

### 4.3 PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

#### CHARLOTTETOWN, PEI

Strikes Off-Cover: 2961

Strikes On Cover: 361

Rarity Factor (RF): 7.5



#### Proof Date and Periods of Use:

Period	Earliest Date	Latest Date	Comments/Reference
Proofed	Unknown		Proofing date estimated as SP 6/93 since proof book mutilated on that date
1	-/SP 8/93	1/NO 21/98	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ERD: HB5</li> <li>• Second earliest dated <b>-/SP 11/93</b> on a 1c QV postal card EB-2020</li> <li>• LRD: Isolated strike, RA-7</li> </ul>
2	?/MY 26/00	PM/JU 13/00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ERD: RA-7; LRD: RA-7</li> <li>• These 2 strikes plus 2 Map stamp covers dated ?/JU ?/00 (ML174-143, RW-24) and ??? ?/?/? (JSNP-554)</li> </ul>

**Time Marks/Arrangement:** An article by Doug Murray detailing the complex time mark use (normal date arrangement) in Charlottetown can be found in BNAT475-38

- An earlier study on this topic by Laird can be found in BNAT247-204
- Complex chronology with AM/PM, 1-3 normal (see Table below)
- 5, blank and O (capital o not a zero) abnormal (see Table below)
- Other abnormal TM known: 22, and inverted 2, inverted 5, inverted 7, AM and PM (see Error Table below)
- Possible that inverted 5 was used as a 2, and inverted 7 used as a 1
- Relative percentages: 2 = 52.9%, PM = 25.2%, AM = 7.1%, 3 = 6.0%, 1 = 5.4%, blank = 1.3%, inv 2 = 0.7%, 22 = 0.6%, inv 5 = 0.3%, others = 0.5% (based on 1073 strikes)
- Matched pairs: numerous matched pairs, especially in AP-NO 97 (frequently on 3c Jubilees), are known
- Matched triples:
  - AM/1/2 on JY 7/97
  - AM/2/3 on JY 24/97, AU 23/97, SP 30/97, MY 14/98 (RA-75)
  - 1/2/3 on JY 30/97 (RA-75)
  - blank/1/2 on SP 29/97
  - 1/3/inv 5 on NO 22/97

#### Time Marks During Period 1 of Use: adapted from BNAT475-38

Dates	Normal Use	Uncommon	Abnormal
SP 93 to JY 95	1,2 (2 most common)	PM, 3	blank, inv 2, inv 7, 22
AU 95 to MY 97	AM, PM (PM most common)	1, 2, 3	blank, inv PM
JU 97 to NO 97	AM, 2, 3	1	blank, inv 2, 5, inv 5
DE 97 to MR 98	AM, 2 (2 most common)	1, 3	blank, O (capital o, not a zero)
AP 98	AM, PM (PM most common)	None	None
MY 98 to AU 98	2	AM, PM, 1, 3	blank, 5

**Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:** many errors reported, some of which are listed here, but others certainly exist

Date	Description	Comments/Reference
<u>22</u> /OC 11/??	22 TM	RA-116
<u>2/2</u> DE/93	Inverted 2 in day and day precedes month	
<u>2/16</u> ED/93	Inverted month and day precedes month	
AM/AP <u>24</u> /94	Sideways 4 in day	On a 1c QV postal card, and a backstamp RA-96

<u>2/UJ</u> 6/94	Inverted month	
<u>2/UJ</u> 7/94	Inverted month	RA-116
<u>22/JU</u> 9/94	22 TM	HB5
<u>2/JU</u> 7/94	Month inverted	On a 3c SQ RA-66
<u>1/JY</u> 12/94	Prone 1 TM	RA-112
<b>7/OC 23/94</b>	Inverted 7 TM	On a 3c SQ cover BNAT329-282
<u>2/DE</u> 12/94	Inverted 2 TM	HB5, also on MR 8/95 and JY 9/97
<u>2/MR</u> 8/95	Inverted 2 TM	RA-97
<u>1/8 AU</u> 7/95	Probably AU 8 intended	On a 3c SQ RA-91
<u>22/AU</u> 28/95	22 TM	HB5
<u>AM/01 SP</u> /95	Day reversed and precedes month	HB5, on cover with markings showing SP 10
<u>MP/OC</u> 22/95	Inverted PM TM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 copies on 3c SQ RA-66, RLNB1-1304</li> <li>• Also on JU 18/96, FE 27/97, FE 28/97</li> </ul>
<u>MA/MY</u> 28/96	Inverted AM TM	RA-116
<u>AM/JU</u> <u>56</u> /96	Inverted 5 in day, probably '26' intended	RA-116
<u>PM/1 CO</u> /96	Inverted month/day line	On a 3c SQ, and a 1c QV postal card STK2-1213
<u>PM/1 ON</u> /96	Inverted month/day line	
<u>PM/FE</u> 23/97	Inverted PM TM	On a 1c SQ RA-66
<u>PM/FE</u> 28/97	Inverted PM TM	RA-39
<u>5/NO</u> 2/97	Inverted 5 TM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Backstamp on a postal card</li> <li>• Also on NO 6, NO 22 and AU 11</li> <li>• Known corrected 5/AU 11/97</li> </ul>
<u>MA/AP</u> 2/97	Inverted AM TM	HB5, also on AP 25/97
<u>2/JY</u> 9/97	Inverted 2 TM	On 3c Jubilee RA-66
<u>5/AU</u> 11/97	Inverted 5 TM	Receiver on a 3c Jubilee cover RLNB1-1304
<b>O/MR 31/98</b>	Capital 'O' TM, not a zero	On a 1c Jubilee postal card BNAT279-148
<u>2/MY</u> ??/ <u>9</u>	Single digit year for 98	On cover RA-21

- Especially noticeable on Jubilees, the '8' slug used in the day (8th, 18th, 28th) prints very faintly - appears to be a short slug

Stamp Issues:	Denominations	Comments/Reference
<b>2¢ RLS</b>	Y	Dated <b>AM/DE 4/95</b> RA-110
<b>Large Queen</b>	12-1/2c, 15c	12-1/2c first report dated 2/JU 26/94 RA-159
<b>Widow Weed</b>	20c	
<b>Small Queen</b>	1/2c, 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c, 6c, 8c, 10c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6c: first report with partial date RA-131</li> <li>• 8c: an 8c SQ registered cover bearing all 3 PEI Squared Circles listed in STK1-3194 (Georgetown dispatch -/JA 25/98, Charlottetown transit <b>1/JA 26/98</b>, Summerside receiver -/JA 27/98)</li> </ul>
<b>Jubilee</b>	1/2c, 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c, \$1	<b>3c: 337 OC, 46 C</b>

		1/2c first report dated 2/DE 16/97 RA-160 \$1 first report light strike on stamp dated ?/AP 25/98 RA-152
<b>QV Leaf</b>	1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c	
<b>QV Numeral</b>	1c,2cp,3c	
<b>1898 Map</b>	Y	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0 OC, 2 C</li> <li>• One cover a backstamp with unknown date (JSNP-554)</li> <li>• Second a cancelling strike dated JU ?/00 (ML174-143, EIPP-24)</li> </ul>
<b>5¢ RLS</b>	Y	
<b>Envelope</b>	1c,2c,3c	3c first report dated PM/JA 21/95 RA-14 2c first report on 2c Newfoundland UPU dated 2/JA 26/95 RA-156
<b>Gov't Postal Card</b>	1c,2c	2c first report dated 2/AU 1/95 RA-163
<b>Jubilee Post Card</b>	Y	

1/JA 26/98



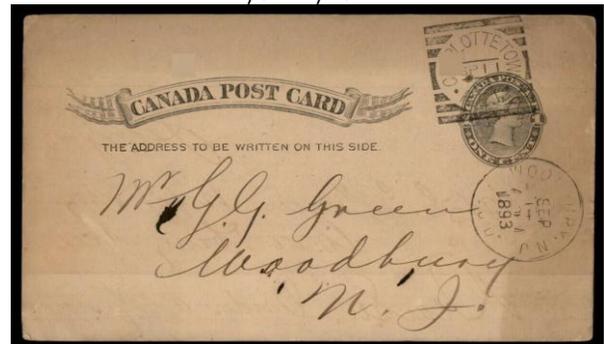
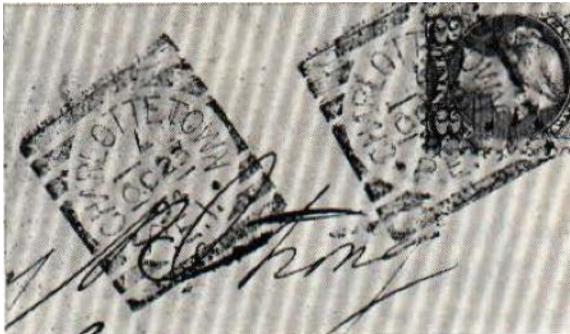
O/MR 31/98

AM/DE 4/95



Z/OC 23/94

-/SP 11/93



**GEORGETOWN, PEI**

**Strikes Off-Cover:** 249

**Strikes On Cover:** 62

**Rarity Factor (RF):** 30



**Proof Date and Periods of Use:**

Period	Earliest Date	Latest Date	Comments/Reference
Proofed	-/NO 21/94		
1	-/DE 1/94	-/MY 15/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ERD: HB5</li> <li>• Second earliest report -/JA 12/95</li> <li>• LRD: HB5</li> </ul>

**Time Marks/Arrangement:** blank, normal date arrangement

**Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:**

Date	Description	Comments/Reference
-/ON 01/99	Inverted month and zero spacer	HB5

Stamp Issues:	Denominations	Comments/Reference
<b>Small Queen</b>	1c,2c,3c,5c,8c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 8c: an 8c SQ registered cover bearing all 3 PEI Squared Circles listed in STK1-3194 (Georgetown dispatch -/JA 25/98, Charlottetown transit 1/JA 26/98, Summerside receiver -/JA 27/98)</li> </ul>
<b>Jubilee</b>	1c,2c,3c,5c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1c: example on cover with 11X1c dated -/JY 2/97 with Charlottetown SC receiver STK1-3191, RA-127</li> <li>• 3c: 33 OC, 4 C</li> <li>• 5c first report dated -/SP 10/97 RA-160</li> </ul>
<b>QV Leaf</b>	1c,3c	1c first report dated -/FE 23/99 RA-168
<b>QV Numeral</b>	1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,2/3c,3c,5c,7c	2/3c first report dated -/AU 11/99 RA-150 5c first report dated -/AP 5/00 RA-164
<b>1898 Map</b>	Y	5 OC, 5 C
<b>Gov't Postal Card</b>	1c	

-/JY 2/97



-/JA 25/98



**SUMMERSIDE, PEI**

**Strikes Off-Cover:** 221  
**Strikes On Cover:** 123  
**Rarity Factor (RF):** 25



**Proof Date and Periods of Use:**

Period	Earliest Date	Latest Date	Comments/Reference
Proofed	-/NO 11/93		
1	-/NO 14/93	-/JU 23/00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ERD: HB5</li> <li>• Second earliest report -/NO 16/93 on a 2c SQ RA-149</li> <li>• LRD: HB5</li> </ul>

**Time Marks/Arrangement:** blank, normal date arrangement  
 • Single AM TM known dated AM/JA 22/98 RA-18

**Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:**

Date	Description	Comments/Reference
-/NO 2?/86	Year error 86 for 96	RA-41

Stamp Issues:	Denominations	Comments/Reference
<b>Widow Weed</b>	20c	
<b>Small Queen</b>	1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2c first report dated -/NO 16/93 RA-149</li> <li>• 5c: first report dated -/OC 24/97 on a pair RA-143</li> <li>• 6c: first report dated -/MR 12/94 RA-125</li> <li>• 8c: an 8c SQ registered cover bearing all 3 PEI Squared Circles listed in STK1-3194 (Georgetown dispatch -/JA 25/98, Charlottetown transit 1/JA 26/98, Summerside receiver -/JA 27/98)</li> </ul>
<b>Jubilee</b>	1c,2c,3c,5c,8c,10c	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3c: 4 OC, 5 C</li> <li>• Off-cover dated -/JU 23/97, -/JY 2/97, -/JY 15/97, -/AU 23/97</li> <li>• One of the 3c covers also franked with a 5c Jubilee dated -/JU 28/97 RA-127</li> <li>• Other 3c covers dated -/JY 9/97, -/JY 28/97 RA-173, -/AU 14/97, -/AU 18/97 (backstamp receiver on a registered cover with a pair of 3c Jubilees and a pair of 1c SQ EAMR2020-1969)</li> <li>• 8c: first report dated -/JU 2/97</li> <li>• 10c: first report dated -/FE 18/98 RA-120, EB-2019</li> </ul>
<b>QV Leaf</b>	1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c	6c first report dated -/DE 13/98 RA-150
<b>QV Numeral</b>	1c,2cp,2cr,3c,5c,8c,2/3c	
<b>1898 Map</b>	Y	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 OC, 1 C</li> <li>• Cover is a receiving backstamp dated -/DE 28/98 EARB-370</li> </ul>
<b>5¢ RLS</b>	Y	
<b>Envelope</b>	3c	3c first report dated -/JY 13/96 RA-170
<b>Gov't Postal Card</b>	1c,2c	

-/JU 28/97



-/JY 15/97



-/JA 27/98



-/NO 14/93 ERD



-/OC 24/97



-/FE 18/98

