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UP and COMING

October 9 Club Meeting Program TBA

October 13 Douglas J Gray Open House Dartmouth

October 18 Friends of Philately NS Museum Boardroom, Halifax

October 20 Show and Bourse Fredericton Stamp Club (See pg 4)

November 10 Douglas J Gray Open House Dartmouth

November 13 Club Meeting Program TBA

November 15 Friends of Philately NS Museum Boardroom, Halifax

Travelling? Check out time and place of other shows at www.rpsc.org/shows.html

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British Victorian Jubilee Labels

by Michael Peach

No commemorative stamps were issued by Great Britain to honour Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee in 1897. The first British commemorative stamps were the 1924 issue marking the British Empire Exhibition. Canada had been more progressive, and in 1897 issued the Diamond Jubilee series, the first commemorative issue.

Confusion arose in Great Britain in 1897 when a series of labels were produced to mark the Diamond Jubilee, bearing the words Commemorative Stamp and Diamond Jubilee 1897. There was also a value in pence. The labels show four generations of the Royal Family, in line of succession. The lower values have Queen Victoria wearing a veil and small crown. The higher values show the Kings in waiting, the 4d



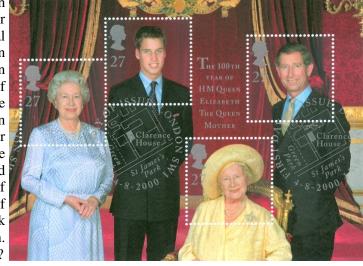
Prince and Princess of Wales, later King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra, the 6d the Duke and Duchess of York, later King George V and Queen Mary and the 2d purple (not shown) the young Prince Edward, later Prince of Wales, King Edward VIII and then the Duke of Windsor. The other value in the series was a red 3d with the same design as the 4d label.

The labels are classified as cinderellas and were not valid for the payment of postage. They were lithographed on non-watermarked gummed white wove paper and perforated 14. It is not clear where they were printed. They were distributed by the London stamp dealers, W.S. Lincoln and Wallace Bros., later H. & A. Wallace.

The labels were often used for postage, causing an embarrassment to the Post Office. I have not seen any on cover, but I have not been on the look-out for such covers. They were often found affixed to a decorative page.

Interestingly the British Post Office produced a mini-sheet in 2000 to mark the

Queen Mother's 100th birthday, with four generations of the Royal Family, the Queen Mother, Queen Elizabeth, the Prince of Wales and Prince William. The Canadian 1935 George V Silver Jubilee issue besides the King and Queen featured the then line of succession, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and Princess Elizabeth. Was Canada Post a seer?



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PALMARES

Grand Award and NSSC—J. J. MacDONALD AWARD Gary Steele <u>1937 - 1938 Canadian</u> Definitive Issue

Reserve Grand Award

Jean-Jacques Tillard Les Vignettes postales de St. Pierre et Miguelon 1885-1893

One-Frame Exhibit Grand Award Jean Jacques Tillard Les entiers postaux "Pêcheur" et

<u>"Goéland" à St. Pierre et Miquelon</u> 1909-1918

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors—Youth Grand Award Jesse Chevrier <u>Owls</u>

Nova Scotia Stamp Club Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

http://www.nsstampclub.ca/

Nova Scotia Stamp Club meets at 7:30 p.m. on every second Tuesday of the month (except July and August) at the Nova Scotia Museum, 1747 Summer Street, Halifax, N.S. The club publishes a monthly newsletter (except summer) which is released on the first week of the month.

Dues are C\$15 per person (US\$20 US, US\$25 International) or C\$22.50 per couple payable to:

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NATIONAL EXHIBITS

Gold		-					
Ray Corbett	The Pe	enny Posts of Edinburgh and District 1773-1840					
Loic Detcheve	erry	Loose Ship-Letters from St. Pierre					
Loic Detcheve	erry	Saint-Pierre et Miquelon et la pêche au début					
		<u>du siècle dernier</u>					
Brainard Fitzgeral		The 1939 Royal Tour of North America					
		<u>- The Philatelic Trail</u>					
American Philatelic Society - 1900-1940 Medal							
Rob Lunn	Canad	a 1898 Imperial Penny Postage Stamp					
John Walsh	Newfoundland Precursor Stampless Documents and Proper						
		s of 1898 Queen Victoria First Revenue Stamp Issue					
	American Revenue Assoc Best Revenue Exhibit						
		S—Best Researched BNA Exhibit					
Jane Sodero	Milford House - A Rustic Resort for Over a Century						
	BNAP	S—Best One Frame BNA Exhibit					
Barry Senior	Perfor	ated Initials and Insignia on Stamps of Newfoundland					
	Philatelic Specialists Society of Canada Award						
Gary Steele	<u> 1937 -</u>	<u>1938 Canadian Definitive Issue</u>					
		—Title Page Excellence Award					
	BNAP	S—Best BNA Exhibit					
J-J Tillard	<u>Les er</u>	<u>itiers postaux "Pêcheur" et "Goéland" à</u>					
	<u>St. Pie</u>	rre et Miquelon 1909-1918					
J-J Tillard	Les Vi	gnettes postales de St. Pierre et Miquelon 1885-1893					
Eigil Trondsen	n <u>Cunar</u>	d Line: The Ships and the Transatlantic Mail 1840-1867					
	Ameri	can Philatelic Society - Pre 1900 Medal					

American Philatelic Society - Research Award Medal

Vermeil

Jesse Chevrier Owls (Youth)								
Jean-Louis Desdouets St. Pierre et Miquelon, le Frigorifique et la Spec								
	<u>1955-1956</u>							
Olivier Detcheverry Le Phare de La Pointe-aux-canons à St. Pierre								
	et Miguelon							
Doreen Fitzgerald Greetings from Digby through Postcards - 1905-1935								
Jack Forbes	Cyprus: King George VI Definitives Used on Surface Mail							
American Philatelic Society - 1940-1980 Medal								
Jack Forbes	Selected Decimal Blocks from Pre-Confederation							
	Eastern Canadian Colonies							
Michael Mather	London Cancels - Development during the Victorian Period							
John McEntyre The Electricity and Gas Inspection Revenue								
	Issue of Canada							
Jeff Parks	King George VI: Postes-Postage Issue, 1949-1950							
	AAPE—Gold Pin							
Michael Peach	British Postal Stationery Cut Outs							
Michael Peach	Postal Stationery Wrappers - Victorian Britain							
Gordon Smith	The Post Marks of Port Hood							
Ron Smith	Fancy Cancels from New Brunswick used during the							
	<u>Small Queen Era</u>							
Livie-Laure Tillard La Marianne de Briat surchargée St Pierre at Miquelon								
(Youth)	AAPE—Gold Pin, Youth Second							

Sean Weatherup

The Nova Scotia Post

The Railway Post Office in 19th Century Nova Scotia

BNAPS—Best 2, 3, or 4 frame BNA Exhibit **BNAPS**—William G. Robinson Award (RPO Study Group) PHSC—Best BNA Postal History Exhibit NSSC—Ken MacDonald Postal History Award

Marty Zelenietz Nahariya Emergency Mail Service, 20 March to 21 May, 1948

Silver

George Constantourakis

Greco-Roman Sculpture, Historical Development AAPE— Women's Exhibitors Sterling **Achievement Award American Topical Association - Gold**

Matthew Gaiser 1982 Philatelic Youth Issue (Youth)

AAPE—Youth Third

Fiscal War Tax Stamps of Canada John Hall Postal War Tax Stamps of Canada John Hall Richard Malott Armed Forces Airletter Forms

PHSC—Rich Toop Memorial Trophy

Richard Malott Canadian Air Letters and Aerogrammes Joelle Olaisola Le Regard à travers les timbres de St Pierre et Miguelon Lorraine Rasmussen Henry Hechler and the United

States

Elizabeth Sodero Gadabout George and Greedy Gussie - An III-fated Love Story

AAPE—Philatelic Exhibiting Creativity

Silver-Bronze

Lealand Frizzell King George VI Peace Issue

Bronze

Lorraine Basmussen Post Cards as Easter and Christmas Greetings

AAPE—American Assoc. of Philatelic Exhibitors **BNAPS**—British North America Philatelic Society PHSC—Postal History Society of Canada

The Dave Cooper Memorial Trophy For One Frame Competition Team St. Pierre et Miguelon: J.J. Tillard; Livie-Laure Tillard, Fabrice Fouchard; Loic Detcheverry and Olivier Detcheverry

REGIONAL EXHIBITS

Gold

Brainard Fitzgerald The Postcard's Contribution to the Evolution of the Santa Image Fabrice Fouchard Le 15c "Tête de pêcheur" à St. Pierre et Miguelon AAPE—Novice Award

Vermeil

Ray Corbett The Maltese Cross Cancellations of Scotland AAPE—Silver Pin Doreen Fitzgerald Teddy Roosevelt - A Philatelic View of His Life and Legacy AAPE—Silver Pin Silver

Graham Forbes Philatelic Specialties of the Second Boer War Jim Graham Canadian Perfins with Nova Scotia Connections The J. Doug Allen Novice **AAPE - WE Sterling Achievement Award** Gillian Keeping The Magnificant Horses

Silver-Bronze Marty Zelenietz Raptors I Have Known

Nova Scotia Stamp Club Award Michael Peach



Gary Steele (I) receiving the Grand Award form Chief Judge Doug Lingard, as Novapex 2012 Chair John Hall looks on

Classifieds

Amanda Lewis has begun a business selling stamps and supplies - more details will follow in future editions. You can contact Amanda at <u>ARL1964@yahoo.ca</u>.

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Membership

Douglas Moss, Halifax, who was introduced at the September meeting has applied for membership. Doug told us that he is back to collecting now that he is retired and collects Canada and United States. The roll now stands at 113 members.

> Fredericton Stamp Club Show and Bourse Saturday October 20 2012 9 am until 4 pm

Fredericton High School, Prospect Rd

DOOR PRIZES

DEALERS

EXHIBITS

FREE ADMISSION

Newsletter Articles

Send me your articles and cover stories now. Unless of a timely nature, items will be printed on a first come basis. Thanks for all those who have contributed in the past we look forward to hearing form you again. **The deadline** for the November issue is October 26, 2012.

NEW ISSUES

April 2012



Christmas Cookies and Stained Glass are the subject matter of this years' Christmas stamps to be issued by Canada Post on October 15.



Discussing an exhibit at Novapex 2012

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I will be taking cash or cheque at the October meeting. Also you can send a cheque to the NS Stamp Club care of the address on Page 2.

Invoices are enclosed but pay early and avoid the hassle and waste of paper.

Membership cards have been distributed and will continue to be via post as payment arrives.

Deadline for payment is Dec. 15, 2012.

Contact me at

webnews@nsstampclub.ca or 876-0099 if you are unsure if you paid.

Appointments and Awards

NOVAPEX 2012

The palmares is on page 2 and 3. Congratulations to all the winners.

BNAPEX 2012 CALTAPEX

Back in September we had not received the official word on BNAPEX. However, we are pleased to announce that **Gary Steele** was a the recipient of the Horace W Harrison Grand Award for his exhibit - <u>1937-1938 Definitive</u> <u>Issue.</u>

Honourary Life Members

At Novapex 2012, President Sean Weatherup awarded Honourary Life Memberships to Michael Peach and Jack Forbes.

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