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Dale Speirs continues his series on the Shipley parcel tags. See page 5.

Take a close look at this tag. Can you spot the unusual thing about it? Answer at the bottom of page 7.

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# YEAR OF THE PIG CANADA POST ERROR?

by Murray Bialek

Many of you will have already heard that postal rates increased on January 14, 2019. In January, I went to my local post office outlet and saw that they were selling 2019 Year of the Pig stamps in various formats. One of the items on sale was a pane of 25 perforated, permanent stamps, contained within a sealed piece of plastic. Also, within the plastic was a piece of cardboard stock, shown below, advertising a number of different configurations for these stamps (e.g. uncut press sheet, postcards, souvenir sheets, 25 stamp pane, etc.).

LUNAR NEW YEAR  
**YEAR OF THE PIG**

NOUVELLE ANNÉE LUNAIRE  
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**PANE OF 25 STAMPS / FEUILLE DE 25 TIMBRES**



404102107

Pane of 25 stamps  
Feuille de 25 timbres

**PANE OF 25 STAMPS**

Designed by Albert Ng and Seung Jai Paek of Albert Ng & Associates, this pane of 25 Permanent™ domestic rate stamps is issued in celebration of the Year of the Pig, which runs from February 5, 2019, to January 24, 2020. The design was inspired by Zhu Bajie – a colourful character from the 16<sup>th</sup>-century Chinese novel *Journey to the West* – who was banished from a powerful position in Heaven and reborn into the mortal world as half human, half pig.

**FEUILLE DE 25 TIMBRES**

Conçue par Albert Ng et Seung Jai Paek de la maison Albert Ng & Associates, cette feuille de 25 timbres Permanents™ du régime intérieur souligne l'année du Cochon, qui se déroule du 5 février 2019 au 24 janvier 2020. Le motif s'inspire de Zhu Bajie, un personnage coloré du roman chinois *Le voyage en Occident* écrit au XVI<sup>e</sup> siècle, qui est démis de ses fonctions de pouvoir et banni du paradis pour se réincarner sur terre sous la forme d'un hybride mi-humain mi-cochon.

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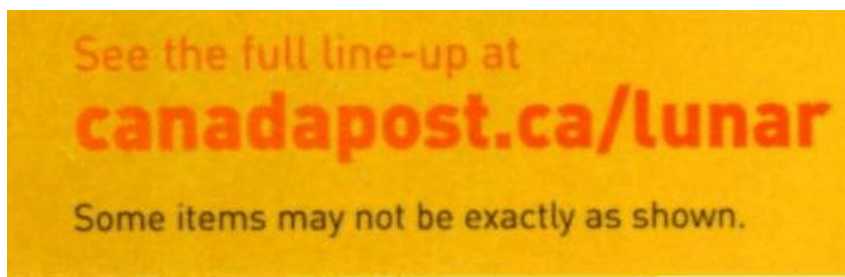
Upon closer examination of these ads, I noticed that the pane of 25 perforated stamps was pictured but an enlargement of one of the stamps on this pane was actually an imperforate stamp (enlargement shown below). I asked the postal clerk if he had any imperforate stamps as illustrated. He did not know about any imperforate stamps and could not locate any in his stock. I did indeed buy the pane.



When I got home, I checked the Canada Post website but could not find any imperforates listed. I phoned the philatelic centre at Canada Post and asked them about the imperforate illustration. The clerk I spoke with checked his computer, his stock and asked some of the other clerks but could not come up with any imperforate stamps.

I thus came to the conclusion that Canada Post had misrepresented what was for sale or had

made an illustration error. However, later on that same day I closely re-examined all the ads on the piece of cardboard stock and at the bottom I discovered the following wording in very small print, which states, "some items may not be exactly as shown." So, was this an illustration error? An oversight? A deliberate misrepresentation? Why illustrate an imperforate stamp when none were printed? One of the mysteries to stamp collecting!



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## SHIPLEY PARCEL TAGS: PART 6

by Dale Speirs

[Parts 1 to 5 appeared in issues #152 to 155, and 158.]

### Stamps: QE2 Definitives (continued).

Figure 40 is the largest pure use of the 4-cents Karsh stamp I found, a block of six and a single mailed from Claresholm. Figure 41 (graphically cropped) shows the most typical kind of tag in all the boxes I went through, a mixture of several values of Wildings.



Figure 40 (above)

Figure 41 (below)



As I sorted through the tags, I kept an eye out for the largest blocks of a single value. Starting with the brown 1-cent value, Figure 42 shows a block of six used from Drumheller in 1955.



Figure 42

There was also a larger block of eight plus a pair used on a double non-Shipley tag, seen in Figure 43. After sixty years, the Scotch tape used to hold the two tags together had dried out. It fell apart when I opened it up to see the inside where the return address was. It was mailed from Fort Macleod in 1956. The address was a vague “Shipley Photo Studio” and the package therefore returned to sender. He added “Calgary” in the same handwriting but a different colour ink. It went through the second time, as proven by the fact that it wound up in the Shipley accumulation.



Figure 43

The largest block I found of the green 2-cents Wilding is shown in Figure 44 on the next page. It was mailed from Milk River in 1958 and was cancelled in red ink. All the postmarks from Milk River of this era that I have seen are in red ink, so there is no special significance to the colour.

Figure 44



The red 3-cents Wilding is shown in Figure 45 (graphically cropped). The multiple of two strips of four is the biggest I have found, although the stamp was commonly mixed in with different values on other tags. The roller cancel is Claresholm #1, almost unreadable but which could be easily verified by looking at the sender's return address on the other side.



Figure 45

The purple 4-cents Wilding was by far and away the single most common stamp on all the tags, commonly used to make up the postage with other stamps. Figure 46 shows the largest block of them found on the tags, with a beautiful clear Brooks roller cancel.

Figure 46



### About The Cover.

The Three Hills roller cancel has an error on it. It is roller #1, but the bottom part of it reads "11". It is not a double print, but an actual numerical slug inserted by mistake.

## STUDY GROUPS

The Calgary Association of Philatelic Exhibitors held its monthly meeting on January 23. The main topic of discussion was the impending change in CALTAPEX exhibits. Dave Russum and Walter Herdzik from the Show Committee discussed a proposed \$10 per frame fee to help meet rising costs in staging the show. CAPE meets fourth Wednesdays except June to August and December. For details, contact Jim Taylor at 238-3698.

The Calgary Regional Group of the British North America Philatelic Society meets second Wednesdays. Details from Dave Bartlet at 829-3580. At the January 9 and February 13 meetings, Ray Villeneuve presented a two-part series on the history of the Special Delivery service, from its informal beginnings in 1898 to its demise in 1993.



BNAPS - regional group, Calgary, meeting, 2018-01-09  
held at Chateau Renoir, 19 Street SW and 90 Avenue

Left to right around the table:

Bill Wilson, Ray Villeneuve, Dave Bartlet, Cecil Coutts, Haifa Selo, Eldon Godfrey, Steve Raine, Murray Bialek, Jon Johnson, and Jim Taylor. Dale Speirs took the photo and High Delaney was behind the camera. Photo taken during show-and-tell portion of programme.

## CALL FOR APPRENTICE JUDGES

If you have exhibited successfully and would like to train as a judge for eventual certification by the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada, the CALTAPEX Show Committee would like to hear from you. Apprentice positions are open for serious candidates. For further information, contact Janice Brookes at 251-1769 or see her at the general meetings.

## **EDMONTON STAMP CLUB 2019 SPRING NATIONAL STAMP SHOW**

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## **CPS APRIL GENERAL MEETING**

by Penny Borrowman

For the April 3 general meeting of the CPS, members whose surnames begin with the initials A to K are asked to bring an item for the last of the show-and-tell series. You can do it; the rest of us did!

## **MEMBERSHIP DUES INCREASE NEXT SEASON**

Due to ever-rising costs of room rentals (going to \$120 per night), bulletin postage (now \$170 per issue), and show expenses, the CPS will have to raise its membership dues to \$25 for the 2019-20 season. This is the first increase in almost two decades.

## **CPS YAHOO DISCUSSION GROUP**

If you are a paid-up member of the CPS, one of the benefits of joining is a private discussion group on Yahoo restricted to within the club. The group is used for breaking news that would miss the bulletin, and for any general philatelic discussion that you may have. It is not a heavy-traffic site, so your email inbox won't be swamped. The day's postings by group members are compiled into a daily digest and automatically transmitted to members by Yahoo the following morning.

To join, see Dale Speirs in person at the meetings and give him a slip of paper with your name and email address. Yahoo may require that you register but this is free and is not intrusive. No online or telephone registrations can be accepted, in order to reduce problems with spammers. Yahoo has changed its rules so that moderators can no longer sign up members. Instead, the new member must send a request to Dale, who will then approve it. That is why he needs to know your name and email address in advance.

## **RED DEER JOINT MEETING ON MAY 25**

Firstly, if you are going to the Red Deer event on May 25, please take along your membership badge and wear it at the conference. We want Calgary philatelists to be visible, particularly since this is an Alberta-wide meeting where most people will be strangers to each other.

The Joint Meeting will be held in rooms at the Liberty Christian Assembly, in the shopping plaza at 6315 Horn Street. Check back to the February issue of this bulletin for more details about the venue and maps for the meeting.

In addition to the three general clubs meeting at Red Deer, both the Calgary and Edmonton Regional Groups of the British North America Philatelic Society will be joining the event. BNAPS will have four seminars on various aspects of Canadian stamps and postal history. These are open to all to attend free, and you do not have to be a member of BNAPS.

As part of the meeting, Peter Fleck is attempting to revive the Red Deer Stamp Club.

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE CALGARY SPRING BOURSE**

Spring Bourse 2019 will be held in Calgary on April 13 and 14 at the Kerby Centre, 1133 - 7 Avenue SW, in the gymnasium on the ground floor. Besides the dealer bourse, there will be circuit books and an auction.

Please note a change in hours. On Saturday, April 13, the bourse will be open 10h00 to 17h00. On Sunday, it will open an hour earlier at 09h00 and close at 15h00. The auction will be called at 15h30. Lots should be in at 13h30 for bidder viewing.

## **SPRING BOURSE DEALERS LIST**

As this bulletin went to press in the first week of March, the following dealers were confirmed. Subject to change; other dealers may be added.

Doug Kendig, Tappen, BC  
Jim Miller, The Stamp Collection Connection, Sherwood Park, AB  
J. Garvey & Sons (Les), Edmonton, AB  
Zatka Philately Ltd. (Mirko), Calgary, AB  
MJR Postcards & Covers (John Bucci), Edmonton, AB  
Peter Fleck, Railside Philatelic Services, Red Deer County, AB  
Philip Wolf, Select Stamps And Covers, Calgary, AB  
Wayne Dods, Kelowna, BC  
Clyde Vincett Ltd. (Keith Brown), Calgary, AB

## **A BRIEF HISTORY OF RED DEER JOINT MEETINGS**

(extracted from HISTORY OF THE CALGARY PHILATELIC SOCIETY by Dale Speirs, available as a free pdf from [www.calgaryphilatelicsociety.com](http://www.calgaryphilatelicsociety.com))

The first joint meeting of stamp clubs in Alberta took place in 1953. At the September meeting of the CPS, the idea was first suggested that Calgary and Edmonton have a joint meeting of stamp clubs. This meeting was held on October 23 in Red Deer, halfway between the two cities. It went off well enough that a repeat performance was discussed. Fred Harris, president of the Edmonton Stamp Club, arranged the meeting with Sid Richardson of the CPS. It was an evening affair with dinner at 6 pm, stamp trading and talk until 10 pm, then the drive home. A second Edmonton/Calgary joint meeting in Red Deer took place on October 9, 1954. About 25 members went up to the event, and 40 frames were entered as exhibits.

For a third time the Calgary and Edmonton clubs met halfway at Red Deer. The event took place on October 15, 1955. At the auction Edmonton lots brought in \$177.70, while a greater quantity of Calgary lots only realized \$104.20. Again the Edmonton and Calgary clubs had their autumn get-together in Red Deer, meeting on October 20, 1956. This was the fourth such occasion. The Edmonton club arranged for the auction and speaker, while Calgary looked after the accommodation.

The fifth Edmonton-Calgary meeting in Red Deer was held on November 2, 1957. As before there was an auction, dinner, stamp displays, and a speaker. The event was marred by the loss of two circuit books, one from Edmonton and the other from the Canadian Philatelic Society (not yet the RPSC). The 1958 Red Deer meeting was held in the spring, this time on May 24, in the hopes of better weather.

The 1959 Calgary/Edmonton conclave in Red Deer was held on the last Saturday in April, again with an auction. The eighth Edmonton/Calgary meeting in Red Deer was staged May 14, 1960, and the following year on May 13. The 1961 event proved to be the last for a while. The usual spring meeting in Red Deer was cancelled in 1962 owing to proximity with an Edmonton show called ESCPEX. A letter from the Edmonton Stamp Club in September 1962 suggested that there were a number of members who felt the meetings were not worth having any more. The consensus in both cities was that each now had its own exhibition to look after.

On September 29, 1964, the Red Deer Stamp Club had been founded. They set up a joint meeting of the Edmonton, Calgary, and Red Deer clubs for November 6, 1965. A number of Calgary members went up to Red Deer for the event, and the proverbial good time was had by all. A decade went by without joint meetings. On October 20, 1973, a joint meeting was staged in Red Deer, with the clubs from Red Deer, Lethbridge, Calgary, and Edmonton participating. Red Deer had its own stamp show over the next few years, so no joint meeting was needed. In 1976, the Red Deer joint meeting was revived for September 25. Unfortunately attendance was too low to justify continuing the event. That ended the meetings for decades. The Red Deer Stamp Club held a number of annual shows in the 1980s but then slowly declined. It was finally put out of its misery in 1999 for lack of volunteers.

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**HELP WANTED:** Someone to list stamps on eBay. Pay negotiable. Contact Phil Wolf at 264-1551.

**WANTED:** Chinese stamps buyer pays top dollar for Asian stamps. Send email scans or pictures. [jon@chinesestampbuyer.com](mailto:jon@chinesestampbuyer.com) or [www.chinesestampbuyer.com](http://www.chinesestampbuyer.com)

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**FOR SALE:** Stamp collector's storage cabinet; white, six drawers and six mail boxes. Drawers are divided for storing various sized covers and loose items. \$100 May be viewed on Kijiji under Hobbies. Contact Al at 282-1030 or [dorandal@telus.net](mailto:dorandal@telus.net)

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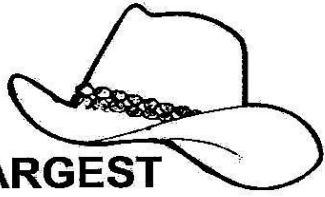
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## CLUB NEWS

The February bulletin was mailed from the Hawkwood postal outlet (7-Eleven, Hawkwood Blvd NW) with the final set of Birds of Canada stamps.

The President's Pot was awarded at the February 6 meeting to Donna Trathen for her work on a variety of committees. At the March 6 meeting, it went to Larry Tweedale for his behind-the-scenes work.

The programme for the February meeting was a show-and-tell of unusual items by members with surnames from S to Z. For the March meeting, it was the turn of L to R surnames.

Publications by CPS members:

In the 2019 January issue of FRANCE AND COLONIES PHILATELIST, Jim Taylor had an article on the St Pierre et Miquelon migratory bird stamps, as well as a letter to the editor about when the islands may have actually joined the Universal Postal Union.

Dale Speirs published Part 2 of his continuing series on the postal history of west-central Alberta. It appeared in the 2019 January issue of the POSTAL HISTORY JOURNAL OF ALBERTA #18. JAPH is available as a free pdf from the Postal History Society of Canada Website. Go to: [www.postalhistorycanada.net](http://www.postalhistorycanada.net), click on the Study Groups tab, then click on Alberta. All the back issues are there as well.

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## MEETINGS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

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Vehicles in both Kerby lots must have licence plate numbers registered inside the building at the computer terminals. This is a 24/7 policy and the CPS is not exempt. Otherwise your vehicle will be clamped or towed.

## 2019

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|-------|-----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| March | 20        | Auction                                                                                             |
|       | 27        | CAPE meeting                                                                                        |
| April | 3         | General meeting                                                                                     |
|       | 10        | BNAPS Regional Group meeting                                                                        |
|       | 13 and 14 | Spring Bourse (Kerby Centre gymnasium)                                                              |
|       | 17        | Auction                                                                                             |
|       | 24        | CAPE meeting                                                                                        |
| May   | 1         | General meeting                                                                                     |
|       | 1         | Deadline for June bulletin                                                                          |
|       | 8         | BNAPS Regional Group meeting                                                                        |
|       | 15        | Auction                                                                                             |
|       | 22        | CAPE meeting                                                                                        |
|       | 25        | Joint Calgary/Edmonton/Lethbridge meeting in Red Deer. Contact Jim Senecal at 547-7681 for details. |
| June  | 5         | General meeting                                                                                     |
|       | 12        | BNAPS Regional Group meeting                                                                        |
|       | 19        | Auction                                                                                             |
|       | 19        | Deadline for July bulletin                                                                          |
| July  | 12        | Free Stampede breakfast (Kerby Centre, 08h00)                                                       |

MEETINGS and AUCTIONS are at the Kerby Centre, Room 205 (Lecture Room), 1133 - 7 Avenue SW, at 19h30. Auction lots should be in before 19h30 to allow viewing.

BNAPS (Calgary Regional Group of the British North America Philatelic Society) meets second Wednesdays. For details, contact Dave Bartlet at 829-3580.

JUNIOR CLUB meets monthly September to November and January to May on second Saturdays (north side of city) and third Saturdays (south side of city). Information from Jim Senecal at 547-7681 (north side) or Pat Prevey at 238-3435 (south side).

CAPE (Calgary Association Of Philatelic Exhibitors) meets fourth Wednesdays except June to August and December. For details, contact Jim Taylor at 238-3698.