

# EXHIBITS

## Display

- 0 GRC / RCMP “Maintiens le droit” 1873-2023 (Scott #223)  
*Celebrations with a stamp of the 150 years since creation of the RCMP*

## Court of Honour

- 1-5 BLOOD: A Modern Medicine  
*This exhibit traces the evolution of blood into a modern medicine, and explores the science and societal impact of blood donation and transfusion*

## Competitive Exhibits

- 6-11 London Cancels – Development During the Victorian Period  
*To trace the development of London postal markings from Maltese Cross to the combined date and obliterator cancels*
- 12 The Probability of Queen Elizabeth II Era Printing Errors  
*The odds and probabilities surrounding the creation and discoveries of major Canadian printing errors in the QEII era*
- 13-22 Canada's External Mail 1873 – 24 December 1898  
*This exhibit shows a wide variety of mail between Canada and the rest of the world – both inward and outward – during the generation before Imperial Penny Postage, 25 December 1898*
- 23-27 Florence Nightingale: The Path to Legend  
*This exhibit chronicles the early life of Florence Nightingale, which laid the foundation to her fame as the "Lady with the Lamp" and an enduring legendary status*
- 28-32 The Golden Age of The Rigid Airship  
*This exhibit explores the development of rigid airships in Germany, the United States and Great Britain through stamps and postal history*
- 33 Basutoland Mail During the Second Anglo-Boer War 1899-1902  
*A study of the incoming and outgoing mail during the 1899-1902 Anglo-Boer war, including mail to Europe, South African States, POW Mail and Officers mail*
- 34-41 The FDCs of the 1959 Commemorative for the Centennial of the American Dental Association  
*An in-depth study of the stamps and its FDCs*

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- 42 Les Entiers Postaux "pêcheur" et "goéland" à St. Pierre et Miquelon 1909-1918  
*Complete study about the first stationery issued with visuals of SPM*
- 43 1904-1918 Saint Patrick's Day Postcards Link Irish Immigrants  
*Individuals from abjectly poor families in Ireland immigrated to North America. By exchanging postcards they created a new Irish identity and community.*
- 44-48 British North Borneo 1883-1923  
*A general display of the stamps of North Borneo, including single stamps, mint and used, overprints, varieties, specimens, proofs, post marks, with a few covers to show usage*
- 49-53 Canada: 100 Years of Householder Mail 1889-1989  
*Exhibit covers 100 years of householder mail rate from inception in 1889 to 1989, organized by methods of payment, single stamp, postal stationery, permits and bulk payment*
- 54 The Toronto Hospital for Sick Children's Christmas Appeals to 1926: The Sweetest of All Charities  
*This social philately exhibit illustrates the messaging and material used by the Hospital in its annual Christmas fundraising appeals, up to 1926 when the use of special order cards was discontinued*
- 55-59 Airmails From Zanzibar 1932-1966  
*This exhibit shows examples of airmails carried from Zanzibar*
- 60-64 Lord Byron—The Romantic Poet of Genius and Champion of Liberty  
*This exhibit presents the life and works of Lord Byron*
- 65 Canada's Non-Denominated "A" Stamp, 1981-1982  
*Examples of this stamp only in use for 133 days*
- 66-71 Imperforate Issues of Great Britain 1841-1854  
*This exhibit studies the development and usages of the 1841 One Penny Red and Two Penny Blue*
- 72-74 The Territory of Papua New Guinea Sterling First Day Covers (1952-1965)  
*Official and privately produced first day cover cachets, printing methods and cachet makers for the Territory during the sterling period, including varieties of the cachet*

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- 75            Ottawa Dead Letter Office Handstamps 1872 to 1898  
Decentralization  
*The exhibit shows the evolution of the Ottawa Dead Letter Office (DLO) handstamps from 1872 up to the July 1, 1898 decentralization into additional branches throughout Canada*
- 76-83        St. Pierre et Miquelon; Le Type "Groupe" 1892-1908  
*Complete study with great covers, varieties including many rarities*
- 84            The 15¢ "Bylot Island" Centennial Definitive of Canada, the Stamp and Single Stamp Uses  
*The exhibit shows the complexity of the 15¢ "Bylot Island" sheet stamp of the Centennial Definitives and its uses as a single stamp*
- 85            New Brunswick Postage Rates "Cents Issue" Period: 1860-1868  
*Examples of decimal currency postage rates with "Cents Issue" stamps, 1860-1868*
- 86-93        The Documentary Revenues of Haiti 1807-1957  
*A study of Haiti's documentary revenue issues*
- 94            Canadian Mail Sent via the Empire Air Mail Scheme 1938-1939  
*This exhibit shows Canadian first class letters and post cards mailed and transported via the Empire air mail scheme for the years 1938-1939*
- 95-99        Morbid Views  
*This exhibit illustrates the inhumanity of man. Many of the views are shocking to modern eyes. That they were considered appropriate for widespread distribution as postcards is a challenging concept*
- 100-104     The Postage Stamps of the Grand Duchy of Tuscany  
*Singles or multiples of all issued Tuscan stamps, most of them on folded letters or covers*
- 105-114     Machine Postmarks of London, England 1857-1914  
*The development and evolution of postmarking by machine at the G.P.O. London and District*
- 115-119     Gasoline Rationing on the Home Front  
*Cinderella exhibit reviewing Canada's strategy to ration and reduce gasoline use at home during WWII*
- 120-124     Siam Postal Cards  
*This exhibit covers the first postal card along with subsequent post cards and their usages*

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- 125-130 A Humanistic Philately: Canadian Stationery Post Card Advertising Series  
*This exhibit documents the historical context and stationery advertising card series of 20 lesser known Canadian businesses*
- 131-135 The 1950 King George VI Definitive Issue of Canada Original Design  
*The exhibit deals with the last definitive issue of King George VI, the proofs, sheet and coil stamps and their usages*
- 136-138 Greetings: Cards and Post Cards From a New Zealand Album  
*Greeting picture postcards have their origins in the development of lithography and photography and the practice of collecting images in albums*
- 139-146 Years of Change – International Airmail to and from Australasia – January 1939 to December 1945  
*How war in Europe and Asia impacted the Airmail routes and rates to Australasia from January 1939 to December 1945 with the return of peace*
- 147-153 The Handstruck Postal Markings of Oxford UK 1706-1952  
*An exhibit of the evolution of postmarks used in Oxford, England over 250 years, highlighting many rare markings and usages*
- 154-160 Saint George Remembered  
*This exhibit shows three of the main ways in which we have remembered (and still remember) him*
- 161 The 'Boots' Minisheet of Great Britain  
*Creation, print production, uses, abuses and general history of short-lived UK mini-sheet*
- 162-169 UK Tax Marks and Their Offices of Use in the Centimes Era  
*Aims to show examples of all offices with distinctive tax marks and illustrates Postal Union rules for taxing mail 1875-1966*
- 170-171 Portuguese Postal History 1935-1970  
*Various rates and destinations*
- 172-176 Ghandi: Father of The Nation, Bapu Mahatma  
*A philatelic and topical history consisting of many philatelic material from the first stamp in 1948 until his 150th birth anniversary*
- 177-182 British North America Transatlantic Rate Handstamps 1840-1875  
*This exhibit is the study of rate handstamps used on transatlantic incoming and outgoing letters that were either unpaid or prepaid*