

QUEBEC LAWS.

The L. C. green Laws went out of use in 1870, and were succeeded by another set of Laws somewhat similar to the set issued by Ontario in the same year. The design was; full length figure (not blindfolded,) occupying the centre, above this, in one straight line across the top the words "Law Stamp," between the words and top of figure of Justice was the value in figures and words; "Quebec" across the bottom in one straight line; a circular ornament occupied each corner. The design of the dollar values was slightly different from that of the lower values. It had value in words in curved line across the bottom, across the top in one straight line the words "Law Stamp," below this in a curved line was the value in figures, and the word "Dollar" as in other values, the figure of Justice occupying the centre, down the right hand side the words "Quebec," down the left "Province." In 1889, 3 more values were issued, values 10, 20 and 30 dollars; only a very few were issued, and they are, as a result, very scarce.

REFERENCE LIST.

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
600	1870	10 cent	dark red		
601	1870	20 cent	dark red	.15	.01
602	1870	30 cent	dark red	.25	.01
603	1870	40 cent	dark red	.40	.01
604	1870	50 cent	dark red	.50	.05
605	1870	60 cent	dark red	.65	.03
606	1870	70 cent	dark red	.75	.05
607	1870	80 cent	dark red	.90	.10
608	1870	90 cent	dark red	1.00	.10
609	1870	1 dollar	dark blue	1.25	.15
610	1870	2 dollar	dark blue	1.50	.10
611	1870	3 dollar	dark blue	2.50	.20
612	1870	4 dollar	dark blue	3.50	.25
613	1870	5 dollar	dark blue	4.50	.30
614	1870	10 cent	vermilion	5.50	.40
615	1870	20 cent	vermilion	.15	.01
616	1870	30 cent	vermilion	.25	.01
617	1870	40 cent	vermilion	.40	.01
618	1870	50 cent	vermilion	.50	.05
619	1870	60 cent	vermilion	.65	.03
620	1870	70 cent	vermilion	.75	.05
621	1870	80 cent	vermilion	.90	.10
622	1870	90 cent	vermilion	1.00	.10
623	1870	1 dollar	light blue	1.25	.15
624	1870	2 dollar	light blue	1.50	.10
625	1870	3 dollar	light blue	2.50	.20
626	1870	4 dollar	light blue	3.50	.25
627	1870	5 dollar	light blue	4.50	.30
628	1889	10 dollar	yellow	5.50	.40
629	1889	*20 dollar	green		
630	1889	*30 dollar	violet brown		

*EDITOR'S NOTE.—Only 500 each of these two stamps were issued, as it was found that the \$10 would fully answer the demand.

QUEBEC LICENSES.

Up to date of issue we only know of one of the Quebec Law Stamps, that is the *Two Dollar Brown*, which was issued in 1889, length $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches, width about 1 inch. Across the top in a curved line the word "Licenses," in the centre a large figure "2," and above this in a curved line the word "Two," below "Dollars." This is surrounded by circular and

ornamental scroll engraving; across the bottom the word "Quebec" in an oblong frame. This stamp is used for the transfer of Licenses.

REFERENCE LIST.

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
631	1889	2 dollars	brown		

QUEBEC LAW REGISTRATION.

These stamps were first issued in 1866 and are used on all documents which are filed in the registry offices. The first issue of these registration stamps was square. The value, in white figures, occupied the centre, being surrounded by a circle on which was inscribed the words "Registration, Lower Canada." A maple leaf occupied each of the upper corners; a leaf each of the lower corners, and between the leaves was the word "cents." This set of stamps is found in two colors, *brown* red and vermilion. In 1871 a new set came into use. A beaver, facing the left, enclosed in a circle, occupied the centre. Across the top, in a straight line, the word "Registration." Below this, in a curved line, the word "Quebec," and in a circle, at each end of the line, the value in figures; across the bottom, in a straight line, the value in words.

REFERENCE LIST.

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
632	1866	5 cent	red brown		
633	1866	15 cent	red brown		.20
634	1866	30 cent	red brown		.35
635	1866	5 cent	vermilion		.50
636	1866	15 cent	vermilion		.20
637	1866	30 cent	vermilion		.35
638	1871	5 cent	light green	.10	.08
639	1871	15 cent	light green	.30	.15
640	1871	30 cent	light green	.60	.25
641	1871	5 cent	dark green	.10	.08
642	1871	15 cent	dark green	.30	.15
643	1872	30 cent	dark green	.60	.25

QUEBEC ASSURANCE STAMPS.

These stamps were first issued in 1876. The cent values were green in color, the dollar values lilac. The design consisted of the word "Quebec" in white, enclosed in an oval shaped frame. Above this, in two curved and one straight line, the words "Assurance License Stamp"; below the oval frame the value in figures, and below this the value in words.

REFERENCE LIST.

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
644	1876	1 cent	green		.05
645	1876	2 cent	green		.05
646	1876	3 cent	green		.05
647	1876	4 cent	green		.08
648	1876	5 cent	green		.08
649	1876	10 cent	green		.08
650	1876	20 cent	green		.15
651	1876	30 cent	green		.30
652	1876	40 cent	green		.40
653	1876	50 cent	green		.45
654	1876	1 dollar	lilac		.55
655	1876	2 dollar	lilac		
656	1876	3 dollar	lilac		
657	1876	4 dollar	lilac		
658	1876	5 dollar	lilac		