

CANADIAN PHILATELIC SOCIETY
BULLETIN #4 - JUNE 1935.

Your Directors are very pleased to note the response to the Bulletin and wish to thank all the members who have written in and shown their appreciation for our efforts. We more especially wish to draw to the attention of the members that the periodical "Stamp Collecting" in its issue of May 11th, carried an exact copy of the information presented in the 1st Bulletin with regards to the quantity of Canadian postage stamps issued. We are glad to see that this information is appreciated abroad.

We also note from an advertisement on the front page of the same periodical of the same date that the current surcharged Air Mail stamp is available to collectors in the following conditions; Imperforate blocks, Inverted Surcharge, Double Surcharge, Triple Surcharge. One wonders if these varieties were available for collectors at the post offices or at the Philatelic Agency.

We surely hate to keep banging at the same subject but the Treasurer informs us that a considerable number of the Members are rather remiss in their duty in forwarding their Annual DUES for the current year. For the benefit of those that have a lapse of memory we are instructed to say that the mailing list will be cut to the Bone on or about the 15th June and all delinquents will be dropped. If you wish to secure the magazine and Bulletin continuously it would pay to pay up.

Some complaints have been made that members forwarding money for the purchases of Philatelic Material etc. to Quebec have not received value or goods. We would be glad to hear from all parties who have had similar experiences.

To our dealer friends we beg to announce that we will insert a small "Ad" in the bulletin for the sum of \$1 per month. If you wish to reach all the members of the Society we would be glad to receive your copy and remittance as early in the month as possible.

Continuing on with the information with regards to the Postage Stamps issued by the Post Office Department, we herewith present the figures for the year ending March 31st. 1932.

1¢	293,102,000	20	5,601,000	1¢ Coil (500)	13,000
2 red	262,100,000	50	901,000	2 " "	46,000
2 brn	166,502,000	\$1	1,000	3 " "	38,000
3	472,002,000	5¢ Air	201,000	1¢ Precan.	10,500
4	4,502,000	6 on	52,000,000	1¢ booklet	90,000
5	29,002,000	1¢ due	2,000,000	2¢ "	525,000
8	1,502,000	2 "	4,600,000	2¢ " French	50,000
10 Lib	16,104,000	4 "	800,000	3¢ "	1,785,000
10 Cart.	3,902,000	5 "	100,000	3¢ " French	110,000
12	2,901,000				

The above items were printed by the British American Bank Note Co., An increase in postage from 2¢ to 3¢ for domestic rates occurred in July 1931, changing the former 2¢ red stamp to brown in color, as noted above. The low figures shown for the dollar stamp were caused by the heavy printing of this value in the previous year and the use of older issues, principally the \$1 orange. The large number of surcharged Air Mail (Scott #503) should be noted and the small number of the 5¢ (Scott 502). Some Booklets were issued in French this year which fact should not be overlooked by specialists. Figures for post cards are omitted but any member interested in these may write in for details. Sales of stamps and post cards for this year amounted to \$27,242,715.12 out of a total postage revenue of \$36,319,313.29.

It is still too early to comment on the current Jubilee issue but revenue collectors will notice that the new 3¢ rotary press issue appeared a few days ago.

The following applications have been received:

Edward Goodale 72 Napier St., Hamilton, Ont.

Gordon . Lewis Melfort, Sask.

James Alexander 5279 Stanton Ave., Detroit, Mich.

STANLEY ALEXANDER 2575 STANBORN AVE., DETROIT, MICH.
The following have resigned:

W.L. Leroy, Prescott, Ont.

W.H. Metcalf, Foam Lake, Sask.

We desire to draw to the attention of the members that this issue of the Bulletin will be mailed from Ottawa as a first day cover of the new regular issue of Canadian Postage. Extra - The 2¢ New Brunswick and the 10¢ Loyalist have been taken off the Ottawa list.