

UPPER CANADA LAWS.

The first Law Stamps issued for Upper Canada (Ontario) were issued in 1864. The stamps were large in size, and were in design as follows: blind-folded figure of Justice holding balances over her head with right hand, and a sword pointed downward in her left; enclosed in a rectangular frame "Canada" down the right hand side, "Law Stamp" down the left, these words being surrounded by an ornamental scroll work. Above the frame inclosing the figure of Justice was a blank space with engraved groundwork, for the surcharge. At the upper corners of the stamps, in frames, was the value in figures, between this the value in a word, at the bottom of the stamps was the value in words. The color of the values from 10 to 90 cents, inclusive, was green, the 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 dollars was green with black centre. The design of the dollar values was slightly different to that of the lower values. This series of stamps was surcharged in the blank space just above the figure of Justice with the following surcharges:—F. F. (Fee Fund), L. S. (Law Society) and C. F. (Consolidated Fund).

Surcharged C. F. in Blue.

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
516	1864	5 cents	green	.10	.10
517	1864	10 cents	green	.20	.05
518	1864	20 cents	green	.08	.08
519	1864	30 cents	green	.50	.08
520	1864	40 cents	green	.35	.05
521	1864	50 cents	green	.05	.05
522	1864	60 cents	green	.75	.50
523	1864	70 cents	green	.65	.05
524	1864	80 cents	green	.75	.05
525	1864	90 cents	green	.90	.05
526	1864	1 dollar	green	1.50	.35
527	1864	2 dollars	green, black centre	.90	.05
528	1864	3 dollars	green, black centre	1.25	.05
529	1864	4 dollars	green, black centre	1.75	.05
530	1869	5 dollars	green, black centre	1.75	.05

Surcharged C. F. in Yellow.

531	1864	10 cents	green	.15	.01
532	1864	20 cents	green	.02	.02
533	1864	30 cents	green	.03	.03
534	1864	40 cents	green	.08	.08
535	1864	50 cents	green	.60	.05
536	1864	60 cents	green	.15	.05
537	1864	70 cents	green	.50	.05
538	1864	80 cents	green	.50	.05
539	1864	90 cents	green	.60	.05
540	1864	1 dollar	green, black centre	.30	.05
541	1864	2 dollars	green, black centre	.75	.05
542	1864	3 dollars	green, black centre	1.15	.05
543	1864	4 dollars	green, black centre	1.75	.05
544	1864	5 dollars	green, black centre	1.75	.05

Surcharged L. S. in Brown Red.

545	1864	20 cents	green	.30	.10
546	1864	30 cents	green	.40	.10
547	1864	40 cents	green	.50	.30
548	1864	50 cents	green	.05	.05
549	1864	60 cents	green	.50	.05
550	1864	70 cents	green	.50	.05
551	1864	80 cents	green	.65	.05
552	1864	90 cents	green	.75	.05
553	1864	1 dollar	green, black centre	.30	.05
554	1864	2 dollars	green, black centre	.75	.05
555	1864	3 dollars	green, black centre	1.25	.05
556	1864	4 dollars	green, black centre	1.50	.05
557	1864	5 dollars	green, black centre	1.75	.05

ONTARIO LAWS.

When the green Upper Canada Law Stamps went out of use in 1870, they were superseded by the Ontario Laws. The design of this set was identical with the design of the Manitoba Laws. These stamps are found in two colors—carmine red and vermilion.

REFERENCE LIST.

No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
558	1870	5 cents	carmine red	.10	.10
559	1870	10 cents	carmine red	.20	.01
560	1870	20 cents	carmine red	.30	.01
561	1870	30 cents	carmine red	.50	.01
562	1870	40 cents	carmine red	.60	.04
563	1870	50 cents	carmine red	.70	.03
564	1870	60 cents	carmine red	.75	.05
565	1870	70 cents	carmine red	.90	.08
566	1870	80 cents	carmine red	1.10	.08
567	1870	90 cents	carmine red	1.25	.08
568	1870	1 dollar	carmine red	1.50	.03
569	1870	2 dollars	carmine red	2.50	.20
570	1870	3 dollars	carmine red	3.50	.25
571	1870	4 dollars	carmine red	4.50	.30
572	1870	5 cents	vermilion	.10	.10
573	1870	10 cents	vermilion	.20	.01
574	1870	20 cents	vermilion	.30	.01
575	1870	30 cents	vermilion	.45	.01
576	1870	40 cents	vermilion	.60	.04
577	1870	50 cents	vermilion	.65	.03
578	1870	60 cents	vermilion	.75	.05
579	1870	70 cents	vermilion	.85	.08
580	1870	80 cents	vermilion	1.10	.08
581	1870	90 cents	vermilion	1.25	.08
582	1870	1 dollar	vermilion	1.50	.02
583	1870	2 dollars	vermilion	2.50	.20
584	1876	3 dollars	vermilion	3.50	.25
585	1876	4 dollars	vermilion	4.50	.30

LOWER CANADA LAWS.

Lower Canada (Quebec) issued the first Law Stamp in 1864. The values, colors and designs of the set was the same as the set issued in the same year for Upper Canada, the only difference being in the surcharge, which in this set was L. C., being printed in red.

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No.	Date.	Value.	Color.	New.	Used.
586	1864	10 cent	green	.20	.05
587	1864	20 cent	green	.30	.05
588	1864	30 cent	green	.50	.05
589	1864	40 cent	green	.60	.08
590	1864	50 cent	green	.70	.08
591	1864	60 cent	green	.75	.12
592	1864	70 cent	green	.85	.15
593	1864	80 cent	green	1.00	.15
594	1864	90 cent	green	1.25	.15
595	1864	1 dollar	green, black centre	1.50	.25
596	1864	2 dollar	green, black centre	.60	.05
597	1864	3 dollar	green, black centre	.75	.05
598	1864	4 dollar	green, black centre	.75	.05
599	1864	5 dollar	green, black centre	1.00	.05