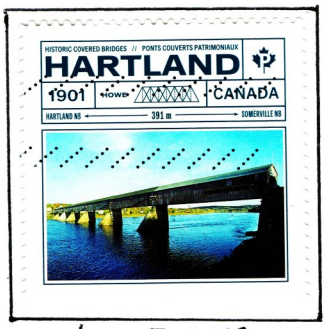
# Covered Bridges in Canada

In Canada, hundreds of covered bridges were built in Quebec and New Brunswick, a few in Ontario and Nova Scotia, and at least one in British Columbia, but no record of any in Newfoundland or on the Prairies.

In the 1950s there were 307 covered bridges in NB. Currently there are fewer than 65. The longest covered bridge in the world is the Hartland bridge in NB. The bridge was built in 1901 and covered in 1920. 7 spans with a length of 1282'/391m cross the St. John River. In 1943, a boxed-in sidewalk was added. In 1980, it was declared a National Historical Site.

← Sept. 1/95
1 of a set of 4 bridges.

I saw Hartland c.b. in July '85 and Sept. '99.

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1 of a set of 5 covered bridges
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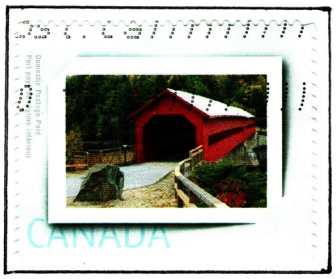


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