BNAPEX 2014

at BALPEX

Hunt Valley, Maryland
August 29 - 31, 2014
The British North American Philatelic Society

The British North American Philatelic Society (BNAPS) was founded in 1943 by those interested in the collection, study and research of the stamps, postal markings and history of Canada, Newfoundland, and the pre-Confederation colonies. Our members keep in contact during the year via the official journal, BNA Topics, which is published quarterly and provides extensive research and articles of interest. This international organization also has study groups and regional groups which meet locally, but once a year there is an annual convention gathering at a show designated as BNAPEX which rotates location. At those conventions, special recognition is given to exhibits assembled by members as well as those dedicated to the organization. BNAPS also has a Publications Committee and manages an Exchange Circuit for sales of BNA material.

We are always interested in expanding our knowledge and obtaining new members who might want to share the comradery of those with like interests. Consider joining today! Details available at the BNAPS club table #53. Also see: www.bnaps.org

Welcome et Bienvenue to BNAPEX at BALPEX 2014!

As your Show Chairman it is my sincere hope that you have a wonderful time and that BNAPS’ ten year absence from Baltimore has made the heart grow fonder. Thanks to the Baltimore Philatelic Society’s help and support, we have endeavored to provide you with the opportunity to really enjoy the 2014 Exhibition and Show as well as see many of the numerous attractions in the Baltimore and Washington, DC area. We hope you can extend your time with us to include a mini-vacation as well as renew BNAPS friendships and share worthwhile philatelic experiences at the show, the seminars, and during the VIP National Postal Museum trip. The BALPEX bourse will have some dealers not usually available in Canada so good hunting. Thank you for attending . . . and I hope you enjoy the crab cakes too!

My thanks to the local BNAPEX Committee, all the numerous show helpers, table manning committee, show facilitators, sponsors, speakers, and the BALPEX staff for their valued support, suggestions and corrections. Special recognition must go to Charlie Morgan, Mike Street, Ron Majors, Jeff Arndt, Robert Lemire, Peter MacDonald, Ken Lemke, Claude Michaud, Bill Walton, and my wife and chief hostess Karen.

Barry W. Casanova, Show Chairman
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extends a warm welcome to the
British North America Philatelic Society
Non exhibit BNAPS Awards presented at BNAPEX

The Jack Levine Fellowship Award
The Jack Levine Fellowship Award honours a Regional Group “Spark Plug” as selected by the BNAPS Vice President for Regional Groups. Jack Levine was the founder of BNAPS - member No. 1 - who convened the organizational meeting of the Society in 1943. His main objective for BNAPS was that it be a friendly and welcoming society. He served as Secretary for thirty years, from the beginning, in 1944, until his death in 1974, and watched BNAPS grow from fewer than 50 members to well over 1000. He edited BNA Topics for five years, and also hosted BNAPEX shows in Williamsburg, Virginia, in 1963 and 1974.

Ritch Toop Memorial Award
The E. R. (Ritch) Toop Memorial Award is presented to a BNAPS member for any book, pamphlet, article or story representing significant research on Canadian military mail or a Canadian military postal history subject published in any BNAPS journal or other publication. Ritch Toop, OTB, was one of Canada’s foremost military postal historians, though he also had a strong interest in aerophilately. He exhibited regularly at BNAPEX shows and was a strong supporter of the BNAPS Military Mail Study Group. Ritch co-authored, with W. J. Bailey, several volumes on Canadian military mail and he also contributed two chapters to the 1997 catalogue The Air Mails of Canada and Newfoundland.

Show Awards
BNAPS awards medals at five levels: Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver-Bronze and Bronze. Judging is based on an open show basis using modified Canadian national/international standards with emphasis placed on research and study evidence of each exhibit.
**Non exhibit BNAPS Awards presented at BNAPEX**

**Siverts Award**

This award, named after John Siverts, OTB, is given annually to the editor of the best Study Group newsletter published during the previous calendar year. The winner is chosen by a committee comprised of the President, the Chairman of the Board, the Study Group Coordinator, Editor of the Study Group Centreline column and Editor of *BNA Topics*.

John joined BNAPS in its first year. His BNA collecting interests ranged widely, and included revenues, pence issues, Large and Small Queens, squared circles, RPOs, and Newfoundland - and he was qualified as an international level judge. He served on the BNAPS Board and on several BNAPEX convention committees.

**Vincent G. Greene Award**

Unlike the other awards described here, this award was donated by the person for whom it is named. Originally the award was a trophy, but now an engraved mug and a plaque are presented annually to the author of the best article or series appearing in *BNA Topics* during the previous calendar year.

Vincent G. Greene, OTB, BNAPS member L40, was an acknowledged expert in BNA philately long before BNAPS was founded, and during the first two decades of the Society he served as a Board member for six years, was President in 1959-1960 and served as a judge at numerous BNAPEX shows. He was a signatory of the Roll of Distinguished Philatelists; a recipient of the Lichtenstein Award; and a Fellow of both the Royal Philatelic Society, London and the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada. He was a co-author, with C. M. Jephcott and John H. M. Young, of *The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick 1754-1867*.

**BNAPS**

**President’s Welcome Message**

If you have not visited before, you will find Baltimore to be a marvellous venue for our annual BNAPEX. It is hard to imagine, but it has been a decade since BNAPS joined the Baltimore Philatelic Society at a BALPEX show. My wife, Brigitte, and I had a wonderful time at that show and toured the attractions, including the Inner Harbour and the National Aquarium there. Baltimore is also close to Washington, DC and its attractions, including the National Postal Museum (one of our excursions!)

While in Maryland, we took a few additional days to stay at a quaint inn on Chesapeake Bay, and feasted on soft-shelled crab (a dozen each!). We also took the opportunity to visit battlefields in Virginia and see Mount Vernon and Monticello. Coming all the way from California we wanted to fully enjoy the early autumn weather in this part of the country.

I want to thank Mike Carski and the Baltimore Philatelic Society for their hospitality, and expect this BNAPEX 2014 at BALPEX will be as memorable as the one in 2004.

Norris (Bob) Dyer
President
British North America Philatelic Society

**BPS**

**President’s Welcome Message**

It is my distinct pleasure to extend a warm welcome to the British North America Philatelic Society. There are many collectors in our area who have enjoyed the stamps and postal history of British North America.

We are delighted that you have chosen BALPEX as your venue and hope you enjoy your convention and exhibition.

Mike Carski
President
Baltimore Philatelic Society
Thursday August 28
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<td>BNAPEX Judges working breakfast</td>
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<td>0800 - 1530</td>
<td>Tour #1 - VIP visit to the National Postal Museum, lunch on your own, drive by of Washington Mall and memorials. Reservations Required, Transportation Provided</td>
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<td>Tour #2 - History Tour – Fort McHenry (included) and choice of museums – Bus departs hotel main entrance to the Fort and then to Center and Cathedral Streets, lunch (OYO) at a local Italian Bistro, then head to either the Walters Art Museum or The Maryland Historical Society Museum, each one block away. Prior Registration required, Transportation Provided</td>
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Exhibit Awards

conventions and other shows, and won several BNAPEX Gold awards. He was a strong proponent of one-frame exhibits.

John D. Arn ‘White Queen’ Award

The John D. Arn ‘White Queen’ Award is presented on behalf of the BNAPS Elizabethan Study Group to recognize and encourage exhibitors who have worked hard for excellence of presentation of Canadian-only Elizabethan material.

John founded and chaired the BNAPS Elizabethan Study Group, and for many years edited its newsletter, the Corgi Times. He exhibited Elizabethan material at many BNAPEX’s, and in 2004 he received Gold and the Horace Harrison Grand Award for ‘Canada - Cameo Definitive Issues’.

William G. Robinson Award

William G. (Bill) Robinson, OTB, actively encouraged the study, display and publication of articles relating to Canada’s Railway Post Offices and the William G. Robinson Award is a memorial to his endeavours. The William G. Robinson Award is presented to the highest scoring Canadian Railway Post Office and related Waterways exhibit at a BNAPEX event.

Bill was editor of the RPO Study Group newsletter from 1984 to 2000. He contributed many articles for BNA Topics, mainly by continuing Lew Ludlow’s RPO (Railway Post Office) Cowcatcher column but also with pieces on Canadian Airport Mail Facilities and Canadian military mail. He was an active BNAPS exhibitor and judge. He also served in numerous executive positions with BNAPS, including President from 1990 - 1992, and served as Chairman of the Order of the Beaver for many years.
Exhibit Awards

Ed was a president of BNAPS, twice a BNAPEX Grand Award winner, chairman of two BNAPEX conventions and a frequent BNAPEX jury member. He received the Vincent G. Greene Award for 1956 and 1960, and served on the Board and as an Associate Editor of *BNA Topics* for many years. In the late 1960’s he was instrumental in establishing the “Order of the Beaver”. Ed undertook extensive research in many areas of BNA philately, especially the under-researched byways, and published numerous articles (in *Stamps*, *Popular Stamps*, and *BNA Topics*) and handbooks to share his findings. His 64 page booklet, *Canada - B.N.A. Philately*, published in 1981, was a primer for a generation of BNA specialist collectors. Mickey also exhibited, attended many BNAPEX shows and helped with organization of several conventions.

Wilmer Rockett Revenue Award

The Wilmer Rockett Revenue Award is presented for the best competitive revenue exhibit shown at the BNAPS convention. The Wilmer Rockett Revenue Award was originally established by the Rockett family in 1999 to encourage revenue exhibiting. The award honours long time BNAPS member Wilmer (Bill) Rockett, OTB, whose main philatelic interest was BNA revenues. Bill drove the merging of members of the former Canadian Revenue Society with BNAPS, significantly increasing our membership at the time.

He was the driving force for the Revenue Study Group for more than a quarter century, and exhibited regularly. For many years, the annual Group get-together he hosted at his home in Willow Grove, Pennsylvania was a highlight of the philatelic year. He was an active supporter of BNAPS, and served for many years as a director of the Society. He was an annual attendee at BNAPEX, with an unrivalled perfect attendance record of 49 years from the first show in 1949 until 1997.

Herbert L. McNaught One Frame Exhibit Award

The Herbert L. McNaught One Frame Exhibit Award was established in 2009 in honour of Herbert L. McNaught. Herb was an ardent exhibitor at BNAPEX.

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**Saturday August 30 Schedule**

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<td>Order of the Beaver Closed Meeting</td>
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<td>0900 - 1600</td>
<td>Tour #3 Downtown Baltimore - 90 minute Trolley Tour of downtown; then on your own: explore Harbor Place, have lunch at numerous venues, visit the USS Constellation, shop, or with prior arrangement visit the National Aquarium ($30/ if a group of 15 can be assembled). Prior Registration required.</td>
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BNAPEX 2015
September 11, 12 & 13
Niagara Falls

The committee for BNAPEX 2015 NIAGARA FALLS extends an invitation to the attendees of BALPEX 2014 and BNAPEX 2014 to plan a trip in 2015 to one of the most renowned tourist spots in the World: Niagara Falls. We are planning a 16 dealer bourse, space for 160 frames of exhibits and a Saturday evening (limited availability) supper in the Skylon’s rotating restaurant (a wonderful view of the Falls and the city as the restaurant does a full rotation once per hour) The dates are September 11 - 13, 2015. The whole area, on both sides of the border, offers visitors a plethora of wonderful places to see and visit. The website for BNAPEX 2015 NIAGARA FALLS, available after September 30, 2014, will be http://www.bnaps.org/bnapex/index.htm

The host stamp club is The St. Catharines Stamp Club (St. Catharines is about 15 minutes from the Falls). www.stcatharinesstampclub.ca

Exhibit Awards

Bill who died in 1955, collaborated with Dan in a regular column in BNA Topics “Trail of the Caribou”, and the brothers also had articles published in other leading philatelic publications.

Their articles on various areas of Newfoundland philately brought them the Vincent G. Greene Trophy for 1947, 1951 and 1955 and in particular their nine-part series on the “Pre-adhesive Postal History and Postal Markings of Newfoundland” brought them the award for 1949. The two brothers teamed up to win the Grand Award (for their exhibit ‘Newfoundland Postal History’) at the first BNAPEX in 1949. Until his death in 1965, Daniel, augmented the collection, continued the column and continued exhibiting - winning Gold in 1956 and 1958 and a second BNAPEX Grand Award for ‘Newfoundland Pence’ at BNAPEX in 1960.

Sam Nickle Award

The Sam Nickle Award was established in 1994 by Rosemary Nickle, in honour of her late husband whose main collecting interests were early Military Mails and the Canadian Pence Issue. The Sam Nickle Award is presented for the best military exhibit shown at the BNAPEX convention and can be awarded to any type of competitive military exhibit. Sam Nickle, OTB, was a president of BNAPS, winner of two BNAPEX Grand Awards, and the chairman or co-chairman of three BNAPEX shows held in Calgary.

Ed and Mickey Richardson Award

The Ed and Mickey Richardson Award is awarded to that exhibit which best represents the collecting and exhibiting interests of the late Ed Richardson, OTB; originality, innovativeness, research, and high standards of presentation. It can be awarded to any exhibit in any of the classes of competitive entries that are eligible to compete in a BNAPEX convention. The award was established in 1983 by the Prairie Beavers Regional Group on the occasion of the 50th wedding anniversary of Ed and Mickey Richardson. The award recognizes the many and extensive contributions of Ed and Mickey to BNA Philately, BNAPS and to members of the regional group.

See You There
Exhibit Awards

been able to publish many books and to place the vast library of information contained in back issues of *BNA Topics* on the internet.

**Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand Award**

The Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand Award is presented for the second best competitive exhibit shown at the BNAPS convention. The Reserve Grand Award has been in existence since the first BNAPEX was held in 1949. It was renamed the Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand Award in honour of the late Allan Steinhart, OTB, a former chairman of the BNAPS Board of Directors, a former chairman of the BNAPS Handbooks Committee, chairman of the 1993 BNAPEX held in Toronto and a BNAPEX Grand Award winner in 1990. Prior to his death in 1996, he was Canada’s pre-eminent postal historian and dealer in BNA philatelic material.

He wrote several books including *Civil Censorship in Canada During World War I*, *The Postal History of the Post Card in Canada 1871-1911*, and *The Admiral Era: A Rate Study 1912-1928*, and many long-running columns (among others: *Rambling Through the Records*, *Admiral Period Notes*, and *For a Penny or Two*) in *BNA Topics* and other journals. He was the recipient of the Vincent G. Greene Award for his columns in 1976 and 1977.

**Meyerson Award**

The Meyerson Award is presented for the best exhibit of a province or territory (ASSA, ATHA, BC, KEE, NB, NF/NL, NS, PEI, NT, NU, NWT, YU) shown at the BNAPEX convention. All types of competitive exhibits including stamps, postal history, postal stationery, aerophilately and revenues are eligible. The Meyerson Award was established in 1965 in honour of Daniel C. and William S. Meyerson, who carried out extensive research and published numerous articles on Newfoundland philately.

The Meyerson brothers, Daniel and William, were two of the founding members of BNAPS, membership numbers 3 and 11, respectively. They were specialists in the stamps and postal history of Newfoundland and together built an outstanding collection, and were experts in the field.

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<td>0830 - 0930</td>
<td>BNAPS General Meeting - Closed - BNAPS members only</td>
<td>Salon A</td>
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<td>BNAPEX Judges Critique</td>
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BNAPEX 2014 Jury
Gary Steele (Nova Scotia) Chairman
Ken Lemke (Ontario) Bill Walton (New Jersey)

BNAPEX 2014 Exhibits

BNAPS wishes to thank Gary J. Lyon and Eastern Auctions for assistance with funding BNAPEX exhibits. Please see the Eastern Auctions display at exhibit frame 65.

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<td>1927 Canada Confederation Stamps and Covers</td>
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<td>5 Frames Proofs, stamps including, varieties, imperfs, plate blocks and large blocks, covers, domestic, international, registered, short paid, special delivery, first day, airmail.</td>
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<td>08</td>
<td>Victorian Montreal: Economic Hub of the Dominion</td>
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<td>5 Frames This exhibit features a selection of advertising covers that help tell the story of how Montreal became the economic engine of Canada during the Victorian period.</td>
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<td>The First Decimal Issue of Canada 1859-1868</td>
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<td>4 Frames This collection shows the changes in colour and perforation resulting from the many orders for stamps over the nine years this issue was current.</td>
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<td>Canadian Prisoners of War and Civilian Internees in Europe During the Great War</td>
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<td>8 Frames A review of mail to and from Canadians detained as prisoners of war and internment camps in Europe during World War I.</td>
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<td>Canadian Air letters (Aerogrammes)</td>
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<td>8 Frames Canadian Air letters - Unstamped in 1945 to pre-stamped ending in 1996. Essays, proofs, mint and used plus the shenanigans.</td>
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Horace W. Harrison Grand Award

The Horace W. Harrison Grand Award is presented for the best competitive exhibit shown at the BNAPS convention; the Grand Award has been in existence since the first BNAPEX was held in 1949. It was renamed Horace W. Harrison Grand Award in honour of the late Horace W. Harrison, OTB, who died in 2002.

Horace was a president of BNAPS from 2000 - 2002, a member of the Order of the Beaver, recipient of the President’s Award for 1989 and a Hall of Fame Award in 1993, and with his wife, Elizabeth, hosted the 1970 BNAPEX convention in Easton, Maryland. He was an avid BNAPEX exhibitor, a Grand Award winner in 1989 (Canada's Registry Stamps), received Reserve Grand Awards in 1995 and 1998, and served as a BNAPEX judge a number of times. He authored and co-authored many articles for BNA Topics, winning the Vincent G. Greene Award for 1961 (with Stanley Cohen) for a four part series, “Numeral Cancels on Canada's Large Queens”, and for 1971 for his six part series, “Postal Stationery and the CPR’. His book, Canada Registry System: 1827-1911 (1971), became a classic, and he was co-author with George Arfken, and Harry Lussey of Canada's Registered Mail, 1802-1909, From Money Letters through Insurance for a Fee, published by the Collectors Club of Chicago in 2002 shortly after his death. Records of many of his collections have been preserved by publication in book form.

Horace combined his interest in stamps with his expertise in insurance to help dealers and collectors insure their stamps. Horace firmly believed that philatelic knowledge should be shared among all philatelists and in his will Horace bequeathed substantial financial support to BNAPS to encourage such projects. Because of those funds, over the last decade BNAPS has
BNAPEX 2014 Exhibits

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| 76           | Fifteen Cent Large Queen Stamp of Canada  
Traditional exhibit of 15 cent Large Queen Stamp, including pre-production, production, printing, plate varieties, cancels, and on cover uses.  
Victor Willson |
| 77           | Cross-Border Mail via the Cunard Line: Mail  
Between the United States and Nova Scotia  
1840-1867  
Mail carried by the Cunard Line between Halifax, Nova Scotia, and the United States from 1840 until service to Halifax was eliminated in 1867.  
David D'Alessandris |
| 78           | Canada/British North America - Union and  
Confederate Postal Correspondence in the U. S.  
Civil War Era (1857-1868)  
Communications before, during, and after the War, illustrated the difficulties especially in the Confederacy, for postal systems. Exhibit will show military and private correspondence echoing public sentiment.  
Ronald E. Majors |

Listing of BNAPS Study Groups

Admiral Stamps  Air Mails  British Columbia Postal History  
Canada Post Ephemeral and Collateral Material  
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BNAPEX Named Awards
Some Historical Background

Every year we present awards at the BNAPEX Banquet, and many of the awards are named after members of BNAPEX who may be totally unknown to many in attendance. These short summaries have been prepared to provide some insight into the contributions to BNAPS by the members honoured by these named awards.

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Horace W. Harrison Grand Award
The Horace W. Harrison Grand Award is presented for the best competitive exhibit shown at the BNAPS convention; the Grand Award has been in existence since the first BNAPEX was held in 1949. It was renamed Horace W. Harrison Grand Award in honour of the late Horace W. Harrison, OTB, who died in 2002.

Horace was a president of BNAPS from 2000 - 2002, a member of the Order of the Beaver, recipient of the President's Award for 1989 and a Hall of Fame Award in 1993, and with his wife, Elizabeth, hosted the 1970 BNAPEX convention in Easton, Maryland. He was an avid BNAPEX exhibitor, a Grand Award winner in 1989 (Canada's Registry Stamps), received Reserve Grand Awards in 1995 and 1998, and served as a BNAPEX judge a number of times. He authored and co-authored many articles for *BNA Topics*, winning the Vincent G. Greene Award for 1961 (with Stanley Cohen) for a four part series, "Numeral Cancels on Canada's Large Queens", and for 1971 for his six part series, "Postal Stationery and the CPR'. His book, *Canada Registry System: 1827-1911* (1971), became a classic, and he was co-author with George Arfken, and Harry Lussey of *Canada's Registered Mail, 1802-1909, From Money Letters through Insurance for a Fee*, published by the Collectors Club of Chicago in 2002 shortly after his death. Records of many of his collections have been preserved by publication in book form.

Horace combined his interest in stamps with his expertise in insurance to help dealers and collectors insure their stamps. Horace firmly believed that philatelic knowledge should be shared among all philatelists and in his will Horace bequeathed substantial financial support to BNAPS to encourage such projects. Because of those funds, over the last decade BNAPS has
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been able to publish many books and to place the vast library of information contained in back issues of BNA Topics on the internet.

Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand Award

The Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand Award is presented for the second best competitive exhibit shown at the BNAPS convention. The Reserve Grand Award has been in existence since the first BNAPEX was held in 1949. It was renamed the Allan Steinhart Reserve Grand Award in honour of the late Allan Steinhart, OTB, a former chairman of the BNAPS Board of Directors, a former chairman of the BNAPS Handbooks Committee, chairman of the 1993 BNAPEX held in Toronto and a BNAPEX Grand Award winner in 1990. Prior to his death in 1996, he was Canada’s pre-eminent postal historian and dealer in BNA philatelic material.

He wrote several books including Civil Censorship in Canada During World War I, The Postal History of the Post Card in Canada 1871-1911, and The Admiral Era: A Rate Study 1912-1928, and many long-running columns (among others: Rambling Through the Records, Admiral Period Notes, and For a Penny or Two) in BNA Topics and other journals. He was the recipient of the Vincent G. Greene Award for his columns in 1976 and 1977.

Meyerson Award

The Meyerson Award is presented for the best exhibit of a province or territory (ASSA, ATHA, BC, KEE, NB, NF/NL, NS, PEI, NT, NU, NWT, YU) shown at the BNAPEX convention. All types of competitive exhibits including stamps, postal history, postal stationery, aerophilately and revenues are eligible. The Meyerson Award was established in 1965 in honour of Daniel C. and William S. Meyerson, who carried out extensive research and published numerous articles on Newfoundland philately.

The Meyerson brothers, Daniel and William, were two of the founding members of BNAPS, membership numbers 3 and 11, respectively. They were specialists in the stamps and postal history of Newfoundland and together built an outstanding collection, and were experts in the field.

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1800  BALPEX closes for Saturday  Ballroom
1830 - 1915  BALPEX No Host Cocktails  McCormick Suite
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1930 - 2130  BALPEX 2014 Awards Banquet  Garden Room
2200 - 2300  Hospitality Suite Open  McCormick Suite

BNAPEX 2015
September 11, 12 & 13
Niagara Falls

The committee for BNAPEX 2015 NIAGARA FALLS extends an invitation to the attendees of BALPEX 2014 and BNAPEX 2014 to plan a trip in 2015 to one of the most renowned tourist spots in the World: Niagara Falls. We are planning a 16 dealer bourse, space for 160 frames of exhibits and a Saturday evening (limited availability) supper in the Skylon’s rotating restaurant (a wonderful view of the Falls and the city as the restaurant does a full rotation once per hour) The dates are September 11 - 13, 2015. The whole area, on both sides of the border, offers visitors a plethora of wonderful places to see and visit. The website for BNAPEX 2015 NIAGARA FALLS, available after September 30, 2014, will be http://www.bnaps.org/bnapex/index.htm

The host stamp club is The St. Catharines Stamp Club (St. Catharines is about 15 minutes from the Falls). www.stcatharinesstampclub.ca

See You There

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Bill who died in 1955, collaborated with Dan in a regular column in BNA Topics “Trail of the Caribou”, and the brothers also had articles published in other leading philatelic publications.

Their articles on various areas of Newfoundland philately brought them the Vincent G. Greene Trophy for 1947, 1951 and 1955 and in particular their nine-part series on the “Pre-adhesive Postal History and Postal Markings of Newfoundland” brought them the award for 1949. The two brothers teamed up to win the Grand Award (for their exhibit ‘Newfoundland Postal History’) at the first BNAPEX in 1949. Until his death in 1965, Daniel, augmented the collection, continued the column and continued exhibiting - winning Gold in 1956 and 1958 and a second BNAPEX Grand Award for ‘Newfoundland Pence’ at BNAPEX in 1960.

Sam Nickle Award

The Sam Nickle Award was established in 1994 by Rosemary Nickle, in honour of her late husband whose main collecting interests were early Military Mails and the Canadian Pence Issue. The Sam Nickle Award is presented for the best military exhibit shown at the BNAPEX convention and can be awarded to any type of competitive military exhibit. Sam Nickle, OTB, was a president of BNAPS, winner of two BNAPEX Grand Awards, and the chairman or co-chairman of three BNAPEX shows held in Calgary.

Ed and Mickey Richardson Award

The Ed and Mickey Richardson Award is awarded to that exhibit which best represents the collecting and exhibiting interests of the late Ed Richardson, OTB; originality, innovativeness, research, and high standards of presentation. It can be awarded to any exhibit in any of the classes of competitive entries that are eligible to compete in a BNAPEX convention. The award was established in 1983 by the Prairie Beavers Regional Group on the occasion of the 50th wedding anniversary of Ed and Mickey Richardson. The award recognizes the many and extensive contributions of Ed and Mickey to BNA Philately, BNAPS and to members of the regional group.
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Ed was a president of BNAPS, twice a BNAPEX Grand Award winner, chairman of two BNAPEX conventions and a frequent BNAPEX jury member. He received the Vincent G. Greene Award for 1956 and 1960, and served on the Board and as an Associate Editor of *BNA Topics* for many years. In the late 1960’s he was instrumental in establishing the “Order of the Beaver”. Ed undertook extensive research in many areas of BNA philately, especially the under-researched byways, and published numerous articles (in *Stamps*, *Popular Stamps*, and *BNA Topics*) and handbooks to share his findings. His 64 page booklet, *Canada - B.N.A. Philately*, published in 1981, was a primer for a generation of BNA specialist collectors. Mickey also exhibited, attended many BNAPEX shows and helped with organization of several conventions.

**Wilmer Rockett Revenue Award**

The Wilmer Rockett Revenue Award is presented for the best competitive revenue exhibit shown at the BNAPS convention. The Wilmer Rockett Revenue Award was originally established by the Rockett family in 1999 to encourage revenue exhibiting. The award honours long time BNAPS member Wilmer (Bill) Rockett, OTB, whose main philatelic interest was BNA revenues. Bill drove the merging of members of the former Canadian Revenue Society with BNAPS, significantly increasing our membership at the time. He was the driving force for the Revenue Study Group for more than a quarter century, and exhibited regularly. For many years, the annual Group get-together he hosted at his home in Willow Grove, Pennsylvania was a highlight of the philatelic year. He was an active supporter of BNAPS, and served for many years as a director of the Society. He was an annual attendee at BNAPEX, with an unrivalled perfect attendance record of 49 years from the first show in 1949 until 1997.

**Herbert L. McNaught One Frame Exhibit Award**

The Herbert L. McNaught One Frame Exhibit Award was established in 2009 in honour of Herbert L. McNaught. Herb was an ardent exhibitor at BNAPEX...
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conventions and other shows, and won several BNAPEX Gold awards. He was a strong proponent of one-frame exhibits.

John D. Arn ‘White Queen’ Award

The John D. Arn ‘White Queen’ Award is presented on behalf of the BNAPS Elizabethan Study Group to recognize and encourage exhibitors who have worked hard for excellence of presentation of Canadian-only Elizabethan material.

John founded and chaired the BNAPS Elizabethan Study Group, and for many years edited its newsletter, the Corgi Times. He exhibited Elizabethan material at many BNAPEX’s, and in 2004 he received Gold and the Horace Harrison Grand Award for ‘Canada - Cameo Definitive Issues’.

William G. Robinson Award

William G. (Bill) Robinson, OTB, actively encouraged the study, display and publication of articles relating to Canada’s Railway Post Offices and the William G. Robinson Award is a memorial to his endeavours. The William G. Robinson Award is presented to the highest scoring Canadian Railway Post Office and related Waterways exhibit at a BNAPEX event.

Bill was editor of the RPO Study Group newsletter from 1984 to 2000. He contributed many articles for BNA Topics, mainly by continuing Lew Ludlow’s RPO (Railway Post Office) Cowcatcher column but also with pieces on Canadian Airport Mail Facilities and Canadian military mail. He was an active BNAPS exhibitor and judge. He also served in numerous executive positions with BNAPS, including President from 1990 - 1992, and served as Chairman of the Order of the Beaver for many years.
Siverts Award

This award, named after John Siverts, OTB, is given annually to the editor of the best Study Group newsletter published during the previous calendar year. The winner is chosen by a committee comprised of the President, the Chairman of the Board, the Study Group Coordinator, Editor of the Study Group Centreline column and Editor of BNA Topics.

John joined BNAPS in its first year. His BNA collecting interests ranged widely, and included revenues, pence issues, Large and Small Queens, squared circles, RPOs, and Newfoundland - and he was qualified as an international level judge. He served on the BNAPS Board and on several BNAPEX convention committees.

Vincent G. Greene Award

Unlike the other awards described here, this award was donated by the person for whom it is named. Originally the award was a trophy, but now an engraved mug and a plaque are presented annually to the author of the best article or series appearing in BNA Topics during the previous calendar year.

Vincent G. Greene, OTB, BNAPS member L40, was an acknowledged expert in BNA philately long before BNAPS was founded, and during the first two decades of the Society he served as a Board member for six years, was President in 1959-1960 and served as a judge at numerous BNAPEX shows. He was a signatory of the Roll of Distinguished Philatelists; a recipient of the Lichtenstein Award; and a Fellow of both the Royal Philatelic Society, London and the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada. He was a co-author, with C. M. Jephcott and John H. M. Young, of The Postal History of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick 1754-1867.
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The Jack Levine Fellowship Award

The Jack Levine Fellowship Award honours a Regional Group “Spark Plug” as selected by the BNAPS Vice President for Regional Groups. Jack Levine was the founder of BNAPS - member No. 1 - who convened the organizational meeting of the Society in 1943. His main objective for BNAPS was that it be a friendly and welcoming society. He served as Secretary for thirty years, from the beginning, in 1944, until his death in 1974, and watched BNAPS grow from fewer than 50 members to well over 1000. He edited BNA Topics for five years, and also hosted BNAPEX shows in Williamsburg, Virginia, in 1963 and 1974.

Ritch Toop Memorial Award

The E. R. (Ritch) Toop Memorial Award is presented to a BNAPS member for any book, pamphlet, article or story representing significant research on Canadian military mail or a Canadian military postal history subject published in any BNAPS journal or other publication. Ritch Toop, OTB, was one of Canada’s foremost military postal historians, though he also had a strong interest in aerophilately. He exhibited regularly at BNAPEX shows and was a strong supporter of the BNAPS Military Mail Study Group. Ritch co-authored, with W. J. Bailey, several volumes on Canadian military mail and he also contributed two chapters to the 1997 catalogue The Air Mails of Canada and Newfoundland.

Show Awards

BNAPS awards medals at five levels: Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver-Bronze and Bronze. Judging is based on an open show basis using modified Canadian national/international standards with emphasis placed on research and study evidence of each exhibit.
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BALPEX 2014 extends a warm welcome to the British North America Philatelic Society
The British North American Philatelic Society

The British North American Philatelic Society (BNAPS) was founded in 1943 by those interested in the collection, study and research of the stamps, postal markings and history of Canada, Newfoundland, and the pre-Confederation colonies. Our members keep in contact during the year via the official journal, BNA Topics, which is published quarterly and provides extensive research and articles of interest. This international organization also has study groups and regional groups which meet locally, but once a year there is an annual convention gathering at a show designated as BNAPEX which rotates location. At those conventions, special recognition is given to exhibits assembled by members as well as those dedicated to the organization. BNAPS also has a Publications Committee and manages an Exchange Circuit for sales of BNA material.

We are always interested in expanding our knowledge and obtaining new members who might want to share the comradery of those with like interests. Consider joining today! Details available at the BNAPS club table #53. Also see: www.bnaps.org

Welcome et Bienvenue to BNAPEX at BALPEX 2014!

As your Show Chairman it is my sincere hope that you have a wonderful time and that BNAPS’ ten year absence from Baltimore has made the heart grow fonder. Thanks to the Baltimore Philatelic Society’s help and support, we have endeavored to provide you with the opportunity to really enjoy the 2014 Exhibition and Show as well as see many of the numerous attractions in the Baltimore and Washington, DC area. We hope you can extend your time with us to include a mini-vacation as well as renew BNAPS friendships and share worthwhile philatelic experiences at the show, the seminars, and during the VIP National Postal Museum trip. The BALPEX bourse will have some dealers not usually available in Canada so good hunting. Thank you for attending . . . and I hope you enjoy the crab cakes too!

My thanks to the local BNAPEX Committee, all the numerous show helpers, table manning committee, show facilitators, sponsors, speakers, and the BALPEX staff for their valued support, suggestions and corrections. Special recognition must go to Charlie Morgan, Mike Street, Ron Majors, Jeff Arndt, Robert Lemire, Peter MacDonald, Ken Lemke, Claude Michaud, Bill Walton, and my wife and chief hostess Karen.

Barry W. Casanova, Show Chairman
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