

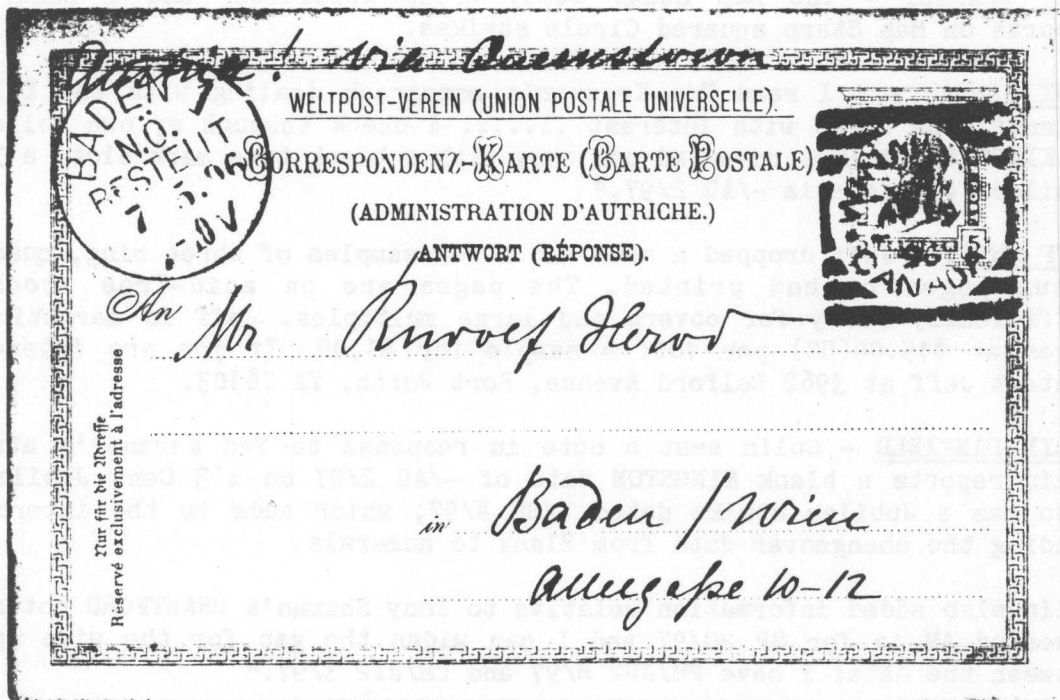
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With the publication of this newsletter comes somewhat of a milestone, the 400th page of the ANNEX. From the first issue by Glenn Hansen after BNAPEX '76 in San Francisco, Study Group members have had the benefit of sharing their knowledge and new findings with fellow collectors virtually throughout the world. Hopefully, the next 400 pages will continue to assist Study Group members in the pursuit of knowledge of the intriguing cancels.

BNAPEX '89 HAMILTON - We have a scheduled time slot for the Study Group session on Sunday at 1:15 PM. I was a bit late in my request for a time slot but Jon Johnson was kind enough to get an additional room for our meeting. I hope to have a brief slide presentation on Admiral squared circles; please feel free to bring along additional programs or material you wish to discuss.

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AUSTRIAN UPU REPLY CARD WITH A WINNIPEG III DATED 5/AP 19/96
(From Colin Banfield)

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

The following new members and address changes have been received since the last issue of the ANNEX. In addition, I have had three requests for membership information on which I am awaiting a reply.

NEW MEMBERS:

Dan McInnis, Box 2063, Station A, Sudbury, ON P3A 4R8
Albert F. Schrier, P.O. Box 56, Redwood City, CA 94064

CHANGES OF ADDRESS:

Bill Allen, P.O. Box 80946, Lansing, MI 48908
Rick Parama, 49 Bernedale Way, Duncraig WA, 6203 AUSTRALIA
George Riddle, P.O. Box 6035, Brookings, OR 97415-0252

CORRESPONDENCE UPDATE

JERRY CARR - Two letters received reporting recent finds, including a nice FORMOSA on a 3 Cent Jubilee. Jerry's exhibit of REGISTERED LETTER STAMPS at the Plymouth Show (an APS World Series show) took a silver-bronze.

WHIT BRADLEY - The Map Stamp Study Group Newsletter and a handful of reports on Map Stamp squared Circle strikes.

TONY SHAMAN - " I read Ted Kerzner's monograph dealing with the KINGSTON "blank" time marks with interest A check through my own collection of KINGSTON strikes revealed one copy with a blank time mark slot, a 3 Cent Jubilee; the date is -/AU 2/97."

JEFF SWITT - Jeff dropped a note and a few samples of three ring, quadrille album pages he had printed. The pages are on acid-free stock and sufficiently heavy for covers and large multiples. Jeff is marketing the pages at \$15.00(US) per 100; a sample for \$1.00. If you are interested, contact Jeff at 3962 Belford Avenue, Fort Worth, TX 76103.

COLIN BANFIELD - Colin sent a note in response to Ted Kerzner's atricle; Colin reports a blank KINGSTON date of -/AU 2/97 on a 3 Cent Jubilee. He also has a Jubilee strike dated 1/SP 4/97, which adds to the interest in finding the changeover date from Blank to numerals.

Colin also added information relative to Tony Shaman's BRANTFORD notes: "My inverted AM is for SP 20/97 and I can widen the gap for the wide spacing between the date; I have PM/JU2 8/97 and PM/JY2 3/97."

JON JOHNSON - A letter updating the Board's decision that all new members of the Society will be entitled to one year's free membership in a Study Group, at BNAPS cost. There is also a new award, the John D. Siverts Award to be presented to the study group editor voted as the best editor for the year. The first award will be presented at BNAPEX '89.

(CORRESPONDENCE UPDATE)
CORRESPONDENCE UPDATE (CONTINUED)

HANK NARBONNE - Hank sent along the photocopy below of the Jubilee postcard from WINNIPEG to Lomberg, Austria. The strike has an inverted "3" in the year time slot! The actual year date should have been "97".



WINNIPEG, HMR III, DATED 1/JY 19/3

LEWIS LUDLOW - Lew sent following request from the RPO Study Group:

" The RPO Study Group would like help from the Squared Circle Study Group on the matter of the 4th State of the 2nd hammer of the QUE & CAMP. M.C. LOCAL Squared Circle. This 4th State has the No. 20 removed and a "13" under the frame, per the illustration on page 233 of the Squared Circle Handbook.

On page 440 of the Squared Circle Handbook, it states that 3 covers were reported for this 4th State. The RPO Study Group knows the date on one of these three covers, AP 7/00, apparently the earliest known date for this State. However, we would also like to know the dates on the other two reported covers. If anyone can help us, please report the dates to me."

DAVID ROBINSON - David reports a new year of use for FORT WILLIAM WEST, on a partial strike with a "6" indicia in the year slot; no doubt a "96" date.

BOB McCABE - Bob dropped a note with several reports of new finds; I will review these and include them in the next ANNEX issue.

CORRESPONDENCE UPDATE (CONTINUED)

RICK PARAMA - Rick sent along the following comments relating to the MEDICINE HAT report in the March Annex:

" I can add a late date for MEDICINE HAT, first period. Mine is on cover dated -/SP 6/99 cancelling a 2 Cent overprint 3 Cent Numeral. A LONDON, ONT CDS backstamp confirms the date. Note that there is an overlapping use throughout the squared circle period with the CDS, which appears to be more common. I will report when more of a pattern emerges. "

FRANK HOYLES - Frank's letter of June 20th contains a number of new reports including a YARMOUTH, NS cover franked with an 8 Cent Leaf, which is Frank's collecting specialty. The strike is dated AM/24 DE/98; this day prior to the month indicia arrangement is not recorded in the Handbook.

Frank also sent along the photocopy below of the BRANTFORD, ONT. strike, dated 13/JUN 3/06. This is the first report of a "13" time mark for this hammer; also note the borrowed month indicia "JUN".



BRANTFORD, ONT. - 13/JUN 3/06

CLOSING COMMENTS

1989-1990 DUES - With the publication of this newsletter, there's about enough money in the account to publish one additional newsletter. Therefore, I am requesting a dues for the balance of 1989 and 1990 in the amount of \$5.00 US or \$6.00 CDN be forwarded as soon as practical. I will put another reminder in the next issue of Annex.

Did you happen to notice the auction results of Bob Lee's March, 1989 auction? A set of the ANNEX issues, complete through 1986, fetched \$90.00 CDN, not including the buyer's premium! I was shocked at the price realized; those with complete sets of the Annex take notice!