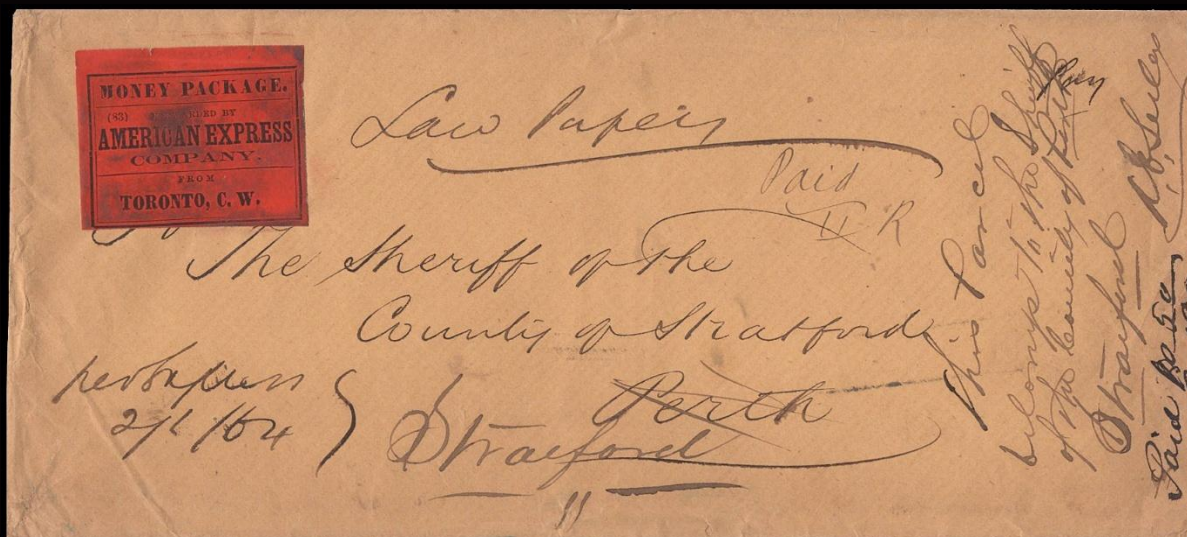


# CATALOGUE

#659, DEC 15, 2025



Dear collector friend,

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This week's catalogue features a rare selection of War Issue postal history with destinations to Liberia, Madagascar, and Tunisia; a strong selection of Great War covers including "died of wounds" and hospital redirections; the Fireproof Gyproc stationery card; an American Express Co. cover from Toronto; St. Thomas Tannery cameo advertising; intriguing PEI 5¢ RLS covers; and a varied assortment of general postal history. All prices are in Canadian dollars, with taxes extra where applicable. Inquiries or purchases may be directed by email or by phone at (418) 655-4132.

Have a great week and Happy Holidays!!!  
Hugo

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Item 659-01 – **St. Thomas Tannery (Elgin County)** – 1861 stampless cover from St. Thomas, UC, showing the striking M.T. Moore & Son Tannery cameo advertising, paid 5¢ through charge box No. 45 paying the letter rate to Strathburn via Glencoe (b/s). The tannery promoted its manufacture of leather of all kinds, including harnesses, saddles, trunks, and valises. An exceptional and highly elusive Southern Ontario advertising cover of the 1860s, only the second example I have handled. \$750.00



# THOMAS W. RAPHAEL'S CIRCULAR.

MONTREAL, SEPTEMBER 9, 1864.

The weather during the past week has been very favorable, there having been sufficient rain for the root crops, and bright, warm weather for the harvesting of Grain, which is still out. Except late wheat and Indian corn, there is nothing now to be garnered but the root crops. According to all accounts from Lower Canada crops of coarse grains will be abundant, whereas Potatoes will be deficient. We notice in our exchanges from the Western States that the Potato crop is likely to prove very short there also. From Western Canada our advices report only an average crop, as far as present appearances go.

Business generally during the week has been exceedingly dull. What with one or two known failures and others falsely reported, we have experienced a sort of panic. Nothing is so destructive to public confidence as rumours. Facts are easily dealt with; so that if a Firm goes down the public accept the fact and look the difficulty in the face without exaggeration; but vague rumours of evil, though utterly unfounded, cause general distrust. We have reason to believe that with one or two exceptions, arising out of grain speculation or insufficient capital, the body of our Montreal merchants are in a strong position. We hear from some merchants that the Banks have been very liberal to them, and in general for the purposes of legitimate business; but there are others who no doubt have felt the tightness of the money market. We cannot blame the Banks, however, in any case for looking firstly after the interests of the stockholders, though there are perhaps cases where in order to hold themselves safe and keep dividends up to 8 per cent, they may act more arbitrarily than a perfectly sound policy would justify. The Banks, however, as well as private money lenders, should be entirely free. It is an absurdity that when money is scarce a Bank cannot take more than 7 per cent, and therefore must refuse paper offered it, or send the holder of the bill to private discounters—or, as they now do, force him to take Sterling Exchange at a high price. The person seeking accommodation has to pay for it only in a dear and inconvenient manner.

lane, London. The agents of the Society immediately cited Messrs. Leveaux and Co. before the Court of Chancery for the offence of counterfeiting. This firm professed not to know any other label of the Society than that which they had been in the habit of receiving from C. L. Jebens, at Hamburg. Afterwards, the firm alleged that the plaintiffs, being resident at Saintes, could not have the right to use the word 'Cognac,' and that as the labels bore that word, the firm could at the most be accused of counterfeiting the mark of a house of Cognac. From the moment when the contest was made to depend upon the right of the 'Societe' to use the word Cognac, the matter assumed much more importance than at first. The plaintiffs had to prove that they were the users of a legal right, and produced opinion, emanating from three advocates at Cognac. The authorities of Saintes, especially rendered most efficient assistance by their affidavits, which were brought in evidence to obtain a decree of the Court, in which it is said, 'Most of the articles of commerce are known by the name of the principal market where they are sold. It is not necessary that brandy should be sold at Cognac for it to bear this name; it is enough that it should be really brandy collected in the district of Cognac. The plaintiffs, therefore, have the right to trade under the name of Cognac, they do live in the land known in England under the name of District of Cognac.'

We give the Custom House returns of imports for the last eight months of this year, as compared with 1863. The increase is very considerable, as will be seen by the following figures:

| CUSTOMS IMPORTS AT THE PORT OF MONTREAL. |             |
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|  | 1863.       |
| Dut. Goods for 7 mos. . . . .            | 6,619,784   |
| August . . . . .                         | 1,844,670   |
| Total 8 months. . . . .                  | 8,464,454   |
| Increase 1864. . . . .                   | \$6,347,915 |
| Free Goods. . . . .                      | 3,402,846   |
| August. . . . .                          | 659,711     |
|  | 3,962,557   |

tions of goods—Woolens particularly so. A considerable advance in wool and woollen goods has probably induced larger importations than usual. A still greater advance being expected and has already taken place in English Stocks. Goods have seemingly come forward earlier than last year, and we expect to see in consequence a falling off in the returns for the remainder of the year, unless the Americans throw in a quantity of goods for public sale which they have of late been doing, and which has no doubt helped to increase the returns.

A portion of the increase may also be accounted for by the increased value of goods, which on the whole are finer than last year, woolens and linens showing a considerable advance.

Due allowance having been made for these causes, it remains clear that there is a large excess of importations on any previous season, and whether the state of the country will warrant the consumption of such amount remains yet to be perceived.

We give the Custom House returns for the last eight months:—

|   | 1863.       | 1864.       |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| COTTONS—Imports from 1st Jan. to 31st July. . . . .                 | \$1,372,564 | \$2,201,185 |
| August. . . . .   | 412,791     | 697,639     |
|   | 1,785,355   | 2,908,824   |
| SILKS, SATINS & VELVETS—Imports from 1st Jan. to 31st July. . . . . | 58,514      | 93,539      |
| August. . . . .   | 65,939      | 164,119     |
|   | 124,453     | 257,658     |
| WOOLLENS—Imports from 1st Jan. to 31st July. . . . .                | 957,030     | 2,244,785   |
| August. . . . .   | 599,635     | 1,232,036   |
|   | 1,556,665   | 3,476,841   |

Vessels arrived at Great Britain, from and departed for Montreal, for the week ending the 24th August:—

ARRIVED.—August 24th, Aurora, Colbysen, Liverpool; 26th, Caledonia, Clyde; 27th, Glen Flit, Harness, Liverpool.

SAILED.—August 22nd, Singleton, Guest, Ardrossan; 19th, Ayalstone, Gibson, Glasgow; 22nd, Crossfell, Hamilton, Greenock; 25th, Elgeria, McMullan, Glasgow; 19th, Eugene, Glasgow; 18th, Guiding Star, Essex; 20th, Jennie Moodie, Seilles; 21st, Lancaster, Oreig, Milton Lockhart, Hays, Moulton, Maybe, Liver-ean Phantom, Hasilton, Liverpool, Read, Swansia; 19th, St. ton, Greenock; 25th, Thumitis, ol; 22nd, West Wind, Allan, Woodfield, Potter, Liverpool.

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OF CRIMINALS.—Notice is given azette, intimating to justices of rs, wardens, and others in Can-ave no authority of their own to d persons to the authority of the The only authority for extra- Ashburton treaty is a special he hand and seal of the Gover- This notification has no doubt y the recent surrender by a magistrate of the County of Welland to officers from Buffalo of a person charged with having

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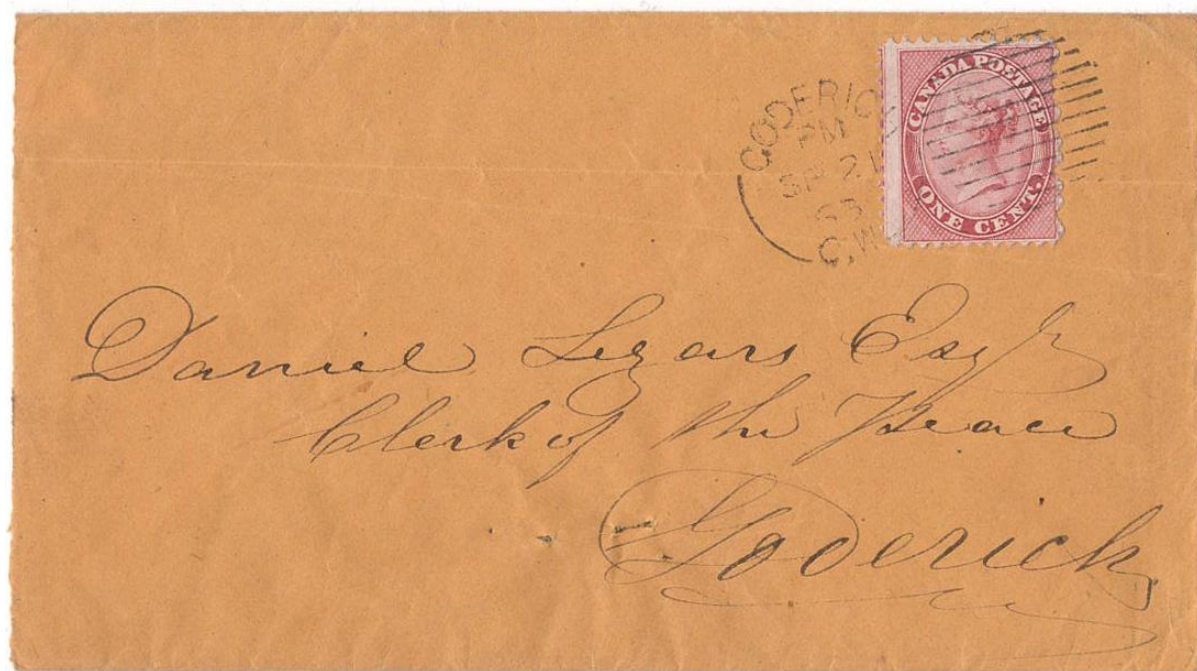


*W. C. Leveaux & Co.*  
*Peterboro Can*

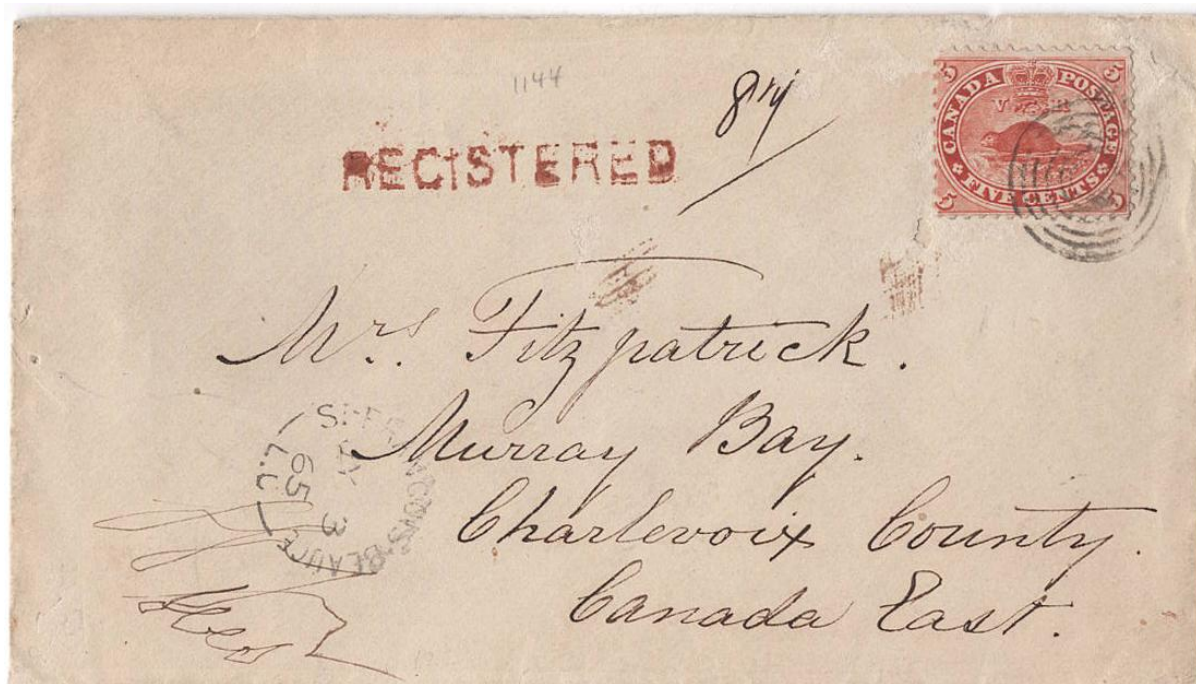
V. RAPHAEL'S CIRCULAR

Item 659-02 – **Montreal produce and commission merchant circular** – 1864, 1¢ Decimal tied by Montreal CE Berri duplex on Thomas W. Raphael Produce & Commission Merchant 3-page circular to Peterboro, paying 1¢ circular rate. Contents list produce, leather, hardware, fruit, petroleum, tobacco, etc., with customs import statistics and Customs House returns for Port of Montreal. Attractive and informative 3-page circular. \$150.00





Item 659-03 – **Goderich CW Berri duplex cancel** – 1863, 1¢ Decimal tied by Goderich CW Berri duplex on cover paying 1¢ drop letter rate. Berri recorded 1860–1864. \$150.00



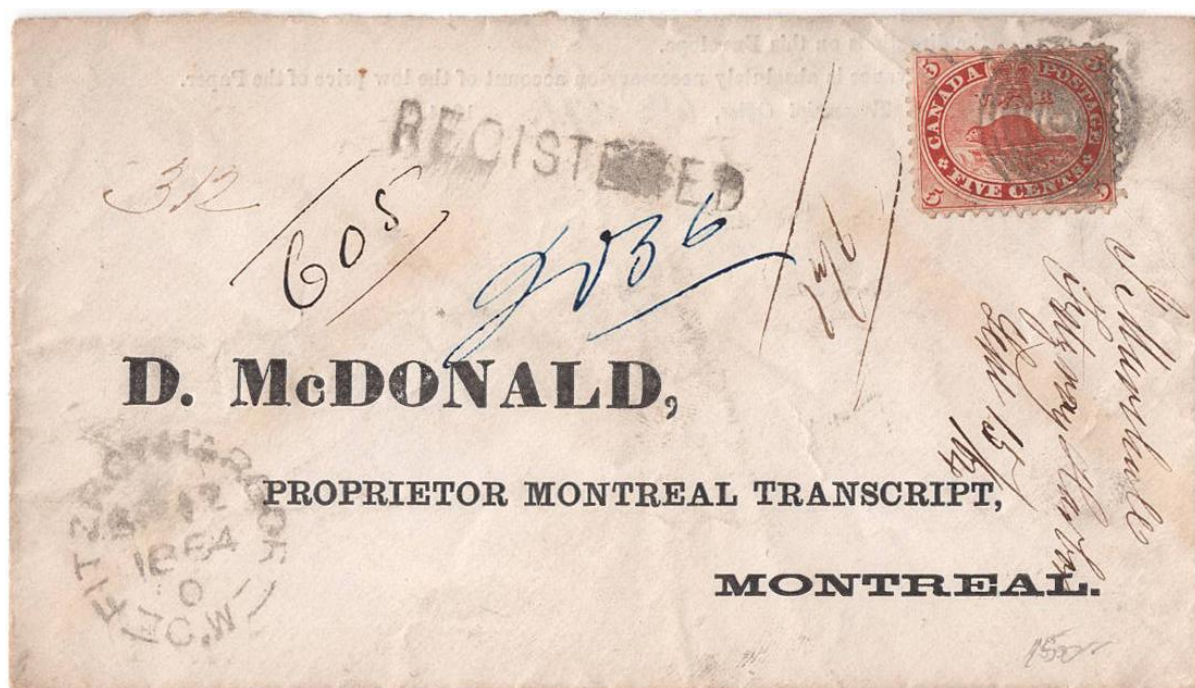
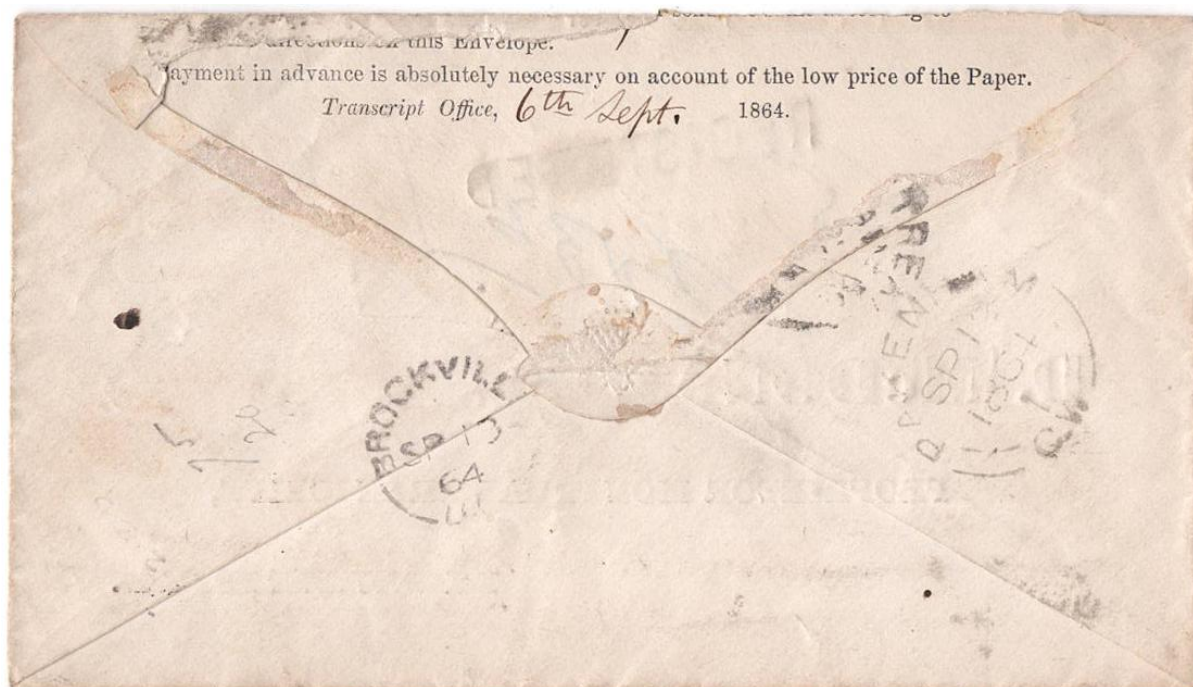
Item 659-04 – **St. Francois de Beauce LC registered** – 1865, 5¢ Beaver tied by concentric ring cancel on cover from St. Francois Beauce LC to Murray Bay, Charlevoix County, paying 5¢ letter rate. 2¢ registry fee paid in cash. Quebec transit (b/s). Postmarks struck in black and dark red registered handstamp. An attractive cover. \$150.00





Item 659-05 – Mourning cover to Kingsey CE and to Drummondville – 1867, 5¢ Beaver tied by Montreal CE Berri duplex on mourning cover to Elm Free Farm, Kingsey CE, paying 5¢ letter rate (double circle b/s). Routed via Drummondville and Richmond (b/s), then redirected to Drummondville (b/s). \$150.00



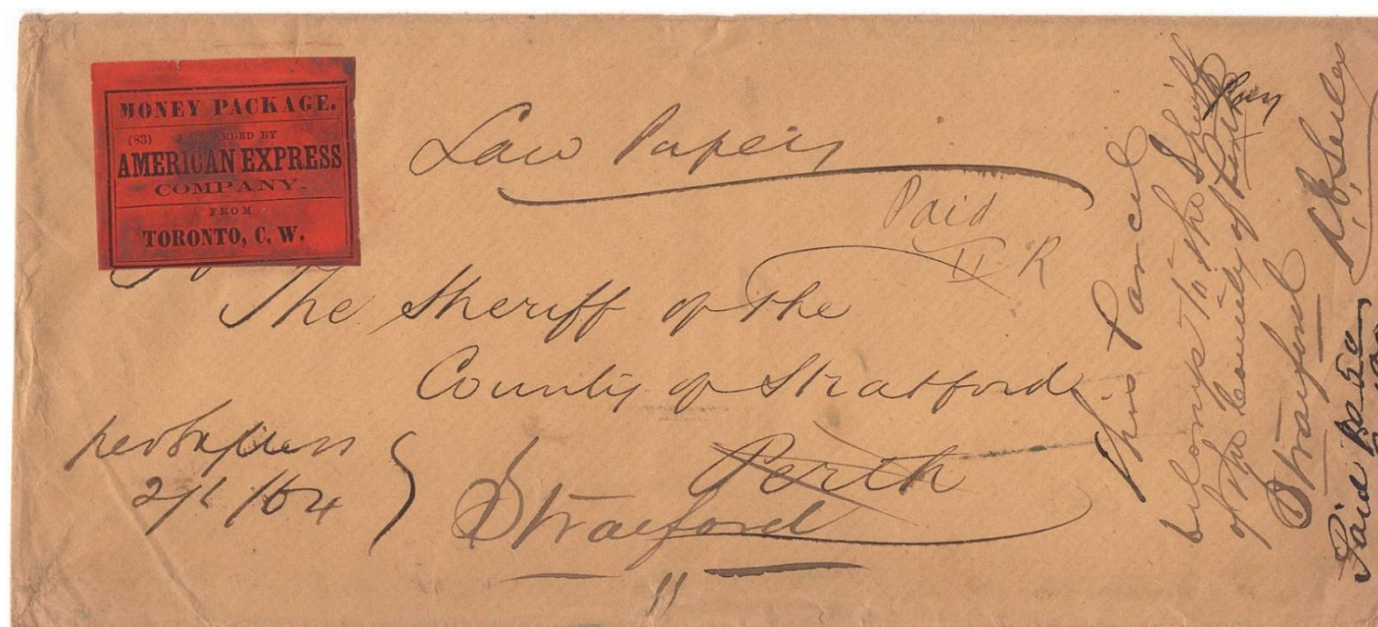


Item 659-06 – **Fitzroy Harbour CW registered (Carleton)** – 1864, 5¢ Beaver tied by concentric ring cancel on Montreal Transcript reply cover from Fitzroy Harbour CW to Montreal, paying 5¢ letter rate; 2¢ registry fee paid in cash. Routed via Pakenham and Brockville (b/s). Early printed reply envelope. \$150.00





Item 659-07 – **10¢ Consort – Newcastle CW mourning cover** – 1861, 10¢ Consort (printing order 4C, brownish purple) cancelled by concentric ring on mourning cover from Newcastle CW to Illinois, paying 10¢ cross-border letter rate. An early Berri duplex and Hammer II for Newcastle, Durham County. \$300.00



Item 659-08 – **American Express Co. from Toronto CW** – 1864, law paper and money package from Toronto with red label "Money Package forwarded by American Express Company from Toronto C.W." to Perth. Paid manuscript dated 2/1/64. Docketing notes: parcel belongs to Sheriff of Perth County, Stratford, with signature. Address to Perth scratched out and redirected to Stratford. American Express Co. competed with registered mail system; American and British Express Companies merged October 1861. Very pretty! \$750.00



No. 28.

Saint John, N. B., 24th December, 1869.

DEAR SIR—

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We have no new feature to advise in Deal Freights since the issue of our last. The continued low rates for grain and cotton have caused some tonnage to be offered for deals from neighboring ports. The following engagements have been made: "George Walker," 417, Liverpool, 75s. 6d.; "Herbert Beach," 1062, Warrenport, 70s.; "Willie," 282, Dundalk, 77s. 6d.; "Sarah A. Dudman," 439, Dublin, 75s.; "L. G. Biglow," 524, Cork Quay, 73s. 9d.; "Fanny Atkinson," 626, Bristol Channel, private terms.

SOUTH AMERICAN FREIGHTS

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For this business we have no engagements to report: our quotations are therefore nominal.

## WEST INDIA FREIGHTS

Continue to rule low. The following charters have been effected: "Tahquamenon," 290, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck; "Algonquin," 305, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck; "Tidal Wave," 347, Matanzas, for orders, 20c, under deck and 15c, on deck; "Union Tug," 191, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck, and 1c, additional, if second port used; "Mary J. Staden," 219, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck; "Western Star," 617, Chgo. & N. Y., 297, Cardinals, 22c, under and on deck; "Mary E. Staden," 219, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck, and 1c, additional, if second port used; "Quoddy," —, choice of ports, lumber \$7.00 under and \$6.50 on deck; "Tropic Bird," 188, Havana, lumber, private terms; "Arizona," 124, Matanzas, and back to port, \$7.00 under and \$6.50 on deck; "Prairie Bird," 149, Chgo. & N. Y., 297, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck; "W. K. Chapman," 130, Cardinals, 20c, under and 18c, on deck; "Leon," 200, choice of ports, if Havana or Matanzas, 21c, under and 18c, on deck, if Chgo. & N. Y.

## COASTWISE FREIGHTS

Remain very low, and we have but few transactions to note. The following charters have been made:—"Earnest," 89, Boston, \$3.75; "R. A. Ford," 114, Philadelphia, laths, \$1.15; "Ida J.," 93, Boston, \$2.25; "Eliza S. Newport, for orders, \$5.00; "N. J. Miller," 115, Philadelphia, 80 tons iron, \$5.00 per ton, balance cargo laths \$1.124; "Unexpected," 124, New York, potatoes, 11c. gold per bushel; "Gold Hunter," 104, Holmes Hole, for orders, \$4.75.

We quote as follows, thoughtfully nominal:—Liverpool, 72s. 6d. to London, 65s. to 67s. 6d. nominal; Clyde, 65s. to 67s. 6d.; Bristol Channel, 70s. to 72s. 6d.; Coast, 72s. 6d. to 77s. 6d.; West Coast Ireland, 75s. to 80s.; River La Platte, 117; North side Cuba, 17.00, lumber, shooks 20c.; South side Cuba, 164 to 17; lumber; Windward Islands, 86 to 84c. lumber; Boston, 65c. laths, \$3.25 lumber; Providence, \$1.00, laths, \$2.25 lumber; New York, \$1.05 laths, \$5.25 lumber; Philadelphia, 1.00 laths, \$5.50 lumber.

[The custom at this port, unless otherwise agreed, is, on charters for the West Indies and coastwise, for cargoes to be delivered alongside by charterer; but for *South America* and United Kingdom, vessel pays lighterage of cargo, which varies in price according to demand for labor. It is

charterer; but for *South America* and United Kingdom, vessel pays lightage of cargo, which varies in price according to the quantity and nature of the cargo. The engagements reported in our Circular are the actual rates paid by

Joseph Tucker Esq  
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| 1907.             | Leona              | 3 1/2 | Trigley      | 169 Robinson  | John F. Marsden. | Lucine         | 280 Triggs  | 170 Irving       | G. T. McArthur      |
|                   | Myra Givan         |       |              | Repeating.    | O. Emery & Co.   | Martha         | 281 Crowley | Waiting.         | T. McCarthy         |
| <b>SCHOONERS.</b> |                    |       |              |               |                  |                |             |                  |                     |
|                   | Palco,             | 117   | Sprague,     | Holmes' Hole, | A. Cushing & Co. | G. R. C.       | 87 Bond,    | Laid up,         | Glasgow & Black,    |
|                   | Maggie A. Smith    | 71    | Kearlill,    | Laid up,      | Seamans' Box.    | N. H. Miller,  | 115 Duran,  | Philadelphia,    | W. H. Quinn,        |
|                   | Rachel, Councillor | 63    | Williams,    | ditto,        | ditto            | M. G. Chapman, | 121 Buck,   | Cardenas,        | F. Tufte,           |
|                   | Rambler            | 93    | Bissett,     | ditto,        | ditto            | Ellis, Jr.,    | 225 Crows,  | Laid up,         | Glasgow & Black,    |
|                   | Rough Diamond      | 128   | Patterson,   | Matanzas,     | Western Star,    | 43             | Shelwell,   | Cuba,            | Melick & Jordan     |
|                   | Arctic             | 121   | Evans,       | Laid up,      | Gold Hunter,     | 20             | Frowly,     | Laid up, Stewart | P. Gleason,         |
|                   | Carrie             | 98    | Hamlin,      | ditto,        | Admiral          | 11             | Crowley,    | Discharging      | Alfred Mills,       |
|                   | Speculator         | 71    | Howling,     | Laid up,      | Impedence        | 115            | Givan,      | Waiting,         | D. J. Soley,        |
|                   | Hickory Jane       | 22    | W. H. Quinn, | Providence,   | Rangerita,       | 107            | Rourke,     | Discharging      | John Godard         |
|                   | Sun Bird           | 95    | McLaughlan,  | Waiting       | M. G. Ellis,     | 96             | McKee,      | do,              | F. J. Marsden,      |
|                   | Deed of Newcastle  | 86    | Hunt,        | do,           | Allice T.        | 142            | Prie,       | ditto            | do,                 |
|                   | Village Belle      | 79    | Riley,       | Boston,       | W. F. Adams,     | 68             | Prie,       | Laid up,         | J. J. Marsden,      |
|                   | Ida J.             | 93    | Saller,      | Cienfuegos,   | Admiral Carrier, | 104            | Rock,       | do,              | do,                 |
|                   | Prarie Bird        | 149   | Thompson,    | Puerto Rico,  | Welcome Home,    | 78             | Laverty,    | do               | A. W. Masters & Co. |
|                   | Prigee Bird        | 132   | Harris,      | Havana,       | W. Taylor        | 190            | Taylor      | Cardenas,        | F. Tufte,           |
|                   | Tropic Bird        | 135   | Barberie,    | Waiting       | W. J. Cropper,   | 10             | Ward,       | Waiting,         | T. McCarthy,        |
|                   | Osprey             | 67    | Johnson,     | Discharging,  | Narvia,          | 114            | Ford,       | do               | F. Tufte,           |
|                   | Black Bird         | 62    | Croft,       | do,           | Unexpected,      | 124            | Ladlow,     | Not Forl.        | O. Emery & Co.      |
|                   | Amnailia,          | 136   | Spies,       | Waiting       | M. G. Staples,   | 216            | Hammer,     | Cuba             | L. R. Stewart,      |
|                   | Walter Scott       | 89    | Cookhouse    | Discharging   | A. F. Randolph   | 153            | Shelby      | Discharging      | R. R. Sinden        |
|                   | Maggie Quinn,      | 140   | Kingston,    | Discharging   | W. H. Quinn,     | 285            | Souder      | ditto            | Luke Stewart        |

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Item 659-09 – **St. John N.B freight circular to Maine U.S.** – 1869, 1¢ Large Queen tied by two-ring 7 cancel on Scammel Brothers Merchants large freight circular from St. John N.B. paying 1¢ circular rate to Wiscasset, Maine. Lists schooners and freight options to the coast and South America, detailed vessel listings from St. John to Cuba and other informative content, issued in the context of declining cotton and grain markets. \$250.00



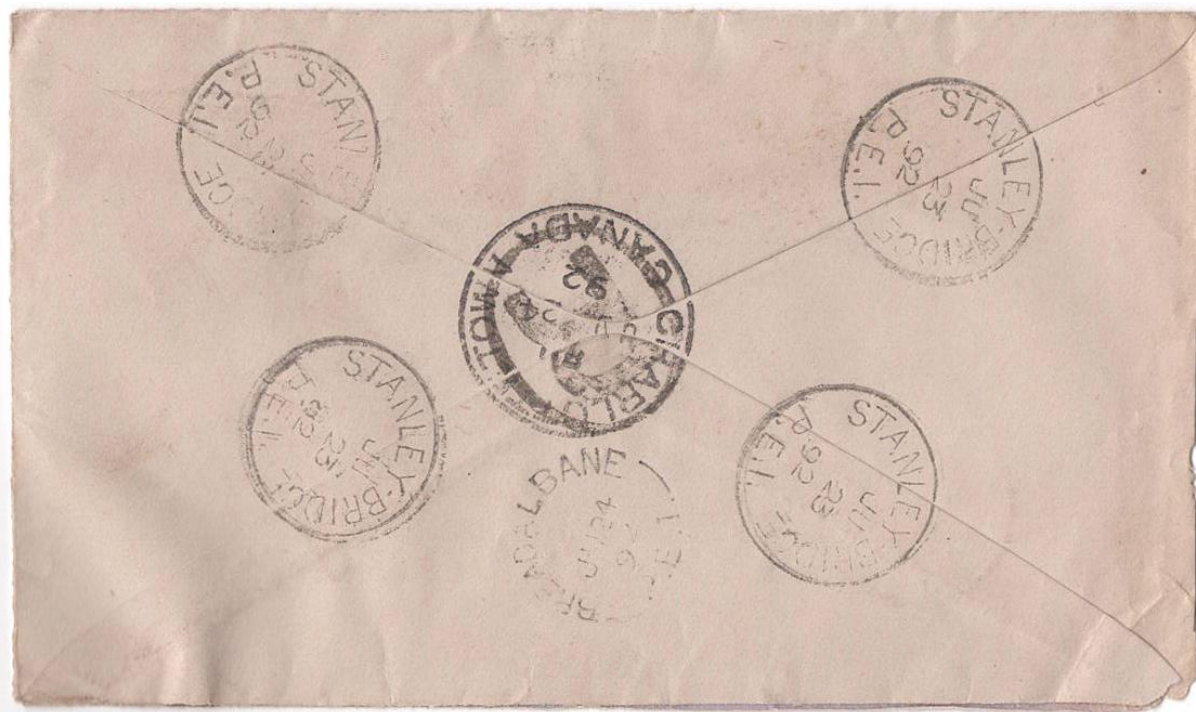


Item 659-10 – **Georgetown PEI registered** – 1891, 3¢ SQ, 5¢ RLS tied by fancy cancel on cover from Georgetown PEI paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Charlottetown (b/s). \$100.00



Item 659-11 – **Cardigan Bridge PEI registered** – 1892, 3¢ SQ, 5¢ RLS tied by heavy grid cancel on cover from Cardigan Bridge PEI paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Charlottetown (b/s). \$125.00





Item 659-12 – **Stanley Bridge PEI registered** – 1892, 3¢ SQ, 5¢ RLS tied by heavy grid cancel on cover from Stanley Bridge PEI paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Charlottetown (b/s) via Breadalbane (b/s). \$100.00





Item 659-13 – **Cherry Grove PEI registered** – 1892, 3¢ SQ, 5¢ RLS tied by grid cancel on cover from Cherry Grove PEI paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Charlottetown (b/s) via Souris West (b/s). Cherry Grove PEI Canada 3-part date. \$125.00 **SOLD**



Item 659-14 – **Summerside PEI registered** – 1891, 3¢ SQ, 5¢ RLS tied by heavy grid cancel on cover from Summerside PEI paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Charlottetown (b/s). \$100.00





Item 659-15 – Stouffville Ont registered (York County) – 1885, 3¢ SQ and 5¢ RLS tied by fancy cancel on cover from Stouffville Ont paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Philadelphia via Toronto and Buffalo (b/s). Oval Registered Toronto handstamp (b/s). \$125.00





Item 659-16 – **Bervie Ont (Bruce County and the 2<sup>nd</sup> recorded example)** – 1884, 3¢ SQ and 5¢ RLS tied by cork cancel on cover from Bervie Ont paying 5¢ registered letter rate to Philadelphia, via Kincardine, Hamilton and Buffalo (b/s). Postmark is the 2<sup>nd</sup> recorded example, and the earliest of the two. Records span DE 6 84 to SE 7 85 only. \$250.00



Item 659-17 – **St. John 20¢ triple wgt registered to England** – 1889, 5¢ SQ (3) and 5¢ RLS tied by grid cancel on cover from St. John N.B., dated JA 28 89, paying 20¢ triple-weight registered rate to England (b/s). Oval Registered London FE 12 89 and receiver FE 13 89 (b/s). \$250.00



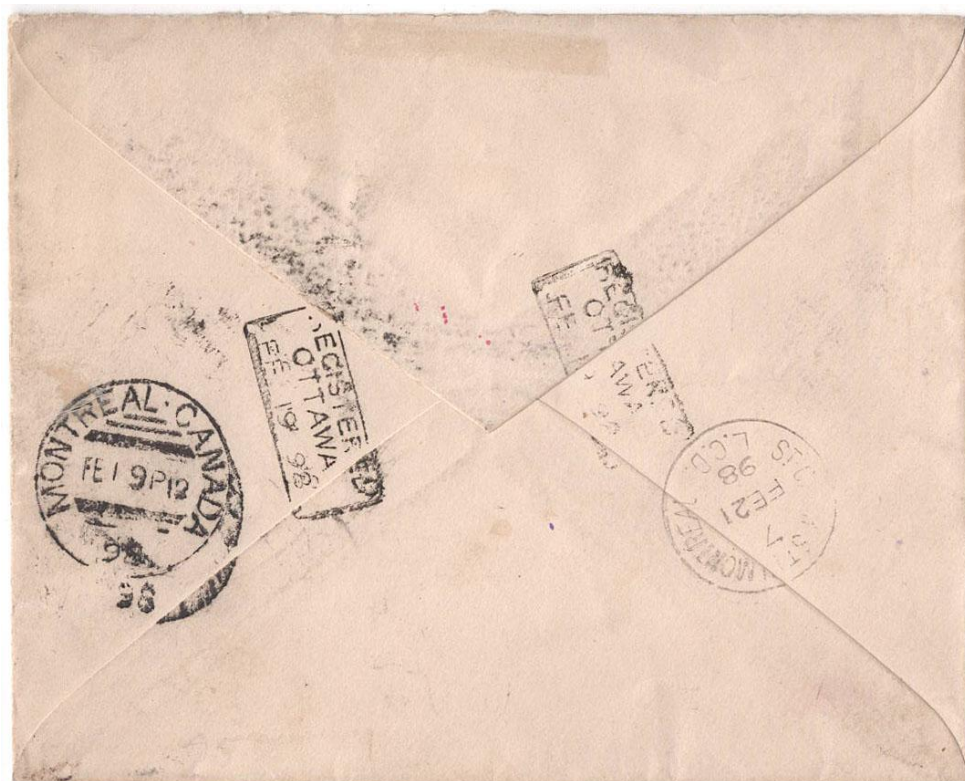


Item 659-18 – **12¢ registered printed matter rate with Jubilees** – 1898, 2¢ and 10¢ Jubilee tied by oval Registered cancel on cover from Toronto to Windsor, paying 12¢ registered printed matter rate. 7¢ for 7 oz plus 5¢ registry fee. Foxing present. A rare and unusual franking, seldom seen combination on printed matter cover. \$400.00



Item 659-19 – **17¢ quadruple weight registered to U.S.** – 1897, 2¢ and 5¢ (3) Jubilee tied by London Ont. cds cancel on cover paying 17¢ quadruple-weight registered letter rate to Mount Vernon, Indiana. Windsor and Detroit transit (b/s). London Postmaster handstamp on official envelope, form 31-15,000 28-10-96. Rare franking and striking usage. \$500.00





Item 659-20 – **8¢ registered cover with Jubilees – L.C.D.** – 1898, 2¢ and 6¢ Jubilee tied by Ottawa roller cancel on cover from Ottawa, boxed Registered Ottawa, paying 8¢ registered letter rate to Montreal (b/s). Addressed to McGill College Avenue with St. Catherine St. Montreal Letter Carrier Depot LCD (b/s). A lovely 6¢ Jubilee domestic use. c\$400.00





Item 659-21 – **9¢ double wgt Empire registered to New Zealand** – 1903, 1¢, 2¢ (4) Numeral tied by oval registered cancel on cover from Charlottetown PEI paying 9¢ double-weight Empire registered letter rate to New Zealand. Routed via Montreal, Chicago and San Francisco, with SF registry exchange label affixed. Large cover folded in half before mailing, postmark struck across backflap. A pretty registry label use. \$400.00



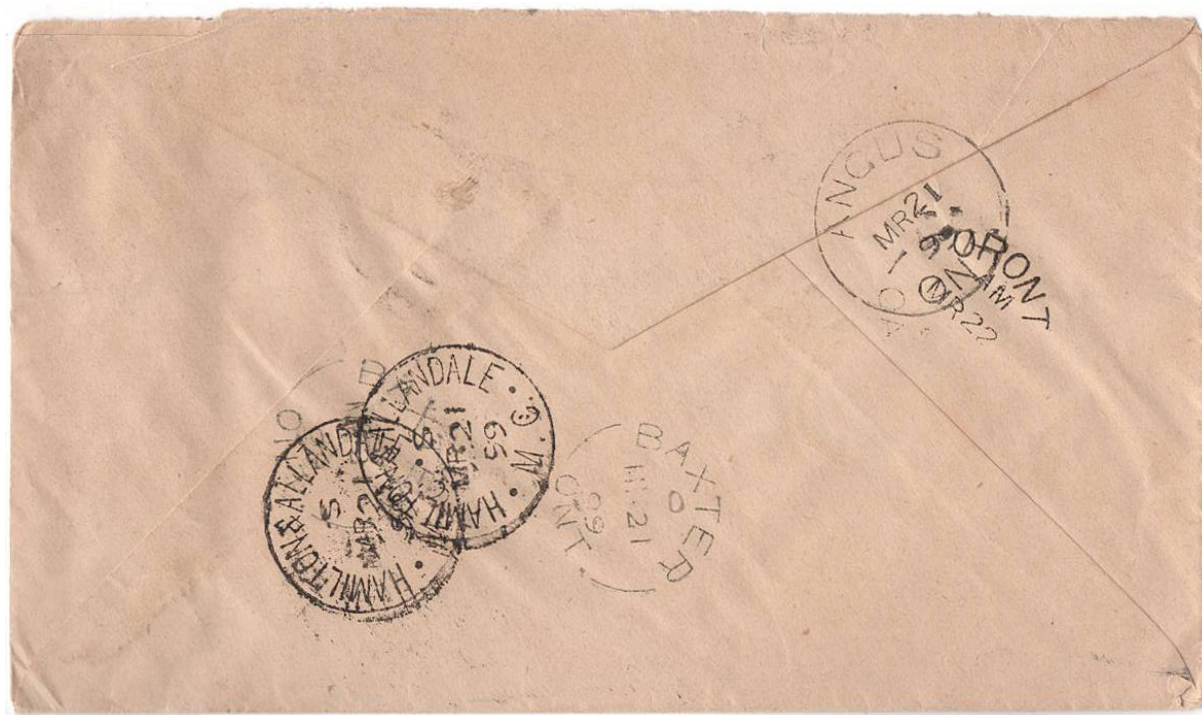
Item 659-22 – **Loring Ont, Parry Sound, 2¢ printed matter rate to England** – 1903, 2¢ Numeral tied by grid cancel on E.H. Kelcey General Merchant wrapper from Loring Ont., endorsed “cards only,” paying 2¢ printed matter rate to England (1¢ per 4 oz). Redirected within. Edward Kelcey, General Merchant and Postmaster of Loring, served 1886–1913. Spectacular rate cover. \$150.00





Item 659-23 – **A pair of 5¢ UPU letter rate covers to Spain** - 1902, two Numeral-franked covers from Toronto, each paying 5¢ UPU letter rate to Spain via New York. One cover overpaid 1¢ for convenience; the other mistakenly addressed to England before correction, originally directed like the first to Cuevas del Almanzora. Both with receiver (b/s). An impressive and rare pair, Spain a very scarce destination in all periods. \$500.00





Item 659-24 – Baxter Ont (Simcoe 1890-1914) – 1899, 1¢, 3¢ (2) Numeral tied by grid cancel on Rennie cover mailed from Baxter Ontario paying 7¢ registered letter rate to Toronto (b/s). Routed via Angus and carried by Hamilton & Allandale M.C. (b/s). A tough Simcoe office and scarce 3¢ Numeral use. \$50.00





Item 659-25 – Utopia Ont (Simcoe Coutny) – 1899, 1¢, 3¢ (2) Numeral tied by grid cancel on Rennie cover mailed from Utopia Ontario paying 7¢ registered letter rate to Toronto (b/s). Carried by Hamilton & Allandale M.C. (b/s). A decent 3¢ Numeral use. \$35.00



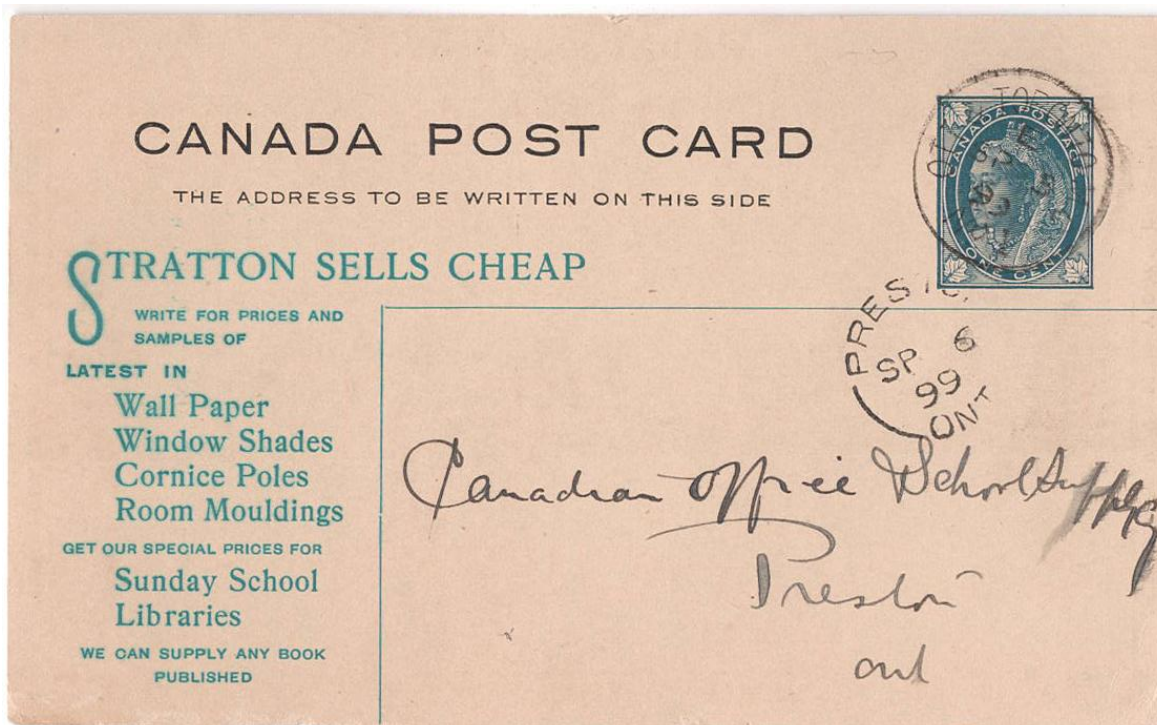
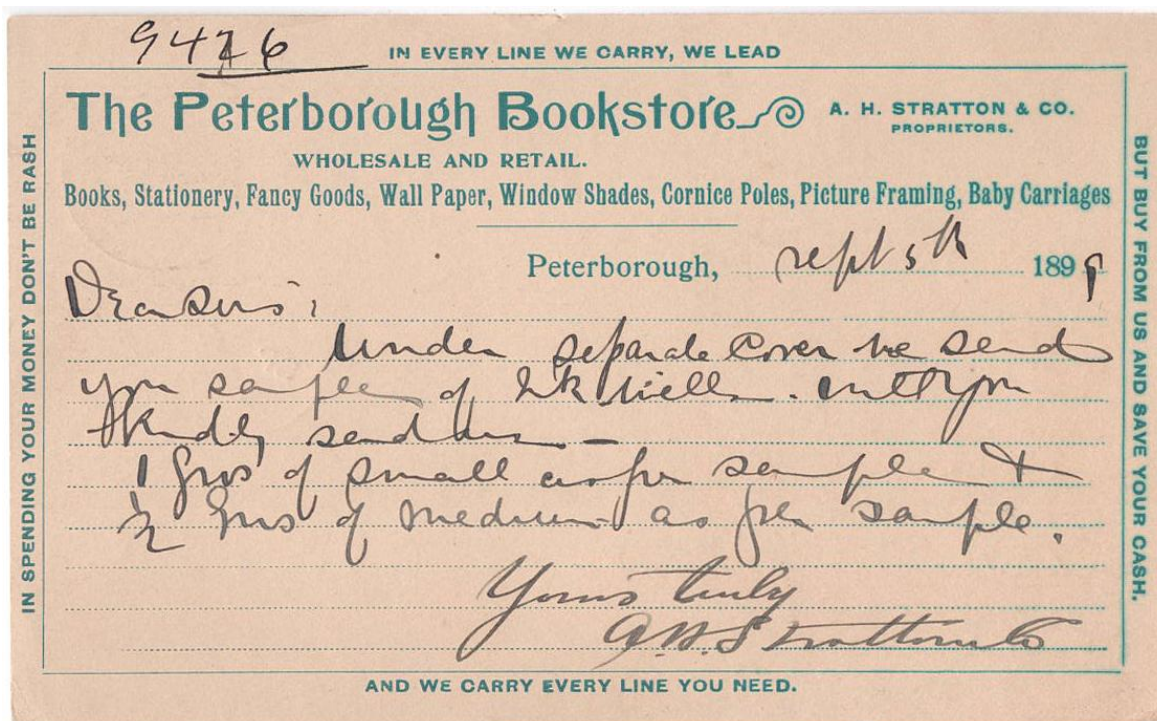


Item 659-26 – **Dutton Ont (Elgin Coutny)** – 1901, 2¢, 5¢ Numeral tied by Dutton Ont cds on cover paying 7¢ registered letter rate to Toronto (b/s). \$30.00



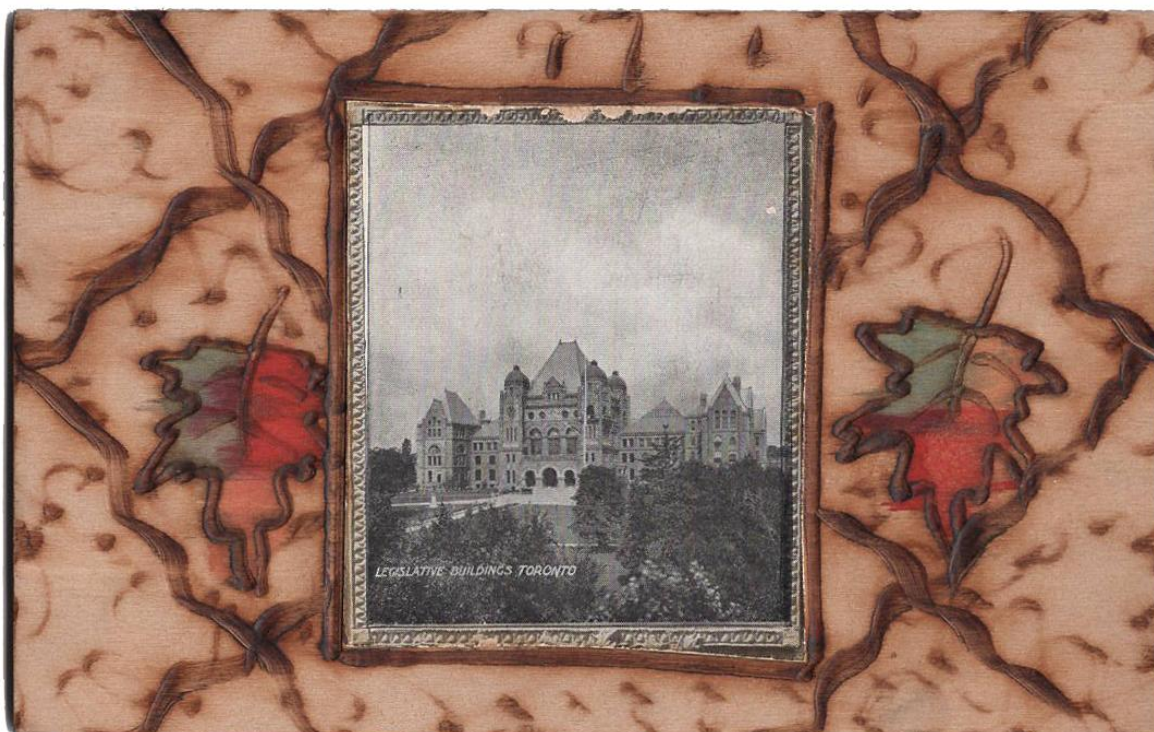
Item 659-27 – **Brougham Ont (Ontario Coutny)** – 1900, 2¢, 3¢ Numeral tied by oval registered cancel on cover from Brougham Ont paying 7¢ registered letter rate to Greenwood (b/s). \$40.00





Item 659-28 – **Peterborough Bookstore added to 1¢ Maple Leaf postcard** – 1899, 1¢ Maple Leaf stationery card with privately added advertising for Stratton & Co. and Peterborough Bookstore paying 1¢ postcard rate to Preston. \$40.00  
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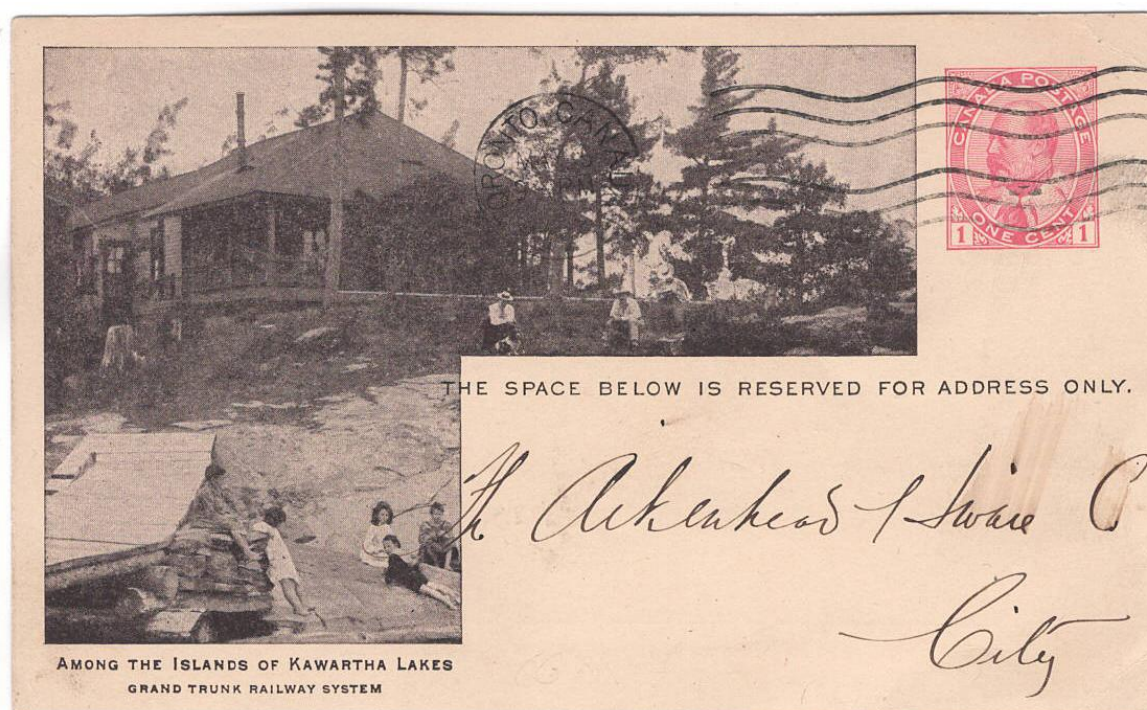
Item 659-29 – **Toronto wooden postcard postally used** – 1908, 2¢ Edward tied by Toronto Ont duplex on patriotic wooden postcard with Legislative Building real photo attached, paying 2¢ letter rate to Belleville. Wooden postcards were permitted but required letter postage. \$50.00 **SOLD**



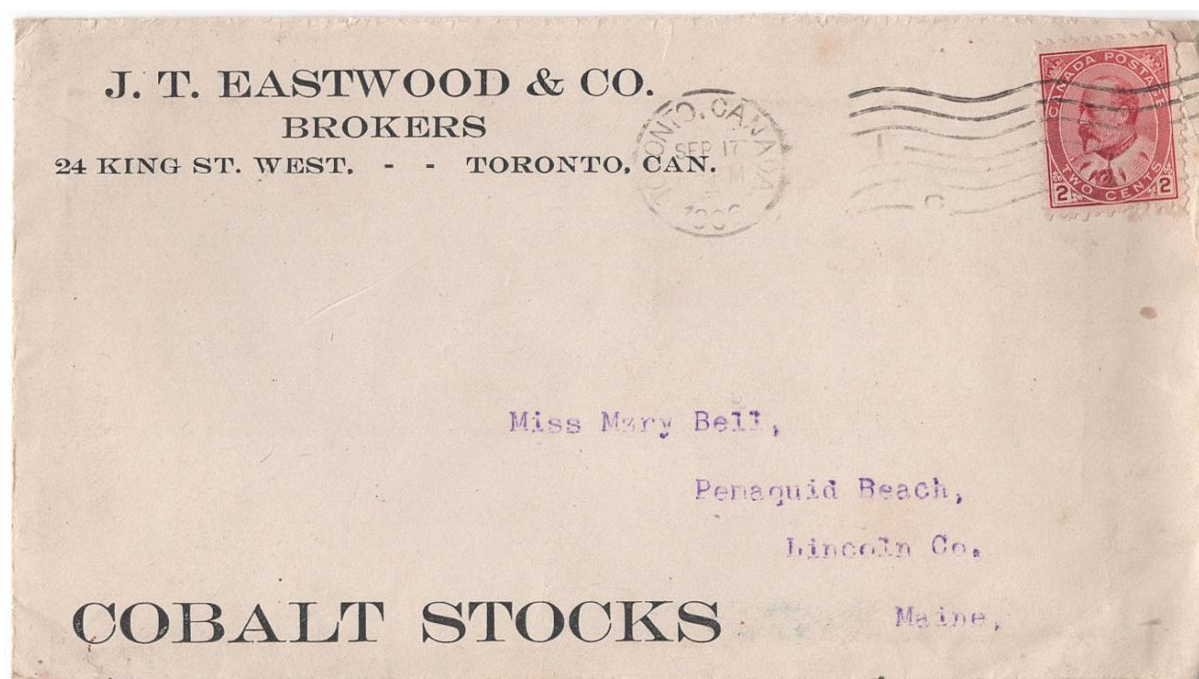


Item 659-30 – **Postcard mailed in glassine** – 1908, 1¢ Edward on novelty postcard ornamented with bird and envelope enclosing written message, mailed in glassine; cancelled by Waterford Ont broken circle, paying 1¢ postcard rate to Hillsborough NB. Mailing postcards in glassine was common practice to prevent injury to workers and damage to machines, though attachments such as this were contrary to regulations. \$50.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-31 – **GTR5C Islands of Kawartha Lakes (Sepia)** – 1905, 1¢ Edward GTR freight stationery card mailed in Toronto to local, Webb GTR5C. \$30.00



Item 659-32 – **Cobalt Stocks (mining related)** – 1906, 2¢ Edward tied by Toronto machine cancel on J.T. Eastwood & Co. Brokers corner card and Cobalt Stocks advertising, paying 2¢ letter rate to Maine (b/s). Mining-related. \$25.00



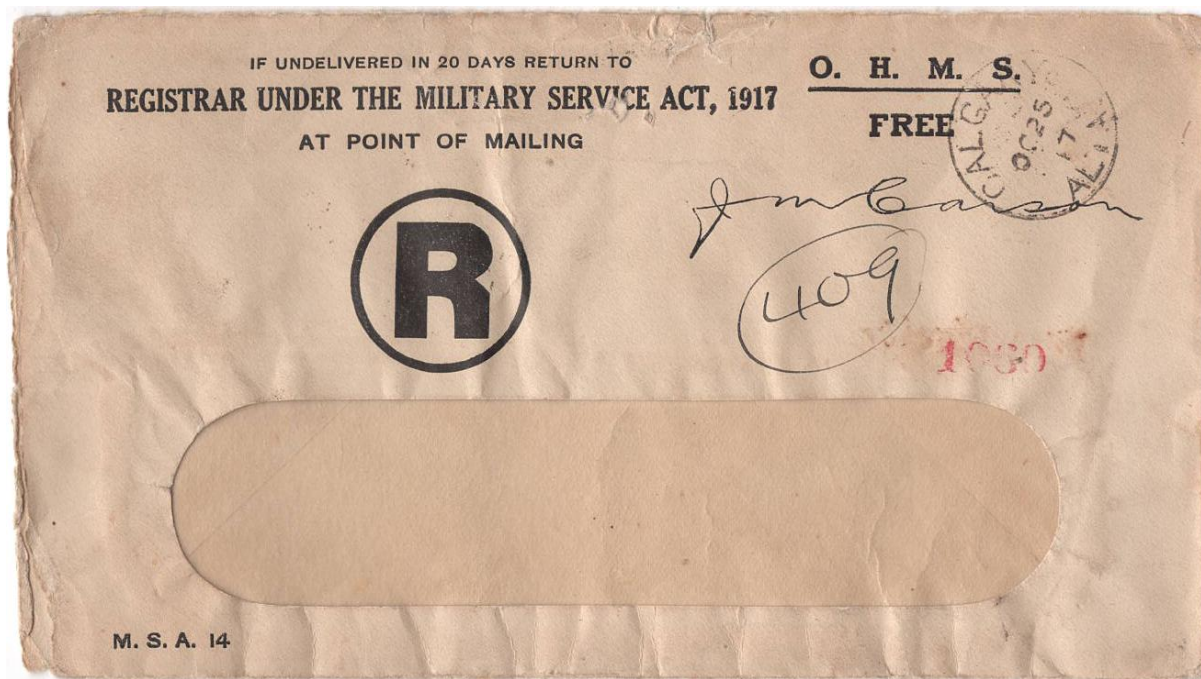


Item 659-33 – **Fireproof Gyproc KP55b** – c.1924, 1¢ orange and ½¢ blue Admiral on Gyproc advertising stationery card, depicting workers hanging drywall, insulating a home, and a house on fire; Webb KP55b, 153×101 mm, mailed from Paris Ont to Hamilton. Spectacular and among the rarest stationery items. \$600.00



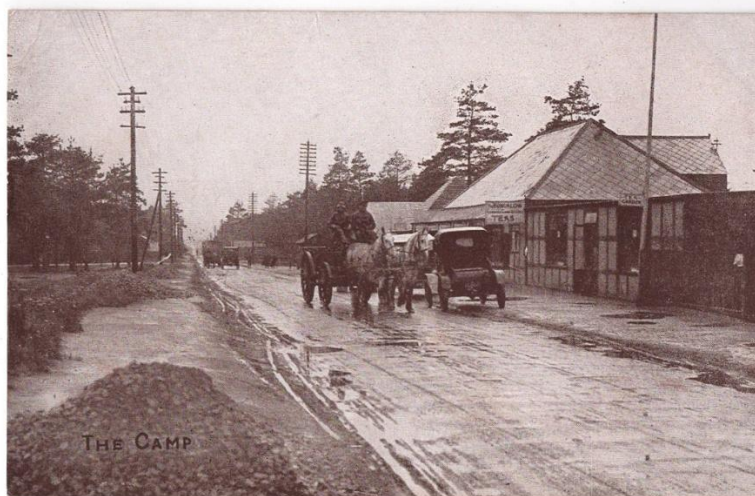


Item 659-34 – **Jusqu'a cover to Puerto Rico** – 1929, 5¢ Airmail C1 tied by Vancouver BC cds on cover, endorsed "Airmail to New York" with jusqu'à marking, paying 5¢ rate to Puerto Rico. Carried by airmail to New York, then surface to San Juan. \$100.00



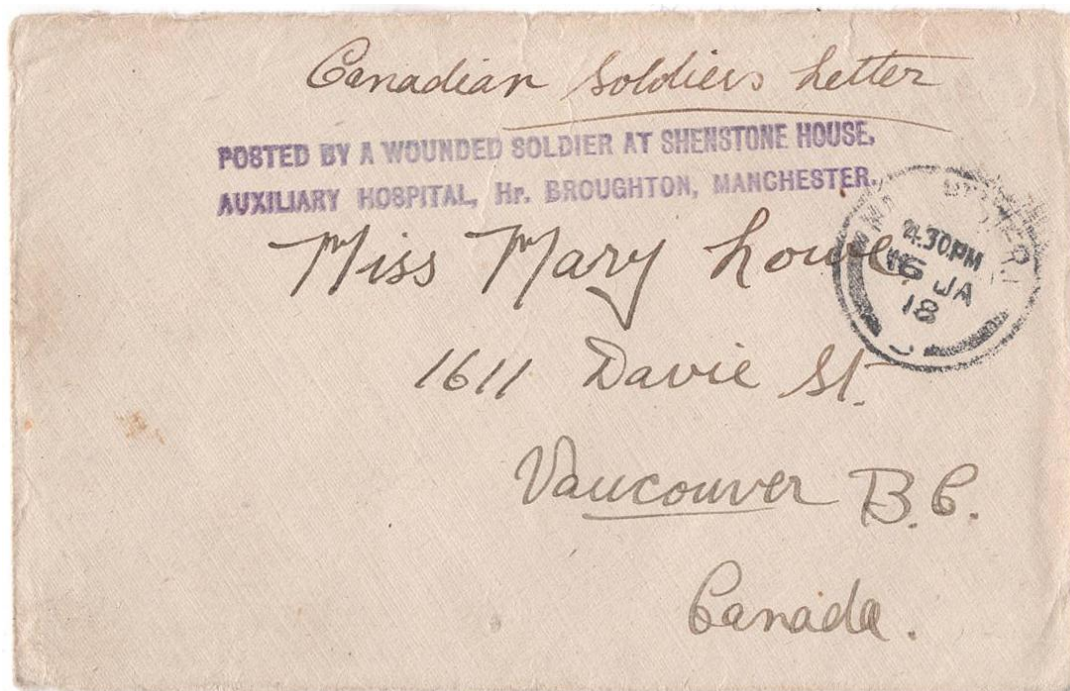
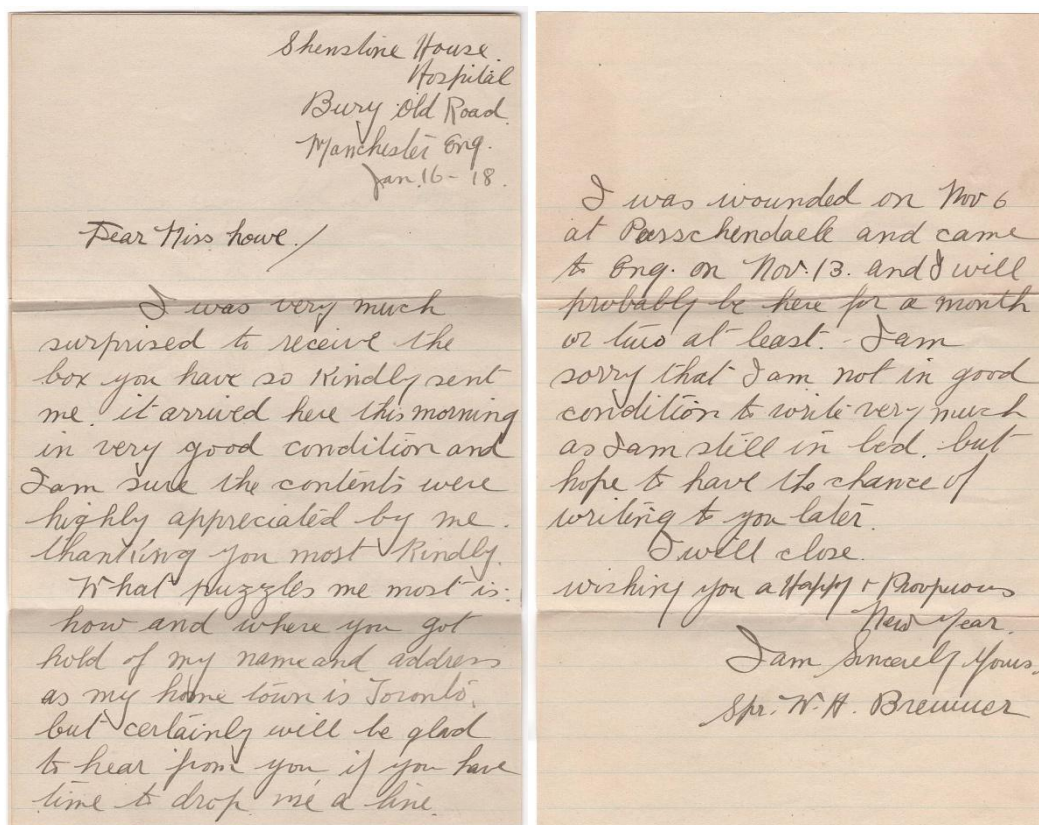
Item 659-35 – **Military Service Act registered cover** – 1917, M.S.A. OHMS free-franked window cover, mailed registered free from Calgary to Penhole (b/s); appears signed J.M. Carson. Slight rough opening at left. \$40.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-36 – **Witley Canadian Military Camp Surrey, England** – 1919, trio of unmailed postcards, The Camp, published by Eatons The Bookstall; one written and dated 1919, a second also dated 1919, and a third unused. Camp Witley was a temporary army camp on Witley Common, Surrey, established by the Canadian Army. After the Armistice of 1918, the camp remained in operation as a staging area before troops returned to Canada. Trio \$100.00 **SOLD**



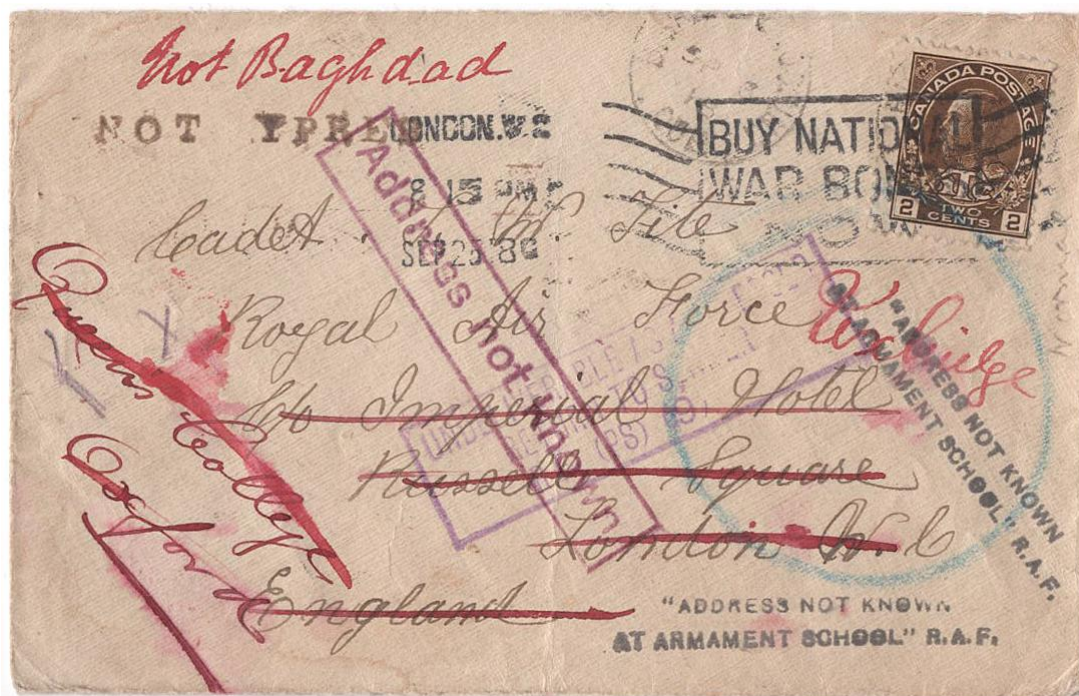


Item 659-37 – **Posted by a wounded soldier** – 1918, Canadian soldier's letter with cover from Shenstone House hospital near Manchester, dated JA 16 18, to Vancouver. Cover bears the rare "Posted by a Wounded Soldier" handstamp in purple. In his letter, Sapper W.H. Bremmer notes being wounded on NO 6 17 at Passchendaele, arriving in England on NO 13 17, and remaining bedridden at the hospital for at least a month; he thanks Miss Mary Howe for the parcel she sent. \$150.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-38 – **Canadian School of Musketry RPPC** – 1916, Canadian School of Musketry CEF 1st Course real photo postcard, Rockcliffe Ottawa, photo by Pittaway; unused, on Azo paper. \$75.00



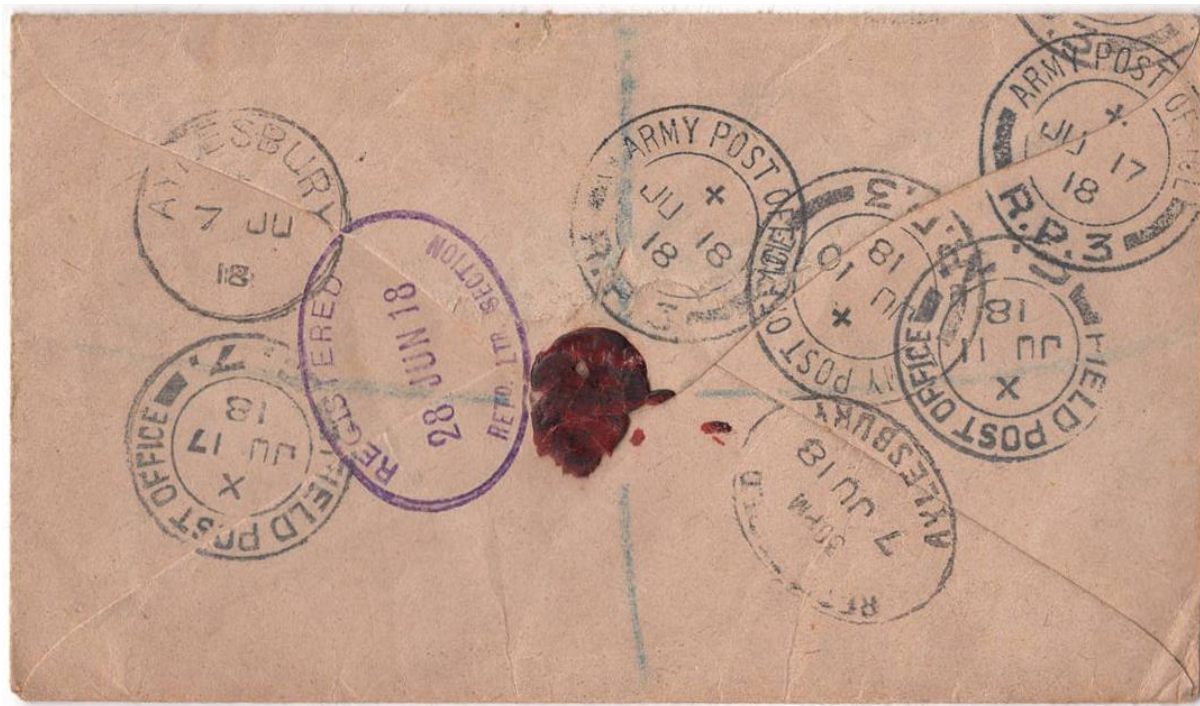
Item 659-39 – **Royal Flying Corps, not in Baghdad** – 1918, 2¢+1¢ War Tax tied by Bishops Crossing Que cds (Wolfe County) on cover to RAF airmen in London (*Buy National War Bonds receiver on front*). Redirectional manuscript in red: Queens College Oxford, Uxbridge; not Baghdad. Address unknown at Armament School RAF, undeliverable marking and Air Ministry Personal Letter Section (b/s). Returned to sender via Ottawa Dead Letter Branch (Orb cds). In 1918, the RFC was actively supporting Britain's Mesopotamia Campaign in and around Baghdad against the Ottoman Empire, flying reconnaissance etc. A spectacular Royal Flying Corps cover. \$350.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-40 – **Toronto soldier mail returned DLO** – 1916, 1¢, 2¢ Admiral tied by Toronto International machine cancel on cover to Pte. J.W. Long, Motor Transport Army Service Corps, APO London (Lee S.E. receiver b/s). Redirected to Avonmouth, ms “for overseas” and with “unknown” manuscript. Location uncertain, insufficiently addressed markings. Returned to sender via Ottawa Dead Letter Branch (Orb cds). Reverse bears manuscript “Opened,” though unclear if at DLO or in England. \$150.00





Item 659-41 – **Registered to Canadian in France, died of wounds** – 1918, GB 3d tied by Aylesbury cds on registered cover to Robert R. Edwards, 512078, 8<sup>th</sup> Canadian Field Ambulance, BEF France. Canadian Contingent Record Office Postal Despatched marking, with numerous FPO and APO backstamps (7, RP3, C7). Endorsed “Died of Wounds” and returned. Driver Edwards was from Winnipeg Manitoba, had served with the 8<sup>th</sup> Field Ambulance since June 1916. Hospitalized at No. 39 Field Hospital (MR 15 17), transferred to Base Depot (JY 3 17), then to No. 51 General Hospital (JY 14 17), and died (JU 12 18). A seldom-seen registered cover to a Canadian ambulance driver, marked “Died of Wounds.”. \$300.00

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Item 659-43 – **Victoria BC soldier mail to Halifax, sailed** – 1917, 2¢ + 1¢ War Tax tied by Victoria BC cds on cover to George Arthur Munford, 2044114, Div. of Ammunition Depot CEF, Halifax. Manuscript “sailed,” then forwarded to England. At APO London, Munford was untraceable; redirected to APO 2 Canadian Section (JU 27, JY 4). No evidence of return, perhaps successfully delivered. Research notes Munford was a surveyor from BC, enrolled in the militia before the War with the 5<sup>th</sup> Regiment. \$150.00 **SOLD**





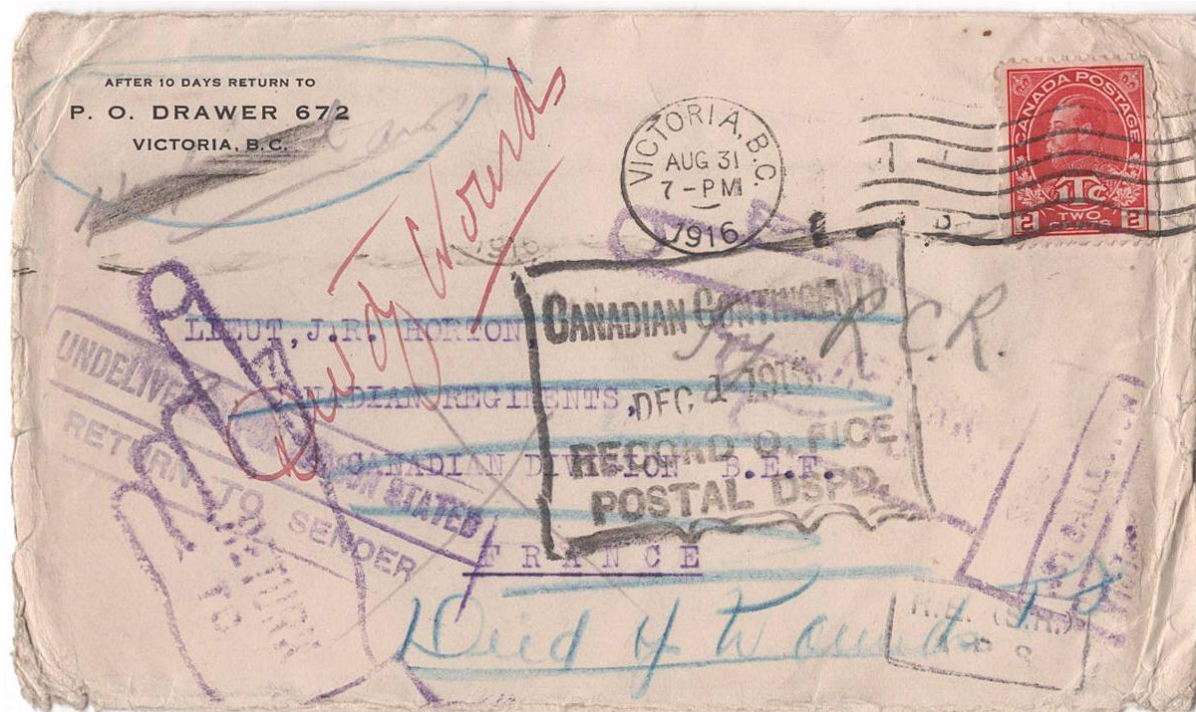
Item 659-44 – **Toronto registered to soldier, died of wounds** – 1917, 5¢ Admiral, 2¢+1¢ War Tax tied by Toronto Sub No.116 cds on cover paying 8¢ registered letter rate to a serviceman of the 19<sup>th</sup> Canadian Battalion in France (numerous FPO postmarks b/s, including S.28 Wimereux, France). Addressed to Pte. Clarence Abbey of Toronto. Records show he embarked at Halifax AU 8 16 on the S.S. Cameronia, arrived Liverpool AU 19 16, and was assigned to the 19<sup>th</sup> Battalion OC 11 16, having previously served with the 123<sup>rd</sup> Battery, A Company. He died of wounds JU 3 17. Abbey was a Toronto pattern maker before enlistment. Cover bears numerous tracing markings, including manuscript “hospital,” together with multiple backstamps. Returned to Canada via Ottawa DLO (b/s). \$400.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-45 – **Ottawa to servicemen of the 27<sup>th</sup> Battalion** – 1916, 2c+1c War Tax tied by Ottawa Exhibition machine cancel on cover to Pte. Edward Mulvey, 27<sup>th</sup> Battalion, 2<sup>nd</sup> Canadian Contingent, BEF, England. FPO 9X receiver b/s; likely wounded as cover redirected to 3<sup>rd</sup> Northern General Hospital in Sheffield. Traced by 3<sup>rd</sup> echelon with Canadian Record Office “Postal Despatched” (b/s). Sheffield receiver on front. Rough opening with paper loss at LR. \$100.00





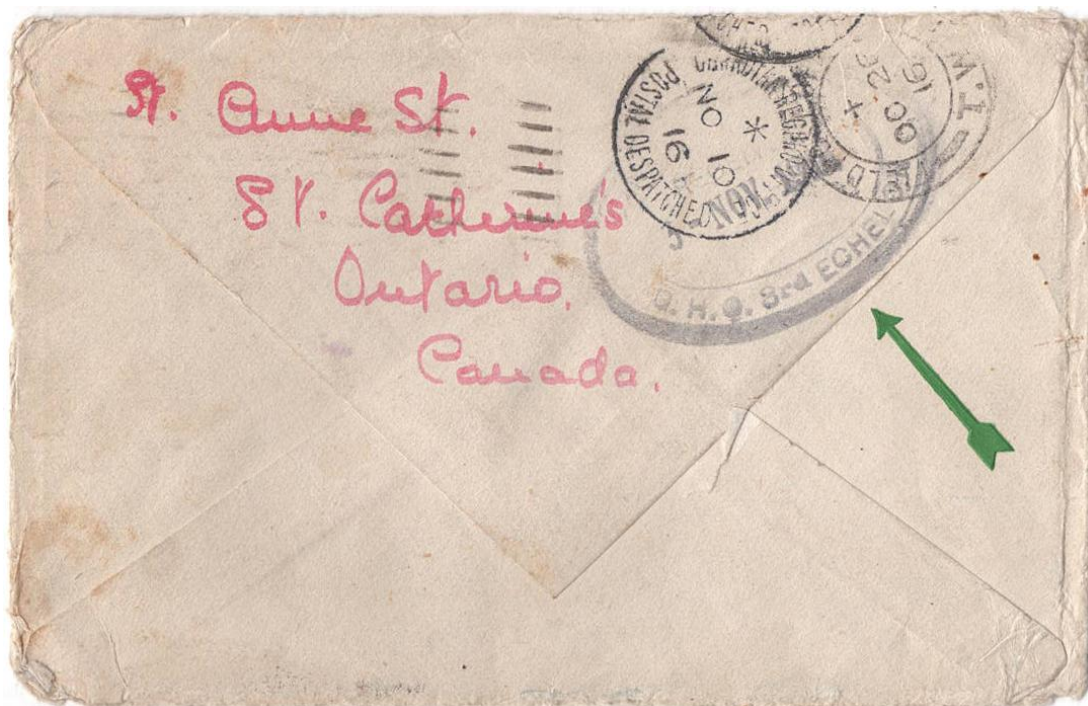
Item 659-46 – **Victoria BC to Officer, died of wounds in La Somme** – 1916, 2¢+1¢ War Tax perforated 8x12 MR5 tied by Victoria machine cancel on cover to Lt. J.R. Horton, Canadian Regt and Div, BEF France. Field Post Office 1X receiver (b/s). Undeliverable marking with Canadian Contingent Record Office "Postal Despatched." Lt. Robert Horton died of wounds in the Battle of the Somme. Records note Horton was a Victoria architect before enlistment. He served with the 88<sup>th</sup> Battalion (Victoria Fusiliers), CEF. \$300.00 **SOLD**





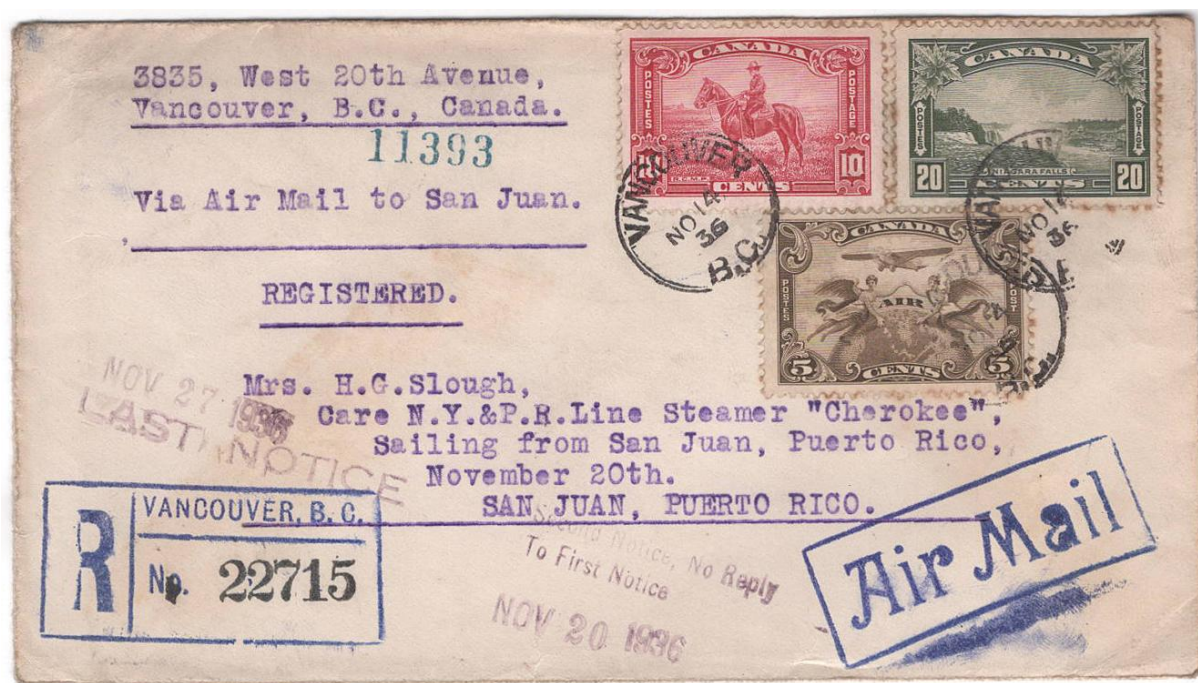
Item 659-47 – **Wolverhampton to servicemen of the Canadian Scottish** – 1917, GB 1d tied by Wolverhampton machine cancel on cover to Pte. Thomas John Buckley, Canadian Scottish, France. Buckley had previously served in the British Army with the East Kent 11<sup>th</sup> Battalion, later emigrated to Canada, and reenlisted in the Canadian Army at Winnipeg, Man., in 1916. Records note he was a real estate agent. Likely wounded, as the cover was redirected to the 16<sup>th</sup> General Hospital in Arlington. Traced by Canadian Record Office "Postal Despatched" (b/s), with FPO TP1 and APO 2 Canadian Section. \$150.00





Item 659-48 – **St. Catharines, highly decorated Major, 10<sup>th</sup> Battalion (a doctor)** – 1916, 2¢+1¢ War Tax tied by St. Catharines Ont machine cancel on cover to Major John Clement Ball, OBE, DSO, 10<sup>th</sup> Battalion, 3<sup>rd</sup> Brigade, France. Redirected to London with 2<sup>nd</sup> Red Cross Hospital APO annotation, 3<sup>rd</sup> echelon tracing marking, FPO TW1, and Canadian Record Office "Postal Despatched" (b/s). Research notes Ball was a doctor, later Lieutenant Colonel and Physician. Traced through hospitals, having been wounded twice. Born in Portage La Prairie, Man., he was also a civil engineer and Artillery Officer. Awarded the Belgian Croix de Guerre, mentioned in dispatches, OBE (Officer of the Order of the British Empire), and DSO (Distinguished Service Order). Later served as coroner of Lincoln County, Ont. Buried in Victoria Lawn Cemetery, St. Catharines, Ont. \$400.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-49 – Airmail and registered to Puerto Rico – 1936, 5¢ Airmail C1, 10¢ and 20¢ Pictorial tied by Vancouver cds on cover paying 35¢ airmail registered letter rate to Puerto Rico (b/s). Routed via Miami (b/s). With Vancouver Registration Branch cds, an uncommon marking that I have not previously seen. A handsome airmail registered cover, bearing two pickup notice markings. \$150.00





Item 659-50 – **Edmonton shortpaid to South Africa** – 1938, 5c Mufti tied by Edmonton Alta machine cancel on cover underpaying the 6c half-ounce letter rate to South Africa (b/s). “10 centimes” due marking with manuscript “please advise your correspondent...”; tax 5c converted to T1d, paid with 1d South African postage due stamp. Addressee gone away; returned to Canada via Returned DLO Cape Town and Ottawa DLO. \$250.00





Item 659-51 – **30¢ airmail to Marrakech Morocco, French Zone** – 1944, 10¢ and 20¢ War tied by Treherne, Manitoba duplex cancel on double-censored cover paying 30¢ airmail letter rate to Morocco. French Military censor markings. Properly routed via UK Liaison Mission in London (53). \$150.00





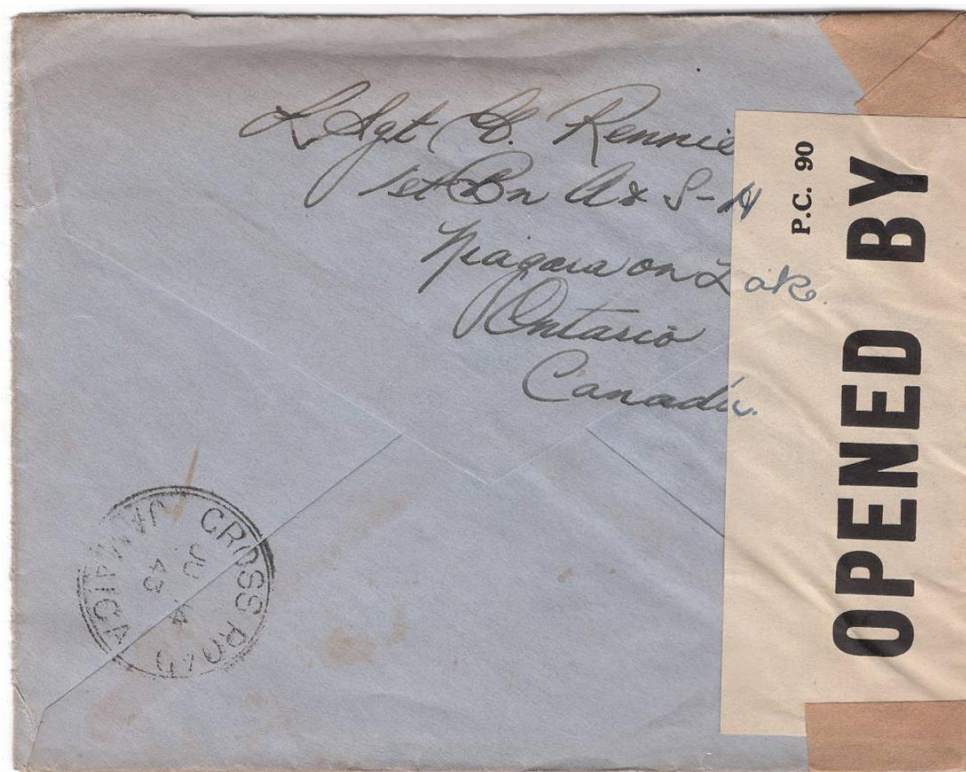
Item 659-52 – 30¢ airmail to French Cameroon – 1943, 10¢ and 20¢ War tied by Montreal machine cancel on double-censored cover with OAT, paying the 30¢ airmail letter rate to Cameroon (b/s). Opened by French Military Authorities (b/s). Rough opening at right with paper loss. Rare Central Africa destination. \$300.00





Item 659-53 – **30¢ airmail to Casablanca, Morocco** – 1944, 10¢ and 20¢ War tied by Calgary, Alberta Post Office cds on double-censored RAF cover paying 30¢ airmail letter rate to Casablanca, Morocco. French Military censor markings. Properly routed via UK Liaison Mission, London (75). \$150.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-54 – **10¢ airmail to Jamaica** - 1943, 10¢ War tied by Kitchener, Ont. machine cancel on censored cover paying 10¢ airmail letter rate to Jamaica (b/s). Air Mail label tied by postmark. Censor D4817, most likely British. \$25.00 **SOLD**





Item 659-55 – **25¢ airmail letter rate to Australia, returned** – 1947, 20¢ Peace and 1¢ War, with 4¢ War stamp no longer present, tied by Blenheim Ont cds on cover paying the 25¢ airmail letter rate to Australia (b/s). Numerous Melbourne markings: Eidemberg, L.C. List Melbourne (including over the 4¢ residue), G.D.B. Elizabeth St. Melbourne, Chelsea Victoria, etc. Unclaimed and returned to Canada with 3¢ postage due via Ottawa DLO (Inspection Service cds in red). \$125.00  
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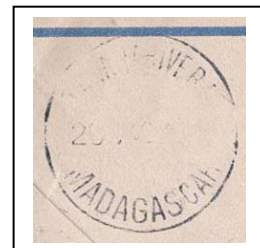


Item 659-56 – **Quebec Faubourg St. Jean Baptiste horizontal roller** – 1943, 3¢, 10¢ War tied by the rare Quebec PQ Faubourg St-Jean Baptiste horizontal roller cancel on cover paying 13¢ drop registered letter rate. Quebec Blackout cds (b/s). \$40.00



Item 659-57 – **Toronto Sub No.125 registered and special delivery** – 1943, 3¢ and 10¢ War with 10¢ Special Delivery E10 tied by Toronto S.O. 125 cds on cover paying 23¢ registered special delivery letter rate to Ottawa (b/s). Addressed to Dept. of Munitions and Supply. Very scarce. \$75.00 **SOLD**



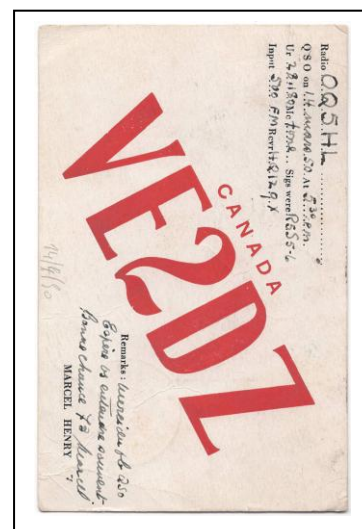


Item 659-58 – **25¢ airmail letter rate to Madagascar** – 1948, 1¢, 4¢ (6 booklet stamps) tied by Arvida PQ duplex cancel on cover paying 25¢ airmail letter rate to Madagascar (b/s). Rare. \$300.00



Item 659-59 – **25¢ airmail letter rate to Tunisia** – 1947, 5¢ and 20¢ War issue tied by Preston, Ont. machine cancel on machinery company corner-card cover paying 25¢ airmail letter rate to Tunisia. A rare destination. \$300.00





Item 659-60 – **Radio Amateur card to Belgian Congo** – 1950, 3c War tied by Montreal machine cancel on Canada VE2DZ QSL Radio Amateur postcard paying the postcard rate to Leopoldville, Belgian Congo (receiver). Signed by Marcel Henry. \$150.00



Item 659-61 – **Radio Amateur card to Liberia** – 1949, 3c War tied by Hamilton machine cancel on Canada VE3BTE QSL Radio Amateur postcard paying the postcard rate to Harbel, Liberia (receiver). The card is addressed to Firestone Rubber Plantation. Signed by Rose Hallifax. \$250.00



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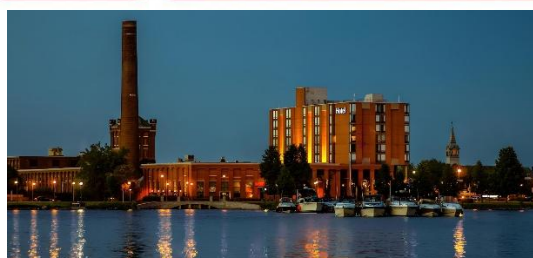
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