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1 The buyer

The highest bidder shall be the buyer at the 'hammer price' and any dispute shall be settled at the auctioneer's absolute discretion. Every bidder shall be deemed to act as principal unless there is in force a written acknowledgement by Grosvenor that he acts as agent on behalf of a named principal.

2 Minimum increment

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3 The premium

The buyer shall pay to Grosvenor a premium of 22.8% on the 'hammer price' inclusive of a sum in lieu of Value Added Tax at the standard rate and agrees that Grosvenor, when acting as agent for the seller, may also receive commission from the seller in accordance with Condition 15.

4 Value Added Tax (VAT)

Lots on which Value Added Tax at 20% is payable by the buyer on the 'hammer price' are indicated in the catalogue with the sign '†' Lots with an 'x' before the lot number have 5% Importation VAT charged on the hammer price because they have been imported into the UK from outside the EU. In such cases Grosvenor has used a temporary importation procedure which in effect means that the point of importation is deferred until the lot has been sold by Grosvenor. At that point the buyer is treated as the importer and is liable to pay the Import VAT due.

5 Payment

Immediately a lot is sold the buyer shall:

- (a) give to Grosvenor his name and address and, if so requested, proof of identity; and
- (b) pay to Grosvenor the 'total amount due' (unless credit terms have been agreed with Grosvenor before the auction).
- **6** Grosvenor may, at its absolute discretion, agree credit terms with the buyer before an auction under which the buyer will be entitled to take possession of lots purchased up to an agreed amount in value in advance of payment by a determined future date of the 'total amount due'.
- 7 Any payments by a buyer to Grosvenor may be applied by Grosvenor towards any sums owing from that buyer to Grosvenor on any account whatever without regard to any directions of the buyer or his agent, whether express or implied.

8 Collection of purchases

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- **9** (a) The buyer shall at his own expense take away the lot purchased not later than 5 working days after the day of the auction but (unless credit terms have been agreed in accordance with Condition 7) not before payment to Grosvenor of the 'total amount due'
- (b) The buyer shall be responsible for any removal, storage and insurance charges on any lot not taken away within 5 working days of the day of the auction.
- (c) The packing and handling of purchased lots by Grosvenor staff is undertaken solely as a courtesy to clients and, in the case of

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10 Buyers' responsibilities for Lots purchased

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- (g) to reject or ignore any bids made by or on behalf of the defaulting buyer at any future auctions or obtaining a deposit before accepting any bids in future.
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- (ii) *Correctly described* (see also clause 12 (f)). The date of any certificate forming part of the description of any lot will be included in the description.
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- (ii) proves that the lot is not genuine or was incorrectly described; and $% \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) =\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac$
- (iii) returns to the auctioneer within 30 days of the date of the sale,

the lot in the same condition as it was at the time of the sale; provided that the auctioneer may, at his absolute discretion, on receiving a request in writing from the purchaser, extend for a reasonable period of time the return of the lot, to enable it to be submitted to an agreed expert or expert committee.

- **nb**: The onus of proving a lot not to be genuine, or incorrectly described, is on the purchaser. The inability of a recognised expert or expert committee to express a definite opinion shall serve to discharge the onus on the purchaser and shall be a ground for rejecting the lot concerned.
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- (d) Where the purchaser of a lot discharges the onus and acts in accordance with sub clause (b) of this clause, the auctioneer shall rescind the sale and repay to the purchaser the purchase money paid by him in respect of the lot.
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- (f) Any lots listed under 'Collections and Various' or stated to comprise or contain a collection, issues or stamps, which are undescribed, shall be put up for sale, not subject to rejection, and shall be taken by the purchaser with all (if any) faults, lack of genuineness, and errors of description, and numbers of stamps within the lot, and the purchaser shall have no right to reject the lot; except that, notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this sub clause, where before the sale a person intending to bid at the sale gives notice in writing to, and satisfies the auctioneer, that any such lot contains any item or items not described in the sale catalogue, and that person specifically describes such in that notice, then that item or items shall, as between the auctioneer and that person, be taken to form part of the description of the lot for purposes of sub clauses (a), (b) and (d) of this clause.
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- The reason for the extension request must be stated. Requests relating to condition only will not normally be approved.
- Extension requests will not be granted for any lot already accompanied by a recent certificate of authenticity, except by special permission.
- The sale of any lot identified in its description as having 'faults', 'defects' or 'imperfections' will not be cancelled in the event of these being specified individually on the issued certificate.
- Lots will be submitted directly to the nominated expert or expert committee by Grosvenor, unless otherwise agreed.

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Symbols

Unmounted Mint В Booklet ★ Mint С Cancelled ☆ Unused Ε Essay O Used F Forgery **⊞** Block of Four L Literature **B** Block of larger than Four Miniature Sheet Р Proof ■ Used on cover, entire, etc R → Airmail Reprint ▲ Used on piece or front Specimen

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Collections and Mixed Lots



A mint and used collection in a Philatelic album, incl. 1840 Mulready 1d. envelope and 2d. lettersheet unused, 1d. envelope used (2), 1840 1d. black (6, two on cover, each with four margins) and 2d. blue (2), 1841 1d. reds with numbers "1" to "12" in Maltese Cross, 1841-51 2d. pair used, 1847-54 embossed 6d. (3), 10d. (2, one on piece), 1s. (4) used, 1854-57 Small Crown perf. 16 2d. (3) used, perf. 14 2d. used, 1858 2d. plates 7 to 9 and 12 to 15 unused (with part original gum or regummed), 1864-79 plates 71 to 225 (less 77) complete mint and used, 1870 ½d. plates 1 to 20 complete unused (some with part original gum or regummed, plate 9 without gum) and used, 1870 11/4d. plates (1) and 3 unused (regummed), Surface Printed unused (some regummed, others with part original gum) with 1855-57 Large Garter 4d., Emblems 6d., 1862-64 3d., 4d., 6d. plates 3 and 4, 9d., 1s., 1865-73 3d., 4d. plates 7, 9 to 14, 6d., 9d., 1s., 1867-80 3d. plates 5, 6, 8, 10, 6d. plates 8 and 9, 1s. plates 4 to 7, 9d., 10d., 2s. blue, 1872-73 6d. (4), 1873-80 Anchor 2½d. plates 1 to 3, Orb 2½d. rosy mauve plates 3 to 17, 2½d. blue plates 17 to 20, Spray 3d. plates 11 to 20, 6d. plates 13 to 17, 1s. green plates 8 to 13, 1s. red, Garter 4d. vermilion, 4d. sage-green plates 15 to 17, 8d., 1880-83 21/2d. plates 21 to 23, 4d. plates 20, 21, 4d. plates 17 and 18, 6d. plates 17 and 18, 1s. plates 13 and 14, 3d. on 3d., 6d. on 6d., 1880-81 1½d., 2d., 5d., 1881 die I 1d. (also die II overprinted "SPECIMEN"), 1883-84 2s.6d., 5s., 10s., 1883-83 lilac and green set and 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s., surface printed extensive used with 1867-83 Maltese Cross 5s. plates 1 and 2 (2), 10s., £1, Large Anchor 5s. plate 4, 10s. and £5, 1883-84 2s.6d. (2), 5d. (2), 10s. (2), 1884 Crowns £1 brown, 1888 Orbs £1 brown and 1887-92 £1 green, 1902-10 to £1 mint and used, Downey Heads, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. to £1 mint and used, 1918-19 Bradbury to 10s. mint and used, 1924-26 to 1s. mint, 1929 PUC £1 mint and used, few K.G.V watermarks, 1934 re-engraved set mint, 1939-49 set mint, etc., later to 1960s phosphor sets, also two Waterlow presentation cards bearing 1951 Festival and 1955-58 Castle sets, range of covers, mixed condition but many of fine appearance. (100s). Photo

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- 2 A used Q.V. collection in a boxed album, incl. 1840 1d. Mulready envelope used, 1840 1d. black used (18, one on piece and one on cover), 1841 1d. red singles (143, one with one dubious red Maltese Cross, and five used on cover) and pairs (3, one on cover), 1841 1d. blue singles (17, one on cover), pairs (4, one on cover) and strip of three, wide range of later line engraved with 1854-57 Small Crown perf. 16. 1d. strip of four, 2d. (2), perf. 14 2d., Large Crown perf. 16 1d. singles (3, one on piece) and pair, 1870 ½d. plate 1 on piece, 1870 1½d on piece, 1855-57 4d. singles (18), vertical pair used alongside embossed 1s. on envelope to Turin, 6d. (17, two on cover), 1s. (11, one on cover), 1862-64 3d. (2), 4d. (26, one overprinted "SPECIMEN", one on piece and one on cover with 6d.), 6d. (23, five on cover), 9d. (8), 1s. (7), 1865-73 4d. (30, one on cover), 6d. (11), 9d. (2), 1s. (6, two on cover), 1867-80 4d. singles (30, one on cover) and block of four with telegraph cancellation, 6d. (22, three on cover), 9d. (9), 10d. (13), 1s. (19, one on cover), 2s. blue singles (7) and pair on piece, 1872-73 6d. chestnut (12), 6d. grey (6), 1867-83 Maltese Cross 5s. (3), 1873-80 Anchor 21/2d. (7), Orb 21/2d. rosy-mauve (29, four on cover), 21/2d. blue (8, one on cover), Spray 3d. (37), 6d. (22, one on cover), 1s. (14), 1s. plate 13, Large Garter 4d. vermilion plate 15 (3), 4d. sage-green (9), 8d. (6), 1880-83 2½d. (22, one on cover), 3d. (8), 3d. on 3d. (5), 4d. (5), 6d. (6), 6d on 6d. singles (8) and pair, 1s. (8), 1880-81 duplicated to 2d. (8) and 5d. (11), 1881 Die I and II selection, 1883-83 2s.6d. (10), 5s. (11), 10s. (7), etc., imperfs. with mixed margins, some high values with parcel cancellations, varied condition. (100s)£5,000-£6,000
- A surface printed collection in a Lighthouse album, incl. 1855-57 4d. (5), 6d. (4, one with watermark inverted), 1s. (3), 1862-64 3d. unused, used (2), 4d. (4), 6d. (3), 9d. (2), 1s. (3), 1865-67 3d., 4d. (3), 6d. (2), 9d. and 1s., 1867-80 2s. brown AD (re-perfed), 1867-78 watermark Maltese Cross 10s. HG used (straight edge at left), 1880-83 3d. and 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1880-81 1d. complete used reconstruction, 5d. block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1881 1d. lilac die II printed on gummed side mint with R.P.S. certificate (2005), 1884 watermark Crowns £1 brown-lilac OC used, 1883 or 84 2½d., 3d., 5d., 6d., 9d. and 1s. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1887-92 £1 green AD used, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
- A line engraved collection in a Lighthouse album, incl. 1840 1d. black (16), 2d. blue (7) used, 1841 1d.'s with a complete reconstruction, 2d. blues, 1864-79 1d. plates to 225 used, 1870-74 1½d. JI-JJ mint pair, range of underprints, shades, cancellations, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £1,500-£1,800
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in a boxed album, incl. 1840 1d. black, 2d. blue used (latter with four margins), 1841 1d. red unused, 1841-51 2d. unused (four margins, faults), 1847-54 Embossed 6d., 10d., 1s. used, 1854-57 selection, 1870 ½d. and 1½d. mint, surface printed to 1s. unused and 5s. used, 1883-84 2s.6d. to 10s. unused and used, 1883-84 lilac and green set unused, 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. mint and £1 used, K.E.VII to 10s. mint and £1 used, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1913 Multiple Cypher ½d. and 1d. mint and used, 1924-26 to 1s. mint, 1913-19 Seahorses to 10s. mint and used, 1929 PUC £1 used, 1939-48 set mint, 1951 Festival set mint, range of postage dues with 1914-22, 1924-31, 1936-37 and 1937-38 sets mint, etc., very mixed condition. (100s)
- 6 A used Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in a KA-BE album, incl. 1840 1d. and 2d., 1847-54 embossed 1s., 10d., 6d., 1870 ½d. plates 1 to 20, 1855-57 4d. (3) 6d. and 1s., 1867-80 2s. brown OD wing margined example (tear in wing margin), 1873-80 2½d. rosy mauve plates 3 to 17, Q.E.II with 1959 Phosphor-Graphite 2d. error, Postage dues, Officials, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
 £1,400-£1,600
- 7 A Q.V. to Q.E.II used collection in an album, incl. 1840 1d. black (3), 2d. blue, 1855-57 4d. (3), 6d., 1s., 1862-64 3d., 4d., 6d., 9d. and 1s., 1887-92 Jubilee £1 green BB, 1902-13 to £1, 1913 Waterlow 10s. and £1 dull blue-green, 1929 P.U.C. £1, etc., varied condition. (100s) £1,200-£1,400
- A mainly Q.V. collection in stockbooks, albums, on Hagner pages, leaves and loose in two cartons, predominantly used incl. stockbook of 1841 1d. red-browns cancelled by Maltese Crosses, collection of alphabet I imperf. 1d. reds, extensive duplicated later line engraved mainly unplated and arranged by lettering, used surface printed to 1s., mint incl. Machin high values to £5, Castles to £5 in block of four, Britannia £10 block of four, range of Q.E.II commemoratives in blocks (many corner or marginal) of four or more, etc. Ex Moon. (1,000s) £1,000-£1,500
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in two albums, thirteen stockbooks, seven cover albums, leaves and loose in packets, incl. 1840 1d. black (3), 2d., 1847-54 Embossed 6d. used vertical pair, Q.E.II with f.d.c's, Channel Islands with Guernsey 1940 Centenary 2d. bisects on covers (35), much duplication, etc. (many 1,000s) £1,000-£1,200

- 1840 to 2014 collection in five boxed hingless DAVO albums with a range of earlier issues used in mixed condition from 1840 1d., range of surface printed with values to 10s., 1887-1900 to 1s. (both) mint, 1902-13 1s. mint, later issues mint (much unmounted) incl. 1939-48 2s.6d. to £1 set of six, Wildings with graphites, apparently complete run of commemoratives with phopshors, Officials, Postage dues, mostly mint, etc. (100s) £1,000-£1,200
- A mainly used Q.V. accumulation on stock pages, incl. 1840 2d., 1841 2d. (5), 1847-54 Embossed group, 1867-83 5s. plates 1 and 2 (the latter with tiny tear at base), £1 (with perfin), 1884 £1 (major faults), 1883-84 2s.6d. (4), 5s. (2), 10s. (4), 1887-92 duplicated to £1 used with c.d.s. and manuscript (also to both 1s. mint), wide range of Surface Printed mint or unused, range of cancellations, Officials, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £800-£1,000
- A line engraved accumulation, 1854 to 1858, of used perforated issues in a stockbook, incl. 1854-57 watermark small crown perf. 16 2d. singles (5, one used on piece with Birmingham spoon cancellation and two with inverted watermarks), perf. 14 2d. (3), large crown perf. 16 2d., 1856-58 perf. 16 2d., a few covers and on piece, a few 1d. misperfs. and inverted watermarks, extensive 1d. reds sorted by lettering, range of cancellations, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
- A mainly used collection in eleven stockbooks, Q.V. to Q.E.II, incl. 1840 1d. black (2, one fine with four margins and one very poor on piece) and 2d. blue, wide range of imperf. and perf. 1d. reds, 1847-54 6d., 10d. and 1s., surface printed to 2s. blue, 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s., 10s. (cleaned), watermark Anchor £1, 1883-84 2s.6d., 5s., 1884 £1 brown-lilac, 1887-92 Jubilee £1 with perfin, K.E.VII to £1 used with parcel cancellation, etc., some duplication, very mixed condition, also some Isle of Man, Guernsey and Jersey. (100s) £700-£800
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in five albums, incl. range of mint and used 1d. reds, 1870 1½d. unused with part original gum (2), range of surface printed with 1883-83 5s. used, K.E.VII with 1902-10 values to 1s. mint and 2s.6d. used, 1d. corner pairs with controls (9), 1913-19 Seahorses to 10s. (2) used, 1934 re-engraved set used, 1939-48 10s. dark blue mint, 1951 Festival set mint, 1959 De La Rue 2s.6d., 10s. and £1, postage dues, postal fiscals, etc., range of covers with Q.V. stampless entires, a few incoming with Hong Kong, 1924 incoming cover from France franked 25f. pair with G.B. 1½d. chestnut Postage due alongside, also two empty boxed albums, very mixed condition. (100s)
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection of mainly first day covers, in five albums, incl. 1902 ½d. green on postcard, 1924 Wembley set used on plain f.d.c., 1929 P.U.C. low values on plain f.d.c., 1935 Silver Jubilee set on plain f.d.c., 1936 K.E.VIII ½d., 1½d. and 2½d. on plain cover with Banff c.d.s's, 1948 Silver Wedding set on illustrated f.d.c., 1953 4d., 1s.3d. and 1s.6d. on illustrated f.d.c., 1959 phosphor-graphite set on two cachet covers, also a collection of Channel Islands, etc. (100s)
- An extensive used later line engraved academic collection of perforated 2d. blues incl. plate 4 SC16 (34 incl. one used on cover) with BH displaying evidence of the 'Spectacles' variety, SC14 (8) incl. BH, plate 5 SC14 (3), SC16 (3), LC16 HA, LC14 (49) incl. used on cover to Scotland, plate 6 LC14 (76), 2d. plates etc., also multiple examples of 1870 ½d. and 1½d., mixed condition. Ex Moon.
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in ten albums, five stockbooks, leaves and loose, incl. 1887-92 Jubilee to 1s. (both) used, 5d. die I used, Seahorses, Q.E.II commemoratives with better phosphors, duplication, etc. (1,000s)

£600-£700

- A Q.V. to K.G.VI. mainly mint accumulation, incl. 1924 Wembley sets unmounted mint (18), controls, Official with Government Parcels 1883-86 1s. dull green used block of four, Army Official 1896-1901 1d. lilac "X" control single, 6d. block of nine, 1902 1d. "A" control strips of three (2), etc., varied condition. (100s) £500-£700
- A used imperf. line engraved selection on leaves, comprising 1840 1d. black (2), 2d. blue (6), 1841-51 2d. (8) and range of 1d. reds (46) with blue 1844-type cancellations (3) and a horizontal pair, some with four margins, mixed condition. (43)
- A Q.V. to K.G.VI collection in an album, incl. 1841 1d. red-brown with numbers 1 to 12 in Cross, 1856 embossed Valentine envelope, franked by 1854-57 1d. (2), used from Norwich to Diss, 1854-57 Embossed 10d. cut to shape used (11), etc., mixed condition. (few 100s)
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in nine albums, fourteen stockbooks, five folders, leaves and loose, incl. Seahorses, Q.E.II with booklet panes, Regionals, f.d.c's, Postage dues, etc. (1,000s) £500-£600
- A Q.V. to K.G.VI collection of controls in a Lighthouse album, incl. 1912-24 watermark Royal Cypher to 1s. (7), mint and used, 1937-47 to 1s. (4), etc. (100s)

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- An accumulation in five albums, incl. 1840 1d. black used on cover with red Maltese Cross (four close to small margins), 1887-92 to 1s. mint, 1937-47 2d. and 2½d. with watermark sideways unmounted mint, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1939-48 set mint, 1951 Festival set unmounted mint, 1952-54 to 1s.6d. mint, 1960s Phosphor sets, Postage dues, regionals, f.d.c's, also a selection of world, mixed condition. (100s)

 £450-£500
- A mainly Q.V. selection, incl. 1840 1d. black, range of surface printed issues with values to 5s., some duplication, etc. (few 100s)
- A used perforated line engraved selection on leaves, incl. 1854-57 watermark SC perf. 16 2d. plate 4 (2) and plate 5, perf. 14 2d. plate 4 and 5, watermark LC perf. 16 1d. and 2d., 1856-58 perf. 16 2d., 1870 ½d. plates 1 to 20 complete (plate 9 with tear), etc., mixed condition. (76)
- 26 1841 to 1851, a used accumulation of imperf. 1d. reds and 2d. blues in an album, incl. multiples with 2d. strips of three (5), covers, some on piece with 2d. blue pair (four margins) used on large piece, cancellations with blue 1844 types on 1d. reds (3), a few 1d. inverted watermarks, range of 1d. reds from black plates, etc., also a few unused 1d. reds incl. one with four margins and small part original gum, mixed margins and condition. (100s)

£400-£500

X27 A mint line engraved selection with 1841 1d. EE, just touched at foot (pressed crease), 1856-58 LC14 1d. IJ, 1858-76 2d. plate 9 RD (crease), 1864-79 1d. plate 208 NG-PH block of six (some split perfs.), 1870 ½d. plate 5 QQ, plate 14 FO-GQ block of six, and 1870 1½d. plate 1 QD (creases), varied condition, some unmounted. (17)

£400-£500

- 28 S A Q.V. selection of "SPECIMEN" overprints, incl. 1870 1½d. HC, 1873-80 2½d. blue BE plate 17, 1s. orange-brown plate 13 CJ, 1887-92 Jubilee ½d. vermilion, 2d. (2), 3d., 1s., Office of Works 1896-02 ½d. vermilion, etc., mixed condition. (11)
- A Q.V. to K.G.V unmounted mint selection on a stock card, comprising 1887-92 4d. corner block of four, 1896-91 Army 6d., 1902-10 7d. block of four, 1911 Harrison perf. 15 x 14 ½d., 1d., 2½d., 1912-24 1s. control "G15" corner strip of three (mounted), 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. (2, one marginal), and 1934 re-engraved 5s. upper marginal example, some with light gum toning, otherwise mainly fine. (10 items)
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II mint collection in five hingeless Davo albums, a stockbook and loose in a carton, with a few Q.V. from 1881 incl. 1883-84 ½d. to 3d., a few K.E.VII and K.G.V, K.G.VI basic issues complete, Q.E.II commemoratives with some pre-decimal, duplicated decimals to 1999, Wildings, Machins, regionals, selection of presentation packs, also Guernsey and Jersey mint to 1999, etc. (many 100s)
 £350-£400
- 31 B A K.G.V to Q.E.II selection of booklets and booklet panes in a folder and leaves, incl. 1918 (Oct.) 3s. part booklet edition 8 with panes of ½d., 1d., 1½d., 1935 Silver Jubilee 2s. edition 301 and 3s. edition 296 complete, 1936 (Oct.) 2s. edition 360 complete, 1959 (July) 5s. with graphite lines complete, 1959 (Aug.) 3s. booklet with graphite lines complete, 1967 (July) 6s. booklet complete, etc. (197)
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in three albums, on leaves and loose, incl. range of line engraved with 1840 1d. black, 1d. red plates used, a few perforated 1d. reds and 2d. blues on cover, surface printed to 5s., presentation packs, multiples, f.d.c's with 2012 Olympics, covers with postal stationery and 1918 cover to Rhyl bearing ½d. (2), 1½d. and North Eastern Railway 2d., etc., mixed condition. (100s)
 £300-£400
- A used accumulation of imperf. and perf. 1d.'s in two albums, a notebook and on pages in mixed condition contained in a few boxes with imperf. 1d. partial reconstruction, duplicated 1d. plates, range of cancellation types with numbers in crosses, later sorted by Town, etc. (100s)

 £300-£400
- A K.G.V to Q.E.II accumulation in two stockbooks and loose, incl. K.G.VI cylinder blocks of six with 8d. (2), 9d. (7), 10d. (8), 1s. (3), Q.E.II definitives and commemoratives, etc. (100s) £300-£400
- A Q.V. surface printed selection overprinted "SPECIMEN", comprising 1862-64 3d. (2, one with type 5 horizontally and the other type 8 vertically), 4d., 1873-80 plate 17 2½d., 1880-83 3d. on 3d., 6d. on 6d., 1881 1d., 1883 lilac and green 3d., 9d., 1883-84 10s., 1887-92 ½d., 1½d., 2d., 2½d. and 5d., some with part original gum, very mixed condition. (15)

- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in six albums, six cover albums, leaves and loose, incl. a range of pre-stamp to Q.E.II selection of Exeter postal history with 1841 entire from Exeter to Ashburton, franked by 1840 1d. black, and literature, range of 1940-2010 f.d.c's, Q.E.II commemoratives used, etc. (many 100s)

 £250-£300
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II selection in a stockbook, incl. 1840 1d. black (2) used on pieces, booklet panes, range of K.G.V control pieces, etc. (few 100s) £250-£300
- A used Q.V. 1d. line engraved issues, many are plated, in a folder, incl. black plates 2 ID, 5 PK, 8 PD, 31 PD, 134 OA-PD block, etc., mixed condition. (39)
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II duplicated accumulation in eleven stockbooks and loose contained in a carton with unmounted mint incl. 1948 Wedding £1 (2), 1937-47 to 1s. (20), 1960 Europa sets (96), also a selection of sterling presentation packs, etc. (100s)

 £250-£300
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation loose in packets and show boxes in three cartons, incl. presentation packs, booklets with prestige, much duplication, etc. (1,000s) £200-£250
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in four albums, stockbook and stockleaves, incl. line engraved 1d. Stars used, 1855-57 4d., 6d., 1883-84 watermark Anchor 10s. KE ultramarine used, etc. (many 100s) £200-£250
- x42 An 1880 to 1884 mint or unused selection incl. 1880-81 set to 5d., 1d. block of six, additional 1½d., 1883-84 2s.6d. (crease), 1883-84 'lilac and green' 2½d. and 4d., etc., mixed condition, a few regummed. (18) £200-£250
- A collection in five albums, incl. used ranges from 1d. black onwards, surface printed to 5s., Q.E.II issues, etc., mixed condition. To be sold on behalf of Birdlife Intermational. (100s) £200-£250
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in six albums and stockbooks and loose contained in a carton with 1840 1d. (2, both with close to good margins) used, later issues mint incl. 1948 Wedding £1 pair, range of f.d.c's, etc. (100s) £200-£250
- An 1841 to 1970, a collection in three albums (one boxed Windsor Sovereign), incl. line engraved with used 1d. reds, small range of surface printed to 5s. used, K.E.VII to 1s. mint, Seahorses with 1934 re-engraved set used (poor), 1939-48 set mint, 1951 Festival set mint, Castles, phosphor sets, a few f.d.c's, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £200-£250
- A K.G.V to K.G.VI collection on leaves, incl. 1912-24 watermark Royal Cypher ½d. deep blue (Myrtle) green mint with B.P.A. certificate (2003), 1939-48 set unmounted mint, etc., varied condition. (217) £180-£200
- An accumulation in varied condition in eight albums, stockbooks and loose contained in two cartons, with general collections in two old time printed albums, quantity of covers, etc. (many 100s) £150-£200
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in eleven albums and stockbooks, on leaves and loose contained in three cartons with a large quantity of f.d.c's with many special handstamps, Benham silks, also a collection of Hovercraft mail, etc. (many 100s)

 £150-£200
- A Q.V. to early Q.E.II collection in two albums, incl. 1840 1d. black. used (three margins) in display folder, small range of line engraved and surface printed, 1951 Festival set unmounted mint, Wildings, Castles, regionals, 1960s Phosphor sets, a few f.d.c's, etc., mixed condition. (100s)

 £150-£200
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in albums, on stockcards and loose contained in two cartons with duplicated used Q.V. issues incl. cancellation interest, first day covers, presentation packs incl. 1967 EFTA, a quantity of bundleware with issues from Q.V., etc. (1,000s)

 £150-£200
- A K.G.VI to Q.E.II collection of multiples, mainly used, in leather bound vintage peg fit "Peerless" stamp album, incl. 1939-48 in blocks of four to 10s. dark blue, wih additional 5s. block of six, 10s. dark blue and ultramarine in blocks of eight, also £1 lower right corner marginal, mint, 1955-58 Castles to 10s. in blocks of four, 1959-68 Castles £1 block of four and six, the block of six being on piece above additional 5s. and £1 singles, etc., mixed condition.
- A Q.V. to Q.E.II selection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. black (2) used, 1911-12 watermark Crown die 2 1d. with no Cross on Crown and broken frame, used on piece with R.P.S. certificate (2013), Seahorses with 1913 Waterlow 10s. used, 1915 De La Rue 10s. bright blue used with central defect R.P.S. certificate (2013), etc., varied condition. (few 100s)

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- A used Q.V. surface printed selection written up on leaves comprising 1881 1d. die I and die II, die II used on cover, 1880-81 ½d. to 5d. and 1883-84 lilac and green set, varied condition, many fine with c.d.s. cancellations.

 (18)
 £100-£150
- The balance of a collection in fourteen albums, stockbooks and loose contained in two cartons with covers and cards incl. W.W.I picture postcards, also some foreign issues with World Wildlife Fund commemorative covers and a few banknotes, etc. (100s)

 £100-£150
- An accumulation of covers in an album and loose, incl. range of stampless entires, 1840 1d. Mulready envelope unused, 1840 1d. black (3 margins) on cover, range of W.W.I and W.W.II censored mail, etc., mixed condition.

£100-£150

A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in stockbook, three cover albums, leaves and loose, incl. 1936 K.E.VIII ½d., 1d. and 2½d. two plain f.d.c's, 1939-48 10s. dark blue used (4), Q.E.II commemoratives with f.d.c's, etc. (100s)

£100-£120

A used Q.V. surface printed group comprising 1880-3 6d. on 6d. plate 18 LB, 1880-1 5d. indigo, 1883 1s. dull green, 1865-67 4d. plate 13 MG-MH, plate 13 OA-OB and plate 14 AG-AH horizontal pairs and plate 14 HG single (paper adhesion on reverse), mostly fine. (10)

Miscellaneous

- A specially printed presentation album given to George Downes by members of the Post Office Stamp Advisory Committee on his retirement from its Chairmanship, signed by members of the Committee and by members of the Post Office Committee Secretariat, the album contains printed pages with commemorative sets, Machins, Regionals and Postage Dues issued between 1968 and 1971, plus pages for 1972 without stamps, most are signed by the designers of the stamps, fine and unique, also with three other presentation items. £300-£400
- 59 Belfast Newsletter: 1804-06 ten copies of the Newsletter, most with 2d. newspaper stamps, fair to fine impressions. (10) £70-£80
- 60 Bus Tickets: An accumulation of mainly middle period bus tickets in an album and loose, mixed condition. (100s) £80-£100
- 61 Cheques: A carton of used cheques from 1860s to modern, also cut out revenue stamps, mostly 1d. and 2d. values.
 (100s) £80-£100
- 62 Circular Delivery Company Stamps: A selection on stockleaves, incl. Aberdeen 1867 1/4d., ½d., Edinburgh & Leith, London & Metropolitan, National Circular Delivery Co., etc., mixed condition. (135) £100-£120
- 63 Coins: 2012 Olympic coin collection complete with medallion in special folder, fine. (30) £100-£150
- College Stamps: A small selection, incl. Hertford College (½d.) reminder sheet (5 x 7), Lincoln College 1d. mint, Queen's College 1883 (½d.) mint, Selwyn College (½d.) unused, etc. (43)
- 65 Harrison: A collection of Harrison presentation cards in a binder, incl. 1948 Silver Wedding 2½d. pair, 1948 Olympics Games set (2),1951 Festival of Britain (2) etc., some with original letter, also a selection of Commonwealth cards, mainly fine. (18)
- Parcel Post Labels: Two 1st. type Parcels Post label 1884 Compton Gifford (under Plymouth) franked by 1880-83 3d. on 3d., other Union Street under Plymouth label franked by 1883 or 84 6d., a few imperfections, otherwise fine.
 £80-£100
- 67 1904-12, a group of parcel post labels from different villages under Okehampton, mainly fine. (13) £100-£120
- 68 Perfins: A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in a carton, incl. K.E.VII 5s., also a few foreign perfins, etc. (100s) £70-£80
- 69 A K.G.V to Q.E.II accumulation in six stockbooks, duplication, range of overprints, etc. (many 100s)

£100-£150

Post Office Money Order: 1900 (Apr. 26) form "NORTH HILL, PLYMOUTH" transferring £2 to Nova Scotia, has North Hill c.d.s. with month "P" inverted. £80-£90





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- 71 P Postal Fiscals: 1867 small type Inland Revenue 1d. imperforate plate proof pair in black on ungummed paper watermarked small anchor, very fine. See S.G. Spec. L118 (which erroneously lists this as a die proof), cat. £840. Photo. £100-£150
- 72 Protective Overprints and Underprints: A selection on leaves, incl. Copestake, Moore, Crampton & Co., J & C
 Boyd type 4 on 1d. plates 119, 154, 164, 170 and 205, G.E.R. on 1d. plate 151, O.U.S., Smith Elder & Co. type 53
 on 1d. plate 97, etc., varied condition. (33)
- 73 Telegrams: A selection of forms and ephemera, incl. British & Irish Magnetic Telegraph Co., Ltd., Post Office forms, etc. (21 items) £100-£120
- An unused and used 1930s to 1950s collection in an album, some with envelopes, mixed condition. (approx. 80)
 £80-£100

Revenue Stamps

- A selection A to J in a stockbook, incl. Admiralty Court 1858 set overprinted "SPECIMEN", Bankruptcy, Civil Service, Consular Service 1886 £1 to £5 overprinted "SPECIMEN", Customs, Estate Duty 1895 £10 overprinted "SPECIMEN", Foreign Bill 1948 £50, Land Commission 1884 £5, etc., mixed condition. (few 100s) £800-£1,000
- A selection L to W in a stockbook, incl. Land Registry, Life Policy, Matrimonial Cause 1866 2s.6d., (surface faults), Police Courts 1875 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", Probate, Public Records, some documents, etc. (few 100s) £400-£500
- 77 No lot
- A collection in an album, including Admiralty Court £1 (2), first issue of Foreign Bill to 15s., numerous commercial overprints on Foreign Bill. (100s) £250-£300
- An accumulation incl. Consular Service, TV licence stamps, transfer duty stamps, foreign bill on leaves and loose. (100s) £200-£300
- A selection, incl. Medicine, Tea Clearing House, Tobacco, also some Advertising Ring cut-outs, also some marginal inscriptions from the 1d. reds, etc. (84)
- A small selection mainly "SPECIMEN" overprints, incl. Judicature Fees 1881 £1, Probate 1878 £1, also a few Telegraph stamps, etc., very mixed condition. (19)
- An extensive collection of unsorted revenue documents, in three cartons. (100s) £80-£100
- An unsorted accumulation of revenue stamps, embossed and cut outs in a carton. (1,000s) £60-£80
- 84 P 1867 (Feb.) 6d. die proof and a wax impression on card, Schonfeld 3684. Photo.
- America Dies: 1776 (Jan.), 3d. die on document, America Die over struck 1771, America Die over struck (blue base paper, 1769), America Die 1769 (May) 2s.6d. on document, America Die over struck 2s.6d. on blue base paper (single stamp).

Revenue Stamps continued

86 Bill or Note: A largely duplicated collection in two albums with 1d. to £5 values. (100s) £80-£100

87 Cipher Labels: A range from William III (3 large and 3 small format) to K.G.V, partial plate reconstruction, also a small collection of "Cost Marks". (1,000s)

88 Commercial Overprints: A collection of overprints on postage stamps, rather duplicated. (100s) £80-£100

89 O Consular Service: 1915 £50 claret and vermilion (the actual one illustrated in Barefoot), 1917-21 £50 claret and vermilion c.t.o. at Alexandria. Barefoot 129, 150a. £80-£100

90 Copyright: A collection of items on two leaves. (90) £60-£80

£150-£180

91 Embossed: A large accumulation in 10 binders. (1,000s)

92 - A heavily duplicated accumulation, sorted into bundles in 8 cartons. (1,000s) £100-£120

93 - An unsorted selection on leaves and loosed in a carton. (1,000s) £80-£100

- A collection in an album with a good range from 1673 (document) to 1966, incl. 1882-85 issue with specimen to £5 value (21), assorted underprints, also a range of cancelled embossed stamps and Perkins Bacon receipts from their archive (7). £80-£100



- 95 Embossed: Adhesives: A duplicated collection in a carton on documents and loose. (1,000s) £50-£60
- **Embossed: Appropriated Embossed Revenues**, from Additional Duty Revenues to War Risks. (100s)

£250-£300

- 97 Embossed: Customs: 1861 pink series with 50+ items to the £5 value, also 1871 red embossed, cancelled and uncancelled. (100s) £80-£100
- 98 Foreign Bill: An accumulation with commercial overprints, on leaves and loose. £80-£100
- 99 ⊞ P Guildhall Consultation: 1892 2s.6d. imperforate colour trial block of four from the top right corner of the sheet, printed in red, only one sheet known and most are damaged, rare. Photo. £350-£400
- 100 P 1892 2s.6d. imperforate colour trial horizontal pair, printed in violet, only one sheet known and most are damaged, rare. Photo.
- Horse Duty: 1821 "1 Horse" in black, "249" control, scarce. Photo also on page 1. £80-£100
- 102 C House of Lords: 1902 £3 lilac and scarlet, overprinted "CANCELLED", crease at top, otherwise fine. Photo. £80-£100
- Ireland: A selection on stockleaves, incl. Admiralty Court 1868 unissued set overprinted "SPECIMEN", Bankruptcy 1882 set overprinted "SPECIMEN", Chancery Fee 1868 £2 (2), £3, £5 overprinted "SPECIMEN", Petty Sessions, Registration of Deeds, Northern Ireland Judicature Fee Q.E.II £5 overprinted "SPECIMEN" and imperforate £10 proof, etc., varied condition. (214)
- Licences: A collection in an album, incl. broadcasting licence from 1948 to 1997 with M9 and C15 complete licences, also assessed tax forms for 1884, 1901 and 1916, licences for male servants, club licences and club registration and a tea dealer licence, etc.

 £80-£100
- Local Revenues: A selection on stockleaves, incl. Gloucestershire 1870 imperforate proof in red-brown, Justice Room, Liverpool Beetroot Sugar Association 1896 (c.) 1s., Liverpool Cotton Association, Mayors Court, Northampton, Sheffield 1892 (c.) 2s.6d., etc., varied condition. (84)
- Motor Related Licences, incl. driving licences in name of Frank Brown from 1941 to 1963, road fund licences (tax discs) from 1924 to 2008, also other misc. tax disc's for the life of F. Brown vehicles, also licences for heavy goods vehicle, Irish tax disc's and a certificate of Exemption (1994). (100s)

 £80-£100
- **Newspaper Stamps:** A collection of items 1800s onwards.

£50-£60

- Playing Card Duty: A selection of unused 3d. wrappers on leaves, incl. two smaller size wrappers (one blue and one black for imported cards), some with folded corners, otherwise mainly fine. (9) £200-£250
- Probate Court: A selection, incl. £5 imperforate proof with manuscript initials, 1858 to £5 set (less 3d., 2s.6d.), 1860 set overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., varied condition. (22) £180-£200
- A collection of documents all with high value embossed probate stamps, incl. £1,000 and £500 on a document, another bearing two £900 stamps. (8)
- 111 No Lot
- Revenue Adhesives: A mainly Q.V. collection, incl. Civil Service, Foreign Bill (including overprints), Consular Service, etc. (1,000s)
- Q.V. to K.E.VII collection incl. Admiralty Court, Civil Service, Foreign Bill in a heavily duplicated album, etc. (100s) £50-£60
- Southampton: 1878 Town Court Fees undenominated imperf. proof sheet of nine, with "WATERLOW & SONS LIMITED" at top and "GREAT WINCHESTER STREET" at base, fine, attached to card. Photo. £150-£200
- X115 S Unappropriated Dies: Various imperforate proofs handstamped with a range of specimen types including 8d., 1s. (marginal pair), 1s.6d. (2 different), 2s. (marginal pair), 2s.6d., £1 and £2. Various dies, condition is mixed but includes some superb examples. £100-£120
- x116 P 1872 Ten Shilling die proof in black on glazed white card, handstamped "June 6, 1872" and "AFTER STRIKING", manuscript initials in pencil in bottom left corner. Photo.

Private Telegraph Companies Stamps

- 117 A small selection, incl. The Electric Telegraph Co. 1861 3d. used, 1s. mint, 1s.6d. used, London District Telegraph Co. Ltd., first design 3d., United Kingdom Electric Telegraph Co. Ltd., Universal Private Telegraph Co., etc., mixed £180-£200 condition. (92)
- **x118** A selection incl. Universal Private Telegraph Co. 6d. (8) with two examples of "n for h" and two pairs, 1s. (26) including two pairs, a strip of 3 and a mis-perforated block of 12, various coloured controls. United Kingdom Electric Telegraph Co. horizontal format small control 1s.6d. block of 4 and 3d. (3), large control 6d. (2), 1s., 1s.6d. block of 4, 2s. and with "interest" 6d. and 1s. single and block of 4. (55) £80-£100
- x119 A small selection incl. London District Telegraph Co. 1862 6d. black on vermilion, scarce and 1865 3d. (2) and 6d. The Electric Telegraph Co. 1861 RG-JSF imperforate proofs for the 1s. and 2s. values, 1864 RG-HW 6d. perf. 12.5 and 3d. perf. 10. Condition typically very mixed. (8) £80-£100
- x120 ★ Bonelli's Electric Telegraph Co Ltd.: 6d. imperforate plate proof (?) in black on un-gummed, un-watermarked, paper without control number, rare, plus 1861 perforated stamps including 3d. green (2), 6d. black (3), 9d. blue (3, including scarce pair) and 1s. 1861 3d. brown (6). Condition mixed but generally good to fine mint.

£80-£100

£120-£150

- 121 British and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company: Imperforate remainders, 1s., 1s.6d., 2s.6d., 4s. and 5s., with controls 1s.6d., 2s.6d., 4s. and 5s., without control numbers 1s., 2s.6d., 5s., varied condition. £120-£150
- x122 ☆ - Imperforate remainders, 3d., 6d., 1s., 1s.6d., 2s. and 3s., 1860 black controls 3d., 6d., 1s., 1s.6d., 2s.6d., 3s., 4s. and 5s. 1861 red controls 6d., 1s. and 1s.6d. All mint/unused examples in mixed condition as is typical. The higher values are rare stamps. (17) £200-£250





- 123 🖽 P The Electric Telegraph Company: 1854 "Under 100 miles" imperforate plate proof block of four in black on card, without control numbers, very rare. Photo. £600-£700
- 124 HP 1854 3d. imperforate plate proof block of four in black on wove paper, without control numbers, a few imperfections, otherwise fine and very rare. Photo. £600-£700
- 125 P - 1854 1s. imperforate plate proof in black on wove paper, without control numbers, a few imperfections, otherwise fine and rare. Photo. £250-£300
- x126 ★ - 1859 Directors message stamp for Captn. Huish, mint, scarce. Photo on page 16.







- x**127** ☆ The English and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company: 1853, mint with black control numbers, 1s. (2), 1s.6d. (4) including strip of 3, 2s.6d., 4s. and 5s., proofs/remainders without control numbers, 1s. (4) including a scarce têtebêche pair, 1s.6d. (2), 2s. (pair), 4s. (2) and 5s. (20)
 - 128 National Telephone Company Ltd.: A selection, incl. 1d., 4d. and 1s. in sheetlets of twelve, 1s. brown bisected used on piece, etc. (59) £150-£180

Military Telegraph Stamps

129 A small selection, incl. 1884 1d., 3d., 6d., 1s. and 2s. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1886 Cairo overprints 0.1pi. on 1d. and 1p. on 6d. mint, 1887-92 Jubilee ½d. vermilion and ½d. blue-green overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc. (33)

£80-£100

- x130 S 1884 - 85 Military Telegraphs set, 1d. to £1, values to 10s. handstamped specimen type 9, £1 type 11. Fine mint and well above average for this set. (8) Hiscocks 1-8 specimens, S.G. MT1-MT8. Photo. £200-£250
- x131 O - 10s. used on small piece, with Field Telegraph cancellations from the Sudan Suakin Expedition of 1885, with some light toning predominantly free of the stamp, very rare and with Ceremuga certificate (2006), plus 6d. on larger piece with two strikes and small part message, very fine and fresh. (2) Hiscocks 3 & 7. Photo. £180-£200
- 1885 stamps of C.O.G.H. overprinted "Military/Telegraphs" 6d. bright purple mint (2) and used, 1s. green **x132** mint and used. Condition mixed but better than average. (5) Hiscocks 9 & 10, S.G. MT9-MT10.
- 1886 Military Telegraphs set with local Cairo overprints: 0.1pi on 1d. to 100pi on £1, generally fine mint but x133 ★ small thin to £1. (8) Hiscocks 15 -22. S.G. MT9-MT16. Photo. £300-£350









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Ex 134

- x134 S 1887 Military Telegraphs set with London overprints: 1d. on 1d. to 100pi on £1, handstamped specimen type 9, fine mint, above average condition for this set. (10) Hiscocks 23 -32, S.G. MT17-MT26. Photo.
- x135 ★ 1895 Army Telegraphs: ½d. to £5, plus ½d. vermilion and both overprint types of the ½d. green (scarce). Hiscocks 33-46, S.G. AT1-AT3. £300-£350

Military Telegraph Stamps continued

- $x136 \star \frac{1}{2}$ d. to £1 set, fine mint (small tone spot to 8d). Includes 1d. to £1, plus $\frac{1}{2}$ d. vermilion. (14) Hiscocks 33, 36-45. £150-£200
- x137 ★ ½d. vermilion, mint control strip of 3 showing control "O". Very rare. Hiscocks 33. Photo. £100-£150
- 1d. to £5 set, handstamped Specimen type 156 (except £1 type 15) mainly fine with gum. Photo on page 19. £150-£200
- x139 O 2d. bisect on small piece, scarce and fine, £1 used at Ingogo Hill, Natal, July 1900, plus 1d. (2), 2d. and 1s. used, latter two with faults. (6) Hiscocks 36, 37,41 & 45.
- x140 S £5, handstamped Specimen type 15 (scarce Specimen type). Hiscocks 45. Photo on page 19. £80-£100







x141 O 1900 - 1901 Army Telegraphs: Provisional issue "TWO PENCE" on 2s.6d., light stain otherwise fine used, scarce in this condition, examples are usually washed out. R.P.S. certificate (1965). Hiscocks 47. S.G. AT14. Photo.

£250-£300

×142 O - Provisional issue "ONE SHILLING" on 5s., small tone spot otherwise fine used, scarce in this condition, examples are usually washed out. R.P.S. certificate (1965), Hiscocks 48. S.G. AT15. Photo.

Post Office Telegraph Stamps

- A selection of unduplicated mint and used examples to £5. Including: Used ½d., 1d. plates 1, 2 and 3, 3d. plates 1, 2 and 3 on spray and 3 and 5 on crown. 6d. plates 1 and 2 on spray and plate 2 on crown. 1s. plates 1 to 10 in green and plates 10 and 12 in orange-brown on spray and plates 11 and 12 in orange-brown on crown. 3s. plate 1 on spray, 5s. plates 1 and 2, plus plate 2 perf. 14 and plate 3 on anchor. 10s., £1 and £5 (good used with box cancellation). Mint or unused ½d., 1d. plates 1, 2 and 3 (pair), 3d. plates 1, 2 and 3 on spray, 6d. plate 1, 1s. plates 1, 2, 4, 5 and 7 to 10 in green and plates 10 and 12 in orange-brown on spray and plate 11 in orange-brown on crown. Additionally two scarce positional pieces, ½d. with plate number attached and 3s. with current number attached. Condition is mixed but generally fine. (58) Cat. £12,838.

 £1,200-£1,500
- A selection of telegraph multiples incl. ½d. mint block of 6 and used block of 4 (on receipt piece), 1d. plate 1 block of 6 used (rare multiple), 3d. plate 1 and 2 in strips of 3, and 6d. plate 1 used block of 4, (scarce), 1s. plate 1 block of 6 mint, plate 4 block of 4 used (2), plate 5 blocks of 4 and 6 used, plate 9 block of 4 used (scarce) and plate 11 orange-brown block of 4 used (scarce). 3s. block of 4 used (scarce). Condition mixed with some tone spots creases and perf. faults as would be expected but some lovely blocks included. (62). Cat. £4,480 as singles. £400-£500
- A selection of mint examples handstamped Specimen to £1. Including ½d. type 9, 1d. plate 1 type 9 (2 examples, one with inverted watermark and unlisted by Gibbons), 1d. plate 2 type 10, 3d. plates 1 type 10 and 2 type 9, 4d. type 9, 6d. plate 1 types 9 and 11, 1s. green plates 6 and 8 and brown-orange plate 10, all type 9, 3s. types 9 and 11, 5s. plate 1 type 9, 10s. types 8 and 9 and £1 type 9. Condition is mixed but generally very fine although £1, 5s. and 3d. plate 1 have some staining. (18). Cat. £3,175.
- A selection, incl. 1876 3d. plates 1 and 2 and 3 pair mint, 1s. green plate 9 mint, 1s. brown-orange plate 11 mint, 3s. mint, 5s. used (4), 10s. used (3), £1 used, also some private issues, etc., mixed condition. (68) £250-£300

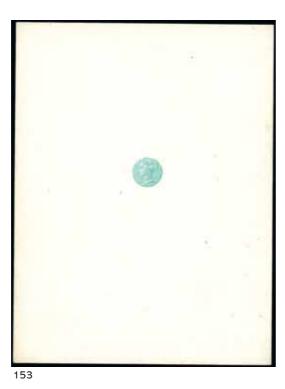
- X147 S A selection of imperforate colour standards handstamped specimen types 9 and 10. Including; 3d. plate 1, 4d. (a single and a strip of 4 with marginal inscription "legraphs four penc"), 6d. and 1s. plate 1 (with part marginal inscription attached). All very fine, 3d. to 6d. are all unmounted mint with full original gum, 1s. is lightly mounted.

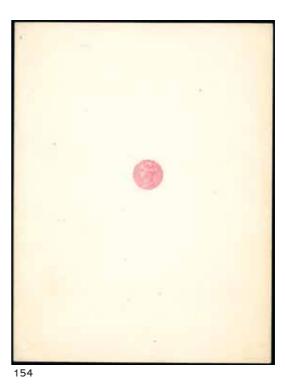
 (8). Cat. £1,175.

 £100-£120
- 148 S A selection handstamped "SPECIMEN", comprising ½d. plate 5, RA-TA corner strip and single, 1d. plate 3 CA-DB block and single, 4d. imperforate colour trial in near issued colour overprinted type 11, 6d. plate 1, 1s. green plates 3 and 6d., 10s. DF corner marginal imperforate colour trial in slate-blue, mixed condition. (14)

£100-£120

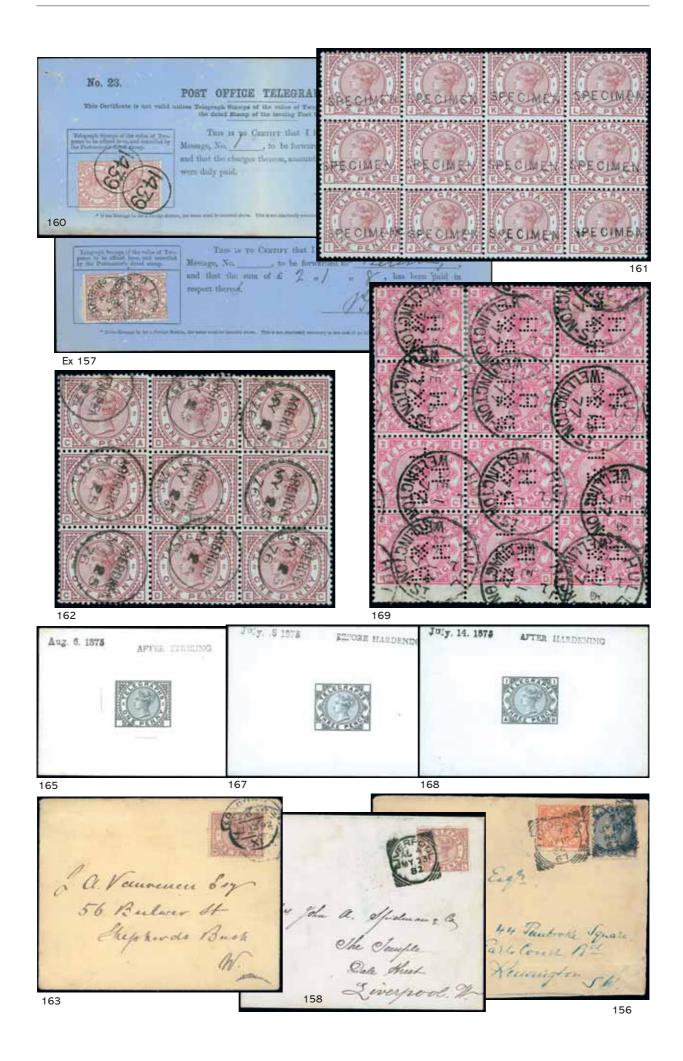
- X149 O A lovely selection used with telegraphic railway office numerals including some superb examples although condition is generally mixed as would be expected. Includes: English numerals in circle; 1d. plate 1, 3d. plate 1 (pair), plate 3 (2 examples both on spray) and plate 5 (rare), 4d., 1s. green plates 3 (2), 4, 5 (3) and 10 and brownorange plate 11. 5s. plate 1, plate 2 perf. 14 and 10s., Scottish numerals in rectangle 3d. plate 5 (rare) and 1s. plate 8. A scarce lot. (20) Cat. £2,813.
- A selection of interesting used pieces consisting of: Postal usage; a ½d. on small piece with "BOOK POST" handstamp (odd minor tone spot), 1d. plate 1 on small piece with complete Colchester squared circle, 6d. plate 1 on piece with complete "York" duplex. Telegraphic usage; an interesting small part telegraph form with a 1s. circular embossed plus 1s. (plate 5) and 5s. (plate 1) telegraphs stamps affixed, used in Glasgow. Note: This last piece whilst looking like genuine usage appears it may have been philatelically enhanced, with the stamps added subsequently to usage if genuine it would be a very rare survivor. (4) Cat. £388 as stamps.
- X151 O A small selection of interesting used stamps with blue cancellations, including 1d. plate 2, 4d., 1s. plate 10 green, 3s. and 5s. plate 2 perf. 15x15.5 Mostly with Lothbury Branch Office cancellations that were mostly blue during this period. Odd minor perf. fault and small part rubbed crayon line to 5s., otherwise fine. Scarce. (5) Cat. £598.
- X152 O A small selection of used telegraph perfins. in very mixed condition. Comprising ½d., 3d. plate 2 (2), 4d., 6d. plate 1 and plate 2 (spray), 1s. plate 4 (2), 3s. (2) and 5s. plate 1 (4). Scarce lot. (14) Cat. £1,575. £60-£80



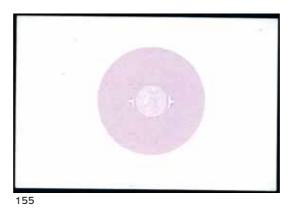


X153 P 1875 die proof of unadopted small size head (10.4mm) in green (1s. colour), on thick card measuring (97 x 128mm), the head type with 19 pearls in the top row of the diadem and 3 lines in bandeau. Very rare. Cat. £2,750. Photo. £600-£800

154 P 1875 die proof of unadopted small size head (10.4mm) in red on card (97 x 128mm), cleared surround and unmarked and undated. Photo.









- x155 P 1875 (ca.) Small head die proof in lilac on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), with slots in 37mm die ring. 11mm diameter head circle, the head type with 19 pearls in the top row of the diadem and 3 lines in bandeau. Not dated or endorsed. Uncatalogued by Gibbons in this state. Cat. £1,800 as black. Photo. £300-£350
- x156 ▲ ½d. orange plate 5 IA, used on front with a postage ½d. slate-blue, cancelled with 1886 London W squared circle.

 Postal usage of the telegraphs was accepted, although not officially, after their withdrawal in October 1881, however covers are scarce.

 £60-£80
- x157 ▲ 1d. telegraph stamp pairs used on two receipt forms, plates 1 and 2 respectively. The plate 2 form trimmed and both with creases or fold marks, also 1d. plate 1 pair used on small part receipt form. (3 items) Photo.

£80-£100

- x158 1d. plate 1 AL used on cover and tied by 1882 Liverpool squared circle, a clean cover but the adhesive unfortunately damaged in the lower left corner before being affixed. Postal usage of the telegraphs was accepted, although not officially, after their withdrawal in October 1881. Covers are however scarce. Photo. £80-£100
- x159 🗘 1d. plate 1 FB, watermark inverted, unmounted mint, rare. Cat. £300. Photo.

£80-£100

- 1d. plate 1 GC-GD, used on receipt form, cancelled with two strikes of a circular 1439 English railway numeral (for London Victoria). *It is very rare to see a railway numeral used on a receipt form, this being the only example known to us.* Photo. £80-£100
- x161 **B** \$ 1d. plate 1 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 10, ID-LF superb unmounted mint block of twelve, fine and fresh. Cat. £780 as singles. Photo. £120-£150
- x162 O B 1d. plate 2 CA-EC, used block of nine, a fresh multiple with expected minor perf. faults at foot. Larger blocks of the 1d. are scarce, this being the largest known multiple for this plate. Cat. £252. Photo. £80-£100
- x163

 1d. plate 2 MI used on cover and tied by a London hooded circle for 1892 and back-stamped "Shepherds Bush" in red-brown, horizontal filing crease at top clear of adhesive. *Postal usage of the telegraphs was accepted, although unofficially, after their withdrawal in October 1881, surviving covers now scarce.* Photo.

 £80-£100
- X164 P 1d. plate 4 AA imprimatur, a particularly fine example of this abnormal unissued plate with good clear margins and part original gum. Rare. At most nine examples are in private hands this being one of the finest known with good clear margins and part original gum. Undercatalogued at £350. Photo.
- X165 P 1d. plate 5 die proof, in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without check letters, dated "Aug 6 1875" and endorsed "AFTER STRIKING". The 1d. die proofs are scarce, this believed to be the only example of this plate in private hands. A similar proof is in the Langmead collection held in the British Library. Cat. £800. Photo. £300-£350
- x166 P 1d. plate 5 TL imprimatur, a fine example of this abnormal unissued plate with close but clear margins and part original gum. A maximum of nineteen examples are in private hands. Cat. £350. Photo on page 24. £150-£200

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- x167 P 3d. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without check letters or plate number, dated "July 8 1875" and endorsed "BEFORE HARDENING". Cat. £800. Photo on page 22. £200-£250
- X168 P 3d. plate 1 die proof, in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), lettered AB, dated July 14 1875 and endorsed "AFTER HARDENING". This is believed to be one of only two examples of this plate in private hands, a similar proof being found in the Langmead collection in the British Library. Cat. £800. Photo on page 22. £250-£300
- X169 O B 3d. plate 2 KA-MD, used block of 12, perfin B&L, H., some perf. faults to the edges and strengthening. *The second largest known used multiple of this plate.* Cat. £720. Photo on page 22. £60-£80
- x170 O 3d. plate 3 DB, watermark spray sideways inverted, fine used with 1880 (Sept. 23) Bishopstoke c.d.s., rare. Cat. £280. Photo. £80-£100
- x171 O 3d. plate 3 IA, watermark spray sideways inverted, used with 1880 (Sept. 23) Bishopstoke c.d.s., slight perf. faults otherwise fine and rare. Cat. £ 280. Photo. £60-£80
- X172 B S 3d. plate 3 KE-OH watermark spray, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, complete mint pane of twenty with marginal inscription "Telegraphs Three Pence", eighteen unmounted, some perf. faults and gum creases but otherwise surprisingly fresh. Cat. £1,600. Photo.



x173 P 3d. plate 3 SD, plate proof on white wove unwatermarked paper, very fine with good margins. A scarce item and thought to be one of only seven in private hands. Cat. £475. Photo.

- x174 🔿 🖽 3d. plate 3 SC-TD watermark crown, fine used block of four, perfs. trimmed at base, a rare multiple. Cat. £480 as singles. Photo. £80-£100
- x**175** P 3d. plate 4 AJ watermark spray imprimatur, excellent colour and margins and large part original gum. A superb example of this abnormal unissued stamp, one of the finest of the nine examples in private hands. Cat. £340. Photo. £200-£250
- x176 P 3d. plate 5 AF watermark crown imprimatur, some staining or toning, with margins and part original gum but a rare stamp. At most ten examples are in private hands. Cat. £300. Photo. £60-£80
- x177 O 3d. plate 5 II-LJ watermark crown, a very rare pair from a scarce plate, some perf. separation otherwise fine. Cat. £500. Photo. £100-£150





- x178 P 4d. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), with corner squares blank, dated "Nov 3 1876", without endorsement. Cat. £800. Photo. £200-£220
- x**179** P 4d. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Nov 4 1876" without endorsement. Cat. £800. Photo.
- x**180** S 4d. plate 1 ID, imperf. colour trial in close to issued colour, handstamped Specimen type 11, clear margins and full gum, this the scarcest of the colour trials. Also two marginal blocks of 4 overprinted Specimen (one type 11, the other type 9 with slight imperfections), both with full gum. (9) Cat. £735. £80-£100
- x**181** P 4d. plate 2 BJ imprimatur, close to good margins and large part gum, fresh with excellent colour. A fine example. At most 21 examples are in private hands. Cat. £325. Photo. £150-£200



x**182** P 6d. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Nov 9 1876 "and endorsed "BEFORE HARDENING". Cat. £800. Photo. £200-£220





- X183 B S 6d. plate 1 FE-JH imperforate colour standard in complete pane of 20, with marginal inscription "TELEGRAPHS SIX PENCE" and full gum, very fresh condition. Cat. £2,600. Photo. £800-£1,000
- x184 O B 6d. plate 1 ME-NH, used block of eight, perfin B&L, H, some perf. faults as expected nevertheless attractive and rare. Cat. £600. Photo.
- X185 S 6d. plate 1 SK, imperf. colour trial in close to issued colour, handstamped Specimen type 8 (the scarcer of the two Specimen types known for this trial), part original gum, close margins. Also a block of four handstamped Specimen type 9, with margins and inscription "SIX PENCE", full gum and mainly fine. (5) Cat. £430. £60-£80
- X186 P 6d. plate 2 AJ imprimatur, watermark spray, full margins and large part original gum, fresh with good colour, rare.

 At most nine examples in private hands, this being one of the finest. Cat. £400. Photo. £150-£200
- x187 ⊞ 6d. plate 2 KG-LH watermark crown, fine used block of four, some light perf. toning otherwise fine. *Believed to be the only surving used multiple from this plate except one block of six.* Cat. £600 as singles. Photo. £120-£150
- x188 P 1s. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), with blank corner squares, dated "July 6 1875" and endorsed "BEFORE HARDENING". Cat. £725. Photo. £200-£220
- x189 P 1s. plate 2 AJ imprimatur, watermark spray, full margins and large part original gum, fresh with excellent colour.

 At most nine examples are in private hands. Cat. £300. Photo.

 £150-£200
- x**190** P 1s. plate 7 AJ imprimatur, watermark spray, good margins and large part original gum, fresh with good colour. *At most nine examples are in private hands.* Cat. £300. Photo. £150-£200
- x191 P 1s. plate 8 TH, plate proof on white wove unwatermarked paper, fine with good margins, scarce. Believed to be one of only five examples (3 singles and a pair) in private hands. Cat. £725. Photo. £250-£300
- X192 P 1s. plate 11 SL imprimatur, watermark spray, good margins and large part original gum, fresh with good colour.

 A fine example from this abnormal plate, not issued in green, a maximum of nine examples now in private hands. Cat. £300. Photo.
- X193 P 1s. plate 12 AJ imprimatur, watermark spray, good margins and large part original gum, fresh with good colour. A fine example from this abnormal plate, not issued in green, a maximum of nine examples now in private hands. Cat. £300. Photo.
- x194 O 1s. brown-orange plate 12 AI watermark spray, an exceptional fine used example with deep colour and Roxborough St Railway Office, Greenock cancellation.Cat. £190. Photo. £100-£120

- x195 O 1s. brown-orange plate 12 CB-EB, watermark crown, used strip of three, light horizontal crease. Believed to be the largest known multiple of this stamp in private hands. Cat. £900. Photo on page 26. £100-£150
- X196 B P 3s. imperforate colour trial in claret, FI-GL block of eight, handstamped Specimen type 8 with margins attached and marginal inscription "TELEGRAPHS THREE SHILLINGS", fresh and fine with full colour. *Claret is the hardest trial colour to find for this value most surviving examples being in larger multiples.* Cat. £1,040. Photo on page 26.

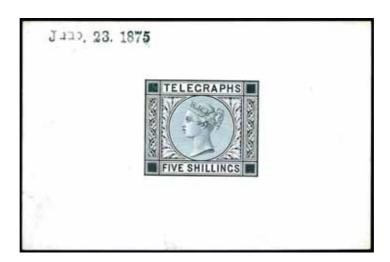
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- x197 P 3s. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), with blank corner squares, dated "Oct 20 1876" and without endorsement. Cat. £800. Photo on page 26. £200-£220
- x198 P 3s. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), with blank corner squares, dated "Oct 24 1876" and without endorsement. Cat. £800. Photo on page 26. £200-£220
- x199 P 3s. Imperforate colour trials handstamped Specimen type 8, selection comprising grey-green MI-MK vertical strip of three, ultramarine FE-FF marginal pair and SA single, slate-blue FD marginal single, brown-lilac single KD, large part original gum, some gum wrinkles light creases but mainly fine with close to huge margins. (6 items) Cat. £1,040. Photo on page 26.
- x200 P 3s., set of six imperf. colour trials, all handstamped Specimen type 8 in grey-green OL, slate-blue RH, claret TG, dull mauve RH, brown-lilac RH, and ultramarine OI, each with large part original gum, the claret and dull mauve with small stain spots otherwise mainly fine with good margins. Cat. £780. Photo on page 26. £100-£150
- X201 P 3s. slate-blue TF imprimatur, watermark spray, part original gum, close margins. At most ten 10 examples are in private hands, just eight having been recorded. Undercatalogued at £150. Photo on page 26. £100-£120



x202 O 3s. slate-blue NG, watermark crown, with Glasgow Sept. 1881 c.d.s., strong colour, odd slightly shortish perf. but one of the finest surviving used examples of this very rare stamp. Cat. £3,800. Photo.

£1,000-£1,200



- x203 P 5s. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), with uncleared corner squares, dated "June 23 1875". The 5s. is the scarcest of the telegraph die proofs, this date unlisted by Gibbons. Cat. £1,350. Photo. £600-£650
- x204 O B 5s. plate 1 AF-DJ, complete pane of twenty used in Manchester Feb. 12 1876 (early usage), some perf. faults and splitting but clean with excellent colour. One of only two known complete used panes (both used in the same location). S.G. T13, cat. £4,000+. Photo. £500-£600



- x**205** S 5s. plate 1 CB imperforate colour standard handstamped Specimen type 9, with full gum, fresh with large margins. Scarce. S.G. Spec. 231t, cat. £425. Photo. £150-£180
- x206 ★ 5s. plate 1 FF, part original gum, good centring and colour, some slight marks and minor paper adhesion. One of the finest examples of this scarce stamp. S.G. T13, cat. £1,100. Photo. £150-£200
- x207 O 5s. plate 2 AB, perf. 15 x 15½, superb used example with neat Cardiff Docks c.d.s., very scarce so fine. S.G. T13, cat. £375. Photo. £80-£100
- x208 O 5s. plate 2 BF, Perf. 15 x 15½, superb used, very scarce so fine. S.G. T13, cat. £375. Photo. £80-£100
- **209** O 5s. plate 2 GB-HC, Perf. 15 x 15½ reconstructed used block of four, the right-hand pair with vertical crease, some light staining. *The only block of four known to us from this plate.* S.G. T13, cat. £1,500 Photo. £200-£250
- x210 O 5s. plate 2 AF, Perf. 14, watermark Maltese Cross, very fine used example with neat Brighton c.d.s., some slightly short perfs. at right, nevertheless fine for this. S.G. T14, Spec. 233. cat. £600. Photo. £100-£150
- x211 P 5s. plate 3 BI imprimatur, abnormal on Maltese Cross watermarked paper (issued stamps from this plate were on Anchor watermarked paper), usual gum wrinkles but a fine examples with good margins and large part original gum. Very scarce item with fewer than ten known in private hands. S.G. Spec. 232, cat. £2,200. Photo. £600-£800
- x212 P 5s. plate 3 HI plate proof on white wove unwatermarked paper, very fine with excellent margin, scarce. *Thought to be one of only seven in private hands*. Rare. Cat. £725. Photo on page 30. £400-£500



- 213 O 5s. plate 3 BG watermark Anchor, on slightly bluish paper used with neat Wexford c.d.s., a few perfs. slightly toned and minute tear at base, otherwise fine. S.G. T15, Spec. L234, cat. £1,100. Photo. £100-£150
- x214 S 5s. plate 3 CA, watermark Anchor, handstamped Specimen type 9, with gutter attached, hinged in margin only. some light marks mainly in gutter, rare. *One of only 28 possible examples*. S.G. T15s, cat. £1,000. Photo.

£250-£300

- x215 O 5s. plate 3 DA, watermark Anchor, fine used with Glasgow c.d.s., rare and fine for this. S.G. T15, cat. £1,100. £300-£400
- 216 O 5s. plate 3 DF, watermark Anchor, used with Edinburgh c.d.s. and blue crayon cross, a few imperfections, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. T15, Spec. L234, cat. £1,100. Photo. £150-£200
- x217 P 10s. die proof, in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Oct 14 1876" and without endorsement. Design incomplete with head showing large blank area over forehead and nose. Cat. £1,300. Photo. £500-£600
- x218 P 10s. plate 1 imperforate colour trials in slate-blue (part marginal inscription), claret, dull mauve, brown lilac and ultramarine, good margins, with full or part gum. (5). Cat. £1,625. Photo. £400-£500
- x219 ☆ 10s. grey-green plate 1 CA, unused (regummed), superb colour and centring, exceptionally fine and rare. Cat. £1,750. Photo. £300-£500
- x220 S 10s. grey-green plate 1 CB, imperforate colour standard handstamped Specimen type 9, with apparently full gum, fresh with large margins, scarce. S.G. Spec. L235t, cat. £540. Photo. £200-£250
- x221 O 10s. grey-green plate 1 CF-CH, fine used strip of three with Salisbury c.d.s., fresh and clean. A scarce multiple. Cat. £1,350. Photo. £150-£200





- X222 P £1 die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm) with uncleared corner squares, dated "26-10" in pencil.

 A scarce proof. Cat. £2,000. Photo.
- x223 O £1 brown-lilac plate 1 BE-BG, used, scarce strip of three with strong colour, the upper stamp with small closed tear nevertheless fine for this. S.G. T17, cat. £2,850. Photo. £300-£350
- x**224** S £1 brown-lilac plate 1 BI, handstamped Specimen type 11, without gum, some light staining. S.G. T17s, cat. £900. Photo. £100-£150
- x225 O £1 brown-lilac plate 1 BM, used, with two strikes of Glasgow c.d.s. (scarce without box cancellation), small repaired tear at top. S.G. T17, cat. £950. Photo. £100-£150
- x226 P S £1 plate 1 BO imperforate colour trial in ultramarine, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, with part gum, close margins odd stain spot. Cat. £800. Photo. £100-£150



£5 plate 1 BD-BE, the unique vertical pair of colour trials in pure gold ink without Specimen handstamp, some light surface rubbing to one stamp (normal for this printing) but without the severe gum creasing usually encountered, crease at right from folding of sheet. S.G. Spec. L237, cat. £10,000. Photo, also on front cover.





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- x228 P £5 die proof, in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Nov 14 1876" and without endorsement. S.G. Spec. L237, cat. £3,250. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- x229 P £5 plate 1 AF, imperforate colour trial in claret, faded to grey-lilac. *The stamp adjoins a known example in claret that reveals original printing colour.* Cat. £1,300. Photo on page 30. £150-£200
- 230 S £5 orange AB, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, small part original gum, wrinkles and creases, slightly soiled. S.G. Spec. L237s. Photo on page 30. £200-£250
- x231 S £5 orange plate 1 BC, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 11, large part original gum, odd short perf. and light stain in upper left corner otherwise fine. S.G. T18s, cat. £2,800. Photo on page 30. £350-£400
- x232 O £5 orange plate 1 DC, good used example with indistinct c.d.s. and part box cancellation, rare in this condition. S.G. T18, cat. £3,200. Photo on page 30. £400-£500
- x233 O £5 orange plate 1 DH, fine used example, two strikes of Glasgow c.d.s., rare in this condition. S.G. T18, cat. £3,200. Photo. £800-£900

Literature

A special section of literature, featuring duplicate publications from the library of the Royal Philatelic Society and including items of Great Britain interest, is included in our accompanying British Empire & Foreign Countries auction on 26 April.

Postal History and Covers

- A selection of perforated line engraved issues on cover, incl. 1854-57 watermark Small Crown perf. 16 2d. OF used with York duplex on cover to London, perf. 14 2d. plate 4 BR and plate 5 JC each used on cover with barred cancellations, watermark Large Crown perf. 14 2d. plate 5 NJ-NK pair used with barred cancellations on cover to France, plate 6 LI used on envelope to London (flap missing), 1856-58 perf. 16 2d. plate 6 BG used on cover to Manchester, 1858-79 2d. (2) used with Worcester duplex and Calais transit on cover to France, 1858-76 2d. plate 14 used alongside 1872-73 6d. grey with Birmginham duplex on cover to Malta, 1870 ½d. plate 5 RH and SF used with Bewdley duplex on cover to Leamington, 1870 1½d. used alongside 1d. with "EXCHANGE/LIVERPOOL/MR 7/78" duplexes on cover to Paris, etc., slightly mixed condition. (25)
- 235 An accumulation of covers and cards, incl. Advertising envelopes, cancellations, registered mail, postal stationery, p.p.c's, 1840 1d. blacks (4) used on separate covers, 1840 Mulready 2d. a90 letter-sheet unused (faults), etc. (few 100s)
- A collection in three folders, leaves and loose, incl. 1716 entire from Canterbury to London, on reverse has a fine "20/OC" Bishopmark, 1770 entire used within London, bearing on reverse "PAYD/PENY/POST/T/TH" Dockwra, 1775 (circa) cover to York, bearing on reverse fine strike of the straight line "ST. ALBANS" (Willcocks 419), 1859 cover to New York, franked by 1855-57 1s. green, 144-50 1d. pink letter sheets (2) both handstamped "SPECIMEN", Frees, Ship Letters, range of Machine cancellations, Literature with The Mulready Advertisements by Lowe, The Mulready Envelope by Major Evans, Herewith My Frank by Lovegrove, Registered Mail by Mackay, etc. (79 items)
- 237 A Q.V. to K.G.VI accumulation in five albums, incl. range of pre-stamp covers, 1841 1d's, 1858 cover to Holland, franked by 1855-57 4d. pair, also some pieces, etc. (few 100s)
- A selection of Q.V. line engraved issues on cover, incl. 1840 1d. CD with three margins (fourth just touched) tied to 1841 (Jan. 8) cover to Leeds by red Maltese Cross, 1840 1d. BF with four large margins tied to 1841 (Jan. 15) front to Edinburgh also with red Maltese Cross, 1840 2d. blue IJ and ID (both with three margins) used on cover to Rye with Hawkhurst mileage mark on reverse, 1841 1d. reds on cover (6), wide range of perforated 1d. reds on cover with some sent by the author William Harrison Ainsworth, also Mulready 1d. letter sheet front used and 2d. lettersheet unused, etc., mixed condition. (63)
- A group of covers bearing imperfs., incl. 1841 1d. (three margins) used on cover with number "10" in Maltese Cross, 1841-51 2d. strip of three with four margins and single used with 1844-type cancellations on 1853 (Dec. 1) entire to Kendal, single with four margins used on entire to Penrith, etc., mixed conditon. (7). Photo on page 34.
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 An accumulation of manly covers and cards, incl. 1840 1d. black ND on 1840 (Sept. 25) entire, 1912 'Penny in the slot' "LONDON. E.C./1D./POSTAGE PAID" c.d.s. on two covers (one first day), postal stationery, censored mail, etc. (100s)

 £250-£300
- 241 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of covers and cards in varied condition with quantity of 1d. plates incl. 1d used on 1879 "TRUCK LOADS TO ANY STATION" printed envelope, stationery, censored and official mail, also a few foreign, etc. (100s)
 £200-£250
- 242 A Q.V. to K.G.V collection of covers and cards, incl. 1841 1d. red-brown plate 11 TJ on 1842 (Aug.) cover, sideways duplex's, squared circles, 1871 and 1873 covers with Oxford "613" duplex error, etc. (105 items) £200-£250
- 243 A Q.V. selection of imperforate and perforated 1d. values, mainly used on covers, incl. blue cancellations, 1843 cover and part cover, both with distinctive Norwich Cross, etc. (11 items)
- 244 ⋈ An accumulation of covers, all periods, incl. quantity of much duplicated K.G.VI commercial mail, Q.E.II f.d.c's, etc. (many 100s) £100-£120
- 245

 1756 (June 4) entire endorsed "On his Majesties Service" written from H.M.S. Vanguard to the Naval Commissioners for Victualling in London, with "PLY/MOUTH" handstamp on reverse, fine. Photo on page 34.



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- 246 ⋈ 1807 to 1849, a group of inward and outward London Ship Letters, Willcocks type 1206, 1218, 1218a, 1220 and 1254, good to fine. (5) £160-£180
- 247 № 1809 to 1846 selection of mainly entires in three folders, contained in a small box, incl. handstruck "1", Free's, a few Penny Posts, etc., also 1845 (June) doubly redirected envelope with three 1841 1d's, the first tied by London District "67" addressed within London, the second affixed on top cancelled London Inland Section "12" and redirected to Peterborough, the third affixed alongside cancelled "612" numeral and redirected to Cambridge, mixed condition. (170 items)
- 248 № 1815 to 1843 selection of entires, majority addressed to a Major Colthurst in Ireland from his brother, some regarding slavery, incl. Ship Letters, 1828 and 1829 entires from Jersey to Ireland, bearing on reverse a fair strike of the scroll type "JERSEY", etc. (26 items)
- 249 № 1823 to 1841, a group of entires with various Truro markings and rates, also 1785 entire with straight line "TRURO" (repaired tear). (10) £80-£100
- 250 № 1841 to 1845, line engraved group of covers comprising 1845 (Jan. 29) to Ashburton bearing 1841 1d. red-brown plate 46 JE (cut into at left), tied by fine "621" barred oval of Plympton (Parmenter rarity "G") with matching datestamp below; 1841 (Aug. 7) cover (no side flaps) bearing 1841 1d. red-brown plate 12 BB state II (S.G. Spec. BS1f), used within London, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross; 1842 (Jan. 21) wrapper to Lynn bearing 1841 1d. red-brown plate 16 JE (S.G. Spec. BS5ts) with very close to small margins, cancelled by a fair strike of the distinctive Norwich Maltese Cross; 1857-63 die II, alphabet III, LC14 on white paper 1d. rose-red CG, fine used on envelope from Kippen to Glasgow, tied by Kippen "208" Scottish numeral, fine. (4 items)
- 251 № 1843 (Feb. 2) entire to London franked by 1841 1d. red-brown JG, with two margins, tied by black Maltese Cross, with a smudgy but legible and most spectacular impression of the intaglio "SUTTERTON/Crown" bag seal alongside, uncommon. R.P.S. certificate (1984). Photo.
- 252
 1851 cover from Egypt, addressed to London, readdressed to Bristol and franked 1841 1d., with Alexandria despatch marks, Malta disinfection cachet, London and Bristol datestamps on the reverse. Photo. £350-£400
- 253
 1855 entire from Ervie to Stranraer franked by a perforated 1d. red 'star' tied by a numeral cancellation with a very fine "ERVIE/(crown)/P.O." bag seal impression struck in the opposite corner. Very seldom seen, fine and attractive. Photo.

 £600-£650
- 254
 1858 (May 24) stampless envelope to Victoria, bearing Hamburg datestamp, London paid c.d.s. and three line
 "SENT BACK TO ENGLAND/WITHOUT A REASON/FOR NON DELIVERY" in red, also part "UNCLAIMED"
 handstamp. Photo.

 £200-£250
- 255
 1861 to 1868 selection of covers incl. 1861 entire from Dundee to U.S.A., bearing 1855-57 1s., 1862 from London to Sicily, bearing 1855-57 6d., 1863 entire from Cardiff to Italy, bearing 1862-64 6d. RD, etc. (10 items)

£80-£100

- 256
 1861 (Dec. 7) orange envelope with printed illustration of a porter carrying a box of "SOAP POWDER" at the left hand side of the address panel, franked with perforated 1d. red-brown. Photo. £150-£200
- 257 № 1868 (Oct. 30) cover with 1d. red-brown cancelled by dumb upright oval of horizontal bars. Backstamped with scarce "OC 30/R.P.O./1868" which appears to have a connection with Royal Household Mail. This cover is addressed and signed Sir Thomas Bidulph, Keeper of the Privy Purse 1867-78, formerly Master of the Household of Queen Victoria, intriguing item, opened for display with part of the reverse missing. Photo. £400-£500
- 258
 1869 Prices Current used to France, franked by 1865-67 4d. plate 11 BF, tied by black "Erasure" stamp (Willcocks type L664), unusual. Photo.
- 259

 1883 (Aug. 20) letter from American Exchange in Europe, bearing 2½d. blue cancelled by Charing Cross squared circle. Photo.

 £130-£140
- 260 № 1892 picture post card showing 'Bosden Works' posted with a 1d. lilac from Stalybridge to Amsterdam. A very early picture post card sent two years before such cards were officially allowed through the post by the British Post Office. Photo. £120-£150
- 261 № 1900 stampless envelope endorsed "No stamps available", addressed to London, initially with "T" handstamp and overstruck by "A 01" barred oval, London Paid arrival mark, possibly from Africa. £90-£100

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- 262 № 1908 (Oct. 1) illustrated covers produced by the Junior Philatelic Society to mark the introduction of the 1d. rate to the English Speaking Peoples of the World, unused and used. (2 items) £80-£100
- **263** Advertising: A collection of covers and cards in a folder, incl. 1857 (Sept. 5) cover with "Gostlings Condition Balls for Horses", Insurance Companies, Hotels, Tea producers, range of picture postcards, etc. (115 items)

£150-£200

- **264** ▲ **Crimean War:** 1854-57 1d. red-brown RB, tied to piece by "O*O" cancellation but in a red-brown colour, a rare example of "mixed inks". Ex Wavarin. Photo. £300-£400
- 265 ⋈ 1855 (Jan.) cover addressed to a Captain W.P. Radcliffe of the 20th. Regiment, 4th. Division, franked by 1854-57 1d. (3) Photo. £100-£120
- 266 → 1856 (May) cover addressed to a member of the purveyer's Staff at the Hospital at Renkioi, franked by 1854-57 1d. (3). *The special prefabricated Hospital building was designed by Isambard K. Brunel.* Photo. £100-£120
- **Devon:** A group of pre-stamp entires with a range of markings and rates, incl. Okehampton 5th Clause, Lostwithiel, St Austle, Bodmin, Helston Milage, manuscript Missent to Newton Abbot, Falmouth to Chelmsford rate, etc., mainly good strikes. (11) £100-£120
- Exeter to Bristol Cross Road Post: 1737 (Mar. 18) entire from Wiveliscombe via Taunton to Bath and London, bearing manuscript "4" rate mark, with a very fine straight line "TAUNTON" (Willcocks 744) on the reverse, scarce. Photo. £70-£80



- Frees: A collection of covers and fronts in a folder, incl. 1764 (Nov. 19) entire from Newbury to London, bearing scarce circular framed "FREE" (Willcocks 61), in red, 1798 (Apr. 27) cover from Luth to London, bearing circular "FREE/S" in black purple, 1809 (July 7) entire from Dublin to London, bearing a fair "Mermaid/FREE", 1837 (Oct. 14) entire to Halifax bearing crowned circular "FREE" with "E" code below date (Willcocks 79), contrary to regulations as not being signed on front, etc. (73 items) £250-£300
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 1799 entire to London handstamped with curved "WEYMOUTH" and red "FREE" datestamp (Jay 786), this type of 'Free' mark was only used between July and October 1799. Photo.

 £100-£120

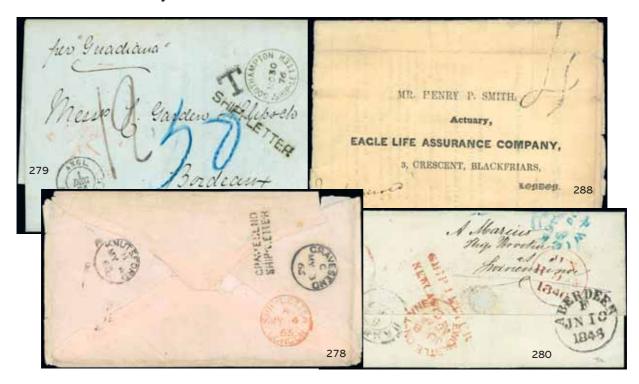


271 Mailboats: 1868 (May 8) envelope with original contents headed "H.M.S. Malabar, May 8/68" from Joseph Dearden to his sister in Bolton, franked by 6d. lilac plate 6 HC and 4d. vermilion plate 9 JL, tied by "C79" obliterator, some stains. The envelope travelled at the Officers Letter Rate of 10d. via Marseille on the P&O Steamer Baroda from Bombay to Suez and then from Alexandria to Marseille on the Nyanza where the cancellation was applied by the G.P.O. Mail Officer on board. Kirk recorded only three covers with the "C79" cancellation. Photo.

£650-£700

- 272 Military Mail: A collection of covers and cards in a folder, incl. a good range of Military Camp cancellations, censor marks, also a few maritime items, etc. (93 items)
- 1861 (Mar. 21) cover with enclosed letter written from "Royal English Opera, Covent Garden" which includes "I am very busy here today rehearsing La Fille de Regiment for Miss L. Pynes benefit tonight" the cover is headed "From Musician R. Morgan, Coldstream Gds" and "Per Canadian Line". Franked by a single perf. 1d. red, paying the soldiers concession rate from London to Canada, backstamped upon arrival in Quebec. A most unusual Transatlantic soldiers rate cover, accepted despite not being countersigned by the commanding officer. Slight staining. Photo.
 £500-£600
- W.W.I: A written up display collection/study of Field Service Post Cards on leaves, incl. 1914 provisional postcard in blue, printed reverse side only cancelled by "ARMY POST OFFICE/A/12 OC/14/39" (stated to be the earliest recorded date), 1915 card, bearing large "FIELD POST OFFICE/27 NO/AD1" (earliest recorded use), 1916 card from F.P.O. 13, showing error of double printing of front of card, a study of the different printers, types, with Chapman & Co., Cherry & Smalldridge, Eyre & Spottiswode Ltd., Hayman, Christy & Lilly Ltd., J.J. Keliher & Co. Ltd., Morgan Reeves Co. Lts., Pencarbon Co. Ltd., Shaw & Sons Ltd., Stationery Office, Thorne & Co. Ltd., Unwin Brothers Ltd., Utter George, Waddu & Co. Ltd., A.P.O's and F.P.Os, censor marks, etc. (96 items)
- Norfolk: A collection of pieces, covers and cards, incl. Penny Posts, u.d.c's, numerals, also Norfolk Penny Posts by Pegg, etc, 127 items) £120-£150
- **Overseas Destinations:** 1843 entire to Canada, franked by 1841-51 2d. PG (just shaved at lower-right), tied by indistinct bars, below has boxed "1/4d Cy", manuscript "½" rate mark. Photo. £150-£200
- 277 Scotland: 1843 local Edinburgh entire franked by 1841 1d. red-brown tied by black Maltese Cross, 1851 cover from Selkirk to Edinburgh, franked by 1841 1d. red-brown, 1868 cover to Paisley franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 118 tied by Greenock dotted circle, fine. £100-£120

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- 278 ➤ Ship Letters: Gravesend: 1865 (May 3) stampless cover to England charged 1s., backstamped by the very scarce "GRAVESEND/SHIP-LETTER" (Robertson S11) in black with a "GRAVESEND" c.d.s. and red "SHIP LETTER/LONDON" c.d.s. alongside. A filing endorsment indicates the envelope was written at sea, 12° south, 32° west. Photo.
- London: 1876 (Nov. 30) stampless entire from Pernambuco to Bordeaux, sent via Southampton and London, endorsed "Per Guadiana", handstamped with red "SHIP LETTER/LONDON" c.d.s. in red on reverse, and black "T", "SOUTHAMPTON/SHIP/LETTER" c.d.s. and "SHIP-LETTER" all in black on the front. This ship letter handstamp is not recorded by Robertson, but was probably used in London, being very similar in style to other London ship letter marks of the 1850s and 1860s. Photo. £450-£500
- 280 ► Newcastle: 1846 (June 8) entire letter from Swinemunde to Aberdeen endorsed via Newcastle with handstamps of Swinemunde and Hamburg, backstamped with the very scarce "SHIP LETTER/NEWCASTLE U.T." (Robertson S2) and a "NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE" c.d.s., both in red. Photo.



- Prestonpans: 1825 (Aug.) entire letter from Quebec to Inverkeithing "P Mary Capt. Young", landed at the tiny Scottish port of Prestonpans where the letter was charged "1/1½" and given explanatory endorsement "Ship Letter from Quebec". Backstamped "PRESTONPANS/P.P.O./UNPAID" and charged an extra 2d. giving a total rate of "1/3½". A rare manuscript ship letter, the only example from Prestonpans that we have recorded. Photo. £900-£1,000

- 282 Shooting: A selection incl. Advertising envelopes with Schultze Gunpowder, Bisley postcards, etc. (58 items) £150-£180
- 283 Special Delivery: 1971-2011, a display collection, well written-up on 61 leaves in a file box, incl. Cover, Express Services and Certificate of Posting forms, ranges of labels and rates, ephemera, etc., interesting lot. £100-£150
- Transatlantic Mail: A collection on leaves 1772 to 1889, incl. range of Ship Letter marks with Deal, 1852 cover to U.S.A., franked by 1847-54 embossed 1s., 1867 (Apr.) cover from New Zealand to U.S.A., franked by 1864-71 1s. green, 1868 four covers from New York to the same addressee in Birmingham, each franked by 1861 12c. black, etc. (50 items) £300-£400
- Uniform One Penny Post: A collection of covers in a folder, incl. Aberystwyth 1850 (Dec. 21) cover bearing shield type "PAID/1d." in red (*stated to be the latest recorded usage*), Basingstoke 1844 (Mar. 23) cover with "Pd/2" in red, Chelmsford 1846 (Apr. 5) cover with oval "PAID/1d./CHELMSFORD" in red, Hertford 1845 (Oct. 20) cover with circular "PAID/HERTFORD/1d.", Ipswich, Leeds, York, range of handstruck "1's", etc. (68 items) £400-£500
- 286 ☑ 1727-1957 a collection of covers and cards in a folder, incl. 1742 (Aug. 18) from Camberwell to Southgate, bearing "PENY/POST/PAYD/S/WE" Dockwra mark, Paids, Late Fees, Official Mail, etc. (49 items) £200-£250
- Uniform Fourpenny Post: 1839 (Dec. 7) to 1849 (Jan. 5) selection of manuscript "4", with Dec. 7 entire from Manchester to Ripponden has "LEEDS" datestamp with manuscript "Missent to" alongside, Dec. 13 entire from London to Edingurgh with boxed "MISSENT/TO/GLASGOW" and manuscript "4", Dec. 24 entire from Bristol to London with manuscript "4" arrived on the 25th, Dec. 17 and Dec. 30 covers both with handstruck "4" of Glasgow, also a few others and articles. (14 items)

 £350-£400
- 288 → 1839 (Dec. 21) printed "Eagle Life" entire letter from Dublin to London with a goodstrike of the handstruck "4" of Edinburgh. Photo. £200-£250



- Warwickshire: 1847 (May 9) cover, with contents, from Knowle to Henley in Arden, backstamped by "KNOWLE (crown)" mailbag seal, used for a very short period in 1847 when the Knowle datestamp was mislaid. Photo.
 - £450-£500
- 290 ▼ Yorkshire: 1805-1906 a collection in a cover album, incl. Wakefield, Penny Posts, Mileage marks, range of Parcel Post labels without stamps, etc. (140) £100-£120

Postal History and Covers - Registered Mail

- 291 № 1829 (June 6) entire from Limerick to Edinburgh, bearing "REGISTERED" and "LIMERICK" c.d.s's in red, manuscript "2/0½" rate mark. The registered mark was used from 1824 for "money letters" without compensation, very rare. Photo on page 40. £400-£500
- 292 \(\) 1840-50 Incoming mail from Prague (2), Boehm, Leippa (2), all with varius types of ")(cown/REGISTERED" in red or black and red (3), framed and unframed "RECOMANDIRT" in various colours and a double framed "L.A.", fine.
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 1841-1914 range of registered letter receipts and Certificates of Posting, also 1901 Acknowledgement of Delivery with K.E.VII 2½d., 1897 Compulsory Registration with 4d. manuscript charge and label, etc. (17 items)



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- 294
 1843 (Feb. 23) 1s. rate cover from Leeds to London, franked by good 1d. red tied by black Maltese Cross, with Leeds datestamp in red, manuscript "1/-" in red. Photo.
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 1843 (Aug. 4) 1s. rate cover from London to York, franked by good 1d. red tied by black Maltese Cross, with London datestamp in red, manuscript "1/-" in red. Photo.

 £250-£280
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 1845 (May 26) 1s. rate cover from Manchester to Lancaster, franked by two 1841 2d. FK and FL, manuscript "1/-" rate in black, scarce. Photo.
- 297
 1848 Incoming mail from Breslau, Copenhagen and Rome, all with various types of "(crown)/REGISTERED" in red, various transit and "PAID" markings, fine. (4)

 £250-£300
- 298 № 1848-97 selection of covers, incl. 1848 "Registered/Edinburgh" in red, 1862 "LOMBARD STREET/REGISTERED LETTER" 1877 covers (2) with "R 8" and "R29" in barred ovals, etc. (8 items) £160-£180
- 299
 1849 group of 6d. rate covers (3), one from London to Plymouth franked by 1841 1d. red-brown, one from Glasgow to Edinburgh with 1841 1d. red-brown (2) with circular "REGISTERED AT GLASGOW", other from Newcastle to Macclesfield with 1841 2d. SF (filing fold) and early use of scrim-lined envelope, all with manuscript "6" in red.
 £100-£120
- 300
 1856-57 6d. rate covers (3) with fine strikes of oval "REGISTERED G.P.O.", in red, orange and black, fine and attractive.

 £160-£180
- 301 ☑ 1866 Incoming mail from Prussia, two covers with "PRUSSIA/REGISTERED" c.d.s's in black and red, "Recomandirt" in red, blue and violet, framed "P.D.". (2) £200-£250
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 1892 (Mar. 11) 2d. registered envelope (RP16 size G) used to Suffolk, uprated by 1897-92 2½d. (2) tied by "498" barred ovals exceptionally struck in violet, with Royal Exchange Manchester and Manchester Registered datestamps, fine. Photo.

 £100-£120
- Notices of Objection: 1843-91 fine group of "Notices of Objection" to persons being retained on list of persons entitled to vote, which were subject to special 2d. rate for registration, 1843, 1844, 1846 and 1850 paid in cash. 1852 and 1861 with 1d. red (3), 1868 with 3d. plate 9, 1881 with 1d. postal fiscal (2) and ½d. dull green, 1891 with 3d. Jubilee, scarce group. (9)
- 304 ☑ 1849 (Aug. 24) "Notice of Objection" from Manchester to Rusholme, bearing triangular "NOTICE/3", unique to Manchester and very rare. Photo. £350-£400
- 1852 (Aug. 23) "Notce of Objection" entire from Lewes to Brighthelmston, franked by 1841 1d. GD and 2d. DD, prepaying the 2d. rate for registration with manuscript "Notice" and "Cannot be found" in red ink, fine and rare.

 Photo.

 £180-£200
- 306 → 1855-59 covers (2) with Charing Cross distinctive boxed "NOTICE" handstamps, only used on Notices of Objection, fine and rare. Photo. £140-£160
- 307 Scotland: 1847 (Feb.) cover, registered to Macclesfield, franked by 1841 2d. blue pair (cut into a left and right), manuscript "242", "Registered" and "1/-" in red ink. Scarce example from the "1s." registration fee period.

£70-£90

Used Abroad

- A selection on leaves, incl. Boer War, Crimean War with 1855 cover to England, franked by 1854-57 1d. (3) cancelled by "O*O", 1847 embossed 1s. green cut to shape (poor) with faint "O*O", etc. (19 items) £250-£300
- †309 A Q.V. selection comprising 1855-57 4d. used with "AO1" of Jamaica, 6d. wing margin used with "A12" of St Kitts-Nevis (small tear), 1854-57 watermark Large Crown perf. 14 1d. pair used with barred "M" of Malta, and 1867-83 5s. used with "C35" of Panama, also two covers, 1860 (May 26) wrapper to Italy bearing 1858-79 2d. (3) tied type Z4 "A25" of Malta, and 1880 (Oct. 30) envelope (no flap) to London bearing 1872-73 6d. tied type Z4 "A26" of Gibraltar, mixed condition. (6)
- 310 O A mainly Q.V. selection, incl. British Levant, South America with 1867 2s. blue with "D 87" of Iquique, 1877 4d. sage-green plate 15 used with "C 43" of Paita, etc. (90)

Used Abroad continued

- 311 🗷 1841-73 stampless entires from British Post Offices (8), from Brazil, Havana, Vera Cruz, etc. £100-£120
- 312 ☑ Canary Islands: 1855 (Sept. 1) stampless cover from Teneriffe to Italy, on reverse has British Post Office "TENERIFFE" datestamp, "PLYMOUTH/PACKET LETTER" datestamp, also 1857 (Feb. 1) stampless entire to London, bearing on reverse British Post Office "MADEIRA" datestamp and "PLYMOUTH/PACKET LETTER" datestamp, scarce. £220-£250
- Danish West Indies: 1844 (Jan. 14) stampless cover to London, bearing on reverse double arc "ST. THOMAS" datestamp, 1869 (Sept. 20) cover to Nova Scotia, franked by 1865-73 4d. plate II DK tied by "C 51" barred oval, also 1885 (Feb. 16) 1½d. stationery card used to St. Thomas. £150-£180

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314 ⋈ → A selection of covers, cards and labels, incl. 1911 (Sept. 9) London-Windsor brown card used to Felixstowe, labels, ephemera, etc. (50 items) £300-£350

Postal Stationery

- A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of used embossed envelopes, incl. Post Office and stamped to order, with Q.V. (c. 125), K.E.VII (c. 150), K.G.VI (c. 125) and Q.E.II (c. 175), many with additional printed addresses, some duplication. (approx. 700)
- A selection, incl. Officials with Q.V. O.H.M.S. 1d. envelope for the Board of Agriculture with black mourning edges, unused, printed to private order wrappers, etc. (28 items)
- 317

 A collection of unused stamped envelopes from 1841 to 1970, incl. 1841 EP3b, 4b, 6b, 7a, 8a, 9a, 15, Furniss & Elliot caricatures, etc. (83), and 1870-1970 unused postcards (99), fine.

 £80-£100
- 318 1d. pink envelopes, a used selection 1843-44, cancelled by numbered Maltese Crosses comprising "7" (2), "8", "9", "11", also number "3" cancelling 1844 (Mar. 7) envelope to Birmingham with additional 1841 1d. red-brown tied by second strike of the cancellation at lower left, mixed condition. Photo on page 40.
- 319 ☑ 1d. pink postal stationery envelope used to Launceston (1850), cancelled by "WADEBRIDGE/O" undated circle, very scarce as a cancellation. Photo on page 40. £350-£400
- x320 🗷 1879 to 1892, a selection of unused postal stationery overprinted "SPECIMEN" comprising 1879 1½d. brown on buff, 1883 2d. brown on buff and 1889 3d. carmine on buff postcard, 1883 1½d.+1½d. and 1892 1d.+1d. reply cards, 1892 1d. carmine on light blue letter card and 1892 2½d. light grey-blue envelope, fine. H&G 8, 12, 14, 18, A1b, B11. (7)
- c.1880 "The Nelson Tablet", a leather bound postal stationery ledger, containing note paper and 1p. wrappers, all embossed with "HARDING, 157, PICCADILLY W" and "NELSON TABLET REGIST" at top. A very interesting and unusual item.
- Aerogrammes: 1974-2006 an unused and used comprehensive collection in ten albums, incl. a large range of types, dry prints, flaws, colour shifts, discount packs, special cancellations, also a stockbook of Q.E.II commemoratives with a range of flaws, etc. (100s)

 £200-£250
- X323 Air Letters: A written up display collection/study of Illustrated W.W.II material, unused and used on leaves, incl. India and Ceylon, Middle East Forces, South East Asia, Naval, Christmas, Greetings, range of types, censors, etc. (51 items)
- x324 ► A written up display collection/study of Q.E.II pre-decimal air letters, incl. 1953 Coronation 6d. unused with curved edge to flaps (Huggins APS2b), 6d. unused with printed stamp omitted, 1954 6d. used to Canada from the Prestwick crash with the ambulance envelope, 1963 Pictorial 6d. unused (2 of each), Tower Bridge and Houses of Parliament, also set overprinted "CANCELLED", 1964 Shakespeare 6d. (3) overprinted small "CANCELLED", range of types and positions, "SPECIMEN" overprints, etc. (154 items)

 £500-£600
- 1965-81 selection of varieties, comprising 1965 Christmas 6p. with blue, green and yellow omitted, 1968 Christmas 9d. with blue and yellow omitted, 1969 Christmas 9d. with red, black and brown omitted, 1970 Christmas 9d. with violet omitted, 1974 Christmas 6p. with green colour missing on left hand of sheet, 1981 20p. with missing brown, all with normals for comparison. £300-£400

- 326

 1967 Christmas 9d. with the blue, green and yellow colours omitted, fine unused with normal for comparison.

 Huggins APS12 var. Photo on page 44.

 £200-£250
- 328 Envelopes: 1892 S.T.O. 2½d. + 2½d. grey-blue (ESC 51) used 1892 (July 14) from Bath to France with "Alfred Smith & Co. /Bath/Foreign Stamp Importers" around one stamp.
- 329 → 1894(c.) two embossed stamped to order ½d. to 1s. set of ten (with 1883 1d., 1892 10d. and 1892 ½d.) struck together on an envelope (260 x 139mm), very fine unused. Huggins (page 51) states 'Envelopes bearing a set are known but are probably of a philatelic origin rather than proofs".
- 330 ☑ 1950 K.G.VI ½d., 1d., 1½d. unfolded, also Air Mail letter sheets Forces issues 1941-43 2½d. (2), unused, fine. £80-£100
- 331 ➤ Penny Postage Jubilee: 1890 Post Office Christmas and New Year Greetings card, (165 x 242mm.), 1d. stationery card used, 1d. envelope unused, Harry Furniss caricature envelope and card, also William Elliot card, varied condition. £100-£120
- 332 ☑ Postcards: 1928 K.G.V 1d. + 1d. s.t.o. postcard, (CSP90) , unused, fine. £70-£80
- Registered Envelopes: Q.V. collection in three stockbooks, incl. 1878 2d. blue F greenish blue printing unused, 1878 2d. blue size F with scalloped edge unused (2), size G unused (3, one handstamped "SPECIMEN"), 1878 2d. blue size I used (2), size K used, 1878-79 2d. blue size H used (4), size K used, 1882 2d. blue no central seam size G unused (3), used, 1882 2d. blue (second line of instructions in smaller type) size G used (4), 1891 2d. blue size K unused, 1895 2d. blue size K unused, etc. (280 items) £800-£1,000
- K.E.VII to K.G.V collection in three stockbooks, incl. 1902 3d. red-brown size K unused (2), 1907 3d. red-brown size K unused, 1908 2d. red-brown size K unused, 1911 3d. red-brown size H unused (4), used (3), size H2 unused (2), size K unused (3), used, 1921 2d. + 3d. flap type 6 size G unused, flap type 7 unused, 1921 4d. + 1d. used, 1934 4½d. puce size F unused, 1937 4½d. puce size H2 unused, etc. (193 items) £700-£900
- 335 🗷 A K.G.V to Q.E.II accumulation, mainly used, incl. range of sizes, rates and types, etc. (few 100s) £100-£120
- K.G.VI collection in a stockbook, incl. 1940 4½d. puce size F unused and used, 1940 5½d. brown size G unused and used (2), size H used, 1941 5½d. brown size K unused and used, 1943 5½d. brown size G unused and used, 1943 5½d. brown size H unused with "EMERSON MAKE" imprint, 1946 5½d. brown size H unused with "P A & Co Ltd" imprint, 1947 5½d. brown size K unused, 1947 5½d. brown size F with curved flap unused, etc. (82 items) £600-£700
- Q.E.II collection in two stockbooks, incl. 1956 8½d. grey size K unused and used, 1959 1s.3d. size K unused and used, 1965 2s.1d. grey size K unused, some duplication, etc. (172 items) £150-£200
- 338 ☑ 1956 8½d. + 6d. headed "REGISTERED LETTER" (RP74) size F, fine unused, scarce. £80-£100
- 339 Registered Envelopes: Forces Issue: A selection in a stockbook, incl. 1944 3d. green size G2 both types unused and used, 1945 3d. green size G used, 1959 1s. blue size H2 unused and used, 1970 3s. magenta size G2 used, etc. (21 items)

1840 Mulready Envelopes and Letter Sheets

- 1d. letter sheet A9 used 1840 (July 3), 1d. envelope A180 unused, 2d. envelope a197 unused, fine. £180-£200
- 341 O 1d. letter sheet A10, A142, envelope A142, used, fair to good. Ex Moon. (3) £100-£150
- 342 ☑ 1d. letter sheet A24 and 2d. lettersheet a98 unused, 1d. envelope A173 used with red Maltese Cross, and 2d. envelope a198 used with "13" barred cancellation to Liverpool, the unused items fine and the used with faults. Photo on page 44. £350-£400
- 343 ☑ 1d. letter sheets A10 unused, A63 used to Monmouth, 1d. envelopes A154 used to Cockermouth cancelled red Maltese Cross and two line "TP/Hackney No", A155 used 1840 (July) from Cheldford to London, 2d. envelope a199 unused, fair to fine. £250-£300



1840 Mulready Envelopes and Letter Sheets continued



344 ☑ 1d. letter sheet (stereo obscured) sent from Dorking to Saffron Walden via London with red Maltese Cross and signed "Fitzalan" at lower left, on the reverse are "DORKING/AP 28/184." c.d.s. in blue and London transit "F/29 AP29/1840" Chief Office morning duty c.d.s. in red, however both have probably been altered from "AU" to "AP", part of address obliterated and some staining on front. An interesting curio. B.P.A. certificate (1993) describes it as a "date slug error". Sold 'as is'. Photo. £400-£600

345 Id. letter sheet A15 (Forme 1) used 1841 (Dec.), from Dunfermline to Leslie "P Markinch", fine and clear black Maltese Cross. Photo.

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■ 1d. letter sheet A34 (Forme 3) fine unused and unfolded.

£120-£150

347 🗷 1d. letter sheet A35 (Forme 3) unused, with The Scottish Provident Institution, fine unused. S.G. Spec. MA40d. £200-£250

348 ☑ 1d. lettersheet stereo A44 used 1842 (Jan. 21) to Exeter, cancelled contrary to regulations by a "CULLOMPTON" double arc datestamp, with an Exeter arrival backstamp, light folds and minor wear. *This item is illustrated in The Maltese Cross Vol. 3 by Rockoff and Jackson, and is one of just two examples recorded of this datestamp used as a cancellation.* Very unusual. Photo. £750-£800

349 ☑ 1d. envelope A154 (Forme 2), used within London 1840 (July 19), cancelled by neat red Maltese Cross, slightly soiled. Photo. £100-£120

350 ☑ 1d. envelope A166 (Forme 3) used 1840 (Sept.) from Alton to Winslow, cancelled contrary to regulations with the red Maltese Cross at lower-left, Alton datestamp on front (month inverted), a few imperfections, otherwise fine. Photo. £150-£180

351 ☑ 1d. envelope A170 (Forme 3) used 1840 (Dec.) from Templemore to Inishannon, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, on reverse has Cork and Templemore datestamps, has short message written inside. Photo. £100-£120

352 ■ 1d. envelopes A175, A177, A179 and A189 (Forme 4) all unused, good to fine. £250-£300

353 ☆ 2d. letter sheet a90 and envelope a202, unused, fair and good respectively. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150

354 ≥ 2d. letter sheets a90 and a103, unused, good to fine.

£150-£200

355 ≥ 2d. letter sheets a97 and a98 (some reinforcement), unused, good.

£120-£150

356 ≥ 2d. envelopes a200 and a208 unused, fine.

£150-£200

357 ≥ 2d. envelope a201 unused, light toning, otherwise fine. Photo.

£50-£60

358 O 1840 Mulready, "WHITAKER'S/ALMANACK" facsimile used 1893 (Sept. 30) in London with 1d. lilac, a little roughly opened, otherwise fine. £50-£60



1840 Mulready and Caricatures and later printed envelopes

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A selection of Deraedemaeker reprints, comprising Fores Comic envelopes no. 1, 4, Southgate caricatures nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, Menzies, Ocean Penny Postage (4), Valentines Anti-Slavery, Brotherhood and Intemperance envelopes, fair to fine. (14 items)

£200-£250

Hand Illustrated and Later Printed Envelopes

360 Is 1880 (June 14) envelope with original letter, used from London to New Southgate, depicting pen and ink drawing of a female head superimposed on a butterfly, franked by 1880-81 1d., a few minor tone spots. Photo.

£100-£120

Cancellations

- 361 ☑ 1857 (July 24) cover from Dublin to France (flap missing), franked by 1854-57 LC14 2d. blue HK and HL, tied by unframed circular "POSTED SINCE 6 P.M./LAST NIGHT/186" duplex, Mackay no 1074, with another strike alongside. Photo. £150-£200
- 362 Barred Numeral Cancellations: 1850 (Mar. 15) entire from Mark near Highbridge to Yeovil, franked by a fine 1841 1d. red-brown JK, tied by "864" barred oval of Wells in green, with Mark u.d.c. in red, Cross u.d.c., Bath, Somerset and Yeovil datestamps on the reverse, rare. Photo.
- **London: North West:** A selection of postcards, incl. Cricklewood, Kilburn, Willesdon, street scenes, also some Parcel Post labels, etc. (194 items) £300-£350
- 364 O London Suburban Numerals: A selection on imperforate and perforated 1d.'s, incl. numbers 3 to 88, some in blue, a rare group. (42) £400-£500
- 365 Machine Cancellations: A collection of covers, cards and a few stamps, in a folder, incl. Charles Rideout 1859 (Sept. 1) cover with code "HS", 1859 (May 15) cover with code "CR", Azemar, Hoster, Bickerdike, etc. (82 items)
- 1886 cover to Vienna bearing 1883 2½d. lilac AJ, cancelled by the scarce Ethridge machine which was trialled in London in 1886 and 1887, flap missing. An unusual and attractive use of this machine on a surface printed stamp. Photo. £350-£400
- 367 ➤ 1912 Wilkinson Machine, 1912 (Jan. 25) first day envelope and a 1912 (Feb. 17) Q.V. ½d. postal stationery card showing the "LONDON E.C./172" double ring c.d.s., the first in black and second in red. Photo. £120-£150
- 1912 cover with red "LONDON. E.C./1D./POSTAGE PAID/ (crown)" applied by the Wilkinson 'penny in the slot' machine, with black London E.C. datestamp (Jan. 25), the first day of use of this experimental machine. Photo. £100-£120
- 369 - 1926 cover bearing 1½d. meter essay, with "SPECIMEN/ONLY" in date portion. Photo. £100-£120
- **370** O **Mail Boats:** A selection comprising "A 83" on 10d., "A 86" on 1d. pair, "A 93" on 3d., "A 99" on 3d., "B0 3" on 1d. and 4d., fair to fine. **£200-£250**
- 371 O 1841 1d. red-brown cancelled by "A 98", faults but scarce.
- 372 O Scilly Islands: 1841 1d. red-brown AF, close to large margins, with clear "610" barred oval cancellation, scarce. Photo.
- 373 Scots Local Cancellations: Two Scots Locals covers, both bearing 1d. stars, with 1855 cover to Elgin with unrecorded "DUNBOG" in blue on flap (affected by tear), 1855 cover from Fife to Perth with unrecorded type VIII boxed "DURADEN" handstamp in black, few minor faults, otherwise fine. £70-£80

Cancellations continued

- x374 O Telegraphic usage of postage stamps, Telegraph Office cancellations: 1867 3d. rose plate 8, 1872 6d. pale buff plate 11, 1867 1s. plate 5 (2) and 6 used "Birmingham Telegraph Office", 1867 6d. mauve plate 9 and 1s. green plate 5 used "Southampton Head Telegraph Office". 1884 5s. on white paper used "Central Telegraph Office" and "Manchester Telegraphs" (2). Mixed condition but generally fine to very fine. (10) Cat. £1,205. £100-£120
- Telegraphic usage of postage stamps, Telegraph Office cancellations: 1870 1876: A selection of circular English railway numerals on surface printed stamps. Includes: 1867 3d. rose plate 5 with 973, plate 7 with 1082 and block of 4 with 1108, plate 8 pair with 511 and blocks of 4 with 662 and 1103 and plate 9 block of 4 with 793. 1869 6d. mauve plate 9 with 1229, 1867 1s. green plate 5 with 152, 839 and 1082, plate 6 with 511, 671, 704, 855, 878, 973, 1103, 1352 and 1469 (3), plate 7 with 321. 1873 1s. green plate 11 with 815. Mixed condition but generally fine to very fine. (37) Cat. £2150.
- x376 O A selection of values used with concentric ring cancellations of the former British and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company. Including 1d. red plate 125 and 3d. plate 7 both with some short perfs, 1s. plate 5, 9d. plate 4, 2s. blue and 5s. plate 1, all very fine. A scarce assemblage of generally quality examples. (6) Cat. £1,340. £150-£180
- x377 O A selection incl. 1s. plate 6 used with Kensington 38 numeral, rare, 3d. plate 9 and 1s plate 6 (2 examples) with full/partial strikes of the rare Sutton Coldfield "PP12 PAID" penny post box cancellation. Also 2s. blue and 5s. Plate 1 with concentric ring cancellations of the former British and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company (both with minor perf. faults). Scarce cancellations. (6) Cat. £1,105.
- x378 O A selection of English, Scottish and Irish railway numerals on line engraved 1d. reds and 2d. blue. Includes: English numerals in circles, 1d. red plate 163, strip of 6 with 27A, plate 153 with 73, plate 119 block of 4 with 682, plate 146 strip of 3 with 696A, plate 150 with 909, plate 140 pair with 1504 and 2d. blue plate 13 with 543. Scottish numeral in rectangle, 1d. plate 140 with 96. Irish numeral in diamond, 1d. red plate 122 with 25. Condition mixed but scarce usage. Irish usage is rare. (20)
- x379 O 1881 onwards: A selection of English circular railway numerals on high values. 1884 2s.6d. lilac with 855, 5s. rose with 72 and horizontal bars, 10s. ultramarine with 1530 and horizontal bars and 1891 £1 green with 1530 and vertical bars. A scarce group. 5s. with a couple of toned perfs., others generally fine. (4) Cat. £1,800.

£150-£180

- A selection of rectangular Scottish railway numerals and an Irish diamond numeral on surface printed stamps. Includes: 1880 6d. on 6d. lilac with 78A and 103, 1s. orange-brown plate 13 with 111, 213 and 235 and plate 14 with 269A and 270. 1884 5s with 114. 1884 6d. dull green with 32A, 266 and 1s. dull green 12 and 137. 1887 Jubilee 6d. with Irish diamond 15. Condition mixed but several very fine examples, a scarce selection with some rare numerals. (13)
- A selection of 1892 Railway Station Ovals. 1897 Jubilees 6d. block of 6 with "KING EDWARD / STATION / GN of S Ry", 1s. Green pair "HORSEBRIDGE / STATION / L&SW Ry", 1s. green pair "PARK / STATION / GNor Ry". 1884 2s.6d. "CARGILL / STATION / CAL Ry", 5s "BAGWORTH /STATION / MID Ry" and "CLAPHAM / STATION / MID Ry" and 2d. railway letter stamp "DORMANS / STATION / LB&SC Ry" A lovely selection, mixed condition (fading to 1s. greens) but generally fine and scarce. (14) Cat. £1,135.
- A selection of circular English railway numerals on surface printed stamps. Includes: 1880 6d. on 6d. lilac with 1446, 1s. orange-brown plate 13 with 93, 393, 855 (strip of 3) and plate 14 with 1549. 1884 5s with 771B. 1884 6d. dull green strip of 4 with 459 and block of 4 with 439A (both faded), 1s. dull green 306 and 589. 1887 Jubilee 3d. block of 6 with 72, single 415 and block of 4 with 1384. 6d. Jubilee with 372, 638, 1025, 1352 and 1008 block of 4. 1s. green Jubilee blocks of 4 with 260 and 1319, block of 6 with 49 pair with 528B and two singles, 973 and 1359. Plus London and South Western railway letter stamp with 990. Condition very mixed, generally average to poor with the odd better example, scarce accumulation and some rare numerals. (56). £80-£100

Exhibitions

383 ▲ 1884 to 1892 pieces with datestamps of "HEALTH EXHIBITION/S.W." 1894 (July 19), "INVENTIONS EXHIBITION/S.W." 1885 (July 9) and "HORTICULTURAL EXHIBITION/S.W." 1892 (Oct. 10). Three rare exhibition datestamps, none of which are recorded on cover. £130-£150

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 1891 Royal Naval Exhibition, three covers each with a fine strike of the blue Exhibition handstamp, comprising
 ½d. postal stationery card dated Sept. 9, 1d. lilac on cover dated Sept. 16, and a 3d. postal stationery card dated
 Sept. 18 with German Exhibition c.d.s. alongside. Photo on page 46.

 £120-£150
- 385 ▲ 1937 (July 5) piece cut from a parcel addressed to Bristol, bearing K.G.V 6d. and a Parcel Post label with "ROYAL SHOW/WOLVERHAMPTON" skeleton datestamps, unusual. Photo on page 46. £100-£150

Essays, Proofs and Trials

- 386 ⋈ E Treasury Competition: John Dickinson: 1837 London District Post 1d. letter sheet essay in yellow-buff on Dickinson's special silk thread paper, folded, a few imperfections, otherwise fine. Photo. £200-£250
- Charles Whiting cotton-reel labels in strip of three, printed in blue and red, inscribed "Robt. Low & Son/330/STRAND", slight crease, otherwise fine and interesting. Photo.
- 388 E Charles Whiting: The page of reprinted essays from the 1848 Art Union Journal, usual peripheral imperfections clear of the essays. £100-£120



389 P Later Proofs: 1867 Paris Exhibition Proofs: 1858-76 2d. plate 9 EJ imperforate plate proof in black on soft white card, some minor faults. S.G. Spec. DP49a, cat. £4,000. Photo.





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Second Session Lots 390–890 Tuesday April 25th at 2 pm

1840 One Penny Black

- 390 O 1d. black, a mainly good used selection, most with four margins, incl. plate 1a used with black Maltese Cross, slightly mixed condition. (42) £1,200-£1,500
- 391 O 1d. black plates 1 to 10 all lettered BJ, each with four margins, also matching plate 2, 8 and 10 1d. reds, mainly good used with Maltese Crosses. (14) £800-£1,000
- 392 O 1d. black plates 1a OC, 1b NK, 2 GF, 3 QA, 4 DA, 5 LB, 6 MB, 7 RC, 8 OB, 9 NB and 10 OK, each with four margins, mainly good to fine used with Maltese Crosses. (11) £800-£1,000
- 393 O 1d. black plates 1a to 11, used, three or four margins, 1a. to 5 and 7 cancelled with red Maltese Crosses, fair to fine. Photo.
- 394 O 1d. black plates 1b BK, JH, RG, TD, 2 IC, TJ, 5 AD, LJ, SF, TC on piece, 6 CK, PI, 10 FJ with red Maltese Cross, poor to fine. £600-£700
- 395 O 1d. black, three four margined examples used with red Malteses Crosses, faults, also another two margin example with Maltese Crosses in black. (4) £150-£200
- 396 ☑ 1d. black, a collection of examples on covers, fronts and large pieces incl. 1840 (May 23) cover bearing plate 2 HD, 1840 (Nov. 10) front bearing plate 1a QE with "MISSENT/TO WILW" oval handstamp at lower left, 1840 (July 6) bearing attractive plate 1a RK, touched at base, mixed condition. Ex Moon. (24) £1,800-£2,000
- 397 ☑ 1d. black, a collection of examples on covers, fronts and large pieces with marking and backstamps incl. 1841 (Jan. 16) bearing plate 7 LA with "TOO LATE" oval on reverse, rectangular receiving marks, etc., condition a little mixed but mainly good to fine. Ex Moon. (18) £1,000-£1,200
- 398 ☑ 1d. plate 1b BC, plate 4 ND and plate 8 MK, each with close to large margins and used on cover with red Maltese Cross, mixed condition. (3) £200-£250
- 399 O 1d. black plate 1a, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AE, AG AI AI BA BI CI DA with black Maltese Cross, DJ, EE, EF, EJ, FB, FE, FH, FI (2), FL, GC, GE-GF pair (faults), GF, IA, JB, JE, KE, LC, LH, LJ, MF, ND, NG, NJ, OE, OG, OJ, QL (2), RF, SB, SK, TG, TI, also plate 1b BA, BI, DD, LG, with various notations highlighting plate flaws and scratches, guidelines, doubled baselines etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (47)



Ex 393



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- **1d. intense black plate 1a** GD, used with good to large even margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, pressed vertical bend, otherwise very fine and attractive example. S.G. Spec. AS1. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- 401 1d. grey-black plate 1a GH (worn plate), with close to very large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (May 23) cover to Stourbridge, very slight toning to the adhesive, however still a fine and attractive 'May date' cover. Ex Fraser. S.G. Spec. AS2th. Ex Moon. Photo.
- **1d. grey-black plate 1a** LC, with good to very large margins, tied by dark red Maltese Crosses to 1840 (July 25) entire from Dundee, addressed to Kirkaldy but missent to Markinch where it recieved a boxed "MISSENT/TO/MARKINCH" handstamp and an arrival backstamp on reverse. S.G. Spec. AS2. Ex Moon. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 403 ★ 1d. grey-black plate 1a LF, neatly tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (July 14) cover to Kendal, touched at left otherwise clear to ample margins, a neat cover with good strike of cruciform backstamp on flap. S.G. Spec. AS2. Ex Moon. Photo. £180-£200
- **1d. grey-black plate 1a** LG, fine used with small to large margins, cancelled by near complete red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- 405 O 1d. grey-black plate 1a MJ, fine used with good to large margins, cancelled by two strikes of a bright red Maltese Cross, small natural paper wrinkle does not detract from fine appearance. S.G. Spec. AS2. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plate 1a** NH, fine used with small to good margins and red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. £120-£150
- 407 1d. black plate 1a OC, used with small to large margins, neatly tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (July 8) envelope to Liverpool, some light soiling to right of adhesive, otherwise fine with filing folds well clear of stamp. S.G. Spec. AS2. Ex Moon. Photo on page 52. £150-£200
- **1d. grey-black (very worn) plate 1a** PH with small to large even margins, used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS3. Photo. £100-£120
- 409 O 1d. black plate 1b, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AI, AJ, BC, BD, CA, CB, CD, CE, CG, CI, CL (2), DC, DD, DE (2), DH (2), DK, EC, EG, FF, FH with watermark inverted, FK, GF, GH (2), GK, HC, HD, HG, HI, HJ (2), HL, IB, IC, ID, IF, IG, IL (2), JA, JE, JG, JL, KB, KG, LF, ME, MI, MJ, ML, ND, NF, NG, NH, NI, NK, OF, OG (2), OH, PB, PC, PE, PJ (2), QB, QK, QL, RA, RD, RG, RI, SE, SG (2), SI, SK (2), TH, TI, with various notations highlighting plate flaws and scratches, guidelines, doubled baselines, twisted re-entries, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (83) £2,500-£3,000
- 410 O 1d. black plate 1b DB, fine used with close to enormous margins, displaying trace of adjoining impressions above and at right, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS5. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150











- 411 O 1d. black plate 1b DI, a fine and attractive used example with close to enormous margins, neatly cancelled by a complete strike of red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 412 1d. black plate 1b GK (twisted re-entry), with good to large even margins, tied by red Maltese Crosses to 1840 (Dec. 23) cover to Hawick, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5d. Ex Moon. Photo on page 52. £200-£250
- 413 O 1d. black plate 1b HD, used with watermark inverted, just cut into at base, otherwise with good to very large margins, a few spots of foxing on reverse, a good example of the variety. S.G. Spec. AS5 l, cat. £2,500. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150

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- 414 O 1d. black plate 1b II (re-entry), very fine used with ample to enormous margins, neatly cancelled by light red Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS5. Ex Moon. Photo.
- **1d. black plate 1b** LE, with watermark inverted, used with small to large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. R.P.S. certificate (2006). S.G. Spec. AS5l. Photo. £500-£600











- **1d. black plate 1b** NG, fine used with close to enormous margins, displaying trace of adjoining impression at right, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS5. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plates 1b** NL used on 1841 (July) large part wrapper (affected by filing crease), 2 PD fine, 6 PD touched at right, 7 PD on piece, cut into at base. **£200-£250**
- 418 O 1d. black plate 1b PG, fine used with close to large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150









- 419 ☆ 1d. black plate 1b PL, four margins, unused with small part original gum, from the right of the sheet displaying part of marginal inscription, with "1840" written in pencil in the selvedge, thins and vertical crease, nevertheless a very scarce marginal example. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. £400-£500
- **420** O **1d. black plate 1b** QA, fine used with small to large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS5. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- 421 ▲ 1d. black plates 1b QL on piece, 2 JF on piece, 3 FC affixed to front to which it does not belong, 5 QB uncancelled on piece, 6 AG on part (Oct. 6) part cover, DE-DF pair on piece, FA on piece, HG on piece, MF on cover, 8 IE on piece, 9 IE on piece and one unplated, poor to good. £500-£600
- 422 **Id. black plate 1b** RG, tied to 1840 (Dec. 21) entire letter to Ayr by a maroon Maltese Cross with boxed "NEWTON STEWART" backstamp in the same colour. A scarce coloured Maltese Cross. Photo.



- 423 O 1d. black plate 2, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AD, AJ, BB, BG, CA, CD, DJ, DL, EC, EK, FC, GC (2), GE, HB, IB, IE (2), JB, JF, JL, KB, NF, OE, PA (2), PD, QB, QD, QJ, QL, RE (2), RF, RG, RK, SC, SE, TD, TF, TL, with various notations highlighting plate flaws and scratches, guidelines, basal shifts, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex. Moon. (40) £1,200-£1,500
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 1840 1d. black plate 2 AG with close to good margins, tied to entire to Melrose by a fine crisp strike of the distinctive Kelso Maltese Cross, clear 1843 (Jan. 19) Kelso datestamp, pressed filing crease affecting the adhesive at right but very attractive appearance, believed to be unique on cover. B.P.A. cerificate (1990). S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo.

 £1,200-£1,500
- **1d. black plate 2** AL, fine used with small to very large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£120
- 426 O 1d. black plate 2 FA, four small to good margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. £100-£120
- 427 O 1d. black plate 2 GL, used with ample to very large even margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, thinned at upper left, otherwise fine and attractive. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex Moon. Photo. £80-£100









- **1d. black plate 2** HE-HF, used with small to very large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, two minor corner bends at lower right, otherwise very fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex Moon. Photo. £180-£200
- 429 1d. black plate 2 HG, fine used with clear to large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (May 14) cover to Lincolns Inn Fields, with "T.P./Berners St." handstamp in red alongside. S.G. Spec. AS15tf. Ex Moon. Photo on page 54.
- **1d. black plate 2** MD, very fine used with good to large margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- 431 O 1d. black plate 2 ND, used with clear to enormous margins, displaying portion of adjoining impression at top, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, slight surface rub at lower left, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 432 O 1d. black plate 2 TD, four small to large margins with part of adjoining stamp at right, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo.

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- **1d. black plate 2** TH, fine used with close to very large margins, neatly tied by orange-red Maltese Cross to 1841 (Jan. 5) large opened out piece, with unboxed dated "KIRKCALDY" handstamp in red. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plate 3**, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AG, AK, CC, CF, DG, EB, EK, FC, FH, FI, FK, GB, GE, GF (2), GJ (3), HF, IA, JA, JF, KD, LC, ME, MF, MG, OH, OL, PI, PL, SD, TH, with various notations highlighting plate flaws and scratches, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (33)
 £1,000-£1,500
- 435 O 1d. black plate 3 AI, close to large margins all round, lightly struck with red-brown Maltese Cross, slight corner crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo.
- **1d. black plate 3** BC, close to good margins all round, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £100-£120











- 437 O 1d. black plate 3 BD, close to good margins all round, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £100-£120
- 438 O 1d. black plate 3 BF, close to good margins all round, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. £100-£120
- 439 1d. black plate 3 HB with clear to good margins on three sides, cut into at top, most unusually used as a seal on address side of 1840 (July 4) cover from Leeds to Hartlepool, the adhesive bisected on opening. Very scarce. Photo. £150-£200
- **1d. black plate 3** ID, fine used with small to very large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS20. Ex Moon. Photo. **£100-£120**











1d. grey-black plate 3 NA-NB, used pair with small to very large margins, cancelled by black Maltese Crosses, vertical wrinkle affecting NB, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS21. Ex Moon. Photo. £180-£200



- **1d. black plate 3** OI, used with close to good margins, neatly cancelled by near complete upright red Maltese Cross, slight overall toning, otherwise fine and attractive. S.G. Spec. AS20. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£120
- 444 O 1d. black plate 3 PD (recut letter square), small to good margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS21f. Photo. £150-£180
- **1d. black plate 3** RF with small to good margins all round, fine used on 1841 (Mar. 30) small neat cover with enclosed letter, used within Edinburgh, cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. **£160-£180**
- **1d. black plate 3** RF, close at top otherwise good to large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross to upper left of 1840 (July 6) entire from London to Bagshot, filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. **£160-£180**
- **1d. black plate 4**, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AF, AJ, BE, CB, CD, CG (3), DD, EI, EL, FG, FJ (3), FL, GA (2), GB, GC, GH, GI, HF, ID, IF, II, JH, JI, KI, MI, NJ, OB, OK, PA, PC, SD, SL, also plate 3 GK, 5 QK with various notations highlighting re-entries, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (39)
 £1,200-£1,500
- **1d. black plate 4** AE with good to large even margins, fine used with distinctive Manchester 'fishtail' black Maltese Cross, scarce. S.G. Spec. AS23ub, cat. £1,400. Photo. £180-£200
- **1d. black plate 4** CD, fine used with small to large margins, tied to 1840 (Aug. 11) cover to London by red Maltese Cross, leaving profile clear, attractive cover. S.G. Spec. AS23. Ex Moon. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 450 O 1d. black plate 4 CH, a very fine and attractive used example with ample to large margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross leaving profile clear. S.G. Spec. AS23. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- **1d. black plate 4** EC, fine used with clear to very large margins, displaying trace of adjoining impression at upper left, tied to 1840 (Aug. 12) cover to Edinburgh by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS23. Ex Moon. Photo.

£150-£200



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 1d. black plate 4 IA with small to large even margins, used with Maltese Cross in brownish shade on 1840 (Nov. 9) entire from Durham to Bishop Auckland, fine. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo.

 £1,000-£1,200
- 453 ▲ 1d. black plate 4 KE, fine used on small piece, small to good margins, tied by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS23. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plate 4** LK-LL, attractive used pair tied to 1840 (Aug. 31) piece by red Maltese Crosses, touched or close at left and upper right, otherwise with close to large margins. S.G. Spec. AS23. Ex Moon. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 455 O 1d. black plate 4 QJ and TI, used with full margins, red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS23. £100-£120
- 456 O 1d. black plate 5, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AA, AH, AL (3), BC, CA, CD, CE, CF, CH, CI, CK (2), DB, DD, DG, DI, DJ, ED, EH, FF (2), FJ, GA (2), GB, GG, GI, GL (2), HB, HD, HE, HF, HL, II, IJ (2), JG, JJ, JK, KE, LB, LD, LF, LG, LJ, MC, MD (2), MF, MJ, NH, NK, NL, OB (2, one on cover), OE, OH, OJ (2), PC, PH (2), QA, QD, QJ, RH (2), SB, SC, SD, SJ, TC, TH, TK, also plate 6 RI, 7 ML, with various notations highlighting re-entries, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (77)
- **1d. black plate 5** GH with close to good margins all round, used on 1840 (July 27) cover from London to Wakefield, cancelled by red Maltese Cross with Wakefield and London datestamps on reverse. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo.

£70-£80











- **1d. black plate 5** JH, very fine used with good to large even margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS25. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- **1d. black plate 5** JK with small to large margins all round, used on 1840 (Sept. 5) cover from Derby to Manchester, cancelled by oily red Maltese Cross with Derby datestamp at left. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£80-£100**
- **1d. black plate 5** LC, fine used with small to large margins, very lightly cancelled by red-brown Maltese Cross, a few pressed wrinkles. S.G. Spec. AS25. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plate 5** LK-LL pair used on 1841 (Feb. 10) cover, plate 8 OE used on 1840 (Sept. 28) cover, RC used on 1840 (Dec. 17) printed letter, also fourteen unplated examples, very mixed condition. £350-£400
- **1d. black plate 5** NK, a very fine and attractive used example with ample to large margins, very lightly cancelled by central black Maltese Cross, tiny paper inclusion, Buhler handstamp on reverse. S.G. Spec. AS25. Ex Moon. Photo.

 £120-£150



- **1d. black plate 5** TB, fine used with good to enormous margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, tiny corner bend at upper right does not detract from appearance. S.G. Spec. AS25. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- **1d. black plate 6**, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AC, AD, AE, AF (2), AG, AL, BB, BE, CB (2), CC CD (2), CE, CF, DA, DB (2), DD, DF (3), DG, DK, EB (2), EH, FA, FC, FE, FH, GA, GF, GI (2), HB, IC, IE, JC, JD, JJ, JK, KA, KC, KG, LL, MA, MB, MD, MF, MH, MK, NL, OG, PB, PD, PK, PL, QD, QH (2), QK, RH, RL, SB, SI, TG, TL, with various notations highlighting re-entries, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (69) £2,000-£2,500



- **1d. black plate 6** EF, fine used with ample to large even margins, lightly cancelled by near complete strike of red Maltese Cross, attractive example. S.G. Spec. AS41. Ex Moon. Photo. **£100-£150**
- **1d. black plate 6** HJ, fine used with close to large even margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plate 6** IG, good to large margins, cancelled by overinked red Maltese Cross, slightly toned. S.G. AS41. Photo. £100-£150
- **1d. black plate 6** IG, used with small to large margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross, vertical pressed bend otherwise fine and attractive. S.G. Spec. AS41. Ex Moon. Photo. £80-£100
- **1d. black plate 6** JD small to large margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Nov. 25) entire with printed contents within Edinburgh, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 470 1d. black plate 6 NL with small to very large margins, affixed upside down and tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (Oct. 1) entire to Doncaster, filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo on page 58. £160-£180
- 471 ☑ 1d. black plate 6 RE used with clear to good margins, tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (Nov. 24) entire from Newport, Monmouthshire to Llantrisant, unusually with contents in Welsh, soiled, affected by filing folds, but scarce Welsh language usage. S.G. Spec. AS41. Ex Moon. Photo on page 58.. £100-£150
- 472 O 1d. black plate 6 RG, good margins, cancelled by slightly heavy red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. AS41. Photo on page 58.
- 473 O 1d. black plate 6 TE on bleuté, fine used with clear to large margins, cancelled by two strikes of red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS41. Ex Moon. Photo on page 58.



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1d. black plate 7, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AA, CA, CB, CD, CF, CJ, DE, DH, DI, EC, FH, FI, GK, HA, IA, JI-JJ pair (faults), KA, KB (2), KE, NA, NB, ND (3), NE, NF, PE, PJ, PL, RB, RE, RH, RK, SA, TL, with various notations highlighting re-entries, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (36)

£1,200-£1,500

- 475 O **1d. black plate** 7 BE, fine used with ample to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS44. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 476 O 1d. black plate 7 IF, good to large margins, cancelled by neat red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. AS41. Photo. £100-£150
- 477 O **1d. black plate** 7 IJ-IK, used pair with small to large margins, cancelled by vibrant red Maltese Crosses, a few small faults mainly affecting IJ, otherwise good appearance. S.G. Spec. AS44. Ex Moon. Photo. £150-£200
- 478 O 1d. black plate 7 KB, attractive used example with good even margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, a couple of light bends, otherwise very fine. S.G. Spec. AS44. Ex Moon. Photo. £150-£200
- 479 O 1d. black plate 7 OG, fine used with good to enormous even margins with of adjoining stamp at top, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS44. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150

- **1d. black plate** 7 PH, fine with small to large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, has traces of embossing from a wax seal. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. £80-£100
- 1d. black plate 8, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AA (2), AB (2), AE, AI, AJ, AK (2), BA, BE, BF, BJ, CD, CE, CG, CI (2), DD, DF, DG, DH, DK, DL, EA, EB (2), ED, EE, EG, EI (2), FD, FF, GB, GC, GD, GJ, IA, JA, KE-KF pair (faults), KH, KJ, KL, LA, LG, LH, MG, ND (2), NE, NF, NG, PK, QB, QC, QD, QK, SD, SE, SF, TB, TJ, also plate 9 EA, PI, with various notations highlighting re-entries, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., provisional printings, repairs etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (65)
- **1d. black plate 8** AG, fine used on small piece, small to large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS46. Photo. £80-£100
- **1d. black plate 8** CJ, fine and attractive used, cut a trifle close at lower left, otherwise ample to large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- **1d. black plate 8** EC, fine used with ample to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS46. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- 485 1d. black plate 8 IA small to good margins and RG just cut into at base, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS46 £80-£100
- 486 1d. black plate 8 JF, fine used with good to large margins, on 1840 (Dec. 16) entire from Heysham to Preston, tied by oily red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. £160-£180













- **1d. black plate 8** KF, fine used with small to good even margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- 488 O 1d. black plate 8 NL, fine used with ample to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 489 O 1d. black plate 9, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AF, AK, BB, CD, CH (2), DD, EG, GF, GG, IH, JL, KB, LI (2), LK, MG, ML, NA, NC, PB, QL, RB, RG (2), SB, SH on piece, TA, TB, TF, with various notations highlighting, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (30) £1,000-£1,500
- **1d. black plate 9** BD, fine used with close to large margins, lightly cancelled by near complete red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS56. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150
- 491 O 1d. black plate 9 CE, used with small to enormous margins, displaying traces of adjoining impressions at top and left, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross leaving profile clear, margins a trifle ragged at right and base, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS56. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 492 ☑ 1d. black plate 9 CK, clear at lower left, otherwise with good to large margins displaying traces of three adjoining impressions at upper left, displaying double "C" and tied by neat black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Mar. 16) wrapper to Limehouse with "Charing Cross" in black alongside. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. £160-£180
- 493 ★ 1d. black plate 9 EL, fine used with close to large margins showing portion of adjoining stamp at top, on 1841 (Mar.) entire from London to Watford, tied by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. £160-£180
- 494 O 1d. black plate 9 FC state 2 provisional printing, very fine used with ample to large margins, lightly cancelled by upright central red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS60. Ex Moon. Photo. £200-£250
- **495** O **1d. black plate 9** KE, close to good margins all round on piece, tied by black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo.

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- 496 O 1d. black plate 10, an academic collection of used examples on leaves comprising AE, CE, ED, EH, EJ, FE, FG, GB, JB, LB, LH, MC, MI (2), OB, QG, QK, RD, RH, RJ, SB, SH, SK-SL pair, TG, TK, also plate 1b CH, with various notations highlighting, guidelines, basal shifts, plate dots, etc., mainly good to fine with many four margined examples. Ex Moon. (26)
- 497 O 1d. black plate 10 EG, used example on piece, touched at lower right, otherwise with good to large margins, tied by neat strike of black Maltese Cross, vertical crease at left barely detracts from fine appearance. S.G. Spec. AS66. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 498 O 1d. grey-black plate 10 EJ, fine used with clear to good margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS67. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- 499 O 1d. black plate 10 FB, fine used with close to very large margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS66. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£120
- **1d. black plate 10** FB, used with large even margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, horizontal crease at base, otherwise of fine appearance. S.G. Spec. AS66. Ex Moon. Photo.











- 501 O 1d. black plate 10 HA, used with close to good margins, neatly cancelled by almost complete black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS66. Photo. £120-£150
- **1d. black plate 10** JB with good to large margins used on 1841 (Jan. 23) entire letter from London to Edinburgh, tied by red Maltese Cross with another below, vertical filing fold well clear of adhesive, rare on cover with a second strike of the red Maltese Cross. B.P.A. certificate (2007). S.G. Spec. AS66h. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 503 O 1d. black plate 10 PD, small to large margins, neat black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS66. Photo. £120-£150
- 1d. grey-black plate 10 RL displaying basal shift and long tailed "R", with good to enormous margins, showing a portion of the adjoining impression at base, neatly tied by black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Apr. 7) entire from Weymouth to Crewkerne, with receiving c.d.s. in red at lower left, a fine and fresh unfolded cover, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS67d. Photo.

 £500-£600
- 505 O 1d. black plate 11 BJ, small margins, used with indistinct black Maltese Cross, matched with four margin 1d. red. S.G. Spec. AS72. Photo.
- 506 O 1d. black plate 11 CJ, small to good margins, used with black Maltese Cross, tiny tear and some creasing. S.G. Spec. AS72. Photo. £150-£200











- 507 O 1d. grey-black plate 11 DB, fine used, touched at lower right, otherwise with ample to enormous margins, displaying a section of adjoining impression at right, lightly cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS72. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 508 O 1d. black plate 11 DK with small to large margins, fine used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS73, cat. £4,600. Photo. £700-£800
- 509 O 1d. grey-black plate 11 GE, used with clear to very large margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross, slightly toned, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS72. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 510 O 1d. grey-black plate 11 HD, used, just cut into at upper left, otherwise with clear to large margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross, light overall toning. S.G. Spec. AS72. Ex Moon. Photo. £150-£200









- **1d. black plate 11** OJ with tiny to huge margins and part impression of adjoining stamp at right (small tear affecting this area only), fine used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS73, cat. £5,750. Photo. £500-£600
- 512 O 1d. grey-black plate 11 QC, used, scissors cut affecting upper left corner, otherwise with small to good margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross, good appearance. S.G. Spec. AS72. Ex Moon. Photo. £150-£200

1840 Two Pence Blue

- 513 O 2d. blue, eleven mainly good used examples, most with four margins, mixed condition.
- £350-£400
- **514** O 2d. blue selection of four used examples comprising plate 1 LB, RC, SH, plate 2 CJ, fair to good. S.G. 5. Ex Moon. (4) £200-£300



- **2d. blue plate 1** CD-CE pair, used with close to small margins on piece, cancelled by part black Maltese Crosses, Bideford c.d.s alongside. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. £200-£250
- **2d. blue plate 1** CD-CE pair with small margins, used on 1840 (July 23) entire from Edinburgh to Inveraray, tied by red Maltese Crosses, tiny cut up central margin, otherwise fine. S.G. DS5. Photo. **£600-£700**

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- **2d. blue plate 1** DA, JA, LJ, TC, used, LJ with faults, the others being four margined examples with imperfections but of fine appearance. S.G. 5. Ex Moon. (4) £300-£400
- **2d. blue plate 1** DH-DI, touched at upper left, otherwise with good to enormous margins, with indistinct red Maltese Cross cancellations, affixed to 1840 (Nov. 26) entire to "Rev. J.A. Frenchard", Highworth, affected by filing folds, accompanied by an 1841 (Mar. 1) entire to the same recipient bearing 1840 1d. black plate 8 TH, with clear to very large margins, neatly tied by black Maltese Cross. An interesting pair of covers. Ex Moon. Photo.

£300-£400

2d. blue plate 1 FH-FI pair used on 1843 (Dec. 8), Stamp Revenue cover, IG used on 1840 (Nov. 11) cover, MI, plate 2 GH, II-IJ pair used on 1841 (Jan.) cover, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, mixed condition. £250-£300







- **2d. blue plate 1** QF, close to good margins, used with Maltese Cross in red and Brighton straight line cancellation in black, fine. S.G. DS5. Photo.
- **2d. blue plate 2** CD-CE pair with close to large margins, used on 1841 (July 19) entire from London to Norwich. tied by heavy black Maltese Crosses, faintly soiled, fine. S.G. DS8. Photo. £600-£700
- **2d. blue plate 2** CF, used with small to good margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, a couple of tiny thins in the lower margin, otherwise fine with strong colour. S.G. Spec. DS8. Ex Moon. Photo. £120-£150



- 523 2d. blue plate 2 DI, very fine used example with good to very large margins on three sides but just touched on the top right hand corner square. Neatly cancelled by a Dorchester "Wessex" town cancellation leaving a clear profile. Lovely colour and an attractive example of this rare cancellation. Spec. DS8xb. Cat. £10,000. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- **2d. blue plate 2** KG and QI, used with close to good margins, both cancelled by black Maltese Crosses, KG with minor imperfections, QI fine. S.G. Spec. DS8. Ex Moon. Photo. £200-£250

1840 Rainbow Colour Trials



525 P A Very fine four margin example printed on white wove paper in rosy-mauve cancelled by a black Maltese Cross. Very rare, only three examples recorded, one of which resides in the Tapling collection at the British Library. S.G. Spec. DP20F. Photo. £6,000-£8,000

1841 One Penny Red-Brown

- 526 ★ 1d. shades (6), unused with part original gum, each with four margins, one with crease and another with small ink suffusion, otherwise mainly fine. £400-£500
- 527 O 1d. red-brown: A used selection on leaves, incl. good range of shades, cancellations, some plated with plate 34 BL, etc., varied condition. (283) £400-£500
- 528 O 1d., red-brown, a duplicated used collection of Alphabet I in two stockbooks, arranged by lettering, all with numeral cancellations, a couple in blue or blue-black, also a few on piece, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s)
- 529 O 1d. red-brown used set of numbers "1" to "12" in Maltese Crosses, also additional "2", "5", "7" and "8", mainly with four margins, mixed condition. (16)
- 530 O 1d. red-brown set set of numbers "1" to "12" in Maltese Crosses, mainly clear strikes, all with four margins except "1" just cut into and "4" just touched at top left. S.G. cat. £3,045. £200-£250
- 531 O 1d. red-brown two sets of numbers "1" to "12" in Maltese Cross, mainly three or four margined, poor to good. £200-£250
- 1d. red-brown, a collection of plated examples on cover, cancelled with Maltese Crosses, plates 16 to 45, written up on leaves incl. plate 25 OA on 1842 cover with 'hot cross bun' mark alongside, SK-SL pair of fine appearance on 1843 cover to London, 27 RE-RF tied to 1842 cover to Ross (Herefordshire), 30 (7 covers), 31 FJ fine used on 1845 cover, 32 EI-EL strip of four affixed to 1844 cover to Hawick, 33 GL attractive used on 1843 cover, 36 GC tied to 1844 cover by the distinctive Norwich Maltese Cross, selection of covers from plates 37 to 45 cancelled by Maltese Crosses, a few "T.P." or Penny Post markings, numbers in Maltese Crosses, etc., not all plates guaranteed, a few may not belong, mixed condition. Ex Moon. (118)
- 1d. red-brown, a collection of plated examples on cover, cancelled with numeral or 1844 type obliterators, plates 34 to 131, written up on leaves incl. plate 34 HB neatly tied to 1844 (May 21) cover to Settle, 86 LH and KG cancelled contrary to regulations by single London inland "3", 91 KJ attractive used example neatly tied to 1850 cover by blue-black "603" numeral with "ST. COLUMB" double arc date stamp in blue alongside, 121 MF used on 1850 (Sept. 19) 1d. pink postal stationery envelope, pairs on cover incl. plate 49 CD-CE, 52 MA-MB, OG-OH, 62 PF-PG, 73 SC-SD, 101 DK-DL, 111 GC-GD, datestamp errors, blue or blue-black cancellations, Sunday deliveries, mourning covers, etc., also a few unplated covers, not all plates guaranteed, a few may not belong, mixed condition. Ex Moon. (245)
- 1d. red-brown DI with good margins all round, used on large part 1842 (Aug. 23) cover to London, tied by a good strike of the distinctive Coventry black Maltese Cross, scarce. S.G. Spec. B1te. Photo on page 64. £200-£250
- 536 O 1d. red-brown GK, fine used with small to good margins, cancelled by near complete Maltese Cross in blue shade.

 S.G. Spec B1(1)sc. Photo on page 64.

 £80-£100
- 537 ★ 1d. red-brown HL, close to good margins, unused, part original gum. Photo on page 64. £120-£150



1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued

- 538 O B 1d. red-brown NH, four margins, used with fine central strike of number "4" in Maltese Cross. S.G. B1(1)ud, cat. £80-£100
- 539 ▲ 1d. red-brown RH, four margins, used with Maltese Cross and "530" 1844 type cancellation on piece, with part of 1946 town marking alongside. Photo. £50-£60
- 1d. red-brown TI, small to good margins, used on 1849 (Oct. 10) cover from Kettle to Leslie, tied by Scottish "195" numeral of Kettle in blue-green, with matching datestamp on reverse, scarce. Photo. £200-£250
- **1d. red-brown plate 1b**, used academic collection on pages incl. BA used on 1841 (July 30) cover to Glasgow, notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., a few later plates, mixed condition. Ex Moon. (26) £600-£800
- 542 O 1d. red-brown plate 2, used academic collection on pages with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., a few are later plates, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (26) £500-£600
- 543 O 1d. red-brown plate 5, used academic collection on pages with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., with covers (3) incl. plate 5 LI neatly tied by black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Apr. 23) large part cover, examples of plate repairs, a few later plates, mixed condition. Ex Moon. (35)
- 544 ☆ 1d. red-brown plate 5 AC state 3, an unused example small part original gum with clear to very large margins virtually all around, just touched at top-left. S.G. Spec. AS38. Photo. £300-£400
- 545 O **1d. red-brown plate 5** DI, fine used with small to good margins with black Maltese Cross leaving profile clear. S.G. Spec. AS26. Photo. £70-£80

- 546 O 1d. red-brown plate 8, used academic collection on pages with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., with covers (5) incl. plate 8 GC with large to enormous margins showing portion of adjoining impression at base, a few later plates, mixed condition but many fine and attractive examples. Ex Moon. (54) £500-£600
- 547 1d. red-brown plate 8 JF, fine used with small to large margins on 1841 (Dec. 23) cover to Wandsford, cancelled by neat black Maltese Cross, has "Benenden/Penny Post" at left. Photo. £80-£100
- 548 O 1d. red-brown plate 9, used academic collection on pages with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., incl. GE-GH strip of four (faults), a few covers, fronts or pieces, mixed condition but some fine and attractive examples, a few with clear profiles. Ex Moon. (172)
- 1d. red-brown plate 9 DC (double "D") and KC, each with good even margins, fine used with black Maltese Crosses, and GG, just touched in top left corner otherwise good to large margins, used on 1841 (Oct. 21) entire letter from Bridgwater to Wellington, cancelled black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS57, c. £100-£120
- 550 O 1d. red-brown plate 10, used academic collection on pages with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., covers (2), a few later plates, mixed condition. Ex Moon. (29) £350-£400
- 551 O 1d. red-brown plate 11, used academic collection on pages with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., five covers incl. two examples BK, NB used on 1841 (Oct. 10) entire, a few later plates, mixed condition but many fine and attractive examples. Ex Moon. (151) £800-£1,000
- 552 O 1d. red-brown plate 12 used collection on pages incl. examples of first and second states, five used on cover, mixed condition but a number of good to fine four margined examples, a few other plates noted. S.G. Spec. BS1. Ex Moon. (79)
- 553 O 1d. red-brown plate 12 PF, watermark inverted, used with ample to very large margins, cancelled with an indistinct black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. B1c. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 554 O 1d. red-brown plate 13 used collection on pages incl. RI-RJ pair on 1841 (Nov. 1) cover, TC on 1841 (July 17)
 'Sunday' cover, AK on large cover with additional "2" handstruck postage due mark, mixed condition. S.G. Spec.
 BS2. Ex Moon. (30) £200-£250
- 1d. red-brown plate 13 SB, with good to large margins, tied to 1841 (Oct. 14) cover from Leeds to Bradford by black Maltese Cross, lower left corner also just tied by neat "BRADFORD YORKS" townstamp, a very fine and attractive cover. S.G. Spec. BS2. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150
- 556 ☑ 1d. red-brown plate 13 SD, small to large margins, used on 1841 (Aug. 30) cover from Winchester to London, cancelled by neat upright black Maltese Cross and boxed "Mottram/Penny Post", stamp affected by filing crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. B1wa. Photo. £150-£200
- 557 O **1d. red-brown plate 14** used collection on pages incl. AK-AL and TG-TH pairs, two examples used on covers, double letters, basal shifts etc., mixed condition. Ex Moon. (47) £250-£300
- 1d. red-brown plate 15 used collection on pages incl. PC repaired re-entry, DC cancelled by part 'Town' handstamp and black Maltese Cross, pairs comprising EG-EH, GJ-GK, SE-TE, TC-TD, six covers or fronts, mixed condition but many good to fine four margined examples. Ex Moon. (258)
- 559 O 1d. red-brown plate 16 used collection on pages incl. TB with 1844 type cancellation, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (71) £300-£400
- **1d. red-brown plate 17** used collection on pages incl. DD with upright blue-black Maltese Cross, QE-QF pair, selection of first and second states, etc. fair to fine. Ex Moon. (63) £200-£300



561 O 1d. red-brown plate 17 BG used with faint red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. BS6sb. R.P.S. certificate (1990). Photo.

1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued



- 562 O 1d. red-brown plate 18 used collection on pages incl. PE orange-brown cancelled by Norwich Maltese Cross, examples used on piece comprising EB, IK tied by Manchester 'fishtail' Maltese Cross, LI, etc. fair to fine. Ex Moon. (45)
- 563 O 1d. red-brown plate 19 used collection on pages incl. a partial reconstruction, pairs comprising AK-AL, EH-EI, distinctive and blue-black Maltese Crosses (a few on later plates), mixed condition but a good number of fine four margined examples, a few later plates noted. Ex Moon. (185)
- **564** O 1d. red-brown plates 20 to 22, a used collection in an album with pairs incl. plate 20 AA-AB on piece, a range of cancellations incl. Scottish and Irish Maltese Crosses, 1844 types, blue or blue-black Maltese Crosses, numbered Maltese Cross, a couple of examples appear unused, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (100s)
- **565 ≥** 1d. red-brown plate 22 SK very fine used with small to large margins and tied by a fine strike of the distinctive Maltese Cross of Greenock to 1843 (June 10) wrapper to Paisley, vertical filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. BS11th, cat. £500. Photo.
- 566 O 1d. red-brown plates 23 to 27, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. pairs (14), a range of cancellations incl. Scottish and Irish Maltese Crosses, 1844 types, blue or blue-black Maltese Crosses, numbered Maltese Crosses, re-entries etc., mixed condition but a good number fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s) £800-£1,000









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- **567** ▲ 1d. red-brown plate 25 SL, four good to large margins, used with complete Dorchester town cancellation on piece, fine. S.G. Spec. BS11va, cat. £1,100. Photo.
- 568 O 1d. red-brown plates 28 to 30, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 28 state 2 TG, TK, plate 30 RE-SF block of four, pairs incl. plate 28 AG-AH, KJ-KK, LE-LF, NA-NB, 29 KC-KD, FC-FD, 30 OD-OE, TG-TH, a range of cancellations incl. Scottish and Irish Maltese Crosses, 1844 types, blue or blue-black Maltese Crosses, numbered Maltese Crosses, states and re-entries etc., mixed condition but a good number fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s, 250+ are plate 30)
- 569 O 1d. red-brown plates 31 to 33, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 31 FK-FL pair, 33 KI-LI vertical pair on piece alongside 1841 2d. blue, AJ-BJ cancelled by number "8" in Maltese Cross, a range of cancellations incl. Scottish and Irish Maltese Crosses, 1844 types, blue or blue-black Maltese Crosses, double letters, etc., mixed condition but a good number fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s) £500-£600
- 570 O 1d. red-brown plates 34 to 36, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 34 state 2 SC-SD pair, a few items on piece, a range of cancellations incl. Scottish and Irish Maltese Crosses, 1844 types, numbered Maltese Crosses, etc., fair to fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s) £500-£600

- 571 ☑ 1d. red-brown plate 35 LI very fine used with small to very large margins showing parts of three adjoining stamps, tied by a clear neat light strike of the distinctive Maltese Cross of Dumfries to 1844 (Feb. 7) entire from Dumfries to Edinburgh, vertical filing creases well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. BS24tfa, unpriced. Photo. £100-£120
- 572 O 1d. red-brown plates 37 to 45, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 37 PC cancelled by number "4" in Maltese Cross, pairs (8) incl. plate 38 FH-FI, PG-PH, 43 CG-GH, GB-GC, QB-RB, a range of cancellations during the transitional Maltese Cross to 1844 obliteration period, incl. Scottish and Irish Maltese Crosses, 1844 types in blue-black, numbered Maltese Crosses, etc., mixed condition but many fine examples. Ex Moon. (many 100s)



- 573 O B 1d. red-brown plate 41 SJ-TL, very fine used block of six with small to enormous margins, displaying a portion of the adjoining impressions at left, cancelled by "207" 1844 type of Clitheroe, affected by vertical wrinkle that barely detracts from the superb appearance. S.G. Spec. BS26D. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 574 O 1d. red-brown plates 46 to 58, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. three examples of late use of the Maltese Cross comprising plate 47 CB tied to piece, 48 GF and 49 BK. Plate 51 BG unused with part original gum, 57 CH-EI vertical block of six, QI-QL strip of four, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (multiple 100s)
 £600-£800
- 575 O **1d. red-brown plate** 57 SL, fine used with large to enormous margins, lightly cancelled, showing portions of two adjoining stamps. Photo. £100-£120
- 576 O 1d. red-brown plates 59 to 75, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 59 DC-DF strip of four, 61 RA-SB block of four, 65 BG-BK strip of five, 67 AE with enormous margins and part selvedge at top, 68 TD-TJ strip of seven, FA-FD strip of four, 69 PI-PK strip of three, a few blue or blue-black cancellations, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (100s)
- 577 O 1d. red-brown plates 76 to 87, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 78 SA (2), SB, SC (2), SD, SF, SI (2), SJ, SK, all with inverted "S", 79 NK-NL marginal pair displaying part of selvedge inscription at right, LG-ML block of twelve on large piece cancelled alongside NL-OL vertical pair, 81 KI-LK block of six, 85 PB-GD attractive block of six, 86 SA-TR block of four, a few blue or blue-black postmarks, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s)
- 578 O 1d. red-brown plate 77b BA the 'B-blank' error corrected, used with close to large margins, with indistinct cancellation, repair to upper margin, a presentable example of this rare stamp. S.G. Spec. BS29b, cat. £1,900. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 579 O 1d. red-brown plates 88 to 91, a used collection in an album with partial reconstructions incl. plate 88 HE-HL strip of eight, AL-CL vertical strip of three, 91 CC-CF strip of four, re-entries, re-cut corner squares , a few blue or blue-black postmarks, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (approx. 300) £200-£300
- 580 O 1d. red-brown plates 92 to 101, a used collection in an album incl. plate 94 AG-AJ strip of four, 96 TB (re-entry), 97 PG-PI strip of three, 101 MC-ND block of four cancelled contrary to regulations, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (approx. 200)
- **1841 1d. red-brown plates 102 to 131**, a used collection in an album incl. 105 SD, SJ, 107 SJ both with inverted "S", a couple of pairs and items on piece, a few blue or blue-black postmarks, fair to fine. Ex Moon. (100s)

£300-£400

1841 Two Pence Blue

- 2d. blue used academic collection on pages, with pairs incl. plate 3 AL-BL, QF-QG, SG-SH on piece, TH-TI, plate 4 BK-BL, EH-EI, RC-RD, RK-RL, and IE-IG strip of three, mixed condition but a number of fine four margined examples, fifteen with Maltese Cross cancellations. Ex Moon. (68)
- 2d. blue, three four margin examples, one three margin example (surface fault), and a pair cut into at base and just touched at right, each used on cover with barred cancellations to the same address in Forres, each with heavy filing folds clear of adhesives, otherwise fine, also an 1828 (Dec. 13) entire also to Forres. (5) £100-£150









- 584 ★ 2d. blue plate 4 BH, a mint example displaying the 'spectacles' variety, cut into, with faults, part original gum, scarce unused. S.G. 14, Spec. ES14o, unpriced unused. Photo. £300-£400
- 585 ☆ 2d. blue plate 4 CE clearly displaying the major re-entry, unused (re-gummed or redistributed gum), with clear to very large margins, a few light reddish brown surface marks, a good example of the variety. S.G. 14, Spec. ES14b, unpriced unused. Photo. £300-£400
- **2d. blue plate 4** JJ exceptionally fine used with good to enormous margins showing parts of four adjoining stamps and with lightly cancelled bars, scissor cut at top-right clear of design. Photo. £120-£150



1852-53 Alphabet II One Penny Plates 132-177

- 587 O 1d. red-brown plate 132 to 176, a specialised plated (by vendor) used collection in two albums incl. plate 133 FD-GH irregular block of nine (less GD), 157 AD-RF block of six, 159 TI-TL strip of four, 172 (17), 173 (17), 174 (13), 175 (5), 176 (2), blue or blue-black postmarks, lavender tinted papers, re-entries, etc. selection of covers and fronts, a few other plates noted, mixed condition but may fine. Ex Moon. (many 100s) £3,000-£4,000
- 1d. red-brown plate 132 to 171, a collection of plated (by vendor) examples on cover incl. plate 160 OF-OG affixed to 1853 (Apr. 4) cover to Bewdley, 164 RE with small to large margins used on 1853 (Aug. 23) 1d. postal stationery envelope, 170 MB with good to large margins on 1854 (Feb. 17) cover to Todmorden, 171 BJ with good to large even margins on 1853 (Nov. 11) cover to Settle, HG-HH fine used pair with enormous margins on 1853 (July 25) cover form Liphook to London, Sunday post, lavender tinted paper, etc., mixed condition. Ex Moon. (33) £300-£400
- 589 O 1d. red-brown plate 142 LH, used with good to large margins three sides, cut into at right, used with black Maltese Cross, a scarce late use of the Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. BS2. Photo. £70-£90
- **1d. red-brown plate 174** SL, with clear to large margins, tied to 1854 (Feb. 6) cover to London by "75" numeral of Birmingham, slightly toned, otherwise a fine example of a scarce plate on cover. S.G. B2. Ex Moon. Photo.

£100-£150

1850 Archer perf. 16









- 591 O 1d. red-brown collection on pages comprising plate 93 RK, 94 JI, 95 GK, 96 HE, CC, LL on piece, 97 PI, QC, BL, FD, 98 QF, LD (2), LF, KB, 99 FF, 100 GL, HK, SI, QH, also four examples affixed (may not belong) to covers comprising plate 98 CJ on 1851 (Sept. 13) envelope, plate 100 KK on 1850 (Dec. 18) cover, RH on 1854 (Feb. 18) envelope, plus plate 99 JE (faults) tied to 1851 (June 4) envelope, with selection of imperforates for comparison, mainly good. Ex Moon. (25)
- 592 1d. red-brown plate 93 EC used on 1853 (Dec. 21) cover from London to Bath, slightly soiled, otherwise fine. S.G. 16b, cat. £2,000. Photo. £200-£250
- **1d. red-brown plate 93** KD, used on 1854 (Apr. 10) cover to Ludlow, lightly tied by Shrewsbury 'Spoon' cancellation, centred left, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. CE2, cat. £2,200. Ex Moon. Photo. £350-£400
- 594 ★ 1d. red-brown plate 97 HB, used on 1854 (Apr. 28) cover to Glasgow, just affected by light filing fold, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. CE2, cat. £2,100. Ex Moon. Photo. £300-£400
- 595 O 1d. red-brown plate 98 DB, IE, NC, PK, QJ, good to fine used with imperf. examples for comparison. S.G. CE2, cat. £3,125. Ex Moon. £450-£500
- 596 1d. red-brown plate 98 IH, fine used, trivial light perf. toning, with imperf 98 IH for comparison. S.G. CE2, cat. £625. Ex Moon. Photo. £150-£200
- **1d. red-brown plate 98** LK, used with cancellation clear of profile, tiny paper inclusion otherwise very fine, attractive, with imperf 98 LK for comparison. S.G. CE2, cat. £625. Ex Moon. Photo. £150-£200
- 598 ★ 1d. red-brown plate 98 SJ, used on small 1851 (Dec. 15) London internal envelope, centred upper left, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. CE2, cat. £2,600. Ex Moon. Photo. £300-£400
- 599 1d. red-brown plate 99 BA, used on 1851 (June 7) cover to Louth, tied by London Inland "31" numeral (Wandsworth), with contents from Lord Egremont detailing arrangements for a visit to Louth, adhesive centred upper left. S.G. Spec. CE2, cat. £2,600. Ex Moon. Photo.

1850 Archer perf. 16 continued

- **1d. red-brown plate 99** RI, fine used, affixed to 1854 (June 3) cover to Glasgow, cancelled by London Inland "6" obliterator. S.G. Spec. CE2, cat. £2,100. Ex Moon. Photo on page 69. £250-£300
- **601** O **1d. red-brown plate 100** GH-GI, fine lightly used pair. S.G. Spec. CE2. Ex Moon. Photo on page 69.

£300-£400

1d. red-brown plate 100 JH, a fine unused example with usual redistributed gum or regummed, small surface fault at upper right. S.G. 16b, Spec. CE2, cat. £3,500. Photo on page 69. £150-£200

1854 die I, alphabet II, SC16 One Penny

- 603 O 1d. red-brown plates 155 to R6 (less 165, 168, and 170), an extensive specialised plated (by vendor) collection of stamps and covers in five albums incl. plate 155 (29, incl three covers), 157 (13), 162 (31, incl. five covers/fronts), 163 (12, incl. two covers), 199 (3), 204 (9) incl. RK-BI pair (faults), fair to fine. S.G. Spec. C1. Ex Moon. (many 100s)
- **1d. red-brown plate 165**, a selection of six used examples comprising CD, HD, IE, MA, RD, SG, mainly good to fine. S.G. Spec. C1, cat. £4,200. Ex Moon. £300-£400













- **1d. red-brown plate 170**, a selection of six used examples comprising BE, DE, FE, HA, KC, LK, a few spots of toning, otherwise good to fine. S.G. Spec. C1, cat. £7,500. Ex Moon. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- **1d. red-brown plate 170** DH-DI, lightly used pair, discoloured on reverse, otherwise of fine appearance, scarce plate. S.G. Spec. C1, cat. £2,500. Ex Moon. Photo.
- **607** O **1d. red-brown plate 170** SE, fine used, tied to dated piece 1854 (Dec. 10), scarce plate. S.G. Spec. C1, cat. £1,250. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 608 O 1d. red-brown plate 204 GC-GD fine used pair, scarce. S.G. Spec. C1, cat. £450. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150









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1855 die I, alphabet II, SC14 One Penny

- 609 1d. red-brown plates 194 to R6 (less 195), a specialised plated (by vendor) collection of stamps and covers comprising 194 (3), 196 QG on cover, 197 (2), 198 AH on cover (hinged to cover but appears to belong), 200 QK, 201 DA, 202 (7), 203 (3), 204 (3), R1 (5), R2 JE on cover, R3 (6), R4 (3), R5 (3), R6 (5), mixed condition. Ex Moon. £1,000-£2,000
- 610

 1d. red-brown, a specialised plated (by vendor) selection of examples on cover comprising 194 HJ, 196 SF, 202 IL, LJ, RE, 203 OK, 204 OI, R1 DD, FG, IC, LF, R2 GA and FA separate singles used on same cover, R5 BE, FC, R6 OK (defective), NH, mixed condition. Ex Moon.

 £600-£800

1855 die II, alphabet II, One Penny

- 611 O 1d. red-brown plates 1 to 21, an extensive specialised plated (by vendor) collection of stamps and covers in three albums, arranged by plate with SC14 incl. plate 3 (19), 17 JB (defective), 18 (6), 19 (10), 20 (4), 21 (5), SC16 incl. plate 2 CC with watermark inverted, 3 (17), 13 (4), LC16 incl. plate 13 (2), 15 CF, good selection of covers with some early uses, mixed condition. S.G. Spec. C3-C6. Ex Moon. (many 100s)

 £3,000-£4,000
- 612 O 1d. red-brown QG-QK used strip of five, with "161" Irish cancellation in green of Crookstown, Ireland, scarce. S.G. Spec. C6. Photo.





613 O 1d. red-brown plate 3, four used examples comprising BL, ME, OF, SJ, fair to fine, scarce. S.G. Spec. C6, cat. £6,800. Ex Moon. Photo. £400-£500

1856-63 die II, alphabet III LC14 One Penny

614 O Late Line Engraved: 1855-63 die II, alphabet III LC14 1d. red, an extensive duplicated collection of unplated examples in 26 stockbooks, arranged by lettering, mixed condition. S.G. Spec. C8-C10. Ex Moon. (1,000s)

£300-£400

- 615 O P 1d. red-brown extensive used academic collection of stamps and covers in two albums, plates 22 to 27 incl. blued, transitional and white papers, also SC14 plate 23 RH, PK, a few pairs and strips, 35 covers incl. spoon cancellations, 'Madeline Smith', Scots Locals, etc., mixed condition but many fine and interesting items. S.G. Spec. C8-C10. Ex Moon.
- 616 O 1d. red plates 27 to R17 (less 53), an extensive specialised plated (by vendor) collection of stamps and covers in 136 "Popular" albums, contained in twelve cartons, with collectors notations and information throughout, incl. plate 33 on white paper, 45 on white incl. perf. 16 (2), 49 incl. perf. 16 (2), a few inverted watermarks etc., great selection of covers, mainly written up on pages, with Irish and Scottish cancellations, Sunday deliveries, etc., an incredible duplicated assemblage, a life's work. S.G. Spec. C8-11. E Moon. (many 1,000s) £3,500-£4,000

1856 die II, alphabet III, LC14 on blued paper One Penny





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- 617 ★ 🗵 1d. red-brown EJ-FL right marginal block of six, mint with part original gum, faults. S.G. 29, Spec. C8. Photo. £250-£300
- 618 P 1d. red-brown plate 27 AK imprimatur, an upper marginal example with clear to good margins, fingerprint in selvedge, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. C8, cat. £1,300. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150

1857 die II, alphabet III, LC14 Transitional issues on yellowish to cream-toned paper



619 O 1d. rose-red plate 53 EL, a good used example of this rare plate, a trifle toned and with vertical bend at right. S.G. Spec. C9, cat. £4,500. Ex Moon. Photo. £600-£800

1857 - 63 die II, alphabet III, LC14 on white paper One Penny

620 ★ 1d. rose-red on white paper, a mint or unused collection incl. plate 27 FG-HI block of nine, AH-EI block of 25, 41 SA-TD block of eight, 44 KG-SI block of 54, 49 FG-JI block of fifteen, 59 SG-TI block of six, 63 DA-FE block of fifteen with an adjoining irregular block of fourteen GA-IE (less IA) which appears to be from the same sheet, mainly good to fine. S.G. Spec. C10. Ex Moon. (171) £600-£800







- 621 ☆ 1d. pale red plate 48 GI variety imperforate, unused, with ample to good margins, a trifle discoloured, otherwise of good appearance with traces of gum. S.G. 38a, Spec. C10l, cat. £4,800. Photo. £300-£400
- 622 O 1d. rose-red plate 65, selection of four used examples comprising FL, HE, HI, QK, fair to good. S.G. Spec. C10. Ex Moon. (4)





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- 623 O 1d. rose-red plate 65 LK, fine used with neat cancellation, a couple of light bends but of superb appearance and strong colour. S.G. Spec. C10, cat. £850. Ex Moon. Photo.
- 624 ▲ 1d. rose-red plate 65 MD, used, tied to piece by Cheltenham "177" duplex, centered left, otherwise fine and scarce. S.G. Spec. C10, cat. £850. Ex Moon. Photo. £100-£150

1861 die II, alphabet IV, LC14 One Penny

1d. plates 50 and 51 used selection written up on leaves with plate 50 (10, one on cover) and plate 51 (7), also with 1862 die II, alphabet II, LC14 1d. plates R15 and R16 used range (20) incl. plate R15 RD re-entry, etc., mainly fine selected examples. S.G. Spec. C12, C13. (37)

1862 die II, alphabet II, LC14 One Penny

626 O 1d. reserve plates 15 and 16, a specialised plated (by vendor) used collection in six albums, arranged by lettering incl. R15 IC-JD block of four, PK-QL block of four, a few covers etc., mixed condition. Ex Moon. (100s)

£150-£200

1854-58 Two Penny

- 627 ☆ 1854 SC16 2d. deep blue plate 4 IB, fine and fresh unused (regummed), small central paper inclusion, good colour and well centred. S.G. 19, Spec. F1(1), cat. £4,700. Photo. £350-£400
- **1855 LC16** 2d blue plate 5 MB-MC pair, used with Newport duplexes on 1856 (May 10) cover to Nantes, various transits incl. Calais, vertical filing crease slightly affecting stamps, otherwise fine. Photo. **£150-£200**

Plate Number Issues - 1864 - 79 One Penny

- 1d. a selection of mint multiples, plate 150 block of twelve (4 x 3), plate 155 upper right corner block of six (3 x 2), plate 168 block of eight, plate 201 right marginal block of fifteen (3 x 5) and lower left corner block of twelve (6 x 2, rejoined down one vertical row of perfs.), mixed condition. (53)

 £350-£400
- 630 ★ 1d. plates 71 to 224 complete (less 77), mainly mint with part original gum, some regummed, mixed condition.
 (150) £1,000-£1,200
- 631 O 1d. plates 71 to 224 complete (less 77, 139), used collection in two albums with duplicate examples of most plates, mixed condition. Ex Moon. £100-£200
- 632 O 1d. plates 71 to 224 complete (less 77), used, mixed condition. (150)

£100-£120

- 1d. rose-red, a used collection on leaves with plates 71 to 224 complete (less 74, 77, 81, 84, 112, 141 and 171), varied condition but mainly fine with neat cancellations, a few with c.d.s's. (144)
- 634 O 1d. plates 71 to 225 (less 77, 81, 103, 116, 139, 140, 164, 184, 190, 196, 205, 209), mainly good to fine all used with c.d.s's, scarce with such cancellations. (140)
- **635** O 1d. plates 71 to 225 (less 77), mainly good to fine used. (151)

£200-£250

636 ★ ■ 1d. rose-red plate 195 OG-TL mint block from base of sheet, most are unmounted, fresh appearance. Photo.

1858 - 76 Two Pence

637 ★ 2d. deep blue plate 14 TA-TB lower left marginal pair with plate number, centered high due to dramatic perf. shift error, large part original gum, a few minor bends, otherwise fine and attractive, S.G. 47, Spec. G3. Photo. £700-£800

1870 Halfpenny

638 O ½d., a used selection comprising example with watermark reversed, and plates 1 (3), 3 (4), 4 (5), 5 (4), 6 (4), 8 (3), 10 (17), 11 (12), 12 (22), 13 (13),14 (7),15 (9), 19 (3), 20 (6), mixed condition. (113)



1870 Halfpenny continued

- 639 O %d. rose-red plates 1 to 20 used set with additional plate 15 BV-BX strip showing complete watermark, fair to fine.
- 640 ☆ ¼d. rose plate 1 GS variety imperforate, fine unused, with watermark inverted and reversed, with close to large margins. S.G. 49a, Wk, Spec. G4(2)eh, cat. £4,500. Photo. £250-£300
- x641 ★ ½d. rose-red plate 1 MQ very fine used on first day of issue on British Asylum for Deaf & Dumb Females printed voting form, fresh and very scarce. B.P.A. certificate (2012) notes "adhesive removed for examination and replaced". S.G. 48. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



- 642 ★ ½d. rose-red plate 9 EK-FL, very fine mint block of four, with good perforations and colour, centred high to the right and a couple split perforations at right nevertheless a magnificent multiple of this rare plate, with large part original gum. R.P.S. certificate (1959). S.G. 48, cat. £24,000. Photo. £7,500-£8,000
- **643** ▲ **1/2d. rose-red plate 9** FV used on piece with complete "HULL/DE 8/71/38" duplex, fine. S.G. 48. Photo.

£180-£200

- 644 ■ ¼d. rose-red plate 9 PM-TM vertical strip of five used with Croydon 938 numerals, fine. S.G. 48, cat. £4,250+.

 Photo. £800-£1,000
- x645 B S ½d. rose plate 10 PN-SW handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9 in a very scarce block of 40, some slight perf. separation and reinforcement as one would expect, with original naturally wrinkled gum. B.P.A. certificate (2012). S.G. Spec. G4(2)u, cat. £9,000+. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

1870 Three Halfpence





646 O 1½d. rose-red plate 1 OP-PC error of lettering, used, centred to upper left, small crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 53, cat. £2,000. Photo.

1860 Unissued Three Halfpence

647 S 1½d. rosy-mauve plate 1HI overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2, without gum, blunted perfs at top, otherwise fine. S.G. 53a, s, Spec. G5s, cat. £2,250. Photo.

1847 - 54 Embossed

1s. green (2) used, 10d. (2) used, 6d. unused and used (3), poor to good.

£400-£500

- 649 O 1s. green (2, also one cut to shape on 1855 cover to Sydney), 10d. brown, 6d. (2) used, fair to fine. £250-£300
- 650

 1s. green, used with three good to large margins on 1855 (Aug. 9) cover to New York, cancelled by Reading spoon, with "SENT-BACK-TO-ENGLAND/WITHOUT-A-REASON/FOR-NON-DELIVERY" cachet in red and "ADVERTISED" and "PAID" handstamps alongside, fine. Photo.

 £150-£180

1847 - 54 Embossed continued

- 651 S. green, fine used on 1852 cover to New York, tied by "171" numeral of Hassington and large red circular "PACKET/24/BOSTON" and "PAID", "5½". Photo on page 74.
- **652** ▲ 10d. brown, fine used on piece, tied by "1" in bars. S.G. 57. Photo.

£150-£200

- 653

 6d. mauve, fine used on 1855 (Apr. 24) registered cover from York to Macclesfield, additionally franked 1854-56 2d., attractive. Photo on page 74.

 £400-£450
- 654 O 6d. mauve, a fine used example with margins all round, slightly oily cancellation. S.G. 58. Photo. £150-£180
- 655 ▲ 6d. pair, used with 1854-57 1d. and 2d. pair, on part (1855) cover addressed to Norway, all tied by boxed "SANDPORT/STREET" Scots local cancellation, attractive. Photo on page 74. £600-£700
- 656 O 6d. dull lilac, fine used with good margins all round, neatly cancelled. S.G. 59. Photo.
- 657 O 6d. violet, used with "387" barred cancellation, just touched at left, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certficate (1991). S.G. 61, cat. £4,000. Photo.

1855 - 57

- 4d. watermark small garter, 4d. watermark medium garter (2), 4d. watermark large garter, 6d. (2) and 1s., used, very mixed condition. (7)
- 4d. carmine watermark small garter on blued paper pair used on small 1856 (Apr.) envelope from London to Dusseldorf, the adhesives additionally tied by red transit c.d.s., some imperfections. S.G. 62. Photo on page 74.
- 660 4d. rose-carmine watermark large garter strip of four, used with barred cancellations, fine. S.G. 66, cat. £600+.

 Photo.

1862 - 64

661 O 3d., 4d. plate 3 (2) and plate 4 (2), 6d. plate 3 (2) and plate 4, 9d. plate 2, and 1s. plate 2, used, very mixed condition. (10)



- 662 O 6d. lilac plate 3 TF watermark error three roses and a thistle, a most attractive well centred, lightly cancelled example of this rare stamp, small imperfections, otherwise fine. P.T.S. certificate (2014) rather harshly notes "rust stains and corner crease". S.G. 84d, cat. £8,000. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 663 ★ 6d. lilac plate 4 DB watermark emblems, with watermark inverted, mint with large part original gum, a few spots of toning and horizontal crease at top, but still a good example of this scarce stamp. S.G. 85wi, Spec. J72d, cat. £8,250. Photo. £600-£800







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664 O 6d. lilac plate 4 TF watermark error three roses and a thistle, a neatly cancelled example of this very rare stamp, small imperfections, otherwise fine. P.T.S. certificate (2014). S.G. 85d, unpriced. Photo.



- 9d. bistre plate 2 AK watermark emblems, deep shade with trace of plate number at top, mint, centred low, fine. S.G. 86, cat. £5,800. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 1s. green plate 2 EA watermark emblems, on thick paper, unused (regummed), a few light bends, of fine appearance and scarce. S.G. 90d, Spec. J101(2)g, unpriced unused. Photo. £300-£400

1865 - 67

- **667** O 3d., 4d. plates 7 to 14, 6d. plates 5 (2) and 6, 9d. (major repairs) and 1s. used, very mixed condition. (14) £150-£200
- 668 P 4d. deep vermilion plate 8 BF watermark large garter, imprimatur, touched along right edge otherwise good to large margins, slight tone spot at upper left, otherwise of fine appearance with deep colour. S.G. 94, Spec. J55, cat. £2,500. Photo. £300-£400









- **669** P 4d. vermilion plate 10 BF watermark large garter, imprimatur, with good margins, a few small surface marks, otherwise fine. S.G. 94, Spec. J57, cat. £2,500. Photo. £400-£500
- **670** P 4d. vermilion plate 12 BG watermark large garter, imprimatur, fine with good even margins, unusual small natural paper flaw on neck. S.G. Spec. J59, cat. £2,500. Photo. £500-£600
- 4d. vermilion plate 14 AD watermark large garter, imprimatur, with good even margins, very light bends and small thin, otherwise fine and attractive example with strong deep colour, without gum. S.G. Spec. J61, cat. £2,500. Photo.







672 \(\phi \) 6d. lilac plate 6 TL watermark emblems, with watermark inverted, mint with large part original gum, with part sheet margin at base, small imperfections but very scarce. S.G. 97wi, Spec. J74(2)d, cat. £6,000. Photo.

£600-£800

9d. straw plate 4 BG watermark emblems, imprimatur, just touched at upper left, otherwise good margins, fine without gum. S.G. Spec. cat. £4,000. Photo.

1867 - 80 Watermark Spray of Rose

674 O A selection, incl. 3d. plates 4 to 10, 6d. plate 6 (2), plate 8 (2) and plate 9 (2), 10d. (2), 2s. blue, 2s. brown, also 1872-73 6d. (5), etc., very mixed condition. (30)

1867 - 80 Watermark Spray of Rose continued



- 675 ★ 10d. deep red-brown plate 1 SL imperforate, colour slightly faded, otherwise fine mint with part original gum, with clear to large margins. A very rare stamp, the shade and watermark position differ to that of the imprimatur. R.P.S. certificate (2015). S.G. 114a, Spec. J97(3)d, cat. £17,000. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- **676** P 1s. green plate 7 AJ imprimatur, with ample to large margins, a few faint spots of toning, otherwise fine with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. J105, cat. £3,500. Photo. £500-£600





677 P 2s. dull blue plate 1 SL imprimatur from the first sheet, fine with clear to good margins with part selvedge at right. S.G. Spec. J118(1), cat. £4,750. Photo. £600-£700

1867 - 83 High Values



678 P 5s. Die proof. Very fine example printed in mauve on white matt card (92 x 60mm), produced by DLR for the 1870 International Exhibition. Very rare only one or two examples exist in each colour in private hands. S.G. 126 var. Photo. £7,500-£8,000

1867 - 78 Watermark Maltese Cross

- 5s. rose plate 1 HJ plate 2 HD, 10s. CF and £1 GH, also Watermark Anchor on white paper 5s. plate 4 GH, 10s. EF, used, fair to good. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 680 O 5s. plate 1 CI, 2 CA, used, also used selection of 1883-84 watermark Anchor comprising 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (2) and 10s. used (some with parcel cancellations), very mixed condition. (7) £120-£150









- 681 ★ 5s. rose plate 1 CE, large part original gum, fine. Diena certificate (2001). S.G. 126, cat. £11,000. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- 682 S 5s. pale rose plate 2 EI overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, centred to the lower left, fine with full gum. S.G. 127, cat. £1,750. Photo.
- †683 O 10s. greenish-grey GI, used with indistinct cancellation, fine. S.G. 128, cat. £3,200. Photo. £300-£350

1882 - 83 Watermark Large Anchor White Paper

- 5s. rose plate 4 EF used with two "THROGMORTON AVENUE/AUG 23/83" c.d.s's, part barred oval, slightly soiled, otherwise fine. S.G. 134, cat. £4,200. Photo.
- 685 S £5 orange AC overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, with large part original gum, minor faults. S.G. 137s, Spec. J128t, cat. from £4,500. Photo. £600-£700







686 S £5 orange BF, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, fine and fresh example with large part original gum, horizontal gum wrinkle and tiny yellowish mark on one perf. at left, does not detract from fine appearance. S.G. 137s, Spec. J128t, cat. £4,500. Photo. £700-£800





- 687 O £5 orange CA fine used with neat double circle "MANCHESTER/ACCOUNTS/5/FEBY/1894" c.d.s., fine. S.G. 137, cat. £4,750. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 688 O £5 orange DK, used with oily Glawgow c.d.s., fine. S.G. 137, cat. £4,750. Photo. £600-£700

1873 - 80

689 O A used selection, incl. 2½d. rosy mauve plates 1 to 16, 2½d. blue plates 17 to 20, 3d. rose plates 11 to 20 (less 13), 4d. sage-green plates 15 and 16 (2), 4d. grey brown plate 17, 4d. vermilion plate 15, 6d. grey plates 13 to 17, 8d. orange plate 1 (2), 1s. green plates 8 to 13, 1s. orange-brown, etc., very mixed condition. (54) £350-£400

1873 - 80 continued









- 690 ★ 6d. grey plate 17 RJ watermark spray, with watermark inverted, fine and very fresh mint with part original gum, light wrinkle, exceptional appearance with deep colour. S.G. Spec. J87, cat. £2,500. Photo. £400-£500
- 691 ★ 1s. orange-brown plate 13 KK watermark spray, with watermark inverted mint, a few tiny black specks on front and small surface imperfection at right not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine with fresh gum, well centred, very rare. S.G. 151Wi, cat. £11,000, Spec. J115c. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- 692 O 4d. sage-green watermark large garter used (12) and 8d. orange used (22), varied condition. £250-£280
- 4d. sage-green plate 15 JA watermark large garter, with watermark inverted, fresh mint marginal example, a little creased but of very fine appearance, with large part original gum, manuscript "april 1877" in selvedge. S.G. 153 Wi, Spec. J64c, cat. £3,000. Photo. £300-£400

1880 - 83

- 694 O A used selection, incl. 1880-83 3d. plates 20 (2) and 21, 3d. on 3d., 6d. on 6d. (3), 1s. plates 13 (2) and 14, 1880-81 2d. (2), 5d., etc., very mixed condition. (32)
- 695 O 2½d. blue plate 22 AA-TL watermark crown, used reconstruction, mainly good to fine, a few with c.d.s. (240). S.G. 157, cat. £10,800. £400-£500

1880 - 81 'Provisional' Issue

1d. Venetian red AI imprimatur, fine with gum. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £275. Photo.

£70-£80

1881 die II 16 dots One Penny





- **697** P 1d. lilac die II, die proof, very fine example in black on white glazed card mounted on a piece from the De La Rue striking book, Endorsed in manuscript "Aug- 26/7 leads". A spectacular and unique piece. Ex De La Rue Archives. S.G. 172 var. Photo.
- **698** P 1d. lilac die II imprimaturs (14), with multiple plate numbers in pencil on gum, mainly good to fine. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £3,500. (14) £500-£600





- 699 ♣ 1d. bluish lilac, an unmounted mint block of four, light crease down left edge, otherwise fine. Hendon certificate (2015) for a block of 48. S.G. 172a, cat. £1,900+. Photo. £250-£300
- 700 ♣ 1d. bluish lilac, a strip of three from the right of the sheet, fine. Photocopy of Hendon certificate (2015) for a block of 48. S.G. 172a, cat. £1,425+. Photo. £200-£250
- 701 1d. lilac with "PEARS'/SOAP." advertisement in blue outline letters on reverse, fine and very fresh unmounted mint. S.G. 173, cat. £550. R.P.S. certificate (1979). Photo. £180-£200

1883 - 84 Watermark Anchor on Blued Paper





702 O 2s.6d. lilac HE used with London circular "LS/5", corner crease otherwise fine. B.P.A. certificate (2006). S.G. 175, cat. £1,500. Photo. £250-£300

703 S 2s.6d. lilac HH, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, some staining in top margin otherwise fine with gum. S.G. 175s, cat. £625. Photo. £70-£80

1883 - 84 Watermark Anchor on White Paper









A selection on leaves, incl. mint with 2s.6d. HD, 5s. crimson IF (gum redistributed with B.P.A. certificate 1981), 10s. KD overprinted "SPECIMEN" (no gum), 10s. ultramarine CH small part original gum (B.P.A. certificate 1981), etc., mixed condition. (28)

x705 ★ 2s.6d. BA fresh mint (possibly unmounted) and 10s. LD mint with some gum redistribution, light diagonal crease and slight surface imperfections. S.G. 178, 183. Photo. £400-£500

706 ★ 2s.6d. IH mint with part original gum and 5s. LE mint, both with creasing and minor gum toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 178, 180, cat. £1,700. Photo. £250-£300

707 ★ 2s.6d. JC and 5s. FH mint, the first with a heavy hinge, otherwise fine. S.G. 178, 180, cat. £1,700. Photo.

1884 Watermark Crowns



- 708 S £1 brown-lilac MA, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 with part original gum, the gum toned and with imperfections, otherwise fine. S.G. 185s, Spec. K15t, cat. £2,800. Photo. £300-£350
- 709 O £1 brown-lilac OB good used with registered datestamps, diagonal crease and slightly grubby. S.G. 185, cat. £3,000. Photo.
- 710 O £1 brown-lilac QC used with Wool Exchange c.d.s and "C.H.B./G.P.O." boxed cancellations, fine, S.G.185, cat. £3,000. Photo. £300-£350

1888 Watermark Orbs Error

711 O £1 brown-lilac EB, used with London c.d.s. and boxed cancellation, fine. S.G. 186, cat. £4,500. Photo.£450-£500

1883 - 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue



- 712 1½d. HI purple on buff colour trial, perf. 14 on unwatermarked paper, fine with gum. Photo. £250-£300
- 713 P 3d. perf. 14 colour trials (3) in purple on gummed unwatermarked paper comprising AJ and JL in slightly different green shades, and IG on blue paper, IG with small thinning, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. KD, cat. £1,650. Photo. £200-£300

1887 - 92 'Jubilee' Issue

- A collection on leaves, incl. ½d. to 1s. (both) mint also 5d. die I mint, 1s. green and carmine used block of four, £1 green JD and OC, range of shades with 2d. green and scarlet mint, duplication, etc., varied condition. (100s) £1,000-£1,200
- x715 ★ A mint selection with basic set to both 1s., additional 1½d. block of four and corner single (both unmounted), 2d. pair, 2½d., 4d. and 1s. green and carmine, plus a selection of ½d. vermilion controls (9), varied condition, mainly fine. (29 items) £200-£220
- 716 ★ ½d. to 1s. (both) set, with a few additional shades, incl. die I 5d., mint, mainly fine. S.G. 197-211, 213-214. £400-£500
- 717 O ½d. to 1s. (both) used set incl. 5d. die I, some shades incl. 2d. green and scarlet, 3d. purple on orange (R.P.S. certificate, 2002), light creasing at lower left, 4½d. green and deep bright carmine, etc., varied condition, many fine with c.d.s. cancellations. (23)











- 718 ❖ ½d. vermilion with "PEARS'/SOAP" advertisement in orange outline letters on reverse, light gum wrinkle otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. K27m, cat. £625+. Photo. £150-£200
- 719 ★ 1½d. dull purple and pale green with watermark inverted, mint with large part original gum, short perf. at top, otherwise fine. S.G. 198wi, Spec. K29b, cat. £1,200. Photo. £150-£200
- 720 P 2d. colour trial in purple and scarlet, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh unmounted. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo. £500-£600
- 721 P 2d. colour trial in purple and orange, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. R.P.S. certificate (1975). S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo.
- 722 P 2d. colour trial in purple and deep blue, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo. £350-£400
- 723 P 2d. colour trial in purple and bright green, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo. £350-£400











- 724 P 2d. colour trial in purple and bright purple, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo. £350-£400
- 725 P 2d. colour trial in purple and brown, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo. £350-£400
- 726 P 2d. colour trial in purple and violet, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Photo. £350-£400
- 727 ★ 3d. purple on orange, dry print variety, fine mint. S.G. 204, cat. £800. Photo.

£250-£300

- 728 ■ 4d. green and purple brown in an unmounted mint block (3 x 8, covering panes D, F and H) with two interval gutters, one shows white "4" in one corner, and one with major frame break, some light creasing, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K33, f, g. Photo on page 86. £600-£700
- 729 ★ 5d. dull purple and blue die I, mint, tiny tone spot, otherwise fine. S.G. 207, cat. £800. Photo on page 84. £150-£200



730 P 5d. dull purple & ultramarine die II, very fine right hand marginal imperforate imprimatur, with original gum. Close at left and light diagonal crease nevertheless extremely rare. Only six examples have been removed from the imprimatur sheet of which just four are in private hands. S.G. Spec. cat. £10,000. Photo.

1887 - 92 'Jubilee' Issue continued







731 O 5d. dull purple and blue die II, used, with variety watermark inverted, minor crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 207a, wi, £350-£300 cat. £1,250. Photo.

732 C 9d. dull purple and blue, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 14, with small part lightly toned redistributed original gum, small light creases in upper right corner, perfs. a clipped a little close at upper right, otherwise of fine appearance. S.G. 209, Spec. K38t, cat. £1,400. Photo. £150-£200



733 P 10d. Colour Trial (Wmk. Inverted, Line Perf 14). Very fine top marginal perforated colour trial on blue, gummed, Crown watermarked paper. Head plate printed in purple and duty plate in blue-green. Light diagonal crease at lower right nevertheless an attractive example of this very scarce colour trial. S.G. Spec. K39, cat. £7,000. Ex Maximus. Photo. £1,800-£2,000

Officials

734 A collection on leaves, incl. Inland Revenue with 1890 5s. rose JE (heavy crease) used, 1899 1s. dull green overprinted "SPECIMEN", Army Official 1896-1901 21/2d. mint strip of four and pair, used block of four, Government Parcels 1883-86 9d. and 1887-90 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., varied condition. (143)

£600-£700

735 A mainly used Q.V. to K.E.VII selection on leaves, incl. Army, Board of Education, Government Parcels, Inland Revenue, Office of Works, etc., not all guaranteed, mixed condition. (33) £100-£120







Inland Revenue: 1892 £1 green MD used with neat "DUNDEE/OC 11/94" circular datestamp, a few surface stains 736 O at lower left, minor perf. bends, otherwise fine. The overprint has been verified. S.G. O16, cat. £2,500. Photo.

£300-£400

737 ★ Army: 1896-1901 1d. lilac showing variety "OFFICIAI", fine mint with large part original gum. S.G. O43a, cat. £240. Photo. £80-£100









- 738 O Army: 1903 6d. pale dull purple with type O6 overprint, used with heavy Bath obliterations, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2016). S.G. O52, cat. £1,600. Photo. £300-£400
- Govt. Parcels: 1891-1900 1s. green and carmine, mint with large part original gum, tiny gum thin on an upper 739 ★ perf., otherwise fine. S.G. O72, cat. £650. Photo. £200-£250
- **740** ★ Admiralty: 1903 2d. yellowish green and carmine-red, a mint example with virtually full original gum, toned perf. at upper left, otherwise fine. S.G. O104, cat. £350. Photo. £100-£150
- **741** ★ Admiralty: 1903-04 11/2d. dull purple and green, a fine and fresh mint example with large part original gum. The overprint has been verified. S.G. O109, cat. £1,200. Photo. £350-£400
- **742** ★ - 2d. yellowish green and carmine-red, a fresh mint example with large part original gum, a few spots of toning on gum barely detract from appearance, otherwise fine. The overprint has been verified. S.G. O110, cat. £2,700. Photo. £400-£500

King Edward VII

- 743 A collection in a Lighthouse album, incl. 1902-10 De La Rue to £1 used, 5s. overprinted "SPECIMEN" and mint example, 1911 Somerset House to £1 used, many used shades, also some K.G.V, etc. (many 100s)£1,000-£1,200
- 744 A collection incl. 1911-13 Somerset House to 9d. (5), 10d. (3), 1s. (3)., 2s.6d. (3) and 5s. mint, range of shades, also a selection of 1911 Harrison incl. perf. 14 1d. aniline rose, 4d., etc., slightly mixed condition. (51)

£700-£800

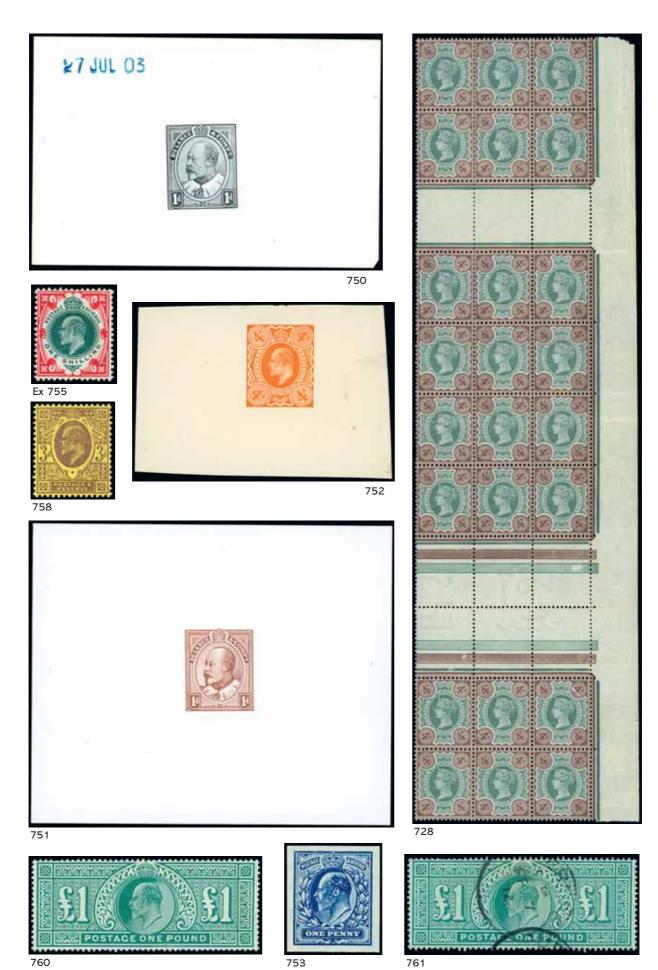
- x745 A mint selection with ½d. to 1s. basic set (10d. creased), a few additional shades, 2s.6d. and 5s. unmounted (5s. small corner crease), 10s. (diagonal crease), 1911 Harrison perf. 15 x 14 ½d. to 4d., etc., varied condition, mainly fresh. (27)
- 746 A mint accumulation on stock pages, incl. values to 9d. (7), 10d. (3), 1s. (7), 2s.6d. (2) and 5s., also a small selection of G.B. overprinted with British Levant 1885-88 12pi. on 12s.6d. and Morocco Agencies 1902-12 3p. on 2s.6d. to 12p. on 10s., etc., slightly mixed condition. (123)
- 747 A used accumulation on stock pages, incl. values to 2s.6d. (8), 5s. (4), 10s. (2) and £1 (2, one with tiny tear and crease and the other with parcel cancellation), also a few Officials, range of cancellations with some fine strikes, mixed condition. (100s) £400-£500
- 748 A mint and used selection with values to 2s.6d., slightly mixed condition. Stated to cat. £2,000+. (131)

£400-£450

King Edward VII Colour Trials & Essays



749 P 1902 6d. Colour trial. Very fine example printed in grey-black on chalky paper selvedge of the ½d. green Colonial issue showing green marginal rule at foot, imperforate on three sides and perforated at base. A lovely example of this very rare Edward VII trial. Photo. £1,800-£2,000



King Edward VII Colour Trials & Essays continued

- 750 P 1903 1d. "Canada Head" Essay Die Proof (Die 2, Large head). Very fine die proof printed in black on white glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "27 JUL 03". Very scarce. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- 751 P 1903 1d. "Canada head" Essay Colour Trial (Die 2, large head). Superb unused example printed in ochrebrown on very thin high quality wove, ungummed, unwatermarked paper (100 x 83mm). Scarce. Photo. £1,400-£1,500
- 752 P 1911 4d. colour trial, very fine imperforate example printed in orange on ungummed unwatermarked paper (67 x 45mm), produced at Somerset House in 1911 for comparative purposes with the new Georgian colours. Spectacular colour. See Specialised Vol. 2, p. 86. Photo. £2,500-£3,000
- 753 E 1913(c.) 1d. sample printed in blue by Bruckmann of Munich, imperf. on gummed zig-zag watermarked paper similar to that used for Bavarian issues, the image is slightly larger than the issued stamps, presumed to be for the intention of tendering for a G.B. stamp contract, fine with gum. Copy of Brandon certificate (2007) for a full sheet of 25.

1902 - 10 De La Rue

- 754 ★ A collection to 9d. (4), 10d. (3), 1s. (3), 2s.6d. (3) and 5s. (2) mint, incl. range of shades, slightly mixed condition. (55) £1,000-£1,200
- 755 ★ ½d. to 1s. mint set, mixed condition. (15) Photo.

£120-£150



756 ★ 1d. bright scarlet, mint left hand marginal imperforate horizontal pair, with original gum. Diagonal crease affecting the left hand stamp, otherwise very fine, very rare one of only a handful of examples known in private hands. R.P.S. certificate (1964). Spec. M5(2)c, cat. £30,000. Ex Silkin. Photo. £7,000-£8,000









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- 757 P 1½d. die proofs (1902). Very fine pair of head and duty plate die proofs printed in black on white glazed card and cut to stamp size. Scarce. Photo. £500-£600
- 758 M 3d. pale purple on lemon on chalk surfaced paper, plate 5 R. [20/2] displaying broken scroll variety, fresh unmounted mint, slight surface rub at top, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. M20(4)b, unpriced unmounted. Photo.

£100-£150

- 759 P 4d. die proofs (1902). Very fine pair of head and duty plate die proofs printed in black on white glazed card and cut to stamp size. Scarce. Photo.
- 760 ★ £1 dull blue-green mint, some creasing and small gum disturbance, otherwise fine. S.G. 266, cat. £2,000. Photo. £300-£400
- 761 O £1 dull blue-green, fine used with indistinct c.d.s's. S.G. 266, cat. £825. Photo.

£120-£150

1910 Unissued 2d. Tyrian Plum



762 P 2d "Tyrian Plum" colour trial. Very fine unused perforated example printed in black on gummed Crown watermarked paper. An exceptional colour trial of this famous stamp that was withdrawn before issue due to the death of King Edward VII. Very rare, no more than two or three examples of each colour are recorded in private hands. Ex Aurelius. Photo.
£13,500-£14,000

1911 Harrison perf. 14

- 763 ★ ½d. pale dull green with a pre-printing paper fold spitting the King's head in half, fine mint. S.G. 269 var. Photo.
- 764 1d. deep carmine-red, fine unmounted mint. Copy of Hendon certificate (2013). S.G. Spec. M6(6) var. Photo. £250-£300
- 765 ♣ ⊞ 1d. very deep rose-red in an unmounted mint block of four, lower pair with light gum bend otherwise fine and fresh, scarce shade with fine colour, listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2010), retail price £700 as singles. Hendon certificate (2016). S.G. Spec. M6 var. Photo. £180-£200







1911 - 13 Somerset House

- 766 ♣ 1½d. deep plum and deep green showing a very worn duty plate, a couple of small gum wrinkles and light tone spot on gum otherwise fine unmounted mint. Hendon certificate (2016) noting the variety. S.G. Spec. M10(6) var, cat. £350+. Photo. £100-£120
- 767 ♣ ⊞ 1s. deep green and scarlet variety watermark inverted in an unmounted mint block of four, folded through vertical perfs. and some small stain spots limited to the top margin, attractive block. Clear B.P.A. certificate (2007). S.G. 313Wi, cat. £960. Photo. £250-£300









768 O £1 deep green fine used with "OXFORD. ST. B.O./OC 2/12" c.d.s. S.G. 320, cat. £750. Photo.

£120-£150

769 O £1 deep green used with Guernsey c.d.s., fine. S.G. 320, cat. £750. Photo.

£120-£150

King Edward VII: Booklets and Booklet Panes

- 770 1904 2s.0½d. booklet, all panes with inverted watermark, good perfs., slightly rusted staples and minor cover faults, otherwise fine. S.G. BA1, cat. £500. Photo. £150-£200
- 771 **③** B 1904 2s.0½d. booklet, all panes with inverted watermark, good perfs., slightly rusted staples, minor cover faults and some toning, otherwise fine. S.G. BA1, cat. £500. Photo. £100-£120







772 • 1909 (Aug.) 2s.0d. booklet, edition 6 (3rd. interleaf advert Brimsdown Lamps), all panes with inverted wmks, mainly good perfs., front and back covers creased, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. BA5, cat. £2,700. Photo.

£600-£700

King George V

- A collection in a Lighthouse album, incl. 1912-24 watermark Royal Cypher ½d. overprinted "CANCELLED" type 28, 1d. imperforate pair overprinted "SPECIMEN", 2½d. imperforate overprinted "CANCELLED", Seahorses with 1913 Waterlow £1 green and £1 dull blue-green used, 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. mint corner example, 1924-26 watermark Block Cypher 2d. watermark sideways mint, 3d., 4d., 5d., 6d. and 9d. with inverted watermarks mint, 1929 P.U.C. 1d. with variety "1829" for "1929" used, a range of shades, etc. (100s) £1,400-£1,600
- A mint collection on leaves, incl. Downey Heads largely complete for basic dies and watermarks, shades incl. die 1A ½d. bluish green (photocopy of R.P.S. certificate for a block of eight) and die 1B watermark Crown 1d. aniline scarlet (R.P.S. certificate), 1912-24 shades to 1s., 1913 Multi. Royal Cypher ½d. and 1d., 1924-26 to 1s., ½d. and 1d. imperf. and overprinted type 30 "SPECIMEN", 1929 PUC ½d., 1d. and 1½d. with watermark sideways and with watermark inverted, 1934-36 2d. with watermark sideways, 1934 re-engraved set (faults), etc., slightly mixed condition. (203)
- A collection of mint control singles and blocks in a stockbook and on stock pages, incl. range of Downey Heads, 1912-24 ½d. (72), 1d. (125), 1½d. (68), 2d. (92), 2½d. (49), 3d. (94) with H16 perf type 2A, 4d. (12), 5d. (17), 6d. (28), 7d. (8), 8d. (7), 9d. (22), 10d. (6) with S22 perf. type 2A, 1s. (10) singles, 1924-26 1½d. (43, some in corner strips of three), 2d. (57), 2½d. (15), 3d. (4), 4d. (5), 4d. (9), 6d. (21), 9d. (5), 1s. (3) singles, also some K.E.VII, K.E.VIII and K.G.VI, mainly fine. (100s)
- A mint accumulation of singles and multiples in a stockbook with Downey Heads incl. wmk. varieties, die 2 1d. wmk. Simple Cypher no cross on crown, die 2 1d. wmk. Multiple Cypher sideways (small surface mark), 1912-24 good range of control singles and multiples with duplication, mainly lower values, other multiples, a few 1924-26 control pieces, range of shades throughout, etc., varied condition, many fine.

 £600-£700

King George V continued

- A mainly mint selection on stockcards, incl. 1912-24 watermark Royal Cypher 1d. "Q" for "O" mint and used, ½d. "H 16" control block of six with variety stop after Halfpenny, ½d. "K 18" control block of six, one with spot above right Dolphins mouth, ½d. "K 17" control block of six, one with coloured mark on right Dolphin's eye, 1d. "C 13", C 14" and "J 17" control strips of three with missing perf. pin, range of controls, watermark varieties with 2½d. watermark reversed (2), 3d. violet with watermark inverted (2), 1912-24 watermark Block Cypher 3d. inverted watermark, 1929 P.U.C. 1d. "K 29" control block of six incl. Wreath variety, booklet panes, etc. (115) £600-£700
- X778 A duplicated accumulation on leaves and stockleaves, mainly mint with a few Downey Heads incl. die 1B 1d. rose-pink, 1912-24 range of shades to 9d. green, 10d. (4), 1s. (4), some unmounted, 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. unmounted, 1924-26 values incl. 10d. unmounted, 1934-36 to 1s. (two sets, one unmounted), commemoratives incl. 1924 (2) and 1925 (3) Wembley sets, 1929 P.U.C. ½d. to 1½d. wmk. sideways unmounted, etc., varied condition. (172) £500-£600
- A collection of mint controls in an album, incl. singles, pairs, strips and blocks of six, values to 1s., etc. (approx. 500) £400-£500
- A collection in an album, incl. Downey Heads with a range of shades, mint with 1912-24 to 1s., ½d., 1d. and 1½d. booklet panes of six with watermarks inverted, 1924-26 to 1s., 2d. with watermark sideways, 1924-25 Exhibition sets (and two covers with exhibition cancellations), 1929 PUC ½d, 1d. and 1½d. with sideways and inverted watermarks, etc., slightly mixed condition. (100s)
 £250-£300
- A collection of used multiples on album leaves incl. 1911-12 1d. carmine fine used block of four with watermark inverted, 1912-24 ½d. to 4d., 6d., 9d. agate, 1s. in blocks of four, plus additional 1s. in vertical block of six, 1924-26 incl. 1½d. used "F26" corner control block of four, P.U.C. ½d. to 2½d. in blocks of four (1d. in block of six), 1934-36 ½d., 3d., 9d., 1s. (2) blocks of four and 10d. block of six, six covers incl. 1935 Silver Jubilee 2½d. block of four used on airmail cover, alongside two additional singles, with extra ½d. and 2½d. at lower left, mixed condition.
- X782 A mint collection incl. 1912-24 sets (2) to 1s. with shades, plus some additional values, 1924-26 to 1s., 1929 P.U.C. ½d. to 1½d. wmk. sideways, 1934 re-engraved set (5s. creased, 10s. small tear), etc., varied condition. (86)

£150-£200

1911-12 Downey Heads - Proofs



783 E 1911 Perkins Bacon 1d. stamp size essay type B, toned photographic proof, fine. S.G. Spec. cat. £2,500. Photo.

1911 - 12 Downey Heads

- A study of the progressive development of the 'no cross on crown' variety on leaves, with ½d. (S.G. 340) and 1d. (S.G. 341 & 345) values, mainly fine. (50)
- 786 ❖ ½d. bluish-green unmounted mint with R.P.S. certificate (2004) for a block of four from which this example originated, and die 1B watermark crown ½d. green in a perf. type 1A "A11" control single displaying 'cracked plate' variety [R. 20/2], the latter with a few gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. N1 (4), N2c. Photo. £100-£150
- 787 C 1912 die 2 watermark crown 1d. scarlet overprinted type 24 "CANCELLED", fine with full gum. S.G. Spec. N5(1)s, cat. £350. Photo.

1912 - 24 Watermark Royal Cypher Issue



- A mainly unmounted mint collection on leaves, incl. 3d. very deep violet, 3d. brownish violet, 4d. deep slate-green, 6d. perf. 14, 7d. bronze green, 9d. olive-green, 9d. pale olive-green "U 23" (perf.) single, 9d. deep olive-green, etc., mainly fine. (171)

 £350-£400
- A mint group comprising ½d. very pale green (unmounted) with a copy of R.P.S. certificate for a strip of three (1979), ½d. dull yellow ("apple") green block of four from a booklet pane showing watermark inverted with R.P.S. certificate (1974) and 1½d. right marginal block of six (2 x 3) with one stamp showing "PENCF" error (variety unmounted), fine. S.G. Spec. N14(4), N14(9)c, N18, f.
- **790** E 1912 undenominated essay (85.5 x 100mm) endorsed in pencil on reverse "4d. The first essay 8-6-12", a few minor tone spots, otherwise fine. Photo.
- 791 ★ ½d. to 8d., 9d. agate and 1s., each with watermark inverted, mint, slightly mixed condition. (14) £350-£400
- **792 B** C 1d., a right marginal block of eight overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, fine with gum. S.G. Spec. N16x. Photo. £200-£250
- 793 ★ 1d. scarlet-vermilion in a mint block of six (3 x 2) in an attractive deep bright shade, lower strip with light overall gum toning, fine and fresh, five stamps unmounted. R.P.S. certificate (2016) as scarlet-vermilion. S.G. Spec. N16(14), cat. £1,025. Photo. £250-£300
- 794 ☑ 1½d. chestnut, variety "PENCF" repaired, fine used on 1921 postcard. £80-£100
- 2d. mint collection on leaves incl. the nine listed shades incl. intense bright orange corner marginal unmounted, slightly clipped perfs. at top left (copy of R.P.S. certificate, 1977, for a strip of three), reddish orange block of four overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24 (no gum), some control multiples incl. no control in a block of twelve, die II with the four shades in control strips, etc., mainly fine. (16 items)
 £1,000-£1,200

1912 - 24 Watermark Royal Cypher Issue



796 **②** 2d. intense bright orange, a lower left control "O 20" strip of three, fine unmounted mint. Brandon certificate (2005). S.G. Spec 19(9), cat. £5,100+. Photo. £3,000-£3,500



- 797 **2** ½d. dull Prussian blue (greyish shade) fine unmounted mint. Hendon certificate (2013). S.G. Spec. N21(17), cat. £1,700. Photo. £1,500-£1,800
- 798 ★ 3d. very pale violet in an "H 16" (imperf.) corner strip of three, a few light gum wrinkles mainly in margin, the centre stamp unmounted. R.P.S. certificate (2016). S.G. Spec. N22(5), cat. £880+. Photo. £250-£300
- 799 ★ 9d. olive-green, with watermark inverted, fine mint. S.G. 393aWi, Spec. N30(1)a, cat. £900. Photo. £250-£300
- 800 10d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, fine with part gum. S.G. Spec. N31v, cat. £425. Photo. £100-£120
- 801 ★ 10d. turquoise-blue, with watermark inverted, fine mint. S.G. 394Wi, Spec. N31(2)a, cat. £3,000. Photo. £700-£800

1913 - 34 Seahorses

- A collection of Seahorses on leaves comprising 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. mint (4) and used (3, one with perfin), 5s. mint, 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. mint (2) and used (3), 5s. mint (2) and used, 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. mint (4) and used (4), 5s. mint (2) and used (4), 10s. used (2), range of shades, slightly mixed condition. (22) £800-£1,000
- A mint accumulation, with Waterlow 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (2), De La Rue 2s.6d. (10, incl. a fine right margin block of four), 5s. corner pair (some staining, some split perfs.), and Bradbury 10s. (apparently blackish blue, toned), very mixed condition. (17)

 £600-£800
- 804 O A selection of used Seahorses comprising 2s.6d. (6), 5s. (3) and 10s. (4), slightly mixed condition. (13) £800-£1,000

1913 Waterlow

- 805 © 10s. indigo-blue, unmounted mint, creased and toned, otherwise fine. S.G. 402, Spec. N69(1), cat. £2,000. Photo. £200-£250
- 806 \star 10s. indigo-blue, mint, heavy hinge and vertical crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. N69(1), cat. £1,200. Photo. £200-£250
- 807 O 10s. indigo-blue used with c.d.s. cancellations, fine S.G. 402, Spec. N69(1), cat. £475. Photo. £150-£200



808 O £1 green, used with light c.d.s, fine. S.G. 403, Spec. N72(1), cat. £1,400. Photo.

£350-£400

809 O £1 green, c.d.s. used, corner creases, otherwise fine. S.G. 403, Spec. N72(1), cat. £1,400. Photo. £200-£250

810 O £1 green used with indistinct oval cancellation, centred low to left and with added corner, otherwise fine. S.G. 403, Spec. N72(1), cat. £1,400. Photo. £150-£200



811 C £1 dull blue-green, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, some gum wrinkling, otherwise fine with gum. S.G. Spec. N72u, cat. £4,250. Photo. £1,000-£1,200

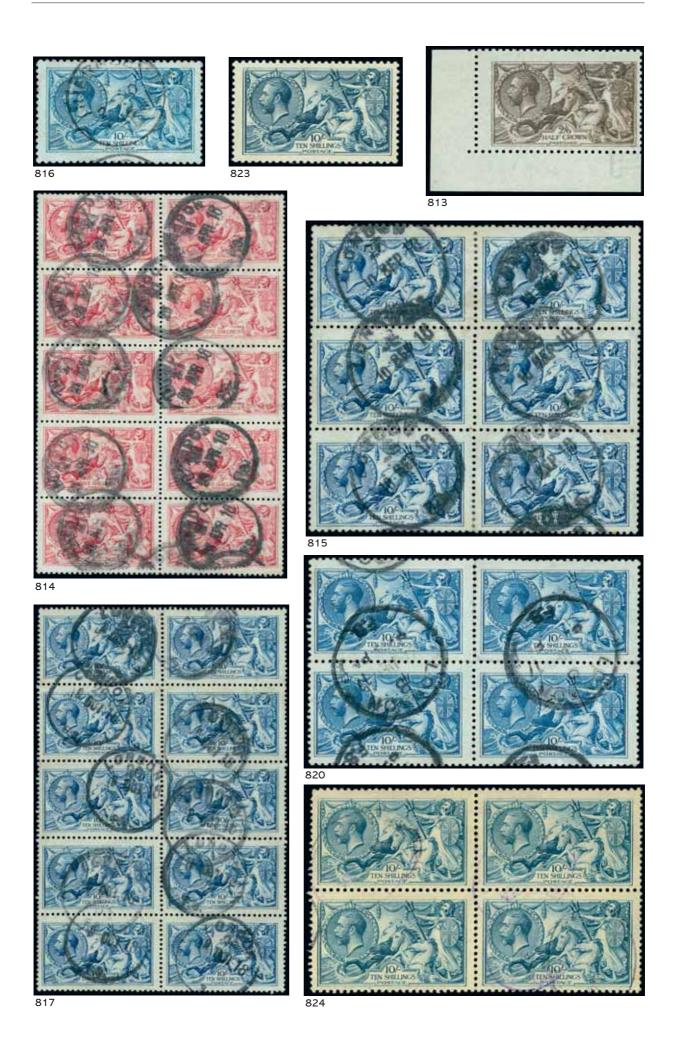
1915-18 De La Rue







812 🌣 P 2s.6d. to 10s. very fine imprimatur set, attractive unmounted right hand marginal examples, each with "BPMA" handstamp on reverse, an extraordinary set. S.G. 407-411 var. Photo also on back cover. £10,000-£12,000



1915-18 De La Rue continued

- 2s.6d. sepia ('Seal brown') with doubling at right of design, fine unmounted mint lower left corner example. Hendon certificate (2013). S.G. Spec. N64(13), cat. £500. Photo. £250-£300
- 814 O B 5s. pale carmine (worn plate), a good used vertical block of ten (2 x 5) with blurred "LONDON/26 APR 18" c.d.s's, plate wear particularly apparent at right, a very scarce multiple. S.G. 410, Spec. N67(3), cat. £2,750+ (as singles). Photo.
- 815 O B 10s. blue, a good used vertical block of six, with slightly blurred "LONDON/10 SEP 18" c.d.s's, a scarce multiple. S.G. Spec. N70(1), cat. £5,250+ (as singles). Photo. £600-£700
- 816 O 10s. blue, used with Guernsey c.d.s., fine. S.G. 412, S.G. Spec. N70(1), cat. £875. Photo. £200-£250
- 817 O E 10s. deep blue (worn plate), a good used vertical block of ten (2 x 5) with slightly blurred "LONDON/9 OCT 18" c.d.s's, a very scarce multiple. S.G. Spec. N70(2), cat. £10,000+ (as singles). Photo. £1,400-£1,600
- 818 ★ 10s. pale blue lightly mounted mint, slight perf. faults, light vertical gum crease and slightly stained gum but attractive appearance. S.G. 413, S.G. Spec. N70(4), cat. £3,500. Photo. £300-£350





- 819 \$\frac{1}{100}\$ S 10s. deep (intense) bright blue, handstamped "SPECIMEN" in purple, ex Portuguese Colonies archive, fine without gum. Brandon certificate (2009). S.G. Spec. N70(5) var. Photo. £1,500-£1,800
- 820 \bigcirc \boxplus 10s. deep bright blue, fine used block of four. R.P.S. certificate (2012) for a block of six and Hendon certificate (2014). S.G. Spec. N70(6), cat. £4,400+. Photo. £800-£1,000

1918 Bradbury

- 821 ★ 2s.6d. (4, one marginal and one a lower left corner example), 5s. (marginal) and 10s. mint, mixed condition. (6) £250-£300
- 822 ① © 2s.6d. to 10s. collection of used multiples, each value in a block of four and a vertical block of six, the 10s. block of six being a fine used marginal example with selvedge at left, all but one block cancelled with c.d.s's, some perf. faults and separation, otherwise mainly good to fine. (6) £600-£700
- 823 ★ 10s. dull blue, mint, lightly toned gum and heavy hinge, otherwisefine. S.G. 417, S.G. Spec. N71(1), cat. £475.

 Photo. £100-£150
- 824 ⊞ 10s. dull grey-blue in a used block of four, some perf. faults and light overall toning, attractive deep colour. S.G. 417, S.G. Spec. N71(2), cat. £700 as singles. Photo. £70-£80

1934 Re-engraved

- 825 2s.6d. mint (2), used (2), 5s. mint (2), used (2), and 10s. mint (2), used (4), range of shades, mixed condition. (15) £300-£400
- x826 ★ 2s.6d. (3) mint (two unmounted), 5s. and 10s. (2) mint (one very lightly mounted), varied condition, mostly with lightly toned gum. S.G. 450-452. (6) £250-£300
- 827 O 2s.6d. to 10s., a selection of used examples, mainly in multiples incl. 2s.6d. block of four, pair and single tied to parcel piece alongside 3d., 10s. blocks of four, one being tied to parcel piece alongside additional 5s. and 10s., also two 5s. singles tied to separate pieces alongside lower values making attractive multicolour frankings, mainly good to fine. (6)



1924 - 26 Watermark Block Cypher Issue

- A selection of control strips of three, incl. ½d. A24 perf. type 3A, H27 perf. type 3A, G27 G27 perf. type 3A, 1d. A24 perf. type 3A, C25 perf. type 2A, 3d. G27 perf. type 2A, 6d. D38 perf. type 2A, 9d. C25, 1s. J28, etc., also 1s. B24 pair, a few unmounted, mostly good to fine. (20)
- 829 ❖ ½d. to 9d. (with both 6d.), each with watermark inverted, unmounted mint, ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d. and 4d. with controls at base, mainly fine. (11) £250-£300
- 830 1½d. red-brown corner block of six variety double perfs. at top left, some creasing, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 420. Photo. £80-£100
- 1s. bistre-brown, a lower right corner single with watermark inverted, tiny crease in selvedge, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 429Wi, Spec. N45(1)a, cat. £600. Photo. £200-£250

1924 Wembley Exhibitions

832 🗷 1½d. stationery card used to Switzerland, 1d. on postcard used on the last day, 1925 Tourchlight Tattoo cancellations on cards, without dates (2) and Bournemouth slogan, Belfast Ulster Pavilion slogan. (6)£100-£120

1929 Postal Union Congress









- 833 🌣 P ½d. to 2½d. superb imprimatur set of four, superb unmounted mint marginal examples from the left of the sheet, with "BPMA" handstamp on reverse. S.G. 434-437 var. Photo. £4,000-£5,000
- 834 O 2½d. blue with watermark inverted, good used. with indistinct cancellation. S.G. 437Wi, Spec. NCom8(1)a, cat £1,100. Photo.
- 835 **②** £1 black unmounted mint, light overall toning and small crease, otherwise fine. B.P.A. certificate (1975). S.G. 438. Photo. £300-£350
- 836 ★ £1 black, lightly mounted mint, usual slightly off white gum, fine. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo.
- x837 ★ £1 black mint, patchy gum toning, two small gum wrinkles, very lightly mounted. S.G. 438. Photo. £200-£220
- 838 ★ £1 black, mint, lightly toned gum and mild crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo. £150-£200
- 839 $\bigcirc \boxplus$ £1 black used corner block of four from the upper left of the sheet, with c.d.s. cancellations, folded through vertical perfs., very faintly toned otherwise fine, scarce multiple. S.G. 438. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 840 O £1 black, used with indistinct c.d.s., fine. S.G. 438. Photo.
- 841 O £1 black fine used with centrally struck large London c.d.s. cancellation. S.G. 438. Photo.
- 842 O £1 black used with very light indistinct cancellation, fine. S.G. 438. Photo. £180-£200



















Ex 854

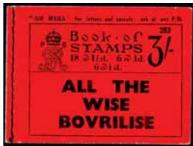


Ex 857















1934 - 36 Photogravure



843 O 1½d. red-brown intermediate format, variety imperforate, fine used pair with part sheet margin at right. R.P.S. certificate (1990). S.G. 441a, Spec. N52b, unpriced. Photo.

King George V - 2s Booklets

- 844 🌣 B 1913 (Jan.) 2s. booklet edition 9, one ½d. and two 1d. panes with watermark inverted, mixed perfs., slightly rusted staple, otherwise fine. S.G. BB5, cat. £1,300. Photo. £400-£450
- 845 B 1924 2s. booklet editions 54 to 125, fifty examples with only two stamps and advert pair in each booklet, also 1929 PUC 2s. (5) with the same stamps and 1935 5s. edition 15 missing eight 1½d., stamps, mainly good condition. (56)
- 846 B 1924 (Mar.) 2s. booklet edition 139, all panes with inverted wmk., mixed perfs., adhesions on ½d. pane, otherwise fine. S.G. BB12, cat. £900. Photo on page 96. £150-£200
- 847 & B 1929 P.U.C. 2s. booklet edition 103, all panes watermark upright, mixed perfs, fine. S.G. BB13, cat. £500. Photo. £200-£250
- 848 ❖ B 2s. booklet edition 103, all panes with watermarks inverted, mixed perfs., fine S.G. BB13. Photo on page 96. £100-£150
- 849 ❖ B 1935 (Jan.) 2s. booklet edition number 281, all panes with inverted watermarks, mixed perfs., lightly toned gum, otherwise fine. S.G. BB14, cat. £1,100. Photo. £250-£300
- 850 B 2s. booklet edition 353, ½d., 1d. and one 1½d. panes with inverted wmks., mixed perfs., fine. S.G. BB17, cat. £600. Photo. £180-£200

King George V - 3s Booklets

- 851 ♥ B 1924 3s. booklet edition 192, all panes with inverted wmks., mixed perfs., fine. S.G. BB24, cat. £550. Photo. £180-£200
- 852 1929 P.U.C. 3s. booklet edition 168, all panes with watermarks upright, mixed perfs., fine. S.G. BB25, cat. £450. Photo. £180-£200
- 853 & B 3s. booklet edition 171, all panes with watermarks upright, mixed perfs., the first pane with a tone spot on reverse otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BB25, cat. £450. Photo.
- 854 ❖ B 3s. booklet edition 171, all panes with watermarks upright, mixed perfs., the first pane with slight toning on gum and light front cover bend otherwise fine and fresh, also edition 170 missing the first 1½d. pane. S.G. BB25. Photo. £100-£120
- **855 ♀** B **1934 Harrison** 3s. booklet edition 283, fine. S.G. BB26, cat. £650. Photo.

£100-£140

- 856 B 1935 (July) 3s. photogravure booklet edition 318, the ½d. pane with inverted wmk., the others upright, the second pane with a few split perfs., the first pane trimmed, the others with above average perfs., minor back cover imperfections, fresh. S.G. BB29, cat. £550. Photo. £70-£80
- 857 ❖ B 3s. photogravure booklet edition 318, 1½d. panes with inverted wmks., others upright, mixed perfs., cover imperfections, otherwise fine, S.G. BB29, cat. £550, also with 1935 Jubilee 3s. editions 295 (missing one 1½d. pane) and 296, and 1935 5s. photogravure booklet edition 15, missing one 1½d. pane of six. Photo. £80-£100

King George V - 5s Booklets

- 859 B 1935 (July) 5s. photogravure booklet edition 15, all panes with upright wmk., mainly good perfs., fine. S.G. BB37, cat. £650. Photo on page 98. £180-£200

King George V - Booklet Panes

- 861 ★ 1911-12 Watermark Crown 1d. die 1B with watermark upright and with watermark inverted (2), and Watermark Simple Cypher ½d. die 1B with watermark inverted, mint, mixed perfs., mainly fine. S.G. NB2a, 4, a. £200-£250
- 1d. perf. type E with watermark inverted, Simple Cypher ½d. die 1B watermark inverted, 1d. die 1B watermark inverted, unmounted mint, mixed perfs. and slightly mixed condition. NB2a, 3a, 5a. £150-£200
- 863 ★ 1912-24 ½d. (2), 1d. (2), 1½d. (2) and 2d. booklet panes, all watermark upright, mint, mainly good perfs., mostly fine. £350-£400
- 864 ❖ 1924-26 Block Cypher ½d. (2), 1d. (3) and 1½d. booklet panes, mostly unmounted with good perfs., mixed condition. £120-£150
- 865 ★ 1½d. booklet pane of four (the two stamps at right removed) with two printed labels showing "INDIA-RUBBER INLAID SPONGE/R.G. McKINLAY" adverts printed in green, mint, the adverts with light crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. NB15(72). Photo on page 98. £300-£350

King Edward VIII









866 E 1936 Definitive Issue Essays: ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2½d., four essays of design type "B", based on H.H. Brown's suggestion with the portrait taken from a photograph by Hugh Cecil, printed by Harrisons in their colour standards, perforated 15 x 14, on gummed paper with "GvR" block cypher watermark, fine mint with part to large part original gum, usual minor perf. imperfections, rare. Only five sets believed to be in private hands. S.G. Spec. vol 2, p. 222, cat. £8,000. Photo. £2,500-£3,000









- 867 E 1936 Definitive Issue Essays: ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2½d., four essays of design type "C", based on H.H. Brown's suggestion with the portrait taken from a photograph by Hugh Cecil, printed by Harrisons in their colour standards, perforated 15 x 14, on gummed paper with "GvR" block cypher watermark, very fine mint with large part to near complete original gum, rare. Only five sets believed to be in private hands. S.G. Spec. vol 2, p. 222, cat. £8,000. Photo.
- **868** E **1936** bromide (35 x 48mm) of H.J. Brown's design for a proposed 3d. value, fine. Photo.











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869 E 1936 (Sept. 7) 11/2d. imperforate Coronation essay with portrait in Welsh Guards uniform, in brown, prepared by Harrison and Sons with portrait within curtain with frame (design B), on gummed paper watermarked "E8R" sideways, fine with full gum, rare. S.G. Spec. vol 2, p. 223, cat. £1,750. Photo.

- 870 E 1936 (Sept. 23) 11/2d. imperforate Coronation essay with portrait in Welsh Guards uniform within plain oval (design I), in bright blue on gummed watermarked paper, a trifle ragged along the right edge, otherwise very fine with large part gum. S.G. Spec. vol 2, p. 224, cat. £1,750. Photo.
- 871 E - 11/d. imperforate Coronation essay with portrait in Welsh Guards uniform on plain background (Seaforth design type K), in bright blue on gummed watermarked paper, slight gum disturbance at top, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. vol 2, p. 224, cat. £1,750. Photo. £500-£600
- **872** E - 1½d. imperforate Coronation essay with profile head within oval wreath in brown on gummed watermarked paper, light wrinkle, otherwise fine with near complete original gum. Photo. £500-£600
- 873 🕏 B Booklets: 1936 2s. booklet editions 357, 361 and 371, fine with slightly mixed perfs. S.G. BC2, cat. £420. £120-£150
- 874 Collections: A selection incl. 1936 2s. booklet edition 255 (exploded), 1936 (Sept. 1) f.d.c. bearing 1/2d., 1d. and 21/2d. tied Cleckheaton roller cancellation, 1936 (Sept. 14) f.d.c. bearing the 1d. tied Southend machine cancellation, 1936 (Dec. 11) abdication cover bearing the complete set, etc., slightly mixed condition. (26) £100-£150

King George VI

- 875 A collection in an album, incl. 1939-48 to £1 mint, 1951 Festival set mint, f.d.c.'s with the first six issued from the 1939-47 issue, 1940 Centenary (2), 1946 Peace, 1948 Silver Wedding £1 on plain cover (not tied), 1948 Olympic Games (2, one with with slogan cancellation), etc., mainly fine. (100s) £250-£300
- 876 ★ A mint collection on leaves, incl. 1937-47 1/2d. to 21/2d. with watermarks sideways and with watermarks inverted, 1939-48 to £1 with both 10s., 1951 Festival set, etc., slightly mixed condition. (92) £200-£250
- 877 * A mainly mint collection on leaves, incl. 1937-47 watermarks inverted and sideways sets unmounted, 1939-48 set, 1948 Silver Wedding £1 corner block of four unmounted, etc. (127) £200-£250
- x**878 ₺** 1939-48 2s.6d. to £1 set unmounted mint, £1 with gum bend otherwise fine, also with 1951 5s., 10s. and £1 (2) unmounted mint, a few gum wrinkles. (10) £120-£150
- 879 O - 5s. (4), 10s. dark blue blocks of nine, six (2), four (3), pair and singles (10), all used, varied condition. £70-£80



880 * 1941-42 21/2d. light ultramarine mint, variety imperforate single, roughly torn from an imperforate booklet pane, rare. S.G. 489c var. Photo. £500-£600

King George VI continued





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- 881 1948 Silver Wedding $2\frac{1}{2}$ d. vertical pair and £1 single affixed to two Harrison & Sons, Ltd. presentation cards. £80-£100
- 882 P 1949 U.P.U. 1s. very fine imprimatur pair, from the right of the sheet, displaying 'retouched background to 1/-' variety [R. 8/5], unmounted, unique. S.G. 502a var. Photo. £2,000-£3,000
- **883** P **1950-52** 1d. light ultramarine, imperforate imprimatur pair with watermark upright, with "N/P/IMPRIMATUR" handstamp on gum, very fine unmounted mint with margin at right. S.G. 504b, Spec. Q6, cat. £5,500. Photo.

£400-£500

King George VI: Booklets

- 884 ❖ B A selection in a binder inc. 1940 6d. with green cover, duplicated 1s. books incl. 1951, 1954 (4), also with loose panes of two and four, Wilding panes of four, 1935 Jubilee 2s. booklet edition 298 and 3s. booklet edition 297, plus a range of mint regionals in an album. £100-£120
- 885 & B 2s. booklet, 1937 (Aug.) edition 386, ½d. and 1d. panes with inverted wmks., 1½d. panes upright, some slight trimming but above average perfs., front cover fault otherwise fine. S.G. BD11, cat. £1,100. Photo on page 98.

£140-£160

- 887 B 2s. booklet, 1938 (Mar.) edition 453, ½d. and 1d. panes with inverted wmks., mainly good perfs., fine. S.G. BD12, cat. £1,100. Photo.





888 B 5s. booklet, 1940 (July) edition 13, all panes with inverted watermarks, mainly good perfs., fine and fresh. S.G. BD25, cat. £2,000. Photo. £800-£1,000

King George VI: Booklet Panes

x889 ★ An accumulation with some duplicates, with panes of six, four and two, a few with cylinder numbers, 1d. (8, one without selvedge) and 1½d. (5) advert panes, incl. 1d. scarlet pane of six wmk. inverted, 1½d. "Commander Stephen/King-Hall" advert pane with "(G) 46" cylinder number, 2½d. ultramarine pane of six wmk. inverted, plus 1940 6d. green cover booklet complete, etc., also with K.E.VIII panes (4) and 1936 6d. booklet, mixed perfs. but many good, a few with gum toning, occasional pane mounted but majority unmounted. (77, 2 booklets)

£400-£500

890 ★ 1937-47 1d. (3), 1½d, (2) and 2d. booklet panes of six, various cylinders, mint, mixed perfs., mostly fine. (7)

£100-£120

Third Session Lots 891-1202 Wednesday April 26th at 11 am

Queen Elizabeth II: Collections and Mixed Lots

- An extensive Q.E.II decimal accumulation in forty eight albums (six are boxed Windsor Sovereigns) and loose, incl. unmounted mint sets, booklets and booklet panes, Machins, f.d.c's, regionals, Castles, miniature sheets, presentation packs, yearpacks, PHQs, etc., also some used, mainly fine. (100s)
 £2,200-£2,500
- A mint collection of pre-decimal issues in a hingeless Davo album with Wilding basic sets complete with sideways and inverted watermarks, booklet panes of four, phosphor-graphite 2d. with error of wmk., some varieties incl. misplaced graphite lines incl. 1d. and 3d. with three lines, 3d. corner blocks showing phantom "R" with ordinary ex cylinder 37 plus retouch and phosphor ex cylinder 41, 4½d. ordinary and phosphor blocks showing phantom frame, Castle sets complete, commemorative sets complete with phosphor sets, 1970 Anniversaries 1s.6d. emerald omitted, 1967-70 Machins, 1954 to 1969 postage dues complete, etc., occasional gum wrinkle, all apparently unmounted. (100s)
- 893 1971 to 2016 mint collection in five hingeless Davo albums and two stockbooks with commemorative sets and miniature sheets apparently complete, Machins, Castle sets to £5, a few emblem regionals, booklet stamps, 1973 Tree 9p. missing phosphor, 2012 Olympic Gold Medal Winners in sheetlets, a few presentation packs and prestige booklets, also some pre-decimals, etc. £900-£1,000
- A decimal accumulation in six albums, nine stockbooks, incl. definitives to £5 (15), £10, presentation packs, miniature sheets, greetings panes, blocks and sheets, etc. (1,000s) £800-£1,000
- A decimal accumulation in three albums, stockbook, folder and on leaves, incl. definitives to £10, commemoratives, miniature sheets, booklet panes, greetings, etc. (1,000s) £800-£1,000
- A collection of presentation packs in eight albums, to the 1990s to the 2010s, also some prestige and window booklets, mainly fine. (100s)

 £700-£800
- A mainly decimal accumulation in twelve albums, incl. Machins, booklet panes, regionals, miniature sheets, commemorative issues from 1961 to 1999 largely complete in unmounted mint blocks of four, etc., mainly fine. (100s)

 £600-£800
- A collection in two albums, incl. Wildings with 1952-54 and 1955-58 to 1s.6d. unmounted mint, 1958-61 and 1959 to 4½d. unmounted mint, 1959 Phosphor-Graphite 2d. error watermark St Edwards Crown unmounted mint, range of watermark varieties, and coloured phosphors, used blocks, range of Castles with 1955 Waterlow and 1959 De La Rue sets unmounted mint, Machins, regionals, f.d.c's with 1955 Castle set on two plain covers, later to the 1970s, mainly fine. (100s)
- A collection of commemorative issues in eight boxed albums, from 1952 to 1981, each issue with an unmounted mint set and most also with a range of used sets, f.d.c's, gutter blocks of four, shades, etc., f.d.c's incl. 1957 Interparliamentary Conference with special London handstamp, 1958 British Empire & Commonwealth Games with Cardiff Games slogan, 1960 General Letter Office with Lombard Street c.d.s., 1961 Parliamentary Conference with special slogan, 1962 Productiviy phospor with special London slogan, 1963 Lifeboat phosphor and non-phosphor with special London slogan, 1963 Red Cross phosphor and non-phosphor with special slogan, etc., mainly fine.

 £500-£600
- A duplicated collection of decimal presentation packs in twenty four albums contained in three cartons with issues to 2012.
- A mainly mint collection in a Lighthouse album, incl. unmounted mint with 1955-58 watermark St. Edward's Crown set, 1958-61 Graphite lines set and watermark inverted sets, 1959 Phosphor Graphite 2d. watermark error, commemoratives with better phosphors, 1969 Ships 5d. with grey omitted, etc. (100s) £400-£500
- An accumulation in sixteen albums, from 1970 to 2010, incl. mint decimal sets, booklets, miniature sheets, Machins, range of f.d.c's with Benhams silks, coin covers, 1997 commemorative cover with 10s. banknote bearing International Stamp Exhibition 50p., 1998 commemorative cover with £1 banknote, etc., also some Isle of Man, fine. (100s)

Queen Elizabeth II: Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- An accumulation in six binders and cover album, incl. miniature sheets, greetings panes, presentation packs, some booklets, also a World accumulation in 18 binders and loose, etc. (1,000s) £400-£500
- A collection of higher values in an album, incl. gutter and cross gutters, plate blocks, £10 plate block of four and single, miniature sheets, etc. (few 100s)
- A mint and used collection in six albums, incl. 1955-58 Waterlow 2s.6d. to £1 mint, commemoratives to 2003, definitives to £10, Greetings panes, some booklets, etc. (many 100s) £350-£400
- An unmounted mint accumulation of decimal issues in a stockbook and loose with miniature sheets, booklets, selection of presentation packs, etc. (100s)
 £300-£400
- A decimal accumulation, incl. miniature sheets, presentation packs with definitives to £10, prestige booklets, 2012 Olympic Games set in sheetlets of six, Paralympic Games set in sheetlets of two, etc. (100s) £300-£350
- 908 1970 to 2005, a collection of Commemorative issues in four boxed albums with issues largely complete unmounted mint for the period, also many used issues, Machins, regionals, etc., mainly fine. (100s) £300-£350
- 909 1964-82 collection of presentation packs in two albums incl. 1964 Geographical, Botanical and Forth Road Bridge (slightly buckled), 1965 Churchill, 1965 Parliament, most later issues, etc. £250-£300
- 910 1993-2002 complete year packs, unmounted, three of each. £250-£300
- 911 1952-59, a mint and used collection in a boxed album, incl. 1952-54 to 1s. mint, 1955-58 Waterlow set mint, 1955-58 to 1s.6d. mint, 1958-61 graphite lines set mint, 1959 phosphor graphite set, various 1960s phosphor sets, range of regionals, postage dues with 1954-55 and 1955-57 sets mint, etc., mainly fine. (100s) £250-£300
- A pre-decimal accumulation, incl. commemoratives in sheets, Presentation packs with 1965 Parliament, 1966 Burns (3), f.d.c's with 1977 £1., £2 and £5 in traffic light gutter pairs (2), and plain gutter pairs (2), much duplicated on pieces, etc. (1,000s) £200-£250
- 913 1972-2009 an unmounted selection of presentation packs in six folders, incl. commemoratives, definitives, greetings, postage dues, etc. (100s) £200-£250
- A large accumulation in two cover albums, packets and loose, incl. range of presentation packs, f.d.c's, commemoratives in blocks and part sheets, Channel Islands, etc. (1,000s) £200-£250
- A mint and used accumulation in five stockbooks, six folders, packets and loose, incl. commemoratives in blocks and strips, booklets with Prestige, duplication, etc. (1,000s) £150-£200
- A decimal definitive collection on stockleaves, incl values to £5 (10), Machin varieties, etc. (100s) £100-£120
- A 1960s collection in an album, incl. f.d.c's, constant flaws in positional multiples, phosphors, Wildings with cylinder blocks and booklet panes, 1966 World Cup 1s.3d. ordinary with watermark inverted, etc., mainly fine.

 (100s)

 £100-£120
- An accumulation of mainly covers and cards in sixteen folders and loose, incl. f.d.c's, commemorative cancellations, postal stationery with air letters, PHQ cards unused and used, duplication, etc. (many 100s)

 £80-£100
- 919 1982-2010 a collection of mainly National Postal Museum cards in seven folders and loose, incl. virtually complete NPM cards (1986-2000) unused and used with the relevant commemoratives, special cancellations, experimental 1st. NVI's for Walsall and Enschede, some duplication, etc. (100s) £80-£100

Queen Elizabeth II: Wildings

- x920 ★ A mint collection in a stockbook plus a few stockleaves, with singles and multiples, inverted and sideways wmks., cream and whiter papers, graphites, phosphor-graphites incl. 2d. error of wmk., green, blue and violet phosphors incl. 2½d's with inverted wmks., wide range of cylinder blocks, a few booklet panes, etc., varied condition, many unmounted. (100s) £400-£500
- x921 ★ A mint collection on stockleaves with singles and multiples, inverted and sideways wmks., selection of booklet panes (some with selvedge removed), graphites, phosphor-graphites incl. 2d. error of wmk., phosphors incl. 2½d. two bands inverted wmk., Castle sets complete (less 2nd De La Rue 2s.6d.), selection of postage dues (a few used), etc., varied condition, some unmounted. £300-£400



x922 **3** 1955-58 Wmk. St. Edward's Crown 9d. bronze-green top margin strip of four (folded through central column of perfs.), the right pair variety imperforate between the stamps and margin (a few perf. holes above the left stamp), due to a paper fold, small adhesion on reverse of right stamp but unmounted mint, slight overall gum toning with a few wrinkles, most unusual. S.G. 551 var. Photo.

- 923 1958-65 Wmk. Crowns 3d. cream paper in a lower right corner block of four showing the phantom "R" variety ex cylinder 41, also with the three retouches, the first in a block of nine, the second in a block of four, and the third in a block of nine, the second retouch block mounted, the others unmounted, scarce. S.G. 575d, Eda, Edb, Spec. S70j, k, l, cat. £465. Photo.
- 924 ❖ 1958-61 Wmk. Crowns graphite 3d. with two lines at left (from back), fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 592a, Spec. S72b, cat. £550. Photo. £250-£280
- 925 ❖ 3d. pair, one with one graphite line, the other with two lines at left, single line stamp with very light bend otherwise fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. 592a, b, Spec. S72b, d, cat. £1,300+. Photo. £700-£800
- 926 **1959 phosphor-graphite** 2d. error of watermark, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 605a. £60-£70

Queen Elizabeth II: Wilding Coils

- An accumulation of coil strips and leaders on leaves with Tudor Crown values to 3d. incl. 3d. horizontal coil with "S" leader, St. Edward's Crown values to 4d., a few Multiple Crowns, range of roll numbers, selection of coil joins, constant flaws, varying numbers of stamps attached, etc., varied condition.

 £120-£150
- 928 **♦** 1958 cream paper 2d. light red-brown "T" sideways delivery, sideways watermark, complete coils comprising "2" (4), "5" (2) and 9, mainly fine. £300-£400

Queen Elizabeth II: Wilding Booklet Panes

- X929 ★ A collection on stockpages, with panes of six, four and two, se-tenant panes of four, cream and whiter papers, graphites, green, blue and violet phosphors, upright and inverted watermarks, sideways watermarks both left and right, scarce incl. Tudor Crown 1d. Minimum Inland Rate label panes wmk. upright (lightly mounted) and inverted, 2d. wmk. inverted, watermark Crowns 2d. wmk. inverted (two stamps with good perfs.), graphite panes complete wmk. upright and wmk. inverted, 1½d. wmk. upright with good perfs. all round, blue phosphor 2½d. left band cream and whiter paper panes wmk. inverted (each with some trimming), a few duplicates, etc., mixed perfs. but many good, virtually all unmounted. (188 panes) £800-£1,000
- 930 ❖ 1955-58 watermark St. Edward's Crown 2½d. carmine red, pane of six with additional unit tête-bêche at upper right, believed to have been part of the collection of the Emir of Bahawalpur, shown in the court of honour, 1960 International Exhibition, London. The tête-bêche stamp with usual faults. R.P.S. certificate (2013) notes "tête-bêche stamp detached and reaffixed with hinge". Photo on page 106. £600-£800





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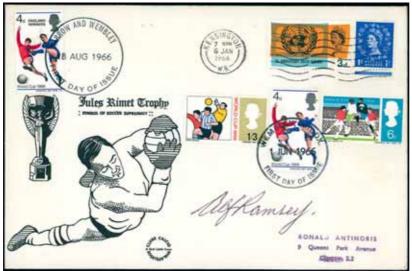
















Queen Elizabeth II: Wilding Booklets

- 932 🐧 B 2s.6d. (1953) booklets for May (2), June, Sept., and Nov., mainly fine with mixed perfs.
- 933 ❖ B 3s. 1959 (Oct.) graphite line booklet, ½d., 1d. and 1½d. inverted watermarks, 1959 (July) 5s. graphite lined booklet, 1d. watermark inverted, others upright, fair to good perfs. S.G. M15g, H39g. £150-£200
- 934 ♥ B 5s. 1954 (Mar.) booklet with extra 1½d. pane, mixed perfs., fine. S.G. Spec. H7a. Photo.

Queen Elizabeth II: 1955-68 Castles

- x935 1955 to 1968 sets complete, 1967-68 no watermark issue as complete plate blocks of four (less 2s.6d. plate 13), 2s.6d. plate 12 block without side margin, 10s. plate 2A block with adhesions on reverse in margin at foot, varied condition, some gum wrinkles, 1st De La Rue set and 2nd De La Rue 2s.6d. mounted, the others unmounted (a few blocks mounted in margin). (34 items)
- 936 ♣ An unmounted mint selection on leaves, incl. 1955-58 Waterlow 2s.6d., 5s., 10s. and £1 blocks of four and single,
 De La Rue set with extra 2s.6d. corner block, 1959-68 De La Rue sets (5) in blocks of four and singles, etc., mainly
 fine. (80)

 £700-£800
- 937 **1958** De La Rue 2s.6d. to £1 set, fine unmounted mint, the £1 with Buhler certificate (1973). S.G. 536a-39a. Photo. £150-£200

Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives

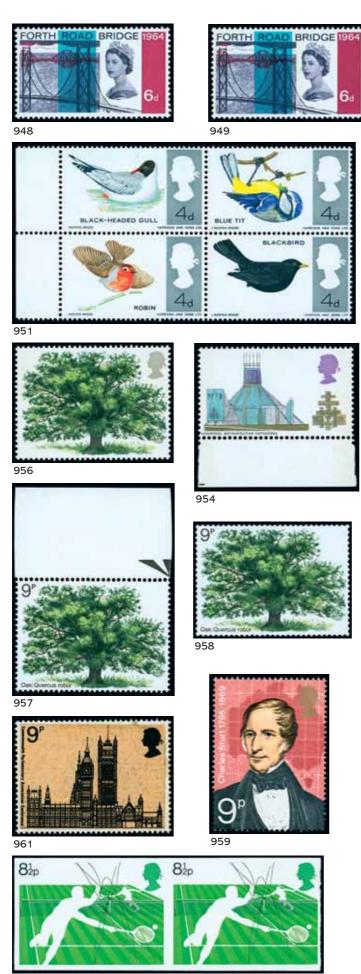
- 938 1953 Coronation, the set of four printed in black in vertical strips of three and perforated by permission of the Postmaster General, from the 1954 Penrose Annual, fine.
- 939 P 1961 P.O.S.B. 3d. (Timson) imperforate imprimatur horizontal pair, with "N/P/IMPRIMATUR" handstamps on gum, small gum wrinkle on one otherwise very fine with full gum (unmounted). S.G. Spec. W17. Photo.

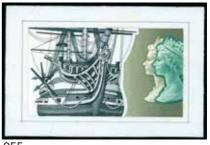
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940 ❖ - 3d. (Timson) variety orange-brown omitted unmounted mint, minor gum imperfection otherwise fine. S.G. 624Aa, cat. £600, EC GBR1248a. *Approx. 60 known*. Photo. £150-£180



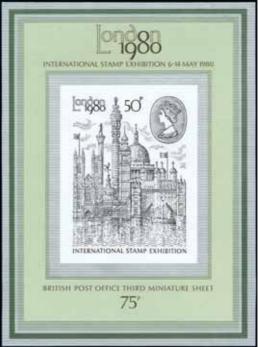
- 941 P 1s.6d. imperforate imprimatur horizontal pair, with "N/P/IMPRIMATUR" handstamps on gum, very fine with full gum (unmounted). S.G. Spec. W18. Photo.
- 942 1964 Forth Road Bridge (ordinary) 3d. variety imperforate between stamp and top margin, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. W54a, cat. £975, EC GBR1318a. *Twelve known*. Photo. £300-£350
- 943 ❖ 3d. variety imperforate between stamp and top margin, fine unmounted mint, was attached to previous lot. S.G. Spec. W54a, cat. £975, EC GBR1318a. *Twelve known*. Photo. £300-£350
- 3d. vertical pair, top stamp variety imperforate between stamp and top margin, fine unmounted mint. Brandon certificate (2008). S.G. Spec. W54a, cat. £975, EC GBR1318a. *Twelve known*. Photo. £300-£350
- 945 1964 Forth Road Bridge (ordinary) 6d. variety light blue omitted, used with 3d. on plain manila first day cover to Leamingtom Spa with "THE FORTH ROAD BRIDGE/NORTH QUEENSFERRY FIFE" special c.d.s., the 3d. crossed by fold, the 6d. with slight crease or bend not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine and rare. Four f.d.c.'s are known. S.G. 660a, EC GBR1320a, cat. £3,000. Photo. £1,200-£1,500











Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives continued

- 946 **♦** 1964 Forth Road Bridge (ordinary) 6d. variety black printed double, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 660 var, EC (2005) GBR1320d. *Approx. 12 known.* Photo on page 106. £180-£200
- 947 ❖ 1964 Forth Road Bridge (phosphor) 6d. variety watermark inverted with sheet margin at left, fine unmounted mint, scarce. Brandon certificate (2005). S.G. 660pWi, cat. £875, EC GBR1320c. *Approx. 30 known*. Photo on page 106. £300-£350
- 948 1964 Forth Road Bridge (phosphor) 6d. variety watermark inverted, tiny gum wrinkle at left otherwise fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 660pWi, cat. £875, EC GBR1320c. Approx. 30 known. Photo. £200-£300
- 949 ❖ 6d. variety watermark inverted, small central grease spot just visible from front, unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 660pWi, cat. £875, EC GBR1320c. *Approx. 30 known*. Photo. £100-£150
- 950

 1966 World Cup Football and World Cup Winners double dated first day cover signed Alf Ramsey. Photo on page 106.

 £200-£250
- 951 ❖ ⊞ 1966 Birds (ordinary) 4d. se-tenant block of four from the left of the sheet, variety reddish-brown omitted, small gum wrinkle otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 696aj, cat. £250, EC GBR1392l, also with Robin (unmounted) and Blackbird (mounted) singles with reddish brown omitted. Photo. £120-£140
- 952 1966 Battle of Hastings (ordinary) 4d., variety olive-green omitted in a left margin block of 15 (3 x 5), and in an irregular lower right corner block of 12, with the traffic lights showing the olive-green dot missing, no intact strips of six, some bends and wrinkles, unmounted mint, also with an unused pair and a single on pieces originally from the corner block. S.G. 705b.
- 953 ❖ 1969 Cathedrals 5d. Durham Cathedral and 5d. St. Giles' Edinburgh se-tenant vertical pair with sheet margin at left (folded through vertical perfs.), each with variety missing "d", fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. W159d, W161d, cat. £1,100. Photo. £100-£150
- 1s.6d. variety black (value) omitted, with sheet margin at foot (folded through perfs.), fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 801a, cat. £5,000, EC GBR1602a. *Approx. 42 known (many damaged).* Photo. £600-£800
- 955 E 1969 unadopted essay in black, green and bistre for the high value contract, using the Machin head and H.M.S. Victory, fine. Ex Goaman archive. Photo. £700-£800
- 956 **1973 Tree** 9p. variety brownish black (value and inscription) omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 922a, cat. £875, EC GBR1844a. *100 known.* Photo.
- 957 ❖ 9p. variety brownish grey (Queen's head) and phosphor omitted, with sheet margin at top (folded through perfs.), fine unmounted mint. S.G. 922b, cat. £825, EC GBR1844b. 100 known. Photo. £260-£280
- 958 ❖ 9p. variety brownish grey (Queen's head) and phosphor omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 922b, cat. £825, EC GBR1844b. 100 known. Photo. £250-£300
- †**959 ₺ 1973 Explorers** 9p. variety brown-grey printing double, fine unmounted mint, with normal for comparison. S.G. 927b, cat. from £850, EC GBR1854e. Photo. £150-£200
- +960 **②** 1973 Paintings 5p. variety greenish yellow omitted with sheet margin at left (large piece of selvedge stuck to reverse of margin), fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 932b, cat. £1,350, EC GBR1864b. *Approx. 30 known*. Photo. £200-£300
- 961 P 1973 Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference 9p. proof of accepted 8p. design by designer R. Dunner, with 8p. value for comparison, fine. Photo.



†962 • 1973 Christmas 3p. (gum arabic), very fine unmounted mint. left hand marginal imperforate se-tenant horizontal strip of five, scarce. Pierron records only ten mint strips. S.G. 943egb, cat. £7,750. Photo.



Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives continued

- †963 **②** 1977 Racket Sports 8½p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, margin ragged at right and left stamp with small imperfections in lower margin, otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 1022a, cat. £3,750, EC GBR2044a. *Approx. 20 pairs known.* Photo on page 108. £400-£500
- †964 M 1980 Exhibition miniature sheet variety imperforate, superb unmounted mint, very scarce. Pierron records just twelve mint examples. S.G. MS1119a, cat. £6,800. Photo on page 108. £3,000-£3,500
- †965 **②** 1980 Queen Mother 12p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair with sheet margin at right, light gum wrinkle at top otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 1129a, cat. £3,000, EC GBR2258a. *Approx. 20 pairs known*. Photo. £600-£800



†966 • 1984 College of Arms 31p. in a marginal strip of four, the left marginal pair variety imperforate (with faint trace of two vertical indents only at right), fine unmounted mint, very rare. S.G. 1239a, cat. £15,000, EC GBR2478a. Between two and four pairs known. Photo. £2,500-£3,000



- †967 **②** 1985 Royal Mail 31p. in a lower left corner traffic light strip of four, the corner pair variety imperforate, cut close at top, the right stamp with bend and small gum fault otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce. Brandon certificate (2000). S.G. 1292a, cat. £4,500+, EC GBR2584a. *Twelve pairs known*. Photo. £600-£800
- †968 **②** 1987 Studio pottery 34p., very fine unmounted mint, partially perforated vertical traffic light block of six (2 x 3), the left hand column imperforate, light bend across top pair and slight traces of indentations between rows (as per the listed catalogue variety), rare. *This the discovery piece and one of only three pieces recorded by Pierron.* S.G. 1374a. Photo. £4,500-£5,000
- †969 **3** 1988 Bicentenary of Linnean Society 31p., superb unmounted mint. imperforate horizontal pair. Rare, *Pierron records only six mint pairs.* S.G. 1382a, cat. £6,700. Photo. £3,000-£3,500
- †970 � 1991 Bicentennary of Ordnance Survey 24p. in a lower left corner cylinder block of fifteen (5 x 3), the top left stamp variety black (litho) and magenta printings double, the one below with the same variety to a lesser degree, the adjacent vertical pair showing slight doubling of the black, the "1A" and "1B" cylinder numbers also doubled, fine unmounted mint, a very scarce multiple. Brandon certificate (1997). S.G. 1578Eb, cat. £6,400+, EC GBR3156b. *Approx. 10 known.* Photo. £800-£1,000
- †971 1991 Bicentennary of Ordnance Survey 28p., superb unmounted mint example with 26p. for 28p. error of value, rare. *Pierron records only 20 mint examples.* S.G. 1579var, cat. £6,500. Photo. £3,200-£3,500
- †972 **3** 1997 Royal Golden Wedding 20p., very fine unmounted mint top left hand corner marginal imperforate horizontal "1A, 1B, 3C" cylinder pair, light horizontal crease in margin above stamps nevertheless a spectacular and unique positional piece, rare. Pierron records only six mint pairs. S.G. 2011a, cat. £11,000. Photo. £5,000-£6,000

Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives continued

†973 • 1998 Comedians unissued Joyce Grenfell 30p. with sheet margin at foot (folded through perfs.), small light finger mark on gum and margin with gum wrinkles otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce, issued with a face value of 37p. S.G. 2043 var, see footnote, cat. £2,800, EC GBR4086a. *Approx. 30 mint known*. Photo on page 110.

£400-£500



- †974 © 2003 Greetings stamps "Occasions". Very fine unmounted mint imperforate right hand corner marginal "Q3" cylinder block of twelve (two se-tenant blocks of six). A couple of small gum wrinkles as to be expected on such a large multiple, not detracting and mentioned purely for accuracy, scarce. Pierron records only ten mint blocks. S.G. 2337b, cat. £9,500. Photo. £4,200-£4,500
- 975 ☆ M 2012 Olympics Gold Medal Winners complete set of 29 sheetlets of six, and 2012 Paralympics Gold Medal Winners complete set of 34 sheetlets of two, in a hingeless Davo album. S.G. 3342a-3370a, 3372a-3405a.

£120-£150



Queen Elizabeth II Machins

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- (a) the DB and SB numbering systems for books;
- (b) the DP numbering system for book panes;
- (c) the coding system for perforation types for book panes;
- (d) the Type numbering system for 'window' stamp books.

1967-70 Machins

x976 ♣ An accumulation on stockpages with singles and multiples, range of cylinder blocks, booklet panes mostly with cylinder numbers, selection of missing phosphors, 4d. 'Method' pane ex Cook booklet on uncoated paper with good perfs., etc. £80-£100

Decimal Machins

- A group comprising imperf. 2nd PiP self-adhesive pair, 6p. yellow-olive phosphor omitted, and 3½p. deep olivegreen OCP/PVAD block of four, mainly fine.
- x978 ♠ An accumulation on stockpages with high values incl. 1977-87 to £5 in blocks of four, 1997 Enschede Castle set of cylinder singles, stitched booklet panes with perf. types, Frama labels, postage due sets to £5, etc. £100-£120
- †979 An accumulation in envelopes from the John Deering specialised new issue service, for the years 1992 to 1994, with cylinder and warrant number blocks, high values, coil strips, many booklets incl. folded cylinders, Window NVI incl. scarce plate numbers, Walsall blind at base and bar books, Christmas books, flaws, etc. £400-£500
- X980 ❖ A group of imperforate pairs comprising ½p. turquoise PCP, 7p. purple-brown centre band (head B2), 9p. deep violet, 12½p. light emerald, 16p. olive-drab, 18p. deep olive-grey (2 pairs) and 40p. turquoise-blue, also blocks of eight or ten partly imperf. (showing indents) with 2½p. magenta FCP/GA, 6½p. greenish blue centre band (head B1) and 50p. ochre-brown non phosphor, a few gum wrinkles, mainly fine. (11 items) £400-£450
- X981 A group of errors with missing phosphors incl. 3½p. OCP/PVA cylinder 1 dot block of six, 5p. OCP/PVA, 7½p. OCP/PVA single and block of four, missing phosphor booklet panes incl. S.G. prestige booklet se-tenant pane DP57, 6p. OCP/PVA uncoated paper in a block of ten, etc., a few gum wrinkles, mainly fine. (14 items)

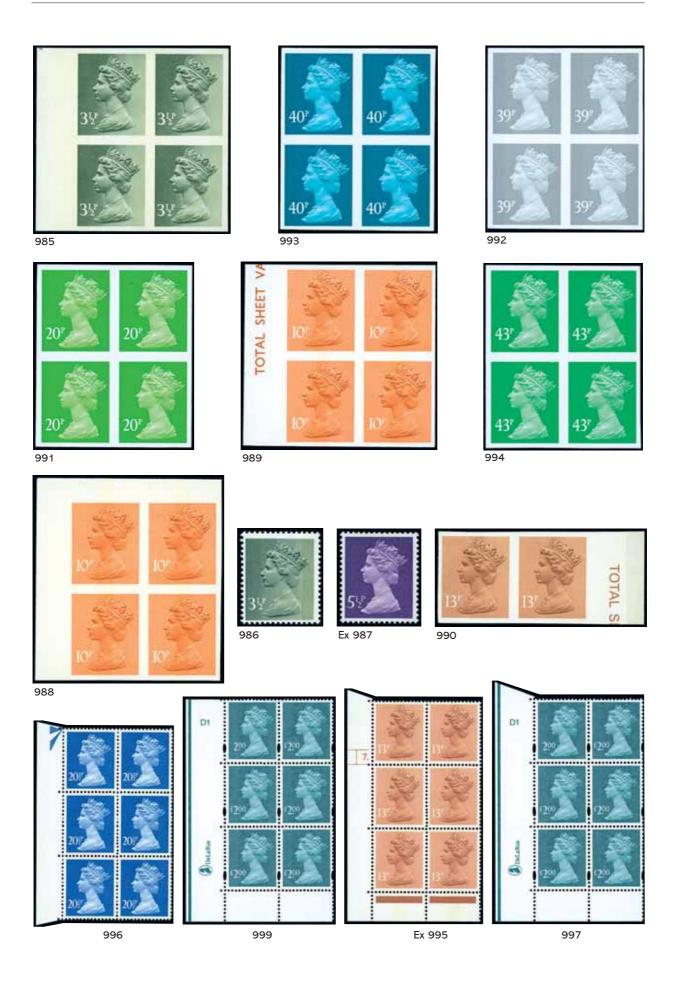
£120-£150

A selection of imperforate pairs with 7p. bright magenta, 10p. orange-brown centre band (vertical pair, slight indents), 15½p. pale violet, 16p. olive-drab, 18p. deep olive-grey (2), 19p. bistre (one torn), 22p. blue (one has mark on gum), mainly fine. (8 items)

Decimal Machins: Denominated Issues



- x983 **Q** ½p. turquoise-blue Harrison photo FCP/GA two bands variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, some gum wrinkles otherwise fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. X841a, cat. £3,500. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- x984 ½p. turquoise-blue Harrison photo PCP/PVAD group of imperforate items with pairs (4, one vertical) and a block of four, a few gum wrinkles, mainly fine. £150-£200



Decimal Machins: Denominated Issues continued

- †985 🗗 3½p. olive-grey Harrison photo FCP/PVAD two bands, variety imperforate in a left margin block of four, a few small gum wrinkles otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X858a, cat. £1,200. Photo. £280-£300
- †986 ❖ 3½p. deep olive-brown Harrison photo FCP/PVAD two bands, the scarce faulty ink mix error, fine unmounted mint. B.P.A. certificate (1990). S.G. Spec. U116(2), cat. £950. Photo. £200-£250
- x987 ❖ 5½p. violet Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band variety uncoated paper, fine unmounted mint, with normal. S.G. X869a, cat. £400. Photo. £80-£100
- †988 ♣ 10p. orange-brown Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band, variety imperforate in a top left corner block of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X888a, cat. £750. Photo. £180-£200
- x989 � ⊞ 10p. orange-brown Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band, variety imperforate in a left margin block of four, a few light gum wrinkles otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X888a, cat. £750. Photo. £200-£250
- †990 ♣ 13p. pale chestnut Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band, new phosphor ink, variety imperforate in a right margin horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. U218da, cat. £800. Photo. £180-£200
- †991 � ⊞ 20p. bright green De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA two bands, variety imperforate in a block of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1687a, cat. £850. Photo. £100-£150
- +992 � ⊞ 39p. grey De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands, variety imperforate in a block of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1709a, cat. £650. Photo. £80-£100
- †993 ♣ 40p. turquoise-blue De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands, variety imperforate in a block of four, small gum wrinkle at top otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1711a, cat. £1,700. Photo. £200-£300
- †994 ❖ ⊞ 43p. emerald De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands, variety imperforate in a block of four fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1718a, cat. £600. Photo. £100-£120

Decimal Machins: Denominated Issues - 17 pin

- †995 ₺ 🖪 Denominated Issues: 17 pin: 13p. pale chestnut FCP/PVAD centre band, two cylinder 7p18 dot blocks of six, one showing the error at row 18, the other at row 19, fine and scarce. S.G. Spec. U218, cat. £800. Photo. £120-£150
- †996 ♣ Denominated Issues: 17 pin: 20½p. ultramarine PCP/PVAD in a block of six with the centre pair showing the error, fine and very scarce. S.G. Spec. U278. Photo.

Decimal Machins: High Values

- †997 � 2003-05 De La Rue ATN £2 in a D1 D1 pD1 no dot cylinder block of six with [R. 18/1] missing "£" sign, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. U491, a. Photo. £80-£100
- †**998 ₺** 🖪 £2 in a D1 D1 pD1 no dot cylinder block of six with [R. 18/1] missing "£" sign, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. U491, a. Photo on page 116. £80-£100
- x999 - £2 in a D1 D1 pD1 no dot cylinder block of six with [R. 18/1] missing "£" sign, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. U491, a. Photo. £80-£100

Decimal Machins: Booklet Panes

x1000 ■ 2p. x 6 pane DP42 ex 1980 Wedgwood book, variety phosphor printed both sides, the bands on reverse slightly weak at foot, fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. Spec. UEP7c, cat. £800. Photo on page 116. £120-£150

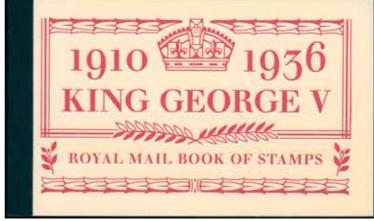
Decimal Machins: Booklets



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Decimal Machins: Booklets continued

- 1002 ❖ B A specialised collection of 10p. to £2 folded machine booklets in two booklet albums with card variations, imprints and settings, perf. types, comb and rotary perfs., 4mm and 4½mm phosphor variations, good range of cylinder numbers, scarce incl. £1 Mills 4 cylinder B45 B2 pB89, missing phosphor numbers, errors and varieties incl. wide range of constant flaws, miscuts incl. 10p. Oast Houses, few missing phosphors, reversed phosphors, etc. (approx. 575)
- †1003 ♠ £1.20 Write Now right margin book miscut, two examples, one plain, the other with cylinder B12 p62 at row 2, each trimmed at top as usual, very scarce. S.G. Spec. UFB41A, cat. £1,400. Photo. £180-£200
- †1004 B £5 Scots Connection booklet with the se-tenant pane DP123 completely imperforate, small bend at foot of pane, rare. £550-£600

Decimal Machins: Window Booklets

Decimal Machins: Self-adhesive Booklets

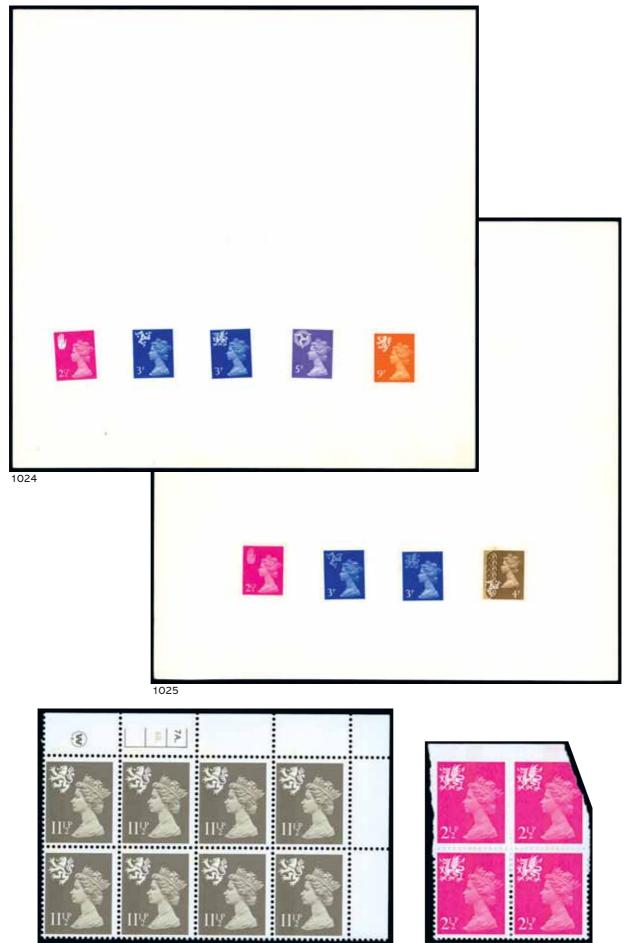
- 1006 ☆ B A specialised collection to 2014 in two booklet albums, with plain and cylinder examples, dull and bright fluors, some short and inset bands, with denominated and NVI issues, overseas rate books, label and promotional books, Machin plus special issue series, 1st and 2nd Large issues, PIP books, etc. (approx. 315) £1,000-£1,200
- †**1007** B **2001 Submarines** plain booklet variety imperforate, some creasing, very scarce. S.G. 2207ab, cat. £5,250. Photo. £300-£400

Decimal Machins: Post and Go Issues

1008 A selection in a stockbook and loose, incl. unused, used on covers, also a range of overseas Frama labels, etc. (100s) £200-£250

Queen Elizabeth II: Booklets

- 1009 ♣ B 1969 to 2014 (Apr.) Prestige booklets complete in two albums, with two examples of some, mainly 2011 to 2013 issues. (75) £400-£500
- 1010 B A selection of NVI booklets in a folder. incl. blocks of four and ten, Europe, Worldwide, Greetings, etc. (132)
 £350-£400
- 1011 🗘 B 1984 to 2007 selection of Prestige booklets, incl. 1999 Profile (2), 2003 Perfect Coronation, etc. (74) £250-£300
- 1012 B 1990 to 2013 collection of Christmas booklets in a booklet album with plain and cylinder examples, some with both no dot and dot where issued, etc. (108) £350-£400
- 1013 🗘 B A selection of decimal booklets in eight folders, incl. folded, stitched, greetings, etc. (few 100s)
- †1015 ■ B 2010 Centenary of Accession of King George V booklet with the last pane showing unusual splash of red ink, fine. S.G DX50 var. Photo. £120-£150



Queen Elizabeth II: Booklet Panes

1016 ☐ 1972 to 2011 Prestige booklet panes complete unmounted mint, in two Windsor Sovereign albums with slipcase.
£250-£300

Greetings Booklets

- 1017 1990 to 1998 collection in a booklet album with plain and cylinder books, reprint issues, range of cylinder books, etc. (60) £200-£220
- †1018 ♥ B 1996 Cartoons Greetings books (6) all with two phosphor bands panes, fine. S.G. KX8a. £80-£100

Post Office Label Sheets

- 1019 2000 to 2003 complete Royal Mail issues, in an album with 2001 Consignia sheets, mainly fine unmounted. (33 items) £300-£350
- 2000 to 2013 a complete collection in four folders, incl. 2001 Consignia sheets, some duplicates and a few used sheets, etc. (129)
- 1021 2003 to 2014 "Stampex" sheets complete with some duplication, also other private sheets, etc. (59) £150-£200

Signed Covers

1022 An extensive collection of mainly RAF Museum covers in twelve large cover albums contained in three cartons with range of Series incl. C1, many covers are signed with medal winners, escapees, pilots, etc. (many 100s)

£800-£1,000

A collection of RAF Museum covers in nine albums and loose contained in two cartons with a range of different series with many signed incl. W.W.II pilots, escapees, also a copy of the catalogue. (100s) £500-£600

Regionals

- A group of unissued decimal designs hinged to the inside of a Harrison presentation folder, comprising Northern Ireland 2½p. and I.O.M. 3p. in issued colours but with different symbols, I.O.M. 5p. similar to issued design but with a thicker symbol, a higher set value and printed in dark violet, and Scotland 9p. in issued design but printed in bright orange-red, also with Wales 3p. in issued design and colour, all without phosphor bands, the reverse of the folder with typed "Regional Decimals A" and reference numbers against each value. Photo.

 £1,200-£1,500
- A group of unissued decimal designs hinged to the inside of a Harrison presentation folder, comprising Northern Ireland 2½p. and I.O.M. 3p. in issued colours but with different symbols, Wales 3p. in issued design and colour but with symbol coloured, and I.O.M. 4p. design printed in ochre-brown (toned perf. at top), all without phosphor bands, the reverse of the folder with typed "Decimal Regionals B" and reference numbers against each value. Photo.
 £1,200-£1,500
- †1026 ■ Scotland: 11½p. drab Waddington litho FCP/PVA in a plate 7A 6B p1A dot top right corner block of eight, a few light gum wrinkles mainly in margin otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. Spec. XSL1, cat. £1,100. Photo.
- †1027 ★ ⊞ Wales: 1971 2½p. bright magenta block of four, the top pair imperf. between stamps and margin, otherwise with indents, mounted in margin only, top right stamp torn, the left vertical pair fine. Photo. £60-£70

First Day Covers: Collections

1028 № 1924 to 1970 collection of first day covers (approx. 445) in four albums incl. 1935 Jubilee forged illustrated Westminster cover, 1948 Wedding set on illustrated registered cover, also set in blocks on registered stationery envelope, 1951 High Values on plain cover, later illustrated incl. 1952-54 Tudor values to 1s., 1959 Phosphor Graphite sets (2), rarer handstamp's and c.d.s. with 1961 Savings Bank Blythe Road, 1963 Paris with Norwich slogan, 1963 Red Cross both ordinary and phosphor sets with West Wellow c.d.s., 1964 Botanical phosphor set with Kew Gardens, also Channel Islands, Regionals, etc. Condition is a little varied with some toning in places.

£1,000-£1,200

First Day Covers: Collections continued

- 1029

 1957 to 2000 collection of Regional mainly f.d.c. in three albums incl. Scotland 1963 Phosphor cachet covers, etc. (approx. 270)

 £150-£200
- 1030

 1957 to 2000s accumulation in ten albums, incl. 1957 Parliamentary Conference airletter with 4d. stamp tied special SW1 handstamp, 1963 Red Cross phosphor and non-phosphor with Centenary slogan, etc., later to 2000s, mainly fine. (100s)

 £100-£120
- 1031 № 1969 to 1982 collection of Abbey illustrated first day covers (120 approx) in two albums with range of handstamps, etc. £100-£120
- 1032

 1970 collection of commemorative and definitive mainly illustrated first day covers (approx. 130) in an album with range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1970 Christmas with Lilleshall Parish Church handstamp, etc. £120-£150
- 1033 № 1971 to 1999 collection of illustrated first day covers (2950 approx) in varied condition in thirty cover albums contained in six cartons with an extensive range of commemorative issues many with special handstamps and c.d.s incl. 1972 Churches with Festival of Berkswell on official hand addressed cover, 1974 Fire Cambridgeshire Fire and Rescue on hand addressed official cover, 1978 Coronation Temple of Jerusalem official cover, slogans, Benhams with many wood cut issues, some signed, definitives, booklet panes, etc. £1,500-£2,000
- 1034 ☑ 1971 (Feb.) to 1972 (May) collection of commemorative and definitive mainly illustrated first day covers (145 approx) in an album with range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1971 Ulster set of rare handstamps all but one on hand addressed covers, 1971 Literary Anniversaries with Shanklin and National Collectors handstamps, 1971 General Anniversaries with Royal British Legion, Royal Football Union Twickenham and Rugby handstamps, 1971 Christmas Booklet panes with Southampton postmark, etc. £250-£300
- 1035

 An accumulation of decimal f.d.c's in nine albums and loose contained in two cartons with range of handstamps and c.d.s., Benhams, some signed, RFDC, also some other items with Prestige booklets, etc. (100s) £200-£250
- 1036 ☑ 1972 (June) to 1973 (Sept.) collection of commemorative and definitive mainly first day covers (approx. 190) in an album with range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1972 Churches Earls Barton c.d.s, St Augustines Church and Festival of Berkswell handstamps, 1972 B.B.C. Radio Leicester Official cover signed, 1973 Cricket with some signed, etc. £250-£300
- 1037

 1973 (Sept.) to 1974 (Oct.) collection of commemorative and definitive mainly illustrated first day covers (approx. 165) in an album with range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1973 Wedding with Chinese Exhibition handstamp on Official cover, 1973 Christmas Lewis Carroll cancellation on non official cover, 1974 (Feb. 10) Adhesives on two covers London postmarks, 1974 Fire Men of Courage slogan on single value cover, 1974 Britons Cardross c.d.s. on single value (4½p.) cover, Trustees saving bank handstamp on Philart cover, 1974 Churchill Rotary Club handstamp, Churcill Bristol and Oxford c.d.s. on registered covers, etc.

 £400-£500
- 1038 ☑ 1973 to 2003 collection of approximately 900 Railway commemorative covers and cards in thirteen albums with many Benham small and large silks, British Rail series, range of handstamps and cancellations, a number are signed covers many by Rev. W.V. Awdry, etc. £200-£250
- 1039 ☑ 1973 to 2016 collection of PHQ cards in twenty three albums contained in three cartons with earlier issues both unused and used f.d.i. incl. 1973 Cricket, Inigo Jones (extra unused copy), 1974 Fire, comprehensive range of later issues f.d.i. (100s) £100-£150
- 1040 1974 (Oct.) to 1975 (Sept.) collection of commemorative and definitive mainly illustrated first day covers (approx. 135) in an album with range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1974 Salvation Army Christmas Market handstamp on Philart cover, 1975 Charity Stoke Charity c.d.s. on registered cover, 1975 Turner with Petworth and Turners Hill c.d.s, 1975 Architecture Chester and Leicester slogans on single value Benham woodcut covers, etc.

£300-£400

1941 ☑ 1975 (July) to 76 (Sept.) collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 165) in an album with commemorative and definitive issues with a range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1975 Jane Austin set of single value Benham Wood cut covers each with Bicentenary slogan cancellation, 1976 Christmas Angels Hill c.d.s. on registered cover, 1976 Telephone set of single value Benham Wood cut covers each with Samaritans slogan cancellation, 1976 Roses Rose Truro (hand addressed), Rose Cottage, Glamis and Kew Garden c.d.s. (last three covers are registered), 1976 Caxton with Caxton, Fleet Street and Tenterden c.d.s., etc. £300-£400

- 1042 ☑ 1975 to 2004 collection of Railway commemorative covers and cards in nine albums contained in a carton with 1975, 1994 and 2004 Railway issues with a range of f.d.c's with many different handstamps and cancellations incl. 1975 Railway rare slogan cancellations on single value Benham woodcut covers, various Benham collections with "The End of an Era", "Anniversary of the T.P.O", G.W.R., etc. (approx. 350) £200-£250
- 1043 ☑ 1976 (July) to 1977 (July) collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 185) in an album with commemorative and definitive issues with a range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1976 65p booklet panes on two covers with Windsor handstamp, 1976 Cultural Traditions Canterbury Exhibition handstamp, 1976 Christmas with c.d.s., 1977 Racket Sports with Wimbledon c.d.s. on registered cover, etc. £200-£250
- 1044 № 1976 (June) to 1977 (Dec.) collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 150) in an album with commemorative and definitive issues, range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1977 Wildlife with c.d.s selection, etc. £100-£120
- 1045
 1977 to 1999 collection of Railway commemorative covers and cards (295) in five albums, mainly RHDR and GWR series with a range of handstamps, cachets and cancellations incl. 1977 Wildlife with Badgers Mount, railway letter stamps, Benham small and large silks, etc.
 £150-£200
- 1046

 1978 to 1980 collection of Benham commemorative f.d.c. (269) in seven albums mainly complete sets or gutter pairs with range of handstamps and c.d.s, many are signed.

 £250-£300
- 1047

 1978 (Jan.-May) selection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 125) in an album, commemorative and definitive issues, c.d.s and handstamp range incl. 1978 Energy Seascale, Bacton, Gruden Bay, Coalville c.d.s., etc.

£150-£200

- 1948 ☑ 1978 (June) to 1979 (Mar.) collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 140) in an album with commemorative and definitive issues with a range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1978 Horses with c.d.s. incl. Aintree, Lerwick, 1978 Cycling with Mind that Bike slogans, 1979 (Feb. 5) 70p. and 90p. booklet panes and covers on pair of covers with Kedleston c.d.s., 1979 Dogs with Isle of Dogs and Dog and Gun c.d.s., 1979 Flowers with various c.d.s. and both Bath and Spalding slogans, etc. £200-£250
- 1049 1979 collection of commemorative and definitive mainly illustrated first day covers (approx. 290) in two albums with range of handstamps and c.d.s. incl. 1979 Year of The Child Barnados and Give A Child A Home slogan cancellations, etc.
- 1050

 1980 to 1981 collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's in seven albums with commemorative and definitive issues with a range of handstamps, slogan cancellations and c.d.s. incl. 1981 Wedding with Royal Westminster Exhibition slogan, etc. (100s)

 £300-£400
- 1051

 1980 to 1989 collection of Benham commemorative f.d.c. (approx. 1300) in twenty eight albums mainly complete sets with range of handstamps and c.d.s., many signed incl. politicians, sportsmen, military figures and other celebrities.

 £1,000-£1,200
- 1052

 1980 to 1996 comprehensive collection of Benham small silk covers and cards in twenty one albums in three cartons

 £100-£120
- 1053
 1980 to 1996 extensive collection of Benham small silk covers and cards in twenty five albums and loose contained in three cartons with some other Countries issues included. (many 100s) £80-£100
- 1054

 1980 to 2007 collection of unaddressed illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 780) with commemorative sets all with special handstamps, definitives incl. booklet panes, most with Windsor handstamps, etc. £200-£250
- 1055

 1982 to 89 collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's in seven albums with commemorative and definitive issues with a range of handstamps, slogan cancellations and c.d.s. (many 100s)

 £300-£400
- 1056

 1982 to 2005 extensive collection of Benham definitive f.d.c's in twenty seven Benham cover albums with high values incl. gutter pairs and blocks incl. 1993 Britannia £10 plate 1A block, other values in plate and cylinder blocks, booklet panes with machin, Greetings and Prestige issues, Regionals, Postage Dues, range of handstamps and c.d.s., a few are signed, etc. (approx. 1350)

 £700-£900
- 1057
 1984 to 1990 collection of Benham f.d.c's (approx. 390) in seven albums mainly commemorative sets with range of handstamps, c.d.s., selection of Gold series limited editions, a few signed, etc. £300-£400

First Day Covers: Collections continued

- 1058

 1990 to 1999 collection of Benham commemorative f.d.c. (1120 approx) in twenty three albums mainly complete sets with range of handstamps and c.d.s, many signed incl. politicians, sportsmen, military figures and other celebrities

 £1,000-£1,200
- 1059
 1990 to 1999 collection of Benham f.d.c's (approx. 675) in thirteen albums mainly commemorative sets but with some high value definitives and booklet panes, with range of handstamps, c.d.s., selection of Gold series limited editions, some are signed, a few Pilgrim covers, etc.
 £500-£700
- 1060

 1990 to 2000 collection of mainly illustrated f.d.c's in five albums with commemorative and definitive issues with a range of handstamps, slogan cancellations and c.d.s. (many 100s)

 £250-£300
- 1061

 2000 to 2003 collection of Benham f.d.c's (approx. 190) in four albums mainly commemorative sets but with some high value definitives, and booklet panes, with range of handstamps, selection of Gold series limited editions, a few are signed, etc.

 £150-£200
- 2000 to 2016 extensive collection of illustrated first day covers (approx. 5,000) in seventy two albums and loose contained in twelve cartons with both commemorative and definitive issues, various cover producers but majority are Benhams, with special handstamps, miniature sheets, booklet panes, Post and Go, Smilers, a few covers signed, 2012 Olympics, etc. £1,500-£2,000

Postage Dues

- A collection in an album, incl. 1914-22 to 1s. (2) mint, 1924-31 to 2s.6d. mint, 1936-37 to 2s.6d. mint and used, 1954-55 to 2s.6d. mint, 1955-57 to 5s. mint, multiples, a few covers, etc., later with issues to 1994, mainly fine. (100s)
- 1064 № 1902 to 1992, A collection of covers and cards in two folders, incl. range of frankings, handstamps, mail from overseas, etc. (185 items) £180-£200
- 1065 S 1914-22 ½d. to 1s. set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, occasional light gum wrinkle otherwise fine with full gum (unmounted). S.G. D1s-D8s, Spec. R1s-R8s, cat. £390+. £80-£100
- 1066 S ½d. to 1s. set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, occasional light gum wrinkle otherwise fine with gum. Spec. R1s-R8s, cat. £390.

Channel Islands and Isle of Man

- An unmounted mint collection of Alderney, Guernsey, Jersey and Isle of Man in seven Lighthouse hingless albums and a stockbook contained in two cartons with a comprehensive range of issues to 2016, also 1937 Coronation Omnibus sets mint in a special album. (100s)

 £400-£500
- A range of sets and minature sheets from 1980 to 2015, unmounted mint and used for Alderney, Guernsey and Isle of Man, in two well filled stockbooks also unaddressed illustrated f.d.c's (approx. 680) £250-£300
- 1069 1994 to 2013, an unmounted mint accumulation in twelve albums, incl. Guernsey, Alderney, Isle Of Man and Jersey largely complete for the period, mainly fine. (100s) £150-£200
- 1070 Revenues: A selection on stockleaves, incl. Guernsey, Isle of Man 1889 £1 (2, one overprinted "SPECIMEN"), 1904 £1, 1921 £1, 1951 £1, 1960 set mint, Jersey 1979 £100 and 1981 £500 both overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., varied condition. (175) £200-£250
- W.W.II Red Cross Forms and Envelopes: A well written up collection on large display leaves, incl. range of different types with Prisoners of War, Wounded and Missing Department, Foreign Relations Department, Summary Form used at Lisbon with violet boxed "RED CROSS BUREAU", Bradshaw Advice cards (14), Window envelopes used at Geneva (12), without window envelopes (2), range of censor marks and Red Cross cachets, etc. (73 items)

Guernsey

1072 1940-99 collection of mainly illustrated first day covers and cards in twelve albums contained in two cartons with some Wartime issues incl. 1942 Bank note paper on plain cover, Benham small and large silks, also Alderney, etc. (100s) £120-£150

- 1969 to 2010, a collection in four boxed albums, largely complete for the period unmounted mint and used, also
 Alderney complete from 1983 to 2010 unmounted mint and used, mainly fine. (100s)
 £150-£200
- 1074 \(\) 1969 to 2016 extensive collection of illustrated first day covers and cards in sixteen albums and loose contained in two cartons with Post Office, Benham and Cotswold issues, also Alderney. (100s) £100-£150

Isle of Man

1075
1958 to 1999 collection of illustrated covers and cards in eleven albums contained in two cartons with a selection of earlier regional issues, Benham small and large silks, special handstamps, a few are signed, etc. (100s)

£120-£150

- 1076

 1969 to 2016 extensive collection of illustrated first day covers in eleven albums and loose contained in two cartons with Post Office, Benham and Cotswold issues. (100s)

 £100-£150
- 1077 1973 to 2010, a collection in four boxed albums, largely complete unmounted mint and used, mainly fine. (100s) £150-£200

Jersey

- 1078

 1941 to 1999 collection of mainly illustrated first day covers and cards in nine albums with Benham large and small silks, etc. (100s)

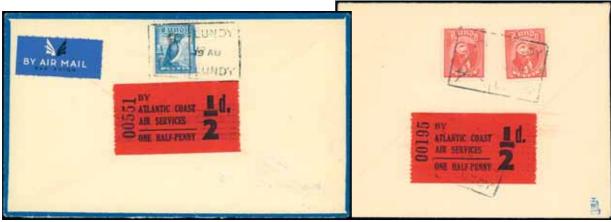
 £80-£100
- 1079 1969 to 2010, a collection in four boxed albums, largely complete unmounted mint and used for the period, mainly fine. (100s) £150-£200
- 1080 1969 to 2016 extensive collection of illustrated first day covers and cards in nine albums albums and loose contained in two cartons with Post Office, Benham and Cotswold issues, (100s)



1081 № 1865 cover to Caen franked by 1856-58 1d. (4), tied by gros chiffres "3734" and with octagonal "ANGL B.M./St MALO" datestamp in red, manuscript "12" rate mark. Brandon certificate (1997). Photo. £250-£300



1082 � ⊞ 1979 Cattle Conference 25p. with variety gold printing double, in a fine unmounted mint traffic light block of four from the lower right corner of the sheet with normal block for comparison, scarce. S.G. 203 var, C JEY406a, cat. £1,600 for singles. Approx. twenty mint examples known. Photo. £100-£150



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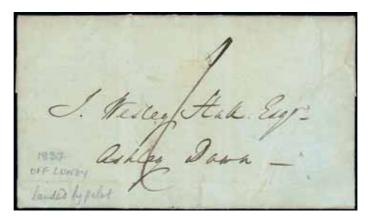






The 'Bristol' Collection of Lundy

Postal History



x1083 ≤ 1837 entire written and headed "Off Lundy", addressed to Ashley Down and landed at Bristol receiving an 1837 Bristol backstamp. Accompanied by typed transcript. A very rare early letter. Photo. £2,000-£3,000

1929-30 First Definitives

x1084 P The set of five values in imperforate imprint proof blocks of ten with selvedge on three sides, on thin ungummed paper. Photo.

 $x1085 \boxplus P$ The set of five values in imperforate proofs cross gutter blocks of four, on thin ungummed paper, unique. Photo. £250-£300



x1086 P The set of five values in imperforate proof horizontal gutter pairs, on thin ungummed paper. Photo. £100-£150

X1087 A superb written up and well illustrated collection comprising transfer types, cross gutter and imprint blocks, full panes of ½p., 1p. and 6p. (2), plus study of colour changes on 6p. value. £100-£150

X1088 ★ A collection of covers and cards incl. straight line "LUNDY" cancellation Bc (heavily inked), 'Received from H.M. Ships', several early usages, plus 1930 inward cover to "Postmaster, Lundy" endorsed "Closed" and returned to sender with several datestamps and cachets. (15) £200-£250

A.C.A.S. Tram Tickets: First Printing

x1089 ★ A selection of twelve mint and one used on stocksheet, comprises ½d. roll 1, roll 2 (2), roll 3, roll 5, roll 6, and roll 7 used, 3d. roll 1 (2), roll 2 (3) and roll 4. (13) £150-£200

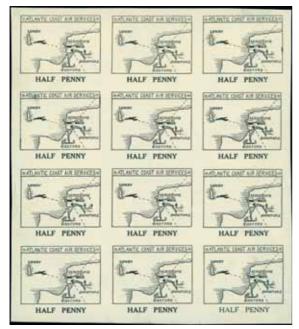
x1090 № ½d. Tram Ticket 00155 from roll 1 on outward Pitman cover and ½d. 00257 from roll 1 uncancelled on outward cover. (2) £100-£150

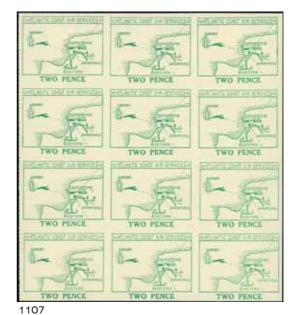
x1091 № ½d. Tram Ticket 00195 from roll 1, overfranked with ½d. definatives (2) on neat outward Pitman cover with Barnstaple 2 Sept. 1935 cancellation. Photo. £100-£150

x1092 № ½d. Tram Ticket 00677 from roll 2, mint and 00551 on illustrated outward Pitman airmail cover. Photo.

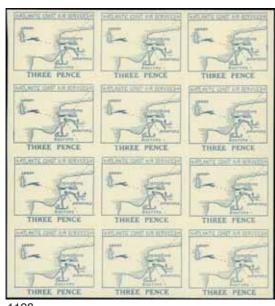
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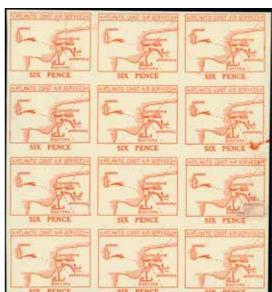
x1093 ⋈ ½d. Tram Ticket 01685 from roll 4 uncancelled on outward Pitman cover and 02318 roll 5 on outward cover. (2) £100-£150





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A.C.A.S. Tram Tickets: First Printing continued

- x1094 ★ ½d. Tram Ticket 01841 from roll 4 mint, very rare, one of only two examples recorded, plus 01944 on pilot signed outward cover. £300-£400
- x1095 № ½d. Tram Ticket 02053 from roll 5 mint and 02368 on neat outward cover to Isle of Man, plus ½d. 03042 from roll 7 on outward cover.
- x**1096** № ½d. Tram Ticket 02324 from roll 5 on pilot signed outward cover cancelled Braunton 28 Sept. 1935, franked with Silver Jubilee ½d., 1d. Photo on page 124. £70-£80
- x1097 ★ ½d. roll 3 strip of three mint without gum, roll 6 mint and 3d. rolls 1 and 2 mint and roll 4 unmounted mint. (7).
 £70-£80
- x1098 ≥ 3d. Tram Ticket 00665 from roll 2 with type Ce cancellation in bright blue on 1938 (Sept. 15) Millcombe Hose postcard bearing K.E.VIII 2½d., to Stanard in Chattanooga, with a message signed by him. Also bearing a 1929 Lundy 1p. corner marginal example tied to picture side at left of tram ticket. Only eight examples of roll 2 are recorded used, of wich only four are known on cover. Photo on page 124. £250-£300
- x1099 ≥ 3d. Tram Ticket 01692 from roll 4 on pilot signed outward cover alongside 3d. A.C.A.S. large map stamp, both cancelled by type Cb 1936 (Apr. 15), with Lundy ½p. definitive tied by type Bb cancellation below. £100-£150
- x1100 № 1936 (Mar. 31) cover bearing ½d. 02177 from roll 5 and 3d. 01622 from roll 4 alongside a Lundy ½p. definitive, all tied by 1936 (Mar. 31) type Cb cancellation, the front franked by 1934-36 ½d., 1d., cancelled by 1936 (Mar. 31)

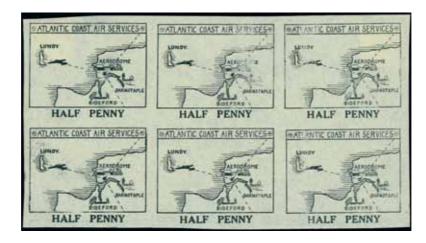
 Barnstaple cancellation, with typed heading "Last Day Cover" at upper left. Photo on page 124. £120-£150

A.C.A.S. Tram Tickets: Second Printing

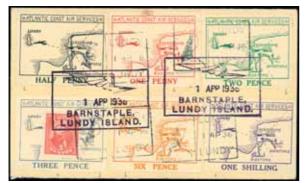
- x1101 ★ ½d. roll 9 (2), roll 10, 1d. roll 1, roll 2 (2), 3d. roll 5 (2), roll 6, mint, mainly unmounted. (10) £100-£150
- x1102 ★ ½d. roll 10, 1d. roll 1 and 3d. roll 5, in mint strips of four. The 1d. strip has an additional 1d. tram ticket partially stuck to the back. (13) £100-£150
- x1103 ★ ½d. roll 10 (3, one used), 1d. roll 1, roll 2 (2), 3d. roll 5 (2), roll 6., mainly mint. (9) £100-£150
- X1104 ★ A selection of covers and cards incl. ½d. roll 9 on two outward covers (plus one mint example), ½d. roll 10 on last day pilot signed cover and 1d. on outward postcard to Stanard at Lundy 9p. rate (4 + 1 mint). £200-£250

A.C.A.S. Large Maps

x1105 P ½d. original imperf. proof sheet of twelve (i), on ungummer paper, with clear example of the extremely rare "Thin Lettering" variety (ii) [R. 4/3], fine. Photo.

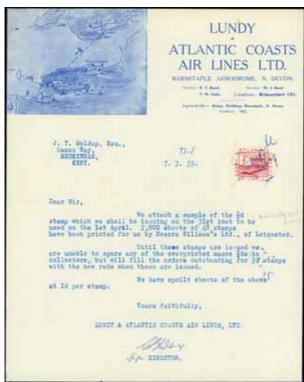


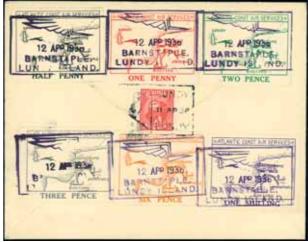
- x1106 P ½d. original imperf. proof block of six, from the top half of the sheet, on previously unrecorded very thin ungummed paper, fine. Aitchison 11 (i). Photo.
- x1107 ★ 2d. in full mint sheet of twelve with vertical roulettes only, all horizontal roulettes omitted. Aitchison 13e, cat. £1,350. Photo. £350-£400



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Ex 1115



Ex 1122



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A.C.A.S. Large Maps continued

- x1108 ★ 3d. in full mint sheet of twelve with vertical roulettes only, all horizontal roulettes omitted. Aitchison 16e, cat. £1,350. Photo on page 126. £350-£400
- x1109 P 6d. imperf. proof in vermilion (red) (vi), in full sheet of twelve on gummed paper, with a few interesting ink marks and a fingerprint from the printing process. Photo on page 126.
- x1110 P 6d. imperf. proof in vermilion (red) (vi), in full sheet of twelve with strong offset on reverse, gum washed off but very rare. Aitchison 13viii. Photo ona page 126.
- x1111 P 1s. in full imperf. proof sheet of twelve on gummed paper, one stamp thinned, otherwise fine and rare. Aitchison 15ix. Photo on page 126.
- x1112 ★ A selection of covers and cards bearing ½d. value incl. first day, registered K.E.VIII, pilot signed, and two cards to Stanard, one of which has a signed message from him. (8) £100-£150
- x1113 ™ Two covers with "Air service to Lundy suspended for duration of War" cachets (E) incl. 2d. on incoming cover from Antigua and 6d. on K.G.VI postal stationery envelope, plus censored cover from Gibraltar to Captain Smye without the cachet. (3) £100-£150
- x1114 🖂 ½d. to 1s. set used on 1936 (Apr. 1) first day cover. Only ten believed to exist, fine and rare. Photo. £300-£350
- x1115 № 4d. to 1s. set used on 1936 (Apr. 12) cover to Bristol and 1938 (Apr. 25) registered cover to U.S.A. Photo. £200-£250
- x1116 № 4d. used on three Pitman covers incl. Maiden Voyage of Queen Mary and two "Ocean Mails S.S. Bayano". (3) £100-£150
- x1117 № 1d. bisected on 1936 Pitman cover with illustrated cachet for the first flight from Harrington Harbour to Rimouski.

 Aitchison 12h. Photo. £250-£300
- x1118 ★ An unused selection incl. 1d. full sheet of twelve, 3d. vertical pair without horizontal roulettes between, mint and unmounted mint set, etc. £200-£250

L.A.C.A.L. Issues

- X1119 Original leaflet stating air fares to Lundy in black on yellow paper plus album pages with selection of photos of essays for unaccepted Devon air and H.M.S. Montague stamp designs, signed on the back by the designer, John Dyke.
- x1120 ⊞ P 1937 small Air Stamp block of four imperf. proof in violet on white paper with offset on reverse, pair of proofs on yellow paper, plus sheetlet of four reprint proofs in black on beige paper. Aitchison 18e(vi), (vii), (ix).

£70-£80

- x1121 ½d. violet overprinted airstamp, six mint examples, and nine covers incl. illustrated map covers with 1939 (Jan. 1) cancellations, several signed by Stanard, several covers to U.S.A incl. postage due use, and example used on G.P.O. Pavilion, Glasgow exhibition card, interesting group.

 £120-£150
- x1122 ★ ½d. violet overprinted airstamp displaying "Attantic" error, a mint example and another used on an inland "Phillips" cover, rare. Aitchison 18a. Photo. £250-£300
- x1123 ★ ½d. violet airstamp, seven mint examples incl. a block of four, a block of eight (creased) and a pair of proof (iv) in violet on white ungummed paper, also a first day cover. £120-£150
- x1124 № ½d. violet airstamp on commercial cover to U.S.A. with type Da "L.A.C.A.L. AIR POST" cancellation, plus used on first day cover, and on "Orcadian" Orkney-Inverness illustrated airmail cover with type Ce cancellation, plus another seven covers or cards. (17) £200-£250
- x1125 ½d. red airstamp, a selection of mint stamps incl. full sheet, imperf. proof pair, double impression (2), and positional varieties. Plus three first day covers, inward first flight cover from the U.S.A., two transatlantic first flight covers to U.S.A., and inward "Air Service Suspended" cover from Tangiers to Captain Smye. (74 stamps ad 7 covers)

£150-£200

L.A.C.A.L. Issues continued

- x1126 ▲ ½d. red airstamp attached to sheet of L.A.C.A.L. notepaper and cancelled "Sample only" in manuscript. The letter is a publicity notice announcing the forthcoming issue of the stamp and is dated "7.3.39", more than three weeks before issue. Aitchison 19. Photo on page 128. £100-£150
- x1127 P 1d. airstamp imperf proof in brown on gummed white paper in rare full sheet of 48, horizontal crease and some other minor bends but also has excellent offset covering a large part of the reverse. Aitchison 20(iii). Photo on page 128.
- x1128 1d. black airstamp, a collection of 30 stamps incl. positional varieties and rouletting errors, also first day cover, first flight transatlantic airmail cover and "Air Service Suspended" cover from Tangiers to Captain Smye, also a few ½d. red airstamps. (43 Stamps and 3 covers) £80-£100

Standing Puffin Definitives





Ex 1130

- Ex 1129
- x**1129** P 2p. lower marginal imperf. proof blocks of eight in black, red and blue, displaying the full printers imprint in selvedge, nine stamps lightly mounted, otherwise unmounted, fine. Aitchison 27(iii). Photo. £600-£700
- x1130 P 2p. top marginal imperf. proofs in black, red and blue, each initialled by Stanard in the reverse selvedge, unmounted. Aitchison 27(iii). Photo.
- x1131 ☑ Three covers outward through Swansea as a port of transit, each bearing full sets of 1929 and 1930 definitives and 1939 Standing Puffins. One addressed to Denmark and two to Sweden (one registered). All cancelled at Lundy 1947. Scarce port of transit. £100-£150
- **Tenth Anniversary & Standing Puffin Definitives:** 1939 (Nov. 1), Two first day covers bearing both complete sets, one being inward to Gade, the other outward to Sweden with "Opened By Censor" label. Photo.

£100-£120

x1133 → 1939 (Nov. 1) large registered first day cover to U.S.A. bearing both complete sets, with Lundy cancellations and "Passed Free/U.S.Customs/Boston Mass" cachet. Also 1p. on railway carried cover with London Passenger Transport Board 2d. (2) with "MET & C.G. JOINT CTTEE" cancellations. Photo.

Red Cross Overprints

x1134 \(\frac{1}{2}\) \(\frac{1}{2}\) p. + \(\frac{1}{2}\) p. to 12p. + 12p. unmounted mint marginal set, with overprints in selvedge of five values (two of which are corner marginals) and part printers imprint in selvedge of the remaining three, fine. Photo. \(\frac{\pmathbf{\









x1135 **②** ½p. + ½p. to 12p. + 12p. unmounted mint set, a few with 'broken crosses'. Photo.

£150-£180

- x1136 ★ ½p. + ½p. to 12p. + 12p. mint corner marginal set, with two overprints in selvedge, most also displaying 'broken crosses', some unmounted. Photo. £350-£400
- $x1137 \pm 2p. + 2p.$ unmounted with double overprint, also 2p. + 2p., 4p. + 4p., 12p. + 12p., mint, with 'broken cross'. Photo. £120-£140
- x1138 ≥ 1940 (Nov. 15) cover to Reading bearing full set cancelled by Lundy type Fa, three marginal values with overprints in selvedge. Also ½p. + ½p. and 1p. + 1p. values on first day cover to Stanard in U.S.A. with "Air Service Suspended" type E cachet. Photo. £200-£250

V + Plane Overprints

- X1139 An extensive selection of V+Plane overprint varieties incl. trial colour overprints, colour combinations and orientations, doubled, inverted etc., plus overprint proofs on plain paper incl. full pane of fifteen and fourteen others. Aitchison cat. approx. £1,000. £300-£400
- x1140 An extensive selection of issued V+Plane overprints, with most overprint shades present and some positional varieties, mint, some unmounted. (52) £100-£150
- x1141 ≤ Set of eight values on inward cover with Lundy 1942 (Jan. 1) type Fa cancellations and neat typed address to Gade. £60-£80



Tighearna Sheet

x1142 Set of four transfer types on mint sheets plus used on first day cover, and commercially used on 1943 cover.

£100-£120

x1143 ♦ P Tighearna sheet trial, unmounted mint. Aitchison 45f. Photo.

£100-£120

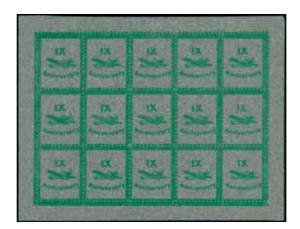
x1144 ★ M Ten mint examples incl. all transfer types and 1942 (Feb. 1) first day cover.

£150-£200

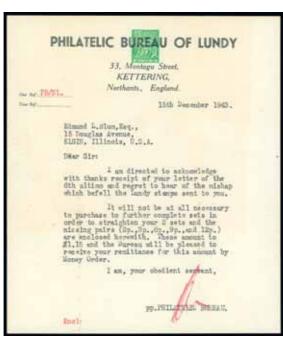
IX Anniversary Overprint on Tighearna Sheet

- x1145 ♥ Seven unmounted mint sheets plus trial with inverted overprint (Aitchison 46h). Also six sheets with black overprint (46A), one of which is perforated (46A(b)). £100-£120
- x1146 ™ Two first day covers, 1948 commercial use to U.S.A. and 1945 cover to Guernsey bearing the Anniversary sheet alongside the imperf. Tighearna sheet. (4) £150-£200

IX Anniversary



- X1147 P Two overprint proofs in complete panes of fifteen, in black on thick white paper (with vertical crease affecting three stamps) and in green on thin cream paper. Extremely rare. Aitchison cat. £750++. Photo. £350-£400
- x1148 An extensive selection comprising three full sets and lots of positional varieties incl. 'No propeller spin' and 'no dot on i.' Also 1d. with inverted and double overprints, mainly unmounted. (40) £200-£300





Ex 1154 1143

x1149 Full set used on 1943 (Mar. 22) first day cover, plus another set used on 1945 cover addressed to Guernsey.

£80-£100

x1150 ► Full set on First Day Cover addressed to Lundy Philatelic Bureau, Kettering, on which the 2p. and 3p. values have 'no propeller spin' varieties. Also 1945 opened out registered cover via Appledore with marginal strip of four 3p. showing full printers imprint. (2) £80-£100

x1151 ½ ½p. cancelled by good strike of the LPB-1 Lundy Philatelic Bureau cancellation on a cover to the U.S.A. with a 1943 (Dec. 16) British Philatelic Association censor cachet.

1943 Provisional Overprints

x1152 ™ Two sets c.t.o. on first day cover, another set used on 1943 (May 6) cover to London with G.P.O. cancellation, and first day cover with blocks of four of both values to U.S.A. and censored in London. £80-£100

Trials and Essays of the Lundy Philatelic Bureau

- x1153 E 1943 trial of the Lundy Philatelic Bureau, essays for unadopted designs. Original printings of the 3p. (6), 10p. (6), and 30p. (12), all different and mainly mounted mint, also 25 Rigby Hall reprints. £180-£200
- x1154 P "Eight" in brown on 1930 definitive 12p., a very rare trial (Aitchison 56z(iii)), tiny tone spot at right, otherwise very fine mint mint. Also a letter from the Philatelic Bureau of Lundy in Kettering on headed notepaper showing 1930 9p. definitive in green. A scarce survivor. Photo.

Wright Brothers' Overprints

- x1155 ★ A mint selection incl. four full sets and various positional varieties incl. 'missing 3' (Aitchison 61m), 5p. with inverted plate (2) (63(vi)), and several 'missing upper tail to biplane' varieties. £250-£300
- x1156 ★ Three first day covers, each bearing full set, one inward to Lundy, the others to London £150-£200

1950s Overprints

x1157 1950 "BY AIR" Narrow setting selection incl. scarce 1p. and 12p. plus 8p. on 12p., 8p. "BY AIR" used on cover, also used card with set in which 1p. and 12p. are wide setting, mainly unmounted mint. Aitchison 69-76. (31)

£70-£80

X1158 ★ A mint selection of wide setting incl. red overprints 2p., 8p. "By Air" with upper and lowercase letters (Aitchison 78A & 78B), 8p. "BY AIR" wide setting (78C & 78D) incl. 8p. with red and black overprint (78C(c)). Also ½p. and 1p. wide setting with double overprints (69A(c) & 70A(c)). (23)



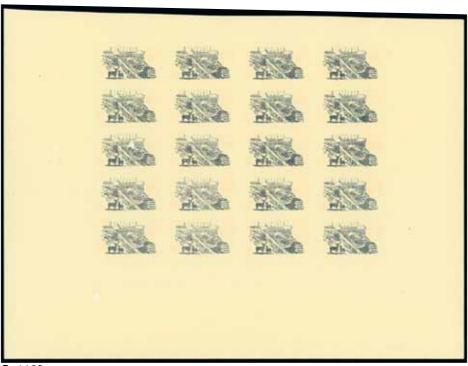
x1159 Sp. and 12p. "By Air" overprints with upper and lower case settings, fine unmounted mint imprint blocks of six.
Aitchison 78A, 78B. Photo.



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Ex 1166



Ex 1168

Flying Birds Definitives

- X1160 E Original John Dyke pen and ink artwork wih all the images for the set on single piece of card. Comprises frame design, seven birds vignettes, value tablets and colour swatches. Also a letter from the printers on Harrison and Sons Ltd. notepaper. Unique.
- x1161 P ½p. imperf. proof in black on thinner cream-white paper in full pane of 24, signed by the designer, John Dyke. Aitchison 79PB(b), cat. £600++. Photo. £150-£200
- x1162 P ½p. and 5p. in imperf. proof sheets of 24, in the issued colours, plus issued ½p. in perforated pane of 24 signed by the designer, John Dyke. £70-£80
- x1163 ½p. to 7½p., three mint sets, additional set of imperf. proofs in corner control pairs, plus inward and outward (to U.S.A.) first day covers. £70-£80
- X1164 № 1951 (June 9) scarce first day cover bearing Flying Birds set additionally bearing 8p. on 12p. (Aitchison 77) and full set of "BY AIR" narrow setting (69-76), addressed to the U.S.A. and signed by Gade, opened out for display. Also standard f.d.c., set on cover to Canada and ½p. on f.d.c. (4) £100-£150

Coronation

x1165 ★ A mainly mint collection comprising mint sets incl. wrong colour overprints, six first day covers and three scarce f.d.c's for wrong colour overprints, plus six assorted publicity sheets, one of which is used on a cover.

£200-£250

x1166 ☆ ½p. to 12p. set in large multiples stuck to card from the Bradbury Wilkinson record books. Each is headed with a job number and production dates in 1953. Unique. Photo. £150-£200

Silver Jubilee



- X1167 E Original John Dyke artists drawings for all seven values of the surface mail issue in pencil. Each is approximately 3 x 2 inches, similar but not quite identical to the issued stamps. Unique. Photo. £300-£400
- X1168 P Colour separations, trials and printers waste in full sheets of 20, comprising 98P, 98(iii), 99(x), 99(xi), 99(xiii) (2), 99(xvi) (2), and 99 (xvii), mainly fine unmounted mint. Aitchison cat. £2,890. Photo. £700-£800
- X1169 P Surface mail incl. set of black bromide proofs (Aitchison 93-99PA) and imperf. proofs in marginal blocks of ten (93-99P). £70-£80
- X1170 P Surface mail incl. set of black bromide proofs (Aitchison 93-99PA) and imperf. proofs in marginal blocks of ten with printers imprint in selvedge, f.d.c., etc.
- X1171 P Airmails with dates, set of imperf. marginal imprint proof end marginal strips of five on gummed paper in frame colour only, with selvedge on three sides, plus imperf. proofs in corner marginal blocks of ten, in issued colours, set of marginal singles, etc.

 £200-£300
- X1172 P Airmails without dates, set of imperf. marginal imprint proof blocks of ten on gummed paper in frame colour only, with selvedge on three sides, plus imperf. proofs in corner marginal blocks of ten, in issued colours, set of marginal pairs and two ordinary mint sets.

 £200-£300



1176

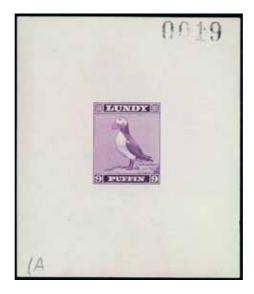


Ex 1177

Millenary Triangulars

- X1173 E The original 'build-up' artwork for both the Millenary horse and birds sets comprising a single piece of artwork for each value, measuring approximately 240 x 175mm, mounted on card. There are six triangular pieces for both sets with watercoloured vignettes and photographic frames showing printers instructions. The 3 puffin value is a single watercolour design with overlays for each set. Unique. (13) £1,000-£2,000
- X1174 P Millenary Horses and Birds sets in imperf. corner marginal imprint proof strips of ten, in issued colours, a few issued colour proofs, f.d.c's for both sets and several issued sets.

1957 Standing Puffin Definitives



x1175 P Imperforate die proofs, each individually numbered comprising 1p. orange (2), 1p. red, 2p. deep emerald, 4p. blue, 4p. black, 6p. lake-brown (2), and 9p. violet. Aitchison i, ii, iv, vi, vii, viii, ix, cat. £2,250 - £3,150. Photo.

£1,200-£1,500

x1176 P 1p. imperf. in issued colour on Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card, very rare. Aitchison 126xi. Photo.

£400-£500

x1177 \bigstar B 1p. to 9p. set in full sheets of sixty, mainly unmounted with just a few remainders in the selvedge. Each sheet has two panes of 30 with a gutter between and selvedge all around showing two printers imprints. Aitchison 126-131, cat. £1,560+. Photo. £400-£500



x1178 ★ 🖪 1p. to 9p. set in lower marginal mint blocks of eight with printers imprint in selvedge, fine unmounted. Photo.

1957 Standing Puffin Definitives: continued



- x1179 ★ 1p. to 9p. set in mint gutter marginal blocks of eight with printers imprint in gutter between stamps, fine unmounted. Photo. £60-£80
- x**1180** P 1p. imperf. in unissued orange-vermilion, on Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card, very rare. Aitchison 126xi. Photo. £500-£600
- X1181 A selection incl. two unmounted sets, first day cover, 1p. on Pentathol card and four commercial covers, three of which are on Lundy printed envelopes. £40-£50

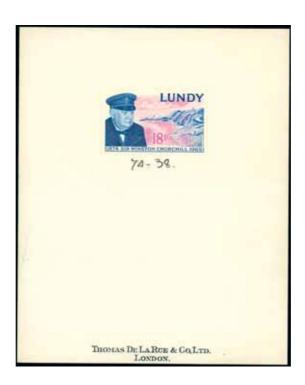


1962 Europa

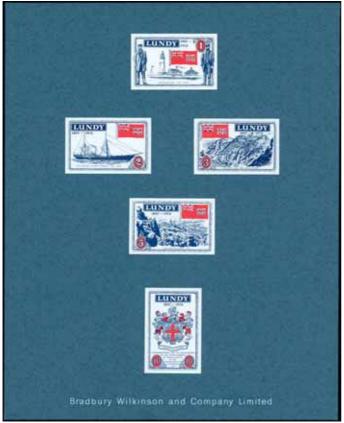


- X1182 E Original artwork endorsed "ROUGH DESIGN SUGGESTIONS/V. WHITELEY/30/5/62" showing set of four stamps in similar designs to the issued set but diffent colours. Also a colour suggestion trial in watercolour with the issued set in those colours alongside and a printed postcard announcing the forthcoming issue. Photo. £250-£300
- X1183 P 1p. to 9p. imperforate proofs in issued colours (Aitchison 146-149P), in full unmounted sheets of 50 with printers imprint in selvedge, also in pairs. Plus issued set in imprint blocks of ten, first day cover and 1p. with missing blue (146(a)). £100-£200

1965 Churchill



- x**1184** P 2p., 10p., 18p., imperforate proofs on set of three De La Rue presentation cards, fine and very rare. Aitchison 154-156PB. Photo. £400-£500
- x1185 2p., 10p., 18p., imperf. proofs in unmounted sheets of twelve, two mint sets of singles proofs and a set used on first day cover, also issued stamps in sheets of twelve, two mint and one issued set, three f.d.c's. £100-£120









1967 Trinity Save the Seabirds



- 1187
- x1187 **3 B** 1969 Provisional: 1p. on 9p. fine unmounted mint corner block of twenty with black overprint inverted, with full imprint in lower selvedge. Aitchison 161e, cat. £3,700+. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- x1188 ♠ 1969 Appeal: 1p. on 9p., a superb assemblage comprising two unmounted examples, used on Appeal Card with almost totally exposed values, official letter of thanks on Appeal notepaper and "Founder Friend" free landing for life card.

 £350-£400



X1189 1969 Fourtieth Anniversary of Lundy Post: 1p. to 12p. set in top marginal blocks of ten attached to pieces of card from the printers record books. Each endorsed in the selvedge with the job number and dated "12/8/69", unique. Also a "First Day/Maiden Voyage of the/POLAR BEAR" card for the 1972 provisional overprint. Photo.
£100-£150

1972 Trinity House

- x1190 P 1p. to 10p. imperforate set of die proofs in trial colours on small size Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card.
 Aitchison iv(s). Photo.
- x1191 P 3p. and 5p. imperforate die proofs in trial colours on small size Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card, only two believed to exist. Aitchison iv(u). Photo. £100-£200

1972 Trinity House: continued

- x1192 P 1p. to 10p. set of imperforate die proofs in issued colours on large size Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card, only three believed to exist. Aitchison iv(v). Photo on page 140. £250-£300
- x1193 P 1p. to 10p. set of imperforate die proofs in trial colours on large size Bradbury Wilkinson presentation card. Aitchison iv(w). Photo on page 140.

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- x1201 An accumulation in two albums and two folders incl. save the sea birds imperf sheet and several souvenir folders. £200-£300
- X1202 An accumulation of stamps and covers incl. mint sets of V+Plane and Wright Brothers. Also two important books, *Lundy Island and the Lundy Locals* (1938) by Standard, *A Catalogue of Lundy Stamps* (1969) by Chinchen.

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