

SYNOPSIS

Saint-Pierre et Miquelon, le 2f. Croix de Langlade de 1947.

This presentation shows all the components issued by the engraver, I have taken the opportunity to display the original and unique engraved die, the different stages of the impression are displayed thanks to three artist proofs including the rare and unique final authorized proof.

A page shows the exceptional and unique ink variety presented in block of four.

USAGE : the 2f was used for local covers rate

Several interesting local covers including a very rare and unique 'invoice'. Other covers sent to France or foreign countries ; some of which are registered ; by this way, this stamp is used like complement

Also, two rare covers shows the hexagonal postmark from small offices used in Miquelon and Langlade (unique) and another one mailed on board and postmarked "paquebot" (Canada),

A suitable subject for a single frame exhibit.

A **red dot** indicates when the piece is **unique** to this day.

THE « DIE » : SPM has printed their stamps in private printing house in 1947 and 1952. By this way, the « die » could be found on the market in 1992.

A « die » in an exhibit is extremely rare and unusual !

The awards obtained with this exhibit :

- 6 national Gold medals 2010-2015
- 3 Single Grand Awards - 92 and 93 points - (Chicago 2010 - Orapex 2010 and 2011)
- **2 international fiaf Gold + Special prizes with 92 points** (Paraguay 2011- Chile 2014)
- 2 APS excellence medals