

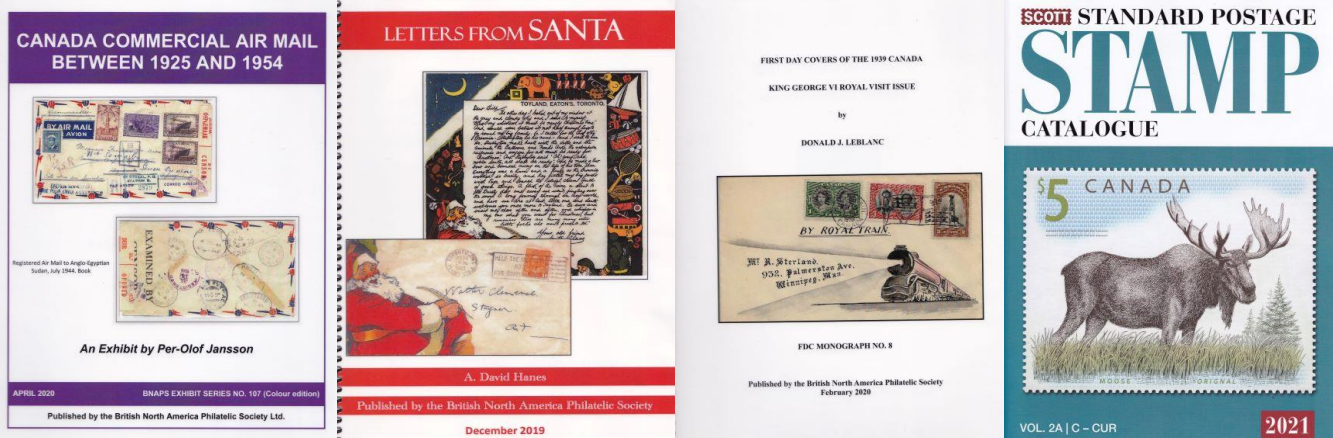


Dear Friends of the Harry Sutherland Library,



The library is back to being a busy hub of activity with more visitors, it is great to have you back! And many of you are returning books from days long ago, thank you very much! You can come visit, just call Lee Ann at 416-921-2073 or email at [info@greenefoundation.ca](mailto:info@greenefoundation.ca) to arrange an appointment between 11 and 3 on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday.

We have also started to receive more book orders, here are a few of the new items:



First is this exhibit by Per-Olaf Jansson, Canada Commercial Air Mail Between 1925 and 1954 published by BNAPS.

Letters From Santa by A. David Hanes is another BNAPS book.

First day covers of the 1939 Canada King George VI royal visit by Donald J. Leblanc adds to the many great books by the First Day Cover Society.

Finally the new Scott Catalogue for 2021 has started to arrive with only volume 6 to come. I guess that makes it the start of a new philatelic year.

We have also been receiving some more donations and I have been catching up enough to catalogue more of the previous donations. Part of this has also included sorting through some of our Canada Post material and making it more accessible. The List of Post Offices for many years are now displayed in chronological order in Main 1, the Canada Post Office section. This work will continue for some time.

I expect that you all know about (and are members of) the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada (<https://www.rpsc.org/>).



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You might also be a member of the Royal Philatelic Society London

(<https://www.rpsl.org.uk/>).



There are several other Royal Philatelic Societies out there as well. Check out these sites and be sure to look at their links page since many do have very interesting connections to other organizations:

The Royal Philatelic Society of Victoria at <https://www.rpsv.org.au/>



## ROYAL PHILATELIC SOCIETY OF VICTORIA

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The Royal Philatelic Society of New Zealand at <https://rpsnz.org.nz/>

Monday, 24 August 2020

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The Royal Philatelic Society-Cape Town at <https://www.rpsct.org/>



### ROYAL PHILATELIC SOCIETY-CAPE TOWN

Founded as the Cape Town Philatelic and Exchange Club on 3rd May, 1911; we became the Royal in August, 1953.

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The Royal Sydney Philatelic Club at <http://club.philas.org.au/royal/>

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## Royal Sydney Philatelic Club

September 2020

Apparently there is a Royal Philatelic Society Zimbabwe although I could find no online presence of this club, maybe you could find something? There is some information out there such as:

<http://www.rhodesianstudycircle.org.uk/encyclopedia-of-rhodesian-and-zimbabwean-postage-stamps-since-1964/> or the Philatelic Society of Greater South Africa at <http://psgsa.org/>.



Recently while searching for something on the British North America Philatelic Society website, a place I visit often, I found that if you select the Society button at the top there are Links to philatelic websites.

<http://www.bnaps.org/links.htm>

I should say an extensive list of links to sites and information.

Here is another hint from friend Michel Houde and his article in the Grand News (v.51: no.4, April 2020) *Introduction to...Online Research*, I thank both for permission.



You may not think of Wikipedia (at <https://www.wikipedia.org/>) as a source, but do not ignore it. Many of the articles are created by experts in the field of the topic, a great advantage of this kind of online encyclopedia.

There are articles on many philatelic topics and people associated with the hobby. They are often a good starting point and most have a bibliography and online links to related sources.

For example, there is a list of philatelic libraries at [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_philatelic\\_libraries](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_philatelic_libraries) (this does not include our library but does have a link to the Global Philatelic Library as discussed in the Friends last month). There is also a list of magazines at [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_philatelic\\_magazines](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_philatelic_magazines). Some countries will have a Philatelic Bureau and there is a list at [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_philatelic\\_bureaus](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_philatelic_bureaus).

Always try variations of your search words as a more extensive search for articles with 'philatelic' in the title also turned up:

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_philatelic\\_exhibitions](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_philatelic_exhibitions) and [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Postal\\_museum#List\\_of\\_postal\\_and\\_philatelic\\_museums](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Postal_museum#List_of_postal_and_philatelic_museums)

A search for the postmaster general of Canada returned a page with an early picture

## Postmaster General of Canada

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

The **Postmaster General of Canada** was the Canadian cabinet minister responsible for the Post Office Department (Canada Post). In 1851, management of the post office was transferred from Britain (Royal Mail) to the provincial governments of the Province of Canada,



and list with links to articles about many of them.

There is also an article about Mike Madesker. This is the entire entry.

## Michael Madesker

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

**Michael Madesker** FRPSL is a Canadian philatelist who was appointed to the Roll of Distinguished Philatelists in 2000.<sup>[1]</sup> He is a fellow of the Royal Philatelic Society of London. He obtained the Geldert and Dube Medals for his philatelic writing and was president of the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada. In 2010 he received the Philatelic Achievement Award of the Smithsonian Museum.<sup>[2]</sup> He made a donation of his philatelic medals to the Vincent Graves Greene Philatelic Research Foundation.<sup>[3]</sup>

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- ↑ "Philatelic Specialists Society of Canada - Prominent Members" [www.philatelicspecialistsociety.com](http://www.philatelicspecialistsociety.com).
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- ↑ "VGG What's New" [www.greenefoundation.ca](http://www.greenefoundation.ca).



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Keep well and safe,

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