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EDITOR'S NOTES

Welcome to the 83rd edition of our Newsletter. Things have been hectic on and off the job, so this edition is late!! I have been busy doing a couple of exhibits I will be attending so all else has fallen by the way side. I hope you all will bear with me!

for shows

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AN ARTICLE BY OUR DEALER MEMBER
JOHN JAMEISON (SASKATOON STAMP CENTRE)
ON THE JOHN GUY SHEETLETS OF FOUR
IMPERFORATES IN NON-ISSUED COLORS.

THANKS TO JON FOR PROVIDING THE COLORED
PHOTOCOPY SETS. A GREAT ADDITION TO OUR N.F.
LIBRARY.

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1871 NEW ZEALAND TO NEWFOUNDLAND

The two associated scanned photocopies are of covers sold by Spink & Son, London in a specialised sale of New Zealand on March 15 2000. The covers were estimated £350-£400 and £400-£500 respectively. Both covers realised £950 each which with the buyer's premium of 15% amounted to £2,175. This was 3 times the lower estimate figure.

Both covers are part of the Claudius Watts correspondence going to Harbor Grace and precede anything recorded going from Newfoundland to New Zealand in the stamp period. However, Pratt does record one pre-stamp cover and a stamped cover dated 13 April 1885 to New Zealand, whilst there are a number of known covers from this same correspondence to the same Harbor Grace addressee. Incidentally, my earliest cover to New Zealand is dated in 1894. Both these covers are from Invercargill and are from the same correspondent. The later cover is rated 8 pence (6d and 2d Chalon Heads) tied by barred oval cancellers with an Invercargill CDS MY 10 71 alongside. The cover was carried to San Francisco where the American broken 10 (cents) collect fee was struck, however there is no San Francisco transit mark. It was then forwarded to Montreal where it received a backstamp on July 1. The next backstamp is Halifax on what appears to be July 5 and then forward to St. John's where it received a backstamp of July 19 and the collect 13 numeral handstamp. Finally, the front receiver mark was struck at Harbor Grace on July 19.

The earlier cover was also rated 8 pence (2d x 4 Chalon Heads) and tied by the same barred oval canceller. The Invercargill CDS shows an unreadable despatch date in January. This cover again travelled via San Francisco where it was struck with the American broken 10 (cents) collect fee handstamp. It was again forwarded to Montreal March 21 backstamp before being sent on to Halifax March 24 backstamp. It arrived at St. John's on March 27 backstamp and eventually at Harbor Grace on March 28 front receiver. The manuscript 13 (cents) collect fee was presumably applied at Harbour Grace.

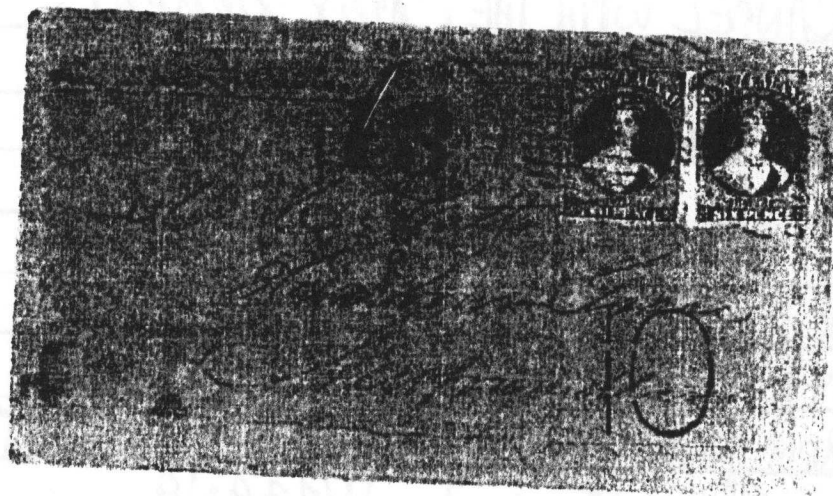
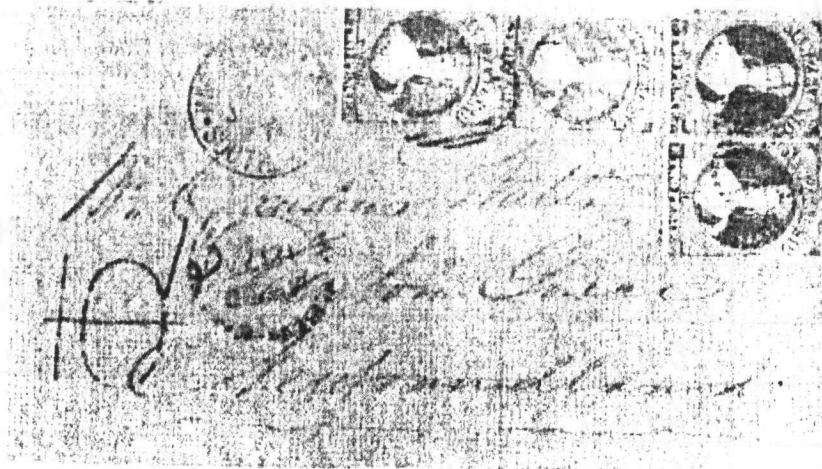
It would be nice to think that these two fine and rare covers grace a Newfie collection but, unless someone admits to purchasing them, they shall remain a mystery as to who the actual buyer was until they next surface in a named sale.

Colin Lewis
Swansea U.K.

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ADAMS COVE	Y001		BADGER	Y025	
ADMIRALS BEACH	Y002		BAIE VERTE	Y026	
ABRAHAM'S COVE	Y003		BADGERS QUAY	Y030	
ADMIRALS COVE		53001	BAIE VERTE	Y035	
ALLANS ISLAND		53005	BAINE HARBOUR	Y040	
ANCHOR POINT		53009	BAR HAVEN	Y041	53022
ANDERSON'S COVE		53010	BARACHOIS CROCK	Y042	
ANGELS COVE		53012	BARENEED		53020
AQUATHUNA	Y005		BARTLETT'S HARBOUR		53030
AQUAFORTE	Y010	53025	BATTLE HARBOUR	Y043	
ASPEN COVE	Y013		BATTEAU, LAB.		53032
ARNOLDS COVE	Y015		BAULINE		53040
AVONDALE	Y020		BAY BULLS	Y044	
			BAY DE VERDE	Y045	
			BAY DU NORD		53050
			BAY L'ARGENT	Y050	
			BAY ROBERTS	Y055	
			BEAR COVE	Y057	53052
			BEAUMONT	Y056	
			BELLBURNS		53060
			BELLORAM	Y060	
			BELLVUE EAST	Y061	
			BELLE ISLE		53070
			BELL ISLAND FRONT	Y062	
			WABANA	Y065	
			BENTON	Y066	
			BENOITS COVE	Y067	
			BIRCHY BAY	Y068	
			BIRCHY HEAD		53090

MOON & MOTO BOXED CANCELS OF N.F. & LAB.

M.O.D.N - A BOXED CANCEL WITH THE
"MONEY ORDER OFFICE NUMBER" AT THE TOP.

M.O.I.D - "MONEY/ORDER TOWN OFFICE"
NAME AT THE TOP.

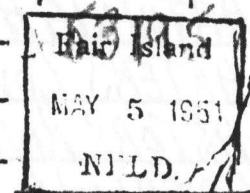
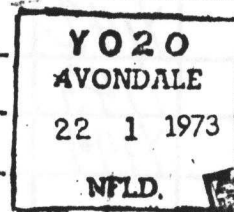
THESE BOXED CANCELS WERE USED
IN NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR MONEY
ORDER OFFICES FROM APRIL OF 1949
TO MARCH 1, 1973; WHEN THEY
WERE OFFICIALLY CANCELLED BY
OTTAWA. MANY NEWFOUNDLAND
OFFICES USED THEM AS CANCELS
UP INTO THE 1980'S

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BIRD COVE	Y069	53096	BROOKLYN		53195
BISCAY BAY		53098	BROOKSIDE		53197
BISHOPS COVE	Y070	53100	BAYANTS COVE	Y103	
BLACK DUCK BROOK		53105	BROWNSDALE	Y104	
BLACK DUCK COVE		53110	BUCHANS	Y105	
BLACK DUCK SIDING		53115	BUCHANS JUNCTION	Y106	
BLACK HEAD ROAD, STJ		53117	BUNYANS COVE	Y108	
BLACK ISLAND		53120	BURGED	Y110	
BLACK TICKLE		53112	BURBOYNES COVE	Y111	
BLAKETOWN	Y072		BURNT BAY ARM	Y113	
BLUFF HEAD COVE	Y073		BURIN	Y115	
BLOOMFIELD	Y074		BURLINGTON	Y116	
BONA VISTA	Y075		BURNT COVE		53238
BOAT HARBOUR WEST	Y076		BURNT ISLANDS (BURNT)	Y117	
BEACHSIDE	Y077		BURNT POINT	Y119	53232
BONNE BAY	Y080		BURNS COVE		
BOSWARLOS	Y083				
BOTWOOD	Y085				
BOXEY		53142			
BOYD'S COVE	Y087				
BRANCH	Y091				
BRENTS COVE	Y093				
BRIG BAY	Y095				
BRIDGEPORT	Y096				
BRIGHTON	Y097				
BRIGUS JUNCTION	Y100	53170			
BRITISH HARBOUR		53180			
BROAD COVE, B.D.V.	Y102				
BROOKFIELD		53190			



M.O.D.N

M.O.T.O.

IF ANY OF OUR MEMBERS HAVE
DIFFERENT NUMBERS, PLEASE LET
ME KNOW SO I CAN PUBLISH THEM
IN FUTURE NEWSLETTERS.
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CAMPBELLTON	Y120		CHARLOTTETOWN	Y159	
CAMPBELL'S CREEK	Y121		CLARENVILLE	Y160	
CALVERT	Y122		CLATICE HARBOUR		5336
CANADA HARBOUR		53265	CLATICE SOUTHWEST		5336
CANNINGS COVE	Y123		COACHMAN'S COVE	Y164	
CAPE CHARLES, LAB.		53273	CODROY POND		5338
CAPE BROYLE	Y125		CLARKES BEACH	Y165	
CAPE FREELS	Y128		CODROY	Y166	
CAPE FREELS NORTH		53276	COBB'S ARM	Y167	
CAPE UNION		53285	COLLIERS	Y168	
CAPLIN COVE B.D.V.		53300	COLLIERS RIVERHEAD	Y168	
CAPPAHAYDEN		53305	COME BY CHANCE	Y169	
CAPE ST. GEORGE	Y132		CONCEPTION HARBOUR	Y170	
CARBONEAR	Y135		COLINET	Y171	
CARD'S HARBOUR	Y136		COLEY'S POINT	Y172	
CARMANVILLE	Y140		CONCHE	Y175	
CARTYVILLE	Y141		CONNE RIVER		5340
CARTWRIGHT	Y142		COOK'S HARBOUR	Y180	
CARTER'S COVE	Y143		COONIB'S COVE	Y181	5341
CASTORS RIVER	Y144		CORBIN (BRAIN)		5341
CATALINA			CORMACK	Y183	
CAVENDISH	Y147		CORNER BROOK	Y185	
CHAMPNEYS		53335	COTTRELS COVE	Y187	
CHAMPNEYS WEST		53337	COTTLES ISLAND	Y188	
CHANCE COVE	Y149		COUNTRY ROAD		5343
CHANGE ISLANDS	Y150		COX'S COVE	Y192	
CHANNEL-PORT AU BASQUES	Y156		CRESTON	Y193	
CHAPEL ARM	Y157		CROQUE		5344
CHAPELL'S COVE		53350	CUPIDS	Y194	

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EASTPORT	Y216		FAIRBANKS EAST	Y233	
EASTPORT NORTH		53514	FAIRHAVEN	Y234	
EMAREE	Y219		FARMUSE	Y236	
ENGLEE	Y220		FERRYLAND	Y237	
ELLISTON	Y221		FELIX COVE	Y238	
EDDIES COVE	Y222	53520	FISHOT ISLANDS		53573
ELLIOTT'S COVE		53528	FLAT BAY, ST. GEORGES		53575
EMILY HARBOUR		53537	FLAT ROCK, ST. J. E.		53590
ENGLISH HARBOUR, TB	Y224		FLEUR DE LYS	Y244	
ENGLISH HARBOUR WEST	Y225		FLOWERS COVE	Y245	
ENGLISH HARBOUR EAST	Y226	53570	FOREST FIELD		53597
EPWORTH	Y227		FOGO	Y250	
GARDEN COVE	Y229		FOATEAU, LABRADOR		5360e
EXPLOITS	Y230		FORTUNE	Y255	
			FORTUNE HARBOUR	Y260	
			FOX COVE		53605
			FOX ISLAND RIVER		53615
			FOX HARBOUR, P.B.	Y261	
			FOXTRAP	Y262	
			FRANCOIS	Y265	
			FREDRICKTON	Y266	
			FRENCHMANS COVE, AOI		53621
			FRENCHMANS COVE, BURIN		5363e
			FRENCHMANS ISLAND, LAB		53631
			FRESHWATER, B.D.V.		53631
			FRESHWATER P.B.	Y270	

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THE FIRST POSTAL CARD
VERY FEW USED COPIES HAVE SURVIVED
BANK NOTICES FROM ST. JOHN'S TO HARBOR GRACE
BOTH WITH PAID. C. D. S. IN RED.
NO 20, 1874



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THE FIRST POSTAL CARD

ONE CENT ADHESIVE ADDED TO MAKE UP THE TWO CENTS RATE.
AGREED TO IN A BI-LATERAL TREATY, ANTEDATING THE U. P. U. TREATY,
EFFECTIVE OCT. 1, 1873

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, PAID; MR 30, 1874 TO NEW YORK.

