NEWFOUNDLAND

Fiscal Stamps and Usages

In 1898 the Newfoundland Government decreed:
-All Revenues collected for and on behalf of the government of Newfoundland shall be payable by stamps. All business transactions such as registering of deeds, births, marriages, deaths, etc. were included and as well any bills paid by cash, cheque, promissory notes on bankers, bills of lading, transportation tickets, boiler inspections, tax on tobacco products, money orders etc. Any and all monetary transactions were included with no exceptions.

This exhibit shows the various stamps issued by the Colony for the purpose of collecting fees and taxes on behalf of the Government. Also demonstrated is proper usage as intended by law. Regular postage stamps are shown because they were used for same purpose of revenue collection. Other stamps used to indicate payment of the tax being charged and collected included: Tobacco, War Savings (used for fund raising purposes), Custom Duties, Money Order, Transportation and Beer stamps.

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To help explain this utilization for purposes of collecting taxes, usage on documents and explanation of the rates charged is presented. These rate studies are from original research at the Newfoundland Archives and other sources. Throughout this display are *discovery* items and many items of limited availability. These important research items are tagged ().

Some tobacco tax stamps are shown via their proper usage on product tins, bottles, packages and bags. The new area of discovery, Plug Tobacco wooden boxes, which were also found to be stamped for taxation, are presented.



Featured in the display is a brandy bottle from the Newfoundland Liquor Board. It shows the *original discovery* item of a pair of the ten cents relief tax stamps.



NEWFOUNDLAND INLAND REVENUE STAMPS

The Newfoundland Government collected revenue on all business transactions. To show that revenue was collected a stamp was affixed to the document. Overall six sets of inland revenue stamps were produced: Queen Victoria 1898-1907; King Edward VII 1907-1910; King George V (with and without imprint) 1910-1938; the First Caribou Issue 1938-1942; the Second Caribou Issue 1942-1964; and the Caribou Issue of 1964. In addition to the six sets issued, there was one provisional stamp issued in 1963. Different perforations exist for all the issues and some different perforations exist within the issues themselves. Varieties also exist within the issues, some created by printing techniques, others out of necessity due to a shortage of stamps and different printers.

Queen Victoria Issue 1898 Engraved, no watermark, perforated 12 x 12













the 75 ¢ value















NEWFOUNDLAND.

NO. 9977



Edward the Seventh, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Co all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting :

Brown De, that we, of Our Special Grace, Certain Knowledge and Mere Motion have given and granted, and by these presents do, for Me, Our Heirs and Successors Give and Grant unto

Edward Warr of Loo Bay in the District

of Twillingate

in Our Island of Newfoundland All that Piece and Parcel of Land situate and being his Heirs and Assigns,

on the South East side of Loo

Bay aforesaid abutted and bounded as follows that is to say by a line commencing at a point fifty links from the shore at high water

mark, running thence by Obadiah Manuel's land South forty five degrees

Mixed franking documents from 1898 Queen Victoria and the 1907 King Edward issues.

Land deed document, dated 28th April 1908. Two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2.25) paying fees for the transaction.



King Edward VII Issue 1907-1910 Engraved, no watermark, perforated 12 x 12



Land deed, dated 12th October 1908. Three dollars and sixty-five cents (\$3.65) paying for the transaction.











The small "PAID" was a perfin cancel rather than punched cancel, as the stamps were perforated with the letters "PAID" before they were applied to the documents. (A document has been seen with the stamps applied and the cancel was not punched through the paper.) Shown are different values of the issue with the small "PAID" cancel. The \$1 value differs from the others because due to some mishap with the machinery the letter "D" in "PAID" didn't get punched completely through.







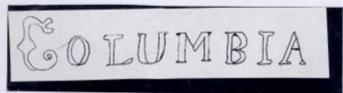
completely punched through paper

The large "PAID punched cancel was applied to the document after the stamps were affixed and punched completely through the stamps and the paper underneath as shown with the example below.



The Watermark on the King George V Revenues

The watermark is the word "Columbia" in block letters with a very large stylized letter "C". This watermark is not normally visible with the human eye and most all stamps have to be dipped in watermark fluid to see the watermark. The only one sometimes visible to the human eye is the 25¢ value.



Drawing of Watermark

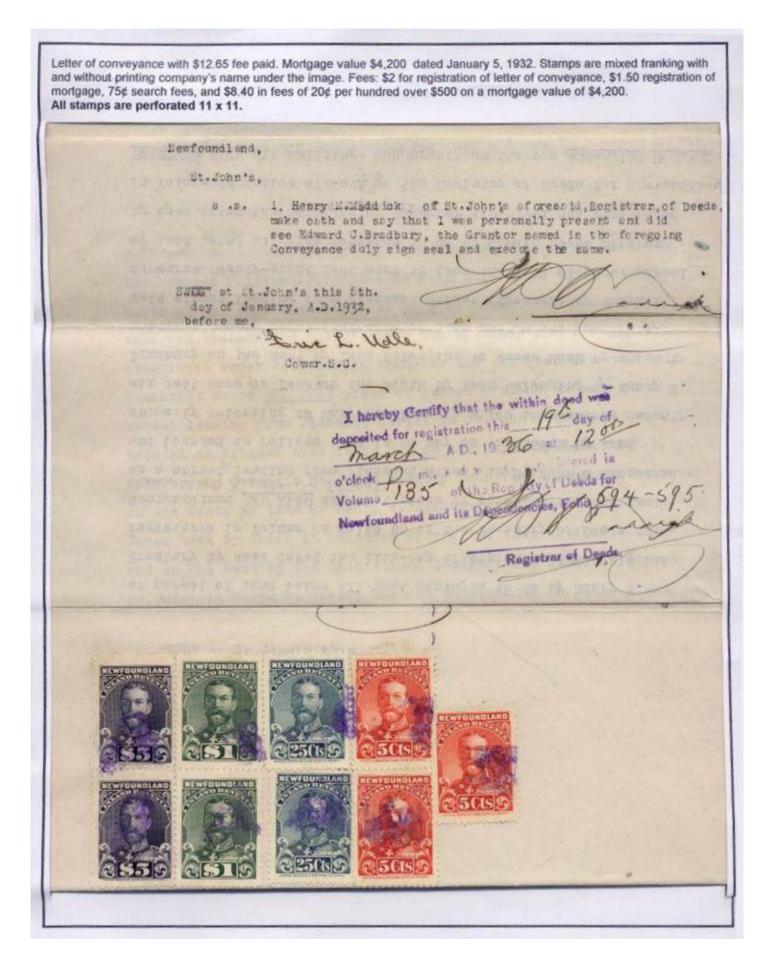


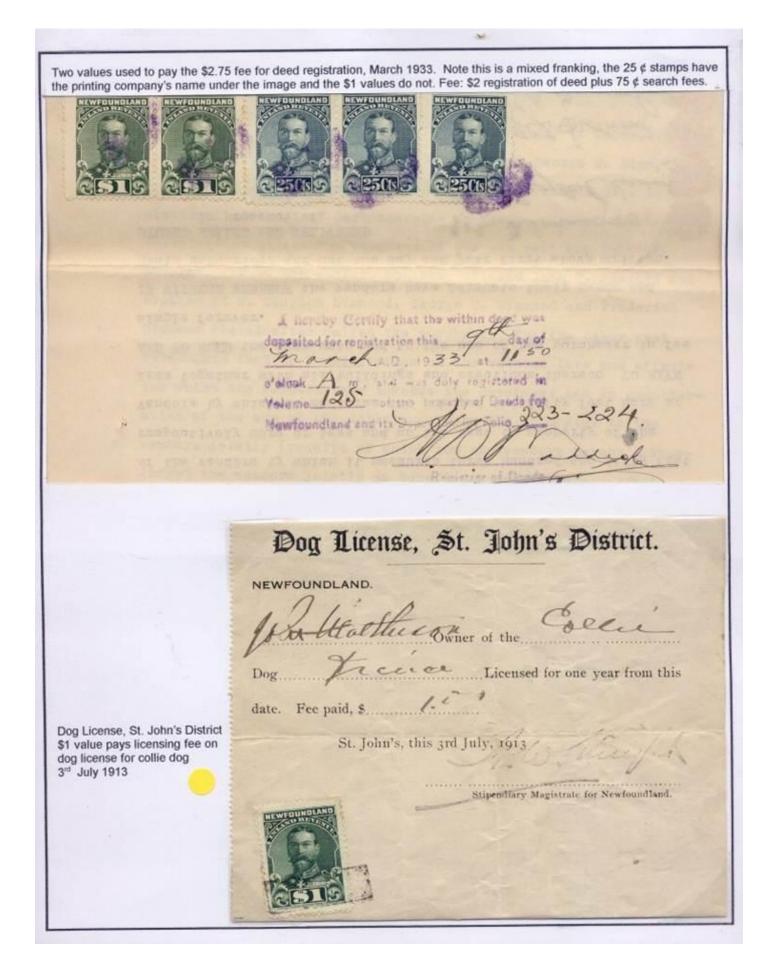
25 cent stamp with Watermark

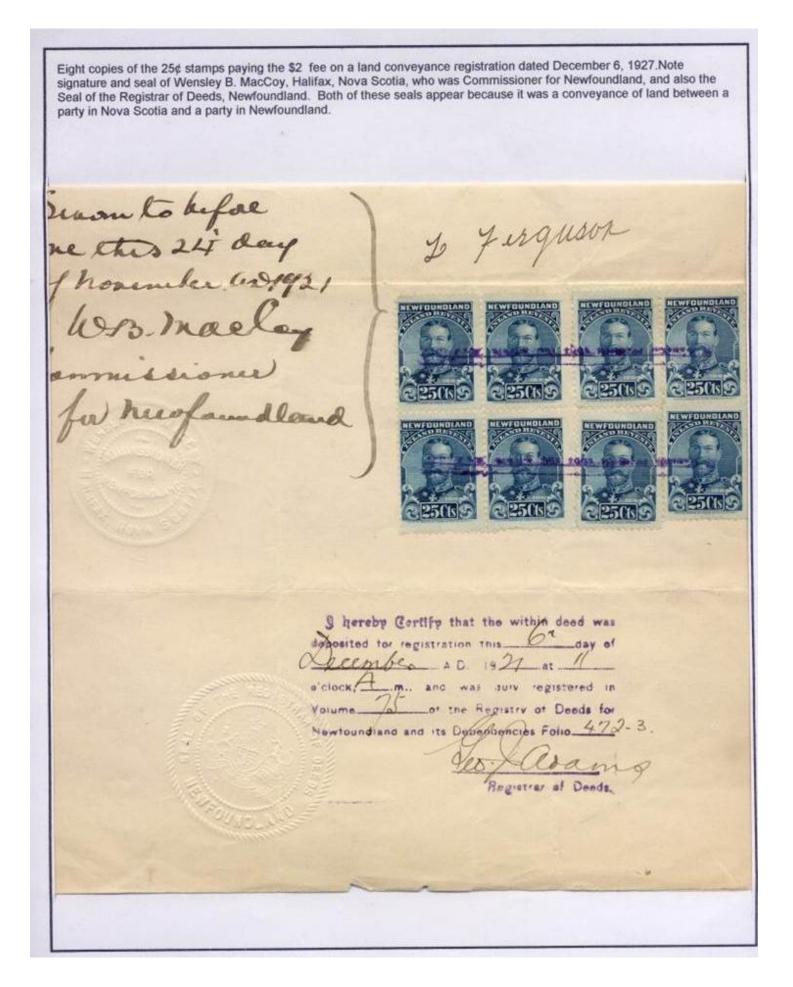


Hand drawn copy of the stamp watermark











Boiler Certificate, Cod Liver Oil Factory-\$3 Inspection Fee. This was the fee charged according to the Boiler Inspection Act of July 19, 1899. Cancel shown is the large PAID punched cancel, usage date July 1938.



Nº 894 F

BOILER CERTIFICATE

. 31	J. Forbes	
do hereby certify	that the Vertical	Type Boiler
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to be employed by th	e Newfoundland Labrador	Export Co without risk or
		months
Boiler Inspection Act (photocopy) Boiler Inspections (July 19, 1899)		
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Fucurey, Machine Shop, Sawmill, Founday 1 buller (additional boiler)		
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The Requisition of a New Stamp Design

When a new set of revenue stamps are requested the printer has to design and prepare new printing plates. The Newfoundland Government decided it would be more economical to have a common design that could be reused rather than creating new plates of reigning Monarchs every time a new set of revenue stamps was needed. Letters were sent out to various printing companies to submit their designs for approval to win the printing contract. It was suggested by the Government that a design of local interest such as a Newfoundland Dog or a Caribou would be more suitable (shown in a excerpt from letters between the Newfoundland Government and the printers). The Caribou design was the final choice and the contract was awarded.

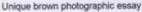
Two of the designs submitted are shown below along with a unique brown photographic essay. Essay is dated November 27, 1922.

LETTER 28 October, 1937, W.E.Curtis Head of Supplies Division to The Crown Agents,

I have to inform you that it has now been decided to print the Revenue Stamps from steel plates on plain paper. Watermarked paper is not required. The design to be used is to be standardized and will be common to all denominations but each denomination is to be in a separate color. It has been decided to incorporate in the design some print of local interest, e.g. head of a <u>Newfoundland Dog</u>, or <u>Caribou</u> and a vignette of the reigning Monarch will be dispensed with.

Excerpt from the letters between the Government and the printers.







King George V design



Newfoundland Dog design



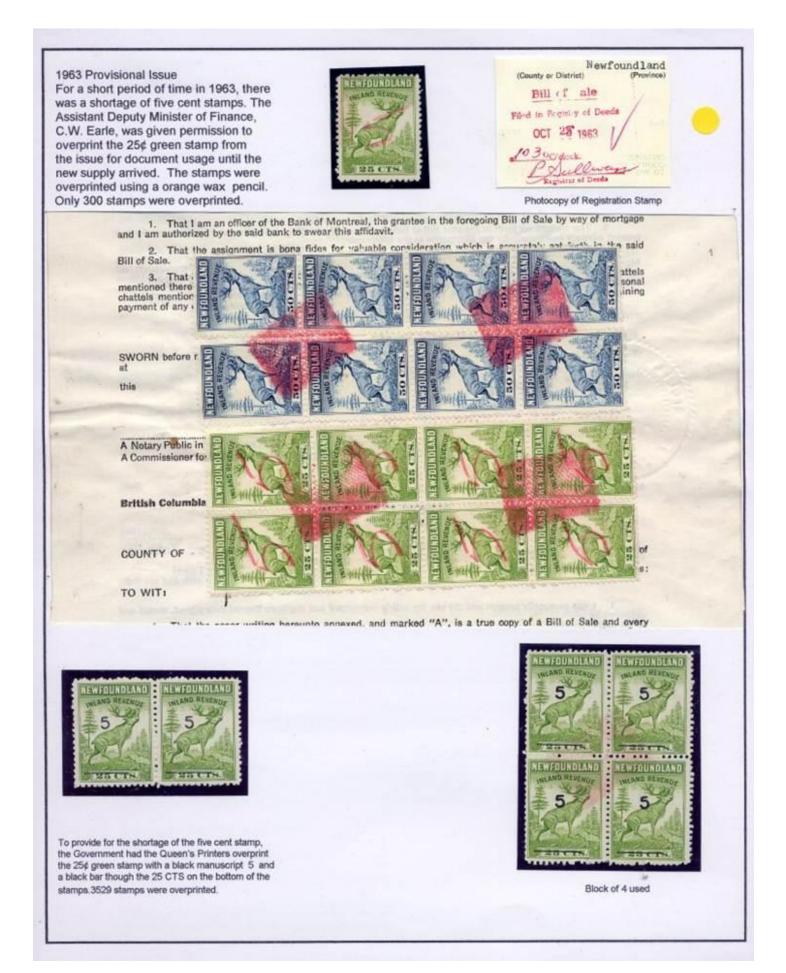
Boiler Certificate, Cod Liver Oil Factory-\$3 Inspection Fee. Cancel shown is the round rubber ink stamp - Boiler Inspector's Office - PAID. This document shows the change over from the PAID punched cancel as was used on the previous 1938 Boiler Certificate. Usage date August 1941. Stamps are perforated 14.25 x 14.25. H Boiler Certificate . Inspector of Woilers. J. John Barrett, do hereby certifythat the Vertical Tubular type Boiler of the Oil Factory of Nfld. Labrador Export Co.Ltd., Fogo, is sufficent and suitable Boiler Inspection Act (photocopy)
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Boilling pans to Candy Factories
Boillers for heating only
Cod Liver Oil Factories day of Labrador Export Co.Ltd., Fogo, Nfld., can carry with safety ******* pounds of steam pressure per square inch. Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, this 15th day of August 1941. Inspector of Boilers N.B.—The owner shall within ten days after date of expiry of Certificate give notice of same in writing to the Inspector, under penalty of Ten Dollars for every day's neglect of failure to give notice.





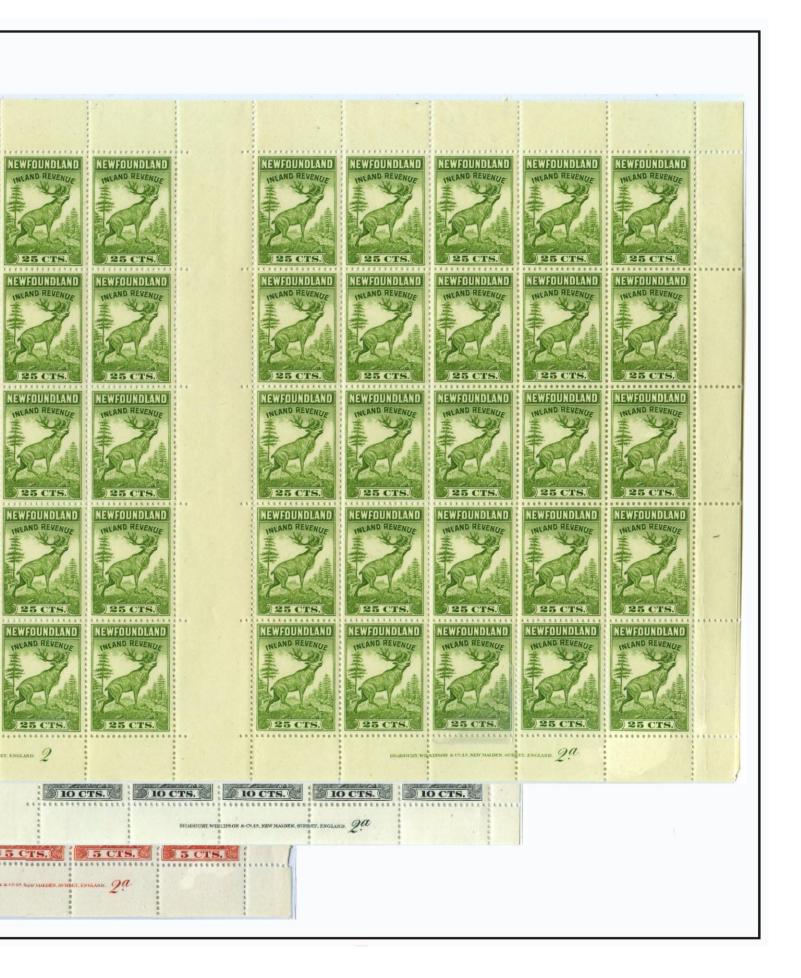
















The Usage of Regular Postal Stamps for Fiscal Purposes 1915-1949.

Newfoundland business personal where required by law to affix stamps to documents, receipts, bills of lading, etc. to show that revenue was collected on behalf of the Newfoundland Government. The usage of regular postage stamps was permitted for this purpose and continued up until Confederation with Canada in 1949. Stamps were affixed to the front or back of the document. Over the years the Stamp Acts were changed and fees were increased to gain extra revenue. This section deals with that usage and fees charged from 1915 to 1949.

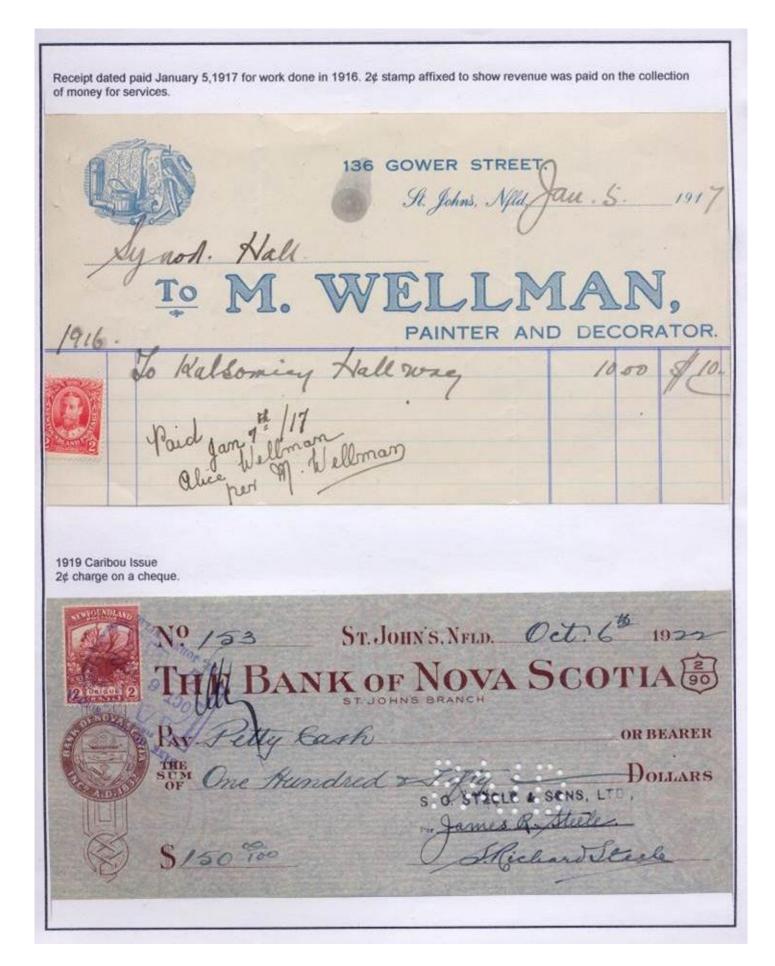
Rates of revenue to be charged according to the Stamp Duties Act Of 1914:

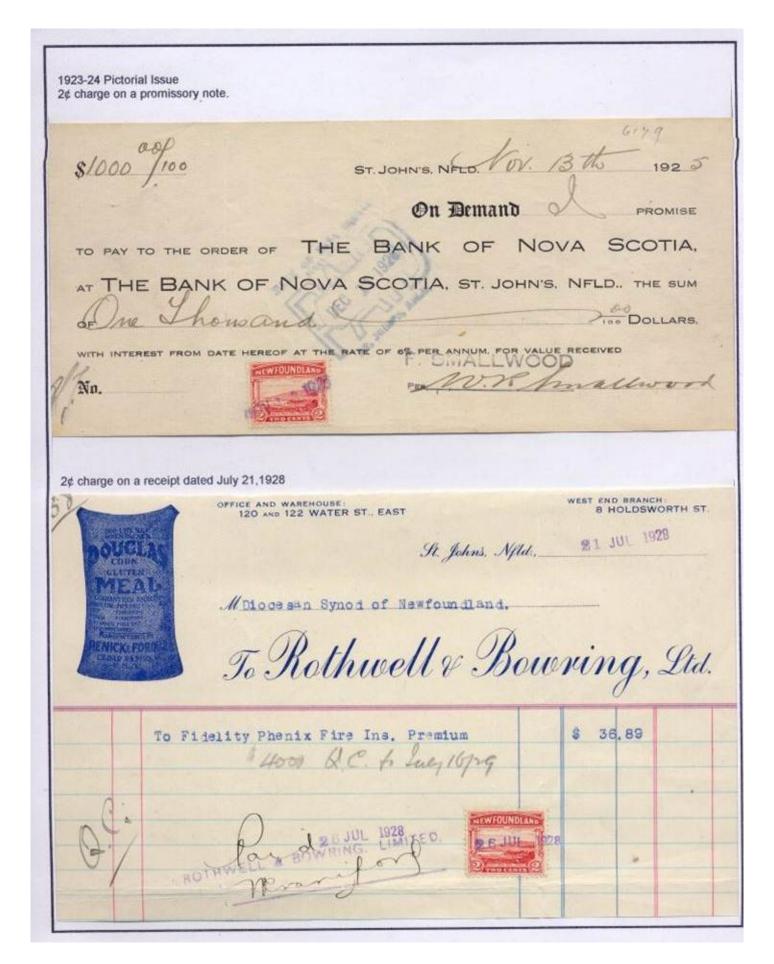
Cheques on a Banker	2¢	Ī
Promissory Notes.	2¢	
Bills of Lading and Shipping Receipts	2¢	
Bills of Exchange for every \$100 or part thereof	5¢	
Charter Parties	\$1	
Amendment to the Act passed June 5, 1915	373	
Receipts for any sum of money exceeding ten dollars (\$10)	2¢	

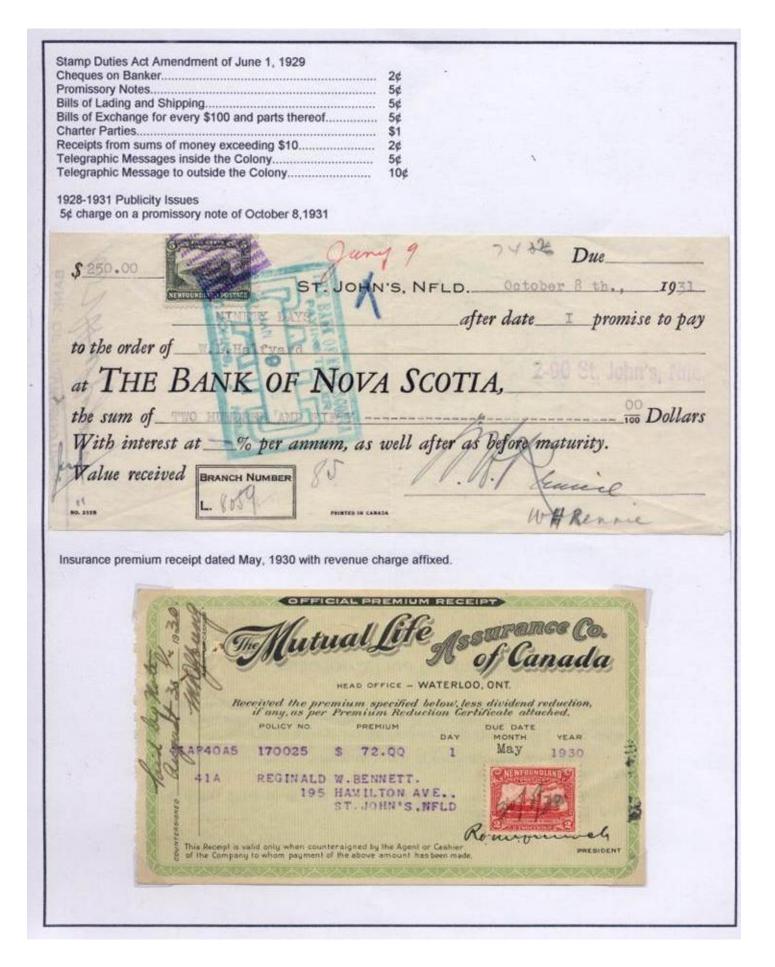
Cheques showing 1915 Royal Family Issue stamps paying revenue.



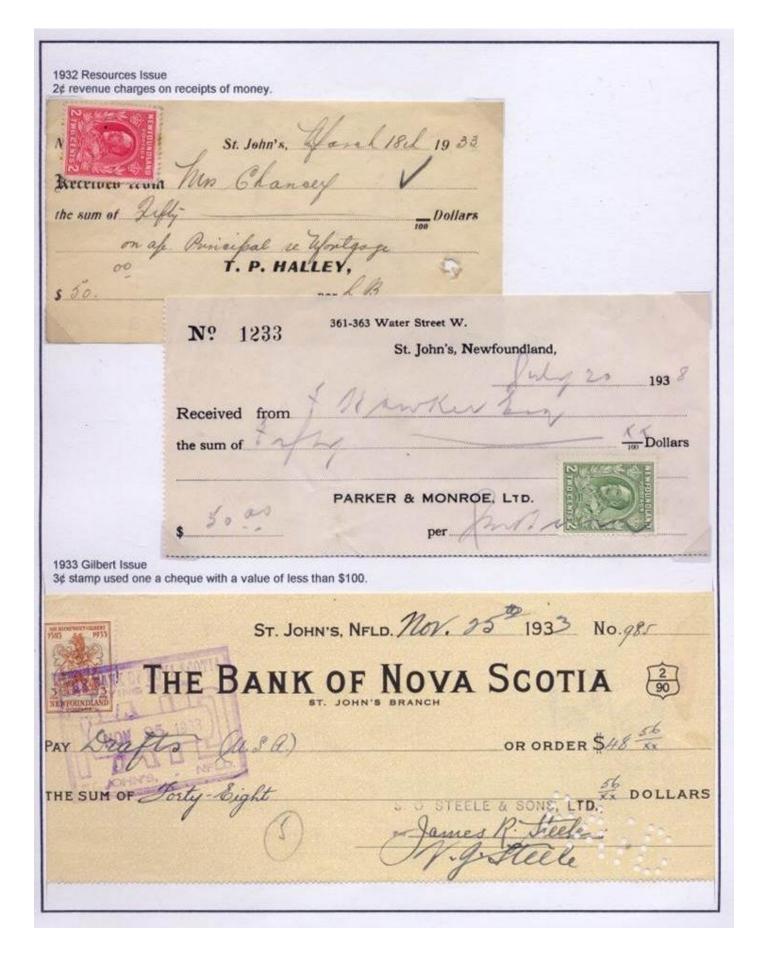


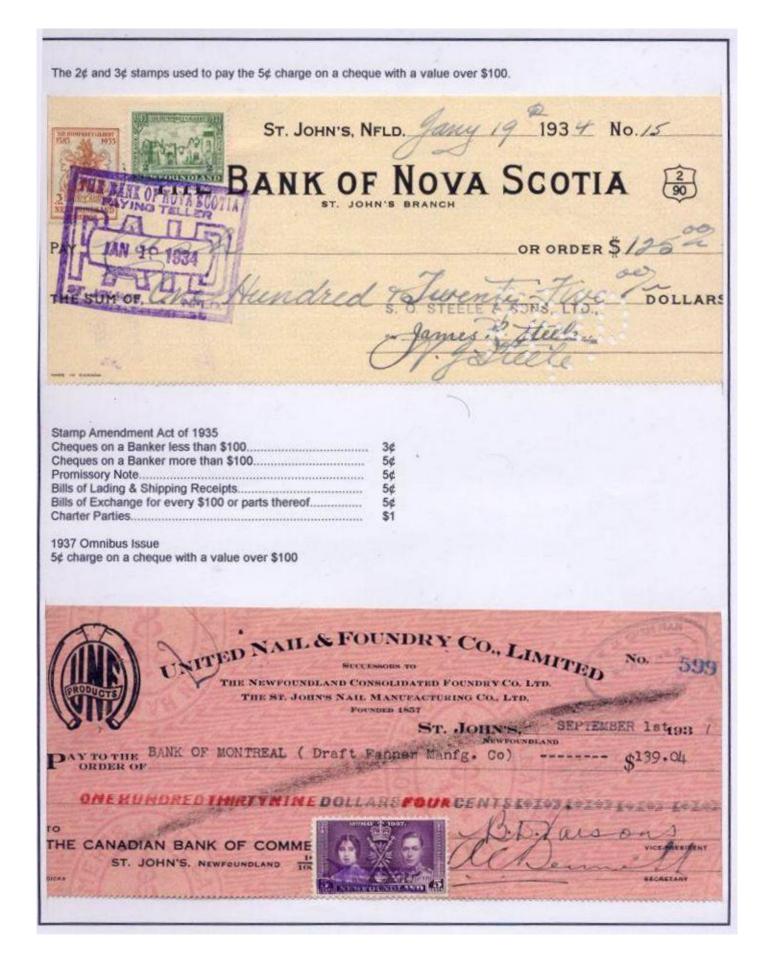




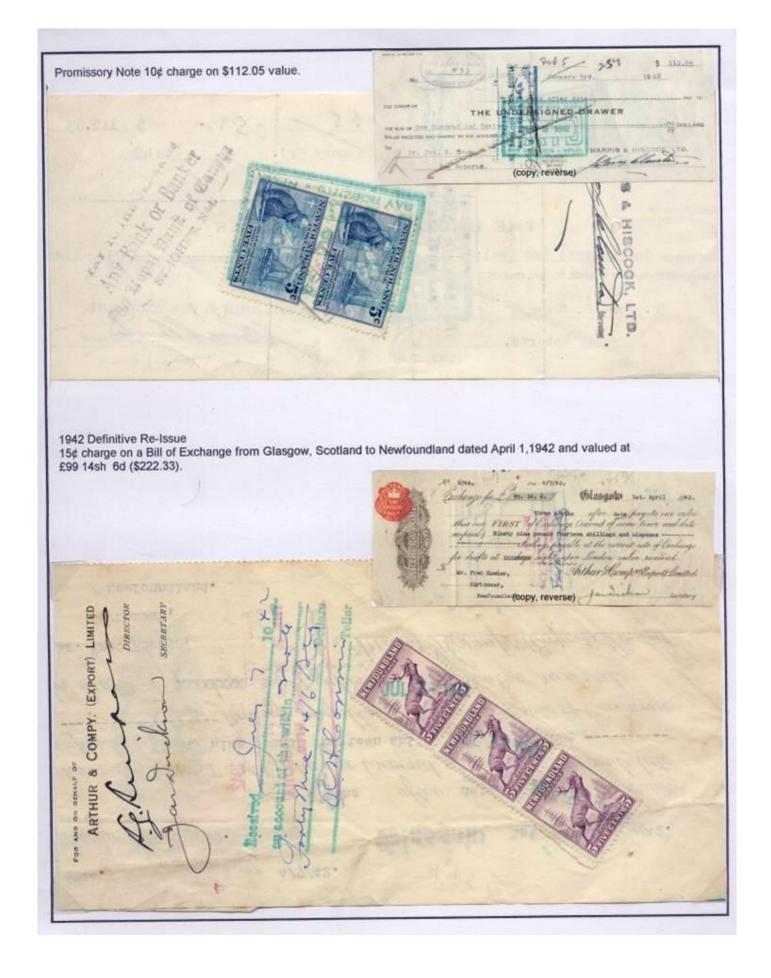


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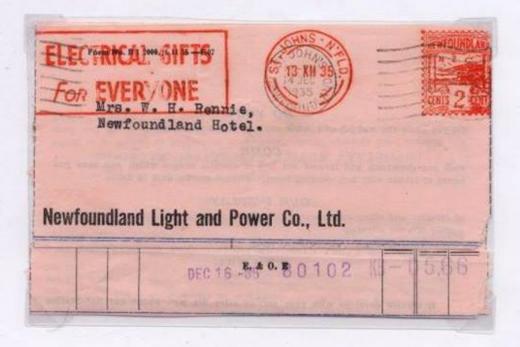






Newfoundland companies were issued their own postage meters with a distinct number coding for their business name. Overall 4 different types of meters (Midget, Noepost, Pitney & Bowes and the Crown G IV R) were issued for postal purpose and as with the postage stamps these meters were also allowed to be used for stamping documents for revenue purposes.

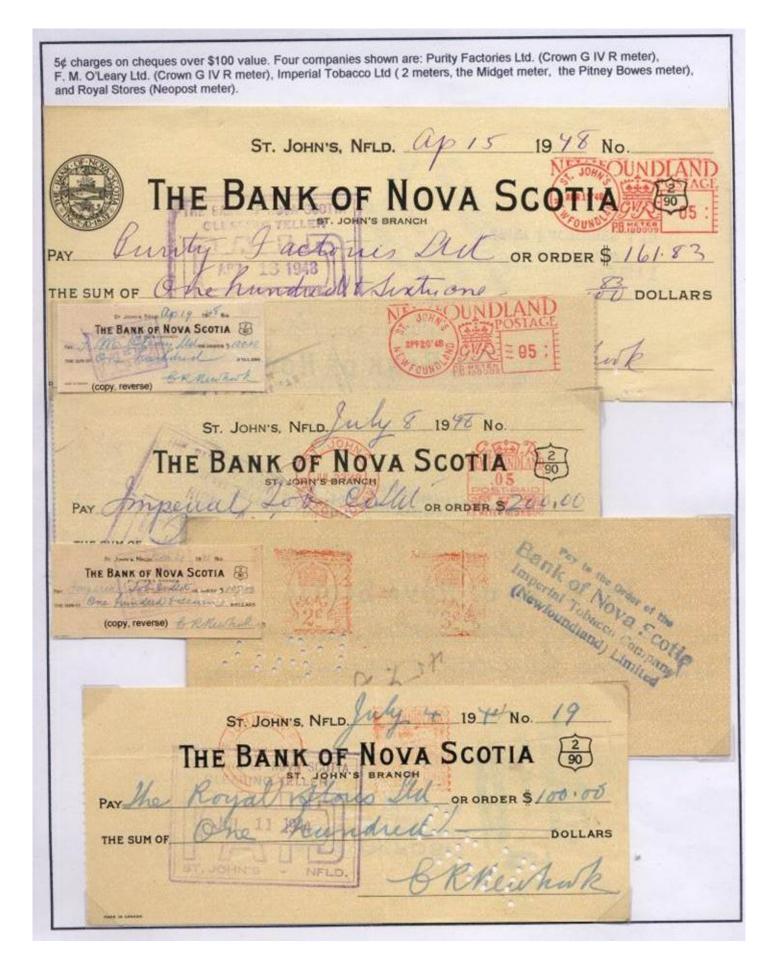
Newfoundland Light & Power Co. Ltd. (Neopost meter) 2¢ collected on money received.



Bowaters Newfoundland Pulp & Paper (neopost meter) 3¢ charge on a cheques of \$1.10, December 13,1944.

CORNER BROOK, Newfoundland, CORNER BROOK, Newfoundland, BOWATER'S NEWFOUNDLAND PULP AND PAPER MILLS LIMITED	Nº :
PAY TO THE CARIBOU TRADING CO. LTD. THE SUM OF	\$1.10
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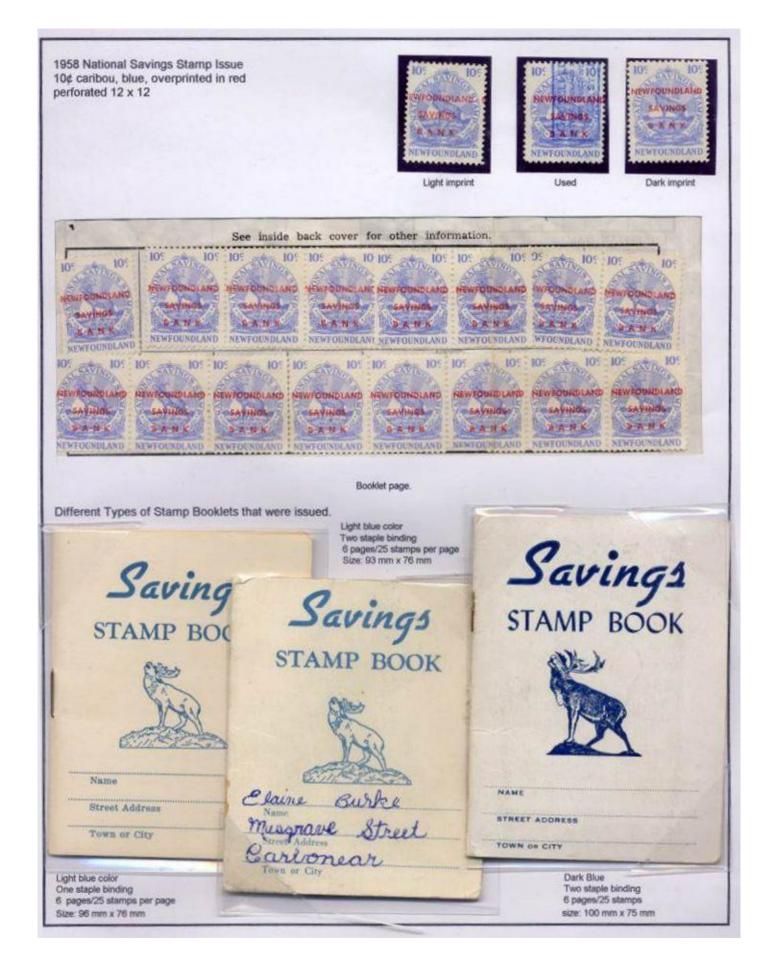


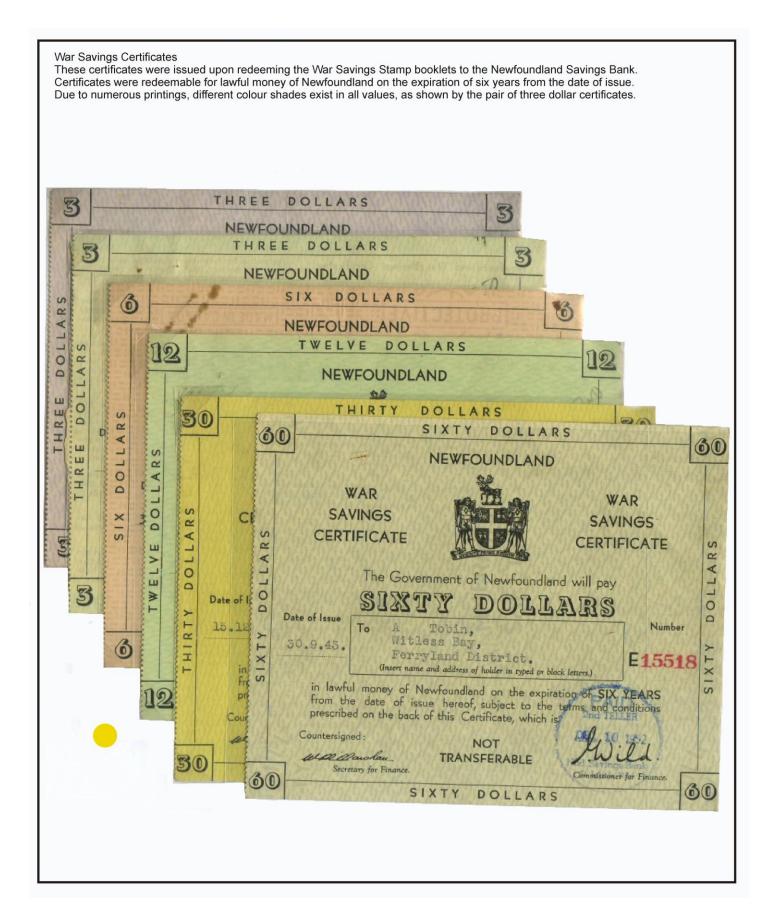
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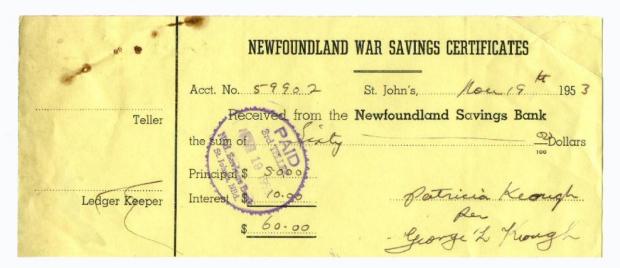








Receipt showing the Newfoundland Savings Bank cancel is for a sixty dollar certificate that was cashed.



Reverse of a War Savings Certificate

Newfoundland War Savings Certificates A Direct Obligation of the General Revenue of Newfoundland.

RULES.

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 1. Purchase Price and Value. Newfoundland War value of \$600 (purchase price \$500) in any one calen-Savings Certificates are issued in denominations of \$3, \$6, \$12, \$30 and \$60. The purchase price of a \$3 Certificate is \$2.50; of a \$6 Certificate, \$5; of a \$12, 4. Income Tax. War Savings Certificates will be free Certificate \$10.00; of a \$30 Certificate \$25.00; and of a \$60 Certificate \$50. The Certificate \$25.00; and of a \$60 Certificate \$50. The Certificates increase in value required to report the difference between the pureach year until, on completion of the sixth year from the date of purchase, they attain their maximum face value.

 Savings Certificates

 4. Income Tax. War Savings Certificates will be free Certificate \$30.00; of a \$30 Certificates are income Tax acts.

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 2. Redemption. War Savings Certificates cannot be called for redemption by the Government prior to the date of maturity (i.e. six years from the date of issue). The holder, however, has the option six months after the date of issue of redeeming his Certificates for the purchase price in cash. After the completion of the first year from date of issue of the Certificates will be repaid at the holder's option at the rate of \$2.55 per \$3.00 seed to the completion of the first year from date of issue of the death of the holder.

 TABLE OF REDEMPTION VALUES.

 Income Tax Acts.

 5. Registration. Every War Savings Certificate will be registered at the Newfoundland Savings Bank, St. John's. Registration will be made in one name only. John's Persons should take care to state clearly on application form their name (in full) and address for registron purposes, and the purchaser must furnish specimen signatures whereby he can be identified.

 6. Non-Transferability. A War Savings Certificate is not transferable and cannot be redeemed other than by its registered owner. Provision will be made to be registered at the Newfoundland Savings Bank, St. John's. Registration.

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Purchase Price					\$5.00	\$10,00	\$25.00	\$50.
After :	Six Months.			2,50	5.00	10.00	25.00	50.
After	completion	of	first year	2.55	5.10	10.20	25.50	51.0
44	*		second year	2,60	5.20	10.40	26.00	52.
44			third year	2.65	5.30	10.60	26.50	53.
**	1 4	1	fourth year	2.75	5.50	11.00	27.50	55.
44	200	7	fifth year	2.85	5.70	11.40	28.50	57.0
44	27.05		sixth year	3.00	6.00	12.00	30 00	60.0

Application for redemption should be made to the Newfoundland Savings Bank, Duckworth Street, St. John's, the Certificate to be presented for this pur-

- 3. Purchase Limits. No person may purchase War Savings Certificates in excess of a total maturity value of \$600 (purchase price \$500) in any one calen-

- cover the case of the death of the holder.
- 7. Loss of Certificate. In case any holder shall lose to his Certificate he should immediately give notice of such loss to the Newfoundland Savings Bank.
- "fifth year....... 2.85 5.70 11.40 23.50 57.00 8. Procedure on Purchase. Purchase of War Savings sixth year....... 3.00 6.00 12.00 30.00 60.00 Certificates may be effected at the Newfoundland Sav-The Government reserves the right to require inhety ligs Bank, St. John's, and at any Post Office in Newdays notice in the case of redemption before maturity. foundland authorised to do Savings Bank business.



The Newfoundland Government required that a duty charge be placed on incoming mail and packages. In 1925 the first set of Customs Duty Stamps were issued followed by a second set in 1938. The first set consisted of 1¢,2¢ and 3¢ values. The second set issued in 1938 consisted of 1¢ and 5¢ values.

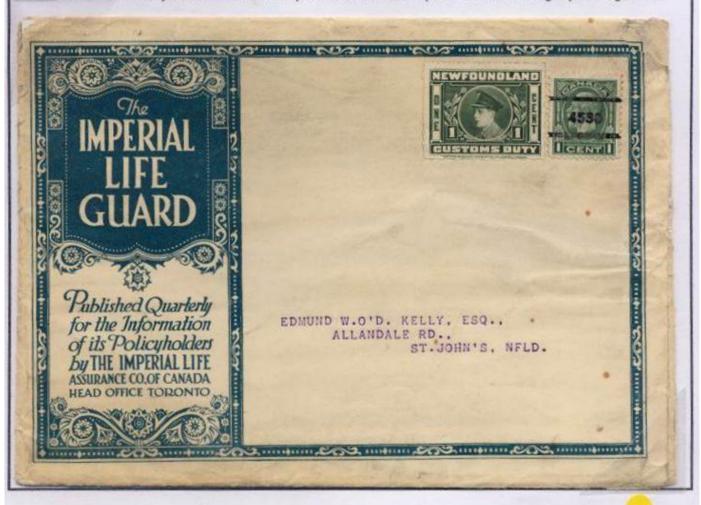
1925 Edward Prince of Wales Issue Engraved, no watermark, rouletted 7.







Custom charges on incoming mail from foreign destinations. This cover didn't have the Custom Duties stamp cancelled because it was used in conjunction with a Canadian pre-cancel that didn't require a cancel according to postal regulations.







1938 Newfoundland Beer Stamp

perforated 12 x 13.25, 10/12¢ Excise Duty Paid, H.M.Customs, NFLD. Printed is sheets of 24/2 rows of 12 down. Intended usage to be affixed to bottles but was seldom used. First reported seen in 1940 in Carbonear, Newfoundland.



Newfoundland Transportation Tax Stamps

Lithographed, perforated 14 x 14

On July 21,1927 the Newfoundland Government passed a Tourist Commission Act that required all steamship owners who were transporting passengers outside the colony to report regularly to the Commission the number of passengers and to pay the Commission a revenue tax at the following rates:

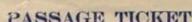
Paying	fares	not exceeding	\$10	\$1
Paying	fares	between \$10 8	\$100	\$2
Paying	fares	over \$100		\$3

These rates were to be paid by affixing a stamp to the passenger's ticket. The stamps were supplied by the Commission.

1 of 6 used copies known to exist



The Tourist Commission Act was repealed on August 19,1935.



PASSAGE TICKET

All Passengers Should See the Doctor on **Boarding Steamer**

STEAMER S.S. SILVIA

FURNESS

SAILS

Baggage should be sent to the Pier at least one hour before sailing. Tags and labels will be furnished upon request. Passengers are requested to be on board one hour before sailing.

HARVEY & CO., LTD., AGENTS, ST. JOHN'S, NFLD. PHONE 1200

REVENUE AND ACCOUNTS

3 (1) Every stramship owner engaged in the businose of transporting passengers to any place naturals this trolony shall furnish regularly to the Commission either mouthly or at such periods as the Commission may prescribe a return of the number of passengers for ulum such Company or person shall have provided for the company or person shall have provided first-closs transportation to any place outside of this Colony; and shall pay to the Commission for every such first-class passenger;

> Paylog a fare not exceeding \$10.00 ____\$1.00 Paring a fare between \$10.00 and Paying a fare of \$100,000 or over _____ 2.00

- (2) The fire for the purposes of this Section shall be the entire fare purable on the ticket from point in Newfoundland where temportation commences, to point of destination. In the case of round trip tickets issued outside of New-foundland the Commission shall have power to determine what part of the total fare is attributable to the nutward journey.
- (3) The payments under this Section shall be made by such Company or person by purchasing from the Commission adhesive stamps of suitable values to be supplied by the Commission and by fixing such stamps to the appropriate amount upon every ticket which shall be isseed to the passenger;; or in case no such tieket shall be issued to the passenger, then by affixing the stamps upon the back of the return hereinbefore provided for
- (4) It shall be the duty of the Manager or Chief Agent in Newfoundland of such Coupany or person to see that stamps to the peoper amount are affixed to the tirks or return as provided. in the preceding sub-section.
- (5) The steamship owner shall have the right to collect from the passenger the value of such adhesive stamps at the time of uffixing the same to the ticket, any contract or urrangement to the contrary notwithstanding (partial copy, Tourist Commission Act)

Sept. 17,1932 Passage Ticket envelope

MONEY ORDER STAMP TAX

In October of 1914, a bill was passed by the Newfoundland Government to tax all bills of exchange at a rate of 5¢ per \$100 Postal money orders were included in the Act so a special stamp had to be printed. The 5¢ value from the 1911 John Guy Issue was chosen and was overprinted by the Royal Gazette, St. John's. The overprint was in three lines: Money Order, Stamp Tax, and Only. The number of stamps overprinted was 50,000. Period of usage was from October 1914 to June 5, 1915 when the Act was rescinded. Colour varieties of the overprinted stamp also exist.





Normal stamp

Dark blue colour



Variety, no period (.) after "only"



Variety, no period (.) after "only"

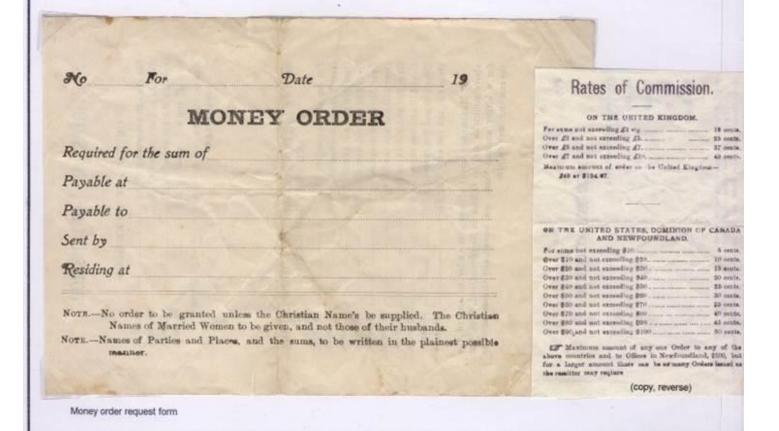


Variety, broken "y" in "money", no period (.) after "only"

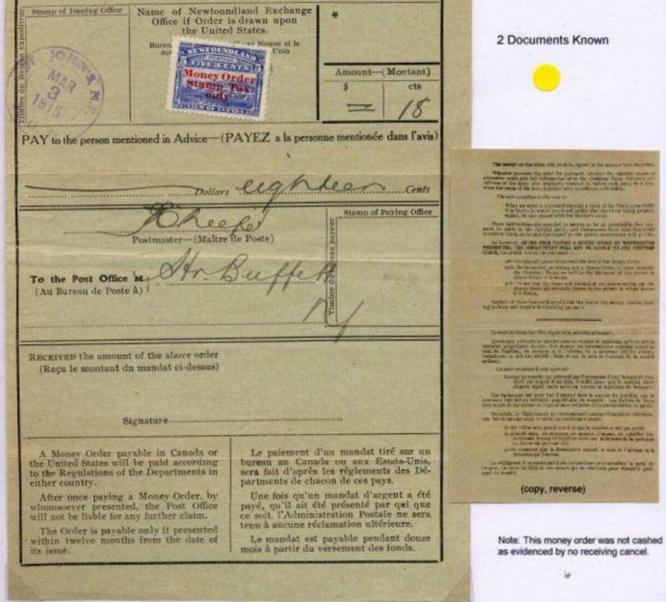
Medium blue colour



Top stamp is normal lower stamp is variety, broken "Y" in "money", period (.) after "only"



Usage of the Money Order Stamp Tax The stamp, paid for by the purchaser of the money order, was attached by the issuing clerk at the Post Office Money Order Division. Therefore, cancellation was not necessary. MONEY ORDER NEWFOUNDLAND MANDAT L'ARGENT St. John's DATE Stamp of Newfoundland Exchange Office if Order is drawn upon the United States. Harren Money Order Name of Newfoundland Exchange Office if Order is drawn upon the United States. Harren Money Order Name of Newfoundland Exchange Office if Order is drawn upon the United States. Harren Money Order New Order Amount—(Mortant) States Dollars Dollars



NEWFOUNDLAND TOBACCO TAX STAMPS

The Newfoundland Government levied taxes on all tobacco products from 1904 to 1949. This tax levy was collected in the form of revenue stamps placed on tobacco products.

1904 King Edward VII Issue Engraved, no watermark



10 cigarettes Die I (purple) perf. 12 x 12



10 cigarettes Die II (light purple) perf. 10.75 x 10.75



10 cigarettes Die II (dark purple) perf. 10.75 x 10.75



10 cigarettes Provisional Overprinted 15's double lined w/cancelled at top strong overprint



10 cigarettes Provisional Overprinted 15's double lined w/cancelled at top weak "5" overprint

1907 King Edward VII Issue Engraved, no watermark



100 cigarettes Green perf. 10.75 x 10.75



100 cigarettes Apple Green perf. 12 x 12



100 cigarettes Light Green perf 12 x 12



100 cigarettes Medium Green perf 12 x 12



100 cigarettes Dark Green perf. 12 x 12



100 cigarettes Used Cancelled H.M.S. Customs St. John's, NF perf. 12 x 12



100 cigarettes Provisional Overprinted 50 cigarettes reading down perf. 10.75 x 10.75



100 cigarettes Provisional Overprinted 50 cigarettes reading up perf. 10.75 x 10.75



100 cigarettes Provisional Overprinted 50 w/cancelled on top perf. 10.75 x 10.75



100 cigarettes Provisional Overprinted 50 w/cancelled on top w/0 3 in middle perf. 10.75 x 10.75



1922 Small Strip Style - 1922 Series A, B, C. Engraved, no watermark



10 cigarettes, Series A Green rouletted 7

Provisional 1928 Small Strip Style - Series A Engraved, no watermark



10 cigarettes w/14 & Cancelled plus A1 on end Green, rouletted 7



10 cigarettes, w/15 overprinted on both numerals No Cancelled overprint Green, rouletted 7



10 cigarettes w/15 and Cancelled on top and 41 on one end Green, rouletted 7

1937 King George VI Issue Engraved, no watermark



50 cigarettes w/cancelled on top & letters A.I. overprint perf. 13 x 14

1939 Large Caribou Issue Specimen, Proof



Specimen Proof Burgundy color perf. 11.75 x 11.75



10 cigarettes, Series B Purple, rouletted 7



10 cigarettes, w/15 & Cancelled plus A1 on left Green, rouletted 7



10 cigarettes, w/15 & Cancelled plus A1 on right Green, rouletted 7



10 cigarettes, w/15 & Cancelled overprint Green, rouletted 7



10 cigarettes, w/15 & Cancelled with 10 on left end Green, rouletted 7

1939 Large Caribou Issue Provisional, no watermark



20 cigarettes w/cancelled on top Large numeral 50 overprint perf. 11.75 x 11.75

1940 Small Caribou Issue Engraved, no watermark

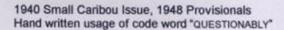


20 cigarettes

Green, perf. 11 x 11

Legend to date code for 1940 Small Caribou Overprinted Set Date coded "QUESTIONABLY", letter refers to month and numeral is year of production.

N-8 would be August 1948.





20 cigarettes manuscript N-8 10's Overprint



20 cigarettes manuscript B-8 10's Overprint



20 cigarettes manuscript 1-8 10's Overprint

1948 overprinted usage with the creation of a 10 cigarette package

1940 Small Caribou Issue Engraved, no watermark, imperforate



20 cigarettes, green Proof pair, security punched 50 pairs exist



20 cigarettes, green No date code



20 cigarettes, green Single, large letter date code (black)



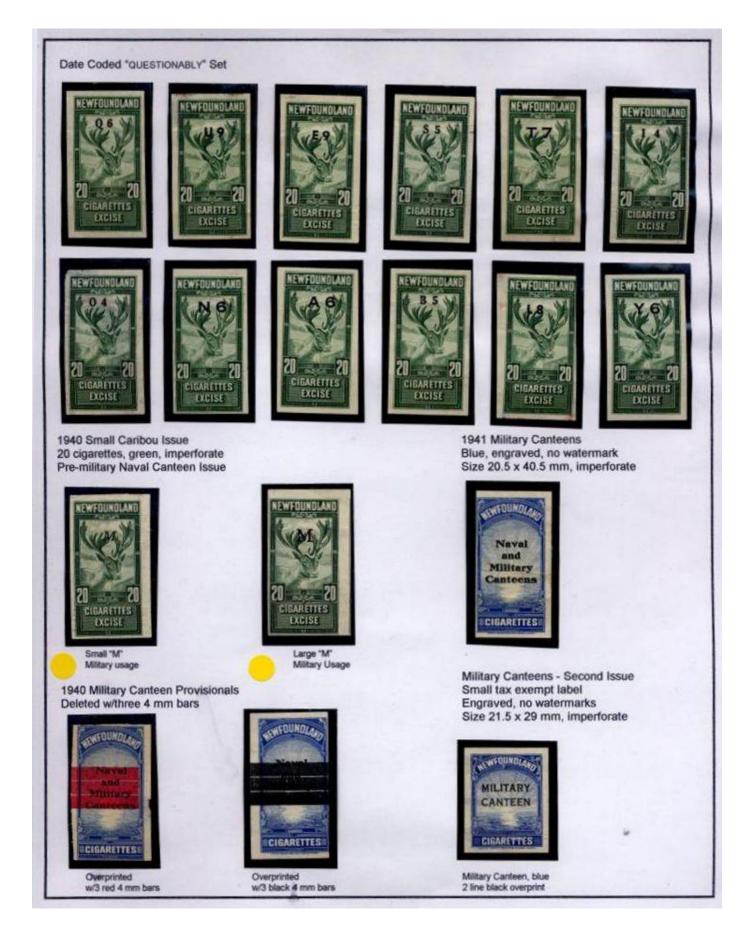
20 cigarettes, green Date code (black) Small letter & numeral



20 cigarettes, green Date code (black) **Duel small letters** & small numeral Second printing



20 cigarettes, green Date code (black) Large letter & numeral



1945 First Issue Small Size Cigarettes Importation Stamps
Engraved, no watermark, size 42 x 21 mm, imperforate
Red control numbers in lower panel, red brown

Proof
Cancelled in top box

Red Control Numbers in the lower panel



TWENTY in upper panel Control numbers in lower panel

Second Issue Large Size Cigarette Importation Stamps Engraved, no watermark, size 29 x 49 mm



Control numerals in lower box

Proof security punched one of 10 known



Black 20 (4.5 mm) numerals in upper panel Red control numbers in lower panel



Red 50 (5 mm) numerals in top panel Red control numbers in lower panel



Violet 50 (4 mm) numerals in top panel Red control numbers in lower panel

Provisionals - 1913 King George V Issue Engraved, no watermark



5 cigarettes, overprinted 1/11 lb. between 2 black bars



5 cigarettes, overprinted 1/4 numerals manuscript (black)





Red control numbers, 1 2/3 ounces in black manuscript



Red control numbers, two written and 2 numeral weight designation and date shipped

Second Tobacco Importation Strip Type Issue No rectangular box for number of ounces Engraved, no watermark, size 167 x 19 mm



2 ounces, green, rouletted 7

Second Tobacco Importation Strip Type Issue No rectangular box for number of ounces Engraved, no watermark, size 167 x 19 mm



2 ounces, dark blue, imperforated Proof with cancelled overprint in red

Fourth Tobacco Importation Strip Type Issue Engraved, no watermark, size 153 x 15 mm, rouletted 11.5



Red 3.5 mm control number, green Proof with cancelled overprint in red



Used w/control numbers only, no weight designation