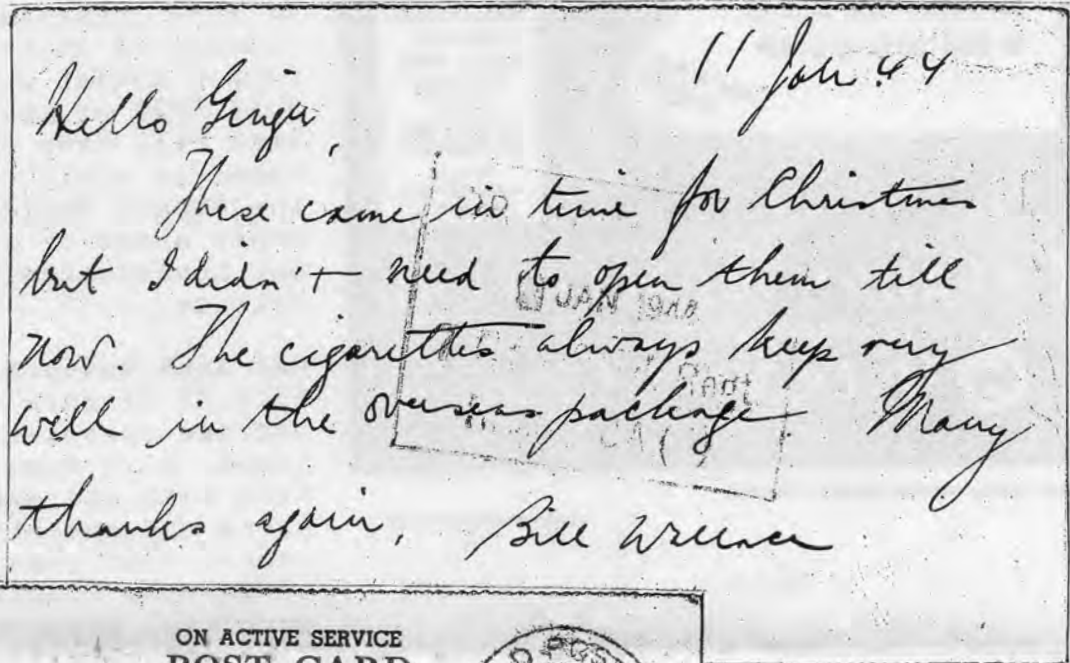


"CIGGIES" FOR CANADIAN FORCES--By Robert Henderson

Cigarettes for Active Forces members were a popular gift during both the First and Second World Wars. Many organizations in Canada encouraged their members and the public to send tobacco products overseas. Most often "ON ACTIVE SERVICE" post cards were included with contributions for acknowledgment replies.

This card is printed in patriotic red, white, and blue and has FPO 586 dated 12 JA 44 [Ration Point, 1st Cdn. Army, U.K., N.W. Europe.Ed.]. A red rectangular "ORDERLY ROOM/? JAN 1944/7 Cdn Armd Regt./R.C.A., CA ( )" identifying a U.K. use is on the reverse. The John Morrow Company was a machine and screw firm located at Ingersoll, Ontario.

A Great War ad for Canada's Tobacco Fund is also shown. [Charles Livermore's Thanks For The Smokes (BNAPS) is a wonderful source for this topic and study.Ed.]



ON ACTIVE SERVICE  
POST CARD

PLEASE MAIL THIS CARD PROMPTLY  
TO ADDRESS BELOW

EMPLOYEES JOHN MORROW CO  
INGERSOLL, ONT.

CANADA.

PARCEL NUMBER  
N3 23950



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**OUR BOYS  
WANT  
SMOKES**

For 25¢ we send  
a dollar's worth

ALL THE  
MONEY  
GOES FOR  
SMOKES

The Club pays  
all expenses

OFFICE  
WINDSOR HOTEL  
MONTREAL

**CANADA'S TOBACCO FUND**  
ORGANIZED BY THE  
**OVER-SEAS CLUB**

A medic lights a wounded soldier's cigarette.

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sues). Our last call for dues was in 2021 so there will be a request for dues early next year. Members will be notified in due course. Thank you.

Once again thanks to contributors. I do have a few articles on hand and in the queue, but more are always welcome. I realize that members are busy with their submissions to Mike for the Anthology II which is great, but remember that these issues are dependent upon having material on hand for publication as well. Anything you can send would be helpful. If you don't see your areas of interest, send it in!

Congratulations to members for their exhibits at BNAPEX and thanks to Mike Powell for his excellent presentation on the POW camps.

Have a wonderful upcoming holiday season, keep well and safe, happy collecting, and we'll be in touch in the New Year!



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Dear Study Group Members: Mike and I would like to wish all members a very happy holiday season and an equally wonderful New Year and 2023! Next year will be our group's remarkable 50th anniversary which is quite a milestone among BNAPS study groups. If all goes well, and with the projection of May 2023 for an end for submissions for Anthology II, next year will be great for Canadian military postal history!

Congratulations are extended to the Forces Postal History Society for achieving its 70th anniversary this year--an impressive milestone!

We were saddened to hear of the passing of author, collector, and former member John Tyacke on 21 July 2022 at the age of 82. Members will know of his research on Canadian civil censorship during the Second World War among his many other areas of interest. We extend our condolences to his family and friends.

Our bank balance is currently \$521.02 (before this issue) and we average approximately \$150-\$170/issue. Like most things today there have been increases in printing costs and postal increases are projected next year. We currently have 60 members (including ex-officio, exchange, archive, and library is-