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We welcome new members -

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The following new member has chosen the duplex study group for his one year free membership.

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Duplex Study Group Finances: -

Dues	\$ 359.32 <u>5.00</u>		
	364.32		
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First, both Jim Karr and I wish to apologize for the far too lengthy period between newsletters. Jim had asked me some time ago to find a new editor and certainly the delay rests with me.

If you are interested in the editorship, please let me know, certainly I want to stay on in some capacity.

Since the last newsletter, I have published the 2nd edition of the "CATALOGUE OF CANADIAN DUPLEX CANCELLATIONS". This edition is much expanded (235 pages) and now includes the number of recorded strikes (rarity factor) for each hammer, and a much expanded remarks column for easier identification.

If you wish to order direct from me a donation of \$5.00 for each catalogue will be made to the study group. Cost including GST & shipping without binder \$41.14 in Canada and \$32.60 U.S, with binder \$52.37 in Canada and \$39.31 U.S.

I would be remiss if I did not thank several people and groups for their considerable help with the 2nd edition, namely Steve Thorning for his new look at the Berri duplexes. Glen Lundeen for the mammoth task of separating the early Montreal hammers and to the Winnipeg group headed by Don Fraser who tackled the early Winnipeg hammers.

From Theo Gordon comes an interesting strike -

DMB-31 BRANDON.MAN/CANADA AM/1/85 without month



Theo also sent an extensive list of Manitoba duplex dates which were incorporated into the current duplex catalogue.

From John Burnett several interesting reports -

DPQ-41 BEAUCE JUNCTION/P.Q. 15/SP/38, 3 line dater with day date in timemark slot and centred left. (I noted a similar occurence in August same year.)



DPQ-917 RIMOUSKI/QUE -/JUN 3/10, killer appears to have been mutilated by a vertical cut, several other hammers have had similar treatment see DPQ-569 newsletter #18.

From Jim Karr illustr. below the only two recorded strikes of unofficial duplex DUN-20 HULL/*QUE* 1882/01/13 and 1882/06/08.





From Andrew Scott - BURNS LAKE/B.C. 1923/08/06 split circle w/8-bar circular killer, this has been listed in the unconfirmed section as DUU-8



From Jim Miller - Jim pointed out what he thought to be a new listing for SOUTH PORCUPINE/ONT 1928/?e/26 B8, working with a transparency and the proof strike of DON-1555, I believe the two top & bottom bars have been filled off. I have listed it thus as DON-1555a.

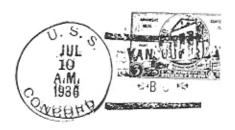


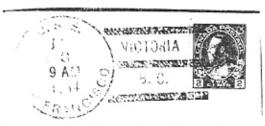
From Mike Sagar - Three U.S.S. ship duplexes with altered killers, namely

U.S.S./CONCORD with 3-bar killer VANCOUVER/B.C. between the killer bars dated JUL/10/A.M./1936 (photo reduced).

U.S.S./PRUITT with 3-bar killer VANCOUVER/B.C. between the killer bars dated JUN/9/9 AM/1934 (poor strike, no photo).

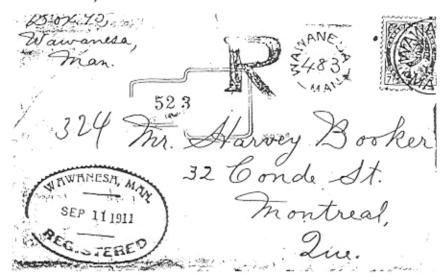
U.S.S./SAN FRANCISCO with 3-bar killer VICTORIA/B.C. between the killer bars dated JUN/9/9 AM/1934 (photo reduced).





Mike would like to hear from members with covers from different ships. How do you feel about listing these in the catalogue?

We recently auctioned the following most unusual duplex cancel - combines reg'd letter 'R' w/WAWANESA/MAN split circle dater and m/s reg. number instead of date indicia in green ink (photo reduced).



From Mike Braconnier -

DBC-231 MOYIE/B.C. AM/1909/JAN 18 new ERD. DAB-354 LACOMBE/ALBERTA -/1961/05/08 new LRD by some 9 years.

From Tracy Cooper -

DBC-300 PRINCE RUPERT/B.C. AM/1912/03/13 LRD another example where assuming that when a new hammer is issued (DBC-301 proofed 1908/06/26) the previous hammer is retired. To help separate these two hammers note that DBC-300 has period after 'C' of B.C., DBC-301 no period after 'C' of B.C

From John Reynolds -

DBE-12B CHATHAM/C.W. correction to listing date should read 1877/<u>04</u>/24 no change in R.S.

DPQ-19 Add TM 16.

DPQ-538D correction to listing, should read MONTREAL/CANADA not QUEBEC.

DPQ-629 MONTREAL/c CANADA c 3PM/1930/10/11 new ERD and new TM.

DON-97 BARRIE/ONT PM/1910/09/24 new ERD.

DON-728 HAMILTON/CANADA 5PM/1887/10/20 new ERD.

DON-799 INGERSOLL/CANADA AM/1921/11/28 new LRD.

DON-807 IROQUOIS FALLS/ONT AM/1921/11/28 new LRD.

DON-829 KENORA/ONT AM/1908/01/07 new LRD & new TM.

DON-888 LISTOWEL/ONT AM/1917/12/24 new ERD.

DON-910A LONDON/CANADA PM/1890/01/10 new LRD.

DON-1170 OAKVILLE/ONT AM/1911/07/18 new ERD.

DON-1295 PETROLIA/ONT PM/1917/09/17 new ERD.

DON-1369A PRESTON/ONT AM/1906/08/22 new ERD.

DON-1639 THEDFORD/ONT -/1925/07/14 new ERD.

DON-1718 TORONTO/CANADA ?6PM/1884/12/31 new LRD.

DON-1720A TORONTO/CANADA 6PM/1884/09/10 new ERD.

DON-1731 TORONTO/*CANADA* 4PM/1890/04/24 new ERD & TM.

DON-1731 TORONTO/*CANADA* 6PM/1890/07/18 new LRD & TM

DON-1731 TORONTO/*CANADA* new TM 1PM.

DON-1742 TORONTO/.CANADA. 20/1911/05/27 new ERD.

DON-1765 TORONTO/.CANADA. 20/1911/05/29 new ERD & TM.

DON-1787 CARLETON ST./.TORONTO. PM/1886/12/25 new ERD.

DON-1931 WATERLOO/ONT new TM 10.

DON-1983 WINDSOR/ONT AM/1898/11/17 new ERD.

DUN-19 HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY/ONTARIO 1902/03/15 new LRD.

DUN-120 TORONTO/ONT 1874/09/03 new LRD.

DUN-133 TORONTO./CANADA. to correct an error LRD 1880/10/01, R.S. 3 only.

DUN-134 TORONTO./CANADA. to correct an error ERD 1880/11/19, R.S. now 6.

Bill Longley reports -

DMB-86 DURBAN/MAN. 1965/08/03 new LRD by 4 years.

DMB-113 FLIN FLON/MAN. AM/1939/05/17 new TM.

DMB-314 SOUTH ST. VITAL/MAN 1954/05/10/PM 1st recorded strike TM & year date reversed.

DMB-317 STEINBACH/MAN. -/1954/06/07 new LRD & 2nd recorded.

DNB-30 DORCHESTER/N.B. 1954/04/26 new ERD.

DNS-12 ANNAPOLIS ROYAL/N.S. 1938/08/23 new ERD.

DPQ-169 CHELSEA/P.Q. 1953/04/30 new ERD.

DPQ-188 CORTEREAL/P.Q. 1967/05/27 new LRD.

DPQ-192 CROYDON/P.Q. 1954/05/06 1st recorded strike.

DPQ-391 LACHUTE/P.Q. 1953/05/23 new LRD

DPQ-674 MONTREAL CANADA/STATION H new TM 18.

Don Wilson sent along a number of St. Johns, Newfoundland A9 duplexes, which has resulted in a new listing DUN-30A as follows:

DNF-30A II A9 22.5mm N.I.P.B. 1901/10/03 1902/04/15 AM,PM 4 (R.S.) DASH BETWEEN 'T-J', DOT UNDER SHORT STAFF OF 'T' OF 'ST'.

As a result I have revised the dates and R.S. for DNF-31 as follows:

DNF-31 ERD 1902/11/18, LRD 1903/09/15 R.S. 3.

I found the following new listing in a group of non descript postcards which had come in for auction:

DSA-580A NORTH BATTLEFORD/SASK II A9 22mm N.I.P.B. 1907/07/19 AM

It pays to check every strike!

Finally I would like to have a duplex study group meeting at BNAPEX '94, September 29 - October 1st in Burlington. Anyone have program ideas?

PLEASE SEND ME ANY AND ALL CHANGES!

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