### 4.3 PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

## CHARLOTTETOWN, PEI

Strikes Off-Cover: 2961
Strikes On Cover: 361
Rarity Factor (RF): 7.5


Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
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| Proofed | Unknown |  | Proofing date estimated as SP 6/93 since proof book mutilated on that date |
| 1 | -/SP 8/93 | -/AU 20/98 | • ERD: HB5 <br> •Second earliest dated -/SP 11/93 on a 1c QV postal card EB-2020 <br> - LRD: HB5 |
| 2 | 1/NO 21/98 |  | Isolated strike, RA-7 |
| 3 | ?/MY 26/00 | PM/JU 13/00 | - ERD: RA-7; LRD: RA-7 <br> - These 2 strikes plus 2 Map stamp covers dated ?/JU ?/00 (ML174-143, RW-24) <br> and ?/?? ??/?? (JSNP-554) |

Time Marks/Arrangement: An article by Doug Murray detailing the complex time mark use (normal date arrangement) in
Charlottetown can be found in BNAT475-38

- An earlier study on this topic by Laird can be found in BNAT247-204
- Complex chronology with AM/PM, 1-3 normal (see Table below)
- 5, blank and O (capital o not a zero) abnormal (see Table below)
- Other abnormal TM known: 22, and inverted 2, inverted 5, inverted 7, AM and PM (see Error Table below)
- Possible that inverted 5 was used as a 2, and inverted 7 used as a 1
- Relative percentages: $2=52.9 \%, \mathrm{PM}=25.2 \%, \mathrm{AM}=7.1 \%, 3=6.0 \%, 1=5.4 \%$, blank $=1.3 \%$, inv $2=0.7 \%, 22=0.6 \%$, inv $5=0.3 \%$, others $=0.5 \%$ (based on 1073 strikes)
- Matched pairs: numerous matched pairs, especially in AP-NO 97 (frequently on 3c Jubilees), are known
- Matched triples:
- AM/1/2 on JY 7/97
- AM/2/3 on JY 24/97, AU 23/97, SP 30/97, MY 14/98 (RA-75)
- 1/2/3 on JY 30/97 (RA-75)
- blank/1/2 on SP 29/97
- 1/3/inv 5 on NO 22/97

Time Marks During Period 1 of Use: adapted from BNAT475-38

| Dates | Normal Use | Uncommon | Abnormal |
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| SP 93 to JY 95 | 1,2 (2 most common) | PM, 3 | blank, inv 2, inv 7, 22 |
| AU 95 to MY 97 | AM, PM (PM most common) | $1,2,3$ | blank, inv PM |
| JU 97 to NO 97 | AM, 2, 3 | 1 | blank, inv 2, 5, inv 5 |
| DE 97 to MR 98 | AM, 2 (2 most common) | 1,3 | blank, O (capital o, not a zero) |
| AP 98 | AM, PM (PM most common) | None | None |
| MY 98 to AU 98 | 2 | AM, PM, 1, 3 | blank, 5 |

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest: many errors reported, some of which are listed here, but others certainly exist

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| $\underline{22 / O C ~ 11 / ? ? ~}$ | 22 TM | RA-116 |
| $2 / \underline{\text { DE } / 93}$ | Inverted 2 in day and day precedes month |  |
| $2 / \underline{16 \mathrm{ED} / 93}$ | Inverted month and day precedes month |  |


| AM/AP 24/94 | Sideways 4 in day | On a 1c QV postal card, and a backstamp RA-96 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2/UJ 6/94 | Inverted month |  |
| 2/UJ 7/94 | Inverted month | RA-116 |
| 22/JU 9/94 | 22 TM | HB5 |
| 2/JU 7/94 | Month inverted | On a 3c SQ RA-66 |
| 1/JY 12/94 | Prone 1 TM | RA-112 |
| 7/OC 23/94 | Inverted 7 TM | On a 3c SQ cover BNAT329-282 |
| 2/DE 12/94 | Inverted 2 TM | HB5, also on MR 8/95 and JY 9/97 |
| 2/MR 8/95 | Inverted 2 TM | RA-97 |
| 1/8 AU 7/95 | Probably AU 8 intended | On a 3c SQ RA-91 |
| 22/AU 28/95 | 22 TM | HB5 |
| AM/01 SP/95 | Day reversed and precedes month | HB5, on cover with markings showing SP 10 |
| MP/OC 22/95 | Inverted PM TM | - 2 copies on 3c SQ RA-66, RLNB1-1304 <br> - Also on JU 18/96, FE 27/97, FE 28/97 |
| MA/MY 28/96 | Inverted AM TM | RA-116 |
| AM/JU $\underline{56 / 96}$ | Inverted 5 in day, probably '26' intended | RA-116 |
| PM/1 CO/96 | Inverted month/day line | On a 3c SQ, and a 1c QV postal card STK2-1213 |
| PM/1 ON/96 | Inverted month/day line |  |
| PM/FE 23/97 | Inverted PM TM | On a 1c SQ RA-66 |
| PM/FE 28/97 | Inverted PM TM | RA-39 |
| $\underline{5 / N O} 2 / 97$ | Inverted 5 TM | - Backstamp on a postal card <br> - Also on NO 6, NO 22 and AU 11 <br> - Known corrected 5/AU 11/97 |
| MA/AP 2/97 | Inverted AM TM | HB5, also on AP 25/97 |
| $\underline{\underline{2} / \mathrm{JY} \mathrm{9/97}}$ | Inverted 2 TM | On 3c Jubilee RA-66 |
| 5/AU 11/97 | Inverted 5 TM | Receiver on a 3c Jubilee cover RLNB1-1304 |
| O/MR 31/98 | Capital 'O' TM, not a zero | On a 1c Jubilee postal card BNAT279-148 |
| 2/MY ??/9 | Single digit year for 98 | On cover RA-21 |

- Especially noticeable on Jubilees, the ' 8 ' slug used in the day (8th, 18th, 28th) prints very faintly - appears to be a short slug

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 2c RLS | Y | Dated AM/DE 4/95 RA-110 |
| Large Queen | $12-1 / 2 \mathrm{c}, 15 \mathrm{c}$ | $12-1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$ first report dated $2 / \mathrm{JU} 26 / 94 \mathrm{RA}-159$ |
| Widow Weed | 20 c |  |
| Small Queen | $1 / 2 \mathrm{c}, 1 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{c}, 3 \mathrm{c}, 5 \mathrm{c}, 6 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}, 10 \mathrm{c}$ | •6c: first report with partial date RA-131 <br> - 8c: an 8c SQ registered cover bearing all 3 PEI Squared Circles listed <br> in STK1-3194 (Georgetown dispatch -/JA 25/98, Charlottetown transit <br> 1/JA 26/98, Summerside receiver -/JA 27/98) |


| Jubilee | $1 / 2 \mathrm{c}, 1 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{c}, 3 \mathrm{c}, 5 \mathrm{c}, \$ 1$ | 3c: $337 \mathrm{OC}, 46 \mathrm{C}$ <br> 1/2c first report dated 2/DE 16/97 RA-160 <br> $\$ 1$ first report light strike on stamp dated ?/AP 25/98 RA-152 |
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| QV Leaf | $1 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{c}, 3 \mathrm{c}, 5 \mathrm{c}, 6 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}$ |  |
| QV Numeral | $1 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{cp}, 3 \mathrm{c}$ |  |
| $\mathbf{1 8 9 8}$ Map | Y | • 0 OC, 2 C <br> - One cover a backstamp with unknown date (JSNP-554) <br> - Second a cancelling strike dated JU ?/00 (ML174-143, EIPP-24) |
| 5c RLS | Y |  |
| Envelope | $1 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{c}, 3 \mathrm{c}$ | 3c first report dated PM/JA 21/95 RA-14 <br> 2c first report on 2c Newfoundland UPU dated 2/JA 26/95 RA-156 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c |  |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y |  |

1/JA 26/98


O/MR 31/98


7/OC 23/94

-/SP 11/93


## GEORGETOWN, PEI

Strikes Off-Cover: 249
Strikes On Cover: 62
Rarity Factor (RF): 30

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Proofed | -/NO 21/94 |  |  |
| 1 | $-/ D E 1 / 94$ | $-/$ MY 15/03 | - ERD: HB5 <br> - Second earliest report -/JA 12/95 <br> - LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement
Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
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| -/ON 01/99 | Inverted month and zero spacer | HB5 |


| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Small Queen | $1 \mathrm{c}, 2 \mathrm{c}, 3 \mathrm{c}, 5 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}$ | - 8c: an 8c SQ registered cover bearing all 3 PEI Squared Circles listed in STK1-3194 (Georgetown dispatch -/JA 25/98, Charlottetown transit 1/JA 26/98, Summerside receiver -/JA 27/98) |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c, 3c. 5 c | - 1c: example on cover with 11X1c dated -/JY 2/97 with Charlottetown SC receiver STK1-3191, RA-127 <br> - 3c: 33 OC, 4 C <br> - 5c first report dated -/SP 10/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 3c |  |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c, 1c,2cp,2cr,2/3c,3c,7c | 2/3c first report dated -/AU 11/99 RA-150 |
| 1898 Map | Y | 5 OC, 5 C |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c |  |

-/JY 2/97



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| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Proofed | $-/$ NO 11/93 |  |  |
| 1 | $-/$ NO 14/93 | $-/$ JU 23/00 | • ERD: HB5 <br> •Second earliest report -/NO 16/93 on a 2c SQ RA-149 <br> • LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

- Single AM TM known dated AM/JA 22/98 RA-18

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
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| $-/$ NO 2?/86 | Year error 86 for 96 | RA-41 |


| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Widow Weed | 20c |  |
| Small Queen | 1c,2c, 3c, $5 \mathrm{c}, 6 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}, 10 \mathrm{c}$ | - 2c first report dated -/NO 16/93 RA-149 <br> - 5c: first report dated -/OC 24/97 on a pair RA-143 <br> - 6c: first report dated -/MR 12/94 RA-125 <br> - 8c: an 8c SQ registered cover bearing all 3 PEI Squared Circles listed in STK1-3194 (Georgetown dispatch -/JA 25/98, Charlottetown transit 1/JA 26/98, Summerside receiver -/JA 27/98) |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c, 3c, 5c, 8c, 10c | - 3c: 4 OC, 4 C <br> - Off-cover dated -/JU 23/97, -/JY 2/97, -/JY 15/97, -/AU 23/97 <br> - One of the 3c covers also franked with a 5c Jubilee dated -/JU 28/97 RA-127 <br> - Other 3c covers dated -/JY 9/97, -/AU 14/97, -/AU 18/97 (backstamp receiver on a registered cover with a pair of 3c Jubilees and a pair of 1c SQ EAMR2020-1969) <br> - 8c: first report dated -/JU 2/97 <br> - 10c: first report dated -/FE 18/98 RA-120, EB-2019 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,2c, 3c, $5 \mathrm{c}, 6 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}$ | 6c first report dated -/DE 13/98 RA-150 |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c, $5 \mathrm{c}, 8 \mathrm{c}, 2 / 3 \mathrm{c}$ |  |
| 1898 Map | Y | - 4 OC, 1 C <br> - Cover is a receiving backstamp dated -/DE 28/98 EARB-370 |
| 5¢ RLS | Y |  |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c,2c |  |


-/JA 27/98

-/FE 18/98

-/OC 24/97


