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The Saint Nicholas Bank, of New York City, was one of a number of U. S. Banks to issue notes with Santa Claus vignettes. The corresponding die proof vignette is shown below. The portrait on the left of the note is that of Peter Stuyvesant.



SEASON'S GREETINGS

Illustrations courtesy Walter D. Allan

EDITORIAL

With this issue the *Canadian Paper Money Newsletter* completes its first year. An index of articles appearing in the Newsletter over the year is printed on the back page. Once again CPMS members and friends have come through with a good assortment of articles. For their contributions to this issue we thank George Fraser, Earl Salterio, Graham Esler, Don Stewart, Lub Wojtiw, Walter Allan, Jerry Remick, Mike Hollingshead and John Cheramy.

A word of explanation is in order concerning issue number 3 (September 1993). The Newsletter was ready to go early in the month, but it was held for several weeks in the hope that it could be mailed together with the Journal, in order to save on postage. With the Journal unexpectedly delayed, the Newsletter was finally sent out, rather belatedly, near the end of October.

Whether the Journal will be mailed with this issue is not known at the time of writing. It will be quite a lavish production and well worth the wait!

Just after the last Newsletter was prepared the very sad news arrived of the sudden passing of Herb Bishop, Honorary Vice-President of the C.P.M.S. The following note was received from Margaret Bishop:

"I wish to thank the Canadian Paper Money Society for their kind contribution on Herb Bishop's behalf. It was very much appreciated. We will all miss him."

I will take this opportunity to thank all contributors for the excellent support the Newsletter has received during its first year of publication. I hope to hear from you again in 1994. New authors are always welcome too. Please have material for the next issue in the mail not later than March 4.

SOCIETY AFFAIRS

NEW MEMBERS

1068	Michael Wilson	Kent	U.K.
1069	Charles Fleury	Quebec	Que.
1070	Albert Lowder	Vernon	B.C.
1071	Horst Kahlmeier	Kitchener	Ont.
1072	Ted H. Bailey	Paris	Ont.
1073	Terry A. Campbell	Oshawa	Ont.
1074	Murray Vanzanten	St. Thomas	Ont.



FOR SALE:

The C.P.M.S. has the following items for sale. Order from Dick Dunn, P.O. Box 465, West Hill P.O., West Hill, Ont. Canada M1E 2P0.

C.P.M.S. 25th Anniversary medals, gold plated or silver plated, at \$10 each plus \$2 postage.

Souvenir sheets: C.P.M.S. 25th Anniversary; 1981 Interpam, and City of Toronto. \$6 each or all three for \$14.95, postage included.

We have ordered a new supply of **C.P.M.S. lapel pins** for our members. These will be available in six weeks. The cost will be announced in the next Newsletter.

Dick Dunn, Secretary-Treasurer

WHAT'S NEW IN PREFIXES

by Lub Wojtiw

A listing of recent prefixes for the \$2 through to the \$100 notes follows. For other prefixes and series, the reader is asked to refer to *The Charlton Standard Catalogue of Canadian Government Paper Money*, 6th edition. Note that changes since the last listing in CPMN are in boldface type.

\$2 1986 Bird Issue

This note was introduced in 1986 and is currently printed by both printing companies in Ottawa: Canadian Bank Note Company (CBN) and British American Bank Note Company (BABN).

(i) Regular Notes

BR_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (BABN)
22 different prefix combinations (currently in circulation)
BRA, BRB, BRC, BRD, BRE, BRF, **BRG**, BRH, BRJ,
BRK, BRL, BRM, BRN, BRP, BRR, BRS, BRT, BRU,
BRV, BRW, **BRY**, BRZ

BU_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (BABN)
2 different prefix combinations (currently in circulation)
BUA, BUB, **BUD**, BUG

EG_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (CBN)
5 prefix combinations (currently in circulation)
EGA, EGB, EGC, **EGD**, EGE

(ii) Replacement Notes

BBX Thiessen-Crow (BABN) (in circulation)
EBX Thiessen-Crow (CBN) (in circulation)
BRX Thiessen-Crow (BABN) (in circulation)

\$5 1986 Bird Issue

This note was introduced in 1986 and is printed by the Canadian Bank Note Company (CBN)

(i) Regular Notes

FO_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures
FOA to FOZ; 22 different prefix combinations

FP_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures
13 prefix combinations (current series). These seem to be appearing without much regard for alphabetical order.
FPA, FPB, FPC, FPD, FPE, **FPP**, **FPR**, **FPS**, **FPT**

\$10 1989 Bird Issue

This note was introduced in 1989 and is printed by British American Bank Note Company.

(i) Regular Notes

AE_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures
AEA to AEZ; 22 different prefix combinations (in circulation)

AT_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures
8 prefix combinations; current series
ATA, ATB, ATC, ATD, ATE, ATF, ATG, ATM, ATN

(ii) Replacement Notes

ATX Thiessen-Crow (in circulation)

\$20 1991 Bird Issue

This note was introduced in June, 1993 and is printed by the Canadian Bank Note Company (CBN)

(i) Regular Notes

EI_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (CBN)
6 different prefix combinations (currently in circulation)
EIA, EIB, EIC, EID, EIE, EIF

(ii) Replacement Notes

EIX, Thiessen-Crow (currently in circulation)

\$50 1989 Bird Issue

(i) Regular Notes

EH_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (CBN)
EHP to EHZ; 9 different prefix combinations (in circulation)

FH_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (CBN)
4 prefix combinations; current series
FHA, FHB, FHC, **FHD**

(ii) Replacement Notes

EHX Thiessen-Crow (in circulation)

\$100 1989 Bird Issue

(i) Regular Notes

AJ_ Series, Thiessen-Crow signatures (BABN)
AJN to AJV; 7 different prefix combinations (in circulation)
AJN, AJP, AJR, AJS, AJT, AJU, AJV

(ii) Replacement Notes

AJX Thiessen-Crow (in circulation)



"CTC SCRIP-TURE"

by Mike Hollingshead

NEW SIGNATURES, SAME COUPONS

The Canadian Tire Corporation has begun the introduction of a new set of signatures on their current coupon issue. At press time only the 10¢ and 25¢ denominations are being circulated, but it is anticipated that within a matter of months the entire scale of denominations will be out.

The 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and \$1 denominations previously bore the signatures of Stanley Pasternak, Treasurer and Hugh Macaulay, Chairman of the Board. The \$2 denomination substituted the signature of the Chief Financial Officer, Gerry Kischner for that of Pasternak.

The newest 10¢ and 25¢ denominations bear the signature of Pasternak, but have been updated by substituting President Stephen Bachand's signature for Macaulay's. It will be interesting to see if Kischner's signature remains on the \$2.

Latest reports are that the replacement notes being used in the latest issue are the old signature combinations. It is not likely that there will be a change in the replacement note signatures. The signatures appear to be engraved directly onto the printing plates of the coupons.

SUFFERING WITHDRAWAL??

Reports from CTCCC members indicate that the "gas bar" issue of coupons are still being handed out in some Toronto area gas bars. This is contrary to the experience outside Toronto, where the gas bars are handing out the current issue of store coupons to reward gas purchases. The elimination of the gas bar coupons is likely a done deal, since the gas bar coupons and current store coupons are both redeemable only at the store. The gas bar coupons are one-half inch shorter than the store coupons, making counting the coupons more difficult than if all coupons were one size. Many store employees report that concentrated efforts were being made in the stores to sort out all the gas bar coupons and the older gas-bar-redeemable store coupons.

CANADA'S UNDERGROUND CURRENCY

There has been an increase in the acceptance of CTC coupons by a variety of businesses in Ontario. I noticed that the Shop-Rite Auto Parts store in Cambridge (about 800 metres from a CTC store)



has placed a large yellow portable sign out in front of their store stating "We now accept CTC coupons for purchases". The Legends Restaurant in Guelph's Stone Road Mall advertises in its menu that Thursday is CTC coupon day, redeemable at par for all meals. A variety of other businesses from dry cleaners to convenience stores are accepting Canada's favourite scrip rather than lose market share.

The CTC coupons inevitably find their way back to the CTC area store, where the business owners use them to gas up their vehicles or purchase cleaning supplies, etc. I have yet to hear of a business that has attempted to pay their GST or PST obligations with CTC coupons!

Serious collectors should join the Canadian Tire Coupon Collectors Club. Annual dues \$10. Write to Mike Hollingshead, Box 1000, Arkell, Ontario, N0B 1C0.

I respectfully solicit any questions CPMS readers may have on any facet of the CTC coupon hobby.

RESIDENCE OF D. S. CHAPPELL, PRIVATE BANKER

John Cheramy sends this copy of a black and white post card from his collection. It depicts the substantial home of a Frobisher, Sask. private banker. The caption reads, "RESIDENCE OF D. S. CHAPPELL, BANKER FROBISHER SASK. PHOTO BY CHASTON". The postmark is Frobisher, Sask. Oct. 5, 1909.

John reports finding the listing of Chappel, Sons & Co., Private Bankers in R. G. Dun & Co's 1912 listing (Dun spelled Chappel with only one L). R. Chaston, Jeweler, Photographer is also listed in the 1912 Dun, as well as the 1907. Another reference, this time to Chappel, Son & Co., Private Banker, was found in the 1912 *Canada and Newfoundland Gazetteer*, which also lists Chaston under both Photographers and Jewelers.

In his book, *Banks of Saskatchewan*, Cec. Tannahill provides further information on the Chappell banking business (pp 79-81).



OBSERVATIONS OF PLATE NUMBERS ON "MULTICOLOURED" AND "BIRD" SERIES CANADIAN BANK NOTES

By G. V. Fraser, FCNRS

For many years I viewed bank note plate numbers as just another security feature. Now I look at them for other information.

In 1983 I first noticed that the bank note printers were underlining some of the plate numbers (see Canadian Prefix Newsletter Vol. IX, No. 4). I did not know the significance of the underlines then, but my records show that it was a changeover period. Since then additional changes have been made.

At that time the BABN Co. used plate numbers as high as 257 on their \$1 notes and 160 on their \$2.00 notes.

The CBN Co. used plate numbers from 1 to 49. The exception to this was on the \$10 notes which went to 60, CBN Co. being the sole printer of \$10 notes. By the same token the BABN Co. being the sole printer of the \$2 notes, at that time used plate numbers starting at 1.

The BABN Co. eliminated the 3 digit numbers and changed to using the 2 digit numbers 50 to 99. The CBN Co. continued to use numbers 1 to 49.

Both bank note companies started underlining the plate numbers on both face and back of all notes for the balance of the multicolour series.

With the advent of the 1986 "Bird" series, another change was noted. Both bank note companies underlined the plate numbers on one side only. The BABN Co. printing the 1986 \$2, 1989 \$10 and 1988 \$100 notes underlined the face plate numbers. The CBN Co. printing 1986 \$2, 1986 \$5, 1991 \$20, 1988 \$50 and 1988 \$1000 notes underlined the back plate numbers.

This gives us three ways to identify the banknote printer of the Canadian "Bird" series.

- CBN Co.
1. The prefix starts with the letters E or F.
 2. Uses plate numbers from 1 to 49.
 3. Only the back plate numbers are underlined.

- BABN Co.
1. The prefix starts with the letters A or B.
 2. Uses plate numbers from 50 to 99.
 3. Only the face plate numbers are underlined.

I am including the list of notes with prefix and plate numbers from which I compiled the above information. It shows a clear pattern of the changes referred to. There are a few blank spaces which need to be filled. I hope to hear from any prefix collector who has these notes to spare with a view to purchase or trade. I omitted the yellow plate numbers on the back of the 1986 \$5 notes because I found

them too hard to read. Has anybody heard of an easy way to read them?

May this information be of help to other collectors of Canadian paper money.

Thanks are due to the late Herb Bishop for his help in putting this collection together. Herb will be greatly missed.

Please see the following five pages for plate number data ↗



PROVINCE OF CANADA NOTES

by J. Graham Esler

On March 11, 1935 (the opening of the Bank of Canada) the total of Provincial Notes Outstanding was \$27,583.83 made up as follows:

<u>Denomination</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Number of Notes</u>
\$1.00	\$10522.50	10522
2.00	6036.00	3018
5.00	4905.33	981
10.00	2130.00	213
20.00	840.00	42
50.00	650.00	13
500.00	2500.00	5

As of October 31, 1993 the Provincial Notes Outstanding totalled \$27,566.83. In the last 59 years only \$17.00 in Provincial Notes were turned in to the Bank of Canada for redemption.

1973 \$1.00 2 LETTER PREFIX BY BABN. Co				1973 \$1.00 2 LETTER PREFIX					
"A" SERIES		"G" SERIES		"L" SERIES		"F" SERIES		"I" SERIES	
AA 4550985	52-51	GA 2532411	100-124	LA 1919861	118-178	FA 8996429	3-2	IA 5903958	22-14
AB 1513681	60-55	GB 5850365	98-126	LB 1370913	118-184	FB 5912262	7-5	IB 6495654	18-6
AC 1239073	60-61	GC 0285815	100-127	LC 3338325	123-188	FC 5233802	6-7	IC 3530100	24-7
AD 7710857	62-67	GD 0129852	124-128	LD 9442036	134-185	FD 8648096	3-1	ID 4356286	18-7
AE 9315005	69-71	GE 8415684	105-124	LE 8096075	135-185	FE 8956941	5-5	IE 3982309	23-14
AF 0243462	63-74	GF 4173457	102-146	LF 5615587	141-178	FF 3183282	5-7	IF 5318166	24-13
AG 4220310	66-82	GG 7730125	111-146	LG 9589919	144-194	FG 5782235	8-2	IG 0046837	23-6
AH 1776801	71-83	GH 6094441	111-143	LH 2041453	144-197	FH 2720836	14-5	IH 3787973	27-11
AJ 3852096	73-84	GJ 1803685	115-149	LJ 0820028	148-194	FJ 4393224	13-9	IJ 7399147	26-1
AK 9028240	80-86	GK 7269017	116-131	LK 2730219	144-194	FK 1499219	14-10	IK 7892257	23-6
AL 9734406	72-94	GL 3144743	99-163	LL 0664051	143-192	FL 5106288	14-10	IL 7707852	27-12
AM 7708664	76-96	GM 7230561	119-128	LM 6929554	154-192	FM 8267701	11-7	IM 1966760	29-14
AN 9950175	76-97	GN 2385845	120-146	LN 7552550	157-195	FN 1734871	10-6	IN 4975401	25-14
AP 3986674	84-103	GP 4508442	124-170	LP 2717719	140-195	FP 3969505	12-6	IP 5385087	18-7
AR 4179533	85-98	GR 1512347	124-146	LR 2241084	156-185	FR 3213934	11-10	IR 0731961	17-13
AS 3894171	85-98	GS 9736647	130-158	LS 8805685	158-188	FS 5776406	11-5	IS 7614887	23-9
AT 9949941	81-106	GT 5097259	126-169	LT 6256540	135-198	FT 4176188	19-9	IT 5625012	18-1
AU 5106985	81-105	GU 4971921	134-178	LU 9944614	156-198	FU 7782153	11-14	IU 1281335	23-7
AV 9700544	95-108	GV 0746578	134-171	LV 9590801	135-200	FV 9095301	18-6	IV 4168701	26-12
AW 2839027	95-113	GW 1055198	134-171	LW 2806014	148-200	FW 4940144	19-6	IW 5720811	26-7
AX 3738303	91-111	GX 6054003	126-156	LX 4593511	135-181	FX 7139511	17-1	IX 2793449	29-7
AY 8323801	91-120	GY 3799334	136-180	LY 3786266	154-201	FY 2760804	13-1	IY 0002323	17-13
AZ 6452830	91-120	GZ 6989980	136-185	LZ 1825747	128-188	FZ 5894469	22-11	IZ 3435490	29-14

1973 \$1.00 2 LETTER PREFIX BY BABN. Co				1973 \$1.00 3 LETTER PREFIX BY					
"M" SERIES		"N" SERIES		"O" SERIES		"AA" SERIES		"AC" SERIES	
MA 4331936	161-204	NA 8418440	172-221	OA 8009223	183-219	AAA 8688457	218-215	ACA 3869917	215-252
MB 4728060	161-164	NB 7104863	170-216	OB 1440887	202-215	AAE 0469481	218-251	ACB 3697859	215-254
MC 4434624	153-204	NC 0564055	183-212	OC 3915775	202-235	AAC 4888627	218-248	ACC 0605541	215-252
MD 0015734	153-164	ND 3422358	178-208	OD 0256693	182-211	AAD 6695454	211-237	ACD 9105686	235-256
ME 9611233	167-204	NE 2336084	185-208	OE 3030933	201-235	AAE 6364021	209-246	ACE 3813774	234-256
MF 5589714	167-205	NF 0778035	180-219	OF 9540046	196-221	AAF 5390984	211-211	ACF 4503136	236-240
MG 1044054	167-205	NG 7780264	173-221	OG 3673473	199-235	AAG 8913839	211-243	ACG 3849949	237-26
MH 2734897	169-202	NH 1573097	180-215	OH 1151548	199-238	AAH 3242381	220-216	ACH 2971252	237-64
MJ 2438437	170-201	NJ 3734324	179-221	OJ 9477889	207-240	AAJ 1667768	211-216	ACJ 0040239	236-256
MK 1032034	170-202	NK 8749905	175-222	OK 6714964	204-243	AAK 3289300	215-246	ACK 3456856	239-235
ML 6334028	169-205	NL 2462572	175-211	OL 5914645	203-243	AAL 6603642	214-246	ACL 1410947	239-99
MM 4576670	168-189	NM 2527141	183-211	OM 9076681	211-243	AAM 0095615	220-240	ACM 1000060	239-257
MN 8507352	168-208	NN 0394531	195-216	ON 1143652	171-212	AAN 4428508	214-242	ACN 2440942	239-76
MO 2664602	164-201	NO 5978400	194-222	OP 0155121	195-226	AAP 2831530	216-219	ACP 3897419	68-90
MP 1113219	159-202	NR 3610319	190-226	OR 0463533	215-247	AAO 0012963	216-235	ACR 3351501	67-257
MQ 0468938	170-204	NS 0660409	190-226	OS 3706870	215-246	AAS 2571054	214-219	ACS 0645908	239-94
MR 4023805	170-215	NT 8993919	192-215	OT 0544296	211-246	AAT 0196803	215-228	ACT 8152142	240-70
MU 0011528	171-212	NU 0960302	190-189	OU 6724853	195-228	AAU 8328224	227-245	ACU 7444491	73-95
MV 4823499	173-201	NV 7673717	202-234	OV 3955352	204-245	AAV 9764908	214-237	ACV 0050454	240-89
MW 2917462	177-201	NW 2323925	201-215			AAW 5941617	214-243	ACW 2480904	88-76
MX 2997718	180-201	NX 1096874	198-235			AAZ 4268503	214-252	ACY 3422951	98-81
MY 2933138	159-219	NY 4961545	183-235			AAZ 6888370	230-237	ACZ 5929344	77-87
MZ 8724215	159-222	NZ 9508742	202-211						

1973 \$1.00 3 LETTER PREFIX BY BABN Co.

"AL" SERIES	"AM" SERIES	"BA" SERIES
ALA 2189244 <u>77-87</u>	AMA 2836521 <u>95-72</u>	BAA 8103118 <u>60-67</u>
ALB 1497873 <u>78-66</u>	AMB 5517653 <u>78-66</u>	BAB 1082910 <u>98-81</u>
ALC 2708552 <u>64-86</u>	AMC 0198099 <u>76-88</u>	BAC 9767128 <u>84-85</u>
ALD 2139601 <u>74-63</u>	AMD 9051404 <u>86-64</u>	BAD 1080408 <u>66-78</u>
ALE NONE	AME 0463539 <u>75-91</u>	BAE 2522890 <u>90-81</u>
ALF 0181651 <u>65-80</u>	AMF 5868406 <u>99-83</u>	BAF 6659449 <u>50-65</u>
ALG 8173428 <u>94-71</u>	AMG 5772486 <u>96-70</u>	BAG 1383735 <u>75-91</u>
ALH 4624979 <u>90-68</u>	AMH 4922896 <u>98-81</u>	BAH 2902582 <u>98-81</u>
ALJ 0935625 <u>67-60</u>	AMJ 8668396 <u>99-83</u>	BAJ 7809310 <u>77-87</u>
ALK 4675160 <u>81-98</u>	AMK 7941579 <u>65-90</u>	BAK 8533935 <u>79-97</u>
ALL 1384633 <u>90-68</u>	AML 6769677 <u>70-96</u>	BAL 5021866 <u>65-80</u>
ALM 4818962 <u>69-82</u>	AMM 2812591 <u>93-73</u>	BAM 8072225 <u>90-70</u>
ALN 1872044 <u>96-70</u>	AMN 1649410 <u>77-87</u>	BAN 3121461 <u>82-69</u>
ALP 1798181 <u>76-88</u>	AMP 5613493 <u>94-71</u>	BAP 7171389 <u>86-64</u>
ALR 2921442 <u>82-69</u>	AMR 2512275 <u>96-70</u>	BAR 9660000 <u>66-78</u>
ALS 1385375 <u>73-93</u>	AMS 5528403 <u>99-83</u>	BAS 1586201 <u>97-79</u>
ALT 1709785 <u>70-96</u>	ANT 7320894 <u>88-76</u>	BAT 1682861 <u>98-81</u>
ALU 1174989 <u>85-84</u>	ANU 3532094 <u>96-70</u>	BAU 0826621 <u>92-61</u>
ALV 1819413 <u>80-65</u>	ANV 7163186 <u>60-67</u>	BAV 0894390 <u>61-92</u>
ALW 8755585 <u>67-60</u>	ANW 6782355 <u>63-74</u>	BAW 6744572 <u>90-68</u>
ALY 7164657 <u>90-68</u>	ANY 3034117 <u>61-92</u>	BAY 3244158 <u>72-95</u>
ALZ 9607550 <u>89-62</u>	AMZ 4611093 <u>86-64</u>	BAZ 3025244 <u>73-93</u>

1973 \$1.00 3 LETTER PREFIX B

"EA" SERIES	"EB" SERIES
EAA 0840402 <u>31-14</u>	ECA 7564857 <u>15-24</u>
EAB 1494596 <u>27-13</u>	ECB 0695485 <u>49-31</u>
EAC 5504252 <u>43-6</u>	ECC 7410905 <u>26-47</u>
EAD 6718896 <u>32-19</u>	ECD 9135338 <u>46-31</u>
EAE 3456856 <u>17-13</u>	ECE 5445792 <u>10-46</u>
EAF 3771051 <u>29-6</u>	ECF 3847989 <u>13-44</u>
EAG 3279803 <u>16-48</u>	ECG 1578869 <u>32-19</u>
EAH 5913361 <u>32-40</u>	ECH 6753444 <u>44-40</u>
EAJ 3531212 <u>29-17</u>	ECJ 0111117 <u>24-17</u>
EAK 6877773 <u>14-34</u>	ECK 9661802 <u>47-22</u>
EAL 4183933 <u>36-33</u>	ECL 6584615 <u>15-24</u>
EAM 6125278 <u>30-10</u>	ECM
EAN 1145356 <u>30-10</u>	ECN 1307616 <u>13-44</u>
EAP 9868919 <u>20-16</u>	ECP 1905121 <u>30-10</u>
EAR 7721854 <u>47-22</u>	ECR 2131540 <u>40-14</u>
EAS 1655969 <u>22-32</u>	ECS 1486757 <u>29-35</u>
EAT 5160831 <u>31-42</u>	ECT 7601640 <u>47-22</u>
EAU 2008060 <u>48-21</u>	ECU 4823049 <u>42-13</u>
EAV 0257676 <u>14-34</u>	ECV 7923040 <u>42-13</u>
EAW 3360274 <u>19-27</u>	ECW 1651146 <u>24-17</u>
EAY 1592733 <u>39-25</u>	ECY
EAZ 2656137 <u>38-11</u>	ECZ

1973 \$1.00 3 LETTER PREFIX BY BABN Co.

"BC" SERIES	"BF" SERIES
BCA 0920451 <u>66-78</u>	BFA 0054595 <u>85-84</u>
BCB 2388809 <u>64-86</u>	BFB 5599809 <u>74-63</u>
BCC 5491773 <u>87-77</u>	BFC 2872191 <u>96-70</u>
BCD 9754263 <u>61-92</u>	BFD 7532472 <u>96-70</u>
BCE 4403601 <u>76-91</u>	BFE 1964304 <u>72-95</u>
BCF 0330438 <u>82-89</u>	BFF 4019057 <u>80-65</u>
BCG 0082124 <u>63-74</u>	BFG 5045721 <u>71-94</u>
BCH 9049954 <u>70-96</u>	BFH 7553884 <u>79-97</u>
BCJ 3653258 <u>94-71</u>	BFJ 5365401 <u>73-93</u>
BCK 1401135 <u>82-69</u>	BFK 5876567 <u>95-72</u>
BCL 5681422 <u>82-69</u>	BFL 0416473 <u>91-75</u>
BCM 6121063 <u>82-69</u>	
BCN 5347482 <u>84-85</u>	
BCP 9807006 <u>84-85</u>	
BCR 3729641 <u>70-96</u>	
BCS 6299735 <u>74-63</u>	
BCT 4002607 <u>98-81</u>	
BCU 9765670 <u>71-94</u>	
BCV 4961189 <u>82-69</u>	
BCW 5953833 <u>79-67</u>	
BCY 0690482 <u>62-89</u>	
BCZ 6969268 <u>77-87</u>	

1974 \$2.00 2 LETTER		PREFIX BY	BARN Co
"B" SERIES	"R" SERIES	"U" SERIES	
BA 9409642 15-10	RA 8029967 75-54	UA 8354451 89-77	
BE 7016271 19-8	RB 8021922 75-39	UB 1003452 89-77	
BC 4411025 15-5	RC 1701401 73-39	UC 2909832 89-70	
BD 0455648 19-1	RD 9002327 73-39	UD 9734625 58-82	
BE 0589378 25-14	RE 2114442 73-39	UE 0281909 58-54	
BF 1357777 27-16	RF 6116222 76-56	UF 4863236 119-54	
BG 3135887 26-19	RG 0562229 77-66	UG 3890174 115-78	
BH 4744431 30-16	RH 6628267 79-59	UH 3457558 86-54	
BJ 6705761 32-20	RJ 3227951 81-66	UJ 8166424 89-75	
BK 3454443 54-8	RK 0806739 81-39	UK 0777933 110-78	
BL 9977929 43-30	RL 3001822 85-56	UL 0797638 116-78	
BM 9192995 40-23	RM 9845868 89-65	UM 0950052 80-78	
BN 6773198 54-32	RN 2387206 89-65		
BP 2139992 49-32	RP 8876805 87-47		
BR 2876332 56-44	RR 5705070 84-68		
BS 3511105 67-43	RS TEST		
BT 8547197 63-25	RT 6318351 88-68		
BU 0946885 65-40	RU 3920223 59-54		
BV 5022237 57-35	RV 6099159 88-73		
BW 3327187 67-40	RW 1107753 88-74		
BX 9176079 65-45	RX 9916960 111-68		
BY 7178553 69-49	RY 8410675 85-68		
BZ 8637301 73-42	RZ 6613601 89-77		

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"AB" SERIES	"AG" SERIES		
ABA 4304676 115-57	AGA 3220914 162-97		
ABB 2888320 110-57	AGB 8264670 156-67		
ABC 0500739 138-83	AGC 3486512 165-70		
ABD 3698242 147-49	AGD 0225835 163-93		
ABE 2328107 149-88	AGE 7597194 162-99		
ABF 3262008 141-76	AGF 9179062 160-97		
ABG 0642519 135-72	AGG 4319019 156-93		
ABH 1624896 141-89	AGH 7831799 160-98		
ABJ 7842122 141-89	AGJ 5863513 166-94		
ABK 6671753 143-77	AGK 6253901 79-97		
ABL 0499951 143-57	AGL 8243612 76-91		
ABM 9947935 143-79	AGM 0317410 68-90		
ABN 2974704 140-49	AGN 3448653 64-80		
ABP 6696230 133-57	AGP 5847086 84-85		
ABR 0091358 133-57	AGR 9451233 80-64		
ABS 8425436 153-49	AGS 9357916 78-65		
ABT 3440204 142-91	AGT 4206444 97-79		
ABU 4431020 148-70	AGU 9906453 97-79		
ABV 6339754 153-91	AGV 7343405 60-67		
ABW 4045600 153-95	AGW 0714069 61-92		
ABY 2715802 154-90	AGY 3938853 69-83		
ABZ 2424711 163-98	AGZ 1729652 70-96		

1974 "AR" Series	1986 "AR" Series
ARA 9320825 86-76	
ARB 2727435 84-85	
ARC 0482157 63-74	
ARD 6154161 61-92	
ARE 1971006 86-54	
	BIRD SERIES
	ARF 7181178 82-69
	ARG 1035339 95-72
	ARH 4932470 62-89
	ARJ 1154720 93-73
	ARK 4731923 83-99
	ARL 1782193 65-78
	ARM 7498906 69-82
	ARN 3058576 69-82
	ARP 5009156 99-83
	ARR 0787611 70-96
	ARS-NONE ISSUED
	ART 8408299 77-67
	ARU 1836654 67-60
	ARV 3894132 94-71
	ARW 7989297 99-83
	ARY 7342437 66-78
	ARZ 1960496 63-74

1986 "AU" Series	1986 "AU" Series
CROW-BOUEY	
AUA 5535017 68-90	
AUB 9374192 94-71	
AUC 4501719 83-76	
AUD 8219689 78-66	
AUE 1050316 96-70	
AUF 4200690 65-80	
AUG 1663590 75-91	
AUH 9943257 72-95	
AUJ 7123868 75-91	
AUK 2871596 83-99	
AUL 2468044 77-87	
AUM 7012784 85-84	
AUN 5624975 98-81	
	THIESSEN-CROW
	AUK 5167754 70-96
	AUL 5764326 60-67
	AUM 3420264 63-74
	AUN 6578558 69-82
	AUP 8260971 65-80
	AUR 9564254 60-67
	AUS 3944408 60-67
	AUT 0302879 90-69
	AUU 6779327 76-88
	AUV 6021911 86-76
	AUW 5952760 85-84
	AUY 3578074 80-85
	AUZ 5850427 96-70

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"BB" SERIES	"BG" SERIES	"BR" SERIES
BBA 1483813 <u>75-91</u>	BGA 0249679 <u>89-62</u>	BRA 1210122 <u>96-70</u>
BBB 9672849 <u>85-84</u>	BGB 2301278 <u>82-69</u>	BRB 4160104 <u>63-74</u>
BBC 0189834 <u>39-62</u>	BGC 7075473 <u>68-90</u>	BRC 7060516 <u>65-80</u>
BBD 4193806 <u>79-97</u>	BGD 8555095 <u>69-90</u>	BRD 9643978 <u>75-91</u>
BBE 0758357 <u>80-65</u>	BGE 9311267 <u>86-64</u>	BRE 5620076 <u>63-74</u>
BBF 5204290 <u>67-60</u>	BGF 9655088 <u>68-90</u>	BRF 1611148 <u>86-84</u>
BBG 2871836 <u>83-99</u>	BGG 0971942 <u>83-99</u>	BRG 0593224 <u>61-92</u>
BBH 0776600 <u>67-60</u>	BGH 9886823 <u>71-94</u>	BRH 4637866 <u>74-63</u>
BBJ 0138927 <u>69-82</u>	BGJ 1019925 <u>78-66</u>	BRJ 3001620 <u>88-76</u>
BBK 6156868 <u>67-60</u>	BGK 1709549 <u>89-62</u>	BRK 9785605 <u>92-61</u>
BBL 2097021 <u>81-98</u>	BGL 3115015 <u>68-90</u>	BRL 6733139 <u>61-92</u>
BBM 3496274 <u>91-95</u>	BGM 7090164 <u>86-70</u>	BRM 0372676 <u>85-84</u>
BBN 1566097 <u>97-79</u>	BGN	BRN 4388277 <u>77-87</u>
BBP 5494367 <u>94-71</u>	BGP 0134012 <u>94-71</u>	BRP 2186023 <u>97-79</u>
BBR 1530480 <u>96-70</u>	BGR 0145859 <u>92-61</u>	BRR 6786378 <u>97-79</u>
BBS 1587689 <u>70-96</u>	BGS 1896096 <u>91-73</u>	BRS 5111243 <u>86-64</u>
BT	BGT 3477699 <u>74-63</u>	BRT 4124539 <u>98-81</u>
BBU	BGU 8498101 <u>80-65</u>	BRU 6244073 <u>60-67</u>
BBV 6132400 <u>62-89</u>	BGV 0211663 <u>83-99</u>	BRV 9330756 <u>67-60</u>
BBW 9763685 <u>75-91</u>	BGW 1839972 <u>78-66</u>	BRW
BBY 0402109 <u>66-78</u>	BGY 7609490 <u>99-63</u>	BRY
BBZ 3438270 <u>80-65</u>	BGZ 5943627 <u>75-91</u>	BRZ 1058358 <u>80-65</u>

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"EB" SERIES
EBA 1640002 <u>14-34</u>
EBB 3450864 <u>24-17</u>
EBC 4730475 <u>40-14</u>
EED 3735301 <u>21-26</u>
EBE 8930485 <u>40-14</u>
EBF 9001928 <u>19-27</u>
EBG 9527247 <u>29-35</u>
EBH 0677679 <u>38-11</u>
EBJ 4897642 <u>38-11</u>
EBK 1023212 <u>23-30</u>
EBL 2631901 <u>27-20</u>
EBM 2775223 <u>21-26</u>
EBN 5211929 <u>27-20</u>
EBP 2731464 <u>26-47</u>
EBR 5320610 <u>28-23</u>
EBS 1471450 <u>26-47</u>
EET
EBU 1508924 <u>34-18</u>
EBV 9286900 <u>35-29</u>
EBW 4558234 <u>18-48</u>
EBY 2027547 <u>22-32</u>
EBZ

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YELLOW PLATE NUMBERS	ON BACK
"ER" Series	"EO" Series
ENA 6091080 <u>26-</u>	EOA 0663403 <u>33-</u>
ENB 5045180 <u>15-</u>	EOB 5452028 <u>23-</u>
ENC 0901209 <u>31-</u>	EOC 6815822 <u>46-</u>
END 4191443 <u>26-</u>	EOD 7000930 <u>28-</u>
ENE 9315931 <u>46-</u>	EOE 9483995 <u>45-</u>
ENF 3089380 <u>20-</u>	EOF 9065853 <u>48-</u>
ENG 2179859 <u>12-</u>	EOG 5462028 <u>36-</u>
ENH 4864355 <u>10-</u>	
ENJ 6440006 <u>47-</u>	
ENK 3131345 <u>26-</u>	
ENL 5022987 <u>42-</u>	
ENM 5142674 <u>43-</u>	
ENN 6181131 <u>31-</u>	
ENP 0644078 <u>10-</u>	
ENR 1160334 <u>47-</u>	
ENS 1960722 <u>28-</u>	
ENT 0350476 <u>40-</u>	
ENU 0529550 <u>48-</u>	
ENV 5557142 <u>31-</u>	
ENW 1201330 <u>31-</u>	
ENY 4467365 <u>29-</u>	
ENZ 0785786 <u>43-</u>	

1986 "EP" Series

1986 "EP" Series	1986 "FN" Series
EPA 8754023 <u>22-32</u>	FNA 0547899 <u>25-39</u>
EPB 6886557 <u>35-29</u>	FNB 4088693 <u>34-18</u>
BC-56b 1986	FNC 8841261 <u>31-42</u>
EPC 4661528 <u>19-27</u>	FND 2637539 <u>38-11</u>
EPD 6421842 <u>19-27</u>	FNE 2390049 <u>40-14</u>
EPE 5322761 <u>48-13</u>	FNF 4266595 <u>35-29</u>
EPF 0560481 <u>47-22</u>	FNG 5205227 <u>15-24</u>
EPG 6966546 <u>35-29</u>	FNH 2313339 <u>39-25</u>
EPH 8669447 <u>20-16</u>	FNJ 0620084 <u>47-22</u>
EPJ 1280644 <u>28-23</u>	FNK 3078948 <u>18-49</u>
EPK 2691210 <u>26-47</u>	FNL 3299838 <u>12-43</u>
EPL 1310117 <u>40-14</u>	FNM 6324673 <u>30-10</u>
EPN 1365847 <u>43-12</u>	FNN 9628592 <u>34-18</u>
EPN 0124360 <u>10-46</u>	FNP 5863447 <u>33-30</u>
EPP 8168129 <u>17-28</u>	FNR
EPR 0461071 <u>37-42</u>	FNS 0697214 <u>37-45</u>
EPS 0575371 <u>21-26</u>	FNT 8603293 <u>33-30</u>
EPT 5524192 <u>10-46</u>	FNU 5559332 <u>32-19</u>
EPU	FNV 7141533 <u>19-27</u>
EPV 3409785 <u>48-21</u>	FNW 1824152 <u>10-46</u>
EPW 6534187 <u>22-32</u>	FNX 1838514 <u>18-49</u>
EPY 0997437 <u>37-45</u>	FNZ 4270853 <u>24-17</u>
EPZ 7760654 <u>47-22</u>	

1986 "FP" Series
 FPA 9394439 22-32
 FPB 1072969 44-40
 FPC 9504273 10-46
 FPD 1660349 25-39
 FPE 8556397 14-34
 FPF 8100912 28-23
 FPG
 FPH
 FPI
 FPK
 FPL 7028240 17-28
 FPM 8689910 43-21
 FPN 2169448 20-16
 FPP
 FPR
 FPS 6737927 38-11

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 "ED" Series "EE" Series
 EDA 1880900 52-11 EEA 8128474 53-16
 EDB 1323301 50-10 EEB 9290635 58-19
 EDC 9723772 37-31 EEC 1266195 57-18
 EDD 6440817 52-4 EED 0787648 53-13
 EDE 2096323 52-15 EEE 2939000 18-49
 EDF EEF 9806020 51-21
 EDG EEG 5304351 43-12
 EDH 1131353 51-19 EEH 3572952 58-25
 EDJ 2414101 55-4 EEJ 5886750 55-35
 EDK 4261412 51-4 EEK 9901078 57-23
 EDL 5035088 51-15 EEL 0240780 31-42
 EDM EEM 0398255 58-43
 EDN EEN 3283350 58-13
 EDP EEP 4688035 48-21
 EDR
 EDS EER
 EDT 8637550 14-12 EES 4915464 49-31
 EDU EET
 EDV 0921236 53-17 EEV
 EDW 7501789 51-17 EEV
 EDY 1612784 51-25 EEW 9228030 48-21
 EDZ 8680312 51-27 EEX 3210960 26-47
 EEZ 8391252 24-17

 1971 "ET" Series
 ETA 0720303 19-27
 ETB 1082972 33-30
 ETC 4634303 46-36
 ETD 6262795 33-30
 ETE 0197150 41-41
 ETF 0534053 46-36
 ETG 1351882 40-14
 ETH 4385324 30-10
 ETJ 2158905 32-19
 ETK 1197958 14-34
 ETL 0617512 14-34
 ETM 4239664 16-48
 ETN 9209830 17-28
 ETP 9879432 18-49
 ETR 3181088 28-23
 ETS 2812010 11-38
 ETT 0189890 17-28
 ETU 0828973 20-16
 ETV 2540233 19-27
 ETW 9775467 49-31
 ETY 9248599 20-16
 ETZ

1971 "FD" Series
 FDA 2980704 31-42
 FDB 3606583 29-35
 1971
 FDC 5058103 12-43
 FDD 9073728 23-15
 FDE 8435567 22-32
 FDF 6115723 22-32
 FDG 9605747 10-40
 FDH 5903544 36-33
 FDJ 2511115 24-17
 FDK 9257151 41-41
 FDL 4489156 34-18
 FDM 0834737 31-26
 FDN 8394385 46-36
 FDP 6032604 39-25
 FDR 8070322 27-20

1989 BABN Co.
 "AE" BIRD Series
 AEA 7130954 87-77
 AEB 5579292 76-88
 AEC 8515686 95-72
 AED 1522672 90-63
 AEE 6816993 67-60
 AEF 0068525 64-86
 AEG 1051278 86-64
 AEH 3130351 90-70
 AEJ 7361392 82-69
 AEK 2084759 58-81
 AEL 8621299 82-69
 AEM 9617373 81-98
 AEN 3161373 80-76
 AEP 5916299 91-75
 AER 0440407 63-74
 AES 2766817 71-94
 AET 5706911 71-94
 AEU
 AEV 7357567 74-63
 AEW 6499436 76-88
 AEY 8418939 69-82
 AEZ 4351852 83-99

 1991 \$20.00 CBN Co.
 "EI" Series
 EIA 9327700 25-39
 EIB 0516320 14-34
 EIC 2463599 45-37
 EID 8033080 39-25
 EIE 6907981 25-39
 EIF 3498114 16-28

 1975 \$50.00 CBN Co.
 HB 2029202 1-9
 HA 0000778 1-3
 EFA 1660395 19-7
 1988
 EHP 0000778 30-10

 1975 \$100.00 BABN Co
 JB 4143414 5-5
 AJA 0000778 16-10
 AJX 0370669 95-17
 AJX 0608516 64-86
 1988
 AJN 0000778 65-80
 1988
 AJX 1507745 70-96

 1988 \$1000.00 CBN Co
 EKA 0000778 28-23
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IN THE MARKETPLACE

Moore Numismatic Auctions-TICF Auction 25 Sept. 1993

This sale, held in Niagara Falls Ont., included one hundred lots of Canadian paper money, predominantly notes of the chartered banks. An excellent selection of contemporary counterfeits, including some rarely encountered, was available for collectors of this specialty.

Prices realized do not include commission or taxes.

□ RJG

Lot No.	Description	Estimate	Realized
930	Dominion of Can. \$1 1878 DC-8e-iii 307325/B AU	\$850.	\$650.
932	Dominion of Can. \$2 1923 DC-26c E-726370/A AU	375.	285.
933	Dominion of Can. \$5 1912 DC-21d B592378/B AU	950.	650.
935	Bank of Canada 1935 \$1, \$20 through \$1000, face and back proofs and die proof vignettes, ex ABN Co. Archives	10000.	7500.
936	Bank of Canada 1937 \$1 (wide and narrow panels), \$20 through \$1000 face and back proofs, plus two die proof vignettes	-	6600.
950	Bank of Brantford \$4 1859, Fred Westbrook back 2798/ UNC	350.	240.
951	Bank of Brantford \$5 1859, Fred Westbrook back 53/ UNC	350.	200.
952	Bank of Canada \$5 1823 5388/ Fine	400.	250.
962	Colonial Bank of Can. \$100 remainder, Fine	450.	370.
968	Commercial Bank of Nfld. \$50 1888 0517 EF	8500.	5000.
971	Bank of County of Elgin \$10 1 July 1856 1217/A, cancelled F-VF	1750.	1070.
993	Molsons Bank \$20 1904 198340/A VF-EF	1250.	1190.
999	Bank of Nova Scotia \$20 1903 180277/C Fine	250.	182.
1000	Bank of Nova Scotia \$50 1906 028356/A VG	750.	425.
1001	Bank of Nova Scotia \$50 1920 41820/B VF	1000.	711.
1002	Bank of Ottawa, Montreal, \$3 1837 G-VG	250.	250.
1003	Bank of Ottawa, \$5 1913 112943/B VG-F	475.	550.
1005	Bank of PEI \$5 1877 no o/p 13262/A VF	900.	675.
1015	Standard Bank \$20 1919 McLeod r. 057684/D Fine	850.	535.
1021	Union Bank of Can. \$10 1921 015422/D VF+	300.	251.
1022	Weyburn Security Bank \$10 1911 62699/D VG	750.	611.

A POSSIBLE REPLACEMENT NOTE?

Prior to the introduction of asterisk notes with the 1954 Bank of Canada issue, replacement notes were given the same serial number as the damaged notes which they replaced.

Walter Allan has provided the 1937 \$20 Gordon-Towers illustration shown below. Note the defective and awkward appearance of the B/E prefix at the left, contrasted with the same prefix at the right. Is this normal for the B/E \$20 series? If not, could it be the result of manual setting of the device used to print the serial numbers?



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Jeffrey Hoare Auctions Inc. Sale #28 - 23 Oct. 1993

The fall Torex auction contained over 250 lots of Canadian paper money and related items. Near the end of the sale came a good selection of cheques, bills of exchange, share certificates, etc. Some of the paper money lots, being rather commonplace, did not sell. A number of rare or unusual items, on the other hand, sold at multiples of estimate. Bidding was "hot and heavy" on many of these lots.

The paper money highlight of the sale was the Bank of Hamilton commemorative \$25 note, number 000675/B, one of only five or six known and probably the finest example outside of institutional collections. A photograph of the note, in all its multicoloured glory, adorns the front cover of the sale catalogue. It sold for a very reasonable \$5750, against a \$5000 estimate.

The story behind lot #850 is known and will be shared with CPMS members in due course.

Prices realized do not include commission or taxes.

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Lot No. Description

<u>Lot No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Estimate</u>	<u>Realized</u>
715	\$4 1902 DC-17b 399962/B Good+	\$100.	\$180.
742	\$25 1935 English, BC-11 A010489/A VF	800.	1150.
762	\$2 1954 BC-30bA *A/B0008036 AU-UNC	1800.	1000.
770	\$2 1954 BC-38a A/R4000000 AU	100.	60.
799	\$1 1967 BC-45b L/O9000000 AU	200.	160.
821	Matched set \$1-\$100 triple letter prefix (apart from \$5,20 1979) set 0000746	350.	325.
836	\$1 1973 mismatched prefix letters, GF left, GG right AU-UNC	250.	325.
839	Agricultural Bank \$2 21 Sept. 1837, pble 1 year after date, 12/B VG-F	100.	140.
843	Agricultural Bank \$5 1 Mar. 1837, unrecorded var. ex Ritter, nice F	200.	325.
850	Cdn. Bank of Commerce \$5 1892 red S S o/p, G, sm pce missing	80.	220.
867	Comm. Bank Midland Dist. \$5 face proof CH-190-16-14P, Fine	1000.	800.
875	Bank of Hamilton \$25 1922, face proof	500.	375.
923	Bank of Upper Can. \$2 1861 red o/p B017 ST CATHARINES B017 G+, damage at corners	200.	900.

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Former C.P.M.S. President Graham Esler has provided the following important new information on notes issued by The Bank of London in Canada, and an updated listing of surviving notes:

BANK OF LONDON IN CANADA

Bank of London - Minute Book - Oct. 13, 1887

A. Quantities of Bank of London Notes Printed

\$5	00001 - 25000	ABCD	- 100,000 notes
\$10	00001 - 07500	ABCD	- 30,000 notes
\$20	00001 - 01000	A,B	- 2,000 notes
\$50	00001 - 01000	A	- 1,000 notes
\$100	00001 - 01000	A	- 1,000 notes

B. Quantities of Bank of London Notes Issued

	<u>\$5</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$20</u>	<u>\$50</u>	<u>\$100</u>
	41204	4000	0	0	0

C. Quantities of Bank of London Destroyed - 1887-1888

<u>Date</u>	<u>\$5</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$20</u>	<u>\$50</u>	<u>\$100</u>
Oct. 13, 1887	58796*	26000*	2000*	1000*	1000*
Oct. 16, 1887	2060	440			
Oct. 27, 1887	34000	3000			
Nov. 9, 1888	2470	295			
Dec. 21, 1888	2150	225			

* Not issued

Total Destroyed	99476	29960	2000	1000	1000
Total Unredeemed	524	40	0	0	0

D) Issued Notes Known

\$5.00

C00013	
06627	U.W.O. Collection
03361	
03657	
04694	
04742	
06662	
B09820	National Currency Collection
B10011	Bank of Montreal

\$10.00

A00680	National Currency Collection
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BANK OF CANADA CONSIDERS FUTURE NOTES

by Jerry Remick

The introduction of \$200 and \$500 notes to fill the gap between the current \$100 and \$1000 denominations, and the portrayal of Canadians, now deceased, who have made great contributions in various fields, are under consideration by the Bank of Canada for future issues. These changes were reported to me in letters from an officer of the Bank of Canada in reply to several letters I wrote on these subjects.

While the portrait of Queen Elizabeth II was not mentioned in correspondence, I would imagine that the Queen's portrait will be retained on one denomination, as on the new series of banknotes for New Zealand and Australia.

If the portraits of great Canadians do replace those of our prime ministers on a new series, I personally would like to see various animals native to Canada, such as moose, bear, beaver, caribou, bighorn sheep, elk, cougar, etc. shown in their natural surroundings on the backs. Seven of Nepal's current denominations of bank notes show animals of Nepal in their natural surroundings on the backs. I find this attractive.

It should be stressed that the items mentioned above are only in the preliminary consideration phase and that they are ideas for the future. It may take years before Canadians see them on their paper currency, but I feel we will see them some day.

Any changes in Canadian bank notes must first be approved by the minister of finance. After that, the engrav

ing takes a number of years to complete. As an example, the current series now in circulation was approved by the minister in 1978 and the portrait engraving was completed in the early 1980's. The last denomination in the series, the \$20, was not released until 1993.

While the Bank of Canada has never issued a \$200 note, a \$500 note was part of the 1935 series. The \$100 note is the highest denomination currently being printed in the United States. Fearful of aiding large drug transactions, the United States will not, at least for the present, issue a note higher than \$100, and for a time there were rumours that even the \$100 would be withdrawn.

Depicting great Canadians on bank notes is not such a radical or new idea. In 1992-1993 New Zealand issued a new series having a portrait of Sir Edmund Hillary, conqueror of Mount Everest in 1953, on the \$5; Kate Sheppard, prominent leader of the universal suffrage campaign in New Zealand, on the \$10; Queen Elizabeth II on the \$20; Sir Apirana Ngata, important Maori leader on the \$50; and Lord Ernest Rutherford, pioneer of nuclear physics, on the \$100. The backs of all denominations show birds endemic to New Zealand. Australia, which once depicted the monarch on all denominations, now shows portraits of deceased Australians who achieved greatness on both sides of their notes, retaining the portrait of the Queen on the \$5 note.

Portraying Canadians who achieved greatness in their fields may enhance our national pride and sense of identity.

FEEDBACK: DOMINION BANK \$50 1901

Graham Esler has kindly supplied the following register of known notes of this issue, to supplement the information given by Harry Eisenhauer in the last issue of the Newsletter. We have added number 3; perhaps there are one or two more out there somewhere.

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|----|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. | 05621/A | Institutional Collection | |
| 2. | 39818/A | National Currency Collection | |
| 3. | 48355/A | ANA Milwaukee sale lot #3012 | |
| 4. | 49681/A | Private Collection | |
| 5. | 52327/A | Charlton; 30 Sept. 1975 lot #227 | |
| 6. | 79059/A | Institutional Collection | |
| 7. | 87851/A | National Currency Collection | Bogert-Osler (logo) |
| 8. | 93503/A | Interpam, 1981 lot # 249 | Bogert-Osler (logo) |

Notes 1 - 5 have manuscript countersignatures; whether note 6 has the manuscript or typed left signature is not known.

CHEQUE COLLECTOR'S COLUMN

This issue we feature a very attractive cheque with an appearance appropriate for the season.

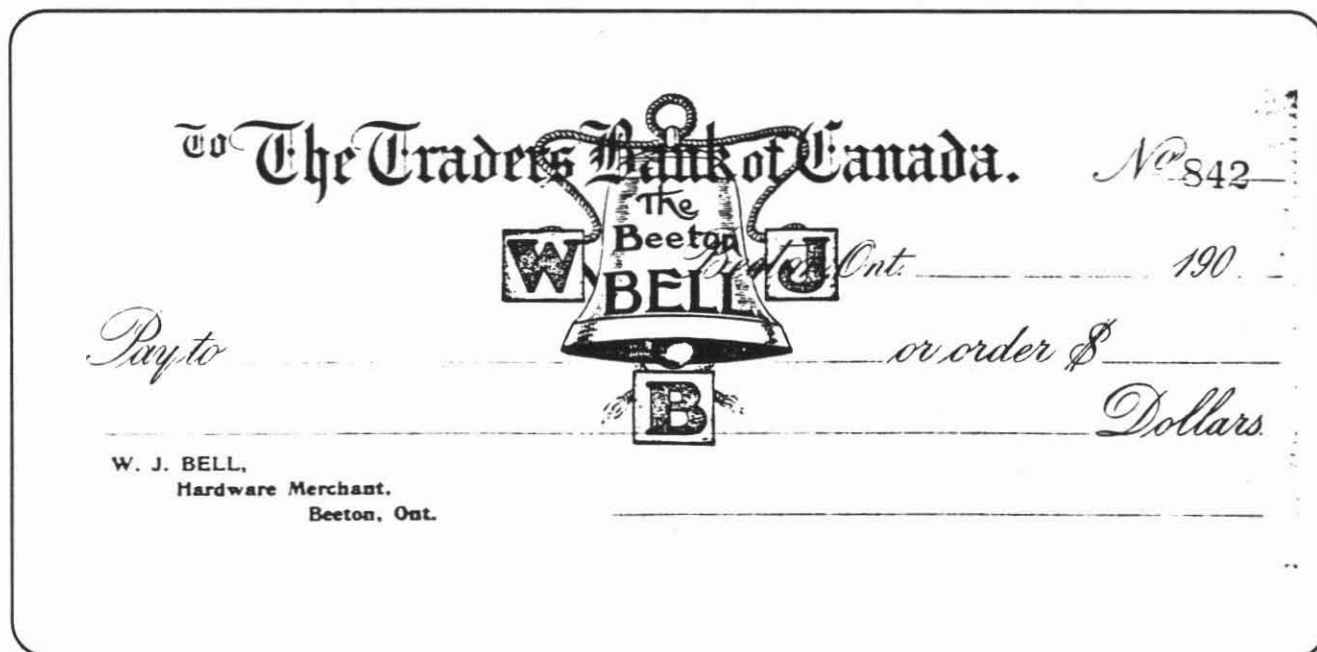
W. J. BELL, HARDWARE MERCHANT, BEETON, ONTARIO

by D. M. Stewart

Near Alliston, north of Toronto, sits the Town of Beeton, founded in 1874 and now with a population of about 2000. In 1888, when W. J. Bell purchased a store on south Main Street and opened a hardware business the population was well under 1000.

Coinciding with the arrival of Bell was the construction of a town hall and the creation of a volunteer fire brigade. It was accepted that a town bell was needed to alert the volunteers when a fire occurred and also to sound the time for the local people. W. J. Bell thought it would be appropriate for him to buy the bell. He was able to purchase a 1400-pound bell for \$133.78 and it was soon installed in a tower at the back of the town hall. For many years, a "bell ringer" sounded the bell at 7:00 am, 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm and 6:00 pm.

W. J. Bell did his banking with the private bank of G. T. Somers and F. Hughes until they sold out to the Traders Bank. The illustrated cheque was in use from December 1908 until 1912 when the Traders Bank was taken over by The Royal Bank of Canada. Walter, Bell's son, entered the firm in 1919 and took over the business upon the death of W. J. Bell in 1935.



The local history of Beeton by Bert Platt and the Beeton Branch Library are the sources of much of the information presented here, for which we are much indebted.

PEOPLES BANK OF NEW BRUNSWICK NOTE REGISTER

In our last issue (September 1993, page 28) we offered a tentative listing of known surviving notes of this bank, with the hope that members would supply additional information. One response was received by the time of writing, from J. Graham Esler, for which we are very grateful. As you can see the listing has been very much amplified. This is probably close to being complete, and the extreme scarcity of all notes of this bank can be appreciated. Only issued notes have been included. Mr. Esler offers two observations which will be of interest.- (1) The \$50 note on page 281 of the current catalogue is misplaced. It does not have the engraved 1897 date, but the partially engraved date __18__, completed with the red 1905 stamp, so the illustration belongs on page 282. (2) Both of the known 1905 \$50 notes are dated Oct. 6. No evidence was found in the National Currency Collection files for the stamped Nov. 2 1905 date.

ABNC Printings, 1864-1873

\$1	2238/A	Sept. 1 1864	Charlton Cat. (NCC)
\$1	10583/A	May 1 1867	NCC
\$1	10741/A	May 1, 1867	
\$2	24479/	Apr. 1 1873	Institutional coll.

Issue of 1874 - Jan. 2, 1874

\$1	32985/A		Private coll.
\$1	34392/A		Institutional coll.
\$1	41626/		Institutional coll.
\$1	46517/A		Charlton Cat. (NCC) ill. Bank of Montreal, v ii, 424
\$1	48832/A	VG	Moore Apr/91 lot 1275
\$2	31566/A	G-VG, UL cor msg	Allan I lot 111;Allan IV lot 502;Charlton Mar/75 lot 397
\$2	32734/		Private coll.
\$2	36897/A		Charlton Cat. (NCC)
\$2	39100/A	VG	CPMJ ad Jan/72 p23;Meloche lot 565;ANA/86 lot 3061

Issue of 1881 - Dec. 1, 1881

\$1	55396/A		NCC
\$1	58230/A	G	ONA/71 lot 369
\$2	64424/A		NCC
\$2	65973/A	VG, lge p. canc. holes	Charlton Dec/74 lot 428
\$10	35663/A		Charlton Cat. (NCC)
\$10	35894/A		Private coll.

Issue of 1885 - \$1: Jan. 2, 1885; \$2: Nov. 2, 1885

\$1	2506/B	VF/F	Charlton Cat. (NCC) Meloche lot 564
\$1	5277/B		Private coll.
\$1	8159/		Institutional coll.
\$1	8908/		Institutional coll.
\$1	10096/A	VG	Allan V lot 505;CNA/78 lot 324
\$1	12647/A	G-VG	ANA/86 lot 3062
\$5	04396/B		NCC
\$5	05322/A	VG "3 known"	Charlton Cat.; CNA/76 lot 1148

Issue of 1897 - June 22, 1897

\$5	05616/C		NCC
\$5	06068/		Institutional coll.
\$10	09261/A		NCC
\$10	09649/		Institutional coll.
\$20	00535/A		NCC
\$20	00574/C		Charlton Cat. (Institutional Coll.)

Issue of 1904 - July 1, 1904

\$10 10486/

\$10 11290/A VG

\$10 11452/C

Institutional coll.

CNA/79 lot 838

Charlton Cat. (NCC)

Issue of 1905 - partially engr. date __18__ ; Oct. 6, 1905 stamped in red

\$50 2694/A

NCC

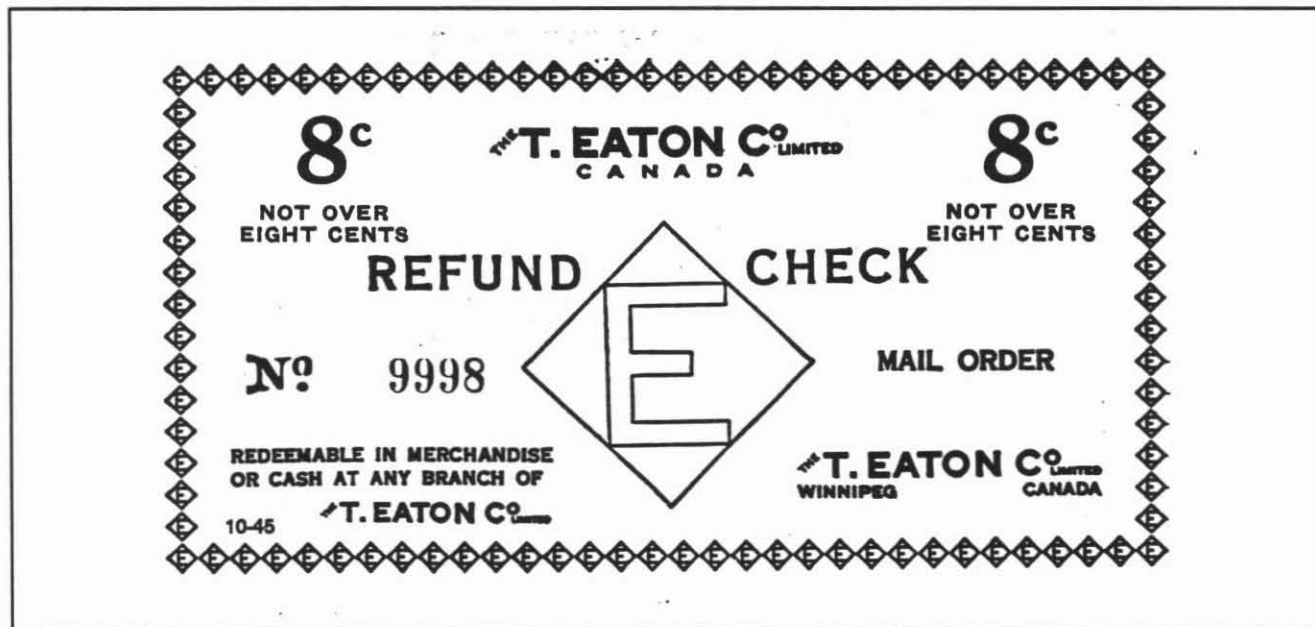
\$50 2786/A

Charlton Cat. (Institutional coll.)

FEEDBACK: REFUND CHEQUES

We have had an encouraging response to Ron Greene's seminal article on refund cheques in Issue #3.

From Don Stewart comes the photocopy below, of an unlisted denomination (8¢) of the T. Eaton Co., in green. Don suggests that the dated scrip are colour coded, with one colour being associated with the issue of a particular date. As evidence, he has cheques in denominations of 3¢, 4¢, 7¢ and 15¢ all dated "7-46", and all on yellow.



Ron's article prompted this contribution on another series of refund cheques:

ARMY AND NAVY DEPT. STORE LTD. REFUND CHEQUES - REGINA, SASK.

By Earl J. Salterio

According to a letter received by the writer in November 1981 from Mr. G. A. Kerley, the store's merchandise manager, the store began operations in 1919. The refund cheques were only used in the mail order department, to refund small amounts of 1¢ to 99¢ to customers. The cheque method of refunding had then been in effect for over fifty years, with the exact starting date not known. The cheques were redeemable at any of the retail outlets: Regina, Moose

Jaw and Saskatoon in Saskatchewan; Calgary and Edmonton in Alberta; Vancouver and New Westminster in British Columbia.

As of the date of my correspondence with Mr. Kerley, I had a complete set of the cheques, which are serial numbered but not dated. All are signed by Mr. Kerley. The specimens in my collection have letters K, L, M, and N as suffixes to the numbers. Colours are as follows:

Green: 1¢, 2¢, 3¢, 4¢, 5¢, 6¢

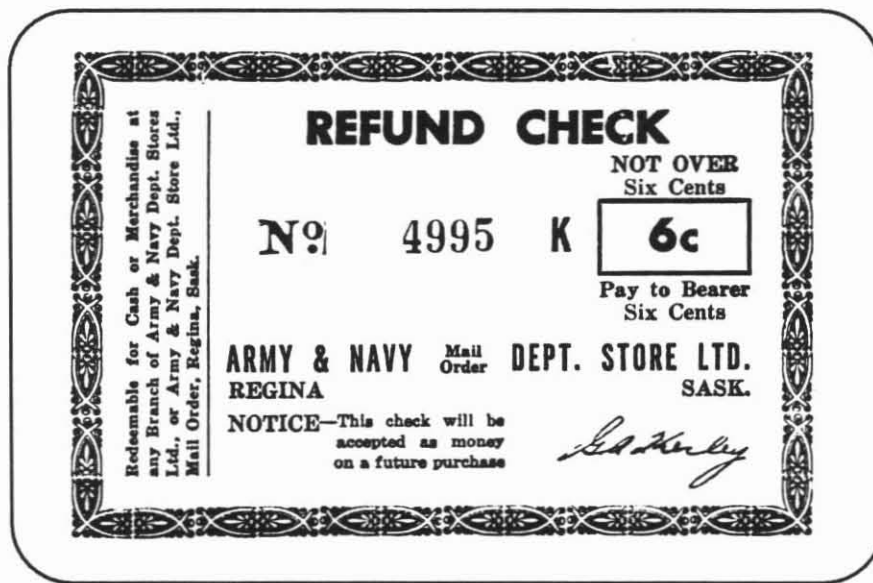
Pink: 6¢, 7¢, 8¢, 9¢, 10¢

Yellow: 15¢, 20¢, 25¢, 30¢

It will be noted that the 6¢ is listed in green and pink, and Mr.

Kerley informed me, there was "no particular reason, probable printer's error."

I understand the mail order department was discontinued in 1986 and Mr. Kerley retired at the same time.



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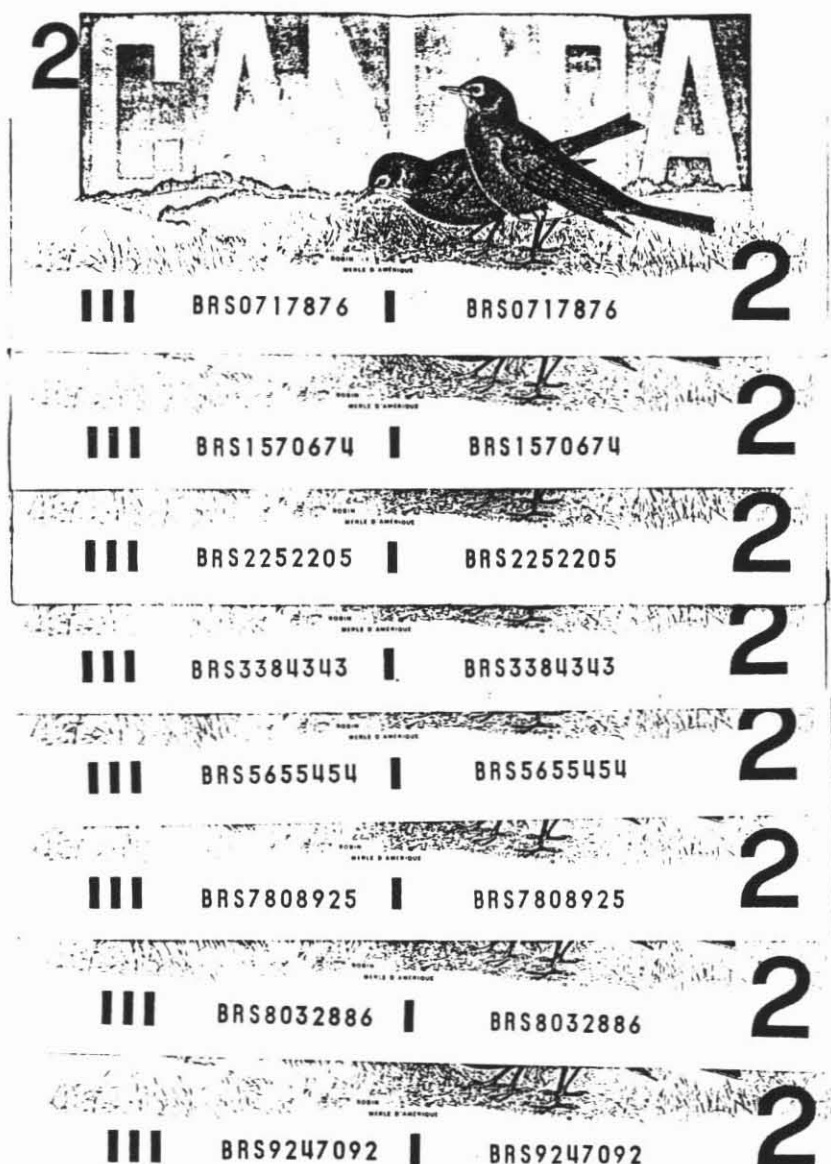
THE \$2 1986 BRS PREFIX - TEST NOTE OR REGULAR NOTE?

by Lub Wojtiw

About a year ago the first \$2 1986 prefix note appeared in circulation, and immediately speculation arose that this may be a new test note. After all, the RS prefix was used in the two-letter series to designate test notes in both the 1974 \$2 and 1974 \$5 issue. So why not BRS as a test note prefix for the three-letter series? From September 1992 to April 1993 more BRS prefix notes were continuously reported from various parts of Canada. However the serial numbers in all cases were below 2.6 million, fuelling the rumours that the BRS prefix was truly a test note.

Numerous letters were written between collectors in an effort to determine the true status of this note, and the low-high range of the the observed serial numbers. In May and June of 1993 further BRS \$2 notes appeared in circulation with serial numbers in the 3 to 5 million range, casting doubt upon the early conjectures. Finally the appearance of BRS \$2 notes in the 7, 8 and 9 million range in June and July of 1993 confirmed that the entire series of 10 million notes was probably printed and released and that the BRS \$2 is not a test note but a regular issue note. The accompanying illustration shows the range of serial numbers the author has been able to accumulate to resolve the mystery of this prefix.

In conclusion, the BRS is a regular issue prefix, and we can now concentrate on other challenges, and there will probably be more in the future.



NEW HIGH AND LOW NUMBERS FOR BANK OF CANADA NOTES

by Walter Allan

1954 Issue:

BC-39cA	\$5 Bouey-Rasminsky	*R/X 0162692	(new low)	Est. total: 320,000
BC-40bA	\$10 Beattie-Rasminsky	*B/D 0000749	(new low)	Est. total: 2,496,000

Multicoloured Issue:

BC-48bA	\$5 Lawson-Bouey	*CS0372223	(new high)	Est. total: 50,000
BC-48bA	\$5 Lawson-Bouey	*CV3231838	(new high)	Est. total: 350,000
BC-49eA	\$10 Thiessen-Crow	EDX4728194	(new low)	

☛ Thanks to member Gilles Pomerleau.

12th EDITION OF CATALOGUE OF CURRENT FOREIGN CIRCULATING BANK NOTES

A review by Jerry Remick

The Winter 1993-94 edition (12th edition) of the quarterly publication "*MRI Bankers' Guide to Foreign Currency*" by Arnoldo Efron, director of Monetary Research International, is available to numismatists at the special price of \$40 U. S. postpaid from Monetary Research International, P.O. Box 3174, Houston, Texas 77253-3174 (☎ 713 827-1796). Four quarterly issues are available to numismatists at the special price of \$120 U. S., postpaid (\$50 U.S./issue or \$200 U.S. for non-numismatists).

The 266 page, 8 1/2 X 11 inch, soft covered book lists, describes and illustrates the current bank notes of each country, with a separate section on outmoded and redeemable bank notes still in circulation. Some 220 countries are covered, some of the countries using the bank notes of others.

I find the book extremely useful as an update to "*The Standard Catalogue of World Paper Money*", volume II, by Albert Pick, the last edition of which was published in the early summer of 1990. Since then a number of countries have issued bank notes for the first time, or for the first time in 50 or so years, including the Baltic countries and the new republics that were former members of the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia. A substantial number of bank notes have been issued by some African and Latin American countries, some

with varieties, and all confusing to collect without a catalogue. The "*MRI Bankers' Guide to Foreign Currency*" fills the gap and for that reason I find it an indispensable reference.

A reduced size photograph is shown of the face of each note, and data presented under each include denomination, date of issue, colour, often the Pick number and a brief description of the vignettes. Data on counterfeits and recently demonetized notes are given. The latter can be especially useful, as in some countries where recent notes now have no value but could easily be passed to any person or institution not well informed on the subject. The import-export restrictions on currency for each country are given, indicating the amount of the currency that may be taken in or out by a visitor, as well as the amount of foreign currency that can be exported.

A ten page section is devoted to travellers' cheques of 18 countries, with photographs of cheques from each issuing company, denominations, colours and company addresses. Two pages at the end of the book list the official tourist rate of exchange for each country's currency in terms of foreign units per United States dollar.

This book is a most useful update of Pick's catalogue on world paper money and of great aid to the traveller.

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C.N.A. CONVENTION ROUND-UP

Exhibits

The Westmorland Bank of New Brunswick received appropriate emphasis in the non-competitive displays at Moncton. The Bank of Canada mounted a six-case exhibit, of which the highlights included a \$1 1854 in very clean EF or better, \$2 1856 clean EF, \$20 1856, \$2 and \$5 1861 with the very rare Trites-Jones signatures, \$20 and \$40 face proofs, \$1.1.2.5 face and tint proof sheets, and a \$1.1.2.5 remainder sheet. Your editor made a pre-convention pilgrimage to the Moncton Museum to see the Westmorland Bank cornerstone known to be housed there, only to learn that it wasn't available. Well, it turned out to be on exhibit at the show, together with a large portrait of Oliver Jones, circa 1865. (The only previously known photo of Oliver was taken in old age.) The cornerstone was inscribed, "Westmorland Bank Erected 1854". The structure itself is long gone.

Competitive displays of interest to paper money enthusiasts included a set of 1954 asterisk notes, \$1 through \$20; a sort of rogue's gallery item—a cheque payable to the American Nazi Party for \$25,000 and endorsed by George Lincoln Rockwell; and the winning exhibit—Dominion of Canada \$50,000 bank legals, consisting of a 1918 face proof without tint, a 1924 face proof with tint, and a back proof.

Luncheon Speaker

J. Richard Becker spoke on merchant's scrip and bank notes of the State of Yucatan, Mexico. Chartered banking in this region extended from the late 1880's to the civil war period, circa 1915, only. Many slides of notes from his collection were of rarities unknown prior to the Christie's ABN Archives sales. The notes are generally very attractive, with superb vignettes and vibrant colours. Dick finds this an interesting and rewarding collection topic, and has a happy association with the region from his winter holidays there.

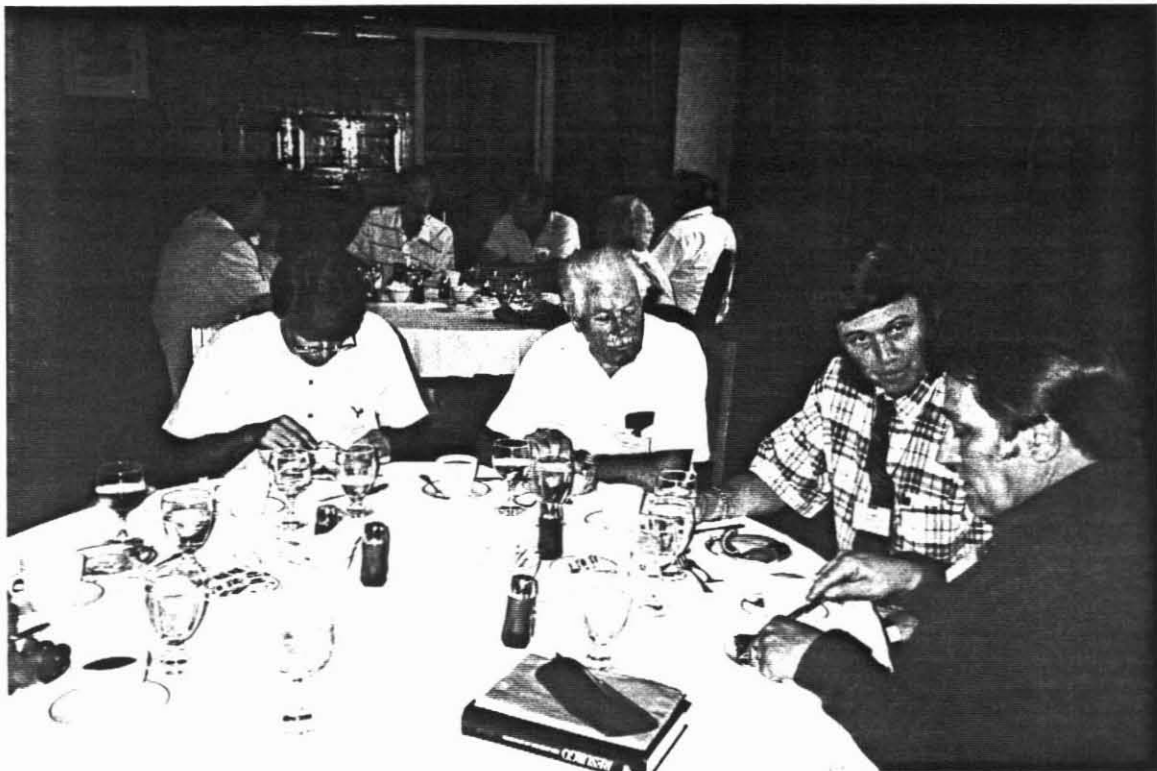
Medals

CPMS service medals were presented to society officers Dick Dunn, Ted Banning and Ron Greene. Ron also won the paper money exhibit medal, for his display of \$50000 bank legals. Lub Wojtiw was awarded the past president's medal, the Ruth McQuade Literary Award went to our current president, Walter Allan, and Dick Becker received the luncheon speaker's medal.

□ RJG




Clockwise from front: Bill McDonald, Geoff Bell, Harry Eisenhauer, Wayne Gillcash, Ralph Dickieson, Gwen McDonald.



From left: David Fraser, George Fraser, Jerry Remick, Jim Betton



From left, Graham Esler, I. M. Hiding, Ted Leitch, Richard Giedroyc, Ann Greene, Ron Greene

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Head Table, from left: Sheldon Carroll, Jim Charlton, Dick Dunn, Lub Wojtiw, Bob Graham, Dick Becker.

Photos courtesy Dick Dunn.

**BANK OF CANADA NOTES IN CIRCULATION
AS AT 31 OCT. 1993**

-data courtesy J. Graham Esler

Bank of Canada Notes

Denomination	Value
\$1	\$165,224,099.50
\$2	411,183,060.00
\$5	717,721,437.50
\$10	971,788,150.00
\$20	7,040,521,000.00
\$25	46,350.00
\$50	3,642,576,475.00
\$100	9,969,247,850.00
\$500	23,000.00
\$1000	1,992,127,500.00

Other Notes	
Dominion Notes	\$4,635,420.49
Chartered Bank Notes	\$8,121,812.10
Defunct Bank Notes	\$88,156.07
Provincial Notes	\$27,566.83

UNLISTED NOTE DISCOVERED

A \$50 note of The Bank of Toronto, dated 1906, has just turned up. It was sold in Lyn Knight's auction at St. Louis, Mo. this fall, for US \$2310, including commission. Although described as being in Fine condition, the note was VG by Canadian grading standards. This fully issued note was not previously known. The latest Charlton catalogue listed the \$50 1906 as a specimen only. The note is numbered 05587/A and bears the engraved signature of W. H. Beatty.

☞ Thanks to the two CPMS members who provided the information on this important find.

The set of 1967 Centennial \$1 solid serial number notes pictured on page 27 belongs to Mike Abramson, Duluth, MN. Assembling such a collection is no mean feat! Does anybody know of another?



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FOR SALE: Private collection, 25¢ 1870 plain, AU \$120; \$100 1937 BC-27c EF \$140; \$1 1973 Replacement BC-46bA, five consecutive, \$50. Karl Maltais, 17100 Apple Blossom, Pierrefonds, QC H9J 1J2

FOR SALE: Unused copy of *The Bank of Upper Canada*, Peter Baskerville, Editor, The Champlain Society, Toronto 1987. Crested gold stamping, uncut pages. Original price \$45.00. Special 30% reduction plus \$3.00 mailing costs. Sheldon J. Godfrey, 49 Front Street East, 3rd Floor, Toronto, ON M5E 1B3.

FOR SALE: Standard Bank of Canada, deposit receipts, Campbellford branch 1882. Stubs reattached. \$5 each, postpaid. R. J. Graham, 395 Fraser St., Pembroke, ON K8A 1Y5

WANTED: Royal Bank-1901 \$10 and 1933 \$20, any condition. Westmorland Bank- \$20 and \$40 notes; 1855 \$2 and 1861 \$2 (Trites-Jones). Harry Eisenhauer, P.O. Box 3826, Sta. B, Saint John, NB E2M 5C2

WANTED: Cheques of the "broken" and private banks of Canada. Don Stewart, 2576 Margate Ave., Victoria, BC V8S 3A4

WANTED: Any information on the Bank of the County of Elgin, including information from notes, ie. serial number, signatures, dates, etc. Murray Vanzanten, 16 Applewood Crescent, St. Thomas, ON N5R 1H2

WANTED: Prefixes wanted in Cr. Unc. \$1: EAH, BCJ \$2: AGA, ARC, ARN, AUL (T-C) \$5: ENT, EOH (blue), FNN, FNT, FNW, FOB, FOG \$10: ADY. Have good assortment of surplus prefixes in Cr. Unc., regular and radar. Will trade. Write, Morris Zayac, 1552-106 St., North Battleford, SASK S9A 1X8

WANTED: Canadian notes with the following prefixes: \$1: ECM \$2: BBT, BBU, BGN, BRW, BRY \$5: EPU, FNR, FNS \$10: EDF, EDG, EDM, EDN, EDP, EDR, EDS, EDU, EER, EET, EEU. Will purchase or trade. Write, George Fraser, 70 Invermay Ave., Downsview ON M3H 1Z5

WANTED: One dollar, 1937 Bank of Canada, prefixes J/A, K/A, M/A, N/A, U/A; two dollars C/B, D/B. W. Allan, 2442 Lakeshore Hwy. W., Oakville ON L6L 1H7

WANTED: The following \$5 notes: EPP, EPT, FOE, FOJ, FOM, FOR, FOS, FNE, FNR, FNS, FNU, FNY, in crisp UNC. Please write Dick Dunn, P.O. Box 465, West Hill P.O., West Hill, ON M1E 2P0

ANOTHER UNKNOWN MAN REVEALED

R. J. Graham

Who is the gentleman portrayed at the bottom left of the Niagara District Bank \$4 and \$5 notes of the first chartered bank issues, of 1855 and 1862? In the *Charlton Standard Catalogue of Canadian Bank Notes*, the non-committal note descriptions only specify "male portrait". Some collectors have long believed that he is Hon. William Hamilton Merritt, but documentary evidence has been lacking.

Finally a contemporary source has been located which supports the contention that the portrait is indeed that of Mr. Merritt. The source is the *Monetary Times*, which twice identified the Merritt portrait in connection with reporting

counterfeits of the \$4 note. The first instance was in the issue of 8 Oct. 1868:

"Counterfeit \$4 notes of the Niagara District Bank have been circulated in St. Catherines. A local paper says they are a close imitation of the genuine, and are likely to deceive those not initiated in the detection of counterfeits. The notes are darker colored, shorter and wider, as well as softer in texture, than the genuine. The easiest method of detection is in the portrait of the **Hon. W. H. Merritt**, whose features have a sharp, contracted expression, and the eyes are unnatural..."

The second reference was in the same periodical, of

21 Jan. 1869, quoting the *Spectator* of 13 Jan.:
 "Yesterday we were shown a counterfeit \$4 note on the Niagara District Bank. The counterfeit may be easily detected by a careful examination of the Vignette on the left hand corner, which is a portrait of the **Hon. W. H. Merritt**, being most wretchedly executed. The rest of the note is passable. We understand there are a considerable number in circulation."

Mr. Merritt is also shown on the notes of the 1872 issue, again positioned at the left, but the portrait is not the same as that used on the previous issues, and is in fact identical to the one used on various note issues of the Imperial Bank of Canada dated variously between 1875 and 1920. The notes of the earlier, counterfeited issue bear the imprint of Danforth, Wright & Co., while those of the final issue, as well as the Imperial Bank notes referred to, carry the American Bank Note Co. imprint.

EDITOR'S POTPOURRI

Member Murray Vanzanten, whose classified ad appears in this issue, informs us that the building featured on all notes of the Bank of the County of Elgin was the newly built court house. The building is still standing, with alterations and additions, and is still being used as a court house.

It is nice to see that Canadian paper money is of general interest beyond Canada's borders. Member Richard A. Beck of Ohio has provided a clipping of a coin collector's column in his local paper, which features the Bank of Canada \$25 commemorative note of 1935, complete with illustration.

In this column last issue, reference was made to the discovery of a set of Graphic Co. notes. *Canadian Coin News* recently carried an advertisement depicting two of these. Whether the notes are proofs or remainders has not yet been determined, according to the ad. The collection, containing 20 Canadian and 9 United States notes, is to be auctioned by Montreal Coin & Stamp on January 25-26, 1994.

The previous issue of *Canadian Coin News* (Dec. 7) carried a report by Jerry Remick of the rather late discovery of scrip issued in 1992 by the Chamber of Commerce of Aurora, Ont. At the

time of writing there was no known source of these notes for collectors. Jerry has just written to advise interested members that Ray Desjardins, P.O. Box 11447 Station H, Nepean, ON K2H 7V1 can provide the set of five notes (5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢, \$1) for \$4.50, postpaid.

It might be wise to put away a few uncirculated Thiessen-Crow notes before the signature change comes into effect, especially the new \$20's which are still not very abundant in circulation.



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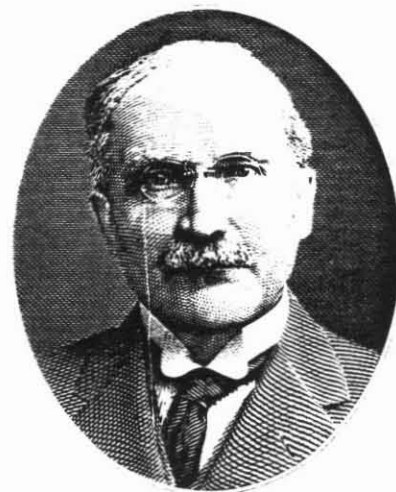
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