

New Neports and Findings

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Special Stamp Checklist

The balance of Bill's special stamp checklist is included in this issue of Annex. Please note the page numbering of the new batch is sequential with those included in the previous Annex so some <u>shuffling</u> of pages is necessary.

MOUNT FOREST, ONTARIO - Inverted date and month indicia "fil"; month not available on partial strike. (From Dave

While on the subject of page numbering, a brief explanation and apology is due. Soon after mailing out the last Annex, I was informed that there was already a Volume 26 with page numbers 245 and 246. Unfortunately, I never received this issue, apparently Glenn's last one. After some thought as to how to rectify the situation, I have decided to stay with the page and whole volume numbers established by the last Annex rather than to try to change at this point.

## A Reminder About Dues

As of May 1, only thirty-two (32) members have forward their 1982 dues. Consequently, I can no longer afford to send future issues of Annex to those who have not renewed their membership. <u>This is</u> <u>definitely the last issue of Annex being sent to previous members</u> <u>whose 1982 dues are not paid.</u>

## 1981 BNAPEX Squared Circle Seminar

Through the generosity of Jerry Carr, I have obtained a copy of Jerry's tape recording of Bill Moffatt's presentation at the '81 Convention. With Bill's kind permission, I have had the proceedings transcribed into a written text of approximately 40 pages. The seminar includes interesting and detailed discussions on the hammer construction, the MONTREAL BARRED CIRCLE hammers, and an informative question and answer session. Those interested in obtaining a copy of the transcript should contact me (Gary Arnold). There is a \$3.00 (U.S.) charge to cover the costs of transcribing, printing and mailing. If not completely satisfied, a refund will be made.

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## New Reports and Findings

LATE DATES: SCHREIBER STATE TWO - On a 2 cent Admiral postcard, strike dated OC 2/24. (From Allan Steinhart)

SOURIS & WINNIPEG NO. 1 - "E-FE 26/12" on 2 cent Edward cover. (From Allan Steinhart)

DATE INDICIA: GORE BAY, ONTARIO - 3 letter month "JAN 30/06" - This date is 12 years prior to previously reported earliest of JUL 5/18; also there were no previously reported strikes for 1906. (From Jerry Carr)

INNISFAIL, ALTA. - Inverted date indicia on a Victorian postcard, strike appears El ds /98. (From Rick Parma)

MOUNT FOREST, ONTARIO - Inverted date and month indicia " $\eta l$ "; month not available on partial strike. (From Dave Hanes)

TIME MARKS: BELLEVILLE, 2ND HAMMER - An oblique stroke (/) appears before the TM "4" on a 3 cent Small Queen, strike dated OC 25/93. (From Dave Hanes)

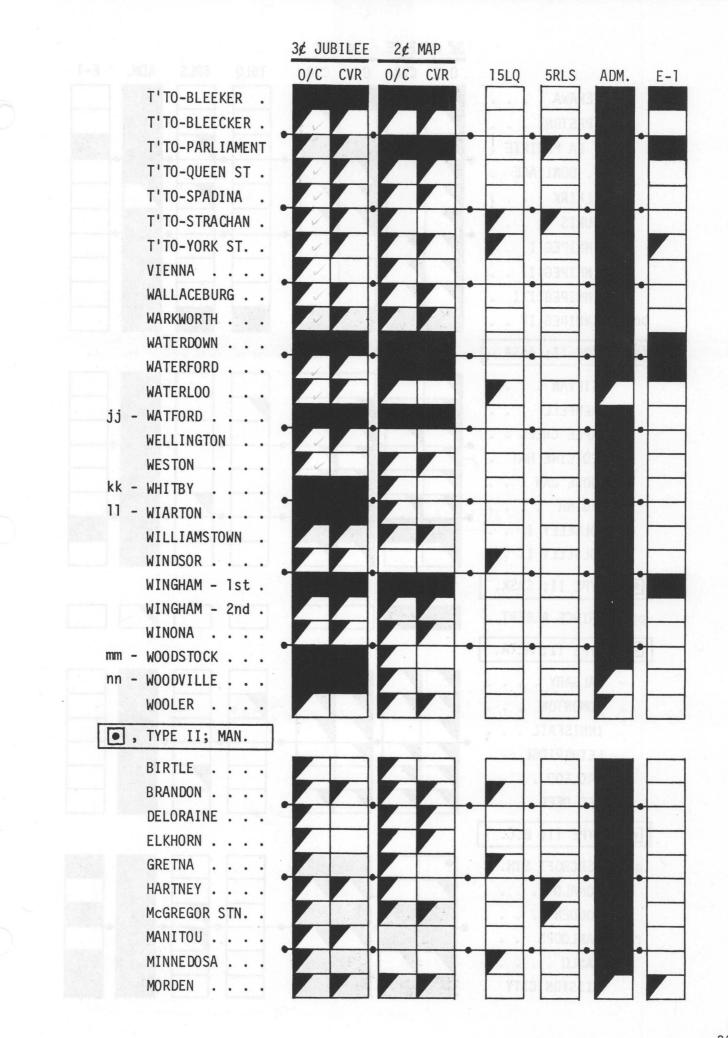
WATERLOO, ONTARIO - "AM" on an Admiral postcard "AM" AP 5/12; first report for this TM for 1912. (From Allan Steinhart)

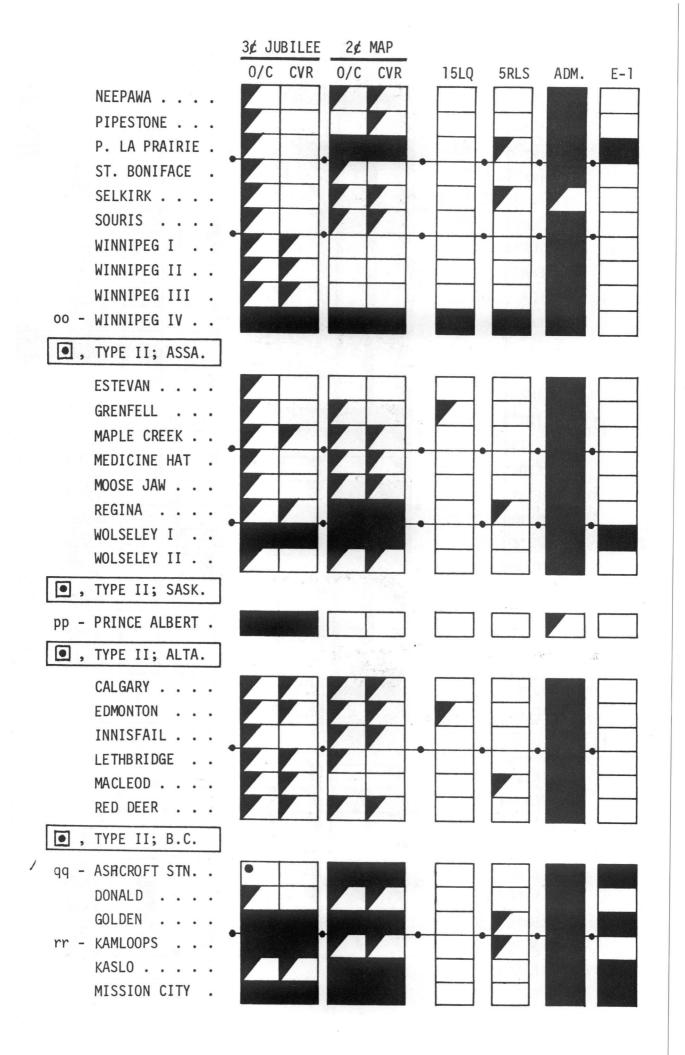
HAMILTON, ONTARIO - "1" on an Admiral postcard "1" AP 10/14; first report for this TM in this period. (From Allan Steinhart)

NEW PERIODS OF USE:

DDS ROCKTON, ONTARIO - Admiral strike dated MR 5/13; no previous strikes for this town reported for 1913. (From Allan Steinhart)

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NOTES KEYED TO CHECK LIST OF SQUARED CIRCLE STRIKES ON SPECIAL STAMP

- a MONTREAL BARRED CIRCLES. Strikes of Hammers I, III, and V are reported as backstamps on Map covers. Similar covers may yet be found with 3¢ Jubilee. Off cover strikes on 3¢ Jubilee and Map extremely unlikely.
- b ALDERGROVE. Reported on 1¢ Jubilee.
- d MONTREAL, Type I. No examples yet reported.
- e MONTREAL POINT ST. CHARLES. After early use, -/ MY 15/ 93 to -/ JY 25/ 95 there are no further reports until brief revival in FE and MR, 1899.
- f RAT PORTAGE. Latest reported date is -/ MY 21/ 97. A strike on 3¢ Jubilee is thus possible with slight extension of known period of use.
- g ST. ANN'S. A cover is known with three l¢ Jubilees, grid cancelling stamp and free strike of St. ANN'S squared circle. Similar use on Map stamp cover may yet turn up. Off cover strikes on Jubilee or Map unlikely.
- h BADDECK. After early use, -/ DE 28/ 93 to -/ OC 15/ 94, no strikes are reported until the period -/ DE 7/ 98 to -/ AP 6/ 05. Jubilee possible.
- i HALIFAX I. Not in continuous, regular use after 21/ DE 26/ 96; but occasional use for several days in '97 and '98. During the first of these, a strike on 2¢ Jubilee, 3/ JY 25/ 97, is reported.
- j SYDNEY II. No examples yet reported.
- k NEWCASTLE CREEK. No examples yet reported on 3¢ Jubilee or Map, but known period of use does not rule them out. If found, they will amost certainly be free strikes on cover.
- 1 CHARLOTTETOWN. After initial use, -/ SP 8/ 93 to 1/ NO 21/ 98, no strikes reported until a brief revival in MY and JU 1900. Map stamp is thus a slim possibility.
- m DANVILLE. After early use to mid '95, no further strikes are reported until -/ MR 30/ 05 and later. Strikes on 3¢ Jubilee and Map unlikely.
- n FARNHAM. Extremely sporadic use after -/ OC 29/ 98; one strike each reported in '99, '00, and '01, then no more until 1907 and later. Nonetheless, Map possible.
- o LEVIS. After early use through -/ JU 6/ 95 there is a long gap until
   -/ OC 10/ 00, with only two strikes reported in that period: -/ AP 3/ 97
   and -/ JY 17/ 99. It seems unlikely that strikes on 3¢ Jubilee and
   Map will be found.
- p ST. JOHNS, QUE. Two examples, with illegible dates, have been reported on 3¢ Jubilee.
  False
- q ST. POLYCARPE. Present late date is -/ MY 20/ 97; even a rather slight extension of the known period of use makes Jubilee a possibility.
- r SHERBROOKE II. Although proofed -/ DE 21/ 94, no examples reported until late use, 19/ AU 3/ (3)4. Extremely unlikely on 3¢ Jubilee or Map stamp, but a slim possibility on Admiral.
- s SUTTON. After early use, -/ OC 25/ 94 to -/ DE 1/ 96, no further examples are reported until a brief revival, -/ AP 1/ 00 to -/ DE 24/ 00. Thus strikes on 3¢ Jubilee are most unlikely, and on Map stamp, unlikely but possible.

- u BRANTFORD. No strikes reported after AM/ NO 12/ 98 until 2/ SP 10/ 00. Map stamp a possibility if the hammer was, in fact, in use during that period, or late use of the Map stamp.
- v BURFORD. Latest date reported is -/ DE 14/ 98. Map a possibility.
- w CACHE BAY. No strikes reported after -/ AP 28/ 96 until -/ JA 8/ 98 and later. | 3¢ Jubilee, unlikely; Map, probable.
- x CARDINAL. Late date of -/ DE 28/ 98 makes Map a possibility.
- z GLENCOE. Latest known dated example is -/ FE 9/ 98. However, later use as a nude is known on l¢ and 2¢ purple Numerals and on Map stamp.
- aa GRAFTON. Latest reported date is -/ NO 2/ 98. Even a rather modest extension of the known period of use makes Map a possibility.
- bb HAMILTON. Although the hammer was evidently not in use in the years '97 through '12, one example of very late use of a 5¢ Jubilee is known, 19/ AP 28/ 13.
- cc KINCARDINE. No strikes reported from -/ JY 18/ 95 until -/ AP 6/ 99
  except for a lone date, -/ ?Y 24/ 97. 3¢ Jubilee unlikely, but a slim
  possibility.
- dd KINGSTON III. Possibilities unknown; only a single example reported.
- ff PEMBROKE. Latest date, -/ NO 29/ 98. Even a rather modest extension of reported period of use makes Map a possibility.
- gg PORT DOVER. Evidently not in use in '97 and '98. Reports of several strikes in late '99 makes Map a possibility.
- hh PORT PERRY. Dated example, 98/ DE 20/ and following nearly blank year date errors for '99 ( -/ - - / 98 and 98/ - - / - on 2¢ Red Numeral), makes Map a possibility.
- ii RIPLEY. Although no examples yet reported on 3¢ Jubilee, hammer was in use during Jubilee period; one strike on 2¢ Jubilee reported, -/ ?U 25/ 97.
- jj WATFORD. Sporadic and infrequent use makes appearance on 3¢ Jubilee and Map slim possibilities (only one '97 date reported: -/ AP 1/ 97, and four '98 dates, the latest being -/ DE 2/ 98).
- kk WHITBY. After early use, -/ JA 2/ 94 to -/ JU 14/ 94, no further strikes are reported until after -/ AP 27/ 99. Strikes on 3¢ Jubilee unlikely.
- 11 WIARTON. After early use, -/ AP 16/ 94 to -/ JY 6/ 94, no further strikes are reported until after -/ JA 23/ 99. Strikes on 3¢ Jubilee unlikely.
- mm WOODSTOCK. Hammer evidently not in use from early '95 to early '98; 3¢ Jubilee unlikely.
- nn WOODVILLE. Hammer evidently not in use from early '95 until mid '99; 3¢ Jubilee unlikely.
- oo WINNIPEG IV. Only two periods of use known: a two-week period in June 1895, and a second period after turn of the century. Strikes on 3¢ Jubilee and Map unlikely.
- pp PRINCE ALBERT. After -/ JA 18/ 96 until -/ DE 28/ 98, no strikes are reported. The -/ DE 28/ 98 date is from Handbook III; no other dates in '98 and through '02 are reported. Thus, 3¢ Jubilee will probably

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not be found, and Map unlikely, but a slim possibility (assuming the -/ DE 28/ 98 date is correct.). The lock level

- qq ASHCROFT STATION. Not yet reported on 3¢ Jubilee, but one example each on 1¢ and \$1.00 Jubilee.
- rr KAMLOOPS. After early use, -/ SP 14/ 93 to -/ JA 26/ 95, no further strikes are reported until the period -/ MY 4/ 99 to -/ AU 27/ 00. 3¢ Jubilee most unlikely.

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