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A Letter from the Chair

To the members of
BNAPS Pacific Northwest
Regional Group

Summer is now behind us and here in the Okanagan we have moved from summerlike temperatures 2 weeks ago to frost and our first 6 "of snow. Both Spring and Fall have a duration of 2 weeks and then is snow season or fire season. Now that winter is here we will have more time to spend indoors on our favorite hobby.

In person shows and bourses are numerous in all parts of our region. I've enjoyed meeting with our local stamp group in Vernon as well as our Okanagan wide regional club. It is getting more difficult to find meeting space. We used to meet in Winfield paying \$75 for space which is now post covid at \$275. Its becoming a real issue that is limiting our options, other than a big price increase to members dues and dealer table rentals. It's a problem.

But it has been great to meet person to person with collector friends that I haven't seen in several years!

BNAPex in Calgary at the beginning of September was time well spent. Hotel accommodations were excellent. Our room was well kept and extremely quiet. The exhibits and displays were first rate. Although any particular exhibit may not be your cup of tea, you have to admire the commitment of the exhibitor to their field of study. The design, layout and supporting material was outstanding. Several members of our region had awarded exhibits. Well done to all. The other big win was meeting other philatelist that we see on zoom or read about - in particular with strong representation from Eastern Canada. There was a wide variety of dealer tables with material at all price points. There were three dealers from our region in attendance - **Tom Watkins**, Victoria, **Firmin Wyndels/Weeda**, Victoria and **Michael Anderson** from Langley. Their contact information is published in this news-

letter, should you need their services. Thank you for attending.

The bourse traffic was steady throughout the event and I personally did my best to support. I was able to acquire a range of items from each dealer to further my collecting interests including an special item shared later in this newsletter.

Thank you to those members who have submitted their material included in the newsletter. Its always fascinating to see what our members are up to. From winning awards, exhibiting, writing books and articles, researching their areas of interest. Congratulations to you all for enriching our hobby.

"Please keep those cards and letters coming", to coin an old phrase.

In closing, I would be remiss if I didn't express the thanks of our members and executive of the Pacific Northwest Regional Group, BNAPS to those that made the ultimate sacrifice to ensure the freedoms that we now enjoy. Remember them this November 11.



*"They shall grow not old, as
we that are left grow old;
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nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun
and in the morning
We will remember them."*



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BNAPex 2022 Calgary Alberta - Regional Palmares

*The following members of our region exhibited at the show and
were honoured for their excellence.*

BNAPS Exhibit Awards

Multi Frame Exhibits

GOLD

Richard Thompson - The First Decimal Issue of Canada 1859 to 1868

Order of the Beaver Novice Award – Best exhibit of a BNAPS
member exhibiting for the first time at a BNAPEX

VERMEIL

David A. Biltek - Variations in the Key of “G”

NATIONAL Exhibit Awards

Multi Frame Exhibits

VERMEIL

Ken Pugh - The BNA Forgeries of Giovanni Patroni

Ken Pugh - Canada Postal and Philatelic Counterfeits: 39c Coil Definitive
(1990)

SILVER

Richard Thompson - Three Cents Small Queen 1870 to 1897

LARGE VERMEIL, AAPE Award of Excellence

Ken Pugh - Argentina - The 400th Anniversary Columbus Landfall Issue

SILVER - Northwest Federation Thunderbird Award

David A. Biltek - Variations in the Key “G”

Single Frame Exhibits

LARGE SILVER

J. Alex Hadden - 1978 Blair Atholl International Scout Camp

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The Philatelic Specialists Society of Canada comprises scholars of philately, specializing in a diversity of subjects.

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Harold Krische, of Langley, B.C., was both proposed and accepted for membership in the PSSC this summer.



Harold has collected and researched First World War Japanese prisoner-of-war camp postal history for nearly four decades. During that time, he also presented at the Smithsonian Postal History Symposium while his literature exhibits have earned large gold medals at the Stamp Exhibition of Southern California – also known as Sescal – and the Sarasota National Stamp Exhibition. Currently the vice-president of the Military Postal History Society, Krische also belongs to the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada, British North America Philatelic Society, APS, Collectors Club of New York, International Society of Japanese Philately,

Forces Postal History Society and the 21 Club, a long-running Vancouver-based club.

Harold presented to our BNAPS Regional Group December 2021 on the subject of post cards produced by German soldiers as Japanese POW's. The presentation "Christmas Postcards from Japanese Prisoner of War Camps 1914-1919" runs just under one hour and is available for viewing at the APS YouTube channel:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rapGkTX_1zY



Congratulations, Harold!

VICPEX 2022 October 1,2 Victoria BC

Submitted by Richard Fleet

On the 1st and 2nd of October the Vancouver Island Exhibition Committee held its first show in 2½ years at the Sandman Hotel on Douglas Street, Victoria, BC.

This was the **81st VICPEX** exhibition to be held in Victoria and from the turnout of dealers and collectors, stamp collecting is alive and doing well.

The show was a huge success featuring **11 dealers and 14 exhibits** covering an assortment of subjects.

Peter Newroth took Best in Show for his 'Egyptian Stamps 1866-1937'

Ian Kimmerly won the Second Best in Show for 'Censorship in the Solomon Islands'.

Cathy Osborne won the Most Favourite Exhibit award with 'A Bell Sampler'.

Other exhibits included:

Peter Newroth - 'Stamp Printing Methods & Styles'

Reg Smart - 'The Gutenberg Legacy' AND Libya - Italy's Vain

Robert Stock - 'Italian Evacuee Camp #1-Kenya', and 'Postal History of Newspapers & Magazines'

Bruce Pollock - 'Maitland- Dougell Family' which was in close contention for the "Most Popular Exhibit.

John Pollard - "Mauritius Postal Stationery"

Rick Fleet - 'The Town Post of Pskov'

Special thanks to **Gray Scrimgeour** and **Brian Plain** for their excellent job judging the exhibits.

Peter Newroth, representing the Wellburn Foundation also had a table promoting his new 'Gerald E. Wellburn' book and also had information available on stamp collecting and the local clubs, and also an assortment of "free" stamps which were available to kids and adults also.



All in all, it was a great show with many new faces appearing for the first time at our shows.

As always, the show committee and some club volunteers did a fine job of putting up frames, filling them with exhibits and taking the frames down at the end of the show.

Special thanks to **Reg Smart** and **Rick Deegan** for their work in the handling of the frames.

VICPEX 2022 continued

As you know, we lost the use of the Comfort Inn's banquet room to housing for the street people and it was necessary to find new accommodations. The Sandman Hotel is a great replacement but it come at an enormous price.

Our rental for the room for the two day show is double of what we were paying at the Comfort Inn. With this in mind, a special thanks to all of the people who made a donation at the door. Its your support that will ensure that our shows can continue into the future.

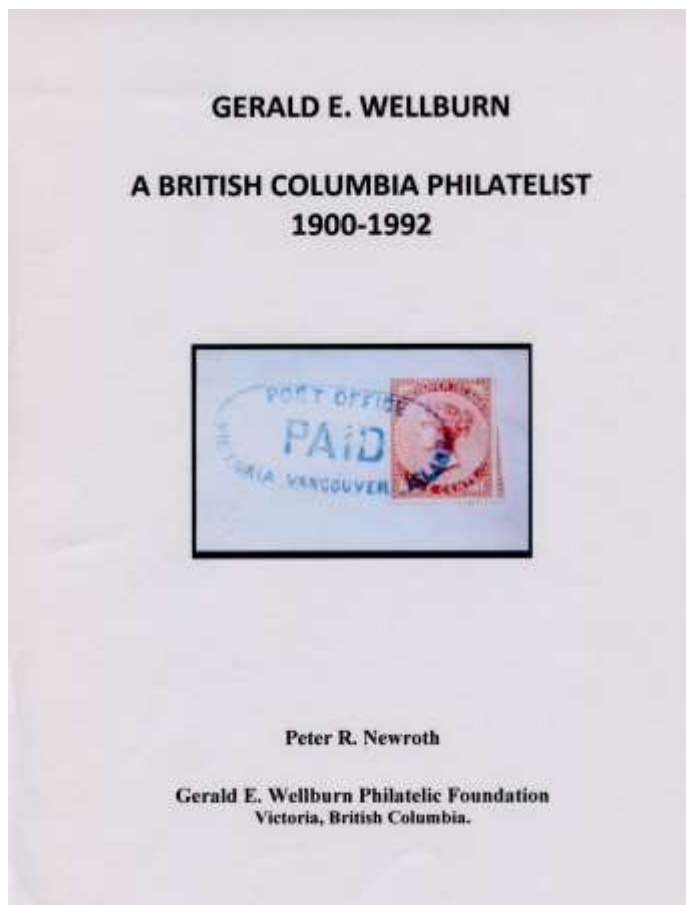
Looking forward to shows in March and October 2023—see you then!!



From the Wellburn Foundation

Submitted by Peter Newroth

Recently, The Wellburn Foundation took a table at VICPEX, represented by Peter Newroth, Bill Bartlett and other Directors were there to "meet and greet" for the two days of the show.



Plenty of free Stamp Packs were given out (a few young collectors/friends from a local school stamp club showed up!).

We hope the school stamp group will continue this winter, supported by local teachers and Bob Stock, our Wellburn Director looking after this. We have plenty of information and stamp stuff to pass out.

The Greater Victoria Public Library (one Branch) has resumed having free Stamp Packs available for their patrons...and packs are well dispersed through the Little Free Library boxes all over Victoria.

The Wellburn biography book continues to sell well and has received favorable reviews from the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada, and their book review published in the Sept/Oct 2022 edition of "The Canadian Philatelist".

The book is a laminated softcover, 56 pages, 276 x 515 mm with a retail price of \$25.00 including postage if mailed in Canada. Books can be ordered from www.vicstamps.com, Webmaster Hugh Armstrong at : hughvic2@yahoo.com

WANT LIST - HELP WANTED

David Piercey is planning an eventual article on the postal history of Kitimat, and would like to solicit scans of material that he could use to augment what he showed in our March 22 Zoom session.

He is interested in seeing scans of members' covers that show complete and clear strikes of MOONs, POCONs, RC cancels, registration cancels and other such modern material as may have been used at Kitimat's Main and sub-Post Offices in the period 1960 to date.

Of course, scans of earlier material, 1900-1960, would also be appreciated, as would material from Kemano and Nechako too.

He is also quite willing to arrange to purchase any such material too for an eventual exhibit of his.

Contact him at:

dpiercey@telus.net



Do you need anything for your research topic of interest? Let the membership know—perhaps they can help. Our members have a tremendous philatelic knowledge and contacts and are happy to share their expertise. Use this space as a research tool.

**Help Me -
I'm Stuck**



JOKE: Why is it so hard for women to advance their careers in the post office?

WANT LIST - HELP WANTED



Help wanted from an APS member concerning the customs cancel on the front of this Swiss cover. Cal is looking to connect with anyone who may have some expertise in the area of custom cancellations of philatelic material. This request came to our BNAPS group as the cancel, in this case is Vancouver. If you can help out Calvin Deen, please contact him at ckdeem@cox.net



WANT LIST - HELP WANTED

1975 H.M.C.S. Restigouche/FMO Victoria Meter

Cover presumably mailed from a HMCS Restigouche crew member while on a United States Cruise, as it's meter pays the 10¢ Canadian naval airmail rate (1968.11.01 to 1977.02.28) for mail up to 1 oz from these cruises. Sales does not list a #828938 meter for FMO Victoria. Cover also has a CF 15 dater that was assigned to the Restigouche, and is dated a year before Sayles first reported use.



The Destroyer Escort H.M.C.S. Restigouche



A CHARGEX cover w/the ship's April 2/75 Meter and April 4/75 date stamp. (Ex Lingard and now in the Larry Margetish collection).

Questions

Since the meter is dated 2 days before the ships date stamp, was the meter applied on the ship? If so, did other Canadian naval ships use meters as well?

Can any of the members help out Doug with his inquiry? Doug can be reached at:

lingardd@istar.ca

WANT LIST - HELP WANTED

Morris Beatty has an ongoing project of compiling stationery used by Union Steamships as per the examples to the left. He is seeking scans from some other philatelists so that he can establish all the variations used and date ranges for these. His goal is to publish this in book form and make it available through the BNAPS Book library.

So he is inquiring if anyone has examples in their collection to send him a scan or if you see material for sale—send him a quick note.

He would truly appreciate any help from the membership.

Morris Beattie <mbeattie48@shaw.ca>



WANT LIST - HELP WANTED

Help with Postal Meter Slogans

Below is a scan of two covers in the collection of Bill Aaroe for which he is trying to discover some meaning. Both have the same slogan used with their postage meters yet the one cover was mailed from Great West Life and the other from the Manitoba Museum (the meter id's are different but that doesn't absolutely guarantee that they were physically mailed from facilities at those two institutions. The slogan *Your future is our business Today*.... is suggestive of the type of business Great West Life does, but why then would the museum be using it? Bill is guessing that the slogan had a 'wider' use or meaning. His internet searches have come up with nothing. Can anyone help Bill with further information on meter slogans?

Bill can be reached at: Bill Aaroe <baaroe@telus.net>



PERFINS, OHMS and "G" Officials

submitted by David Biltek



Registered Shipping tag from Assistant receiver General, Victoria, BC to Royal bank North Vancouver BC scarce 5 hole OHMS perfin, 50 cent bluenose with sheet margin on right and a 5 hole perfin OHMS Arch 3 cent vertical strip of 3 (all positions #1 or A) tied by Victoria CDS postmarks and further tied by large oval REGISTRATION FEB 4, 1932 Vancouver date stamp in blue very rare correct usage of Bluenose stamp. may well be unique



Interesting usage of OHMS Perfin pair. Note that top stamp has no perfins.



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Courtesy Airmail Covers

Submitted by Tom Watkins

These covers were all carried by favour or "courtesy" by the airline from one location to another as de facto airmail even though applicable airmail postage rates were not applied because it was carried at the airline's discretion, rather than as a Canadian post office service.

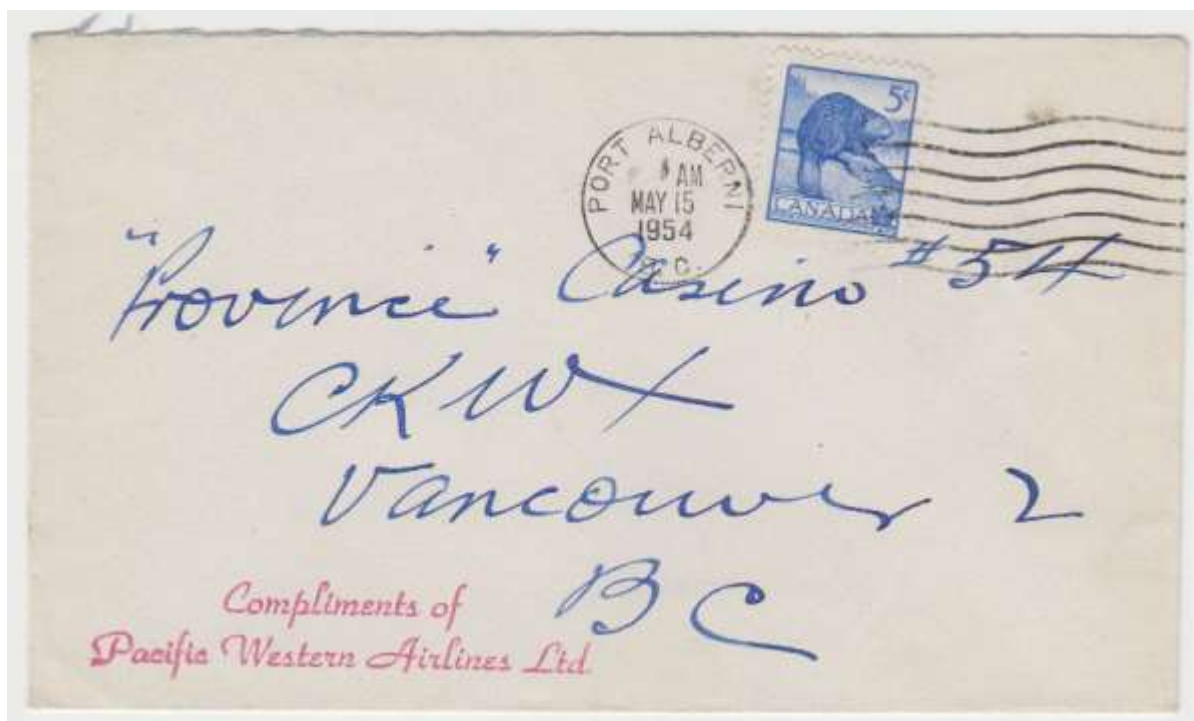
These letters typically originated from a remote or isolated location and were carried to a major city where they were then placed into the postal system and postmarked (though not always) at that location, rather than at the point of origin.

The covers from Zeballos and Campbell River are two such examples of mail that only entered the postal system after they were flown to Vancouver. To my understanding, these airlines had no official sanction from the post office to carry mail but seem to have done so to endear themselves to those who would benefit of expedient air service with the idea that they would then also use their paid services such as cargo and personal air transport. They also obviously were wanting to promote themselves and the handstamps they applied to the mail that they carried served as advertising.



Courtesy Airmail Covers

Submitted by Tom Watkins



Maps on Postcards - On the lighter Side of Philately

By Bill Pekonen

Currently, BNAPS members have been interested in postal history. Great interest has been concentrated on events about 100 years or more in the past. Postal history is being made every day. Examples of mail from 75 years ago are slowly disappearing. More current examples may be easier to find at a reasonable cost.

The economy was recovering during the late 1960's and 1970's. Many people had the desire to travel in automobiles. Motels were built along highways to cater to the overnight stays. Cafes and informal restaurants were created. Drive-in hamburger stands became popular.

Postcards from about 50 years ago can still be found with various maps on the front face. This collecting interest was a popular fad during that time period. One of those postcards illustrating a map is the Lake Superior Circle Tour. This card boasts of being the most scenic drive in the United States and Canada. Any place along the tour route could be a starting and ending date.

The description on the card states as follows. "Motorists traveling the circle tour around Lake Superior will visit Canada and three of the United States – Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. The distance of the complete route is 1,068 miles. The many points of interest are spectacular ---- the scenic beauty superb."

This card was written at the Blue Water Cabins, Ontario on Oct. 7, 1971 and mailed at Saint Ignace Mi. on Oct. 9. The post card with a 6 cent Eisenhower postage stamp was addressed to Bellevue, Wash.

These map postcards can form an interesting collection, if you can find them.



Prince Rupert. BC

Submitted by Mark Oakley

Unused post card c. 1925 showing downtown commercial buildings and residences located on the cliff above.



The house identified with the arrow is **220 West 4 th Avenue and is the house I lived in as a child.** Both of these homes, 220 and 228 West Fourth still stand and are on the heritage list. They are easily identifiable in almost any image of the city due to the unique shape of the roofline of 228 West Fourth, which was built sideways due to the narrow lot. It was painted a very distinctive green with a red asphalt shingle roof.

Prince Rupert has a very rich history in post cards and photos. Many of these can be seen on the Prince Rupert archives website at: <https://princerupertarchives.ca/>

Or the UNBC Northern BC Archives at: <https://search.nbca.unbc.ca/index.php/prince-rupert-6>

Wellburn Foundation - A Fathers wish for his Daughter



Postcard from Gerald Wellburn to his daughter, Lois. May 13, 1936

“This, after all is the best place (Metropolitan Museum of Art”)in New York. Groups of older school children are through here for history and art lectures and I imagine it must be a treat to attend those lessons. Some day I hope you will be able to visit here. Dad”

OAKLEY, Assiniboia

Submitted by Mark Oakley

Don't let the title fool you—there is no relationship between myself and Oakley, Assiniboia. At least, not yet. I have been researching the history of Oakley Assiniboia for about 30 years. What started off as a genealogical side trip ended up as a philatelic puzzle. During that period have I have acquired 6 Oakley cancelled items. But the greatest puzzle is not the absence of philatelic material but the almost complete absence of any information on the town of Oakley. The Oakley post office was established May 1 1893 and closed August 31 1917. The last building was moved to a nearby town in 1965. A roadside cairn indicates the date of formation was June 17 1892 and closed December 1959. The National Archives has information on the formation of the post office but there is nothing on the formation or dissolution of the town. I assume that the formation of a place name required some governmental approval and that the dissolution of the town required Provincial approval. Where did all the records go? Were they destroyed or are they in a dark government archive? If you have any ideas on re-



Photo taken by author 2005



search directions - I would most welcome your assistance.

Oakley Feb 5 1910

(Acquired at BNAPS 2022)

The usual routing for Oakley mail was the nearby town of Carnduff, (just south of Oakley) posted from Gainsborough, SK (20 km east of Carnduff). Note this card shows Miss Henderson's mail address as Carnduff, but eventually arriving in Oakley on Feb 5.



This later mailing April 23 1910 is now routed to the correct address in Oakley, via Carnduff.

BNAPEX 2022, Calgary AB Sept 2-4 2022

Pacific Northwest Region Dealers

The following 3 dealers from our region loaded their cars with a vast array of philatelic material and traveled to Calgary to provide collectors with a wide variety of offerings to BNAPS attendees. We thank them for their service and hope that the show was successful for both them and their clients.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VANCOUVER ISLAND

THE PENCE ISSUE OF 1860



Collection of W. H. Gross
Photo courtesy Sprink Shreeves Galleries

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BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VANCOUVER ISLAND

THE PENCE ISSUE OF 1860

Method of Printing - Typographed* by Thomas De La Rue & Co., London, England

Date of Issue - July 30, 1860

Shades - 2 1/2d	rose	S.G.
	dull rose	Untraced, Scott
	pale rose	Holmes
	deep reddish-rose	Lowe, Jarrett
	pink	Jarrett, Eaton and Wallace
	brown-rose	Lowe, S.G.
	light brown	Jarrett
	pale dull red	Jarrett
	orange	Eaton and Wallace (issued imperforate December, 1859)
	bright orange-red	Eaton and Wallace (reprint for the International Exhibition, London, 1862)

Paper - Thin, hard, yellowish wove. Reprinted in 1862 on a very white, wove paper

Perforation - 14, imperforate (unissued)

Gum - White

* Reported in Jarrett (1873: 214), Eaton and Wallace (1967: 80) as engraved, and typographed in Lowe (1973: 577), and Scott. In fact, both processes are correct to a point. According to A. S. Deaville in *The Colonial Postal Systems and Postage Stamps of Vancouver Island and British Columbia 1849-1871*, page 65: "The original die was engraved 'en sargne' on steel, very probably by Mons. J. Ferdinand Joubert, Messrs. De La Rue's chief engraver. Impressions of the original die were taken in lead blocks and arranged in panes of sixty; electro casts of these impressions were then taken for the plates actually used in printing, and four of the plates, enlaced with silver to make them more durable, made up a sheet of 240 stamps." Thus, they were electrotyped from an engraved die.

Recommended Pugh resources - Release 10 - *The BNA Argives of Erasmo Dreyfus and Angelo Powell*; Release 25A - *The genuine, fakes and forgeries of Vancouver Island and British Columbia*

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See you at **CAPEX!**

MASSETT, BC 1910—1948

Renamed MASSET 1948

Masset, formerly Massett, is a village in Haida Gwaii .It is located on Masset Sound on the northern coast of Graham Island, the largest island in the archipelago, and is approximately 50 km west of mainland

Located on the North End of 2 km north of Masset ,the community of Old Massett is connected by road and a well-used sidewalk and sits on the site of three traditional Haida villages.

Old Massett is one of 2 villages where the Haida Nation regrouped in the late 1800s, having been forced to leave most of their ancient villages due to their declining numbers, a severe consequence of smallpox introduced by Europeans.

The Hudson's Bay Company operated a trading post at the far end of the Village from 1869 to 1898. Old Massett is named after Maast Island, a small island in Masset Sound, which is believed to have been named after an early European sailor who was buried on the Island. Today, Old Masset is the administrative seat of the Council of the Haida Nation, and is home





Routing from Massett on July 3, 1935, Prince Rupert July 4, P(ince) George and P(ince) Rupert RPO July 5, Edmonton Jul 7, Winnipeg & Bins RPO July 8, Winnipeg Jul 9, New York July 10, Bulle, Switzerland July 19. Also some other RPO travel—any experts on RPO's that can decipher?

JOKE: Why is it so hard for women to advance their careers in the post office? Because it's a mail dominated business.

Calling All Tax Lawyers and Accountants

A very nice South Saltspring BC split ring Aril 1, 1918. Office opened 1900, changed 1924 to Fulford Harbour.

Tax professionals may remember the controversy surrounding this property as a major test of taxation of the family farm on the passing of the homesteaders - The Ruckle Family. Given the size of this farm, when Gordon Ruckle passed away, substantial estate taxes were due on the capital appreciation of the farm. So large in fact that the only way to settle the taxes

was to sell the farm. To keep the farm intact, the Estate entered into a tenancy agreement to allow the farm to operate but eventually devolving to the Province. Seen at the time as expropriation through taxation and was a warning to farmers and large landowners of the risks of intergenerational estate transfers.



The Ruckle Heritage Farm still exists and further information on this unique farm can be seen at their website: <https://rucklefarmsaltspringisland.com/>

The websites history page talks of how the farm was purchased in 1974 but fails to mention that it was in exchange for forgiveness of Estate taxes. It certainly was not a voluntary transfer, rather more akin to a shotgun wedding.

“Ruckle Heritage Farm was established in 1872 by one of Salt Spring Island’s earliest settlers, Gordon Ruckle, and is the oldest operating family farm in the Gulf Islands and is a significant property among British Columbia’s working farm heritage sites. The Province of BC purchased the land from the Ruckle family in 1973 and it was established as a Class A park in 1974. It bears the name of the family as a tribute. A life tenancy agreement was established between the Province and the Ruckle Family that granted six family members the right to continue to occupy and farm the historic farm area.

With the expiry of the life tenancy agreement in 2019, BC Parks is responsible for the management of the 82 hectares of the Active Farm and heritage structures...

In 1974, the Ruckle family bequeathed their farm and the surrounding 1307 acre property to British Columbia’s provincial park service with the stipulation that the 202 acre farmstead remain a working farm. In addition to a large market garden, the farm includes sheep and lambs, cows, chickens, turkeys, highland cattle and goats.”

<https://rucklefarmsaltspringisland.com/about-ruckle-heritage-farm/>

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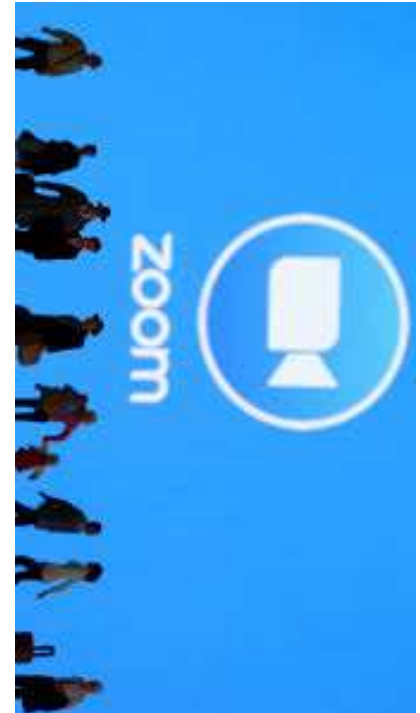
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Upcoming Meetings

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