE 12/98)
		1	None		Halifax (3/DE 13/98)
		1	None		Queen St. East (-/DE 13/98)
		1	None		Halifax (3/DE 18/98)
		1	None		York Street (? :30/DE 19/98)
		1	None		St. John (PM/DE 23/98)
		1	None		Halifax (1/DE 31/98)
		1	None		York Street (? :30/DE 31/98)
		1	None		York Street (6:30/DE 31/98)

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
		1	None		York Street (6:30/DE 31/98)
1¢	1¢ Local drop letter rate without carrier service from JA 1/99 (domestic rate is normally 2¢ at this time)	1/2	Map bisect	Mount Forest	Mount Forest (-1?? 12/??)

3.4.2 Postal Rates on USA Destination Map Stamp Covers

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
11¢	Double 3¢ USA rate to DE 31/98 + 5¢ registration	4	3¢ Numeral	Boston, MA	Maple Creek (-/DE 21/98)
8¢	3¢ USA rate to DE 31/98 + 5¢ registration	4	None	New Bedford, MA	Goderich (-/DE 21/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral, 5¢ Leaf	Norwood, OH	Smiths Falls (-/DE 21/98)
8¢	Quadruple 2¢ USA rate from JA 1/99	4	None	Philadelphia, PA	Toronto (1PM/MR 4/99)
7¢	2¢ USA rate from JA 1/99 + 5¢ registration	1	5¢ Leaf	Milwaukee, WI	York Street (7PM/MY 15/00)
		2	2 x 1/2¢ Leaf, 2¢ postal stationery	Rochester, NY	Pictou (-/MR 13/99)
4¢	Double 2¢ USA rate from JA 1/99	2	None	Fremont, NB	Halifax (3/FE 1/99)
3¢	3¢ USA rate to DE 31/98	1	1¢ Numeral	Fort Collins, CO	Halifax (1/DE 14/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	New York, NY	Halifax (4/DE 28/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Boston, MA	Halifax (1/DE 31/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Boston, MA	Halifax (1/DE 31/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Brookline, MA	Halifax (1/DE 31/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	New York, NY	St. John (PM/DE 16/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Richmond, VA	St. Hyacinthe (AM/DE 28/98)
		1	1¢ Numeral	Chicago, IL	Cornwall (-/DE 19/98)
		1	2 x 1/2¢ Jubilee	Saginaw, MI	Acton (-/DE 24/98)
		1	2 x 1/2¢ Jubilee	Saginaw, MI	Acton (-/DE 24/98)
		1	2 x 1/2¢ Jubilee	Saginaw, MI	Acton (-/DE 24/98)
		1	2 x 1/2¢ Jubilee	???	Acton (-/DE 24/98)
		1	2 x 1/2¢ Numeral	Brookline, MA	Halifax (4/DE 13/98)
		1	1¢ ?	New York, NY	St. John (PM/DE 10/98)
2¢	Double 2¢ USA rate from JA 1/99, short paid by 2¢	1	2¢ USA postage due	Newton Cente, MA	Sarnia (?/FE ??/00)

3.4.3 Postal Rates on British Empire Destination Map Stamp Covers

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
10¢	Double 5¢ UPU rate to Empire to DE 24/98	2	12 x 1/2¢ Numeral	Sydney, Australia	Toronto (11??/DE 8/98)
10¢	2¢ Empire rate from DE 25/98 + 5¢ registration; overpaid by 3¢	1	2 x 2¢ Numeral Provisional, 2¢ Numeral, 2¢ overprinted on 3¢ postal stationery	Madras, British India	Shediac (-/AU 28/99)
9¢	Double 2¢ Empire rate from DE 25/98 + 5¢ registration	2	5¢ Leaf	Aston Manor, England	Smiths Falls (-/JA 23/99)
6¢	Triple 2¢ Empire rate from DE 25/98	3	None	Scotland	Nanaimo (?/DE 16/99)
5¢	5¢ UPU rate to Empire to DE 24/98	1	3¢ Numeral	Cheltenham, England	Halifax (3/DE 11/98)
		1	3¢ Numeral	London, England	Halifax (3/DE 14/98)
		1	3¢ postal stationery	London, England	Halifax (3/DE 22/98)
		2	1¢ Numeral	London, England	Lindsay (PM/DE 12/98)
		2	1¢ Numeral	Portsmouth, England	Lucknow (-/DE 15/98)
		2	2 x 1/2¢ Numeral	Liverpool, England	St. John (PM/DE 18/98)
		2	2 x 1/2¢ Numeral	Liverpool, England	St. John (AM/DE 20/98)
5¢	2¢ Empire rate from DE 25/98; overpaid by 3¢	2	1¢ Leaf	Ecclefechan, Scotland	Victoria (NT/JY 26/99)
4¢	Double 2¢ Empire rate from DE 25/98	2	None	England	Spadina Ave (AM/MR 6/99)
		2	None	Dublin, Ireland	Victoria (NT/JY 28/99)
2¢	2¢ Empire rate from DE 25/98	1	None	Aston Manor, England	London East (-/JA 18/99)
		1	None	Wimborne Minster, England	London East (-/AP ??/99)
		1	None	Renfrew, Scotland	Halifax (9) (3/DE 25/98)
		1	None	Moffat, Scotland	Port Maitland (-/AU 21/99)
		1	None	Stffordshire, England	Truro (PM/FE 20/99)
		1	None	Stffordshire, England	Truro (PM/FE 23/99)
		1	None	London, England	Wolfville (14) (-/DE 25/98)
		1	None	St. Georges, Bermuda	Shediac (-/SP 28/99)
		1	None	Abbeyleix, Ireland	Sherbrooke (1/MY 1/99)

		1	None	St. John's, Newfoundland	Arnprior (-/JA ??/99)
		1	None	Birmingham, England	Manitowaning (-/AP 6/99)
		1	None	London, England	Smiths Falls (-/OC 30/99)
		1	None	Halifax, England	Bleeker St. (-/JA 3/99)
		1	None	London, England	York Street (3:30/AP 13/99)
		1	None	Ballinluig, Scotland	Brandon (-/OC 7/99)
		1	None	Chester, England	Maple Creek (-/JY 14/99)
		1	None	Turkey (British Post Office)	Calgary (PM/MY 27/99)
		1	None	London, England	Nanaimo (AM/JA 11/99)
		1	None	Dublin, Ireland	Victoria (NT/DE 31/98)
		1	None	Uttoxeter, England, forwarded to Nottingham	Victoria (NT/DE 31/98)
		1	None	Lancashire, England	Victoria (AM/FE 13/99)
		1	None	London, England	Victoria (NTJA 9/00)

3.4.4 Postal Rates on Foreign Non-Empire Destination Map Stamp Covers

Postage	Rate Paid	Franking		Destination	Squared Circle (Date)
		# Maps	Other Stamps		
10¢	5¢ UPU rate to non-Empire + 5¢ registration	1	1¢ Numeral, 2¢ Numeral, 5¢ Leaf	Germany	Arnprior (-/MR 16/99)
5¢	5¢ UPU rate to non-Empire	1	3¢ Numeral	Denmark	Thornhill (AM/JY 20/99)
		1	1¢ Numeral, 2¢ Numeral	Denmark	Prescott (-/FE 8/00)
		2	1¢ Numeral	Denmark	London East (-/DE 12/98)
		2	1¢ Numeral	Japan	Three Rivers (-/MY 8/99)
		2	1¢ Numeral	Germany	Victoria (PM/AU 19/99)
5¢	2¢ UPU post card rate; overpaid by 3¢	1	1¢ Leaf postal card, 2 x 1¢ Numeral	Germany	Victoria (NT/SP 23/99)
3¢	2¢ UPU post card rate; overpaid by 1¢	1	1¢ QV Canada postal card	Belgium	Victoria (AM/AU 19/99)
2¢	2¢ UPU post card rate	1	None	Switzerland	St. Hyacinthe (AM/DE 19/98)
		1	None	Switzerland	St. Hyacinthe (AM/DE 29/98)
		1	None	Switzerland	St. Hyacinthe (?/DE 29/98)
		1	None	Holland	Victoria (PM/AP 28/99)

3.5 Destinations

In a 1982 article in *Maple Leaves*,²⁰ M.W. Carstairs states that “About 95% of Victorian Canadian covers in existence today are addressed either within Canada, to the United States or to Great Britain and Ireland. Anywhere else is uncommon, and if the rest of Europe is excluded, rare.” Based on the data shown below, 98.5% (omitting those covers of unknown destination) of the Squared Circle Map stamp covers in the Census fall into this category.

- Domestic: 890 (76.7%; note that no covers in the Census are addressed to ASSA or SASK)
 - ONT: 616
 - NS: 139
 - NB: 69
 - QUE: 31
 - MAN: 12
 - PEI: 11
 - BC: 11
 - ALTA: 1
- USA: 128 (11.0%)
 - NY: 34
 - MA: 20
 - MI: 10
 - Others: 64, including ≥ 1 but ≤ 8 to CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, IA, IL, IN, MD, ME, MN, MO, NB, NH, OH, PA, RI, VA, WA, WI, and unknown USA (9)
- Empire: 58 (5.0%)
 - England: 37
 - Scotland: 13
 - Ireland: 3
 - Newfoundland: 1
 - British India: 1
 - Australia: 1
 - Bermuda: 1
 - Turkey (British Consulate): 1
- Foreign non-Empire: 12 (1.0%)
 - Denmark: 3
 - Germany: 3

- Switzerland: 3
- Japan: 1
- Belgium: 1
- Holland: 1
- Unknown Destination: 72 (6.2%)

3.6 Strikes on Noteworthy Dates

3.6.1 First documented use of the Map stamp on cover with a Squared Circle cancel

The date recorded by the American Bank Note Company for the first delivery of Map stamps to the Post Office is Friday, December 2, 1898 (100 sheets).¹⁵ No covers with Squared Circle postmarks are known on this date or over the weekend, December 3/4.

The first documented Squared Circle strike on a Map stamp cover appears on Tuesday, dated AM/DE 6/98, on a registered, (likely) philatelically inspired cover from St. Hyacinthe to Montreal. This cover was described by C.R. McGuire in the *PHSC Journal* in 1996:²¹

- 5 Squared Circle strikes dated AM/DE 6/98 and 2 oval 'R' strikes cancel the Map stamp, 1/2¢ Jubilee, 1¢ Jubilee, 2¢ Jubilee, 1/2¢ Leaf, 1/2¢ Numeral & 1/2¢ Small Queen on 1¢ postal stationery (EN3)
- the 8¢ franking paid the domestic letter rate (3¢) plus registration (5¢)
- addressee: Mrs. H.K. Meyer, c/o J. Goldstein Esq, 52 Fort Str, Montreal, Q
- backstamps: another St. Hyacinthe Squared Circle dispatch strike, a RPO transit CDS dated DE 6/98, and a MONTREAL.CANADA barred circle receiver dated DE-6-PM/98

The first documented Squared Circle strike on a non-philatelically inspired, commercial Map stamp cover, dated 1/DE 8/98, was sent from the Ontario Bank in Kingston to Newmarket, ONT. A cover from Toronto, also dated 11??/DE 8/98, is likely a philatelically inspired cover (2 Map stamps and 12 1/2¢ Numerals), sent from Geo. D. Nicol, a stamp dealer, to a customer in Australia.

3.6.2 First documented use of a blue oceans Map stamp on cover with a Squared Circle cancel

The first Map stamps that were delivered to the Post Office in early December 1898 by the American Bank Note Company had a lavender ocean colour. Map stamps with blue oceans were not printed until mid-December 1898.²² The first documented use of a blue oceans Map stamp on a cover is found on DE 17/98 and is cancelled with a Toronto Type E Flag postmark.^{22a}

From those covers in the Census for which the colour of the Map stamp could be determined, the first Squared Circle postmarked cover with a blue oceans Map stamp is found on a Grand Central Hotel corner card cover from St. Thomas, ONT, addressed to Toronto. The oceans on the single Map stamp are a pale blue and it is cancelled with a ST. THOMAS/ONT. Squared Circle strike dated PM/DE 20/98. Other covers in the census bearing a DE 20/98 postmark do not have an image available or the Map stamp ocean colour has oxidized (Truro dark grey, Weston golden) and so the original ocean colour is

unknown. All documented Map stamp Squared Circle covers in the Census from DE 19/98 or earlier lack an image, are accompanied by a black and white image, or the oceans are lavender or a colour changeling variety. However, it should be noted that a report in *BNA Topics* states that a Reeve & Child corner card cover with a York Street Squared Circle strike dated 19/30/DE 19/98 (accompanied by a black and white image) bears a “blue water” Map stamp.^{22a}

3.6.3 DE 24/98 - the last day of the 5¢ UPU rate to Great Britain and Empire countries

- no Squared Circle Map stamp covers documented in the Census
- 4 covers from Acton, ONT to the USA on this date are not of the significance described above

3.6.4 DE 25/98 - the first day of the 2¢ Imperial Penny Postage rate to Great Britain and participating Empire countries

- 9 Map covers from Halifax NS (same sender/addressee) to Scotland and redirected to England¹⁰
- 14 Map covers from Wolfville NS (same sender/addressee) to London, England¹¹
- 1 Map cover from Bleecker St, Toronto to Dunnville on this date is not of the significance described above other than being a 1898 Christmas Day cover

3.6.5 DE 31/98 - the final day of the 3¢ domestic and USA rate

- 2 Map covers from Halifax, one to Boston, MA, and one to Brookline, MA (suburb of Boston)
- 1 Map cover from Halifax to Windsor, NS, with 2¢ franking and therefore short paid by 1¢
- 1 Map cover within Halifax is not of the significance described above since it is a 2¢ drop letter
- 2 Map covers within Toronto are not of the significance described above since they are 2¢ drop letters
- 1 Map cover from Victoria, BC, to England is not of the significance described above other than being a cover from the last day of 1898

3.6.6 JA 1/99 - the first day of the 2¢ domestic and USA rate

- 1 Map cover from Sarnia to Toronto

3.6.7 December Dates

The Table below (**Table 3.6.7**) lists the Map stamp covers with DE 98 Squared Circle postmarks.

Table 3.6.7 December 1898 Covers

Day	Hammer
6	St. Hyacinthe
7	None documented
8	Kingston, Toronto
9	None documented
10	St. John, Dundas
11	Halifax (2)
12	London East, St. John, Lindsay
13	Halifax (2), Queen St. East
14	Halifax (2), St. John
15	Lucknow, Smiths Falls
16	St. John, Victoria
17	None documented
18	Halifax (2), St. John
19	St. Hyacinthe, Cornwall, Dunnville, Paris, Tavistock, York Street
20	Truro, St. John (2), St. Thomas, Weston, Wingham
21	Pictou, Goderich, Smiths Falls, Maple Creek
22	Halifax, Sydney, Woodstock, NB
23	St. John, St. Thomas, Deloraine
24	Acton (4)
25	Halifax (9), Wolfville (14), Bleecker St.
26	Dunnville, St. Thomas
27	Annapolis, Halifax, Pictou, Tara
28	Halifax, St. John, Summerside, St. Hyacinthe, St. Thomas
29	Wolfville, St. Hyacinthe (2), St. Thomas
30	Tara (2), Victoria
31	Halifax (5), York Street (2), Victoria

4. Appendix: Population Report of Squared Circle Strikes on Map Stamp Covers

		HB #5	Census	Cancel	Cancel & Free Strike Obverse	Free Strike Obverse	Transit Reverse	Receiver Reverse	Other
1	Aldergrove, BC	1	1						1
2	Beaverton, ONT	1	6	2	1	3			
3	Beeton, ONT	1	2			2			
4	Brockville, ONT	21	32	29	1		1	1	
5	Dutton, ONT	2	2	2					
6	Grimsby, ONT	2	5	5					
7	London, East, ONT	3	9	9					
8	Mount Forest, ONT	7	13	8		1	2	2	
9	Ottawa, CANADA	1	3	3					
10	Point St. Charles, QUE	6	6	2		4			
11	St. Ann's, ONT	1	1					1	
12	Shannonville, ONT	1	4	3		1			
13	Terrebonne, QUE	3	2	1		1			
14	Three Rivers, QUE	6	10	9				1	
15	Westville, NS	0	2	1	1				
16	Annapolis	7	20	5	13	1	1		
17	Baddeck	1	6	1		1	4		
18	Canso	1	2	2					
19	Halifax, Hammer 2	57	100	100					
20	Lunenburg	7	4	4					
21	Maccan	1	1	1					
22	Newport Landing	0	1	1					
23	North Sydney	11	12	8	2		2		
24	Pictou	18	20	19	1				
25	Port Maitland	1	8	8					
26	Port Williams	3	2	1	1				
27	Springhill	6	3	2		1			
28	Stellarton	6	10	7				3	
29	Sydney, Hammer 1	2	8	3	1		4		
30	Truro	7	29	28				1	
31	Whycocomagh	6	9	7		1	1		
32	Wolfville	14	16		1	15			
33	Milltown	1	2	1		1			
34	Rothesay	1	1				1		
35	Sackville	2	3	3					
36	St. John, Hammer 3	1	9	6	3				
37	Shediac	1	8	8					
38	Woodstock, NB	2	31	1			1	29	
39	Charlottetown	0	2		1				1
40	Georgetown, PEI	2	5	1				4	
41	Summerside	0	1					1	
42	Aylmer (East)	2	5	5					
43	Clarenceville	2	1	1					

		HB #5	Census	Cancel	Cancel & Free Strike Obverse	Free Strike Obverse	Transit Reverse	Receiver Reverse	Other
44	Eastman	4	1			1			
45	Iberville	3	2			2			
46	Lotbiniere	2	2	1			1		
47	Magog	4	7	1	6				
48	Melbourne	1	2					2	
49	Montreal, Hammer 1	0	1						1
50	Quebec	0	1		1				
51	Riviere du Loup Station	1	0						
52	Ste. Cunegonde	1	1	1					
53	St. Hyacinthe	5	11	9	1		1		
54	Sherbrooke, Hammer 1	1	4	2	2				
55	Waterloo, QUE	2	1			1			
56	Acton, Hammer 2	3	16		4	6		4	2
57	Alma, State 2	1	4			4			
58	Almonte	2	2	2					
59	Arnprior	1	10	10					
60	Belleville, State 2	2	3	3					
61	Bobcaygeon	2	5	2	3				
62	Bracebridge	0	1			1			
63	Cobden	4	4			3		1	
64	Cornwall	7	10	10					
65	Dundas	6	18	1	2	10	2	3	
66	Dunnville	2	16	6	4		2	4	
67	Flesherton	3	10	1		7	2		
68	Formosa, Hammer 2, State 2	0	1		1				
69	Georgetown, ONT	8	14	7		1	3	3	
70	Glamis	1	3	1		1		1	
71	Goderich	5	12	8	2		1	1	
72	Gore Bay	6	8	5			2		1
73	Harriston	0	1						1
74	Huntsville	7	10	4		3	3		
75	Iroquois	6	12	2	3	3	1	3	
76	Kingston, Hammer 2	1	1	1					
77	Lakefield	1	2	2					
78	Leamington	4	6	6					
79	Lindsay	7	16	14			2		
80	Listowel	5	14	8	3		1	2	
81	Little Current	1	1					1	
82	London, Type 2	1	1	1					
83	L-Original	0	1	1					
84	Lucknow	3	8	6			2		
85	Manitowaning	1	5	1		1	2		1
86	Marmora	4	4			3		1	
87	Martintown	3	3			3			

		HB #5	Census	Cancel	Cancel & Free Strike Obverse	Free Strike Obverse	Transit Reverse	Receiver Reverse	Other
88	Merrickville	4	2	2					
89	Merriton	1	4			4			
90	Milton West	2	8	4	1	1		2	
91	Mount Brydges	0	1	1					
92	Niagara	1	1	1					
93	Niagara Falls South	2	4		2	2			
94	North Bay	3	3		3				
95	Orillia	1	1	1					
96	Oxford Mills	0	1	1					
97	Paisley	6	5			4	1		
98	Paris	10	9	9					
99	Perth	1	3	3					
10	Petrolea	3	6		4	1		1	
10	Pictou	5	16	15	1				
10	Port Arthur	2	3	2	1				
10	Port Hope	3	26	11			4	11	
10	Powassan	1	5	3	1	1			
10	Prescott	6	12	12					
10	Rockton	0	1				1		
10	Rodney	2	0						
10	Roseneath	1	1	1					
10	St. Thomas	11	22	22					
11	Sarnia	4	14	12				2	
11	Sault Ste. Marie	4	6	4		1	1		
11	Schreiber, State 2	1	1	1					
11	Seely's Bay	2	3	1	1	1			
11	Shakespeare	1	1	1					
11	Smiths Falls	9	20	19				1	
11	Stirling	4	4	1		3			
11	Stouffville	7	16			14	1		1
11	Strathroy	2	3			1		2	
11	Sudbury	4	6	4	2				
12	Sutton West	0	2				2		
12	Tara	4	11		1	3	2	3	2
12	Tavistock	1	3	1		1		1	
12	Thamesford	1	4	3			1		
12	Thornhill	2	6	1	1			3	1
12	Toronto	13	9	8					1
12	Bleeker St., Toronto, Hammer 2	4	5	3		2			
12	Queen St. East, Toronto	6	6	5	1				
12	Spadina Ave., Toronto	3	1	1					
12	Strachan Avenue, Toronto	0	1	1					
13	York Street, Toronto	38	23	23					
13	Vienna	0	3	1		2			

		HB #5	Census	Cancel	Cancel & Free Strike Obverse	Free Strike Obverse	Transit Reverse	Receiver Reverse	Other
13	Wallaceburg	5	11	6	1	4			
13	Warkworth	2	8	2	5	1			
13	Wellington	0	2	2					
13	Weston	2	2			1		1	
13	Whitby	0	3	3					
13	Williamstown	7	6			5		1	
13	Wingham, State 2	3	16	11	3			2	
13	Winona	2	5		3		1		1
14	Wooler	2	5	4		1			
14	Birtle	0	1	1					
14	Brandon	12	14	12			1	1	
14	Deloraine	1	3	1		1	1		
14	Elkhorn	5	5	1			4		
14	Hartney	2	7	7					
14	McGregor Station	2	1	1					
14	Morden	2	5		2	2		1	
14	Neepawa	4	8	8					
14	Pipestone	2	1	1					
15	Selkirk	1	3			2		1	
15	Souris	3	4	1		3			
15	Maple Creek	1	6		2	4			
15	Medicine Hat	2	5	4					1
15	Moose Jaw	1	1		1				
15	Wolseley, Hammer 2	1	3			2	1		
15	Calgary, Hammer 2	7	12	8	2		1	1	
15	Edmonton	3	3	3					
15	Innisfail	2	4	3					1
15	Lethbridge	1	2	2					
16	Red Deer	4	2	2					
16	Donald	1	0						
16	Kamloops	2	3	3					
16	Nanaimo, State 2	2	3	3					
16	Victoria, Hammer 3	18	38	37					1
16	Napinka & Winnipeg M.C. (No. 1)	1	2	2					
16	Napinka & Winnipeg M.C. (No. 2)	1	5	3			2		
16	Souris & Winnipeg M.C. (No. 2)	2	6	3			2		1
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