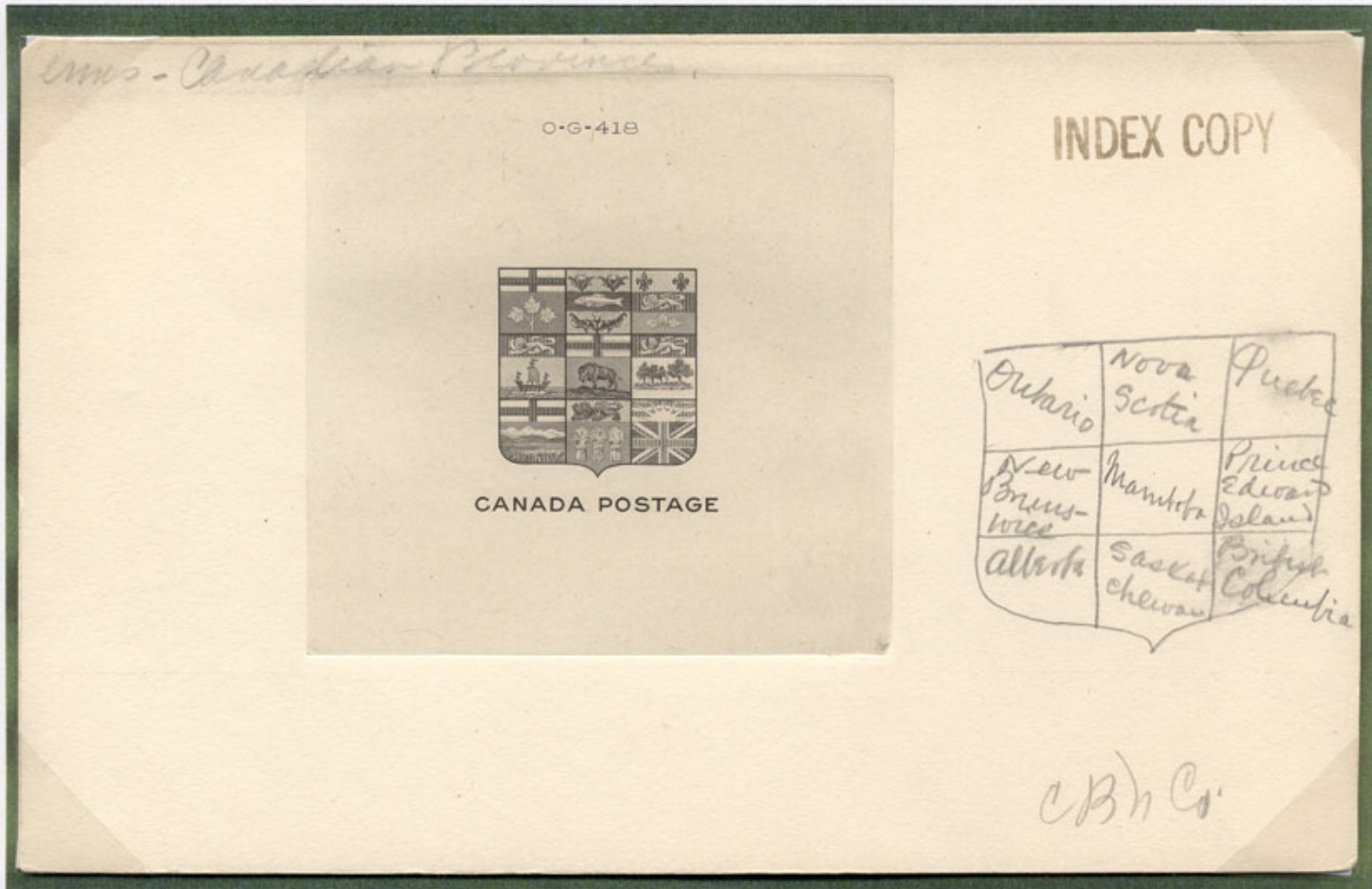


Booklet Varieties of the Admiral Issue

This exhibit displays booklet varieties of the Admiral Issue 1911-1925. While the issue has a significant number of booklets that would take several frames to exhibit, this exhibit will just show various printing varieties/errors on the covers followed by panes. All varieties shown can be seen by the naked eye. Scarcer items can be identified by a background in green matte.



Shown above is an Essay booklet cover Die Essay for the front cover of Canada's Admiral booklets. It is 88x87mm Die Sunk on 202x123mm card and stamped "INDEX COPY", "Arms - Canadian Provinces" at upper left, and a sketch at right naming the provinces and "CBNCo" in pencil at right.

Alberta and Saskatchewan became provinces in 1905. The shield on the booklet covers used until 1928 did not show them. The shield proof above was engraved showing the nine provinces, but was never used on a booklet cover. An example of the cover as issued is shown to the right.

