

Wally Gutzman, Dan Hunka, Greig Hutton, Jim Karr, Robert Meer, Mrs. Zenith Mintert, Bill Robinson, Joe Smith, Keith Spencer and Al Steinhart. Detailed reports are shown for Mariwake, PQ; Montmagny, PQ; Picton, ON; Riviere Du Loup, PQ and Rouyn-Norande PQ. There are pages of illustrations of "K" cancels. Greig Hutton submits charts of data for towns with discontinued usage. This will be continued with data from the members. This group is obviously gung-ho, and this fine newsletter reflects this.

The first page of the **Military** newsletter, editor Ken Ellison, is devoted to an illustrated new Kingston Prisoner of War Censor Marking-WWI. Colin Campbell has authored an article, *Nanaimo Internment Camp-WWI*, in the June '89 issue of PHSC. Al Steinhart submits some notes on a pictured YMCA card from the Vernon, B.C. Internment Camp (3-22-19). This is of special interest because both military and civil censor markings were used. An article, *Two New Sightings of WWI Directional Markings*, by John Frith pictures and discusses two nice covers. The reverse of one is shown. It is completely covered with backstamps. Colin Campbell presents, *A Card from R.M.S. Megantic-1st Canadian Contingent 1914*. Colin has written a very interesting article about this card from a member of the 48th Royal Highlanders. Ritch Toop expands on an earlier article with, *W.D.C.S. A Few More Words About Grosse Ile*. W.D.C.S. stands for War Disease Control Station. The newsletter concludes with a note on a book, *Guarding the Goldfields/The Story of the Yukon Field Force*. Ed Brereton Greenhouse-Canadian War Museum Historical Publication No. 24. It seems that though the Y.F.F. was active from 5-6-98 to 7-5-00, there is a dearth of covers. It would be negligent not to mention Ritch Toop's monumental index of Military Newsletters from day one. Other study groups - any volunteers?

The frontispiece of the **Newfie** newsletter, editor Clarence Stillions, shows two blocks from a proof sheet of Scott #184, plate 5. They show the word on one block, and the plate number on the other. A review of a new book, *North Atlantic Mail Sailings, 1840-75*, by Walter Hubbard and Richard F. Winter commends this as a data source for early Newfoundland covers. Again *Linns* has featured a Newfoundland stamp in its *Errors in Stamp Design*. This time it is the backward "z" a Scott #92. True it may be. However, Harry Ingram wrote an article, here in reproduced, refuting this in

the June '48 *Topics*. The choice is yours. Finally the newsletter discusses the mixed perforation of Scott#87.

The newsletter, the **Perforator**, of the *Holey* people is edited by Michael Behm. Conrad Tremblay pictures and talks about the modified perforators of M14, W7 and S5. The results of the Map stamp survey is presented. The editor, with reason, bemoans the availability, for anyone who wished to make perfins, of a Canadian Westinghouse perforator at the Hamilton R.P.S.C. show. The results of their perfin auction are noted. One perfin brought \$440.00. Holes can be expensive. Result of the Centennial Definitives survey is tabulated in detail. Jack Benningen also tabulates the use of the Swift perforators. Last is a list from Conrad Tremblay of his cancellations on Swift perfins.

Robert Lemire is the editor for the **Postal Stationery** group. He sounds an alert for anyone who encounters certain material which was stolen from a member. Bill Walton presents Puzzle #6, *The 2¢ on 1¢ Surcharges on the Geo. VI Post Cards*; and #7, *Late Printings of the Medallion Issue Envelopes*. Mark Arons forwarded photocopies of three new money order pictorial cards. John Aitken, Mike Sagan and Dick Staeker have reported special order envelope ERPs. The updating of this list is held in abeyance until Earle Covert's data is available. The editor and Dill Qalton make several corrections to this list. John Aitken reports an ERP for the Dow Chemical Co. 8¢ Centennial private order multiple form, EN563-60. Bill Walton reviews the Jarrett books in light of their effect on the collection of postal stationery. John Aitken presents with illustrations, *Canadian Pacific Railway Pictorial Post Cards - More Varieties of CPR3a*. Robert Lemire concludes the newsletter with, *Precancelled Post Cards - The Early Orders*.

Bill Robinson's front page reproduces a picture of the 1880 Toronto Post office. However, he gets back to *Railroading* with two pretty covers: one, from J.M. McCrea, shows registry at the P.O. car; and a beauty, from Ken Ellison, with the scarce S-201 marking. Since no credit is given I'll credit Bill with a brief history of the London and Port Stanley Railway Co., and two reprints of newspaper articles. One article is about *Owney* the postal dog, who travelled over much of the world with the blessings of various postal departments. The second reprint is, *When The Railways Ran on Wood*, by Hattie Finn. A rare cover is pictured