Early Canadian Turned Covers (and Beyond)

- What are turned covers?
- Why were they used?
- Early Canadian examples (focus on decimal period)
- Later examples
- Other ways of saving paper





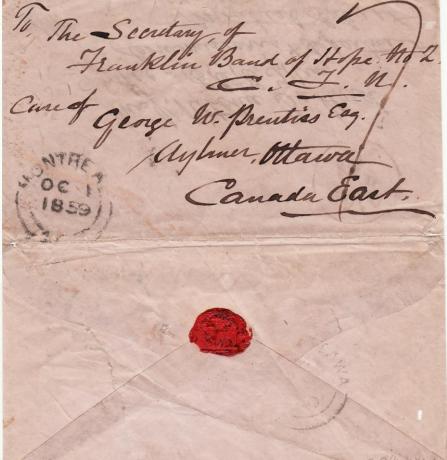


Earliest Canadian Turned Cover

Pence → Cents







Montreal → Montreal



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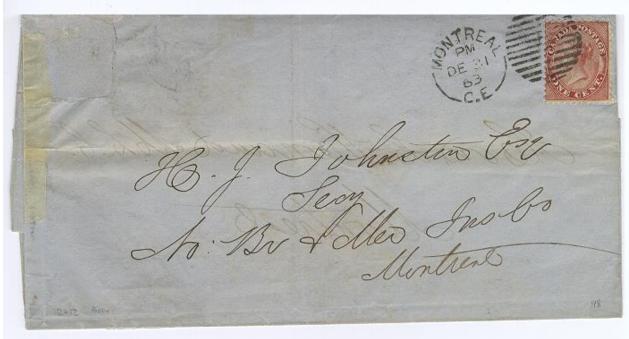
Drop letter rate within Montreal

Walsingham → Port Rowan



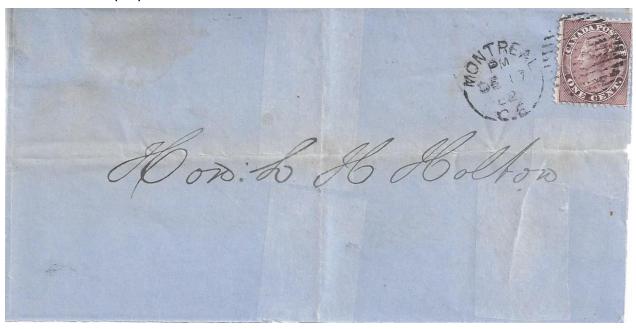
Two Way Circular Rate (School Tax)





Drop Letter Montreal

Dated DE 17 (18)62



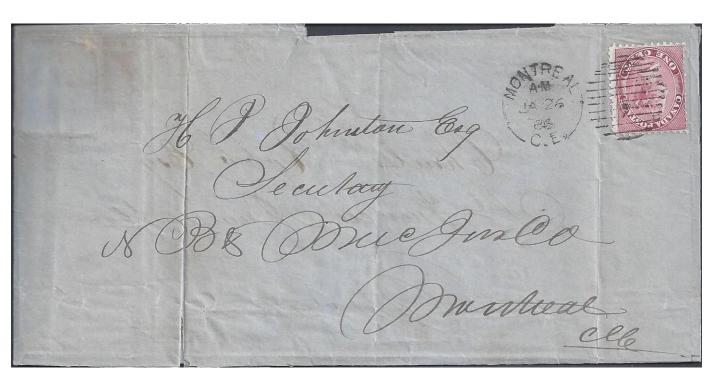
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Note minimal addresses

Montreal → Montreal





Folded letter; drop letter rate both ways

Hamilton. C.W. → Waterdown, U.C.

Franked Side



Verification of marriages by Rev. Higgonson, Church of England

Stampless Side



Chippawa, U.C. → Enniskillen, Oil Springs, C.W.

Sent as a circular; hence 1¢ rate

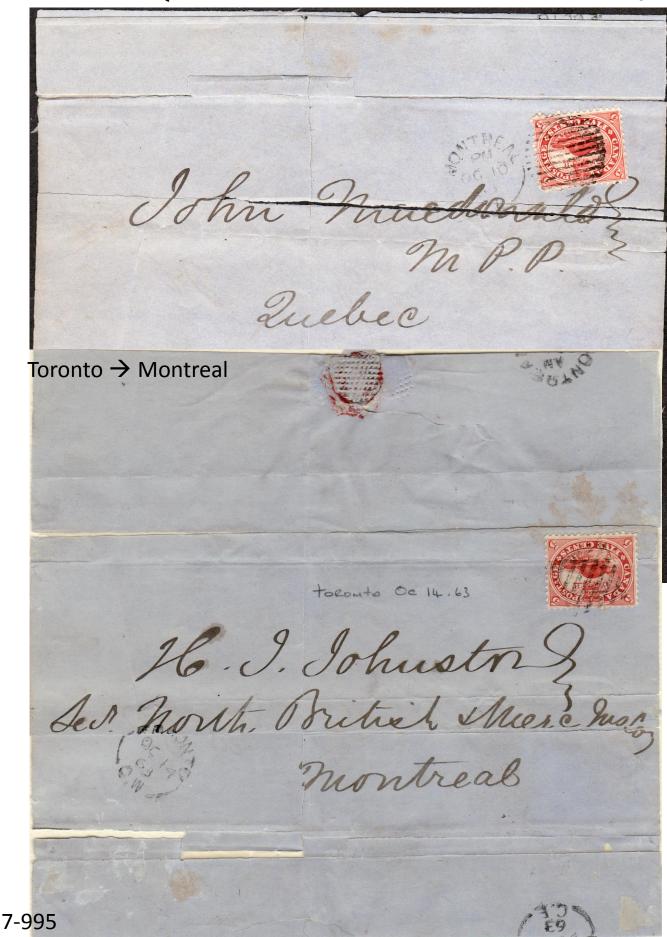


Sent as a letter (< ½ oz.); hence 5¢ rate (PAID 5)



Montreal → Quebec

Letter Rate Both Ways



Waterdown, U.C. → Newbury, C.W.



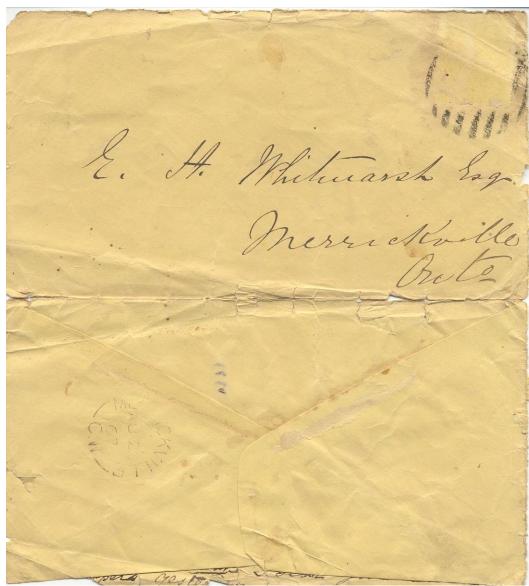
Five cent letter rate; stampless

Toronto → Waterdown



Postage paid with 5¢ Beaver

Sent to Merrickville (Aug. 22 (18)67)



Stamp was removed or fell off

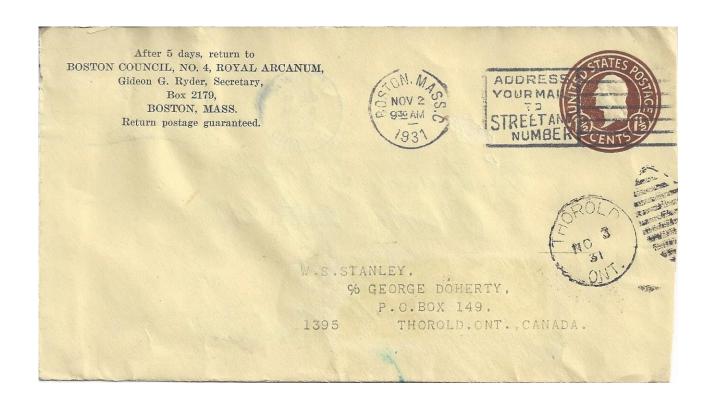
Merrickville, C.W. → Osgoode, C.W.

10¢Consort paid double letter rate



St. Joseph de Beauce → Lambton, C.E. Paid 5 but double wt.; therefore more-to-pay Lambton, C.E. → St. Joseph de Beauce but UNPAID "7" cents due Single weight

"Modern" (1931/1932) Cross Border Turned Cover



2¢ Rate to U.S. plus 1¢ War Tax



Turned Cover (Large Queen Era)

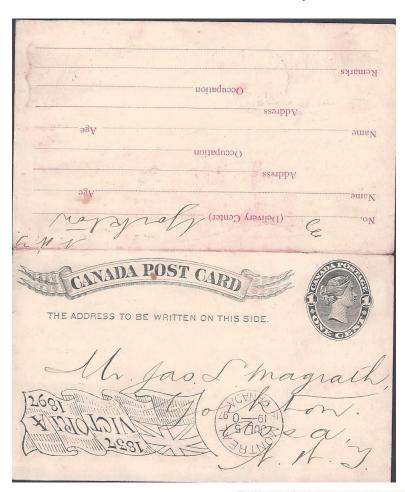


1870 DOUBLE PRINTED MATTER RATE & REPOSTED, 2¢ Large Queen (Scott #24) pays 2¢ for 2 oz. double printed matter rate (2 x 1¢ per oz), on a large piece of farm bankruptcy poster that originally had an additional printed enclosure, addressed to lawyers Lemon & Peterson at Guelph-UC who removed some of enclosure and reposted it to Glenalldy-UC with an additional enclosed letter, item still weighed ½ oz to 1 oz but now required a first class 1 oz double letter rate (2 x 3¢ per ½ oz) paid by a 6¢ Large Queen (Scott #27); Poster has been reduced for display with both portions still connected, almost certain a unique reposted rate,

ex. Lussy, Jansen, Brigham, Feinstein

Reply Post Cards

Small Queen Period (1897)



(THE ATTACHED CARD IS GOOD FOR RETURN FROM THE U. S.)

Very truly, LUKE BROTHERS COMPANY.

Our salesman has taken orders for Nursery Stock to be delivered in your vicinity for next planting season. Sales are made with the understanding that goods are to be left at Customers' residences; we, therefore, find it necessary to employ a local man to attend to this work, together with making collections of the bills and returns to us. We require a man who is reliable, financially responsible, and who has the general good will of the people, in other respects competent; a man who owns a team is preferable. With your acquaintance and tot the work, which is only temporary. We ask the favor with the understanding to the work, which is only temporary. We ask the favor with the understanding to the work, which is only temporary. We ask the favor with the understanding accommodate us very much by replying as soon as convenient, using attached postal card, where we make spaces for two names, which we should be glad to get, as in case the former could not take the work we might secure the latter.

Very family. The work we might secure the latter.

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MONTREAL, QUE,

DEAR SIR :-



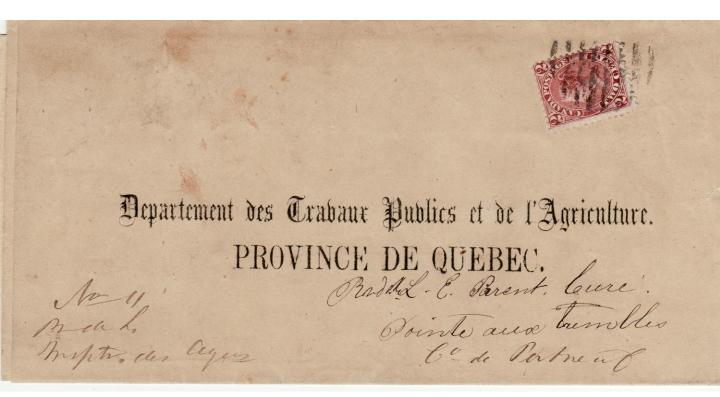
THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.



LUKE BROTHERS COMPANY,

INTERNATIONAL NURSERIES,

MONTREAL, Que.



Deep claret 2¢ Victoria pays double circular rate for this official folded wrapper; printed address on envelope was used as the sending address since the destination was Pointe aux Trembles, PQ. Normally "FREE" but Legislative Assembly was not in session. 6 recorded double circular weight using 2¢ stamp. © Greene Certificate

Sent from Lowell, MA to Hunterstown, C.E. Franked with 10¢ U.S. (Scott #68)

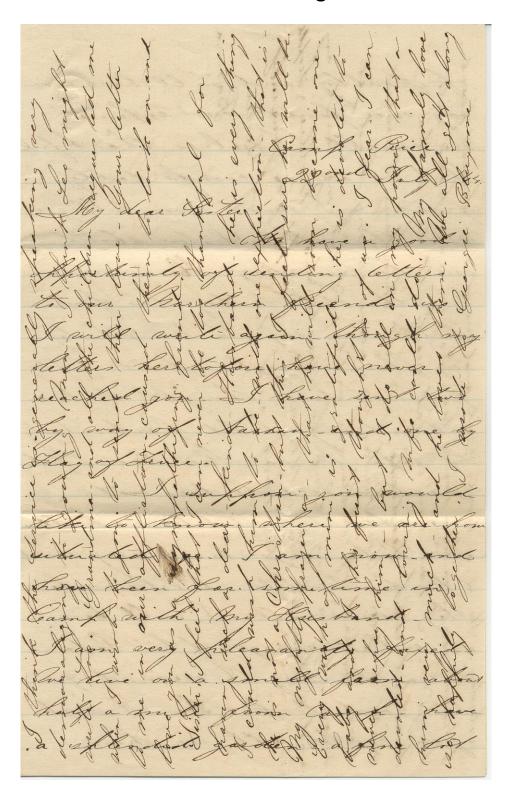




Rather than bothering to use a new envelope and applying 10¢ Canadian stamp, Mr. Parker re-addressed envelope, stuck in the Canadian post and recipient had to pay postage!

Other Ways of Saving Paper

Cross writing



Other Ways of Saving Paper

In WW II, Canadian government encouraged public & government employees to re-use their letters and supplied labels to use.

WAR ECONOMY LABEL. RE-USE OF ENVELOPES.

TO FASTEN. Fold this label along the dotted line. Affix it to the envelope so as to seal it and cover the old address (or address panel) and post marks.

OPEN by slitting along this edge.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.



H.M. Inspector of Taxes,

(Darlington 1st District),

Corporation Road,

DARLINGTON, Co. Durham.

INLAND REVENUE.

(Lablot)-For use only on letter packets not exceeding 10" × 5" in size.



Other Ways of Saving Paper

SAVE T	CAMNET 1995 O BOX 2094 STATION TERMINIAL VANCOUNCER BC V6B 372 REES - RE-USE ENVELOPES 100 STICKER PAD TO: SNEL, B.C., CANADA, V2J 3J3
	P.O. BOX 2000 VICTORIA, BRITISH & V8W 2Y4
HIBST-CLASS LETTER WEDRCAL SERVICES PLAN OF E	
	FROM: POSTAL COBE

Confederate Adversity (Wallpaper) Covers

Wallpaper





Bank Draft

Railroad Bill of Lading



Making Wallpaper Envelopes or Adversity Covers

