HAGERSVILLE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 508 Strikes On Cover: 58 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/JA 16/93 | | |
| 1 | -/JA 28/95 | -/JU 13/98 | ERD: on a 3c SQ EAMW-366 Second latest report dated -/JU 9/98 on a 3c Leaf RA-122 LRD: on a 8c Leaf RA-139 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c | 6c first report dated -/OC ?/97 RA-159 |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c | 2c: first report dated AM/JY 24/97 RA-120 3c: 45 OC, 3 C Registered cover with 3c + 5c Jubilee dated -/JY 16/97 MBJH-2101 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,8c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c,2c | |

-/JY 16/97

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-/MR 16/95 (STK1-3351)

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HAMILTON, CANADA

Strikes Off-Cover: 4910 Strikes On Cover: 261 Rarity Factor (RF): 7.5



| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|---------------------|--|
| Proofed | 19/DE 15/94 | | |
| 1 | 20/DE 15/94 | 18/OC 9/96 | ERD: HB5 Note that Ludlow thought this an improbable but not impossible strike since it would have been 1h after the proof strike (see RA-45) Second earliest report dated 18/DE 17/94 RA-45 Second latest report dated 12/AP 13/96 RA-45, TM 11 also on this day (HB5 reports "Isolated use on 19/AP 15/96 and 4/OC 4/96" (are these unconfirmed reports?)) LRD: on a strip of 3 x 1c SQ BNAT251-12 Note that Ludlow suggests that this the year is not '96' bus is an inverted year '95' strike (see RA-45) |
| 2 | 19/FE 26/13 | 9/AU 20/14 | ERD: on a pair of Admiral stamps RA-31, RA-62 LRD: on an Admiral issue A strike dated 16/AU 2/?? on a 1/2c Quebec Tercentenary (issued 1908) was reported (Banfield BNAPEX 2018 exhibit) |
| 3 | 11/AP 15/15 | 15/NO 18/ <u>91</u> | ERD: on a 1c Admiral LRD: inverted year error for '16' on an Admiral issue RA-45 3 strikes only, including 17/NO 18.15 on 1c Admiral |

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

Time Marks/Arrangement: hourly numerals 1-24, normal date arrangement

- Single blank TM known dated -/JA 4/95 on a 3c SQ piece STK1-3353
- For an article on the Hamilton hammer including Time Mark abundance, see BNAT196-316, BNAT208-11 and HB3
- The table below records the Time Mark abundances reported in the HB5 roster (1320 strikes) and HB3 (about 2000 strikes)

| тм | HB5 | HB3 |
|----|------|------|----|------|------|----|------|------|----|------|------|
| 1 | 0.2% | rare | 7 | 0.1% | rare | 13 | 4.5% | 4.5% | 19 | 13% | 12% |
| 2 | 0.1% | rare | 8 | 0.2% | 0.5% | 14 | 5.7% | 5.5% | 20 | 1.3% | 1% |
| 3 | 0.1% | - | 9 | 1.6% | 1% | 15 | 3.6% | 5% | 21 | 0.5% | rare |
| 4 | 0.2% | rare | 10 | 1.6% | 2% | 16 | 6.7% | 7.5% | 22 | 0.5% | 0.5% |
| 5 | 0.1% | - | 11 | 5.4% | 5% | 17 | 12% | 15% | 23 | 0.5% | 1% |
| 6 | - | rare | 12 | 5.7% | 6% | 18 | 37% | 33% | 24 | 0.5% | rare |

• A Time Mark analysis during the Admiral Period (Periods 2&3) can be found in BNAT332-51

• This article reports no examples of TM 1-8 but RA-121 reports 3 examples of TM 1 including **1/AP 11/14** on a 1c Admiral post card, RA-27 reports 1/AP 10/14 on an Admiral post card, and RLJS-350 reports **1/DE 3/13** on a 1c Admiral drop letter cover

• In RA-72, Arnold updated the BNAT study and compared the TM frequency distribution on 2100 strikes (from all periods, compiled by Ludlow) to the frequency distribution on 94 strikes during the Admiral Period (Period 2,3)

 An update of his study also reports no examples of TM 2-8 or 21 in the Admiral period (see Table below) but does report 3 TM 1 strikes

| ТМ | Ludlow | Arnold | ТМ | Ludlow | Arnold | ТМ | Ludlow | Arnold |
|----|--------|--------|----|--------|--------|----|--------|--------|
| 7 | 0.5% | none | 13 | 4.5% | 5.3% | 19 | 12% | 12.8% |
| 8 | 0.5% | none | 14 | 5.5% | 8.5% | 20 | 1% | 2.1% |
| 9 | 1% | 4.3% | 15 | 5% | 5.3% | 21 | 0.5% | none |
| 10 | 2% | 6.4% | 16 | 7.5% | 3.2% | 22 | 0.5% | 4.3% |
| 11 | 5% | 3.2% | 17 | 14.5% | 5.3% | 23 | 1% | 10.6% |
| 12 | 6% | 3.2% | 18 | 33% | 13.8% | 24 | 0.5% | 8.5% |

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| <u>3</u> /MY 27/95 | Rare TM 3 is an overstrike on TM 2 | On a 3c SQ RA-84No doubling of other markings on hammer |
| <u>21</u> /?Y 13/95 | Inverted time mark | HB5 |
| TM/OC 9/ <u>95</u> | Inverted year | Occurs on 3c SQ with TM 11, 14, 16, 17, 18 RA-45, and on a 1c QV postal card JHE Normal year 95 on OC 8 and 10 RA-45 |
| 19/AP <u>4</u> /96 | Inverted day | On a 3c SQ STK2-1145 |
| JUN, JUL/13,14 | Borrowed indicia, 3-letter months | Occur in 1913 and 1914 HB5 |
| 15/NO 18/ <u>91</u> | Inverted year for 16 | Similar to the inverted year error in 95 RA-45 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | |
| Widow Weed | 20c,50c | 50c: first report dated 12/DE 31/95 |
| Small Queen | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,8c,10c | 1/2c: first reports dated 14/MR 25/96, 14/SP 13/95 and 11/OC 9/96 RA-134 |
| Jubilee | 5c,8c,10c | 5c: dated 19/AP 28/13 HB5 8c: dated 18/OC 8/13 RA-99 10c: first report out of period dated 16/AU 23/13 RA-135 |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c | |
| QueTercentenary | 1/2c | First report 16/AU 2/? (Banfield BNAPEX 2018 exhibit) |
| Admiral | Y | Strikes documented on Admirals in each month during Period 2 |
| 10¢ SD | Y | |
| Envelope | 2c,3c | 2c: first report dated 18/OC 17/95 RA-152 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Letter Card | 3с | |

24/<u>JUL</u> 5/13







JOE 25/93 (STK1-3352)



"18/OC 9/96"

1/DE 3/13

AFTER 5 DAYS RETURN TO GREAT NORTH WESTERN TELEGRAPH CO. AT OFFICE OF MAILING Ju. a.Bruce . + Co City

HARRISTON, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 271 Strikes On Cover: 60 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/AU 23/93 | | |
| 1 | -/AU 29/93 | -/AU 6/01 | ERD: on a 3c SQ cover STK1-3355, RA-21, RA-42 Second latest report -/AP 7/00 HB5 LRD: only 1901 strike BNAT294-270 |
| 2 | -/NO 1/04 | | Single isolated strike BNAT311-94 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|------------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c | 3c: 40 OC, 3 C |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,3c,6c,8c | 1/2c first report dated -/AP 8/98 RA-161 6c first report dated -/AP 14/? RA-158 |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cr,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 2 OC, 1 C Off-cover strikes dated -/JU 9/99 and -/SP 1- /99 Cover dated -/SP 1?/99 RA-117 |
| Edward | 2c | |
| 5¢ RLS | Υ | |
| Envelope | 3с | First report dated -/MY 4/94 RA-153 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | First report dated -/JY 20/97 RA-149 |

-/AU 29/93

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HAWKESBURY, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 190 Strikes On Cover: 20 Rarity Factor (RF): 35

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| Proofed | -/JA 25/94 | | |
| 1 | -/JA 27/94 | -/AU 2/97 | ERD: on a pair of 3c SQ STK1-3600, JHE LRD: on a 3c Jubilee RA-46, RA-51 Note that RA-53 reports strikes on -/AU 22/97 (on a 3c Jubilee), and -/MR 18/98 that are "unconfirmed" Strikes are generally of poor quality |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c | |
| Jubilee | Зс | 3c: 1 OC, 0 C Strike dated -/AU 2/97, the LRD RA-46, RA-51 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/JA 27/94

-/SP 3/95 (STK1-3357)







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HUMBERSTONE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 178 Strikes On Cover: 26 Rarity Factor (RF): 35



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/DE 16/93 | | |
| 1 | -/JA 2/94 | -/MR 28/98 | ERD: on a 3c SQ STK2-1144 Note that the LRD reported in HB5 as -/NO 18/98 on a 3c SQ cover is incorrect and should be -/NO 18/95 (doubled strike) STK1-3360 LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank (a few PM in early 1895), normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| -/ <u>2 OC</u> /97 | Inverted 2 and day precedes month | On a 3c Jubilee RA-97 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c | 2c: first report dated -/?U 18/? RA-125 3c: 32 OC, 2 C 3c cover dated -/AU 31/97 MBJH-2104, JHE |
| 5¢ RLS | Y | First report dated -/FE 9/94 RA-106 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | First report dated -/SP 14/97 RA-159 |
| Envelope | 3c | First report dated -/SP 1?/98 RA-143 |

-/JA 2/94



-/NO 18/95



-/AU 31/97



HUNTSVILLE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 708 Strikes On Cover: 104 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/OC 25/94 | | |
| 1 | -/OC 29/94 | ?/DE 16/99 | ERD: HB5 LRD: on a Map stamp (Lamb offerings list #7, Lot #435) |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Blank | -/OC 29/94 | -/MR 25/95 | ERD: HB5 LRD: on a 2c SQ and a pair of 3c SQ STK1-3362 |
| AM/PM | AM/AP 4/95 | PM/MY 20/99 | ERD: HB5 Example dated AM/AP 13/95 on an 8c SQ STK1-3362 LRD: HB5 Occasional blanks in 96, 98 and 99 |

• Relative abundance PM/AM/blank = 45:38:16 (based on 73 strikes)

• AM/PM matched pairs on 3c Jubilees on JY 19/97 (STK1-3363) and AU 13/97 (HB5)

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|----------------------|--|
| <u>AM</u> /JU 1/ | Inverted AM | On a 3c SQ STK1-3601, JHE |
| PM/JA 25/ <u>95</u> | Year error 95 for 96 | On a cover showing other markings for 1896 HB5 |
| PM/ <u>2 JU</u> /98 | Day precedes month | On a 3c Leaf RA-135 |
| ?/ <u>?2 JU</u> /98 | Day precedes month | RA-108 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|------------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,5c,10c | 3c: 99 OC, 6 C 10c: first report dated -/AU 11/97 RA-128 |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,3c,5c,8c | 1/2c: first report dated PM/MY 20/99 RA-147 |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2/3c,3c | 2/3c: first report dated AM/AU 7/98 RA-145 |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 30 OC, 10 C |
| Envelope | 3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | | : first report dated PM/JY 2/97 RA-146 |

<u>AM</u>/JU 1/--



-/MR 25/95



AM/AP 13/95



-/MR 25/95



INGERSOLL, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 804 Strikes On Cover: 108 Rarity Factor (RF): 15



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/AU 23/93 | | |
| 1 | -/AU 25/93 | PM/MY 13/98 | ERD: HB5 Only one 1895 report on PM/OC 10/95 Second latest report dated PM/JA 31/98 HB5 LRD: HB5 A report in RA-109 of a LRD PM/JY 23/98 was a reporting error for JA 23 JHE |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Blank | -/AU 25/93 | -/SP 5/93 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 Note overlap in late "blank" and early "AM/PM" TM periods |
| AM/PM | AM/AU 30/93 | PM/MY 13/98 | ERD: HB5 Note overlap in late "blank" and early "AM/PM" TM periods Second earliest report dated AM/SP 1/93 on an 1c QV postal card STK1-3364 LRD: HB5 Blank TM known in this period dated -/AP 24/96 on a pair of 3c SQ RA-109, JHE |

• Relative abundance: PM/AM = 3.2:1 (based on 109 strikes)

• AM/PM matched pairs on: JY 19/97, JY 22/97, JY 30/97 (on Jubilees STK1-3600), AU 16/97 (on 3c Jubilees STK1-3365), and AU 21/97

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| <u>AM/JA 18/94</u> | Entire indicia block inverted | On a 3c SQ RA-111 |
| PM/ <u>FF</u> 5/94 | Month error | On a card STK2-1143 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|-----------------|--|
| Widow Weed | 50c | First reports dated PM/AP 22/97 and PM/JA 24/98 on a pair |
| Large Queen | 15c | 15c first report dated PM/MY 17/97 RA-159 |
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,5c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c.10c | 3c: 222 OC, 29 C 10c first report dated PM/AU 30/97 RA-0160 |
| QV Leaf | 3c,5c | |
| 5¢ RLS | Υ | |
| Gov't Post Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Υ | |
| Letter Card | 3c | |

AM/SP 1/93

AM & PM/AU 16/97





-/AP 24/96

PM/JA 24/98





INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 89 Strikes On Cover: 9 Rarity Factor (RF): 50

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Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/JU 20/93 | | |
| 1 | -/JY 7/93 | -/NO 23/95 | ERD: on a 3c SQ RA-134 Second earliest report on a post card dated -/JY 29/93 RA-106 Third earliest report a purple strike dated -/AU 31/93 on a 3c SQ STK1-3600, JHE LRD: BNAT301-155 Early strikes known in purple and blue |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|---------------|----------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,6c,8c | 6c first report dated -/SP 5/94; inverted "5" day date RA-150 8c: first report, on a registered cover with a 3c SQ dated -/MR 19/95 MBJH-2106, STK1-3367 |
| 5¢ RLS | Υ | On a registered cover with a 3c SQ dated -/OC 6/93 MBJH-2105 |
| Letter Card | 3c | |

-/AU 31/93

-/OC 29/94 (STK2-1204)





-/MR 19/95



-/OC 6/93

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IROQUOIS, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 567 Strikes On Cover: 142 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Proofed | -/DE 19/94 | | |
| 1 | -/DE 22/94 | -/OC 11/00 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

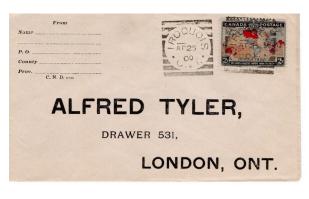
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|--------------------|------------------------|---|
| -/JA 5/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral RA-91 |
| -/JA 20/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | HB5 |
| -/JA 25/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c Numeral BNAT291-185 |
| -/JA 26 <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c Numeral RA-151 |
| -/FE 8/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | BNAT291-185 |
| -/FE 13/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | Backstamp on a Map stamp cover RA-91 |
| -/FE 23/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral RA-83 |
| -/MR 23/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | HB5 |
| -/MR 26/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On a Map stamp cover RA-91 |
| -/MR 27/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c Numeral BNAT291-185 |
| -/AP 6/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral RA-84, and a 2c red Numeral + 5c Numeral cover STK1-3369 |
| -/AP 13/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On a 5c Numeral RA-83 |
| -/AP 25/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On an Alfred Tyler cover with Map Stamp RA-151 |
| -/AP 27/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | On an Alfred Tyler cover with Map Stamp RA-151 |
| -/AP 30/ <u>00</u> | One small zero in year | HB5 |
| -/MY 5/ <u>0o</u> | One small zero in year | On a 2c Numeral RA-68 -/JU 23/00 is normal RA-83 Presumably all dates in 1900 up to MY 5, and possibly later, exhibit the same small zero |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c.5c | 3c: 54 OC, 15 C 5c first report dated -/AU 7/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,5c,6c,8c,2/ 3c | 5c: first report dated -/AU 30/98 RA-137 6c: first report dated -/MY 14/98 RA-120 |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3 c,5c,8c,2/3c | 1/2c first report dated -/MY 23/98 RA-161 |
| 1898 Map | Y | 38 OC, 13 C |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | | first report dated -/JU 24/97 RA-146 |

-/AP 6/<u>00</u>



-/AP 27/<u>00</u>



KINCARDINE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 175 Strikes On Cover: 17 Rarity Factor (RF): 35



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/OC 30/94 | | |
| 1 | -/NO 1/94 | -/JY 18/95 | ERD: BNAT246-181; LRD: HB5 |
| 2 | -/?Y 24/97 | | Single example HB5 |
| 3 | -/AP 6/99 | -/AP 06/99 | HB5 reports the LRD as -/OC 6/99 on a Map stamp but this is a reporting error for -/AP 06/99 that was corrected in RA-110, RA-136 RA-110 also reports a backstamped 2cp Numeral cover dated -/AP 06/99 It is unknown whether the HB5 report of the ERD as -/AP 6/99 is one of these AP <u>06</u> strikes reported as AP <u>6</u>, or if it is another stamp |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|------------------------|--|
| -/FE <u>2</u> 7/95 | Inverted 2 in day | On a 3c SQ STK1-3370, JHE |
| -/AP <u>06</u> /99 | Zero spacer in the day | On Map stamp RA-136, and a backstamp on a 2c purple Numeral cover RA-110 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 2ср | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 1 OC, 0 C Date incorrectly reported as -/OC 6/99 in RA-12, ML174-144 Date incorrectly reported as -/MR 16/99 in MBJH-2107 Date corrected as -/AP 06/99 RA-110, RA-136 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |





-/AP 06/99



KINGSTON, CANADA, HAMMER 1

Strikes Off-Cover: 382 Strikes On Cover: 31 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | 2/OC 6/93 | | Periods of use of Hammer 1 do not overlap with Periods of use of Hammer 2 or Hammer 3 |
| 1 | 2/OC 10/93 | 4/DE 31/93 | ERD: on a 3c SQ STK1-3372LRD: on a 1c QV postal card STK1-3371 |
| 2 | 11/DE 26/03 | 12/DE 26/03 | One day only ERD: RA-39, RA-62, EAFE2009-126 LRD: receiver on a post card from Smyrna RA-77 |

• It is curious that this hammer was laid aside so soon with no evidence of physical wear

• Strikes are uniformly neat, well-inked and well struck

Time Marks/Arrangement: numerals 1-4 (Period 1) and 11 & 12 (Period 2), normal date arrangement • Relative abundance of TM 1-4: 4 = 41%, 3 = 37%, 2 = 14%, 1 = 7%, inverted 4 = 1% (based on 92 strikes)

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| <u>4</u> /NO 29/93 | Sideways TM 4 | On a 3c SQ STK1-3372, JHE |
| 1/DE <u>0</u> /93 | Day error | BNAT305-264 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c | |
| Edward | 2c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Letter Card | Зс | |

Kingston Hammer Separation:

| Descriptor | Hammer 1 | Hammer 2 | Hammer 3 |
|------------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| Lettering | Small round | Large tall | Large tall |
| Indicia bars | Thin | Thick | Thin |
| Dot after CANADA | No | No | Yes |

2/OC 10/93

4/DE 31/93

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11/DE 26/03

12/DE 26/03





KINGSTON, CANADA, HAMMER 2

Strikes Off-Cover: 6120 Strikes On Cover: 353 Rarity Factor (RF): 5



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | AM/DE 28/93 | | Period of use of Hammer 2 does not overlap with Period of use of Hammer 1 or Hammer 3 |
| 1 | 4/JA 1/94 | 1/DE 8/98 | ERD: on a pair of 1c SQ STK1-3372, and a cover with a Warkworth SC receiver RA-16 Second latest report dated 4/DE 7/98 RA-39 LRD: on a Map stamp cover ML137-122, CFSP1999-1072, MSSG13-120, EANO2019-525 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: numerals 1-4 (rare blank, NT, 04 and 14, see table), normal date arrangement

- Relative abundance reported in HB5: 4 = 53.6%, 3 = 24.7%, 2 = 17.9%, 1 = 2.5%, inverted 4 = 0.6%, blank = 0.4%, 04 & 14 = 0.3% (based on 1199 strikes)
- Matched group of TM 1-4: on SP 20/97 on 1c & 3c Jubilees HB2-54, and on SP 22/97 on 3c Jubilees STK1-3374
- <u>Numerous</u> matched sets of 2 or 3 TM are known

| ТМ | Date | Comments/Reference | |
|-------|-------------------|---|--|
| NT | <u>NT</u> /JU 13/ | On 3c SQ MBJH-2108, BNAT332-50, JHE | |
| blank | -/JA 8/94 | HB5 | |
| 04 | 04/JU 6/94 | On a 3c SQ MBJH-2108, BNAT302-181, BNAT321-66, JHE | |
| 14 | 14/OC 26/94 | RA-86 | |
| 14 | 14/NO 26/94 | HB5 | |
| blank | -/AU 2/97 | 2 examples on 3c Jubilees RA-54, RA-110 | |
| blank | -/SP 2/97 | 3 examples RA-53One on a 3c Jubilee STK1-3375, JHE | |
| blank | -/SP 3/97 | On a 3c SQ cover STK1-3376, and a 3c Jubilee RA-129 Note that Jubilee strikes dated 4/SP 3/97 suggests a change back to numeral TM on day RA-53, RA-54 | |
| 14 | 14/JU 16/98 | BNAT302-181, BNAT321-66 | |

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|--------------------|--|
| <u>3</u> /MY 4/94 | Inverted TM 3 | On a 1c QV postal card STK1-3373 |
| TM/ <u>6 SP</u> /94 | Day precedes month | Known for TM 2 on a 3c SQ STK1-3372, and TM 3 on a 1c QV postal card JHE |
| TM/ <u>7 SP</u> /94 | Day precedes month | Known for TM 2 HB5, TM 3 on a 2c SQ STK1-3372, and TM 4 on a 3c SQ STK1-3372 |
| 2/ <u>27 SP</u> /94 | Day precedes month | HB5 |
| 4/ <u>28 SP</u> /94 | Day precedes month | On a post card RA-118 |

| <u>4</u> /JA 26/96 | Inverted TM 4 | On a 1c SQ STK1-3375 |
|---------------------|-------------------|--|
| <u>4</u> /MM DD/98 | Inverted TM 4 | Known on AP 27, MY 13,14,19, OC 8 on a 1c QV postal card JHE, BNAT291-196, and 2 examples on OC 26 on 3c Numerals STK1-3372 |
| 2/ <u>1 7</u> /98 | Quaker date | For 2/JY 1/98 HB5 |
| <u>2</u> /AU 11/98 | Inverted TM 2 | On a 3c Numeral STK1-3372 |
| 4/NO 1 <u>2</u> /98 | Inverted 2 in day | HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | |
| Widow Weed | 20c | |
| Small Queen | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c,10c,20c | 3c: 702 OC, 47 C 8c first report dated 4/JY 24/97 RA-160 10c first report dated 4/SP 22/98 RA-149 20c first report dated 4/JA 17/98 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,10c | 10c first report dated -/?P 12/98 RA-158 |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,3c,6c | 1/2c: on a pair dated 4/DE 7/98 STK2-1206 |
| 1898 Map | Y | 6 OC, 1 C Cover is the LRD of use on 1/DE 8/98 |
| 10¢ SD | Y | |
| Envelope | 1c,2c, 3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c,2c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |
| Letter Card | Зс | |

On a free-franked letter to a member of the Senate dated 2/OC 5/96 STK1-3373
In SP-OC 1981, a rubber-stamp replica of this hammer is seen in connection with a "Canada USA 1000 Islands Local Post \$1" label on covers



4/JA 1/94

1/DE 8/98

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<u>04</u>/JU 6/94

-/SP 2/97







KINGSTON, CANADA, HAMMER 3

Strikes Off-Cover: 3 Strikes On Cover: 2 Rarity Factor (RF): 170



Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

| Strike | Strike Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|--------------|---|--|
| Proofed | Unknown | Period of use of Hammer 3 does not overlap with Periods of use of Hammer 1 or Hammer 2 | |
| 1 | 9/JUL 7/0- | On a 2c red Numeral, assumed year 02 although only '0' is seen RA-106 | |
| 2 | 12/JUL 22/02 | Backstamp receiver on a British 1p KEVII post card from Chester, England STK1-3378, RA-20 | |
| 3 | ?/JUL 26/02 | On a 2c red Numeral HB5 | |
| 4 | 13/JUL 29/02 | Backstamp receiver on a 2c red Numeral cover from Trenton STK1-3377 | |
| 5 | 9/JUL 30/02 | On a 2c red Numeral MBJH-2109, RA-109, JHE | |

12/JUL 22/02



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KINGSVILLE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 2 Strikes On Cover: 0 Rarity Factor (RF): 220



Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

| Strike | Strike Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/JA 29/95 | |
| 1 | -/FE 4/95 | On a 1c SQ JSCK-24, JHE, MBJH-2110, STK1-3025, RA-109 |
| 2 | -/FE 4/95 | On a 1c SQ JHE, MBJH-2110, STK1-3025, RA-109 |

• Two strikes are recorded since they occur on a separated horizontal pair of 1c SQ that was rejoined



LAKEFIELD, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 436 Strikes On Cover: 64 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/FE 20/94 | | |
| 1 | 2/MR 3/94 | 2/AP 28/05 | • ERD: on a 3c SQ STK1-3599 • LRD: RA-112 |

· Many strikes are messy, partial or indistinct

Time Marks/Arrangement: numerals 1 & 2 (rare blank), normal date arrangement (a few 3-line arrangements, see table below)

• Ratio of TM 2/1 = 2.6:1 (based on 68 strikes)

Matched TM pair: blank & 2 on JY 9/01

• Blank TM known on: -/MR 10/98 HB5, -/MR 5/00 HB5, -/NO 7/00 RA-138, -/JY 9/01 HB5, and -/JY 10/01 HB5

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1/OC <u>28/93</u> | Day and year error | For 1/OC 23/98 HB5 |
| DE/23/94 | 3-line date arrangement | HB5 |
| FE/25/95 | 3-line date arrangement | BNAT269-176 |
| FE/26/ | 3-line date arrangement | On a 3c SQ JHE |
| MR/1/95 | 3-line date arrangement | HB5 |
| 2/AU <u>40</u> /97 | Day error | RA-39 |
| 2/AU <u>46</u> /97 | Day error | On a 3c Jubilee STK1-3599 |
| 1/FE 27/ <u>0</u> | Year missing a digit | On a 2c Numeral RA-135 |
| 2/AU 5/ <u>0</u> | Year missing a digit | On a 2c Edward cover JHE |
| -/NO 7/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | RA-138 |
| 2/NO 30/ <u>00</u> | Small zero in year | HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference | |
|---------------|--------------------|--|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,8c | | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,8c,10c | 3c: 31 OC, 4 C Covers dated 2/JY 21/97 EB-2019, 2/JY 23/97 STK2-1206, ?/AU 9/97 MBJH-2079, and 1/AU 14/97 10c: first report dated 1/AU 9/98 RA-125, RA-128 | |
| QV Leaf | 1c,2/3c,3c,8c | 2/3c: first report dated 1/AU 19/99 RA-153 | |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c | | |

| 1898 Map | Y | 22 OC, 2 C Covers dated 2/JA 5/99 EB-2019, and 2/MR 29/99 RLRW-519 |
|-------------------|-------|---|
| 5¢ RLS | Y | First report dated 2/MY 10/94 on a registered cover with a 3c SQ |
| Edward | 1c,2c | |
| Envelope | 2c,3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

2/MR 3/94





2/JA 5/99



2/AU 5/<u>0</u>



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2/MY 10/94

LAMBTON MILLS, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 12 Strikes On Cover: 2 Rarity Factor (RF): 120



Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

| Strike | Earliest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|-------------------|---|--|
| Proofed | -/JA 6/94 | | |
| 1 | -// | Strike date off stamp on a 6c SQ RA-121 | |
| 2 | -/AP 16/94 | On a 3c SQ | |
| 3 | -/NO 13/94 | RA-18 | |
| 4 | -/NO 19/94 | On a 3c SQ STK1-3379 | |
| 5 | -/?? ??/94 | Illegible month/day on a 3c SQ | |
| 6 | -/MR 25/95 | On a 3c SQ piece MBJH-2111, RA-18, JHE This strike was reported in MBJH-2111, RA-18 to be dated -/MR 25/96, but the strike is inconclusive | |
| 7 | -/JU 27/95 | Cancelling strike on a 3 Cent SQ cover BNAT234-145, RA-150 | |
| 8 | -/JY 6/96 | HB5 | |
| 9 | -/FE ?/98 | RA-18 | |
| 10 | -/?? ??/9? | Illegible month/day on a 1c Numeral (issued JU 21/98), year could be 98 or 99 RA-116 | |
| 11 | -/SP 9/?? | On a 1c Numeral (issued JU 21/98) | |
| 12 | -/?? ??/?? | Illegible date on a 2c purple Numeral (issued SP 10/98) RA-18 | |
| 13 | -/JA 5/99 | On a 1c Leaf postal card A date of Jan 26, 1899 appears in the text on the back of the postcard so the day in the strike can be questioned | |
| 14 | -/NO 20/ <u>0</u> | On a 2c red Numeral RA-96 Year '00' shows as '0' | |

HB5 reports that a strike exists on a 8c SQ, but strike date unknown
Strikes are mostly very partial

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Undated 6c SQ



-/NO 19/94



-/MR 25/95





LANARK, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 268 Strikes On Cover: 41 Rarity Factor (RF): 30



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/DE 20/93 | | |
| 1 | -/-E 30/93 | -/DE 8/99 | ERD: on a 3c SQ, partial month must be DE STK1-3591, JHE LRD: on a cut square from a 1c Envelope STK1-3591, JHE Many strikes are partial, showing only 'ARK' or 'RK' 1899 strikes are scarce |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|---------------|---------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,8c | 3c: 29 OC, 6 C 8c first report dated -/JU 26/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | Зс | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 6 OC, 0 C |

-/DE 30/93



-/DE 8/99



LEAMINGTON, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 779 Strikes On Cover: 76 Rarity Factor (RF): 15



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/AU 6/94 | | |
| 1 | -/AU 9/94 | -/AU 17/99 | ERD: only 1894 strike HB5 Second earliest report -/FE 17/95 HB5 Second latest date -/AU 16/99 BNAT291-196 LRD: on a 2c purple Numeral |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| NUDE | Nude strike | On a 3c SQ RA-105, RA-135 |
| -/AP 22/ <u>93</u> | Year error? Prior to proof date | HB5 |
| -/MY 3/ | Year missing | On a 1c QV postal card with other postmarks showing 1895 JHE |
| -/JU 25/ <u>56</u> | Inverted year for 95 | On a 3c SQ RA-68 |
| -/OC 16/ <u>56</u> | Inverted year for 95 | HB5, OC 5/95 is normal |
| -/OC 21/ <u>56</u> | Inverted year for 95 | On a pair of 1c SQ's STK1-3591 |
| -/NO 2?/ <u>56</u> | Inverted year for 95 | HB5 |
| -/DE 7/ <u>5</u> 6 | Inverted 5 in year for 96 | On a post card with other markings confirming 96 RA-114 |
| -/AP <u>31</u> /97 | Day error, impossible day | On a 3c SQ RA-103 |
| -/JA 21/ <u>3</u> 9 | Inverted 3 in year for '99' | On a Map stamp ML206-38 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|------------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c | 1/2c: on a strip of 6 on piece dated -/AP 15/95 STK2-1234 |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,5c,8c | 3c: 77 OC, 8 C |
| QV Leaf | 2/3c,3c,5c,6c,8c | 2/3c first report dated -/AU 15/99 RA-161 |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,3c,8c | 8c: first report dated -/NO 10/98 EB-2021, RA-147 |
| 1898 Map | Y | 44 OC, 6 C Example with 3 pre-printing creases and folds dated -/FE 8/99 SA28-327 |
| 5¢ RLS | Y | First report dated -/AU 18/97 RA-42 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | First report dated -/OC 28/97 RA-159 |

-OC 21/<u>56</u>

-/FE 8/99





-/AP 15/95



-/AU 17/99



-/NO 10/98



Strikes Off-Cover: 2996 Strikes On Cover: 283 Rarity Factor (RF): 7.5



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/SP 23/93 | | |
| 1 | -/SP 27/93 | ?/FE ?/06 | ERD: on a 3c SQ STK1-3381 Strikes after PM/NO 13/03 are rare One 1904 report ?/? 23/04, and two 1905 reports ?/AP 29/05 and PM/MY 1/05 (on an advertising post card RA-123) LRD: only 1906 report HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Blank | -/SP 27/93 | -/OC 3/93 | HB5 |
| AM/PM | ?/OC 4/93 | PM/JY 18/94 | ERD: HB5 LRD: RA-42, note blank TM also exists on LRD Blank TM known in this period: -/MY 19/94 HB5, -/MY 29/94 (3c SQ RA-142) |
| Blank | -/JY 18/94 | -/MY 21/96 | ERD: RA-42, note PM also exists on ERD LRD: HB5 AM TM known in this period: AM/JY 31/94 on a 3c SQ piece RA-142 PM TM known in this period: PM/AU 14/94 HB5 TM 1 known during this period: 1/MR 7/96 HB5 TM 2 known during this period: 2/OC 17/95 HB5 |
| 1 and 2 | 1/MY 22/96 | 2/SP 28/97 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 Blank TM known in this period: -/JY 2/96 HB5, -/JY 9/97 HB5, -/AU 26/97 (on a 3c Jubilee STK1-3381) TM 3 known during this period: 3/MM DD/97 (JY 22, AU 11,SP 22, SP 29) TM 4 known during this period: 4/MM DD/96 (JU 4, OC 22, DE 22), 4/MM DD/97 (JY 22, AU 11 (on a 3c Jubilee JHE, and a 5c Jubilee STK1-3381), SP 22) Use of TM 3/4 usually occurs when both 1's or 2's are used in the day; evidently 3 means 1, and 4 means 2 (see Indicia Error table below) |
| AM/PM | AM/SP 30/97 | ?/FE ?/06 | HB5 |

Relative abundance reported in HB5: PM = 46.8%, AM = 15.1%, 2 = 14.4 %, blank = 13.5%, 1 = 8.6%, 4 = 0.9%, 3 = 0.7% (based on 451 strikes)

• <u>Numerous</u> TM matched pairs have been reported

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 2/AU 17/97 | Struck through cloth | On a strip of 3X 1c Jubilees STK1-3381 |
| 1/ <u>00</u> 5/98 | Month error '00' for 'OC' | On a 3c SQ HB5 |
| PM/(N)O <u>57</u> /(9)8 | Day error | On a 3c Numeral |
| AM/JY 25/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year for '99' | On a Map stamp |
| PM/JY 27/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year for '99' | HB5 |

| | PM/JY 29/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year for '99' | HB5 |
|---|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| | <u>10</u> /OC 9/ <u>PM</u> | Year '01' inverted in top slot and PM in bottom slot | On a 2c red Numeral RA-86 |
| Ī | PM/OC 22/01 | All inverted | On a 2c red Numeral STK1-3381 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---|--|
| Widow Weeds | 20c | First report on piece with 2c SQ dated -/DE 24/95 WB1901-27, RA-144 |
| Small Queen | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c | 1/2c & 2c: first reports on unidentified date strike on piece WB1901-27 |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c,15c | 2c: first report dated 2/SP 1/97 RA-122 3c: 221 OC, 24 C |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c,2/3c | 6c: first report dated -/AP 28/98(?) RA-128 |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c,5c,6c,8c,7c, 10c,2/3c | 5c: first report as a backstamp on cover with 2 x1c Numerals dated PM/AP 23/01 RA-144 6c: first report dated PM/NO 17/98 7c: first report dated PM/JA 31/03 |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 93 OC, 16 C |
| Edward | 2c,5c,7c | |
| 5¢ RLS | Υ | First report on a cover dated PM/JA 17/94 RA-123 |
| 10¢ SD | Y | |
| Envelope | 1c,2c,3c | 2c first report dated AM/OC 14 /02 RA-149 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c,2c | 2c first report dated PM/MR 9/98 RA-159 |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |

-/SP 27/93

-/AU 26/97

PM/(N)O <u>57</u>/(9)8

AM/JY 31/94





PM/JA 17/94







LISTOWEL, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 777 Strikes On Cover: 96 Rarity Factor (RF): 15



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| | Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| F | Proofed | -/JY 21/93 | | |
| | 1 | JY/24/93 | OC/23/95 | • ERD: HB5 • LRD: on a 3c SQ RA-126 |
| | 2 | OC/18/97 | AP/18/00 | ERD: HB5 LRD: backstamp on cover STK1-3385, RA-52 |
| | 3 | JA/19/04 | | Isolated strike that seems questionable RA-52 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: no time marks, 3-line MM/DD/YY date arrangement

• Numerals of 2-digit days are sometimes shifted far to the left and right, eg. JY/2 8/99, or the day line is shifted far to the left, eg. DE/31 /97 (see STK1-3384)

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | |
|------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| 99/2/? | All inverted | RA-82 | |
| MY/-/94 | Day indicia missing | RA-159 | |
| NO/ <u>-</u> /99 | Day absent | Other marking on cover shows NO 2 | |
| NO /2 /99 | Inverted day date | RA-151 | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,20c | 2c: first report dated MR/10/98 on piece EB-2020 3c: 17 OC, 1 C 3c cover dated DE/28/97 |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | 1/2c: first report dated DE/11/97 RA-120 |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c,2/3c,8c | 8c: first report dated DE/22/98 RA-151 |
| 1898 Map | Y | 60 OC, 14 C |
| 5¢ RLS | Y | First dated report AU/4/93 RA-124 |
| Envelope | 1c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Postal Card | Y | Reported dates NO/25/97 (with Goderich Squared Circle receiver) RA-138, and JA/31/98 |
| Other | | Known on unfranked Customs Postal Package Notice Cards (see STK1- 3384 and STK1-3385) |

OC/23/95



MR/10/98



AP/18/00



LITTLE CURRENT, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 372 Strikes On Cover: 81 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/MY 22/94 | | |
| 1 | -/MY 25/94 | -/JY 24/00 | ERD: on a 8c SQ STK1-3388 Second earliest report -/JY 6/94 HB5 Second latest report -/JY 15/00 on a 2c red Numeral cover STK1-3388 LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | |
|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--|
| -/JU 1/9 <u>4</u> | Inverted 4 in year | On a 3c SQ STK1-3599 | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,8c | First report 2c on block of 4 dated -/MY30/95 RA-145 |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c | 3c: 37 OC, 5 C 2c first report dated -/JY 15/97 RA-152 |
| QV Leaf | 3c,8c,2/3c | |
| QV Numeral | 2cp,2cr,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 19 OC, 1 C Cover with backstamp receiver strike dated -/JA 30/99 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Letter Card | 3c | |

-/MY 25/94

-/JY 15/00

-/JU 1/9<u>4</u>



Strikes Off-Cover: 1293 Strikes On Cover: 159 Rarity Factor (RF): 10



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|----------------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/JA 29/95 | | |
| 1 | AM/FE 1/95 | 17/FE 16/00 | ERD: on a 3c SQ LRD: RA-50 1899 strikes are scarce |
| 2 | 24/AU 22/02 | 12/SP 4/02 | ERD: HB5 Backstamp dated 11/AU 25/02 on a 2c red Numeral cover RLWM-1050 LRD: backstamp RA-106 |
| 3 | 1/JA 13/05 | 1/JA 20/05 | Only 2 strikes ERD: on a 1c Edward post card STK1-3391 LRD: on a 2c Edward STK1-3390 |
| 4 | <u>20</u> /JUL 10/12 | 18/NO 24/20 | ERD: on an Admiral issue with inverted TM and 3-letter month RA-84 Second latest strike dated 23/NO 23/20 on a 10c SD RA-104 No strikes reported in 1916, 1919 LRD: on an Admiral cover |
| 5 | ?/JY 10/22 | | Only one strike reported (on an Admiral issue) |
| 6 | ?/FE 19/24 | | Only one strike reported (on an Admiral issue) |
| 7 | 17/JU 7/46 | 17/IX 17/54 | Primarily airmail use HB5 No strikes reported in 1951-52 LRD: on a 5c Wilding cover STK1-3391 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|---|
| AM/PM | AM/FE 1/95 | AM/AU 2/96 | AM common and PM scarce LRD: on a pair of 1/2c SQ on piece STK2-1150 Rare TM 18 known in this period on 18/JY 11/96 and 18/JY 18/96 BNAT264-68 |
| 1-5 | 5/JY 22/96 | 99 AL | Occasional blank, PM and 18 PM reported on PM/JA 2/97 on a 1c QV postal card JHE, PM/AU 2/97 on a Jubilee stamp, PM/OC 5/97 on a 3c SQ STK1-3591, JHE, PM/DE 27/97 on a 3c SQ EB-2021, PM/AU 2/98 on a 3c Numeral STK1-3591, PM/JA 10/99 on a Map stamp cover and another stamp RA-87, RA-50, and PM/JA 21/99 on a Map stamp Blank reported on a Jubilee stamp -/OC5/97 RA48 |
| 6 | 6/AU 26/02 | | As a receiver backstamp RA-112 (this could be an inverted 9?) |
| 7-24 | 9/FE 3/00 | ?/FE 19/24 | ERD: on a Map stamp 24/FE 3/00 also known on a Map stamp and a 2c Letter Card (EB-2020) Used during Periods 2-6 although the strikes in 1905 have TM 1 Abnormal TM 1 known on 1/JU 7/14 on a 1c Admiral RA-74 Abnormal PM TM known on PM/NO 3/00 on a 2c red Numeral STK1-3390 |
| 11,17 | 17/JU 7/46 | 17/IX 17/54 | LRD: on a 5c Wilding cover STK1-3391 |

- Matched TM pairs: 16 & 18 on FE 9/00; 11 & 19 on JAN 7/13; 16 & 19 on JUL 16/17
- Matched TM sets: 10, 17 & 18 on FE 6/00; 12, 18 & 20 on AU 25/02
- The LONDON Type 1, State 2, squared circle hammer was in use during the life of this hammer so matched pairs or sets are possible and have been noted on (doubtless others exist):
 - AM/NO 16/95 (Type 2) and PM/NO 16/95 (Type 1) on 3c SQ
 - AM/MR 10/96 (Type 2) and PM/MR 10/96 (Type 1) on 1c & 3c SQ
 - PM/JY 7/97 (Type 2) and 1/JY 7/97 (Type 1) both on front of a 1c QV postal card (STK1-3389)

Date Description Comments/Reference AM/JY 43/95 Day error On a 3c SQ piece AM/FE 0/95 Digit missing in day • RA-113 reports it is on a cover to England with MR 6 arrival and franked with 2c + 8c SQ The error likely occurred on FE 20 PM/MR 14/86 Year inverted for '98' On a 3c SQ RA-82 Month/day line inverted for 'OC 17' HB5 5/71 CO/98 5/OC --/98 Day missing RA-104 10/5 FE/00 Inverted 5 in day, and day precedes month RA-97 10/6 FE/00 Day precedes month HB5 02/JUL 10/12 TM 20 inverted, and borrowed indicia, 3-letter **RA-84** month 24/JAN 6/13 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month RA-84 11/<u>JAN</u> 7/13 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month 19/JAN 7/13 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month RA-84 1/JU **7**/14 Borrowed indicia, "7" day date RA-151 TM/JUL DD/17 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month Known on JUL 8,11-14,16,18-20 12/OC 25/17 Inverted day On a 3c Confederation STK1-3591, JHE 15/JUN 18/20 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month On a pair of stamps 17/JAN 6/47 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month On 1c + 3c purple KGVI war issue piece RA-84 On a 5c War Issue RA-123 17/JUL 13/49 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month 17/JUL 26/49 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month On a 7c Blue goose airmail RA-66 17/<u>IX</u> 17/54 Roman numeral month 'IX' for 'SP' HB5 NUDE Nude strike On a 1c Edward STK1-3591, JHE

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|---|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | First report dated AM/JU 11/96 RA-47 |
| Small Queen | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,8c,10c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,\$1 | 3c: 4 OC, 0 C Off-cover strikes dated -/OC 5/97 (RA-48), PM/AU 2/97, 3/OC 14/98, and 3/OC 27/98 \$1: year off stamp, possibly 99 RA-119 |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c,6c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 8 OC, 1 C Cover dated PM/JA 10/99 RA-87 |
| Edward | 1c | |
| Admiral | Y | |
| 10¢ SD | Y | |
| Confederation Issue | 3c | |
| 1942 War Issue | 1c,2c,3c,4c,5c | 5c: first report dated 17/JUL 13/49 RA-123 |
| 1946 Peace Issue | 8c,10c,20c | |
| 1946 Airmail | 7c goose, 17c SD | |
| 1949 KG VI | 1c,3c,4c,5c | |
| 1954 Wilding | 5c | |
| Other | 4c Cabot's Matthew, 4c Resp Gov't, 50c Oil, 3c Confederation | |
| Envelope | 1c,2c,10c (air letter) | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c,2c | 2c first report dated AM/FE 23/95 RA-159 |
| Letter Card | 2c | First report dated 24/FE 3/00 EB-2020 |



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AM/FE 1/95



PM/DE 27/97





24/FE 3/00



L'ORIGNAL, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 365 Strikes On Cover: 37 Rarity Factor (RF): 25

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/JA 25/94 | | |
| 1 | -/JA 29/94 | -/DE 21/01 | ERD: RA-60 LRD: on a 2c Numeral RA-116 1899 strikes are scarce |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| -/AU 1 <u>2</u> /97 | Inverted 2 in day | HB5 |
| -/SP 1 <u>2</u> /00 | Inverted 2 in day | HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,6c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c 3c: 33 OC, 4 C | |
| QV Leaf | 3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y 16 OC, 1 C | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/-C 9/--



-/FE 1/94 (JHE)



-/JY 20/95 (JHE)





LUCKNOW, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 377 Strikes On Cover: 82 Rarity Factor (RF): 25

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | Unknown | | |
| 1 | -/JY 30/95 | -/SP 5/00 | ERD: HB5 LRD: on a 2c red Numeral STK1-3394 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| -/ <u>OC</u> 5/99 Inverted month | | On a 2c red Numeral cover JHE |
| -/JA 11/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | BNAT293-240 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|------------------|--|
| Widow Weed | 20c | |
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | 5c: first report dated -/NO 2/97 on a cover with a 3c SQ STK1-3393 |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c | 2c first report dated -/JY 12/97 RA-160 3c: 45 OC, 5 C |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c,8c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 23 OC, 8 C |
| Envelope | 2c | 2c first report dated -/SP 20/99 RA-150 |
| Letter Card | 2c | first report dated -/AP 6/00 RA-154 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/SP 5/00



-/<u>OC</u> 5/99





MANITOWANING, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 209 Strikes On Cover: 83 Rarity Factor (RF): 30



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/SP 1/94 | | |
| 1 | -/SP 5/94 | 19/SP 28/00 | ERD: on a 3c stationery cover STK1-3396 LRD: on a 2c red Numeral STK1-3588, RA-11 12 strikes reported in 1900 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank normal, normal date arrangement

- Exception is a 19 TM in 1900 for a split year 19/MM DD/00, and 19/AP 17/98 HB5 (possible year error for 1900)
- Rare AM TM known: AM/MR 2/97 HB5, FE/1 AM/98 BNAT300-129, AM/DE 9/98 HB5

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|--|---|
| <u>95/DE 16/-</u> | Indicia rearranged YR/MO DD/TM, all inverted | RA-150 |
| <u>FE/1 AM</u> /98 | Indicia rearranged for AM/FE 1/98 | BNAT300-129 |
| -/OC 29/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year for '99' | On cover, other markings confirm 99 HB5 |
| -/NO 26/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year for '99' | On cover, other markings confirm 99 HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c | 3c: 18 OC, 3 C Covers dated -/AU 3/97 EB-2019, -/OC 5/97 EB-2020 |
| QV Leaf 3c,5c | | 5c: first report on a cover with a 3c Numeral STK1-3396 |
| QV Numeral 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c,5c | | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 7 OC, 6 C |
| Envelope | 2c,3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |





-/AU 3/97

-/OC 5/97

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MARKDALE, ONT, HAMMER 1

Strikes Off-Cover: 82 Strikes On Cover: 9 Rarity Factor (RF): 55



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/SP 2/93 | | The 3 Markdale hammers are identified with certainty by date of use The need for 3 hammers in close succession at this small town has never been explained |
| 1 | -/4 SP/93 | -/MY 28/94 | • ERD: HB5 • LRD: on a 3c SQ STK1-3588 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank

- Normal date arrangement, except <u>some</u> early strikes in 1893 up to -/27 JA/94, including the ERD, have the day preceding the month (see example -/17 OC/93 JHE)
- Note that normal date arrangements in this early period are known on -/SP 12/93, -/NO 20/93, -/NO 22/93 on a 3c SQ cover STK1-3397, and -/DE 30/93

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|--------------------|--|
| -/FE 1/ <u>?3</u> | Year error for ? | On a 8c SQ STK1-3588, JHE |
| -/ <u>16 OC</u> /93 | Day precedes month | RA-21 |
| -/ <u>17 OC</u> /93 | Day precedes month | On a 3c SQ JHE |
| -/ <u>7 NO</u> /93 | Day precedes month | On a 3c SQ RA-155 |
| -/FE DD/9 <u>4</u> | Inverted 4 in year | Known on FE 17 (on a 3c SQ cover STK1-3397), 21, 22, 26 (RA-112) |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference | |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | | |
| 5¢ RLS | Y | | |
| Envelope | 3с | | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | | |

-/MY 28/94



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-/NO 22/93

-/FE 1/<u>?3</u>



-/17 OC/93



Markdale Hammer Separation:

| Descriptor | Hammer 1 | Hammer 2 | Hammer 3 | |
|--|---|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| Lettering | Tall (3.5 mm) | Short (3 mm) | Medium (3.2 mm) | |
| к | Top heavy with long diagonal upper stroke | Almost equally spaced between first L and R | Slightly larger than Hammer II | |
| М | Slightly pinched at base | Block-square | Wide, pinched slightly at base | |
| 0 | Oval with rounded top | Round | Oval with upright sides | |
| First A | Point is opposite to top of second left bar | Right leg points to top of second left bar | Points to middle of second left bar | |
| Vertical of L | Points to middle of second right bar | Points to base of second right bar | Points to base of second right bar | |
| Vertical of E | Level with top of date | Well below top of date | Level with top of date | |
| Side dots | At same height above base | Right dot lower than left | At same height above base | |
| Side-pieces Short (6.5 mm), thinner than Hammer II | | Medium (8 mm), thicker than either Hammer I or III | Long (10.5 mm), thin | |

MARKDALE, ONT, HAMMER 2

Strikes Off-Cover: 26 Strikes On Cover: 2 Rarity Factor (RF): 90



Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

| Period | Strike Date | Comments/Reference | | | |
|---------|--------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Proofed | -/JU 6/94 | The 3 Markdale hammers are identified with certainty by date of use The need for 3 hammers in close succession at this small town has never been explained | | | |
| 1 | ??? | Date off stamp on a 3c SQ | | | |
| 2 | -/JU 9/94 | HB5 | | | |
| 3 | -/? 1?/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 4 | -/JU 18/ | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 5 | -/JU 18/ <u>49</u> | Digits of year reversed on a 3c SQ MBJH-2123, JHE | | | |
| 6 | -/JU 18/ <u>4-</u> | Digits of year reversed on a 3c SQ | | | |
| 7 | -/JU 21/ <u>49</u> | Digits of year reversed on a 3c SQ STK1-3398, STK2-1153 | | | |
| 8 | -/JU 22/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 9 | -/JU 26/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 10 | -/JY 4/94 | On a 3c SQ STK2-1152 | | | |
| 11 | -/ <u>6 JY</u> /94 | Day precedes month on a 1c QV postal card MBJH-2122, STK1-3398, STK2-1153, JHE | | | |
| 12 | -/JY 7/94 | On a strip of 3X 1c SQ | | | |
| 13 | -/JY 9/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 14 | -/JY 9/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 15 | -/JY 10/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 16 | -/JY 12/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 17 | -/JY 17/94 | On a 1c SQ | | | |
| 18 | -/JY 17/94 | On a 5c SQ | | | |
| 19 | -/JY 21/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 20 | -/JY 21/94 | On a 3c SQ | | | |
| 21 | -/JY 23/94 | On a 3c SQ MBJH-2123, JHE | | | |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference | |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | | |

-/JU 18/<u>49</u>

-/JU 21/<u>49</u>

-/<u>6 JY</u>/94





CANADA POST CARD THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE Im Q. w. aru u h Hecherton

-/JY 23/94

-/JY 4/94





MARKDALE, ONT, HAMMER 3

Strikes Off-Cover: 285 Strikes On Cover: 15 Rarity Factor (RF): 30



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|--|
| Proofed | Unknown | | The 3 Markdale hammers are identified with certainty by date of use The need for 3 hammers in close succession at this small town has never been explained | |
| 1 | -/AU 10/94 | -/MY 3/96 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 | |
| 2 | -/NO 10/97 | | One report HB5 | |
| 3 | -/JA 30/99 | | One report HB5 | |
| 4 | -/AP 9/00 | | One report HB5 | |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | |
|------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--|
| -/OC 9/ <u>4</u> | Single digit year for '94' | HB5 | |

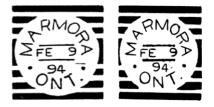
| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference | |
|---------------|---------------|--------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,6c,8c | | |
| Jubilee | Зс | 3c: 1 OC, 0 C | |
| Envelope | Зс | | |
| Letter Card | Зс | | |

-/JA 11/95 (JHE)



MARMORA, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 343 Strikes On Cover: 73 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|--|
| Proofed | -/FE 9/94 | | Note that the proof strike shown in HB5 (above left) was incorrectly enhanced from the original proof book pages, the principal difference being the shape an placement of the first 'R' RA-34 The corrected, strengthened proof strike is shown above right RA-34 | |
| 1 | -/FE 25/94 | -/FE 9/03 | ERD: doubled strike on a 1c QV postal card STK1-3399 LRD: HB5 A report of PM/DE 22/03 (inverted year) on a 8c SQ can be found in RA-68, but the year is not definite | |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank (occasional AM/PM), normal date arrangement • Matched pair AM/PM TM on NO 2/96 on 3c SQ's STK1-3588

- There is an unconfirmed TM 4 dated 4/AU 8/98 HB5

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| -/NO 2/ <u>4</u> | Single digit year for '94' | On a 3c SQ RA-91 | | |
| -/DE 19/ <u>4</u> | Single digit year for '94' | BNAT269-176 | | |
| -/DE 24/ <u>4</u> | Single digit year for '94' | RA-149 | | |
| -/JA 7/ <u>5</u> | Single digit year for '95' | HB5 | | |
| -/JA 31/ <u>56</u> | Inverted year for '95' | On card RA-105 | | |
| PM/JU <u>06</u> /95 | Zero spacer in day | HB5 | | |
| -/NO <u>4</u> /01 | Inverted 4 in day | Free strike on a 2c Numeral piece RA-100, RA-116 | | |
| -/AP 2 <u>3</u> /02 | Inverted 3 in day | Backstamp on a 5c Numeral registered cover RA-102 | | |
| -/ <u>JAN</u> 23/03 | Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month | On a 2c Numeral cover STK1-3399 | | |
| PM/DE 22/ <u>03</u> | Inverted year (year not definite) | On a 8c SQ RA-68 | | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,6c,8c | |
| Jubilee 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | | 3c: 40 OC, 5 C 5c: first report date not discernible RA-137 |
| QV Leaf | 3c,5c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c,5c,8c | 1/2c: first report on cover with 4X1/2c dated AM/MR 3/02 JHE |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 0 OC, 5 C |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Letter Card | 3с | |

-/FE 25/94

-/<u>JAN</u> 23/03





AM & PM/NO 2/96



MARTINTOWN, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 94 Strikes On Cover: 34 Rarity Factor (RF): 45



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|--|
| Proofed | -/JU 20/93 | | | |
| 1 | -/JY 3/93 | -/5 SP/99 | ERD: weak purple strike on a 3c SQ cover MBJH-2124, STK1-3401 Note normal date arrangement on ERD Second earliest report -/24 OC/93 backstamp on a post card STK1-3400 LRD: HB5 | |

Considerable use of registration at this townMany strikes faint, under-inked

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, day precedes month throughout -/DD MM/YY

| Indicia | Errors | and | Indicia | of | Interest: |
|---------|--------|-----|---------|----|-----------|
|---------|--------|-----|---------|----|-----------|

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | |
|---|--|---|--|
| -/ <u>JY 3</u> /93 | Purple strike, month precedes day on ERD | On a 3c SQ cover STK1-3401 | |
| -/ <u>7</u> MR/95 | Inverted 7 in day | On a 3c SQ RA-105 | |
| -/ <u>OC 21</u> /95 | Month precedes day | On a 3c + 5c SQ cover RA-129 | |
| -/ <u>AP 2</u> /96 | Month/day line inverted | On a 3c SQ RA-66 | |
| -/1 <u>2</u> OC/96 | Inverted 2 in day (or inverted 21?) | On a 3c + 5c SQ cover STK1-3401, RA-130, VA336-5779 | |
| -/DD MM/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year in 1898 | Covers with 1898 markings known on 1 AP, 18 AP, 20 AP, 7 JU (on a 3c Leaf cover presumed 98 STK1-3400), 13 SP, NO 8 (on a 3c Jubilee cover EB-2020), 21 NO (on a 8c Numeral registered cover RLNB2-1841) | |
| -/ <u>NO 8/9</u> | Month precedes day, single digit year for '98' | On a 3c Numeral cover EB-2020 Year confirmed by Toronto receiver backstamp | |
| -/DD MM/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year in 1899 | Covers with 1898/1899 issued stamps known on 14 JA (with inverted '4' STK1-3401, RA-129), 21 FE, 2 MR (on a 2c purple Numeral cover JHE), 25 MR (on a Map stamp cover RLRW- 531), 25 AP (on a Map stamp cover), 27 AP (on a Map stamp cover JHE), SP 5 (STK-3401, RA-129), | |
| -/1 <u>4</u> JA/ <u>9</u> | Inverted 4 in day, single digit year for '99' | On a 1c QV postal card STK1-3401, RA-129 | |
| -/29 JA/ | Missing year, possibly 1899 | HB5 | |
| -/ <u>SP 5/9</u> Month precedes day, single digit year for '99' | | On a 2c red Numeral cover STK1-3401 | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,5c | 3c: 11 OC, 2 C Covers dated -/3 JY/97 EAMW-367, and -/NO 8/9 EB-2020 5c: first report dated -/20 NO/97 EB-2020 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,5c,8c | 1c first report partially dated -/? 7/98 RA-161 |
| QV Numeral | 2cp,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | • 0 OC, 3 C. Covers dated -/25 MR/9, -/25 AP/9, -/27 AP/9 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/JY 3/93

-/24 OC 93



-/1<u>2</u> OC/96



-/27 AP/<u>9</u>



-/<u>NO 8/9</u>

-/20 NO/97





Strikes Off-Cover: 556 Strikes On Cover: 117 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/AP 6/94 | | |
| 1 | -/AP 13/94 | -/SP 5/01 | ERD: on a 3c SQ RA-46, RA-51 LRD: on a 2c Numeral piece RA-60 (also reports SP 3 and 4 on 2c Numerals) Example -/SP 2/01 on a 2c red Numeral STK1-3585 Strikes frequently faint and underinked |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | |
|--------------------|---|---|--|
| -/JU <u>06</u> /94 | Zero spacer in day | HB5 | |
| -/NO <u>02</u> /94 | Zero spacer in day | HB5 | |
| -/NO <u>08</u> /94 | Zero spacer in day | On a pair of 3c SQ RA-96 | |
| -/JA <u>03</u> /95 | Zero spacer in day | HB5 | |
| -/JA <u>09</u> /95 | Zero spacer in day | On a cover with a pair of 1c SQ and a 8c SQ STK1-3402 | |
| -/MY <u>04</u> /95 | Zero spacer in day | BNAT225-187 | |
| -/ <u>CO</u> 19/95 | Inverted month | On a 3c SQ STK1-3585, RA-109 | |
| -/MR <u>02</u> /96 | 2/96 Zero spacer in day HB5 | | |
| -/OC 14/ <u>6</u> | -/OC 14/ <u>6</u> Single digit year for '96' On a 1c QV postal card STK1-3403 | | |
| -/NO <u>06</u> /96 | Zero spacer in day | HB5 | |
| -/JY <u>08</u> /97 | Zero spacer in day | BNAT225-187 | |
| -/JY <u>09</u> /97 | Zero spacer in day | On a 3c Jubilee STK1-3403 | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|--------------------|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | 2c: first report B/S on cover, dated -/MR 25/99 RA-147 |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,5c | • 3c: 48 OC, 4 C • 5c: first report dated -/JY 29/97 RA-122 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c | 1/2c: first report on cover with 4X1/2 dated -/SP 7/00 JHE |
| 1898 Map | Y | 9 OC, 1 C First report of cover/backstamp dated -/MR 4/99 RA-151 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Υ | |

-/SP 2/01

-/JA <u>09</u>/95





-/<u>CO</u> 19/95



-/OC 14/<u>6</u>



MERRICKVILLE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 730 Strikes On Cover: 88 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/SP 12/94 | | |
| 1 | -/SP 19/94 | NO/29/02 | ERD: BNAT262-16 LRD: on a pair of 2c Victorias RA-91 |

Time Marks/Arrangement:

| TM/Arrangement | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---|---------------|-------------|---|
| Blank TM with normal 2-line date -/MM DD/YY | -/SP 19/94 | -/OC 15/94 | HB5 Also on -/SP 22/94 HB5 note overlapping date with AM/PM |
| AM/PM with normal 2-line date XM/MM DD/YY | AM/OC 4/94 | AM/AP 13/01 | ERD: on a 3c SQ LRD: backstamp on cover STK1-3404 Blank -/FE 20/95 reported RA-74 |
| No TM, 3-line date MM/DD/YY | AU/8/01 | NO/29/02 | ERD: on a 2c red Numeral STK1-3404 |

• Ratio of PM/AM = 63.5:36.5 (based on 96 strikes)

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|----------------------------|---|
| AM/OC <u>02</u> /94 | Zero spacer in day | RA-155 |
| AM/NO 02/94 | Zero spacer in day | RA-161 |
| PM/DE <u>04</u> /94 | Zero spacer in day | RA-112 |
| <u>JY/PM</u> 22/95 | TM and month switched | On a 3c SQ cover JHE |
| <u>JY/AM</u> 23/95 | TM and month switched | HB5 |
| <u>JY/PM</u> 23/95 | TM and month switched | On a 3c SQ STK1-3404 |
| MM <u>0D</u> /95 | Zero spacer in day in 1895 | Known on PM/FE 02 (on a 3c envelope STK1-3405), PM/FE 04, PM/JU 03 (RA-83), PM/MR 05, PM/JU 05 (on a 3c envelope STK1-3405), PM/JU 06, PM/JU 08 (RA-83), AM/DE 01 (RA-83), PM/DE 05 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3404), AM/DE 09 |
| ?/MY <u>06</u> /96 | Zero spacer in day | BNAT225-187 |
| PM/JU 02/96 | Zero spacer in day | RA-156 |
| ?/JU <u>03</u> /96 | Zero spacer in day | On a 3c envelope RA-142 |
| ?/JU <u>04</u> /96 | Zero spacer in day | On a 3c SQ RA-37, RA-83 |
| AM/JU <u>06</u> /96 | Zero spacer in day | On a 8c SQ RA-116 |
| ?/OC <u>01</u> /97 | Zero spacer in day | RA-83 |
| PM/JA <u>05</u> /99 | Zero spacer in day | On a 2c purple Numeral RA-91 |

| AM/JA <u>09</u> /99 | Zero spacer in day | On a 2c Map stamp EB-2021, RA-147 |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| PM/SP 22/9 <u>9</u> | Inverted 6 for second 9 in '99' | On a 1c Leaf postal card STK1-3405 |
| <u>MP</u> /NO 1/99 | Inverted PM | On a 1c Numeral STK1-3404 |
| PM/JA 2/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 1c Envelope (U9) cut square RA-123 |
| PM/JA 3/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 1c Leaf postal card STK1-3405 |
| PM/JA 13/ <u>00</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral STK1-3405 |
| PM/JA 15/ <u>00</u> | Small zero in year | RA-84 |
| AM/JA 20/ <u>00</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral RA-91 |
| PM/JA 31/ <u>00</u> | Small zero in year | RA-84 |
| PM/MY 15/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral STK1-3405 |
| AM/JU 18/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral cover STK1-3405 |
| AM/JU 30/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 1c Numeral RA-91 |
| PM/SP 5/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | HB5 |
| AM/OC 27/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral STK1-3405 |
| AM/OC 29/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral STK1-3405 |
| AM/DE 31/ <u>0o</u> | Small zero in year | On a 2c red Numeral cover STK1-3405 |
| | | |

• Note that the "small zero" variety is likely much more widespread than the above list, but normal '00' is also known (eg. AM/FE 14/00)

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | 15c first report dated PM/FE 15/95 RA-0159 |
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,8c | 3c: 68 OC, 9 C 2c first report dated PM/SP 1/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c,5c,6c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 39 OC, 4 C |
| Envelope | 1c,3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

AM/OC 4/94



AM/AP 13/01

PM/DE <u>05</u>/95







MERRITTON, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 374 Strikes On Cover: 40 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/NO 29/94 | | |
| 1 | -/DE 6/94 | -/NO 14/02 | ERD: on a 3c SQ STK1-3585 LRD: RA-28 Strikes after -/JU 23/00 are scarce (see example illustrated below) Strikes are frequently partial, showing only 'TON' or 'TTON' |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| | Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| F | -/JA 18/ <u>5</u> | Single digit year '5' for '95' | HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|--|---|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c,15c,20c,50c | 3c: 32 OC, 5 C A set of the 11 different Jubilees dated -/OC 30/97 was reported in RA-131 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c | |
| QV Numeral | 2cp,2cr,3c,5c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 0 OC, 4 C Covers are all dispatch free strikes on front and are dated -/JA 3/99, -/SP 30/99, -/FE 9/00, and -/MY 16/00 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/DE 6/94



-/OC 30/97



-/SP 30/99

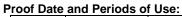
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-/AU 23/00 (STK2-1154)



MILL BROOK, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 37 Strikes On Cover: 5 Rarity Factor (RF): 80





| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|----------------|---|
| Proofed | Unknown | | |
| 1 | -/JU 10/95 | -/AU 1/97 | ERD: on a 3c SQ RA-135 Second earliest strike dated -/JU 11/95 on a 3c SQ, and 1c QV postal card MBJH-2128, STK-3408, JHE LRD: only 1897 strike on a 3c SQ Strikes reported in the following dates/months: 1895: JU 11 (on a 3c SQ, and a 1c QV postal card STK-3408), -Y 1 (on a 3c SQ), JY 2 (on a 3c SQ), JY 3 (on a 3c SQ), JY 8 (on a 3c SQ), JY 16 (on a 1c postal card STK1-3407, RA-11), JY 30 (on a 3c envelope piece), AU 19 (on a postal card), SP 14 (on a 3c SQ), NO 2 (on a 3c SQ), NO 6 (on a 3c SQ cover STK2-1204), NO 12 (on a 1c SQ pair), NO 30 (on a 3c SQ), DE 14 (on a 3c SQ STK2-1155) 1896: FE 3 (on a 3c SQ), FE 11 (on a 3c SQ), FE 24 on a 1c SQ (RA-155), MR, AP, SP 18 (on a 3c SQ STK2-1155, RA-42), SP 20 (on a 3c SQ STK2-1193, could be 1895), OC/?? (could be 1895) |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c | |
| Envelope | 3c | A cut square piece |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/JU 10/95



-/JU 11/95

-/SP 18/96





MILTON WEST, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 594 Strikes On Cover: 74 Rarity Factor (RF): 20

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Proofed | -/JA 29/95 | | |
| 1 | -/JA 31/95 | PM/SP 27/99 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Blank | -/JA 31/95 | -/JA 24/96 | LRD: on a 3c SQ JHE |
| PM | PM/FE 11/96 | PM/SP 27/99 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 |

• Ratio of PM/blank = 84:16 (based on 47 strikes)

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| PM/MR <u>06</u> /96 | Zero spacer in day | HB5 |
| PM/MR 2/ <u>89</u> | Year error '89' for '98' | BNAT314-174 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,5c | 3c: 68 OC, 4 C |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c | |
| QV Numeral | 2cp,2cr,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 33 OC, 9 C |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | First report dated PM/AU 20/97 RA-159 |
| Letter Card | 3с | |

-/JA 24/96





MITCHELL, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 531 Strikes On Cover: 51 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/SP 12/93 | | |
| 1 | -/SP 14/93 | -/AU 12/99 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 Second latest report dated -/MR 11/99 on a Map stamp |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference | |
|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|
| -/ <u>12 NO</u> /95 | Day precedes month | RA-31 | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c | 3c: 51 OC, 7 C 2c first report dated -/JY 24/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 4 OC, 0 C Strikes dated ??? (partial), -/JA 3/99, -/FE 4/99, -/MR 11/99 |
| Envelope | 1c,2c,3c | 1c: first report dated -/MY 23/98 RA-143 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |

-/SP 19//93 (JHE)



-/FE 4/99



MOUNT BRYDGES, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 295 Strikes On Cover: 525 Rarity Factor (RF): 20



| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|--|
| Proofed | -/SP 12/93 | | | |
| 1 | -/SP 23/93 | -/MY 29/01 | ERD: HB5 Second latest report -/MY 25/01 on a 2c red Numeral cover RA-115 LRD: on a 1c Numeral cover RA-137 | |
| 2 | -/MR 23/03 | -/AP 14/15 | Previous Handbook indicates 2 Periods of Use between 1903 and 1915 with no 1907 strikes reported. 1905 strikes dated -/DE 22/05 (RA-115) and -/OC 5/05 (RA-153) are reported 1907 strikes dated -/MY 6/07 and -/AU 7/07 (RA-161) Therefore, these 2 Periods of Use were collapsed to a single Period ERD: the only 1903 strike HB5 LRD: receiver on a post card STK1-3409 | |
| 3 | -/SP 4/16 | | One strike as a receiver on a post card EB-2014 | |
| 4 | -/NO 12/17 | | One strike reported as a backstamp STK1-3409 | |
| 5 | -/SP 20/19 | | One strike reported on an Admiral stamp | |
| 6 | -/AP 20/20 | | One strike reported on an Admiral stamp RA-151 | |
| 7 | -/AU 20/24 | -/AU 26/24 | These 2 strikes only ERD: on a post card LRD: on a post card with 2X 1c yellow Admirals STK1-3409 | |
| 8 | -/JA 22/25 | -/JUN 26/25 | ERD: on 3c Admiral cover STK1-3409 LRD: backstamp on cover STK1-3409 At least 3 strikes including -/MR 26/25 on a 2c Admiral post card STK1-340 | |
| 9 | -/JY 1/27 | | One strike reported on a Money Order receipt STK1-3409 | |

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

• For an article about the Mount Brydges hammer, see BNAT177-65

- Note that in this article, the author states that "I have strikes (Mount Brydges) on cover or card for every year from 1893 to 1915 inclusive"
- STK1-3410 reports "covers and cards, including unrecorded strikes for the years 1902, 1905 and 1907" with no further details provided
- All of the above suggests that the information in the above table likely needs revision and that there is possibly a single Period of Use from 1893-1927 with the hammer seeing only sporadic use in 1915 and later
- RA-74 and RA-121 report uncommon uses of the Mount Brydges hammer in the Admiral period

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| -/ <u>CO</u> 5/94 | Inverted month | HB5 |
| -/MR 1 <u>4</u> /95 | Inverted 4 in day | RA-101 |
| -/AP <u>3</u> /95 | Inverted day | HB5 |
| -/OC <u>2</u> /95 | Inverted day | BNAT285-292 |
| -/MY 2 <u>2</u> /96 | Inverted 2 in day | HB5 |

| -/ <u>CO</u> DD/96 | Inverted month OC | Known on OC 1, 5, 6, 9, 14, 22 (from STK1-3410) |
|--|----------------------------------|--|
| -/NO 2 <u>5</u> /96 | Inverted 5 in day | HB5 |
| -/ <u>9 ED</u> /96 | Month/day line inverted for DE 6 | HB5 |
| -/ <u>6 OC</u> /97 | Day precedes month | HB5 |
| -/ <u>7 OC</u> /97 | Inverted/reversed month and day | RA-149 |
| -/ <u>ON</u> 2/08 | Inverted month NO | HB5 |
| -/ <u>JU</u> 8/10 | Incorrect month JU for JY | On covers with other postmarks proving JY HB5 |
| -/ <u>JU</u> 28/10 | Incorrect month JU for JY | On a 1c Edward post card with other postmarks proving JY STK1- |
| -/ <u>ON</u> 3/10 | Inverted month NO | On a 1c Edward post card STK1-3410 |
| -/ <u>ON</u> 8/10 | Inverted month NO | BNAT226-202 |
| 1913 | Top bar of 3 is missing | HB5 |
| -/ <u>JUN</u> 26/25 Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month | | Backstamp on cover STK1-3409 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|------------------------|----------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c | 3c: 23 OC, 8 C |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,3c,10c | 1/2c and 1c first reports dated -/JU 23/98 RA-161 10c: first report dated -/? 8/98 RA-137 |
| QV Numeral | 2cp,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | • 15 OC, 1 C. Cover dated -/JA 2/99 RA-114 |
| Edward | 1c,2c,3c | |
| Que Tercentenary 1c,2c | | 2c first report B/S dated -/SP 11/08 RA-149 |
| Admiral | Y | |
| Envelope | 3c | |
| Letter Card | 3c | 3c first report B/S dated -/AP 8/ RA-147 |
| Gov't Postal Card 1c | | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |



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-/AU 26/24

-/JA 22/25

-/<u>ON</u> 3/10

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NASSAGAWEYA, ONT, STATE 1

Strikes Off-Cover: 25? (see below) Strikes On Cover: 3 Rarity Factor (RF): 90



| Strike | Strike Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|-------------------|---|--|
| Proofed | -/SP 23/93 | State 1 as issued with normal top and bottom bars Purple strikes known in 1894 HB5 reports 24 off-cover strikes of the Nassagaweya hammer without making a distinction between State 1 and State 2 Since at least 2 off-cover strikes are known to be from State 2, it is possible that there are 22 off-cover strikes of State 1 For a discussion of the 2 states of the Nassagaweya hammer, see articles in BNAT190-126 and BNAT205-232 | |
| 1 | -/0/ | On a 8c SQ | |
| 2 | -/FE 13/94 | HB5 | |
| 3 | -/FE 22/94 | Purple strike on a 3c SQ | |
| 4 | -/FE 22/94 | Purple strike on a 3c SQ cover MBJH-2130, JHE | |
| 5 | -/MR 11/?? | On a 3c SQ | |
| 6 | -/AP 13/94 | Purple strike on a 3c SQ STK1-3412 | |
| 7 | -/AP 18/?? | On a 3c SQ | |
| 8 | -/AP 27/94 | Possibly a purple strike on a 1c SQ RA-123 | |
| 9 | -/JU 8/?? | On a pair of 3c SQ MBJH-2131, JHE, JSCK-27; | |
| 10 | -/JU 8/?? | On a 3c SQ RA-155 | |
| 11 | -SP 18/94 | Backstamp receiver | |
| 12 | -/OC 5/94 | On a 1c QV postal card RA-107 | |
| 13 | -/?? 24/95 | BNAT226-202 | |
| 14 | -/AP <u>3</u> /95 | Inverted day HB5 | |

Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement







-/FE 22/94

-/JU 8/??

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NASSAGAWEYA, ONT, STATE 2

Strikes Off-Cover: 2 Strikes On Cover: 1 Rarity Factor (RF): 200



Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

| Strike | Strike Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|----------------|---|--|
| Proofed | Not applicable | State 1 of the hammer was deliberately altered sometime between AP 3/95 and MY 2/95 to form State 2 where the top and bottom bars have been filed down at an angle to form thin bars resembling the State 2 hammers of Alma and Wingham (see BNAT190-126 and BNAT205-232) STK1-3412 reports that there exists "a 3 page article written by "Sadford Lemming" in April 1977 explaining the history of this hammer, with illustrations, etc." which is not reproduced in the auction listings Strikes resembling State 1 can be obtained by rocking the State 2 hammer back and forth Undated strikes exemplifying this property of the modified State 2 hammer are known STK1-3412 Dated favour strikes exemplifying this property of the modified State 2 hammer are known in black ink on -/SP 7/08 (STK2-1206) Dated favour strike in purple ink known on -/SP 7/60 on a block of 4 1959 5c Women of the World issue STK1-3611 | |
| 1 | -/MY 2/95 | Thin bars on a 1c QV postal card BNAT226-202 | |
| 2 | -/FE 1/96 | On a cut square STK1-3412 | |
| 3 | -/MR 31/96 | HB5 | |

-/FE 1/96















NEWMARKET, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 221 Strikes On Cover: 47 Rarity Factor (RF): 30

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Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/MR 29/94 | | |
| 1 | -/MR 30/94 | -/NO 16/97 | • ERD: HB5 • LRD: on a 1c SQ STK1-3413, JHE |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|----------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | 5c: first report on a cover with 2X5c dated -/OC 28/96 JHE 2c: first report on a CC cover dated -/NO 19/94 RA-147 |
| Jubilee | 3с | 3c: 4 OC, 0 C Strikes on 3 different stamps dated -/JY 17/97, and one with no date |
| Envelope | Зс | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/NO 16/97



-/OC 28/96



NIAGARA, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 325 Strikes On Cover: 52 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|--|
| Proofed | -/MR 9/94 | | | |
| 1 | -/MR 13/94 | -/NO 16/97 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 | |
| 2 | -/MR 14/99 | -/FE 23/02 | ERD: tying strike on a Map cover RA-98 LRD: 2 strikes on facing slips STK1-3416, STK1-3593 No strikes reported in 1900 or 1901 | |

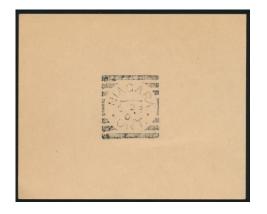
Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|--|---------------|--|
| | | 2c: first report on a 1c envelope dated -/JU 27/94 JHE 8c: first report dated -/MY 7/96 |
| Jubilee 1c,3c 3c: 12 OC, 5 C | | 3c: 12 OC, 5 C |
| | | 1 OC, 1 C Off-cover stamp dated -/MR 16/99 JSNP-572, RLRW-540 Cover dated -/MR 14/99 RA-98 |
| Gov't Postal Card 1c | | |
| Envelope | 1c | |
| Letter Card | 3c | Dated -/AU 27/94 STK2-1156 |

-/MR 14/99



-/FE 23/02



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NIAGARA FALLS SOUTH, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 189 Strikes On Cover: 60 Rarity Factor (RF): 30

Proof Date and Periods of Use:



| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date Comments/Reference | | |
|---------|-----------------|--------------------------------|---|--|
| Proofed | ofed -/AU 25/94 | | | |
| 1 | -/AU 29/94 | -/JA 7/02 | ERD: HB5 LRD: on a 2c red Numeral cover STK1-3414 HB5 reports no strikes in 1900 or 1902 STK1-3414, STK1-3415, STK2-1156 and STK2-157 report multiple strikes in 1900 (eg -/SP 22/00 on a 2c red Numeral cover STK2-1156) to 1902, inclusive Other 1900 reports have also surfaced (-/JA 1/00 (on a 2c Numeral piece RA-123), -/JA 17/00 (on a 2c red Numeral RA-115), and -/AP 18/00 (on a 2c red Numeral pair JHE) Therefore, the 2 Periods of Use listed in HB5 have been collapsed to a single Period of Use | |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--|
| -/SP 12/94 to -/OC 3/94 | Slate blue strikes | Reported during this period HB5LRD: RA-18 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference | |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,6c,8c | | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c | 3c: 26 OC, 2 C Covers dated -/AU 9/97 and -/AU 6/97 (RA-154) | |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,8c | 1c: first report on a cover with a pair of 1c dated -/AP 24/99 JH | |
| QV Numeral | 2cp,2cr,3c,5c,8c,2/3c | 8c: first report dated -/NO 2/98 STK2-1195, RA-135 | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 5 OC, 5 C | |
| Envelope | 3c | | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | | |
| Jubilee Postcard | Y | First report dated -/JY 27/97 RA-159 | |

-/SP 22/00



Miss Ellen



NORTH BAY, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 940 Strikes On Cover: 112 Rarity Factor (RF): 15



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Proofed | -/OC 19/93 | | |
| 1 | -/OC 21/93 | -/JU 28/00 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank (with occasional PM), normal date arrangement

- Ratio reported in HB5 for blank/PM = 4:1 (based on 69 strikes)
- Rare AM TM known: AM/JU 19/96 BNAT289-128, AM/JY ?/6 BNAT289-128
- Rare TM 7 known: 7/AP 16/97 HB5
- Rare TM 8 known: 8/JY DD/96 (JY 6, 10, 13 (on a 3c SQ cover STK1-3419))
- Rare TM 18 known: 18/JY 6/96 HB5, 18/JY 6/97 BNAT300-129

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|---|---|
| -/JA 23/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year | On a 3c SQ cover JHE |
| -/JA 28/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year | On SQ HB5 |
| -/JA 30/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year | On a 3c SQ STK1-3419 |
| -/NO <u>08</u> /94 | Zero spacer in day | On an 8c SQ RA-135, RA-138 |
| -/ <u>J</u> 8/95 | Month missing a letter for 'JY' | On a 3c SQ cover STK1-3419 Cover has 2 strikes, one a free strike with error and one a canceling strike showing JY |
| AM/JY ?/ <u>6</u> | Single digit year for 96 | BNAT289-128 |
| -/MM DD/ <u>6</u> | Single digit year for '96' (other 1896 markings on cover) | Known from JY 25/6 to -/DE 8/6 HB5 Example -/DE 1/6 on a 8c SQ cover MBJH-2132 PM/JY 24/96 is normal year HB5 |
| -/DE DD/ | Year missing in 1896 | Absent on DE 9 to DE 24 HB5 LRD: -/DE 24/ on a pair of 3c SQ STK1-3593 |
| PM/AP 19/ <u>93</u> | Year error for '98' | On Leaf issue HB5 |
| -/AP 20/ <u>93</u> | Year error for '98' | On Leaf issue RA-83 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|---------------|--------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | |
| | | |
| Jubilee | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,15c | 3c: 65 OC, 10 C 1/2c first report dated -/NO 3/99 RA-160 15c first report dated -/NO 3/99 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,5c,8c,2/3c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,2cr,3c,2/3c | |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 52 OC, 3 C |
| 10¢ SD | Υ | |

| Envelope | 2c,3c | |
|-------------------|-------|--|
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Letter Card | 2c | |

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PM/NO 28/93 (JHE)



ORANGEVILLE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 93 Strikes On Cover: 13 Rarity Factor (RF): 50



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | Unknown | | Estimated proofing date -/JY 26/93 since proof book mutilated on that date |
| 1 | -/AU 4/93 | -/NO 13/96 | ERD: BNAT251-12 One strike in 94 (-/DE 10/94) Second latest strike -/OC 27/95 HB5 LRD: only 1896 strike BNAT246-170 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|----------|---------------|-----------------------|
| -/- 5/93 | Month missing | On a post card RA-115 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c | |
| 5¢ RLS | Y | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |

-/AU 7/93 (JHE)

-/SP 4/93 (JHE)

-/OC 31/93 (STK1-3420)



ORILLIA, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 373 Strikes On Cover: 48 Rarity Factor (RF): 25

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Proofed | -/DE 20/93 | | |
| 1 | -/DE 23/93 | AM/NO 19/00 | ERD: HB5; LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Blank | -/DE 23/93 | 1900 | Fairly common |
| 1 | 1/JY 12/94 | 1/AU 1/94 | ERD: on a 1c QV postal card JHE LRD: on a 3c SQ RA-155 |
| РМ | PM/MY 4/96 | 1900 | Fairly common TM ERD: on a pair of 1c SQ STK1-3421 |
| AM | 1898 | AM/NO 19/00 | Scarce TM AM/DE 1?/96 known on a 1c SQ JHE AM/MY 18/00 backstamp on cover RA-155 |

| | DateDescription-/FE 22/ <u>84</u> Year error '84' for '94'? | | Comments/Reference |
|--|---|----------------|----------------------------------|
| | | | BNAT315-204 |
| | 1/ <u>UA</u> 1/94 | Inverted month | Known corrected on 1/AU 1/94 HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|--------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | |
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | 5c first report dated PM/JY 17/97 RA-128 RA-155 |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,6c | 3c: 9 OC, 0 C 6c first report dated -/FE 20/98 RA-128 RA-128 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c2cp,2cr,3c,5c,8c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 4 OC, 2 C Off-cover stamps dated -/JA 26/99, -/FE 14/99, AM/OC 5/99, and ?/OC 30/99 Registered cover dated PM/MR 21/99 RLRW-543, BNAPS32-70 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c,2c | 2c: first report on a UPU card dated -/AP 30/94 RA-144 |
| Envelope | Зс | |
| Letter Card | 1c | Dated AM/AU 13/00 STK1-3593 |



1/JY 12/94

1/AU 4/94





PM/MR 21/99

PM/MY 4/96



AM/DE 1?/96



OSHAWA, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 211 Strikes On Cover: 37 Rarity Factor (RF): 30



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/DE 28/93 | | |
| 1 | -/DE 30/93 | -/SP 15/94 | ERD: on a 1c QV postal card STK1-3594 A partial, possible December strike -/-E 30/93 on a 1c SQ STK2-1239 LRD: partial strike on a 1c SQ RA-99 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| -/MY/94 | Missing day | On a 3c SQ STK1-3594, RA-46 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,8c | 2c: first report dated -/FE 15/94 RA-123 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |



-/-E 30/93

-/MY --/94







OWEN SOUND, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 1211 Strikes On Cover: 152 Rarity Factor (RF): 15



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|--|
| Proofed | Unknown | | Probable proofing date -/DE 20/93 since proof book mutilated on that d | |
| 1 | -/MR 3/94 | A/SP 27/98 | ERD: only 1894 strike HB5 Second earliest report -/JA 3/95 HB5 Second latest report C/DE 28/98 HB5 LRD: On a cover Strikes after JY 98 are scarce | |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Blank | -/MR 3/94 | -/MR 29/97 | LRD: RA-74 |
| A/B/C | ?/MY 14/97 | A/SP 27/98 | ERD: HB5 |

• Relative abundance: blank = C = 32%, B = 20%, A = 16% (based on 101 strikes)

<u>Numerous</u> matched pairs reported

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>C</u> /AU 28/97 | Inverted C | HB5 |
| <u>B</u> /AU 30/97 | Inverted B | HB5 |
| <u>C</u> /MR 16/98 | Inverted C | On a 6c Leaf RA-128 |
| <u>C/MR ?/98</u> | Inverted C | On 1c SQ RA-155 |
| B/JY <u>4</u> /98 | Sideways 4 | On a 3c Numeral STK1-3424, JHE |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | |
| Widow Weed | 20c | 20c: first report dated -/FE 1/96 RA-149 |
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,6c,8c,10c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c,10c,20c | 3c: 175 OC, 21 C 10c first report dated ?/JU 23/97 RA-160 20c first report dated A/DE 13/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,6c | 6c: first report dated C/MR 16/98 RA-128 |
| QV Numeral | 3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 5 OC, 0 C The reported strikes are from HB5, however, no strikes have been reported in the philatelic literature |
| Envelope | Зс | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Υ | |

-/MR 26/97 (STK1-3423)

B/JY <u>4</u>/98





A/JY 7/97 & C/JY 7/97 (STK1-3424)



B/NO 9/97 (JHE)



OXFORD MILLS, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 150 Strikes On Cover: 30 Rarity Factor (RF): 35

Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/AU 23/94 | | |
| 1 | -/AU 29/94 | -/JY 4/05 | ERD: only 1894 report HB5 Second earliest report -/OC 26/95 HB5 One report in 1903 (-/DE 1/03 on a 2c Edward JHE), and 1904 (-/JUN 3/04 on a 2c Edward cover HB5) Second latest report dated -/AP 20/05 on a 1c Edward cover STK1-3426, RA-129 LRD: on a money order receipt RA-102 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

• Single AM TM strike known dated AM/NO ?/99 on a Map stamp HB5

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| -/OC <u>49/56</u> | Day error, and inverted year for 95 | On a 3c SQ STK1-3594, JHE |
| AP/5/99 | 3-line date | On a 2c purple Numeral RA-119 |
| -/ <u>JUN</u> 3/04 | Borrowed indicia, 3-letter month | On a 2c Edward cover HB5 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | 1c: first report dated -/JA 10/96 RA-141 | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c | 3c: 13 OC, 2 C | |
| QV Leaf | 3c,8c | | |
| QV Numeral 2cp,2cr,3c,5c | | | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 7 OC, 1 CCover dated -/MY 2/99 | |
| Edward | 1c,2c | | |
| Gov't Postal Card 1c | | | |

-/DE 1/03







-/OC <u>49/56</u>



Strikes Off-Cover: 394 Strikes On Cover: 53 Rarity Factor (RF): 25



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/MR 9/94 | | |
| 1 | -/MR 15/94 | -/OC 1/00 | ERD: on a 3c SQ STK1-3594 Note that a -/MR 8/ strike on a 3c SQ (blank year reported in MR and AP and believed to be 1894) is one day prior to the proof date, and if an 1894 date, would be the ERD RA-39 LRD: on a 2c red Numeral RA-101 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|----------|------------------------------------|--|
| -/MM DD/ | Blank year believed to be in 1894? | Known on MR 8, 22, 29, 30, and AP 4, 26, 30 (on a 3c SQ STK2-1164) Note that the -/MR 8/ strike is one day prior to the proof date, and if an 1894 date, would be the ERD RA-39 -/MR 15/94, -/MR 16/94, -/MR 22/94 (on a 1c QV postal card STK1-3429), and -/AP 19/95 are normal |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|--------------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c,5c | 3c: 23 OC, 1 C Cover dated -/JY 16/97 5c first report dated -/JY 2/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,5c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cr,2cp,3c | 1/2c: on a block of 4 dated -/JU 12/00 STK2-1164 2cp first report dated -/AP 15/99 RA-151 |
| 1898 Map | Y | 3 OC, 6 C |
| 10¢ SD | Y | Two covers, both franked with 2X1c Numerals dated -/AU 21/99 RA- 127, and -/AU 30/99 STK1-3428 |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | | First report dated -/AU 27/97 RA-150 |

-/MR 15/94

-/MR 22/94

-/AP 30/--



-/JU 12/00





-/AU 30/99



PALMERSTON, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 4 Strikes On Cover: 1 Rarity Factor (RF): 170



Proof Date and Documented Strikes:

| Strike | Strike Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------|-------------|--|--|
| Proofed | -/SP 20/94 | | |
| 1 | -/OC 4/94 | On a 3c SQ STK2-1165 | |
| 2 | -/OC 9/94 | On a 3c SQ HB5 | |
| 3 | -/OC/9- | On a 1c SQ MBJH-2138, RA-109 | |
| 4 | -/DE 28/94 | On a 3c MBJH-2137, SQ STK1-3430, RA-19 | |
| 5 | ??? | On a 1c QV postal card BNAT318-298, HB5 The date was not recorded | |

• When found, the hammer bore indicia -/MY 5/06



-/OC 4/94





-/DE28/94



Strikes Off-Cover: 2973 Strikes On Cover: 200 Rarity Factor (RF): 7.5



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/JU 29/93 | | |
| 1 | 2/JU 30/93 | ?/SP 12/00 | ERD: HB5 A strike 2/-U 30/93 on a 3c SQ could be JU JHE Second latest report D/AP 11/99 HB5 LRD: only 1900 report HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| 1-3, PM | 2/JU 30/93 | 2/JY 27/93 | LRD: RA-102 Example dated PM/JY 24/93 on a 3c SQ JHE Note that defective printing of TM 2 sometimes gives the appearance of a blank TM (see Error table below) |
| A-D | C/JY 31/93 | ?/SP 12/00 | ERD: RA-102 Blank TM known in this period: -/NO 27/97 BNAT264-68 |

- Relative abundance from HB5: B = 40.0%, C = 22.8%, D = 17.8%, A = 17.5%, 3 = 0.5%, 2 = inverted B = inverted C = 0.3%, others = 0.5% (based on 860 strikes)
- A TM study is also reported in RA-50 (183 strikes; incorporates previous studies found in RA-46 and RA-49) with similar relative abundances
- <u>Numerous</u> matched pairs/triples have been reported
- Matched sets of A-D reported in HB5: OC 15/95, NO 5/95, NO 15/95, OC 16/96, and AU 4/97 (on Jubilees RA-102)
- Numerous covers/postal cards are known with both a Paris SC and Paris CDS

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| -/JY 3/93 | Blank time mark | On a cover with a 5c RLS and 3c SQ JHE |
| -/JY 22/93 | Blank time mark | BNAT285-292 |
| SP DD/9 <u>3</u> | Prone/sideways 3 in year | Known on SP 4, 5 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3584, JHE),7 (RA-151) , 8, 9, 14, 15, 18, 20 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3584, JHE), 27 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3584 and a 5c RLS RA-159), 30 (on a 5c RLS RA-91) |
| <u>B</u> /AU 4/94 | Inverted B | HB5 |
| <u>C&D</u> /SP 30/95 | Overlapping TM C & D | On a 3c SQ RA-50 |
| <u>B</u> /FE 10/96 | Prone B time mark | RA-159 |
| A/MY <u>02</u> /97 | Digits in day reversed | On cover RA-113, for MY 20 |
| <u>D</u> /JU 19/97 | Inverted D | On a 1c SQ JHE |
| <u>B</u> /AU 28/97 | Inverted B | On a 2c Jubilee RA-105 |
| <u>C</u> /MR 16/98 | Inverted C | HB5 |
| <u>C</u> /AP 7/98 | Inverted C | On a Letter Bill MBJH-2142, RA-109, JHE |

| <u>B</u> /AP 9/98 | Inverted B | On a Letter Bill MBJH-2142, RA-109, JHE |
|--------------------|------------|---|
| <u>A</u> /AP 11/98 | Inverted A | On a Letter Bill MBJH-2142, RA-109, JHE |
| <u>B</u> /AP 11/98 | Inverted B | HB5 |
| <u>C</u> /AP 19/98 | Inverted C | HB5 |
| <u>B</u> /AP 28/98 | Inverted B | HB5 |
| <u>C</u> /MY 31/98 | Inverted C | RA-108 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | |
| Small Queen | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c | |
| Jubilee | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,8c | 3c: 207 OC, 30 C 1/2c first report dated C/JY 21/97 RA-160 8c first report dated B/JU 19/97 RA-160 |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,3c,6c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,3c | |
| 1898 Map | Y | 57 OC, 10 C |
| Edward | 1c | |
| 5¢ RLS | Y | |
| Envelope | 1c,2c,3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |
| Letter Card | 2c,3c | |
| Other | | On a free-franked Customs Cards STK1-3434, STK1-3437 On numerous Letter Bills STK1-3437, JHE |

2/-U 30/93



<u>D</u>/JU 19/97



PM/JY 24/93



-/JY 3/93



PARIS STATION, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 135 Strikes On Cover: 505 Rarity Factor (RF): 20

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Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/SP 23/93 | | |
| 1 | -/SP 26/93 | -/JU 24/96 | ERD: backstamp on cover STK1-3439 LRD: on a horizontal strip of 3X1c SQ STK1-3584, JHE HB5 reports that 75% of the strikes were transit or receiving marks on covers/post cards |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| -/SP 27/ <u>93</u> | Inverted year | On a 3c SQ STK2-1159, RA-131 |
| -/MR 31/ <u>84</u> | Year error for 94? | Backstamp on cover JHE |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|---------------|--|
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,8c | |
| 5c RLS | Y | First report dated -/OC 4/ JHE |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Other | | On Letter Bills, RPO Letter Bills, and Registration Acknowledgement forms STK1-3438, STK1-3439 |

-/SP 26/93



-/JU 24/96

PEMBROKE, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 300 Strikes On Cover: 24 Rarity Factor (RF): 30



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/MR 8/94 | | |
| 1 | -/MR 9/94 | -/NO 29/98 | ERD: on a 3c SQ RA-59 Second earliest strike -/MR 15/94 on a 3c SQ STK2-1156 LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| -/JY 4/- | Year missing | On a SQ RA-119 |
| -/JY 5/ Missing year | | On a 3c SQ STK1-3582, JHE |
| -/JY 12/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year | On a 3c SQ STK1-3582 |
| -/MM DD/9 <u>4</u> | Inverted or prone 4 in year | Known on MY 23 (RA-151), JY 4,5,8,11,15 (on a 3c SQ cover JHE),16,17,19,20,23,24,25 (on a 3c Envelope JHE),26,27,28,30,-/JY 31 (on a pair of 1c SQ STK-3582, JHE), and SP 5,21 -/AU 1/94 and -/AU 27/94 are normal |
| -/AU <u>88</u> /94 | Day error, doubled strike? | BNAT305-264 |
| -/MY 1 <u>4</u> /95 | Inverted 4 in day | HB5 |
| -/ 4/98 | Missing month | On a 3c Numeral STK1-3582 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,6c,8c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,3c | 3c: 6 OC, 0 C |
| QV Leaf | 3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | Зс | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Envelope | Зс | -/JY 25/94 w/prone 4 (see above) |

-/JY 5/-

-/JY 12/<u>9</u>

-/-- 4/98



-/JY 31/9<u>4</u>



Strikes Off-Cover: 852 Strikes On Cover: 66 Rarity Factor (RF): 15



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|---|
| Proofed | -/JA 30/94 | | |
| 1 | -/JA 31/94 | -/JY 6/00 | • ERD: on a 5c SQ STK1-3582 • LRD: HB5 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| -// | NUDE indicia | On a 3c SQ RA-113 |
| -/ <u>51 YM</u> /95 | Month/day line inverted | RA-31 |
| -/ <u>8 JY</u> /95 | Day precedes month | HB5 |
| -/ <u>AJ</u> 4/99 | Inverted month | BNAT291-196 |
| -/ <u>ON</u> 20/99 | Inverted month | RA-39 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Large Queen | 15c | First report dated -/AU 1/98 RA-42 |
| Small Queen 1c,3c,5c,6c,8c | | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c | 3c: 75 OC, 5 C |
| QV Leaf | 1c,3c,8c | |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c,8c,2/3c | 1/2c: first report dated -/JA 9/99 RA-120 |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 20 OC, 3 C |
| Envelope | 3с | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |

-/JA 31/94

-/OC 25/



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PETERBOROUGH, ONT

Strikes Off-Cover: 2553 Strikes On Cover: 229 Rarity Factor (RF): 10



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|--------------|---|
| Proofed | -/OC 9/93 | | |
| 1 | ?/OC 13/93 | ?/JA 22/95 | ERD: BNAT311-94; LRD: HB5 |
| 2 | ?/JY 22/95 | 1/SP 19/ | ERD: on a 3c Leaf HB5 LRD: no year showing but on a 2c purple Numeral (issued SP 10/98) RA-104 |
| 3 | -/OC 24/03 | -/NO 4/03 | ERD: on a 2c Edward STK1-3445 LRD: on a 2c Edward STK1-3445 STK1-3445 contains 11 2c Edwards with 1903 strikes, all blank TM |
| 4 | 81/JA 20/-6 | | One strike reported HB5Is this 1896 or 1906?? |
| 5 | "13/MR 29/06" | "18/MY 9/07" | NUDES on 1c, 2c & 5c Edwards STK1-3444, RA-142 ERD: on a 2c Edward cover with NUDE Squared Circle killer and a Peterboro CDS showing the "ERD" STK1-3443, RA-59 LRD: on a 2c Edward leather post card with NUDE Squared Circle killer and a Peterboro CDS showing the "LRD" STK1-3445 |

• An article on the Peterborough hammer by Crawford can be found in BNAT212-129

• STK2-1166 lists an advanced collection containing calendar collections for 1895 (286 stamps), 1896 (665 stamps), 1897 (396 stamps), 1898 (130 stamps), and including many matched pairs/sets. It was advertised as "probably one of the finest collections of this town ever assembled"

 The bogus PETERBOROUGH/<u>CANADA</u> strikes on Jubilees dated 4/JY 10/97 (described in HB3-397) are illustrated in RA-123 and below

Time Marks/Arrangement: numeral 1-4 and blank (rarely 5, 6, 8, 44, 81, see table below), normal date arrangement

- Relative abundance from HB3: 4 = 43.5%, 3 = 26.9%, 1 = 17.2%, 2 = 10.4%, others = 2.0% (based on 1100 strikes)
- Relative abundance from HB5: 4 = 47.9%, 3 = 24.1%, 1 = 14.9%, 2 = 9.1%, blank = 3.3%, others = 0.6% (based on 482 strikes)

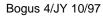
• Numerous matched sets of TM 1-4 exist (see STK1-3444 and 3446, and STK2-1166 for examples)

• In 1893-94, blank TM's occur on Sundays but not all Sundays are blank

| ТМ | Date | Comments/Reference | |
|----|-------------|---|--|
| 5 | 5/MM 11/YY | Two 1's in date; evidently TM 5 = TM 1 on days when an insufficiency of 1 existed Known DE/93 (DE 11/93 on a 3c SQ STK1-3586), MY/94 (on a 3c SQ RA-91), JU/94, and SP/94 | |
| 6 | 6/MM 22/YY | Two 2's in date, evidently TM 6 = TM 2 on days when an insufficiency of 2 existed Known DE/93, SP/94, NO/95, FE/96, SP/96, and DE/96 | |
| 8 | 8/MM DD/YY | Two 4's in date, evidently TM 8 = TM 4 on days when an insufficiency of 4 existed Known JA 24/94 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3445), FE 4/94, FE 14/94, AP 14/94 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3445), MY 4/94 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3445), JY 24/94, SP 4/94 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3445), SP 14/94 (on a 3c SQ), SP 24/94, OC 4/94, NO 14/94 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3445), DE 4/94 (on 1c SQ's STK1-3445), and DE 14/94 (on a 3c SQ STK1-3445); doubltless others exist | |
| 44 | 44/OC 3/94 | On a 3c SQ RA-134 | |
| 81 | 81/JA 20/-6 | Inverted or transposed TM 18, however no other TM 18 reported HB5 | |

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|-----------------------------|---|--|
| 4/?? 2 <u>2</u> /?? | Inverted 2 in day | On a 3c SQ RA-97 |
| 4/ <u>ED</u> 14/93 | Inverted month | On a 3c SQ STK1-3444, RA-101 |
| 1/FE <u>78</u> /94 | Day error, possibly for FE 18? | RA-39 |
| 1/JY 1 <u>3</u> /94 | Inverted 3 in day | On a 3c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| <u>3</u> /JY 1 <u>3</u> /94 | Inverted 3's | 2 copies on 1c SQ's RA-91 |
| <u>4</u> /JY 17/94 | Inverted 4 TM | On 1c & 3c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| <u>3</u> /JY 20/94 | Inverted 3 TM | Multiple copies on 1c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| 4/JY -/95 | Day omitted, probably error for JY 4 | HB5 |
| TM/ <u>03 AU</u> /95 | digits of day transposed and precedes month (for AU 30) | Known for TM 1-4 on 1c & 3c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| <u>5</u> /SP <u>4</u> /95 | transposed numbers, possibly 4/SP 5/95 intended | HB5 |
| TM/ <u>CO</u> 7/95 | Inverted month | Known for TM 1,2,4 on 1c & 3c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| TM/ <u>CO</u> 8/95 | Inverted month | Known for TM 1,2,4 on 1c & 3c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| 1/ <u>CO</u> 1/96 | Inverted month | On 1c & 3c SQ's STK1-3444 |
| <u>73</u> /MR 1/ <u>4</u> | Inverted 7 and 4, presumably 4/MR 1/97 intended | 3 copies on 3c SQ's STK1-3444, BNAT333-76 |
| <u>3</u> /JU 21/97 | Inverted 3 TM | On a 3c Jubilee STK1-3444 |
| 1/ <u>U-</u> 3/97 | Reversed month indicia | On a 1c SQ RA-135 |
| <u>3</u> /AU 9/97 | Inverted 3 TM | On a 3c Jubilee STK1-3444, RA-85 |
| 2/_ 21/97 | Missing month | On a 3c Jubilee RA-135 |
| -/ <u>91</u> ?/- | Semi-nude with inverted 16 or inverted MM DD line | Partial strike on a 2c Edward RA-96 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| Widow Weed | 20c | First report dated 3/SP 12/95 |
| Large Queen | 1c | First report dated ?/AP 22/94 RA-149 |
| Small Queen 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c,1 | | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c,10c | 3c: 263 OC, 21 C |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,3c,5c | |
| Edward | 1c,2c,5c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Envelope | 2c | 2c First report dated -/OC 25/03 RA-152 |
| Letter Card | 1c | 1c first report dated 3/AU 27/97 RA-161 |



<u>5</u>/DE 11/93

-/OC 24/03





"13/MR 29/06



-/NO 4/03





"18/MY 9/07"



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Strikes Off-Cover: 2031 Strikes On Cover: 177 Rarity Factor (RF): 10



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/FE 9/94 | | |
| 1 | -/FE 14/94 | -/AU 22/99 | ERD: purple strike on a 3c SQ SA28-1212, RA-135 Second earliest report -/FE 19/94 in purple on a 3c SQ STK2-1158 LRD: RA-161 Early strikes are known in several purple shades |

• The story of the Petrolea hammer is found in an article in BNAT173-265

Time Marks/Arrangement: blank, normal date arrangement

Indicia Errors and Indicia of Interest:

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| -/JY ?/ <u>84</u> | Year error | BNAT333-77 |
| -/MR <u>-0</u> /94 | Single digit day | For MR 10 based on other markings on cover RA-103 |
| -/NO 26/9 <u>4</u> | Inverted "4" indicia in year date | RA161 |

Hammer Damage:

| Date | Comments/Reference | |
|---------------|---|--|
| Later strikes | Show rounded bottom corners due to wear | |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|-----------------|--|
| Widow Weed | 20c | 20c: first report dated -/MY 13/98 |
| Small Queen | 1c,2c,3c,8c,10c | 10c first report dated -/NO 9/96 RA-0159 |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c,10c | 3c: 135 OC, 21 C 10c: first report dated -/JY ?/97 RA-122 |
| QV Leaf | 1c,2c,3c | |
| QV Numeral | 1c,2cp,3c | 1c first report, partial date in purple |
| 1898 Map | Y | 12 OC, 6 C |
| Envelope | Зс | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Υ | |

-/MR 30/95 (STK1-3447)

-/FE 14/94





-/AU 25/96 (purple strike)



Strikes Off-Cover: 2228 Strikes On Cover: 209 Rarity Factor (RF): 10



Proof Date and Periods of Use:

| Period | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|---------|---------------|-------------|--|
| Proofed | -/JY 28/94 | | |
| 1 | 2/JY 31/94 | PM/AP 28/00 | ERD: on a 1c QV postal card STK1-3450 LRD: on a 2c red Numeral piece STK1-3586 AM/AP 28/00 on a 2c red Numeral cover STK1-3450 |
| 2 | -/JU 8/01 | | Only one strike reported BNAT318-290 |

Time Marks/Arrangement: normal date arrangement

| ТМ | Earliest Date | Latest Date | Comments/Reference |
|-------|---------------|-------------|---|
| 1,2 | 2/JY 31/94 | 1/JA 3/00 | LRD: on a Map stamp RA-4, BNAT361-32 Note overlap of LRD with ERD of AM/PM period Occasionally the TM 2 is cocked at an angle (leaning to the right), possibly due to a loose fitting 2 slug in the upper slot This may have led to a preference after 1899 for the wider AM/PM slugs in place of 1/2 Occasional blanks in this period Abnormal TM 3, 5, inverted 5, inverted 7 are known in 1894-97 (see table below) Ratio 2/1 = 2.5:1 (based on 205 strikes) |
| AM/PM | PM/JA 2/00 | PM/AP 28/00 | ERD: on a 2c red Numeral STK1-3586 Note overlap of ERD with LRD of numeral TM period Ratio PM/AM = 5:1 |

• <u>Numerous</u> matched TM pairs have been reported

| Date | Description | Comments/Reference |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| 2/DE 2/ <u>85</u> | Year error and inverted | RA-39 |
| 2/JA 6/ <u>9</u> | Single digit year | HB5 |
| <u>5</u> /AU 22/94 | Abnormal 5 TM, inverted | Possibly due to insufficiency of 2's HB5 On a pair of 1c SQ STK1-3586, JHE |
| <u>7</u> /SP 11/94 | Abnormal 7 TM, inverted | Possibly due to insufficiency of 1's On a 3c SQ STK1-3586, JHE |
| <u>3</u> /OC 22/94 | Abnormal TM 3 | On a 3c SQ BNAT335-131, RA-117, RLWM-1061 Possibly due to insufficiency of 2's |
| <u>5</u> /JY 22/96 | Abnormal 5 TM, inverted | Possibly due to insufficiency of 2's HB5 |
| <u>2</u> /AU 26/96 | Inverted 2 | On a 3c SQ RA-94 |
| 2/OC 22/ <u>56</u> and later | Defective '9' in year for '96' | Earliest report RA-154 The decade 9 slug is misshapen/damaged, resembling an inverted 5 Becoming increasingly common in 1897-1899, showing as '57', '58', or '59' |

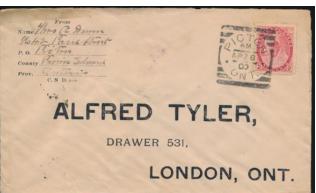
| <u>2</u> /JA 18/97 | Inverted 2 | BNAT291-196, RA-94 |
|--------------------|-------------------------|---|
| <u>3</u> /JY 22/97 | Abnormal TM 3 | Possibly due to insufficiency of 2'sOn a 3c Jubilee EB-2019 |
| <u>3</u> /SP 22/97 | Abnormal TM 3 | Possibly due to insufficiency of 2's BNAT335-131, RA-117 |
| <u>3</u> /OC 22/97 | Abnormal TM 3 | Possibly due to insufficiency of 2's RA-117 |
| 1/DE 13/ <u>7</u> | Single digit year | HB5 |
| -/MM DD/YY | Blank TM | Reported on SP 8/98 (on a 3c Numeral JHE), DE 21/98, FE 16/99. DE 14/99, and JU 8/01 |
| <u>5</u> /MR DD/99 | Abnormal 5 TM, inverted | On Map stamp covers MR 21 (RA-80) and MR 28 These are odd since inverted 5 TM usually used when there was a deficiency of 2's (such as on the 22nd of the month) |
| PM/AP 9/ <u>00</u> | Small zero in year | RA-116 |

| Stamp Issues: | Denominations | Comments/Reference |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Large Queen 15c F | | First report dated 2/DE 27/97 on a pair RA-143 |
| Small Queen | 1c,3c,5c,6c,8c,10c | |
| Jubilee | 1c,2c,3c,5c,10c | 3c: 169 OC, 22 C |
| QV Leaf | 1/2c,1c,2c,3c,5c,6c,8c | 1/2c first report dated PM/MR 3/00 RA-147 6c first report dated 2/JY 27/98 RA-158 |
| QV Numeral | 1/2c,1c,2cp,2cr,3c,5c,6c,2/3c | 5c first report dated ?/OC 24/99 RA-149 |
| 1898 Map | Υ | 91 OC, 16 C |
| Envelope | 3c | |
| Gov't Postal Card | 1c | |
| Jubilee Post Card | Y | |
| Letter Card | 3c | |
| Other | | On a Post Office Registration receipt STK1-3450 |

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<u>3</u>/JY 22/97



<u>7</u>/SP 11/94



<u>3/OC 22/94</u>

