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Conditions of Business

Conditions mostly concerning buyers

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

The bidding and advances shall be regulated by and at the absolute discretion of the auctioneer.

3 The premium

The buyer shall pay to Grosvenor a premium of 24% 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

The ownership of the lot purchased shall not pass to the buyer until he has made payment in full to Grosvenor of the 'total amount due'.

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 Buyer's responsibility for Lots purchased

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- (d) to remove, store and insure the lot at the expense of the defaulting buyer and, in the case of storage, either at Grosvenor premises or elsewhere.
- (e) to charge interest at a rate not exceeding 1.5% per month on the 'total amount due' to the extent it remains unpaid for more than 5 working days after the day of the auction.
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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
 - (iii) returns to the auctioneer within 30 days of the date of the sale,

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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.

(c) Where a lot has been submitted for an expert opinion, all costs for such an option shall be paid for by the person who retains the item or items to which the opinion relates.

(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.

(e) No lot shall be rejected if, subsequent to the sale, it has been immersed in water, marked by an expert or expert committee, or treated by any other process, unless the auctioneer's permission to subject the lot to such a process has first been obtained in writing.

(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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13 Grosvenor sells as agent for the seller (except where it is stated wholly or partly to own any lot as principal) and as such is not responsible for any default by seller or buyer.

14 Any representation or statement by Grosvenor, in any catalogue as to authorship, attribution, genuineness, origin, date, age, provenance, condition or estimated selling price is a statement of opinion only. Every person interested should exercise and rely on his own judgment as to such matters and neither Grosvenor nor its servants or agents are responsible for the correctness of such opinions.

15 Whilst the interests of prospective buyers are best served by attendance at the auction, Grosvenor will, if so instructed, execute bids on their behalf, neither Grosvenor nor its servants or agents being responsible for any neglect or default in doing so or for failing to do so.

16 Grosvenor shall have the right, at its discretion, to refuse admission to its premises or attendance at its auctions by any person.

17 Grosvenor has absolute discretion without giving any reason to refuse any bid, to divide any lot, to combine any two or more lots, to withdraw any lot from the auction and in case of dispute to put up any lot for auction again.

18 (a) Any indemnity under these Conditions shall extend to all actions, proceedings costs, expenses, claims and demands whatever incurred or suffered by the person entitled to the benefit of the indemnity.

(b) Grosvenor declares itself to be a trustee for its relevant servants and agents of the benefit of every indemnity under these Conditions to the extent that such indemnity is expressed to be for the benefit of its servants and agents.

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1 In these Conditions:

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(b) 'hammer price' means the price at which a lot is knocked down by the auctioneer to the buyer.

(c) 'total amount due' means the 'hammer price' in respect of the lot sold together with any premium, Value Added Tax chargeable and additional charges and expenses due from a defaulting buyer in pounds sterling;

(d) 'deliberate forgery' means an imitation made with the intention of deceiving as to authorship, origin, date, age, period, culture or source which is not shown to be such in the description in the catalogue and which at the date of the sale had a value materially less than it would have had if it had been in accordance with that description.

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(h) 'bought-in price' means 5 per cent more than the highest bid received below the reserve.

2 Vendor's commission on sales

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3 VAT

Commission, illustrations, insurance and advertising are subject to VAT at the standard rate where appropriate.

Important Information for Buyers

Absentee bids

If instructed we will execute bids and advise intending purchasers. No charge is made for this service. Lots will always be bought as cheaply as is allowed by such other bids and reserves as are on our books. In the event of identical bids, the earliest received will take precedence. Always indicate a 'top limit' – the amount to which you would bid if you were attending the auction yourself. 'Buy' or unlimited bids will not be accepted. **All bids must be confirmed in writing or by fax prior to the date of the sale.**

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Buyer's premium

A buyer's premium of 24% on the hammer price, inclusive of an amount in lieu of VAT, is payable by the buyer on all lots.

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not be released until such cheques have cleared. Purchases will be despatched as soon as possible upon receipt of your written despatch instructions and full payment for the lots you have bought. Carriage will be at the buyer's expense. Estimates and advice on all methods of despatch can be provided upon request.

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- **Please note that invoices unpaid by the due date will incur interest charges unless an arrangement for extended credit has been arranged in writing with the auctioneer prior to the Sale.**
- **Failure to pay an invoice in full by the due date is likely to result in our refusal to accept any future bids.**
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- The name of the proposed expert or expert committee must be provided to and approved by us before the sale. Some experts mark forged stamps and it is particularly important that permission for submission to these authorities be obtained from us beforehand.
- 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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Up to £100 by £5

£100 to £300 by £10

£300 to £1,000 by £20 or £30 (ie £520, £550, £580, etc.)

£1,000 to £2,000 by £50

£2,000 to £3,000 by £100

£3,000 to £10,000 by £200 or £300 (ie £3,200, £3,500, £3,800, etc.)

Over £10,000 *at auctioneer's discretion*

Bids of unusual amounts 'off step' will be rounded down to the bid step below and will not take precedence over a similar bid unless received first.

Symbols

★ Unmounted Mint	B Booklet
★ Mint	C Cancelled
☆ Unused	E Essay
○ Used	F Forgery
田 Block of Four	L Literature
田 Block of larger than Four	M Miniature Sheet
✉ Used on cover, entire, etc	P Proof
✈ Airmail	R Reprint
▲ Used on piece or front	S Specimen

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First Session Lots 1–435

Wednesday October 25th at 11 am

Great Britain

Collections and Mixed Lots



- 1 An extensive mint and unused surface printed collection incl. 1855-57 6d. watermark emblems, deep lilac, pale lilac (2) and lilac (2), one with watermark inverted, 1862-64 watermark emblems 3d. pale carmine rose plate 2 LB with watermark inverted, 6d. lilac plate 4 DB with watermark inverted, 1865-67 4d. vermilion plate 8 TA imperforate plate proof on unwatermarked paper, watermark large garter 4d. vermilion plate 10 BF imprimatur, 4d. vermilion plate 12 TK imperforate on Dr. Perkins blued paper, 1867-80 watermark spray 3d. rose plate 5 LA-LB imperforate marginal pair, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2, 3d. rose plate 7 AA imprimatur, 1872-73 watermark spray 6d. pale chestnut plate 11 SK imprimatur, 1873-80 watermark anchor on white paper 2½d. rosy-mauve plate 1 BJ and 3 PE imprimatures, 2½d. rosy-mauve plate 2 JF and 3 KB, both with watermark inverted, 1873-80 watermark orb 2½d. rosy-mauve plates 6 to 17 set of imprimatures, less plate 14, 2½d. rosy-mauve plate 17 KB with watermark inverted, 2½d. blue watermark orb plate 20 BG imprimatur, 1873-80 watermark spray 3d. rose plate 21 SL imprimatur, 1s. green plate 9 BG imprimatur, 1s. orange-brown plate 13 KF, 1873-80 watermark large garter 4d. vermilion plate 15 AE imprimatur, 1880-83 watermark crown 4d. grey-brown plate 18 FE and 6d. on 6d. lilac plate 18 IK imprimatures, 1880-81 'Provisional Issue' 5d. imperforate plate proof in black on thick white wove paper, 1883-84 lilac and green Issue perf. 12 1½d., 2½d., 4d., 5d., 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 2½d. pale purple plate 2 GT and 2½d. purple plate 1 HR imprimatures, 1882-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. carmine pink plate 4 EB imprimatur, 1882-83 watermark anchor on blued paper £5 orange DA, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 1882-83 watermark anchor on white paper 5s. rose plate 4 DE, a few minor faults or imperfections, mainly good to fine and fresh. Ex Golden. Photo. **£15,000-£20,000**
- 2 A used surface printed collection in a boxed album, incl. 1855-57 watermark small garter 4d. (2), watermark medium garter 4d. (3, one with watermark inverted), watermark large garter 4d. (6), 6d. (8, one with watermark inverted), 1s. (3), 1862-63 3d. (3), 4d. (5), 6d. (4), 9d. (3), 1s. (3), 1865-73 3d., 4d. (9), 6d. (3), 9d., 1s. (2), 1867-80 3d. (9, with plates 4 and 10), 6d. (13), 9d. (3), 10d. (2), 1s. (7), 2s. (3), 1872-73 6d. chestnut (8) and grey, 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. (3), 10s., watermark Anchor 5s., 1873-80 2½d. rosy mauve (22, with all plates), 2½d. blue (6), 3d. (10), 6d. (7, with plate 17), 1s. (6, with plates 8 to 13), 4d. vermilion (2), 4d. sage-green (2), 4d. grey-brown, 8d. (2), 1880-83 3d. on 3d., 6d. on 6d., 1s. (2), 1880-81 to 5d., 1883-84 lilac and green set (less 9d., also 2½d. and 1s. unused part original gum), 1883-83 2s.6d. (4), 5s. (2), 10s. (2), 1884 watermark Crowns £1, 1887-92 Jubilee range of shades to £1 green (2, one ND and the other JC with broken frame), range of Officials, etc., much cancellation interest, mixed condition. (100s) **£6,000-£7,000**

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- 3 A Q.V. surface printed collection in an album incl. a good range unused or mint (mostly regummed) with 1855-57 wmk. large garter 4d., 1862-64 3d., 9d., 1865-67 4d. plates 7, 9 and 12, 1867-80 3d. plates 5 to 10, 6d. plates 8 and 9, 10d., 2s. blue, 1867-83 5s. plate 1 (damaged corner), 1873-80 3d. plates 18 and 19, 6d. plate 17 wmk. inverted, 8d., 1880-83 2½d. plate 23, 3d. on 3d., 4d. plate 17, 6d. plate 18, duplicated used incl. 1855-57 4d. wmk. large garter inverted, 1862-64 3d. wmk. inverted, 1867-83 5s. plates 1 (damaged), 2 (2) and 4, a quantity used abroad, later issues incl. 1883-84 2s.6d. to 10s. mint and used, 1884 wmk. Crowns £1 used (thin), 1887-1900 Jubilee to both 1s. mint with some shades, duplicated used incl. £1 green, range of Officials mint and used (not guaranteed), also a selection overprinted for Bechuanaland, etc., mixed condition. (few 100s) **£2,500-£3,000**
- 4 An extensive duplicated used surface printed accumulation in a binder, with values to 2s. blue, range of cancellations, very mixed condition. (many 100s) **£2,000-£3,000**
- 5 A mint Q.V. to early Q.E.II in a DAVO album, some issues unused or with part original gum, incl. 1854-57 watermark large Crown perf. 14 1d. (2), 1870 ½d. plates 1 to 20 (less 9) complete (two sets with each shade, one plate 19 is a pair), 1870 1½d. (3), 1864-79 1d. plates 71 to 225 (less 77, 225 is regummed and reperforated), 1880-81 1½d., 2d. (2), 1881 die I 1d. lilac, 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. with some shades, die I and die II 5d., 1912-24 range of shades to 1s. (2), 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d (2), 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (5), 5s., 10s., 1924-26 to 1s. with some watermark varieties, 1934 re-engraved set, 1938-49 set, 1951 Festival Set, 1955-58 both Castle sets, 1955-58 to 1s.6d., etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£2,000-£2,500**
- 6 An unused or mint surface printed selection, incl. 1862-64 1s. plate 1, 1865-73 4d. plate 7, 9, 1867-80 6d. (2, with and without hyphen), 1s. plate 4, 2s. plate 1, 1872-73 6d., 1873-80 2½d. plate 1, 1s. plate 8, 8d., 1880-83 2½d. plate 23, 3d. on 3d., 3d. rose plate 20, 4d. plate 18, 1880-81 1½d., 1883-84 lilac and green 5d., 9d., 1s., 1883-84 5s. rose, 1887-93 Jubilee 1s. dull green, etc., mixed condition. (53) **£2,000-£2,500**
- 7 A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in two boxed albums, incl. 1840 1d. black (3) and 2d. blue used, range of 1d. reds used with numbers in Maltese Cross, surface printed to 2s. used, 1883-84 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (4) and 10s. used, 1883-84 lilac and green set used and to 6d. mint, 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. used and to 1s. green and carmine mint, K.E.VII to 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (2) and £1 (2) used and to 10d. (3) and 1s. (4) mint, 1912-24 range of shades to 1s. (7) mint, 1913-19 Seahorses 2s.6d. (15), 5s. (4) and 10s. pair (the latter with neat c.d.s's), 5s. mint, 1924-25 Exhibition sets in blocks of four mint (also 1925 1½d. used on cover with exhibition cancellation), 1929 UPU £1 unmounted mint upper marginal example, 1934 re-engraved set in mint pairs, K.E.VII control pairs blocks of six mint, 1939-49 10s. dark blue mint, 1948 Silver Wedding sets in blocks of four, 1951 Festival set mint, 1952-54 and 1955-58 to 1s.6d. mint, 1955-58 Waterlow set mint, postage dues with 1936-37, 1954-55 and 1955-57 sets mint, range of Officials, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£2,000-£2,500**
- 8 A used line engraved collection, 1854 to 1870, extensively annotated in two boxed albums, incl. 1854-57 SC16 die I 1d. (49, with well centred plate 165 used with Liverpool spoon, plate 131 used with Edinburgh "131" and plate 194 used with neat "72"), die II 1d. (13), 2d. plate 4 (2 singles and a pair) and plate 5, SC14 die I 1d. (7, with plate 198 used with neat barred circle and faint c.d.s.), 2d. plate 4 and 5, die II 1d. (7, with C7 used with Madeline Smith experimental cancellation and plate 14 used with barred cancellation), LC16 die II 1d. (5), 2d. plate 5 (3), LC14 die II 1d. (29, with plates 10 and 12 both used with barred cancellations), 2d. plate 5 (2 singles and a pair), plate 6 (3), 1856-58 selection with perf. 16 2d. and perf. 14 1d. plate 23 used Newcastle "545"; plate 43 used with Kensington "38"; plate 45 used indistinct barred cancellation and plate 65 used with neat "335"; 1861 selection, 1864-78 1d. plates 71 to 224 complete (less 77), much cancellation interest and a wide range of shades and plates, mixed condition but most with fine cancellations and many well-centred. (100s) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 9 A K.G.V to K.G.VI mint and used collection in a Lighthouse album, mint incl. Downey Heads, 1912-24 to 1s. with some shades, 6d. perf. 14 (slightly toned), good range of watermark varieties incl. 5d. wmk. inverted and reversed (unmounted, light crease), 6d. wmk. inverted and reversed, 9d. agate wmk. inverted, 1s. wmk. inverted, 1913 wmk. Multiple Cypher ½d. and 1d., Seahorses (some regummed) incl. Waterlow 2s.6d. (2), 5s., De La Rue 2s.6d. and 5s., Bradbury 2s.6d., 5s. (2) and 10s. (toned), 1924-26 to 1s. with some shades, ½d. to 2d. wmk. sideways, inverted wmk. incl. 4d. (light crease), 5d., 9d., 1929 P.U.C. ½d. to 1½d. wmk. sideways, 1934-36 to 1s., ½d. to 2d. wmk. sideways, 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. and 10s., range of used incl. some wmk. varieties, Seahorses to 10s., K.G.VI mint and used with sideways and inverted wmk., 1939-48 to £1, 1951 to £1, postage due sets, etc., varied condition. (100s) **£1,500-£1,800**

- 10 A Q.V. surface printed collection in an album, incl. 1855-57 4d. (4), 6d. (2, one on cover), 1s. used, 1862-64 3d., 9d. used, 1867-78 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. plate 1 GG used, 1873-80 2½d. rosy-mauve plates 5 to 17, 1880-83 2½d. blue plate 23 TL, 3d. rose plate 21 PD, 3d. on 3d. HC, 4d. plate 17 TI and 18 GC, 6d. grey plate 18 AJ 6d. on 6d. CC overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1880-81 set overprinted "SPECIMEN", ½d. deep green in a corner block of 15, 1883-84 lilac & green 6d. and 1s. used, many of the used have c.d.s. cancellations, etc. (few 100s)
£1,500-£1,700
- 11 An extensive collection of first day covers in nine albums, with definitive and commemorative issues, incl. 1911 First Aerial Post ½d. and 1d. on illustrated envelopes, 1929 PUC ½d. to 2d. used on large piece with PUC Congress special handstamps, 1936 ½d., 1½d. and 2½d. used on plain cover with Queen's Street cancellation, 1937 Coronation covers (9), 1940 Stamp Centenary with Red Cross London handstamps in red (2), 1946 Victory (11, five with Don't waste Bread slogan), 1948 Silver Wedding set on plain cover and on illustrated cover, 1948 Olympics Games selection, 1952-54 9d., 10d. and 11d. on illustrated cover, 1957 Inter-Parliamentary Conference 4d. with special London SW1 handstamp, 1960 Tercentenary set with Interpostal Conference Slogan, 1960 Post Office Savings Bank set with West Kensington cancellation, 1963 Nature week phosphor set with special Brownsea Island cancellation, range of regionals, etc., later to 1985, etc., mainly fine. (100s)
£1,000-£1,200
- 12 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)
£1,000-£1,200
- 13 A Q.V. selection on leaves incl. 1840 1d. plate 7 HL used with four margins, selection of later line engraved mainly used, remainder mint with 1880-81 ½d. to 5d. with 2d. shade, 1883-84 lilac and green set with good colours (9d. and 1s. with creases), and 1887-1900 Jubilee set to both 1s., 1s. green unmounted but with a few red specks on the reverse, varied condition, many fine. (63)
£1,000-£1,200
- 14 A line engraved collection in an album incl. 1840 2d. (4) used, 1841 1d. mint (2), range used with a few plated, many with Maltese Cross incl. dark blue, set of numbers "1" to "12" in cross, number "4" with four margins, example with inverted wmk., 1841 2d. with inverted wmk. used, numbers "1" (thinned) and "4" in Maltese Cross, selection of 1d. stars, 1858-76 2d. plates 9 and 14 unused, 1864-79 1d. plates complete used to 225 (less plate 77), 1870 ½d. plates complete unused or mint (less plate 9), plate 8 imperf. at right with selvedge (creased), additional plate 10 example unused with wmk. inverted and reversed, duplicated used (no plate 9), 1870 1½d. plates 1 and 3 (2) unused, also with 1847-54 embossed 1s., 10d. and 6d. cut square used, etc., mixed condition. (few 100s)
£1,000-£1,200
- 15 A used Q.V. to early Q.E.II in a DAVO album, incl. 1840 1d. black (3), 2d. blue (3), 1d. red plates, 1870 ½d. plate 9 (2), 1947-54 Embossed very mixed range of mainly cut down examples, extensive surface printed with a range of plates to 2s. blue (5), 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. (4, poor), 1883-84 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (3), 10s. (2), 1883-84 lilac and green set, 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. with die I and die II 5d., K.E.VII to 10s., 1913-19 Seahorses 2s.6d. (11), 5s. (4) and 10s. (5), 1934 re-engraved set, range of shades, a few inverted watermarks, etc., very mixed condition. (100s)
£1,000-£1,200
- 16 A mainly used surface printed collection on leaves, incl. 1867-80 2s. brown, 1867-83 5s. (3), 10s. and £1 (crayon), 1883-84 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (2) and 10s., 1883-84 lilac and green values to 1s., etc., mixed condition. (182)
£1,000-£1,200
- 17 A Q.V. collection in varied condition in a binder incl. 1840 1d. used (5, four are with good to large margins), 1841 1d. set of number in Maltese Cross, 1851 Prince Consort Essay (damaged), 1847 embossed 1s., 10d. (good to large margins) and 6d. used, range of surface printed some with c.d.s., 1880-83 6d. on 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1883-84 lilac and green ½d. to 1s. used, cancellation interest, etc. (few 100s)
£1,000-£1,200
- 18 A Q.V. to K.G.V collection in three stockbooks, incl. 1d. stars used, 1887-92 ½d. (96) and 2½d. (172) used, range of Downey heads, 1912-24 and 1925-26 range of shades to 1s. mint and used, 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. used (2), 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. (2) and 5s. used, 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (6), 5s. (3) and 10s. (2) used, 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. (4), 5s. (2) and 10s. used, K.E.VII with a range of shades and printings to 9d. mint (2) and used (6), 10d. mint (3) and used (6), 1s. mint (2) and used (7), 2s.6d. used (4), 5s. used, 10s. used and £1 used (with parcel cancellation), also 1d. with paper fold used, range of Officials, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
£1,000-£1,200
- 19 A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in four stockbooks and a binder, incl. 1840 1d. black used (4, three with four margins), 1841-51 2d. blue used (6 singles and a pair), range of 1d. reds, 1880-81 1d. block of four mint, range of surface printed to 2s.6d. (4) and 5s. (2) used, 1883-84 lilac and green set used. 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. used, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1951 Festival sets mint (2, one unmounted), wide range of Officials, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
£800-£1,000

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- 20** A collection in two albums, a stockbook and loose, with a K.G.V study of mint and used shades incl. 1912-24 ½d. deep blue-("Myrtle") green mint (R.P.S. certificate), ½d. deep cobalt-green mint (Brandon certificate), 1d. deep orange-vermilion mint (R.P.S. certificate), 1½d. bright orange-brown with "PENCE" repaired mint (R.P.S. certificate), values to 1s. with many control singles and blocks, 1913 wmk. multiple cypher ½d. and 1d. mint, ½d. used, also revenues, Machin forgeries, Circular Delivery stamps incl. London 1867 ¼d. dull purple mint block of 28 with watermark, etc. **£800-£1,000**
- 21** A Q.V. collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. black used (15), later line engraved with a range of 1d. and 2d. plates, 1847-54 embossed 6d. used, 1870 ½d. plate 12 pair and plate 19 single unused with part original gum, plate 1, 3 and 11 singles unused, surface printed to 2s. blue (2) and 5s. used, 1880-81 Provisional set used, 1883-84 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (3) and 10s. used, 1883-84 lilac and green set used, 1902-10 Jubilee to £1 used, etc., also a range of Officials (not all guaranteed), mixed condition. (100s) **£800-£1,000**
- 22** A used selection, incl. 1855-57 watermark small garter 4d., watermark medium garter 4d. (2), watermark large garter 4d., 6d. (2) and 1s., 1862-64 3d., 4d. plate 3 (2) and plate 4 (2), 6d. plate 3 (2) and plate 4, 9d. plate 2, and 1s. plate 2, 1865-73 3d., 4d. plates 7 to 14, 6d. plates 5 (2) and 6, 9d. (major repairs) and 1s., 1873-80 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, 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. (117) **£700-£800**
- 23** A used line engraved collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. black (7), 2d. blue (2), 1841 1d. red used with "8" in Maltese Cross, 1864-79 1d. plates 71 to 225 complete (less 77), 1870 ½d. plate 9, etc., also 1847-54 embossed 6d. (3) and 1s., mixed condition. (few 100s) **£700-£800**
- 24** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in four albums and loose. incl. 1840 1d. black (6, one on piece and two on cover), 2d. blue used, later line engraved with extensive 1d. reds, surface printed to 2s. blue used, 1883 lilac and green 1½d., 2½d., 3d. and 5d. unused with part original gum, 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. used, 1s. dull green unused, covers with 1960s f.d.c's, overprinted with Cyprus 1880 plate 217 left marginal vertical strip of four with part inscription and ornament mint, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£700-£800**
- 25** A collection in three boxed DAVO albums, incl. 1840 1d. black used, surface printed to 10s. used, 1887-92 Jubilee to both 1s. used, K.E.VII to 5s. used, range of Downey Heads, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1913 multiple Cypher 1d. mint, 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. c.d.s. used, 1924-26 to 1s. mint, 1934 re-engraved set used, 1951 Festival set mint, 1952-54 and 1955-58 to 1s.6d. mint, 1958-61 graphite-lined set unmounted mint, then issues from 1960 to 1999 largely complete unmounted mint, also range of Officials used, regionals, Machins, etc., also an empty Lighthouse album, mixed condition. (100s) **£700-£800**
- 26** A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in six albums, folder, stockbook and on leaves and loose, incl. 1840 1d. black KK used, 1870 1½d. rose-red unused, 1881 1d. lilac die II imprimatur, Army Official 1896 1d. lilac with variety "OFFICIAI" mint, Seahorses, booklets, etc. **£600-£800**
- 27** A mainly used surface printed accumulation on stock cards, with values to 5s. (3), many with c.d.s's, mixed condition. Stated to cat. £15,000. **£600-£700**
- 28** A lightly duplicated mint and used collection in a stockbook, Q.V. to early Q.E.II, incl. 1840 1d. black used (2), 1841 1d. unused, range of later line engraved, 1887-92 Jubilee selection with a range of shades to 1s. green and carmine mint and used, K.E.VII to 2s.6d. (15) and 5s. (7) used, 1d. in an aniline shade used, 1913-19 Seahorse 2s.6d (18), 5s. (6) and 10s. (3) used, 1934 re-engraved set used, 1924 (6) and 1925 (6) Exhibition sets mint, a few Officials, revenues, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£600-£700**
- 29** A Q.V. to K.G.V selection in a small stockbook, incl. 1840 1d. black used (4), range of 1d. reds., 1870 ½d. plate 11 left marginal block of twenty unused (part original gum) with part inscription, 1873-80 2½d. blue plates 19 and 20 unused with part original gum, 4d. plate 15 with Radstock c.d.s., 1883-84 10s. unused part original gum, 1887-92 1s. green pair used on piece with London hooded c.d.s's, 1918-19 Bradbury 10s. mint and used, etc., mixed condition. (113) **£600-£700**

- 30 A large Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in a carton incl. 1840 1d. (8), 1841 1d. (80), inc. two with red Maltese Crosses, one possibly distinctive Wotton-under-Edge, 1841 2d. strips of three (2, one with mixed blue and black numerals), 1867-80 3d. plate 8 block of four c.d.s. used, 1873-80 8d. orange strip of three used, two singles c.d.s. used, 1887-1900 Jubilee to 2d. (38), 4½d. (48), 10d. (11), mostly unmounted mint, plus two stockbooks of heavily duplicated used K.G.V incl. 1924-25 Wembleys, 1929 P.U.C. to 2½d. (111), Seahorses to 2s.6d. (182), 5s. (82), etc., very mixed condition. **£500-£700**
- 31 1911-2017 collection of mainly illustrated first day covers (710 approx) in eleven albums and loose contained in two cartons incl. 1911 Coronation Aerial Post red brown card used on inaugural flight day, 1929 P.U.C. low values (2 of each) used on rather scruffy plain envelope, 1948 Wedding set on illustrated cover, 1951 High Values on large plain cover to Australia, 1955 Waterlow Castle 2s.6d. and 5s. used on registered stationery envelope, good range of Q.E.II commemoratives, also a few other items. **£500-£700**
- 32 A small group comprising 1867-80 wing margin 2s. brown PI used with blue Birmingham barred cancellation, 1902 Government Parcels 1d. to 1s. mint (not guaranteed), and 1947 (Nov. 20) illustrated Royal Wedding cover to Scarborough bearing 2½d. with "6d./TO PAY/79" and "Posted out of Course/S.W.1" handstamps alongside, mixed condition. (6) **£500-£600**
- 33 A used Q.V. to K.G.V collection on leaves, incl. surface printed to 2s. blue, 1883-84 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s., 1883 lilac and green set (1s. with crayon), 1887-92 Jubilee set to both 1s., K.E.VII to 10s., 1913-18 Seahorses to 10s., 1929 P.U.C. £1 with heavy violet cancellation, 1934 re-engraved set, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 34 A balance of a line engraved collection on stock pages, incl. range of cancellations with c.d.s's, coloured, barred numerals, Maltese Crosses, etc., with many covers, on piece, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 35 A Q.V. to K.G.VI accumulation in ten albums and on stockcards, incl. covers with surface printed, postal stationery, cancellations, inverted watermarks, a few specimens, perfins, range of returned letter office material, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 36 A collection in two stockbooks, a folder and on leaves, from 1840 1d. (2) used, 1891 £1 green used, K.E.VII printings and shades mint, 1912-24 wmk. Royal cypher shades, 1½d. "PENCF" error mint, 1½d. no wmk. mint, 1913 wmk. multiple cypher ½d. and 1d. mint, controls, cylinder blocks, 1948 Wedding £1 unmounted mint (2), booklets, etc. **£400-£500**
- 37 A small mint or unused surface printed selection, incl. 1880-83 2½d. plate 23 IL, 3d. plate 21 MD, 3d. on 3d. EI, 4d. plate 18 CH and EJ, 6d. plate 18 OG, 1s. plate 13 AB, 1880-81 ½d. to 5d., 1883-84 watermark Anchor white paper 5s. AF, etc., mixed condition. (28) **£400-£500**
- 38 A used Q.V. line engraved collection in an album, incl. 1840 2d. blue plate 1 EH, 1854-57 2d. SC16 plate 4 SK, 2d. SC14 plate 4 SI, 2d. LC16 plate 5 BC, range of plated 1d. Stars, etc. (203) **£350-£400**
- 39 A small used line engraved selection incl. 1840 1d. (3, two with four margins), another two examples on covers (one with four margins), 1840 2d. (3, two repaired), later incl. 1864-79 1d. plate 225 EC, 1870 ½d. plate 11 and plate 15 pairs on covers, etc., mixed condition. (18 items) **£300-£400**
- 40 A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in two albums, two stockbooks, two folders, leaves and loose, incl. a good range of pre-stamp and stampless covers, frees, postage dues, registered mail with 1859 cover from London to Macclesfield, franked by 1855-57 4d. and 6d., etc. (many 100s) **£300-£400**
- 41 A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in four albums, incl. 1840 1d. black (3, one on cover), 1864-79 1d. reds plates 71 to 224 complete used (less 77), surface printed to 5s. used, 1887-92 Jubilee to 10d. mint and 1s. green used, K.E.VII to 2s.6d. used, 1913-19 Seahorses to 10s. used, 1934 re-engraved set used, etc., later with mainly used issues to the 1990s, also a copy of "English & Welsh Postmarks Since 1840" by Mackay, mixed condition. (100s) **£300-£400**
- 42 A large accumulation in four albums, eleven stockbooks, sixteen folders and loose, incl. Q.E.II with definitives and commemoratives, used duplication, many blocks, some f.d.c's, etc. (1,000s) **£300-£400**
- 43 A line engraved used collection on leaves, incl. 1840 1d. black on cover (2, one with four margins), 2d. blue used (2), 1841 1d. mint, 2d. used (5), 1854-57 Large Crown perf. 16 1d. used, etc., mixed condition. () **£250-£300**
- 44 A collection in five albums and loose contained in a carton with main interest in R.A.F. Museum covers with a number signed by W.W.II pilots incl. Cowley Milling, Leonard Cheshire, Arthur Harris, etc. (100s) **£250-£300**

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- 45 An unmounted mint K.E.VIII to early Q.E.II collection in a binder, complete for basic issues from 1936 to 1967, incl. 1951 Festival set, 1952-54 and 1955-58 to 1s.6d., 1955 Waterlow set, 1958-61 graphite-lined set, 1960-67 phosphor set, etc., also Machins, postage dues with 1959-63 set, Channel islands, etc., mainly fine. (100s)
£250-£300
- 46 A K.G.VI to early Q.E.II collection in an album, incl. 1939-48 set mint, 1951 Festival set mint, 1952-54 and 1955-58 to 1s.6d. mint, 1955 Waterlow set mint, 1958-61 graphite-lined set unmounted mint, 1959-60 phosphor-graphite set mint, 1960s phosphor sets, etc., slightly mixed condition. (100s)
£250-£300
- 47 A small mint surface printed selection, incl. 1881 1d. lilac die I mint, die II imprimatur, 1887-92 Jubilee to 1s. (both), etc., varied condition. (36)
£250-£300
- 48 An accumulation covering various subjects contained in two cartons incl. cancellation interest on covers and cards, official mail with Royal Court and Political, censored mail, quantity of cartes de visite, parcel post labels, etc. (100s)
£250-£300
- 49 A K.G.V to early Q.E.II collection in a hingeless Lighthouse album, mainly mint incl. 1924 and 1925 Wembley sets, 1934-36 set to 1s., 1939-48 to £1 (10s. dark blue unmounted), 1948 Wedding, 1951 2s.6d. to £1 unmounted, Channel Is. Occupation, Q.E.II incl. Tudor and St. Edward's Crown Wilding sets, some commemoratives, 1959-63 postage due set to £1, etc., varied condition, some gum bends or wrinkles, many fine unmounted. (approx. 375)
£220-£250
- 50 A mint collection in a Windsor album, from 1858 to 1974, incl. 1924-25 Wembley sets, 1934 Seahorse 2s.6d. and 5s., 1939-48 high values, 1951 Festival set, range of phosphors and booklet panes, regionals, postage dues, etc., mainly fine. (100s)
£200-£250
- X51 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)
£200-£250
- 52 A small K.E.VII to K.G.V mint selection, incl. 1906 De La Rue ½d. single with St. Andrew's Cross, 1929 P.U.C. watermark sideways set, 1934-36 Photogravure 10d. "Y/36" "3" dot cylinder block of six, watermark sideways set (unmounted), etc. (19)
£200-£250
- 53 A Q.V. to K.G.VI accumulation in eight stockbooks, two albums and leaves, incl. 1881 1d. lilac with used duplication, controls, Officials, revenues, Private Telegraph stamps, also some foreign, etc. (1,000s)
£200-£250
- 54 A mainly used accumulation in eight albums and loose, Q.V. to Q.E.II, incl. 1840 1d. black (2, one with four margins), f.d.c's, range of postmarks, K.E.VII to K.G.V picture postcards and postal stationery, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
£150-£200
- 55 A K.G.V to Q.E.II selection, incl. range of covers with airmails, 1951 Festival set mint, 2000-01 both Christmas "Post Office" smiler sheets, etc., slightly mixed condition. (100s)
£150-£200
- 56 A small line engraved group comprising 1840 plate 5 1d. black AJ on cover (four margins), 2d. blue plate 1 LE used, and two 1841 1d. reds on cover (one with "MISSENT TO/SHREWSBURY" handstamp), mixed condition. (4)
£150-£200
- 57 An accumulation in eight albums, incl. unmounted mint decimal issues, f.d.c's from the 1950s onwards, postcards, 2000 yearbook, Channel Islands unmounted mint issues, etc., also a range of mint Ireland with Rialtar and Saorstat overprints, mixed condition. (100s)
£150-£200
- 58 A K.G.VI to Q.E.II accumulation of mainly illustrated first day and commemorative covers contained in two cartons, with some special handstamps, etc. (100s)
£150-£200
- 59 An accumulation in albums and loose contained in three cartons incl. covers and cards with W.W.I mail, selection of telegrams, etc. (many 100s)
£150-£200
- 60 A Q.V. selection of used horizontal pairs, comprising 1854-57 1d. BK-BL, 1864-79 1d. plate 118 KA-KB, 1858-69 2d. plate 9 DG-DH, 1870-74 1½d. plate (1) SD-SE, 1873-80 2½d. rosy mauve plate 13 HK-HL, 3d. plate 13 TA-TB, 1880-81 PA-PB, fair to fine.
£120-£150

- 61 A K.G.V to Q.E.II unmounted mint selection in a stockbook, incl. 1935 Silver Jubilee 2½d. (35), 1959 phosphor graphite sets (4), etc. (few 100s) **£120-£150**
- 62 A Q.V. to K.G.VI selection on stock pages, incl. range of controls, 1887-92 die I 5d. unused (faults), 1924-26 to 1s. mint, etc., mixed condition. (56) **£100-£120**
- 63 A collection in two albums, Q.V. to Q.E.II, incl. few K.G.VI control blocks of six, 1960s phosphor issues in mint blocks of four or six with 1962 Productivity Year sets (top value a corner block of six), 1963 Lifeboat set in blocks of four, 1963 Red Cross in blocks of four, etc., also a small amount of World. (100s) **£80-£100**
- 64 A used Q.V. surface printed group comprising 1880-83 6d. on 6d. plate 18 LB, 1880-81 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) **£50-£60**

Miscellaneous

- 65 ☒ **Advertising:** 1881 advertising envelope for G. Tutill, Artist, printed with an attractive banner design, posted from London with a 14 dot 1d. lilac, a few peripheral tears. Photo on page 16. **£150-£200**
- 66 ☒ - 1895 advertising envelope for the Humber Works at Coventry, illustrated on both front and reverse, posted from Coventry to Belgium. *Thomas Humber (1841-1910), the important early bicycle inventor and manufacturer. patented the safety bicycle in 1884.* Photo on page 16. **£120-£150**
- 67 ☒ - 1899 Cover with coloured printed adverts for "Nestles Swiss Milk" and "Viking, A Perfect Unsweetened Milk", posted from Bradford to Belfast handstamped "Insufficiently Addressed/186". Photo on page 16. **£80-£100**
- 68 **Albums:** Two F.G. De Luxe albums in blue, without leaves, fine. **£50-£60**



- 69 **Bag Seal:** A bag seal from "DRUMOYNE/GLASGOW/S.W.1" within a c.d.s. box (sliding lid), also a boxed c.d.s. (missing face plate), range of month and date 'slugs', unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 70 **Book Tokens:** A collection on leaves and loose, incl. 1932 7s.6d. green token in gift booklet handstamped "SPECIMEN", Harrison & Sons presentation cards, etc. (38 items) **£100-£120**
- 71 **Christmas Cards:** Printed Christmas and New Year greetings card from the General Post Office London, comprising 1883-84, 1884-85, 1886-87, 1887-88 and 1891-92, most attractive. **£200-£250**
- 72 **Coronation:** 1837 (c.) colourless embossed Queen Victoria's Head with Crown and floral surround, on card (188 x 235mm), by Dobbs, most probably produced for the Queen's Coronation. Photo on page 16. **£200-£250**
- 73 **Ephemera:** An accumulation in two albums, leaves and loose, incl. Almanacks, examples of embossed paper and envelopes, Share Certificates, Insurance Policies, Illustrated invoices, Silk souvenirs, Menus, leaflets, Maps, etc. (100s) **£200-£300**
- 74 **Guildhall:** 1849-1961 A most unusual collection of invitation cards, many from the Lord Mayors for various Banquets, with menus, 1902 Coronation Celebration proof impression, many most beautifully produced, a most unusual and colourful group. (103 items) **£800-£1,000**
- 75 **Lottery:** 1804-34 selection, incl. handbills, tickets, some printed by the Congreve method, etc., interesting group. (12 items) **£300-£400**



*For
Your obedient servant
Robert Hill*

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*If from Mr Vernon some blame, one of my
cards would be his due - but what would
have been his right, has become yours.
You will soon likely hear from me
in the course of next week.
I again thank you most sincerely for
the very great kindness you have shown me
during the painting of this picture
Yours faithfully
W. M. Bready*

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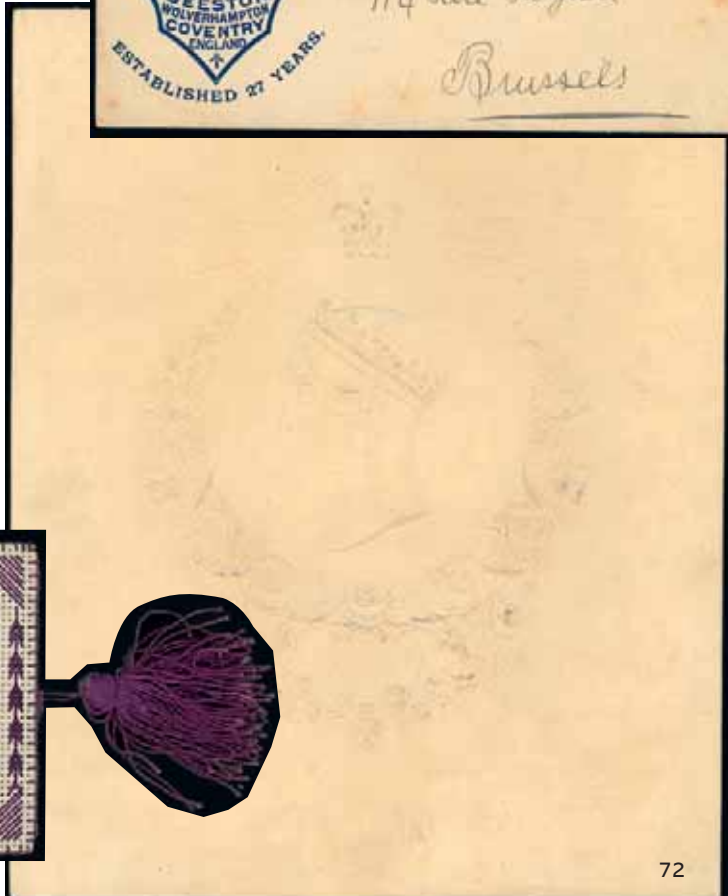
POST OFFICE STEAM PACKETS.
P A P E R S
RELATIVE TO
POST OFFICE STEAM PACKETS.
(Mr. Fernan Smith)
Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed,
24 March 1834.

92 156.



In Britain letters
Find no grace,
Unless they bear
Victoria's Face.

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- 76 **Mulready:** 1857 (Feb. 20) part letter regarding a commission for a painting written and signed by William Mulready, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 77 **Parcel Post:** A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection on leaves and loose, incl. 1898 "Sutton's Seeds" parcel label, franked by 1887-92 9d. and 1s. dull green perfined, with Reading Parcel Post c.d.s's and "ROYAL SEED ESTABLISHMENT/POSTAL DEPARTMENT" datestamp, 1887-92 Jubilee 1s. dull green (3) on parcel tag to South Africa, a very good range of labels with 1883 Liverpool label franked by 1880-83 3d. on 3d. pair, cancellations, stationery, etc. (100s) **£1,000-£1,200**



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- 78 P - 1883 1s. "INLAND PARCEL POST" die proof essay of unadopted design with bold figures in purple, mounted in mica faced sunken frame, unusual. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 79 P - 1883 1s. mauve "INLAND PARCEL POST" die proof essay on glazed card (92 x 60mm), very fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 80 **Perfins:** A Q.V. to K.G.VI collection in three stockbooks, incl. Q.V. with values to £1 green (3), K.E.VII to 10s., Seahorses, etc. (100s) **£200-£300**
- 81 **'Poached Egg' Labels:** A study of the testing labels incl. mint strips with different watermarks, plus nine covers bearing the green label, mainly in combination with K.E.VIII adhesives, six cancelled and three uncanceled, one with 1d. postage due applied, along with a range of magazine articles. **£180-£200**
- 82 **Postal Orders:** A selection, incl. 1881 Q.V. 1s. and 2s.6d., 1885 1s., 20s. with manuscript "CANCELLED", etc. (18 items) **£150-£200**
- 83 **Postal Orders and Reply Coupons:** A selection on leaves, incl. Q.V. 1s. used 2.4.81, K.G.VI 6d. to 15s., etc. (29 items) **£100-£120**
- 84 **Printing:** A selection of engravings and Congreve two colour printings, incl. 1912 large engraved advert (257 x 383mm) for Bradbury Wilkinson, examples of engine turning, etc. (18 items) **£400-£500**
- 85 **Registration Labels:** A collection of Edinburgh registered labels in an album, formed by James Mackay, incl. range of types, mainly fine. (approx. 1,200) **£70-£80**
- 86 **Royal Mint:** A selection, incl. 1833 letter only to a Mr Owen Williams, a supplier of copper to the mint, requesting price per ton, Official Paid envelopes, postcards, also covers and cards regarding the Tower of London, etc. **£100-£120**
- 87 **Rowland Hill:** A note written by Rowland Hill's secretary, "*Sir, your obedient servant*" with Hill's signature below, fine. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 88 **Royalty:** A collection on leaves and loose, incl. Royal Residences with Balmoral, Buckingham Palace, Windsor Castle, headed notepaper and envelopes, Cyphers, Official Paid datestamps, etc. (111 items) **£300-£400**
- 89 ✉ - A group of seven covers to Sir Henry Burdett, incl. 1885 with London V.R. hooded circle, 1905 Official Paid Sandringham plus K.E.VII crown/cypher cachet, etc. **£100-£150**
- 90 **Stamp Box:** A small wooden Tunbridge ware stamp box with side profile of Queen Victoria, with initials carved into base, otherwise fine. **£80-£100**

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- 91 **Stamp Holder:** A Victorian stamp holder, hand stitched with a poem beginning "*In Britains Letters/Find no grace...*" with small tassel, minor area of toning, unusual. Photo on page 16. **£50-£60**
- 92 **Steam Packet:** 1834 (Mar. 24) Steam Packet parliamentary memorandum, annotated in black ink. Photo on page 16. **£50-£60**
- 93 **Vignette:** A circular vignette with engine turned frame in black printed on India paper, mounted on card (53 x 53mm), depicting Prince Albert in military regalia, similar to those produced by the American Banknote Co. **£60-£70**



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- 94 **Watermark Bits:** 1880-83 Crown watermark bit in sheet brass, stitched to a calling card comprising of pairs of marginal corners and large and small Crosses, scarce. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 95 - c.1920 "GvR" over crown - four joined watermark bits. Unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 96 - c.1920 "GvR" over crown watermark bit, mounted on wire mesh. Unusual. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 97 **Wyon Medal:** 1837 Wyon City Medal in bronze in presentation case, some dents around the edges of medal, otherwise fine. **£150-£200**

Postcards

- 98 ☒ A large accumulation of mainly British view postcards in ten cartons, some sorted by country, mixed condition. (1,000s) **£500-£600**
- 99 ☒ An accumulation in two albums and loose, incl. castles and churches, exhibitions, railways, street scenes, etc. (100s) **£350-£400**
- 100 ☒ A dealer's stock of thematic postcards in three cartons, unused and used, incl. advertising, astronomy, bridges, children, disasters, embroidered, fairs, firefighters, glamour, holidays, hotels, industry, post offices, royals, schools, views, etc. (1,000s) **£300-£400**
- 101 ☒ An accumulation of both early and modern picture postcards contained in a carton incl. railways, military, advertising, topographical, some foreign, etc. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 102 ☒ An accumulation of early to modern picture postcards contained in a carton incl. topographical with a small collection of Wokingham with some early real photos, painted views, some foreign cards, etc. (many 100s) **£200-£250**
- 103 ☒ An accumulation of both early and modern picture postcards contained in a carton incl. topographical, some Foreign cards, etc. (many 100s) **£150-£200**
- 104 ☒ An accumulation of early to modern picture postcards contained in two cartons. (100s) **£100-£150**
- 105 ☒ An accumulation of both early and modern picture postcards contained in a carton incl. topographical with Sussex, humour, etc. (100s) **£80-£100**
- 106 ☒ A dealer's stock of actor, actress, cinema and theatre thematic postcards, unused and used. (100s) **£100-£150**

- 107 ☒ A dealer's stock of animal thematic postcards, unused and used. (100s) £80-£100
- 108 ☒ A dealer's stock of aviation thematic postcards, unused and used, incl. airlines, airports, balloons, military, etc. (100s) £120-£150
- 109 ☒ An interesting collection of Bognor Regis West Sussex picture postcards in seven albums contained in a carton with early cards incl. some real photos, also some related printed ephemera, etc. (few 100) £200-£250
- 110 ☒ A dealer's stock of church thematic postcards, unused and used. (100s) £70-£80
- 111 ☒ A dealer's stock of mainly comic and novelty thematic postcards, unused and used. (100s) £100-£150
- 112 ☒ A dealer's stock of ethnic thematic postcards, unused and used. (100s) £80-£100
- 113 ☒ A dealer's stock of exhibition thematic postcards, unused and used, incl. 1908 Edinburgh, 1908 Franco-British, 1910 Brussels, 1910 Japan-British, 1924-25 British Empire, etc. (100s) £80-£100
- 114 ☒ A dealer's stock of railway thematic postcards, unused and used, also some railway related covers with some World, etc. (100s) £150-£200

Royalty Postcards: King Edward VII: 1902-10 De La Rue



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- 115 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting K.E.VII as the Prince of Wales, used on the first day of issue with “RICE LANE” squared circle, slightly soiled, otherwise fine and very scarce. Photo. £350-£400
- 116 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting K.E.VII in military uniform, used on the first day of issue with “CHAPELTOWN” duplex, fine and very scarce. Photo. £350-£400
- 117 ☒ 1d., on postcard depicting K.E.VII and Queen Alexandra used on the first day of issue with “WEST WICKHAM” c.d.s., fine and very scarce. Photo on page 20. £400-£450

Royalty Postcards King George V: 1911-12 Downey Heads

- 118 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting K.G.V, used on the first day of issue with “Boscombe” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 20. £250-£300
- 119 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Scarborough” c.d.s., small corner crease, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on page 20. £250-£300



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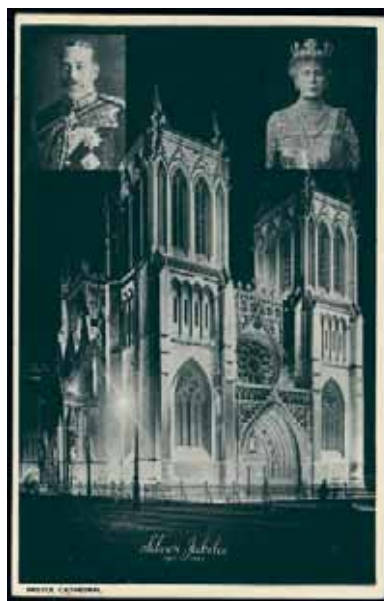
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Royalty Postcards King George V: 1911-12 Downey Heads continued

- 120 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting K.G.V in coronation robes, used on the first day of issue with “Cardiff” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 20. **£250-£300**
- 121 ☒ ½d., affixed to picture side of postcard depicting K.G.V in coronation robes, used on the first day of issue with “Rolvenden” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 20. **£250-£300**
- 122 ☒ ½d., affixed to picture side of postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “Burnley Rd Acrington” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 20. **£250-£300**
- 123 ☒ ½d., affixed to picture side of postcard depicting the royal children, used on the first day of issue with “Littlehampton” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 20. **£250-£300**
- 124 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “Bletchworth” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£250-£300**
- 125 ☒ ½d. (2), with souvenir label on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “London” c.d.s. and machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£250-£300**
- 126 ☒ ½d. and 1d., affixed to picture side of postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “Stratford” c.d.s.’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£300-£350**
- 127 ☒ 1d., on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Wood Green” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£300-£350**
- 128 ☒ 1d., on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “Wythall” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£300-£350**
- 129 ☒ 1d., on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary “Hands Across the Sea”, used on the first day of issue with “London” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£300-£350**
- 130 ☒ 1d. souvenir label, on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “London” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£300-£350**
- 131 ☒ 1d. block of four, on postcard depicting K.G.V photo by Downey, used on the first day of issue with “Elmham, Norfolk” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 132 ☒ **King George V: 1929 P.U.C.** ½d., on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “London/ Exhibition Newcastle on Tyne” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 21. **£200-£250**

Royalty Postcards King George V: 1935 Silver Jubilee

- 133 ☒ ½d. to 2½d. set, on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “Bristol” machine and c.d.s. cancellations, fine and scarce. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 134 ☒ ½d. to 2½d. set, on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Southampton” c.d.s. cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 135 ☒ ½d., 1d. and 2½d., on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary with Bristol Cathedral, used on the first day of issue with “Bristol” machine and c.d.s. cancellations, fine and scarce. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 136 ☒ ½d. and 1d., on postcard depicting Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “London” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 137 ☒ ½d. and 1d., on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary with Clifton suspension bridge, used on the first day of issue with “Bristol” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 138 ☒ ½d. (2), on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary with Royal Palaces, used on the first day of issue with “Newcastle upon Tyne” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 139 ☒ ½d., on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary with Royal Palaces, used on the first day of issue with “St. John’s Wood” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**



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Royalty Postcards King George V: 1935 Silver Jubilee continued

- 140 ☒ 1d., on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “London” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 141 ☒ 1d., on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Guernsey” machine cancellation, also 1d. used on 1938 Jan. 21 the date of the King’s death, tied by Guernsey datestamp, fine and scarce. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 142 ☒ 1½d. on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary, used on the first day of issue with “Earls Court” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 143 ☒ 1½d. on postcard depicting K.G.V in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “London” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 144 ☒ 1½d. on postcard depicting K.G.V and Queen Mary with St. Paul’s Cathedral, used on the first day of issue with “Cornwall” c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 145 ☒ 2½d. on postcard depicting K.G.V with Queen Mary, Royal Palaces and members of the Royal family, used on the first day of issue with “Up Special T.P.O.” c.d.s, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**

Royalty Postcards King Edward VIII: 1936

- 146 ☒ ½d., 1½d., and 2½d., on postcard depicting K.E.VIII broadcasting to the Empire, used on the first day of issue with “Weston Super Mare” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£200-£250**
- 147 ☒ ½d., 1½d., and 2½d., on postcard depicting K.E.VIII in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Chiddingfold” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 148 ☒ ½d., 1½d., and 2½d., on postcard depicting K.E.VII in uniform mounted on a horse, used on the first day of issue with “Horsforth, Leeds” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 149 ☒ ½d., 1½d., and 2½d., on postcard depicting K.E.VII in formal wear, used on the first day of issue with “Cheltenham” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£200-£250**
- 150 ☒ ½d., 1½d., and 2½d., on the picture side of postcard depicting K.E.VII in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Maida Hill” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£200-£250**
- 151 ☒ 1d. on postcard depicting K.E.VII in uniform mounted on a horse, used on the first day of issue with “Blackwood” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£180-£200**
- 152 ☒ 1d. on postcard depicting K.E.VII in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “Bristol” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£180-£200**
- 153 ☒ 1d. on postcard depicting K.E.VII in uniform, used on the first day of issue with “South Tottenham” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£180-£200**

Royalty Postcards King George VI: 1937 Coronation

- 154 ☒ 1½d. on postcard depicting K.G.VI in uniform with his history, used on the day before the official date of issue with ½d., 1d. and 2d. with “Chiddingfold” c.d.s’s, fine and on postcard very scarce. Photo on page 26. **£200-£250**
- 155 ☒ 1½d. block of four, on postcard depicting Princess Elizabeth, used on the first day of issue with “London” machine cancellation and c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 156 ☒ 1½d. pair and ½d., 1d. and 2½d., on postcard registered to Switzerland, depicting K.G.VI and Westminster Abbey, Buckingham Palace, used on the first day of issue with oval London “Registered” handstamps, fine and scarce. Photo on page 26. **£180-£200**
- 157 ☒ 1½d. pair and ½d., 1d. and 2½d., on postcard registered to Switzerland, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with flags, used on the first day of issue with oval London “Registered” handstamps, fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 158 ☒ 1½d. pair, on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth in Coronation Robes, used on the first day of issue with “Ruislip” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**



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Royalty Postcards King George VI: 1937 Coronation continued

- 159 ☒ 1½d. pair, on postcard, depicting Queen Mary's Procession with the Princesses, used on the first day of issue with "Glamorgan" c.d.s's, fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 160 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and the Queen, used on the first day of issue with "Glasgow" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 161 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI in uniform, used on the first day of issue with "Lee on the Solent" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 162 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI in uniform with his history, used on the first day of issue with "Wasperton" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 163 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI in uniform with his history, used on the first day of issue with "Rochester and Chatham" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 164 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting painting of Windsor Castle, used on the first day of issue with "Windsor" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 27. **£180-£200**
- 165 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with Westminster Abbey, used on the first day of issue with "Hall Green Birmingham" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 166 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with poem, used on the first day of issue with "Hall Green Birmingham" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 167 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with Westminster Abbey, used on the first day of issue with "Gernard" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 168 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth in formal wear, used on the first day of issue with "Hampstead" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 169 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth, used on the 11th May, two days before first day of issue with "Glasgow" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 170 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with tourist sights, used on first day of issue with "Ilfracombe" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 171 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with Royal palaces, used on first day of issue with "London" machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 172 ☒ 1½d., on front of postcard, depicting The Royal Coach leaving Buckingham Palace, used on first day of issue with "Western" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 173 ☒ 1½d., on front of postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth, used on first day of issue with "Oxford" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 174 ☒ 1½d., on front of postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth, used on first day of issue with "Lee on Solent" c.d.s., fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 175 ☒ 1½d. pair overprinted "TANGIER", on postcard, depicting K.G.VI seated in uniform, used on the first day of issue with oval "Registered" cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 176 ☒ 1½d. pair overprinted "TANGIER", on postcard, depicting K.G.VI in uniform and Queen Elizabeth, used on the first day of issue with oval "Registered" cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 177 ☒ 1½d. pair overprinted "TANGIER", on postcard, depicting K.G.VI in uniform and Queen Elizabeth with French imprint, used on the first day of issue with oval "Registered" cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**

Royalty Postcards King George VI: 1937

- 178 ☒ ½d., 1d. and 2½d., on registered postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth in normal clothes, used on the first day of issue with "Leeds" c.d.s's, fine and scarce. Photo on page 31. **£180-£200**



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The Professor Iain Stevenson Collection



Professor Iain Stevenson

1950–2017

Iain's children write:

Professor Iain Stevenson was known as an avid and tenacious collector and the tragic circumstances surrounding his death in March 2017 will always make the auction of his collection a bitter-sweet occasion. We, Iain's family, would firstly like to thank Grosvenor for their kind and professional support in collating our father's extensive collection, and to thank all his friends and fellow philatelists for their heartfelt condolences during this difficult time.

Iain was born in Shotts, Scotland, in (of all places) the local post office – so it is fair to say that he was exposed to philately at a very young age! After graduating from the University of Glasgow aged 22, he set up the North Lanarkshire Philatelic Society, and his love for all things postal related expanded rapidly. Iain went on to complete a Masters at Simon Fraser University in Canada and studied for his PhD at University College London. It was while researching in France that he met our mother and they were married a year later. This period of his life is reflected in his many collections of France, Belgium and Luxembourg.

As young children, we started to become aware of how very knowledgeable he was about stamps, their origins and history. His passion would always particularly come through when a friend from the Bishops Stortford Philatelic Society visited with numerous boxes of stamps and we would overhear them talking with an enthusiasm and excitement that was palpable.

Over the years his collections won many awards, and we remember feeling very proud as the trophy cabinet became increasingly full.

After a successful career in publishing Iain returned to academia, firstly at City University, then back at UCL. As he approached retirement, he found more time to embrace his passion for philately and his collections grew. These collections are part of our father's legacy and we hope that they provide as much pleasure to others as they did to him over the years.

Royalty Postcards King George VI: 1937 continued

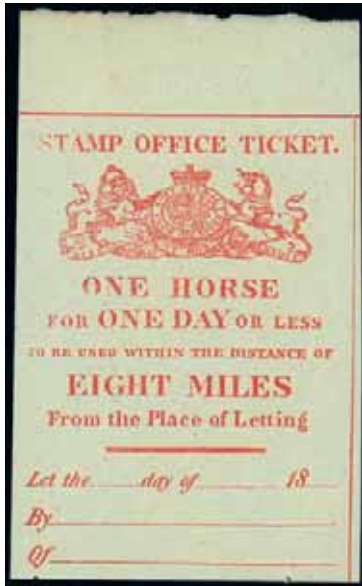
- 179 ☒ ½d., 1d. and 2½d., on registered postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth, used on the first day of issue with “Leeds” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 180 ☒ ½d., 1d. and 2½d., postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth, used on the first day of issue with “Cheltenham” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 30. **£180-£200**
- 181 ☒ ½d., 1d. and 2½d., postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with flags, used on the first day of issue with “Bromley” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 31. **£180-£200**
- 182 ☒ 1d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with Royal residences, used on the first day of issue with “Ryde” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 31. **£180-£200**
- 183 ☒ 1½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI in informal wear, used on the first day of issue with “Eastbourne” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 31. **£180-£200**
- 184 ☒ **1948 Silver Wedding** 2½d. block of four, on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth with bridesmaids, used on the first day of issue with “Bridlington” c.d.s’s, fine and scarce. Photo on page 31. **£180-£200**
- 185 ☒ - 2½d., on postcard, depicting K.G.VI and Queen Elizabeth, used on the first day of issue with “Hampstead” machine cancellation, fine and scarce. Photo on page 31. **£180-£200**

Postal Fiscals

- 186 P **1878 die 4** 1d. imperforate colour trials (5) in brown-purple, light brown (2), yellow-ochre and rose-carmine, on gummed watermarked paper, fine. S.G. Spec. L122, cat. £1,500. Photo on page 31. **£350-£400**
- 187 P **1881 die 4** 1d. imperforate colour trials in grey-blue, claret, dull purple and brown-purple, on gummed watermarked paper, fine. S.G. Spec. L123, cat. £840. Photo on page 31. **£150-£200**
- 188 **Samuel Allsopp & Sons:** 1863 and 1866-67 1d. reddish-lilac se-tenant with Allsopp label pairs used with manuscript cancellations, a few imperfections, otherwise fine. Photo on page 31. **£200-£250**
- 189 ★ ☒ **1875–80 embossed Inland Revenue** 2s.6d. vermilion die O, a fresh mint block of four on white paper with virtually full original gum, some creasing and other minor imperfections, otherwise fine, very scarce. S.G. F54, Spec. L154, cat. £2,000+. Ex Young. Photo on page 31. **£250-£300**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL, Collection: Revenue Stamps

- 190 A collection in three albums, incl. unappropriated dies Q.V. £2 and £6, K.G.V 7s.6d. and £1., Bankruptcy 1889 £20 overprinted “SPECIMEN”, Cavendish Tobacco Duty, Chancery Court 1875 £3 rose, Civil Service, Companies Registration 1867 set overprinted “SPECIMEN”, Consular Service, House of Lords, Ireland with Registration of Deeds, Judicature Fees, Land Registry, Law Courts, Medicine Duty, Newspaper Duty, Probate, Register House Scotland, Travel Permit 1935 5s., Transfer Duty, etc. (100s) **£800-£1,000**
- 191 An accumulation of mainly documents, incl. Consular Service, Inland Revenue, Ireland Registration of Deeds, Judicature Fees, Justice Room, Mayors Court 1910 Testimony bearing 9s.6d., Paper Duty, also Cheques, Indentures, Insurance Policies, Licences, Passports, etc. (100s) **£500-£700**
- 192 A collection of mainly documents in eleven folders and stockbook, incl. large range of embossed revenues with values to £500, Agreements, Bonds, Indentures, Bills of Lading, Car Tax, Contract Note, Dog License, Foreign Bill, Judicature Fees, etc. The property of another vendor. (100s) **£300-£400**
- 193 A selection, 1651-1905(c.), of Revenue material and documents, incl. stamped items from King William IV (1699), Queen Anne (1704), Indentures, 1871 Act re Pedlers, County Court Complaints, Certificates, example of the Magnet newspaper with Chard Gazette newspaper stamp “CANCELLED”, and Magnet stamp added, etc. The property of another vendor. (61 items) **£200-£250**
- 194 A Q.V. selection, incl. Admiralty Court, Bankruptcy, Chancery Court, Civil Service, Common Law Court, District Audit, Foreign Bill, Inland Revenue 1d. imprimatus (2), Life Policy, Probate, Judicature Fees, Transfer Duty, etc., with a range of specimens, also some Telegraphs and fiscals, mixed condition. The property of another vendor. (100s) **£200-£250**



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- 195 A selection on leaves, incl. Excise Revenue, Medicine Duty, Mayors Court 1916 document bearing 9s.6d., Northern Ireland Land Registry 1921 1s. strip of three, Tobacco Duty Relief 1958 booklet with three panes and part pane of five, also some Advertising rings, etc. The property of another vendor. (135 items) **£150-£200**
- 196 A selection on leaves and loose, incl. Foreign Bill 1857 to £2.10s. (less 1d., 3s. and 7s.6d.) set overprinted "SPECIMEN", Ireland Admiralty Court 1868 2s.6d. and 5s. essays, Medicine Duty, Police Courts 1959 1s. in blocks of twelve and four, partly stuck-down to paper, etc. (few 100s) **£150-£200**
- 197 A collection written up on exhibition pages incl. 1902 cover to U.S.A. bearing 6d. lilac, cancelled by Edgbaston c.d.s., with "available for postage" in manuscript above, 1867 and 1868 1d. imprimaturs, examples used on documents, tender essay, etc. The property of another vendor. (17) **£100-£200**
- 198 An accumulation of revenues in mixed condition on stockcards, also selection of labels, poster stamps, etc. The property of another vendor. (few 100) **£100-£120**

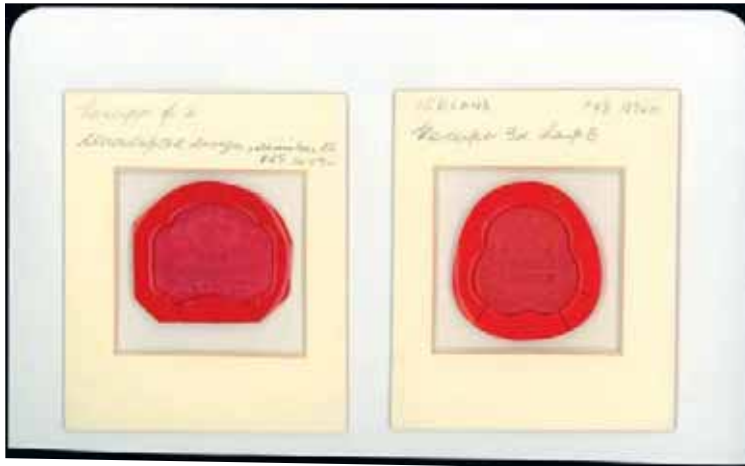


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- 199 S **Chancery Court:** 1857 perf. 14 3d. to £1.0.0. set of 21 incl. the unissued 3s.6d., all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, all corner marginal with plate numbers, fair to fine with gum (unmounted). Photo. **£200-£250**
- 200 **Consular Service:** A selection, incl. 1885 25c. blue and black, 1886 £1, 1887 25c. on 3d., 1917-21 K.G.V £50 pair and single, range of documents with used in Egypt, Foreign Service, etc. The property of another vendor. (60 items) **£150-£200**
- 201 S - 1885 25c. to \$20 set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6 and affixed to part page from Inland Revenue presentation album, a few small imperfections. (14) Booth 14-23. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 202 E **Customs:** 1885 original artist's essay of an unissued design in pencil and Chinese white with pencil cross, part of central design at top-left on tracing paper (90 x 98mm), endorsed "in blue". Photo. **£100-£150**
- 203 S **Foreign Bill:** 1871 1d., 2d., 3d., 6d., 9s. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, 1872 1s. to £5 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 10, all in horizontal, mainly fine with gum. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 204 **General Duty:** A selection mainly on documents in a folder, incl. 1694 document being an Act for granting to their Majesties several Duties upon vellum parchment for four years, towards "carrying on the War against France" with "VI PENCE" embossed stamp in blue, Cypher labels, etc. The property of another vendor. (33 items) **£100-£150**
- 205 S - 1875-81 3d., 6d., 9d. (2, one with dates, other with florets), 1s., 1s.6d., 1s.9d., 2s., 9s., 15s., perf. 12½ and £1 imperforate, all handstamped "SPECIMEN" in various types, poor to fine. **£80-£100**
- 206 P - 1881 embossed £3 "I" proof with void date plugs, in black mounted in sunken frame inscribed '£3 I. Recording Press/June 1881', 1882 £3 "K" and £6 "G" proofs with void date plugs, mounted in separate sunken frames, each dated "Oct 5 82", a few minor stains, otherwise fine. (3). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 207 P - 1902 2d. die proof in black with uncleared surrounds, on thin card (92 x 60mm) dated "9 APR. 02" and marked "AFTER/HARDENING", fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 208 **Glove Duty:** 1785 2d. red "above 10d. not exceeding 1s.4d.", affixed to piece, rare. Photo. **£100-£150**



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- 209 **Guildhall Consultation:** 1892 2s.6d. imperforate plate proof block of four printed in blue mounted on card stamped "PB 522" and issued 2s.6d. unused. Photo on page 34. **£150-£200**
- 210 P **Hat Tax:** 1796 proof of 3d. value for Hat valued between 4s. and under, numbered "156", fine. Photo on page 34. **£150-£200**
- 211 **Horse Duty:** 1827 "ONE HORSE" in red, with contemporary riddle on reverse, scarce. Photo on page 34. **£150-£200**
- 212 **Justice Room:** 1869 imperforate plate proof pair and single printed in black on wove paper, 1888 plate proof in red with manuscript "3s.-0d", 1910 3s. mint block of four, etc. (36) **£200-£250**
- 213 **Licences:** 1884-1903 small group of Licences with Dog Licence, Exemption from Duty by Farmers (2) one franked by I.R. Official 1885 ½d. slate blue, other by ½d. vermilion, etc. The property of another vendor. (5 items) **£100-£120**
- 214 **Life Policy:** A selection, incl. 1860 10s. and £1 (2) used on 1862 document, 1869 10s. and £1 (2) used on 1879 document, 1872 10s. and £1 used on 1879 document, Firm's pre-cancels, etc. (112 stamps, 10 documents) **£300-£400**
- 215 **Local Authority Stamps:** A collection on leaves, incl. Gloucestershire 1870 die proof in black mounted on card, plate proof in red-brown, Isle of Ely, Northamptonshire 1874 1s. on 1d., Southampton 1878 strip of three overprinted "WATERLOW & SONS LTD/SPECIMEN" with small punch holes, 1880 imperforate proof for the Pound values in orange, etc. (54) **£300-£400**
- 216 O **Local Authority Stamps: Sheffield:** 1891 "TOWN HALL" 1s. carmine, used on 1893 Affidavit, tied by violet oval "CITY OF /SHEFFIELD" datestamp. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 217 **Matrimonial Cause:** 1858 1s. manuscript "CANCELLED", 1866 6d. to £1 set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, 10s. imperforate die proof in cerise on glazed card and 1s. ultramarine mint, fair to fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 218 **Mayors Court:** A selection on leaves, incl. 1883 plate proof in blue without indication of value, 1918 and 1925 documents bearing 9s.6d., etc. (28) **£100-£120**
- 219 **National Insurance:** A selection on leaves, incl. National Health & Insurance 1920 10d. (26) used on card, 1961 19s.2d. (8) on part card, 1965 22s.7d. (6) on part card, etc. The property of another vendor. (95) **£100-£120**
- 220 **Newspaper Duty:** A selection in two albums incl. postal stationery, range of cancellations, Newspaper Tax stamps, etc. The property of another vendor. (few 100s) **£150-£200**
- 221 - A selection in a folder, incl. 1797 (June 13) *The London Gazette* with 1698 ½d., range of red and black impressed stamps, etc. The property of another vendor. (51 items) **£80-£100**
- 222 **Paper Duty:** 1856 large red and black label affixed to piece, cancelled circular unframed "Crown CHARGE ON MAKER", a few faults but rare. Barefoot 10. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 223 P **Patent:** 1853 8d. and Receipt stamp 3d. and unissued 1s. all wax proof impressions, most attractive. Photo. **£150-£200**
- X224 **Playing Card Duty:** Three De La Rue wrappers for Patience cards (two in blue with and without aperture and one in black with aperture), and 1955 3d. playing card wrapper, slightly mixed. Ex Kiddle. The property of another vendor. (4) **£80-£100**
- 225 S **Police Courts:** 1875 6d., 1876 1s., 2s., 2s.6d., 5s. 10s. and 10s.6d., overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, affixed to piece from proof book headed "*Police Courts*", some faults. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 226 S **Probate Court:** 1860 3d. to £5 set overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, mainly fine with gum, usual natural gum creasing. (8) Booth 16-22. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 227 **Receipt Stamps:** A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection, mainly on receipts and documents in five folders, incl. a comprehensive range of overprinted and un-overprinted postage stamps with Assurance and Insurance companies, Corporations, Utilities, etc. The property of another vendor. (100s) **£200-£300**

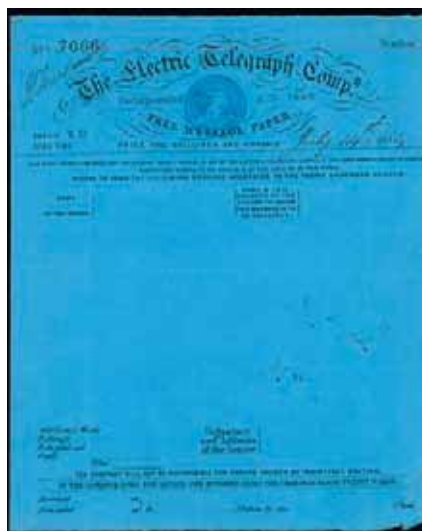
The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL Collection: Private Telegraph Companies Stamps

- 228 ☒ **British and Irish Telegraph:** A selection incl. c.1860 black controls, 3d., 6d., 1s. (2), 1s.6d. (pair), 2s. all mint or unused; c.1862 red controls, 1s. and 2s. mint/unused and 1s.6d., used but damaged. Also 3 imperf. proofs for 6d., 2s. and 3s., mixed condition. (13) **£60-£80**
- 229 ☒ **British and Irish Telegraph: Forms:** A collection comprising delivery forms (10), receipts (2), message form and envelope. (14) **£60-£80**

The Electric Telegraph Company

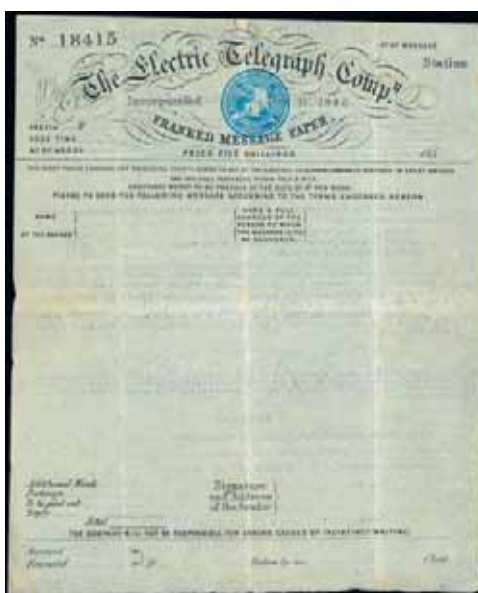


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- 230 1s.6d. franked message paper, 1855, up to 50 miles, dark blue seal on pink paper, control A5449. *E.D. Bacon noted in 1927 that just a few (?) of these forms had come to light in 1911. Rare. Photo.* **£800-£1,000**
- 231 2s.6d. franked message paper, 1851, within a circuit of 100 miles, blue seal on blue paper, control 7666. *Illustrated in Langmead & Huggins essential work on the Telegraphs of Great Britain. This being an example printed as Free Message Paper, probably in error. Of the greatest rarity, being one of only two known examples of this value in private hands. Described by E.D.Bacon in 1927 as 'one of the greatest philatelic rarities'. Photo.* **£800-£1,000**



- 232 5s. franked message paper, 1851, beyond 100 miles, blue seal on white paper, control 18415. *Of the greatest rarity being the only known example of this value. No examples of this value were known to Bacon in 1927. Ex R.E.Philipps. Photo.* **£1,000-£1,200**



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- 233 ★ 1854, **First Issue**. Under 100 miles, (2s.6d.) on blue paper, control No: 9989. A particularly fine mint example of this rare stamp with large part original gum. Hiscocks 2. Photo. **£600-£800**
- 234 P 1855, **Second Issue**, proofs without control numbers. 3d. on pale yellow, 1s. on buff, 1s.6d. on pink (faded), 4s. on white, without gum, the 1s. damaged at top, others fine. Scarce. (3), Hiscocks 4, 6, 8, 13. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 235 ☆ - Unused selection, comprising 1s. on buff, control No. 16248, part original gum, 2s. on blue, control No. 41505, slight damage to top, no gum, 4s. on white, control No. 37565, damage to top and left side, no gum. Rare. (3) Hiscocks 6, 10, 13. Photo. **£600-£800**



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- 236 ★ 1859 Director's message stamp for Capt. Huish, control No. 1069, mint, part original gum, scarce. Hiscocks 62. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 237 ★ - Director's message stamp for Capt. Huish, control No. 1076, mint, part original gum, scarce. Hiscocks 62. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 238 ☒ 1861, Stamped forwarded message form, with 3s. value, initialed RG/JSE, affixed, being one of the Bridport prepared forms. Folded but otherwise fine. Scarce with about a dozen examples known. Photo on page 40. **£100-£120**
- 239 1861-63, **Waterlow printings**. Stamps initialed RG/JSE, perf. 12 and 12.5, various types. Mint or unused and used selection including: 3d., 1 unused 2 used; 6d., used; 1s., 3 used, 2 unused; 18d., 2 unused 1 used; 2s., one unused, 1 used; 3s. 3 unused, 2 used; 4s., 1 used, 1 unused and a lithographed forgery, all with control numbers. Also proofs for the 1s. and 2s. values without controls, 2 of each with one of each bearing suspect cancellations, very mixed condition. (26) **£200-£250**
- 240 - Stamps initialed RG/JSE, perf. 12 and 12.5. A small selection of scarcer values and types, including: 2s.6d., a rare mint vertical pair and 1 used; 4s., 2 used; 5s. used and 10s. used. Condition very mixed as normal for these values, various tears, perf. faults etc. (6) **£200-£250**
- 241 1864, **Waterlow printings**. Stamps initialled RG/HW, perf. 12 and 10. mint or unused and used selection in very mixed condition including: 3d., 3 unused; 6d., 3 used, 3 unused; 1s., 4 used, 6 unused including a rare pair; 18d., 4 unused 1 used; 2s., 1 unused, 2 used, all with control numbers. Proofs without control numbers, 1s., 18d., 2s., 3s. and 4s. (2). (32) **£200-£250**

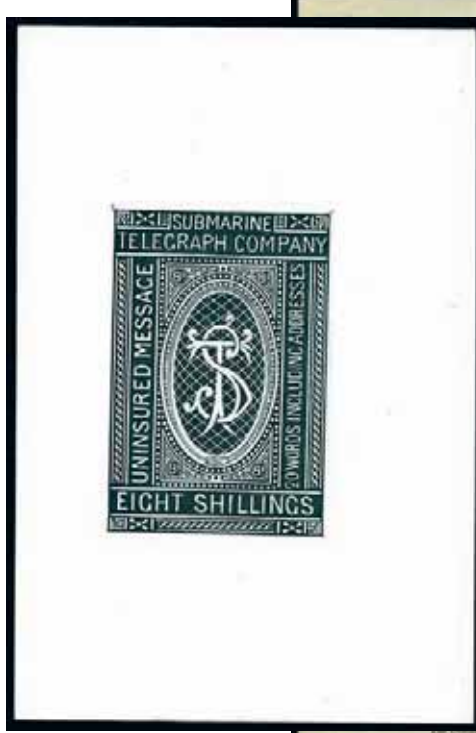
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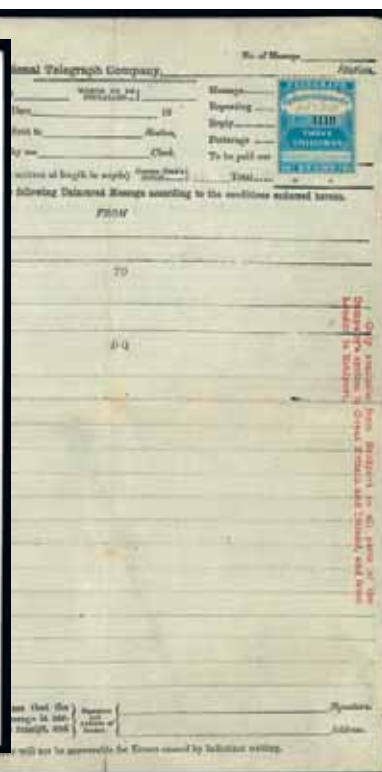
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- 242 **Forms:** A selection of telegraph delivery forms and envelopes, all titled “The Electric Telegraph Company” being from the early 1850s period. Item of particular note is an 1850 delivery form from Stafford to London being the earliest known example. Additionally 9 further forms and 2 envelopes. Also a very early Norfolk Railway 184(?) telegraph message form and one other later example from the North Eastern railway. A rare collection of forms. **£180-£200**
- 243 - A selection of telegraph delivery and forwarding forms and envelopes, all titled “The Electric and International Telegraph Company” being from the late 1850s to 1869. A total of 47 forms, 23 envelopes and 2 receipt forms. A scarce accumulation. **£180-£200**
- 244 **The English and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company:** 1855(c.). The following with control numbers, mint large part original gum: 1s. black, strip of 3, one example having the I for T in “Telegraph” flaw. 1s.6d. mauve, strip of 3 and single, 2s.6d., blue, two copies, one example having the I for T in “Telegraph” flaw. Without control numbers, proofs with large margins, 1s. black (2), 1s.6d. mauve, 2s.6d. blue, 4s. red, 5s. green (2). Also pair of 2s.6d. blues on piece stated to be printers proofs, showing the I for T flaw – one stamp damaged. (18). **£100-£120**
- 245 ★ **London District Telegraph Company Limited:** 1860-61. 3d. black on yellow, 4d. black on blue, 6d. black on red. Better than average examples of this scarce set, mint with part original gum. Also 6d., apparently used with c.d.s. but of questionable status. Also small company almanac with charges and list of stations for 1864. Scarce (4) Photo. **£250-£300**
- 246 ☆ - 1860-61. 3d. black on yellow, 4d. black on blue, 6d. black on red in average unused condition. 1865 issue 3d. on yellow (10) and 6d. (13), incl. a used strip of 4. (26) **£150-£200**
- 247 **National Telephone Company Ltd.:** A mint and used selection, incl. 1d. (4), 4d., 6d. (2) and 1s. in sheetlets of twelve, 1s. brown bisected used on piece, ephemera, etc. (167) **£300-£400**
- 248 ★ **South Eastern Railway:** A small selection incl. 1s. yellow, perf. 12, poor used; ½d. black, perf. 12, highest known control number, fine mounted mint; 1s.6d. grey-lilac perf. 12 x 12½, fine mounted mint; 2s.3d. brown, perf. 9, fine mounted mint and 2s.9d green, perf. 9, fine mint, pin holes at top, mixed condition, mint copies much better than average for this issue. Scarce. (5). Photo. **£600-£800**
- 249 P **Submarine Telegraph Company:** 4½d., 3s.9d., 4s., 7s.6d., 8s., set of die proofs for the five values in black on white glazed card, (91mm x 60mm), the 7s.6d. value handstamped “19 MAY 1881”. Scarce. (5) Photo. **£500-£600**



- 250 ○ **Submarine Telegraph Company: 8s. lilac overprinted "TEMPORARY STAMP FOUR SHILLINGS" used with concentric ring cancellation in blue. Perf. faults and corner repair, however the only known used example in private hands and a great philatelic rarity. Photo.** £1,800-£2,000
- 251 ☒ **Submarine Telegraph Company: Forms:** Three different delivery forms, dated 1869, 1871 and 1874. Also two printed delivery envelopes. Rare. £80-£100

United Kingdom Electric Telegraph Company Ltd



- 252 P 1861 1s. vertical format, sunken die proof, (50 x 50mm). Ex De La Rue archive. Scarce. Photo. £120-£150
- 253 1861, 3d. ochre vertical format, without controls, unused manuscript specimen, damaged, 6d. red, unused faded and damaged to right, 1s. lilac, unused, two, one in a dark shade, better than average examples. With controls 6d. red, 1 used 1 unused, 1s. lilac, mint vertical pair and used single. Better than average condition for this issue. Scarce. (9) £250-£300
- 254 1864-65 3d. to 1s., horizontal format, with controls and overprinted "INT" for with interest and supplied to shareholders by way of a dividend. A selection of mint or unused and used examples with various control sizes incl. 3d. yellow, 1 unused; 6d red, 5 unused; 1s. lilac, 11 unused (block of 4 and pair) 2 used. Also included is a rare receipt giving details of the payment of half a years interest by these stamps, mixed condition. (19) £100-£150
- 255 1864-65 3d. to 2s., horizontal format, with controls. A large selection of mint or unused and used examples with various control sizes, in mixed condition, including: 3d. yellow, 13 (3 pairs) unused; 6d. red, 11 (1 pair and block of 4) unused, 2 used; 1s. lilac, 7 unused 1 used; 1s.6d. green, 5 unused (1 pair) and 2 used; 2s. brown, 13 unused (block of 6 and pair) and 1 used. (55) £150-£180
- 256 ★ 1864-65 3d., 1s., 1s.6d. and 2s., horizontal format, mint, without controls, possibly proofs and rare in this condition, part original gum with paper adhesions to back. also 3d. imperf. trial in mauve used by De La Rue as a sample for their fugitive ink, showing attempted removal as is normal for these trials. Rare. (5) £220-£250

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- 257 **Forms:** 1860s. Two delivery forms and one message form. *Forms from this company are scarce, especially the message form.* (3) **£60-£80**
- 258 ☆ **Universal Private Telegraph Company:** 1860 6d. partial sheet of 60, blue control, 1s. complete sheet of 100, red control, selection of mint singles including 6d. (6) with various coloured controls and 1s. (10), similar. Also 1868 Bonelli's, including 3d. green (2), 6d. black (5), 9d. blue (4) and 1s. red (3). 3d. brown from booklets (9) including a block of 4. (38 items) **£80-£100**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL Collection: Military Telegraph Stamps

- 259 A collection in an album, incl. 8d. colour standard imperforate block of six, 1884 - 85 Military Telegraphs set, 1d. to £1, values to 10s. handstamped specimen type 9, £1 type 11, 1895-1900 1d. to £5 set, range of used, etc. (114) **£600-£700**
- 260 S 1884 - 85 Military Telegraphs set, 1d. to £1, values to 10s. handstamped specimen type 9, £1 type 11, all affixed to part of page from Inland Revenue records. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 261 S 1886 (Dec.) London Overprints "1 DIME" on 1d. to "ONE HUNDRED PIASTRES" on £1 set less the 2p. on 8d., all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, with gum, mainly good to fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 262 ★ ☐ 1887-92 Jubilee ½d. vermilion in a rare "O" control strip of three and 1900 ½d. blue-green in a mint block of ten from the foot of the pane, overprinted "ARMY/TELEGRAPHS" mainly fine mint. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 263 ▲ **Army Telegraphs:** 1895 6d. bisected and used on piece, fine. *Stated to be the only known example.* Photo. **£200-£300**



- 264 ▲ - 1900-01 Provisional Surcharges "ONE/SHILLING" on 5s. pair, one bisected, used on piece, tied by "ARMY TELEGRAPHS" datestamps, fine and scarce. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 265 ▲ - 1900-01 Provisional "ONE SHILLING" on 5s., used on piece with "ARMY/E-NM/TELEGRAPHS" datestamp used at Enslin, Bechuanaland, fine and scarce. Photo. **£300-£400**



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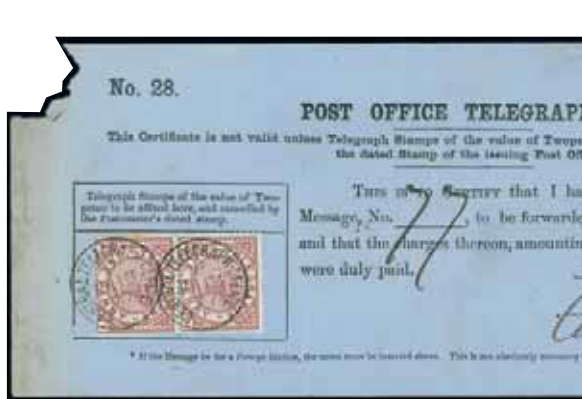
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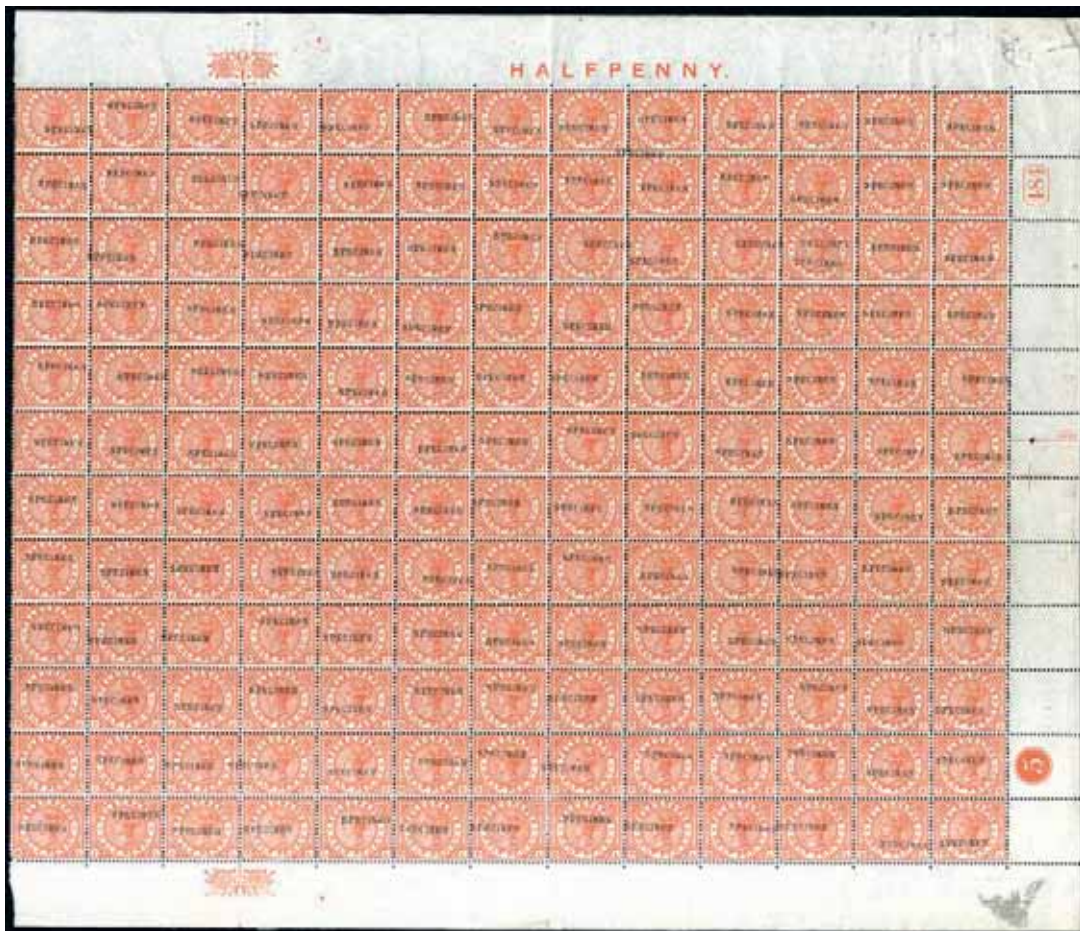
- 266 A collection on leaves, incl. 1876 3d. carmine plates 1 to 3 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 1881 3d. carmine plate 5 HA used, 4d. sage-green plate 1 imprimatur, 1877 6d. plate 1 imperforate plate proof in grey overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, plate 2 used HK, 6d. green plate 4 NC imperforate overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 1880 1s. brown-orange plate 10 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, plate 10 SD and plate 12 EF used, 1881 1s. brown-orange plate 11 AB used, plate 12 imprimatur, plate 12 LL mint, RL used, 1876 5s. rose plate 1 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, AD used, plate 2 EI used, 1877 10s. plate 1 CD used, also three Telegraph forms unused, etc. (66) **£1,200-£1,500**
- 267 S A selection of lower values handstamped specimen type 9 in blocks of four, comprising ½d. SI-TJ, 1d. plate 1 SJ-CK, 3d. plate 1 BI-CJ being the only known block of 4 of this plate (margin trimmed at top), 6d plate 1 KE-LF (margin trimmed at top), 1s. green plate 3 RC-SD being the only known multiple of this plate (margin trimmed at base), 1s. brown plate 10 NE-OF with margin attached, 3s. FE-CF (margin trimmed at top). A difficult selection in blocks, fresh with original gum. S.G. cat. £2,540. Ex Stevenson. **£200-£250**
- 268 S A selection handstamped specimen comprising 1d. plate 2 vertical pair GK-GL type 9, 1d. plate 2 SJ type 10, 1d. plate 3 TL type 9, 3d. plate 1 HE type 10, 3d. plate 2 IA type 9, 4d. OD type 11 and MF type 9 (trimmed wing margin), 6d. KG type 11, 1s. plate 1 CC type 10, 1s. plate 6 BE type 9, 1s. plate 8 HB type 9, 3s. block of 4 PG-QH type 9 with part marginal inscription, 5s. type 9, 10s. type 11 and £1 type 9, very mixed condition. S.G. cat. £3,005. Ex Stevenson. **£180-£200**



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- 269 E 1868-69 Essays produced shortly after the signing of the "Telegraph Act" of 1868 by the anaglytograph process. Most likely these designs were for telegraph forms and show the Queen's head in silhouette on yellowish white card. Two examples, one in black (73 x 55mm) and one in green (70 x 64mm). Both have some stain spots as usual on these. *Very rare with most known examples in institution collections with just three or four known in private hands. Almost all known examples have been cut down making this pair especially interesting.* A key telegraph piece. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 270 P 1875(c.) adopted head die proof in carmine on glazed card (92 x 60mm), without markings, the impression slightly weak at upper left. Very fine. S.G. Spec. vol. 1, page 303, cat. £2,750. Ex Young. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 271 O ½d. to 1s. small selection of used examples, comprising ½d., 1d. plate 2, 3d. plate 2 (2), 3d. plate 3, 1s. plates 1, 3, 4 (2) and 6, mixed condition. Cat. £593. Ex Stevenson. (10) **£80-£100**
- 272 ☆ ½d. to £5 selection of unused and used examples comprising ½d. (2 used 1 unused), 1d. plate 1 (4 used), plate 2 (2 used) plate 3 (1 unused), 3d. plate 1 (1 used, 1 unused), plate 2 (7 used, 3 unused), plate 3 (1 used), plate 4 on crown 1 used, 4d. (3 used), 6d. plate 1 (2 used, 1 unused), plate 2 (1 used) plate 2 on crown (1 used), 1s. plate 2 (1 used), plate 4 (8 used), plate 5 (19 used inc. block of 4), plate 6 (3 used), plate 7 (1 used 1 unused), plate 8 (1 used, 1 unused), plate 9 (1 used), plate 10 (3 used), plate 11 brown-orange (2 used), 3s. (4 used), 5s. plate 1 (6 used), plate 2 perf. 14 (1 used), 10s. (3 used), £1 (2 used), £5 (1 used, poor), mixed condition. Cat. £13,600 approx. Ex Stevenson. (90) **£400-£600**
- 273 ★ ④ ½d. orange plate 5 AD-CI, a very fresh mint left marginal block of eighteen (3 x 6), centred to left, a few gum creases and AD creased, otherwise fine with all but one stamp unmounted, also 1876 1d. red-brown plate 2 II-JJ block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, very fine with gum (unmounted). S.G. T1 & 2s, cat. £764+ (as singles). Ex Young. **£120-£150**
- 274 ☆ S ½d. orange plate 5 HA-TL mint part sheet of 156, with full original gum, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9. The largest known multiple of any of the Telegraphs and a rare and wonderful survivor. Some folds, creases etc., as would be expected for a block this size, otherwise very good condition and a superb looking piece. Has intact margins to three sides with both central sheet ornaments, the "HALFPENNY" inscription and one plate and current number. Includes some interesting handstamp varieties including a double impression on stamp RC and a very unusual additional handstamp centrally struck in the OA-PB block of four such that part of the overprint is on all four stamps. S.G. T1s, cat. £10,140. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**
- 275 ★ ½d. orange plate 5 KA-ND mint block of sixteen, thirteen stamps unmounted, perfs. trimmed at top and other minor perf. faults to edges, odd small tone spot on reverse and minor gum creasing, large part original gum, AA-BB block of four in similar condition, with plate number attached – margin with plate number and adjacent stamp fine unmounted mint, scarce, plus block of four handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9 with margin, very fine unmounted mint. S.G. T1, cat. £820. Ex Stevenson. **£80-£120**

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- 276 P ½d. orange plate 5 RC imprimatur, no gum and small mark on front. A maximum of 17 examples of this value remain in private hands (Ex Conrad Graham). S.G. Spec. L201, cat. £350. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£80-£120**
- 277 S 1d. red-brown, a selection of marginal plate 1 specimen blocks, incl. NA-QC block of twelve, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 10, top marginal with marginal inscription "ONE PENNY", AB-CE block of twelve, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, left hand marginal with plate number attached, double perforations to margin, IA-LB block of eight, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, top marginal with central ornament in margin. A nice looking trio of positional pieces from this plate, some gum wrinkles, minor creasing and perf. faults as would be expected but all with large part original gum and most stamps unmounted. S.G. cat. £1,760. Ex Stevenson. **£220-£250**
- 278 ☒ 1d. plate 2 PH-PI used vertical pair on receipt form, cancelled with crisp "Central Telegraph Office" c.d.s.'s. Scarce. Ex Stevenson. Photo on page 44. **£60-£80**
- 279 P 1d. red-brown imprimaturs, plate 2 SL cut close on right hand side, plate 3 SL cut close and thin to top, both with registration dates in pencil on reverse and part original gum. *Only a maximum of nine of each plate are in private hands.* Rare. Ex Conrad Graham. S.G. Spec. L203, L204, cat. £700. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 280 P 1d. plate 3 OL die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), dated "July 26 1875" and endorsed "BEFORE STRIKING". *The 1d. die proofs are scarce and this is the only known example of this plate.* S.G. Spec. L204, cat. £800. Ex Stevenson. Photo on page 44. **£250-£300**
- 281 ★ 田 1d. red-brown plate 3 AA-BB, mint top corner marginal block of four with plate number and imprinted duty in blue. Very rare being the only known example as such from this plate. Large part original gum with stamps unmounted. Some light staining to reverse of margins from old mounts. S.G. Spec. L204, cat. £140 (as singles). Ex Stevenson. Photo on page 44. **£100-£120**
- 282 P 1d. red-brown imprimaturs from the abnormal plates, plate 4 BL cut close and plate 5 RA with good margins, both with registration dates in pencil on reverse and part original gum. *A maximum of 9 examples of plate 4 and 17 examples of plate 5 are in private hands. Rare with imprimaturs being the only source of stamps from these unissued plates.* Ex Conrad Graham. cat. £700. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£180-£220**
- 283 P 1d. red-brown unissued plate 5 TH imprimatur, very fine and fresh with gum. S.G. Spec. L202/4, cat. £350. Photo. **£150-£180**



- 284 P 3d. CK, watermark Crown sideways inverted, perforated colour trials (3), in orange, blue and green, blue with small thin spot, otherwise fine with part to large part original gum. *These trials originally came to the market as blocks of twelve in the three colours. The blocks when split became sets and five are in private hands.* S.G. Spec. L208, cat. £4,350. Ex Young. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 285 ○ 3d. plate 4 HH on crown, an average used example of this scarce stamp which is so often missing from most telegraph collections, cancelled "STIRLING DE 1881". A little grubby. S.G. T4, cat. £250. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£60-£80**



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- 286 P 4d. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Nov 3 1876" without endorsement. Cat. £800. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 287 P 4d. to 1s. small selection of colour trials and standards, comprising 4d. plate 1 IC imperf. colour trial, in close to issued colour, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 11, fine mounted mint and the hardest of all the colour trials to find as most exist in large blocks. 6d. plate 1 RB imperf. colour trial in close to the issued colour, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 11, fine mounted mint large part original gum. 1s. plate 4 DI-DJ imperf. colour standard, superb fresh unmounted mint pair. S.G. Spec. cat. £525. Ex Stevenson. **£80-£100**
- 288 P 4d. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Nov 6 1876", without endorsement. Clipped corner. S.G. Spec. L211, cat. £800. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 289  P 4d. sage-green watermark large Garter sideways plate 1 PG-QH, imperforate block of four, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, one has slight gum crease, otherwise fine with gum (unmounted). S.G. L211t. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 290 P 6d. grey watermark Spray sideways plate 1 AH imprimatur and 1881 watermark Crown sideways-inverted plate 2 JJ no gum imprimatur. *Only nine examples of plate 1 and approx. twice that of plate 2 are in private hands.* S.G. 212P, 214P. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 291 P S 6d. plate 1 FE-HH, colour trial block of twelve in close to the issued colour, imperforate and handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 11, large part original gum, some staining. S.G. Spec. cat. £1,560. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 292 ★  1s. green watermark spray plate 6 FI-JL pane of twenty (5 x 4) showing "TELEGRAPHS ONE SHILLING." inscription, very fine and fresh mint with large part to full original gum (13 stamps unmounted), very rare. S.G. Spec. L220. Ex Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 293 ★  1s. green watermark spray plate 8 FK-GL mint marginal block of four, displaying the marginal inscription "TELEGRAPHS", with large part original gum, three stamps fresh unmounted mint. S.G. T8, cat. £720. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 294 P 1s. brown-orange plate 12 imprimaturs comprising, SC watermark spray, good margins but no gum and pen marks to front, AD watermark crown, close margins cut into on left, part original gum. *A maximum of nine on spray and twenty on crown remain in private hands.* Rare. Cat. £625. Ex Conrad Graham, Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 295 P 3s. die proof in black on glazed white card (91 x 60mm), without plate number or check letters, dated "Oct 19 1876" and without endorsement. S.G. Spec. cat. £800. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 296 P 3s. watermark spray imperforate colour trials comprising MA grey-green, TA slate-blue, NG-NH dull mauve, GE pale ultramarine, PC brown-lilac (no gum) all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, on gummed watermarked paper, good to fine. (8) **£150-£200**
- 297 P S 3s. watermark spray imperforate colour trials handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 8, comprising KH grey-green, marginal, EA ultramarine, CE and CF brown-lilac singles, PG claret, marginal, RG dull-mauve, large part original gum, some gum wrinkles and odd creases in places but generally fine. Margins close to huge, some cut into. S.G. Spec. cat. £780. Ex Stevenson. (6) **£100-£120**
- 298 P S 3s. watermark spray KE-OH imperforate colour trial pane of twenty (5 x 4) in pale ultramarine overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, mainly very fine and fresh with full original gum, all but about six stamps unmounted, some gum creasing or bends, KE and OH with small corner creases and NF with tone spot. S.G. Spec. L229, cat. £2,600. Ex Young. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 299 P S 3s., three imperforate colour trials overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, NI grey-green, NJ brown-lilac and QD dull mauve, latter with small tone spot, otherwise fine and fresh with part to large part original gum. S.G. Spec. L229, cat. £390. Ex Young. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 300 ★  3s. slate-blue watermark spray AA-BB upper left corner marginal block of four showing marginal plate number "(TH)REE SHILLINGS" inscription and stamped duty, two stamps with small tone spots on perfs. and manuscript note on sheet margin at upper right, otherwise fine and fresh mint. Very scarce. S.G. L229. Ex Young. Photo. **£150-£200**



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- 301  S 3s. slate-blue watermark spray PA-TD complete Post Office sheet of twenty, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, with full margins including part current number and inscription "TELEGRAPHS THREE SHILLINGS". Small tear to top in margin only, some creasing and wrinkles as would be expected for a multiple of this size but unmounted mint. Minor perf. faults to base. *A scarce survivor and the only complete pane of specimens of this value known.* S.G. T11s, cat. £2,400 (as singles). Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£400-£600**
- 302  5s. rose watermark Maltese Cross plate 1 AF-BJ used half pane of ten, cancelled with five strikes of a Glasgow duplex for Feb. 21 1876, in the first month of use, somewhat faded and grubby with perf. faults but an interesting block nevertheless. *This duplex was used telegraphically in Glasgow in early 1876 and the stamps despite appearing to be postally used are not.* S.G. T13, cat. £2,000. Ex Stevenson. Photo on page 48. **£80-£100**
- 303  5s. rose watermark Maltese Cross perf. 15 x 15.5 plate 2 BJ, fine used and perf. 14 BG, fine used but creased. Both perf. types of this scarce plate. S.G. T13-14, cat. £975. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£80-£110**
- 304  5s. rose watermark Anchor plate 3 AF, presentable used example of this scarce stamp with c.d.s. and part box cancellation, odd minor perf. fault. S.G. T15, cat. £1,100. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 305  5s. rose watermark Anchor plate 3 DF, 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. **£100-£120**
- 306 P 10s. imperf. colour trials comprising EF in grey-green, fine, no gum, EF in claret, fine no gum, AD in dull-mauve, fine unmounted full gum, AD-BD pair in ultramarine, large part original gum but somewhat soiled. S.G. Spec. cat. £1,625. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 307 S 10s. grey-green watermark Maltese Cross plate 1 GF from top of pane overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, gum crease, otherwise fine and fresh with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. L235s, cat. £360. Photo on page 52. **£120-£150**
- 308 P S £1 pale ultramarine watermark shamrocks AC imperforate colour trial, very fine and fresh with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. L236, cat. £800. Ex Young. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 309 P £1 pale ultramarine watermark shamrocks CS imperforate colour trial, no gum, good margins and colour. S.G. Spec. cat. £800. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 310 P S £1 slate-blue watermark shamrocks DK imperforate colour trial, very fine and fresh with large part original gum, trivial gum bends or wrinkles. S.G. Spec. L236, cat. £800. Ex Young. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 311 P S £1 brown-lilac watermark shamrocks CL-DM imperforate colour trial block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, exceptionally fine and fresh with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. L236, cat. £3,200+. Ex Young. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 312 S £1 brown-lilac overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, very fine and fresh with large part original gum. S.G. T17s, Spec. L236, cat. £900. Ex Young. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 313 S £1 brown-lilac AH, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 11, fine appearance with good colour but without gum and some shortish perfs. at base. S.G. T17s, cat. £900. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£100-£150**



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A 11 POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS. Country No. of Telegram.

Foreign No.	Words.	Cable.	Office of Origin and Service Instructions.
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At _____ To _____ Via _____ By _____

For Postage Stamps.
The Stamp may be affixed by the Sender.

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NOTES.—The following Telegram is assigned by the Postmaster-General for transmission subject to the Regulation as to Foreign Telegrams, which forms part of the 1884 edition of the Telegraph Act, 1884, provided that the Report at the base of the Telegram is previously signed by the Sender.

TO {

The Sender's Name and Address, or other of them, if to be telegraphed, must be written here.

FROM {

I request that the above Telegram may be forwarded (with _____ address) subject to the Conditions which are printed on the back hereof, and by which I agree to be bound.

Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

* This stamp is to be fixed up if there are alternative rates, when the word "Government", or the name of the Telegraph Company, must be inserted.

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- 314 ○ £1 brown-lilac CJ, fine used, with two strikes of a Rothesay c.d.s., scarce to find without a box cancellation, perf. imperfections but of fine appearance. S.G. T17, cat. £950. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 315 ○ £1 brown-lilac DB, used, with Glasgow c.d.s. and box cancellation, presentable with good colour. S.G. T17, cat. £950. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£60-£80**



- 316 P £5 gold DA imperforate colour trial without Specimen handstamp, surface rubbing and gum wrinkles as is normal with this trial. Margins close to three sides and repaired bottom right hand corner nevertheless a rare and desirable item showing tiny part of plate number at top. *Fewer than twenty without overprint remain in private hands.* S.G. Spec. cat. £5,000. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 317 P S £5 ultramarine BI imperforate colour trial handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 8. Superb colour and margins, large part original gum. Crease to corner not noticeable on the front of the stamp. Scarce. S.G. Spec. cat. £1,300. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£400-£600**
- 318 P S £5 dull mauve CD-CE imperforate colour trial vertical pair overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8, CD with barely perceptible horizontal crease at top right, otherwise exceptionally fine and fresh with gum (CE unmounted). S.G. Spec. L237, cat. £2,600. Ex Young. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 319 S £5 orange BE, handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 8, without gum, the odd short perf. on left hand side, with reasonable colour. S.G. T18s, cat. £2,800. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 320 S £5 orange AE overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, regummed and reperf. at right, excellent colour. S.G. T18s, Spec. L237s, cat. £2,800. Ex Young. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 321 ○ £5 orange CB, used with multiple c.d.s. strikes and box cancel. A presentable copy but reperf. at top. S.G. T18, cat. £3,200. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 322 ○ £5 orange DG, fine used example with single strike of a Glasgow c.d.s. for Oct. 1879. Rare in this condition, unfortunately weak NE corner. S.G. T18, cat. £3,200. Ex Stevenson. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 323 **Post Office Telegrams:** A very large selection of delivery forms, unstamped message forms, ephemera etc. from the Post Office Period, 1870s to 1960s, incl. 1899 Royal Telegram charged to the Queens account, copies of the 1868 and 1885 telegraph acts and an 1885 telegraph boy referee form. Quantities of early large format delivery forms of various types, small format delivery forms, Government Dept. dispatch forms, Ocean and Ship Letter telegrams and delivery envelopes. Various company forms including, Eastern Telegraph, Cable and Wireless, Commercial Cable Company, Western Union (Storkgram), Atlantic Telegraph Company, Griffiths Telegram Company, Great Northern Telegraph Company, etc, Prepaid reply forms, advertising brochures plus a few greetings telegrams. Some deferred plain language forms and a few used telegrams from the 1960s with castle high values attached. An interesting lot that would require some sorting. Ex Stevenson. (100s) **£100-£150**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL, Collection: Telegraph Forms

- 324 A Q.V. selection, incl. Huggins TP4 (3 various imprints), TP11aa and ba, overprinted "SPECIMEN", also 1869 "The Telegraph Act", etc. (11 items) **£120-£150**
- 325 1870-81 Q.V. AI forms, collection with 1s. octagonal (postage) and 1s. circular (Telegraph) forms from TP1 to TP8, incl. TP1 and 2 handstamped "SPECIMEN", TP3, TP4, TP6a (2), TP7a (2), TP7a handstamped "SPECIMEN", TP7b (4), TP8b used, mixed condition. **£160-£180**

A.I. SEE NOTICE AT BACK. POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS. (Inland Telegrams) No. of Telegram _____

Prefix _____ Code _____

Office of Origin and Service Instructions. Words. Sent.

Charge. At _____ M. To _____ By _____

When a reply is to be given, write the words "Reply Paid" in the space below.

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POST OFFICE INLAND TELEGRAM

Chargeable words _____ Counter Number _____

Charge _____

At _____ M. To _____ By _____

Block letters throughout please.

ADDRESS _____

In the space provided at the Back of the Form.

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PER RAILWAY POST ON ARRIVAL AT

No. 1111

The Editor,
Ewen's Weekly Stamp News,
32, Palace Square,
Norwood, London, S.E.

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To catch train by bus arriving 10:30pm

To be handed to P.O. agent on arrival for immediate delivery to the North

D. WILSON, Edinburgh

Lennox Hamilton & Eglington Crescent
Edinburgh

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PER RAILWAY FROM STATION

To be posted at _____

No. 1111 Per _____ Train

The Editor,
Ewen's Weekly Stamp News,
32, Palace Square,
Norwood, London, S.E.

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Train _____

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- 326 1872-76 Q.V. 1s. green telegraph form (unfolded) dated "1.8.76", with "PRIORITY" in red. Huggins TP4d. **£100-£120**
- 327 1872 Q.V. telegraph cards TCP1a (2), TPC16 6, two with Specimen and one unstamped card. **£100-£120**
- 328 1875-85 Q.V. AI 1s. octagonal Postage die group comprising TP5 (faults), TP10 (7) with different printing dates (some with faults), also 4 cut-out impressions with "SPECIMEN" type 9. **£80-£100**
- 329 1879-81 Q.V. AI S/E forms, 1s. Telegraph die TP35a (faults), TP36, 1s. Postage die TP38 (2, one soiled). **£120-£140**
- 330 1885-1894 AI forms, collection of 6d. dated types TP11 and TP12, incl. one handstamped "SPECIMEN", also forms with date plugs replaced by 5 x 9 dot florets TP13a and TP13b, varied condition. (21 items) **£160-£180**
- 331 1885-1901 Q.V. AI S/E dated forms, TP39b, TP40a, undated forms TP41a, TP41b (3), TP42a, TP42b. **£100-£120**
- 332 1889 Q.V. A S/M 1 forms 10d. blue TP55 (4, one oxidised) and TP56. **£200-£250**
- 333 1889 A S/M 1 S/E 10d. blue form TP61 with 58011 imprint, fine and rare. Photo on page 52. **£120-£140**
- 334 1892 Q.V. A S/M 1 10d. brown forms TP57 (2 plus booklet cover), TP58a (4) **£100-£120**
- 335 1894-1902 A Q.V. AI forms, a study/collection of 6d. undated types TP15 and TP16, incl. varieties of stamp form layout and imprints, varied condition. (39 items) **£140-£160**
- 336 1902-13 K.E.VII AI S/E 6d. forms TP43a, TP44a (2), TP44b (2) and booklet cover with 6/10 imprint. **£130-£150**
- 337 1902 K.E.VII AI forms 6d. TP17a with "SPECIMEN" type 26, 6d. TP18b with "SPECIMEN" type 17, 6d. AI S/E TP43b with "SPECIMEN" type 17 (faults), A S/M 1 10d. form TP59b with "SPECIMEN" type 17. **£100-£120**
- 338 1902-11 K.E.VII AI forms TP17a (6, two with "SPECIMEN"), TP17b (2), TP18a (2), TP18b (3). **£100-£120**
- 339 1903 K.E.VII 10d. embossed uncleared die proof on card (92 x 60mm) dated "30 JAN.03" and marked "AFTER/HARDENING", also 10d. A S/M 1 form TP59a. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 340 1903 K.E.VII A S/M 1 10d. forms TP59a (2, one with "SPECIMEN" type 26), TP59c (2) plus booklet cover. **£80-£100**
- 341 1915 K.G.V 9d. forms TP20a, TP20a (2), TP21b, TP21c (3), scarce group. **£180-£200**
- 342 1915-27 K.G.V AI S/E 9d. form TP45, 9d. + 3d. TP47 with 12/19 imprint, 1s. forms TP49 (2) with 12/23 and 10/27 imprints and booklet cover, no imprint but uprated from 15s.2d. to £1.0.3 for 20 forms, scarce group. **£200-£250**
- 343 1915-35 K.G.V 6d. forms TP19 (2), and booklet of 24, 6d. TP25 (3). **£180-£200**
- 344 1920 K.G.V 9d. + 3d. TP22 (2) with different imprints. **£80-£100**
- 345 1920-33 K.G.V 1s. forms TP23A (3), TP23B (9) with a range of different imprints, scarce group. **£200-£250**
- 346 1922 K.G.V 1s. emerald green on TP24B form for use in Ireland. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 347 1944 K.G.VI 6d. forms TP26 (3), 9d. TP27 (2), 1s. TP28 and 6d. booklet cover (7). **£180-£200**
- 348 ☒ 1944 K.G.VI 1s. form (Huggins TP28) three different layouts) also booklet cover. **£120-£150**
- 349 1951 K.G.VI 9d. + 9d. olive green, fine unused, only a few recorded. Huggins TP30. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 350 1951 K.G.VI 1s.6d. forms TP31a and TP31b, also used TP31b (faults) **£100-£120**
- 351 **Telegrams:** An accumulation in an album, on leaves and loose, incl. 1899 Post Office Telegram form used from Buckingham Palace to Princess Louise, 1925 Wembley Exhibition Souvenir telegram used August 25 1925, a very good range of Greetings Telegrams with 1957 Birthday Greetings original artwork by David Knight with issued for comparison, Post Office Telegrams unused and used, Ephemera, etc. (100s) **£500-£600**

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The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL, Collection: Railway Stamps

- 352 A collection in an album and on leaves, incl. a good range of Caledonia Railway, Cleator & Workington Junction Railway 1920 cover from Cleator Moor to Manchester, bearing 3d. light green, Dumbarton & Balloch Joint Line 1920 cover from Alexandria to Manchester with 3d. bluish green, London Midland and Scottish Railway 1938 cover from Liverpool to Sheffield with 3d. Parcel label and Express label, Metropolitan & G.C.J. Committee 1924 cover from London to Manchester, Portpatrick & Wigtownshire Railways, Portpatrick & Wigtownshire Joint Railways 1920 3d. mint block of four and single used on 1920 cover, etc. (few 100s) **£800-£1,000**
- 353 A selection on leaves, incl. Railway Letter Stamps, London & Brighton and South Coast Railway 4d. in violet on 3d. green pair, The Highland Railway 1910 envelope bearing 2d. dark olive-green with "ELGIN" in violet, Railway Parcel stamps, etc. The property of another vendor. (36) **£150-£200**
- 354 An accumulation in mixed condition with railway letter stamps unused and used, a few covers, labels, quantity of railway tickets, etc. The property of another vendor. (few 100) **£100-£120**
- 355 ☒ **Colne Valley Railway:** 1891 2d. dull yellow-green in an unused sheet of twelve, 1910 2d. bright yellow-green in a mint sheet of twelve, good to fine. **£100-£120**
- 356 ☒ - 1905 (May 3) 'Ewen' envelope to London, bearing K.E.VII 1d. tied by Norwood c.d.s. and pen cross and Colne 2d. handstamped by curved "RAILWAY CHARGE/2d" in violet and with pen cross, scarce. Photo on page 54. **£150-£200**
- 357 ☒ **Great Eastern Railway:** 1905 (May 10) Ewen envelope to London franked by K.E.VII 1d. and 2d. yellow-green railway letter stamp (de Lacy-Spencer no. 8), each tied by neat upright "WHITTLESFORD/10 MAY. 1905/ CANCELLED" c.d.s. in violet, fine and attractive. Photo on page 54. **£100-£120**
- 358 ☒ **Great Northern Railway Company:** 1912 (June 14) envelope to Stamford, bearing K.E.VII 4d. orange tied by London Western District c.d.s. and Great Northern 2d. pink with pencil cancellation, affixed over the top of an Express label, scarce. Photo on page 54. **£200-£250**
- 359 ☒ **London & North Western Railway:** 1901 (Jan. 17) envelope to Edinburgh, bearing 1887-92 4d. tied by Threadneedle Street c.d.s., London & North 2d. (corner fault) control number 141609, manuscript "To be handed to P.O. msg on arrival". Photo on page 54. **£150-£200**
- 360 ☒ **South Eastern & Chatham Railway:** 1901 (Nov. 27) long envelope to Maidstone, bearing 1887-92 4d. tied by Blackfriars c.d.s. with Chatham 2d. with control no. 20613 with pen cross, express label at left. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 361 ☒ ☒ **Ireland: Londonderry & Lough Swilly Railway Company:** 1898 larger sized 2d. rose-red, in an unmounted mint block of six, mainly fine. R de Lacy-Spencer no. 2. **£100-£120**
- 362 ☒ **Scotland: Caledonian Railway Company:** 1899 (ca.) envelope (opened out) to Shipley, bearing 1881 1d. lilac and Caledonian 2d. both with pen cancellations with fine advert for the Great Western Hotel Oban on reverse. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 363 ☒ - 1899 (Dec. 7) envelope to Sheffield, bearing 1881 1d. lilac (2) with Sheffield duplex, Caledonian 2d. tied by oval "Conveyed/MANCHESTER/London Road/And to be so/abstracted" in violet. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 364 ☒ **Scotland: Great North of Scotland Railway:** 1875 (ca.) stampless 'string' parcel letter to Ellon, bearing "GREAT NORTH OF SCOTLAND RAILWAY/PARCEL FROM PAID" with "MINTLAW" handstamp. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 365 ☒ **Scotland: North British Railway Company:** 1908 (ca.) long envelope to Edinburgh, endorsed at top "Express Delivery", bearing K.E.VII 4d. orange cancelled by pencil crosses and North British 2d. with pencil cross and two line "JAS. WILSON/N.B.R. Guard" in violet. Photo. **£120-£150**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL Collection: Railway Parcel Stamps

- 366 ☒ **Great Northern Railway:** 1859 printed Accounts Department letter from Birmingham Station, bearing 3lbs. Corn Samples (Ewen no. 81), rare on document. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 367 **London & North Eastern Railways:** A selection of L.N.E.R parcel stamps comprising 1d., 2d., 3d., 4d., 7d., 8d., 9d., 10d., 11d., £1, £3, £5 and £10, various destinations, mainly fine, also additional label without value but with 1s.8d. in manuscript. The property of another vendor. (14) Photo. **£100-£150**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL, Collection: Railway Parcel Stamps continued

- 368 ☒ **London & North Eastern Railways:** Five covers all with Parcel stamps, 1935 Express cover with 3d. (Nottingham), 1949 cover with 5d. (Monkseaton), 1950 Express cover with 6d. (Cambridge), K.G.VI cover with 7d. cancelled "THE RAILWAY EXECUTIVE/FISH TRAFFIC AGENT/St. ANDREWS DOCK/HULL", 1955 cover with 9d. (Frinton-on-Sea). **£100-£120**

Literature

- 369 A large accumulation, incl. many books on cancellations, postal history, The Post Office, Revenues, incl. *British Pictorial Envelopes of the 19th. Century* by Bodily, Javis and Hahn, *Penny Postage Centenary*, *The £5 Orange* by Dr. J. Horsey, *Barred Numeral Cancellations of London* by J. Parmenter, etc. (quantity)
The buyer of this lot is responsible for its removal from our offices. **£200-£300**
- 370 L A small library in two cartons with various Willcocks publications incl. *The British County Catalogue parts 1 to 5*, *The postal Cancellations of London* by Westley, *The British Postage Stamp* by Lowe, etc. **£120-£150**
- 371 L A scarce collection of early philatelic books in a carton incl. *The Royal Mail* by J.W. Hyde (1885), *Stamps of the British Empire* (1894) by H.M. Millington, *The Romance of the Post Office* by A.G. Bowie (1897), *A History of the Adhesive Stamps of the British Isles* by Wright & Creeke (1899) with plates bound in, *The King's Post* by R.C. Tombs (1905), *Early Postmarks of the British Isles* by J.G. Hendy (1905), also Cinderellas with Billig's vol. 6 *Private Local Posts*, *Swiss Hotel Posts*, *Telegraph & Telephone Stamps* by Hiscocks, and a range of the *Cinderella Philatelist* (32), mostly good to fine. **£100-£120**

Postal History and Covers

- 372 ☒ A Q.V. accumulation of mainly covers on leaves and loose, incl. a range of stampless and pre-stamp covers, 1840 (July 31) cover franked by 1840 2d. blue, 1840 Mulready 1d. letter sheet A44 unused with Smith's Envelope Advertiser advert inside, 1841 (Nov. 28) franked by 1840 2d. blue, 1854 cover to New Zealand, franked by 1847-54 1s. green, 1854 long envelope from Edinburgh to Hamilton, franked by 1847-54 10d., etc. (100s) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 373 ☒ A group of Q.V. covers, with 1840 1d. blacks on cover (7), range of imperf. 1d. reds with a range of cancellations incl. number "3" in Maltese Cross, barred numerals, etc., mixed condition. (25) **£550-£600**
- 374 ☒ A collection, 1701-1850, of mainly covers on leaves, incl. 1701 entire from Paris to London, bearing on reverse has "FE/11" Bishopmark, 1702 cover to Stowmarket, on reverse has "PAYD/PENY/POST/W/TH" (twice) and "OC/15" Bishopmark, 1775 cover to London, bearing on reverse "POST/PAYD/PENY/T/MO" boxed "DAVIES" receiver and "10/AP" Bishopmark, 1798 entire to London, bearing two line "BRIGHT/HELMSTONE" with manuscript "4", 1839 (Dec. 8) cover to Edgbaston bearing handstruck "4" of Glasgow, range of Pairs, Frees, etc. (59) **£500-£600**
- 375 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II large accumulation of covers and cards in five cartons some sorted by county with some pre-stamp, imperf. and perf. 1d. red frankings, postal stationery, postage due marks, registered and censored mail, picture postcards, etc. (many 100s) **£400-£600**
- 376 ☒ 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 Birmingham 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) **£400-£500**
- 377 ☒ A pre-stamp to later line engraved collection of covers and entires, incl. 1840 1d. black plate 10 CD on 1841 (Jan. 3) cover (cut into), mainly 1841 1d. red-browns incl. CK tied to 1843 (Aug. 29) cover by number "3" in Maltese Cross, 74 additional covers with Maltese Cross cancellations, array or later postmarks, Scots locals, penny post handstamps, O.H.M.S., a few later covers and loose, mixed condition. (100s) **£350-£400**
- 378 ☒ A Q.V. line engraved collection of covers written up for display, mainly 1841 1d. red-browns incl. Maltese Crosses (30), 'black' plates, rates to France, Scottish, Irish and spoon cancellations, penny post markings, returned paid letter wrapper, etc., also some later covers incl. selection of advertising stationery envelopes and unused postal stationery, a few revenues etc., fair to fine. (100+) **£350-£400**

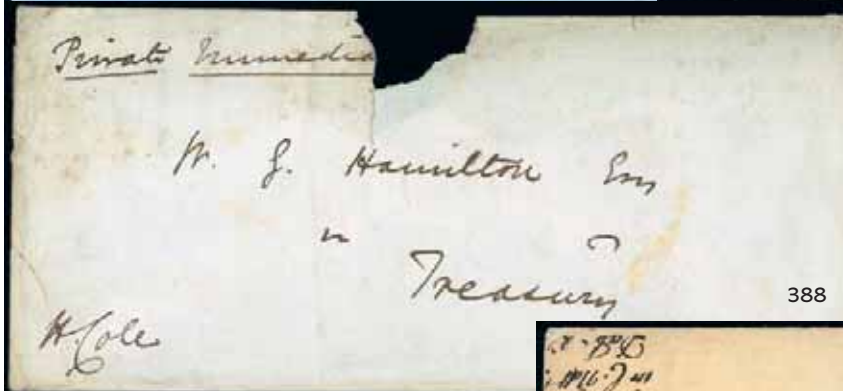
- 379 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of mainly covers and cards in a folder, on leaves and loose, incl. Railways, registered mail, postcards, range of cancellations on pieces, etc. (100s) **£300-£400**
- 380 ☒ A dealers stock of covers and cards contained in a carton with pre-stamp with a range of Penny Posts, mileage marks, later with spoon cancellations, imperf. and perf. 1d. red frankings, Scotland, also some Ireland, etc. mixed condition. (100s) **£300-£400**
- 381 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of mainly covers and cards in two folders and loose, incl. flown covers, maritime mail, registered mail, postcards, etc. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 382 ☒ An accumulation of pre-stamp entires, incl. 1781 (Mar. 28) from Farnham to Durham with “28/MR” Bishopmark, range of markings with crowned circles, etc., also a few fronts, mixed condition. (approx. 80) **£200-£250**
- 383 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation, incl. 1970s Field Post Offices, postage dues, postcards, postal stationery, slogans, censored, mourning envelopes, 1d. red covers, etc. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 384 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in eleven folders. leaves and loose, incl. flown covers with 1911 Coronation Aerial Post Windsor-London, brown purple envelope with September 16 die 2 cancel, range of R.A.F. commemoratives, postal stationery, etc. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 385 ☒ 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 condition. (7). Photo on page 60. **£150-£200**
- 386 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II selection, incl. 1840 1d. blacks on covers (4), registered, postage dues, etc., mixed condition. (63) **£150-£200**
- 387 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of covers and cards in varied condition contained in a carton with cancellation interest, postal stationery, also some foreign items, etc. (100s) **£150-£200**
- 388 ☒ Undated “Council on Education/Kensington Museum” envelope from Sir Henry Cole, director of the South Kensington Museum, to Mr George Alexander Hamilton, financial secretary at the Treasury, a prominent Orangeman, tearing and piece of envelope missing at top. Photo on page 60. **£80-£100**
- 389 ☒ A Q.E.II accumulation of covers with first day or special cancellations. (100s) **£60-£70**
- 390 ☒ A Q.V. selection, incl. fronts with parliamentary free handstamps (7), range of markings, some with adhesives, etc., mixed condition. (37) **£50-£60**
- 391 ☒ 1577 (Feb.) entire from Michael Arnofini, Rouen, addressed to Filippo Corsini, London, bearing manuscript “631/2”, with wax seal and trace of original cord used to tie the letter. Photo on page 60. **£200-£250**
- 392 ☒ 1587 (Jan.) letter from Gio Di Donere in Calais, addressed to Bartholomew Corsini in London, letter refers to a shipment of grain, fine. Photo on page 60. **£150-£200**
- 393 ☒ 1591 (May) letter from Gio Di Donere in Calais, addressed to Bartholomew Corsini in London, letter refers to payments to several parties, fine. Photo on page 60. **£150-£200**
- 394 ☒ 1593 Corsini letter from Exeter to London, signed by James Bagg. **£120-£150**
- 395 ☒ 1639 (June 6) privately carried entire from Langley “*To my honored brother Mr Charles Pym at his chamber in Lincolnes Inn present thus*” in London, probably the politician who sat in the House of Commons two years later. **£100-£150**
- 396 ☒ 1679 entire from Robert Hayworth, addressed to Sir John Moore, Merchant in London, manuscript “3” rate marks, on reverse has good “DE/4” Bishopmark. Photo on page 60. **£100-£120**
- 397 ☒ 1727 to 1840 a collection of the Free Franking privilege covers and fronts on leaves, incl. 1766 (March) entire to Hungerford, bearing circular framed “FREE” in red (Willcocks 765), 1799 (March) cover from London to Biddenden, bearing unframed “Above Privilege” in red, 1837 (March) cover from Mauchlin to London, bearing boxed “ABOVE WEIGHT”, good range of types, also copy of *Herewith My Frank* by J.W. Lovegrove, etc. (few 100s) **£300-£400**



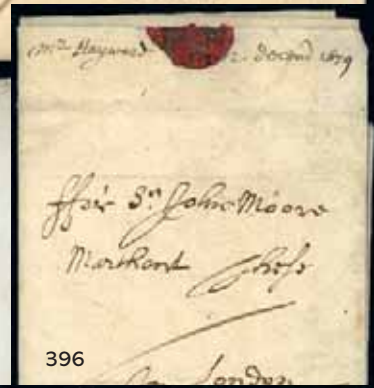
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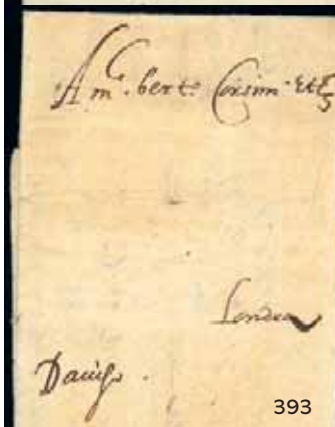
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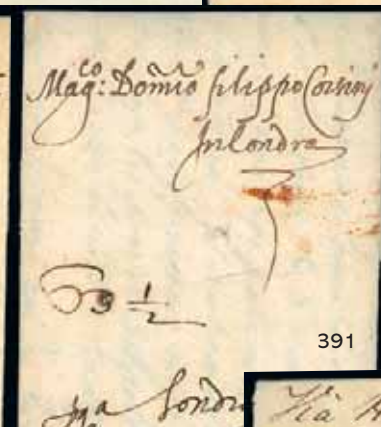
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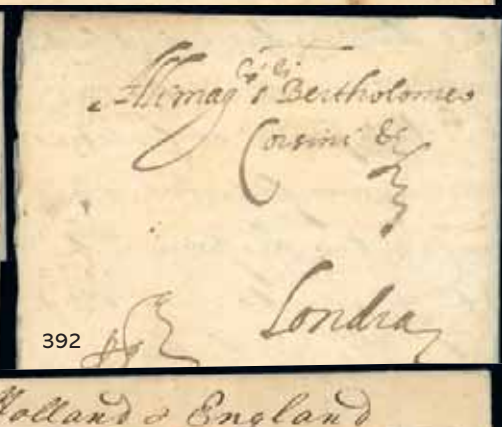
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- 398 ☒ 1748 (Oct. 13) entire letter written by Earl Home at Worms, addressed to London, bearing a fine strike of the scarce circular framed "AB" (Willcocks 315). Photo. **£250-£300**
- 399 ☒ 1762 (Feb. 4) entire from Lisbon, addressed to Mr James Gordon at the Jamaica Coffee House, London. **£80-£100**
- 400 ☒ 1762 Entire from Nottingham to London with "NOTTING/HAM" handstamp and two Bishop Marks of "30/NO" both with the variety reversed "N" and missing frame, heavy file fold. *The reversed "N" variety occurred occasionally between 1758 and 1762 while this unusual missing frame variety does not appear to have previously been recorded.* Photo. **£150-£200**
- 401 ☒ 1765 to 1849 collection of covers and entires written up on pages for display incl. 1765 entire with London head office Dockwra type Penny Post Paid handstamp and circular "7/O'CLOCK" receiver mark, 1775 entire to Bridgwater with small straight line "Partington" receivers mark, 1825 cover from the 'Lord Clifford' correspondence with bright vermilion inspectors star on front, 1838 (Sept. 6) entire with two lined boxed "Okehampton/5th Clause Post" on reverse, official mail, paid, penny posts, mileage marks, etc. (48) **£600-£800**
- 402 ☒ 1787 Entire Letter to London handstamped "BRISTOL" backstamped upon arrival with "FEBY/G/22" experimental Bishop Mark (Jay 4b). Photo. **£100-£120**
- 403 ☒ 1796 to 1899 a selection of covers and cards, incl. range of cancellations, instructional marks, etc. (55 items) **£250-£300**
- 404 ☒ 1807 to 1849, a group of inward and outward London Ship Letters, Willcocks type 1206, 1218, 1218a, 1220 and 1254, good to fine. (5) **£140-£160**
- 405 ☒ 1811 (Mar. 27) Campaign letter headed "*Provinces about 21 m. from Calianco*," addressed to Scotland, bearing "2/7" rate mark, an a good strike of the scarce Falmouth "LISBON/F" datestamp in green, overstruck with red datestamp. Very interesting contents regarding life on the march "*I was three days without eating anything except half a biscuit the first day. One biscuit is sometimes served out among 10 men, never mind what you see in the papers*" and "*Lord W (Wellington) has a large Army but he has Mortier on the Alentagio side to look to*." "*Vizu and indeed all the other towns are burnt, hundreds of natives lying murdered on the roads*." A fine Peninsular War item. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 406 ☒ 1827 Entire letter containing printed prices current sent from Hamburg to Lisbon endorsed "*via Holland & London*" with the very rare boxed arc shaped "Hamburg Paid" handstamp (Jay 1081) in red used by the London Foreign Branch. Backstamped by two differing London Foreign Branch datestamps with a Lisbon arrival handstamp on the front. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 407 ☒ 1829 to 1877 selection of covers, incl. Dublin, Greenock (2), Leeds and Norwich Maltese Crosses, Royal Agricultural Society cachets (2), Bridgwater, Chard and Nottingham mileage marks, etc. (16 items) **£160-£180**
- 408 ☒ 1839 (Feb. 8) entire from the Excise Office in Bath to the Royal Hospital Chelsea, cross post letter with two line "Hounslow/Penny Post" and "Too Late", crowned "FREE" datestamp in red and Crowned "To be/delivered/FREE". Photo on page 62. **£100-£120**
- 409 ☒ 1839 (Nov. 23) entire letter from Bristol to London charged the double rate of 1/7, but endorsed "*single only*" and returned for a refund of 9d. The original charge cancelled by scarce red "REBATE/23 NOV 23/1839/INLAND OFFICE" datestamp and the charge altered to a prepaid rate of 10d., endorsed "overcharged 9d. only single R. Hutchins" and redelivered with "To be/delivered/FREE" handstamp applied. Photo on page 62. **£450-£500**
- 410 ☒ 1840 (May 4) wrapper to Norwich with fine strike of "PAID/4 MY 4/1840" handstamp in red. Photo on page 62. **£100-£150**
- 411 ☒ 1860 Act of Parliament regarding making railways connecting Ryde with Ventnor and the East Coast of the Isle of Wight, 1863 Act of Parliament regarding changing the name of the Isle of Wight Eastern Section Railway, 1876 (July 19) agreement concerning the new pier at Ryde, 1877 (May 1) memorandum about the same pier, and 1880 manuscript contract between the Postmaster General, the London Brighton & South Coast Railway and the London & South Western Company (the two companies agreeing to convey the mails on their steamers between Portsmouth and Ryde in connection with the night mail trains) signed by the blind Postmaster General Henry Fawcett. (5) **£150-£200**



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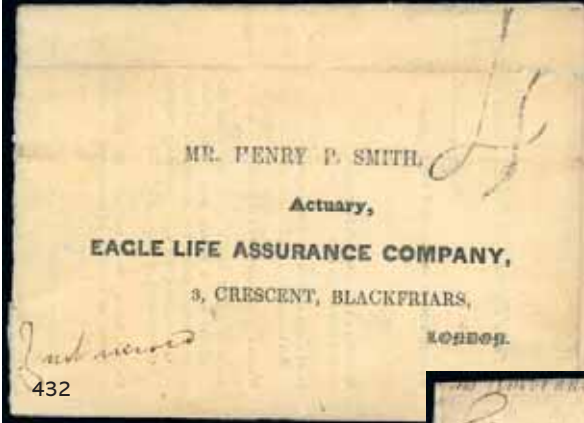
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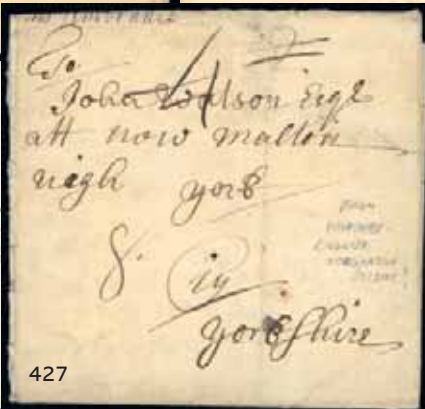
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- 412 ☒ 1895 to 1939, a collection of London paquebots and maritime markings, incl. West Africa, Ceylon, Australia, etc., with a range of handstamps, Ship letter c.d.s's, etc. (30 covers and cards) **£100-£120**
- 413 ☒ 1897 (Oct. 11) Silver Jubilee printed commemorative postcard (court size), used from London to Romsey, franked by 1887-92 ½d. vermilion, a few tone spots. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 414 ☒ 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) **£70-£90**
- 415 **Congress:** A selection of Congress material, comprising 1954 Eastbourne covers (5) and newsletter, 1955 Norwich menu, 1956 Brighton covers (8), 1958 Folkestone exhibition catalogue, covers (9) and Congress sheet of twelve, and 1967 Cambridge overprinted Congress sheets of twelve (4). **£100-£120**
- 416 ☒ **Express Mail:** A Q.V. to Q.E.II display collection on leaves and loose, incl. 1896 Parcel Post Declaration form sent from India with a Foreign and Colonial Parcel Post label and Express label, 1899 2d. registered envelope size H to Germany, additionally franked by 1883-84 2s.6d. LE, 190 (Sept. 18) envelope from London to Seaton, franked by 1887-92 4d. with violet oval "EXPRESS" cachet, Great Western Railway 2d. letter stamp, 1901 (July 11) 2½d. stationery envelope to Austria, on reverse has 1887-92 ½d., 2d. (2) with Express label, stampless and undated envelope to Bethnal Green, endorsed "*Postal express messenger*," bearing black oval "EXPRESS" cachet, a good range of cachets and labels, destinations, ephemera, etc. (few 100s) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 417 ☒ **George Cruikshank:** 1852 to 1874 group of four covers and a front from the correspondence of the Victorian artist and caricaturist George Cruikshank, comprising 1867 (Oct. 22) London cover bearing 1d. plate 73 LF, with attractive sketch of a gentleman's profile on the flap, 1874 (May 25) front with a sketch of General Booth, incoming letters to Cruikshank comprising 1852 1d. pink envelope with architectural sketch beside impression, 1869 (Aug. 23) cover bearing 1d. plate 102 NB with "M/S/W/C" in circle below and "M/S/W/L" at left, 1872 (May 24) cover from Leicester, bearing 1d. rose-red plate 151 TF, with his hand-written proposed reply on reverse, also 1847 (Jul. 15) large letter sheet (ALS) to Redcar from Samuel Metford the distinguished Victorian silhouette artist with a personal message "*According to promise I forward thee today the two duplicates of the little boys 'profile likenesses' that were taken by me in Kendal...*," an interesting group of covers. (6). **£200-£250**
- 418 ☒ **Hertfordshire: Bishops Stortford:** A collection in four albums and loose, incl. 1736 entire from Newport to London, on reverse has a good strike of the rare two line "BISHOPS/TORTFORD" and "28/FE" Bishopmark, 1785 (Sept. 12) entire to London, bearing a good strike of the rare two line "BISHOP/STORTFORD" in red (one of only two recorded), 1785 (Dec. 27) entire from Lord Cardiff at Hallingbury, bearing red circular "FREE", on reverse has "31 BISHOP'S/STORTFORD", 1797 entire to Norwich, bearing concave "BISHOPS/STORTFORD" with another strike on reverse, 1840 (May 30) cover to London, re-addressed within London, bearing 1840 1d. black plate 1a GE, tied by brown-red Maltese Cross, with two line "Bishopsgate/1 py P.Paid" in red, on reverse has Bishops Stortford datestamp, 1840 (Dec. 3) 1d. Mulready letter sheet stereo A7, to London, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, has English and Scottish Law Fire and Life Assurance advert inside, 1861 mourning envelope (opened out) with Windsor Castle imprint on flap, from Windsor to Cambridge, franked by 1856-58 1d. OB tied by Windsor duplex, re-addressed to Bishops Stortford and franked by 1856-58 1d. NI, tied by Cambridge duplex, railway letter stamps, penny posts, mileage marks, parcel post, range of postcards, etc. Ex Stevenson. (100s) **£1,400-£1,600**
- 419 ☒ **Huddersfield:** 1801 to 1851 collection of covers, incl. range of marks with Penny Posts, Mileage marks, u.d.c's, etc. (19 items) **£120-£140**
- 420 ☒ **Leeds:** A collection of covers written up on display pages incl. undated entire pre paid from Leeds to Rochdale with "LEEDS" horseshoe cancellation, and manuscript "*Post Paid*" and "*Pd 8*"; 1843 (Aug. 20) cover bearing 1d. red-brown plate 31, tied by black Maltese Cross and Leeds twin arc town cancellation, 1841 (May 22) local entire bearing 1d. red-brown plate 9 RE, tied by the Leeds 'Special' Maltese Cross, etc. (6) **£300-£400**
- 421 ☒ **Messages in the Mail:** A collection of entires and covers on display pages, titles "Messages Hidden in and Stories Behind the Mail" incl. 1845 envelope with printed "FREE" ship motif in upper left corner, selection of seals incl. Pitman shorthand messages, Gen. Wilkinson Anti-War message, 'Friends' letters, Ecclesiastical, Assurance entires, etc. (13) **£400-£500**
- 422 **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) **£80-£100**

Postal History and Covers continued

- 423 ☒ - 1835 pair of unusual triangular covers, both sent locally to the same address in Lynn, with boxed "Lynn/Penny Post" handstamps, one endorsed "*Paid*" in black, with manuscript "*PI*" and a boxed "No.5" receiving house handstamp, the other endorsements and un-framed italic "*No.6*" handstamp, fine and attractive. Ex Shaida. Photo on page 62. **£250-£300**
- 424 ☒ **Portsmouth:** 1797 to 1856 selection of covers incl. six with various Ship Letter markings from Cape Verde Is. with 1807 Crowned handstamp, Cape of Good Hope, New York, Madras, 1856 boxed "MISSENT TO/PORTSMOUTH" in blue, etc. (11 covers) **£150-£200**
- 425 ☒ **Scotland:** A Q.V. accumulation of mainly covers in an album and loose, incl. 1840 (July) cover from London to Glasgow franked by 1840 2d. blue, 1851 cover from Glasgow to Peru, franked by 1847-54 1s. pair (part cut to shape), 1886 Large Parcel Post label, bearing 1883 or 1884 6d. with Greenock pre-cancel, duplexes, Scotts locals, timestamps, etc. (few 100s) **£700-£900**
- 426 ☒ - 1680 to 1889 collection of pre-stamp and stampless covers in an album and on leaves, incl. 1680 entire from Amsterdam to near Lanark, 1801 cover from Edinburgh to Kirkcaldy bearing red circular frame "POST/PAID", Uniform Fourpenny Post 1839 (Dec. 20) cover from Perth to Aberfeldy, bearing handstruck "4", mileage marks, Pairs, Additional "½", etc. (few 100s) **£500-£600**
- 427 ☒ - 1747 entire from a British Soldier at Fort William to York, with manuscript "2" (deleted), then "4" (deleted) and finally "8", on reverse has faint "FT WILLIAM" and faint rare two line "EDIN/BURGH" in red, letter gives thanks for money and "*We are on our march to Fort William to ye barracks*". Photo on page 62. **£100-£120**
- 428 ☒ - 1807 Entire from Forfar to Edinburgh showing "FORFAR" mailbag seal on the front. Very unusual and scarce. Photo on page 62. **£300-£350**
- 429 ☒ **Scotland: Edinburgh:** 1766-1865 a collection of mainly stampless covers in three albums and on leaves, incl. 1778 cover bearing unframed circular "PENNY POST/PAID" in red, 1783 cover bearing "PENNY POST NOT PAID E" in black, handstruck "1" and "2", Penny Posts, District Posts with Duke Street, Hanover Street, Pitt Street, etc. (few 100s) **£500-£500**
- 430 ☒ **Scotland: Old Meldrum:** 1794 entire bearing on reverse a step type "OLD/MELDRUM" and 1810 circular Mileage mark, fine. **£70-£90**
- 431 ☒ **Scottish Islands:** 1840 (July 30) envelope from the Island of Jura to Edinburgh, franked by 1840 1d. black plate 2 PI, cut into at right, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, straight line "JURA" in magenta, on reverse has Lochgilphead and Edinburgh transit and receiving mark. *Very early use of a penny black from the Western Isles.* Photo on page 62. **£150-£200**
- 432 ☒ **Uniform Fourpenny Post:** 1839 (Dec. 21) printed "Eagle Life" entire letter from Dublin to London with a good strike of the handstruck "4" of Edinburgh. Photo on page 62. **£120-£150**
- 433 ☒ **Uniform Penny Postage:** 1890 Uniform Penny Postage Jubilee: A collection in an album, incl. Guildhall and South Kensington events, range of cancellations, P.O. Christmas and New Year Greetings card, Furniss and Eliot caricatures, etc. (71 items) **£300-£350**
- 434 ☒ **Yorkshire:** 1828 (Aug. 14) entire to Norwich Union Insurance Office, Norwich, bearing fine strike of boxed "Bedale/By Post" (Oxley type 2) and boxed "No. 3" receiving house handstamp of Middleham (Oxley type 13) on flap, manuscript "1" at right, fine. Photo on page 62. **£150-£200**
- 435 ☒ - 1842 cover from Doncaster to Barton on Humber, bearing fine strike of the curved "DONCASTER/SP 3/1842", manuscript "P1", on reverse has Hull datestamp in blue and "BARTON ON HUMBER" datestamp. Photo on page 62. **£70-£90**

Second Session Lots 436–993

Wednesday October 25th at 2 pm

The Geoff & Joyce Kemp Collection of Kent Postal History

- 436 ☒ An accumulation on leaves and loose, incl. Charing with a range of covers addressed to, Deal with Ship Letters, Dover, Gravesend 1840 two covers to Gravesend from London, one dated 1840 (Oct. 1) cover with 1840 1d. black plate 9 FL, other dated 1840 (Dec. 24) with 1840 1d. black plate 9 JH, Margate 1827 ship letter, Queenborough 1789 entire from Stangate Creek, bearing two line "QUEEN/BOROUGH" with disinfection marks, Sittingbourne, Instructional marks, range of modern Medway and Rochester, postcards, etc. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 437 ☒ **Chatham:** 1767 to 1991 a collection of covers, cards and pieces on leaves, incl. 1841 (Mar. 17) cover to Rochester, franked by 1840 1d. black, duplexes, mileage marks, postcards, military mail, parcel post labels, postage dues, etc. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 438 ☒ - 1813 (May 23) entire from France to a French Prisoner of War on board the hulk *Brunswick* at Chatham, with scarce framed oval "TRANSPORT-OFFICE/ Crown/G.R./PRISONERS OF WAR". Photo on page 66. **£200-£250**
- 439 ☒ **Gillingham:** A collection of mainly covers and cards on leaves and loose, incl. instructional marks, due markings, skeletons, postcards, slogans, 1955 2s.6d. to £1 on three f.d.c.'s, also Brompton, Rainham, etc. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 440 ☒ **Military Mail:** 1803-1993 a selection of mainly covers and cards, incl. 1803 soldier's concessionary cover from a Bombardier at Chatham to Colchester, countersigned, manuscript "1", "CHATHAM/31" and London Paid in red, postcards, official mail, ephemera, etc. (126 items) **£200-£250**
- 441 ☒ **Postcards:** A selection, incl. comic cards, ships, street scenes, etc. (few 100s) **£150-£200**
- 442 ☒ **Queensborough:** 1736-1993 a collection of covers and cards on leaves, incl. 1736 entire to Woolwich with rare "QUEEN/BOROUGH" slightly over stamped by "10/SE" Bishopmark, 1760 (dated inside from Sheerness) with superb "Q BOROUGH", 1787 cover to London, bearing "46 QUEEN/BOROUGH", 1831 cover from Hamburg to London, bearing on reverse a step type "SHIP LETTER/QUEENBORO", 1833 cover from Gibraltar to London on reverse has faint step type "QUEENBOROUGH/SHIP LETTER" in red with disinfection slits, etc. (34 items) **£300-£400**
- 443 ☒ - 1760 (dated inside from Sheerness) to London, on reverse has a superb "Q BOROUGH" (unlisted by Willcocks) and "25/IY" Bishopmark. Photo on page 66. **£180-£200**
- 444 ☒ - 1787 entire from Sheerness Dockyard to London, manuscript "4" rate mark, a fair strike of the two line "46 QUEEN/BOROUGH". Photo on page 66. **£120-£150**
- 445 ○ **Rochester:** 1671 to 1999 a collection of covers, cards and pieces on leaves and loose, incl. 1671 entire to London with "2" rate mark, and on reverse has "JV/1" Bishopmark, 1804 entire from U.S.A. to London, bearing oval "SHIP LETTER/Crown/ROCHESTER", 1912 entire from Malta to London, bearing oval "SHIP LETTER/Crown/ROCHESTER", 1839 (Dec. 14) cover with unframed "PAID", 1840 (Jan. 7) cover to Hastings, bearing unframed "PAID", also on a front, 1840 (June 24) cover to London, bearing 1840 1d. black plate 3 NE, 1859 cover to France, franked 1855-57 4d. (6), Mileage marks, Postage Dues, Parcel Post labels with 1902 Rochester label bearing 1900 Jubilee 1s. green and carmine, sub offices with St. Mary's bank, Troy Town, etc. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 446 ☒ **Rochester and Chatham:** 1838 to 1981 a collection of covers, cards and pieces on leaves, incl. Instructional markings, slogans, meter marks, a good range of postage dues, etc. (178 items) **£100-£120**
- 447 ☒ **Rochester Villages:** 1793-1999 a collection of covers and cards on leaves, incl. Bill Street, Borstal, Cliffe, Cuxton with 1910 'Ewen' cover with South Eastern & Chatham Railway 2d. cancelled by oval "CUXTON/STATION" cachet, Lower Halling, Snodland 1895 cover franked by 1881 1d. lilac (4) and "SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY" 2d. tied by oval "SNODLAND/STATION" cachet with Express label, Wouldham, postcards, u.d.c.'s. parcel post labels, photos of Post Offices, etc. (few 100s) **£250-£300**
- 448 ☒ **Sheerness:** 1809 (Sept. 24) entire headed "*Amphion off Fiume*", addressed to Norfolk, bearing a fair strike of the rare double oval "Ship Lre/SHEERNESS" in red (Robertson S2), has London transit mark of 15 February 1810. Photo on page 66. **£250-£300**
- 449 ☒ - 1799-1992 a collection of covers and cards on leaves, incl. 1799 entire to London, bearing straight line "SHEERNESS", mileage marks, postcards, etc. (106 items) **£120-£150**

The Geoff and Joyce Kemp Kent Postal History continued



- 450 ☒ **Sittingbourne:** 1833 (June 21) large part disinfected entire showing on reverse a fine strike of the extremely rare step type “SHIP LETTER/SITTINGBOURNE” mark, partly over stamped, sent from Smyrna to London and readdressed to France with manuscript “1/3” and “1/2” rate marks, Charing Cross, London Paid Maltese Cross in red, disinfection slits and resulting discolouration. Sent to his wife by Capt. E. Lyons (later Admiral Edmund Lyons, 1st Baron Lyons GCB, GCMG, KCH (1790 – 1858), recently arrived in Smyrna on the H.M.S. “Madagascar” with Otto, King of Greece on board. Lyons was responsible both for encouraging the Crimean War, during which he was Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet, and for securing the eventual allied victory in the conflict, through his various participations including the Siege of Sebastopol. Believed to be one of only two known examples of this important ship letter. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 451 ☒ **Strood:** 1759-1953 selection of covers and cards on leaves, incl. 1759 entire from Strood to Henley on Thames, on reverse has two line “ROCHES/TER” and “27/AP” Bishopmark, 1859 mourning envelope to France, franked by 1855-57 4d. tied by Rochester duplex with Strood datestamp on reverse, 1934 cover handed in at Strood station, on reverse has Southern Railway/Rochester 3d. parcel label, etc. (24 items) £100-£120
- 452 L **Literature:** A selection of philatelic and non philatelic publications concerning Kent, also a run of the Kent Post Journals, etc. £120-£150



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Postal History and Covers - Official Mail

- 453 ☒ A collection in two folders and on leaves, incl. range of Official Paid handstamps and machine cancellations, Admiralty Office, Home Office, House of Commons, War Office, etc. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 454 ☒ 1841 to 1991 a selection of mainly covers, incl. stationery, Inland Revenue, Official Paid marks, etc. (few 100s) **£200-£300**
- 455 ☒ 1889 to 1902 Q.V. and K.E.VII selection with Q.V. 1d. pink Swine Fever unused and used EO20, Q.V. 1d. brown LO9 (2), K.E.VII 1d. scarlet LO79 unused and used, Fruit Preserve ½d. blue-green cut out LO91 used, Q.V. ½d. brown Overtime report LO74B unused. **£140-£160**
- 456 ☒ 1898 to 1899 Q.V. ½d. vermilion Army Recruiting form unused LO73, Admiralty Recruitment Forms, cut down as usual LO71A(6), LO71C (4), LO71D (5), Hon Artillery Company 1d. pink EO14 and Durham Light Infantry 1d. pink not listed. **£200-£250**
- 457 ☒ 1900 to 1901 Q.V. collection comprising 1d. E025 (2), EO26, EO32 (2), EO33 (3), used, 1d. EO25, 3d. EO41 (2, one soiled) used, K.E.VII EO54 unused and used (2), EO55 (2). **£140-£160**

Postal History and Covers - Redirected Mail

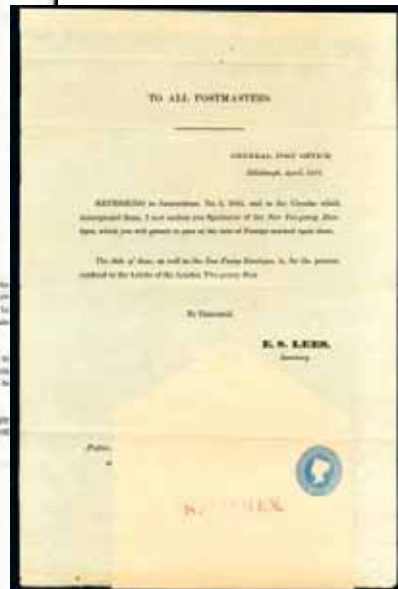
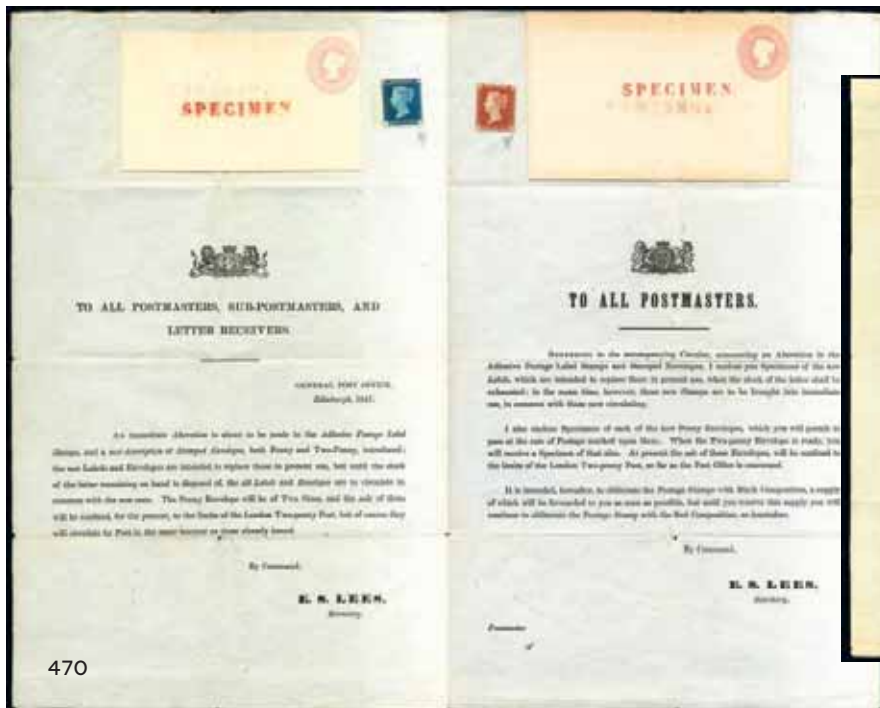
- 458 ☒ 1847 entire from Edinburgh to Glasgow with 1841 1d., redirected to Hull with boxed "PAID/ 1d. EXTRA" in red, and 1861 front and 1862 envelope bearing 1d. Stars, each redirected with boxed "REDIRECTED/POSTAGE UNPAID" in red. **£70-£90**



- 459 ☒ 1872 (Dec. 17) cover from Vienna, addressed to St. James's Palace, franked by 3k. and 10k., tied by "WIEN" c.d.s., readdressed to "Austin Friars, City" and franked by 1870 ½d. KA-LA tied by London duplex, an attractive item. Photo. **£800-£900**

Postal History and Covers - Registered Mail

- 460 ☒ Q.V. collection of registered covers written up for display incl. 1841 (Nov. 23) cover to Launceston bearing 1841 2d. plate 3 RA-TA fine vertical strip of three, paying the 6d. rate, multicolour frankings incl. two covers bearing 1841 1d. and 2d., Line Engraved and Surface Printed combinations, also selection of used 1d. pink postal stationery envelopes and a few later covers, mainly good to fine. (16) **£500-£600**
- 461 ☒ 1830 cover from Rudeshelm, registered to London, originally unpaid, charged "3s.4d." changed to "8s.6d." (5s. being for registration fee), bearing curved "REGISTERED" over Crown in black, and curved "REGISTERED" over Crown in red, two line "RUDESHELM/RECOMANDART"; on reverse has "Duitschand/Over Maastricht" in red, superb. Photo on page 68. **£700-£800**
- 462 ☒ 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 on page 68. **£180-£200**
- 463 ☒ **Notices of Objection:** 1852 (Aug. 23) "Notice 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 on page 68. **£180-£200**



Postal History and Covers - Ship Letters



- 464 ☒ **1819 Entire Letter from New York to London handstamped by the rare “ROCHFORD/SHIP LETTER” in blue.** Robertson only recorded one example of this handstamp, which was struck in black. A lovely example of this rarity. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- 465 ☒ 1836 Entire from Buenos Aires to London “p. Curlew” landed at Tor Cross beach and taken to the Post Office at the village of Stokenham where it was handstamped boxed “Dartmouth/Penny Post” and “No 1”, then taken to the main office at Dartmouth where it was backstamped with a Dartmouth datestamp and two strikes of “DARTMOUTH/SHIP LETTER” (Rob. S 3). Also an 1829 entire letter from Stokenham prepaid to Portugal posted into the penny post with the “Dartmouth/Penny Post” and “No. 1” handstamps. A scarce ship letter landed at Stokenham, which was never given its own ship letter handstamp. £400-£450
- 466 ☒ 1851 (Oct. 15) Outer Letter Sheet to London with “HAARLEM/15/10/1851” datestamp in red on face, boxed “HARWICH/SHIP LETTER” (Robertson S5) in black alongside, London backstamps. This handstamp is recorded in this one year only and then again from 1913 when it was used on paquebot mail. A rare handstamp used in 1851. Photo. £500-£600
- 467 ☒ **London:** 1815 (Jan. 11) entire to Madeira, on reverse has circular “POST PAID WITHDRAWN SHIP LETTER/(crown)/11 JA 11/1815/LONDON”, scarce. Photo. £150-£200

Postal History and Covers - Crimean War



- 468 ☒ **1855 Registered cover to London franked at the 1s. rate by two embossed 6d. stamps (cut to shape, both just touched at one point) each cancelled by the Star between Cyphers obliterator, backstamped in the Crimea and London, edge faults, part reverse missing.** A scarce registered letter from the Crimea and a rare use of this cancellation on embossed issue stamps. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 469 ☒ 1855 (July 31) envelope to Major Compton, West York Militia, Gibraltar, bearing 1d. red-brown NG-NH and NG-NI, cancelled by pen stroke, manuscript “5”, on reverse has unframed “POST OFFICE/BRITISH ARMY” datestamps (2) in blue-green, some damage to the stamps, otherwise fine. Photo. £200-£250



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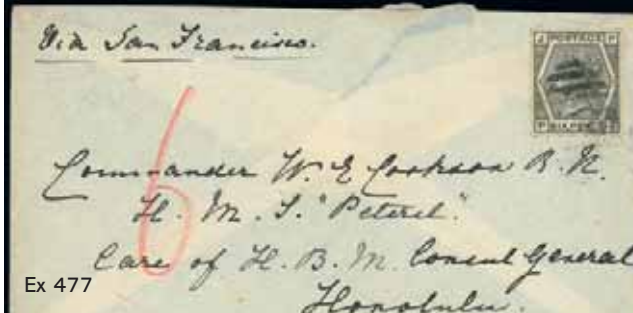
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Postal Notices

- 470 1841 Postal Notice complete bearing 1d. plate 5 CF (small to good margins) and left marginal 2d. with blank corner letter squares from the small trial plate of 12, together with two 1d. pink envelopes (one a little discoloured) overprinted large type "SPECIMEN" in red, usual creases and toning in places, otherwise a fine example. Holcombe certificate (1981). S.G. Spec. PN3, cat. £10,000. Photo on page 68. £2,000-£3,000
- 471 1841 (Apr.) G.P.O. Edinburgh Postal Notice from "E. S. LEES", referring to the issue of the embossed 2d. blue envelopes and with an example attached overprinted large "SPECIMEN" in red, very fine. S.G. Spec. PN4, cat. £3,500. Photo on page 68. £600-£800

Mail to Overseas Destinations

- 472 ☒ A collection of covers and entires incl. maritime mail with 1877 (Dec. 15) cover to Venezuela, via Caribbean route, bearing 2s. pale blue plate 1 TL, with additional single used example in deep blue, 1864 (Aug. 18) envelope to Mauritius bearing 9d. straw NK and 1d. rose-red plate 80 OC, 1870 part forwarding agents label bearing perf. 2d. blue and East India 1a., 1861 (Sept. 24) envelope from Guernsey to Hong Kong bearing 6d. lilac and 1s. green, Military Mail incl. 1854 (Sept.) entire from *H.M.S. Bellerophon* (Black Sea Fleet) to London bearing perf. 1d. red-brown IA-IC strip of three (damaged), mail to France, etc. (16) £600-£800
- 473 ☒ A collection of covers bearing surface printed issues written up on display pages, predominately to overseas destinations incl. Australia, Italy, India, Norway, New Zealand 1873 (Aug. 7) envelope bearing 10d. red-brown plate 1 LH, South Africa, Switzerland, some with mixed frankings incl. a few line engraved and surface printed, etc. (38) £500-£600
- 474 ☒ **Canada:** 1873 (Mar. 28) Entire letter from London to Prince Edward Island franked 3d. and 1870 ½d. plate 10 paying the 2½d. letter rate and 1d. late fee, handstamped red boxed "L1" with a Charlottetown arrival backstamp. The letter contains a 1d. Inland Revenue receipt stamp. An unusual franking and destination. Photo. £100-£150
- 475 ☒ **Fiji:** 1887 (July 29) envelope from London to Suva, Fiji, with manuscript "*Not to be forwarded to Lakeba*", franked by 1883 or 1884 6d. 1K from left of sheet, tied by London hooded circle, has Fiji receiving mark on reverse. Photo. £200-£250
- 476 ☒ **France:** 1861 Entire from London to France franked by 1856 6d. on azure paper and a 2d. blue plate 8, the 6d. a scarce stamp on cover. Brandon certificate (1985). Photo. £120-£150
- 477 ☒ **Hawaii:** 1875 four envelopes all addressed to "*Commander W.E. Cookson, H.M.S. Petrel, Care of H.B.M. Consul General, Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands*", franked by 1873-80 6d. grey plate 13, plate 14 two singles and pair, a little tatty but scarce destination. Photo. £350-£400
- 478 ☒ **Switzerland:** 1858 (Sept. 5) cover from Bradford to Poste Restante, Lausanne, Switzerland, bearing 1855-57 4d. pair paying the 8d. rate. Photo. £80-£100
- 479 ☒ **U.S.A.:** 1861 (Apr. 30) envelope to Rochester, N.Y., bearing 1s. pale green, tied by "W/25" duplex, "21/CENTS" handstamp and New York arrival below. Photo. £80-£100
- 480 ☒ - 1862 (July 12) Entire letter from London to Boston via Cork with 1856 1s. green (centred high) tied by London EC 75 duplex, red Boston Br. PKT. Paid, and matching 5 Cents. Very clear and crisp markings. Photo. £80-£100

Used Abroad

- 481 ○ 1873-80 watermark Spray 1s., three fine used examples, comprising plate 8 used with Suez c.d.s., plate 10 used with St. Thomas (Danish West Indies) c.d.s., and plate 13 used with Grey-Town c.d.s. (Nicaragua). Photo on page 72. £300-£350
- 482 ☒ **British Levant:** 1882 (June 24) envelope from Constantinople to U.S.A., franked by 1880-83 2½d. blue plate 23 CA, tied by "C" in barred oval, unframed "TOO LATE" and "BRITISH POST OFFICE/CONSTANTINOPLE" c.d.s. both in red. Photo. £150-£200
- 483 ○ **Chile:** 1865-73 4d. plate 13 HH, 1867-80 6d. plate 9 HB (R.P.S. certificate, 1994), 9d. plate 4 BG, 10d. plate 1 MB, 1872-73 6d. pale buff plate 12 HF (R.P.S. certificate 1997), and 1873-80 6d. grey plate 14 BA (R.P.S. certificate, 1994), each used with fine Valparaiso (Chile) c.d.s. fine. Photo on page 72. £600-£700



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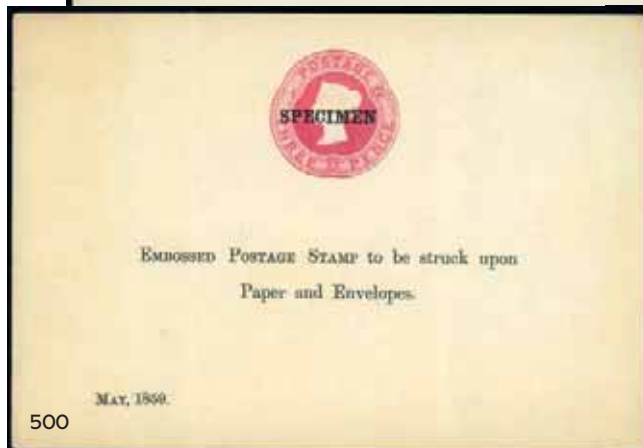
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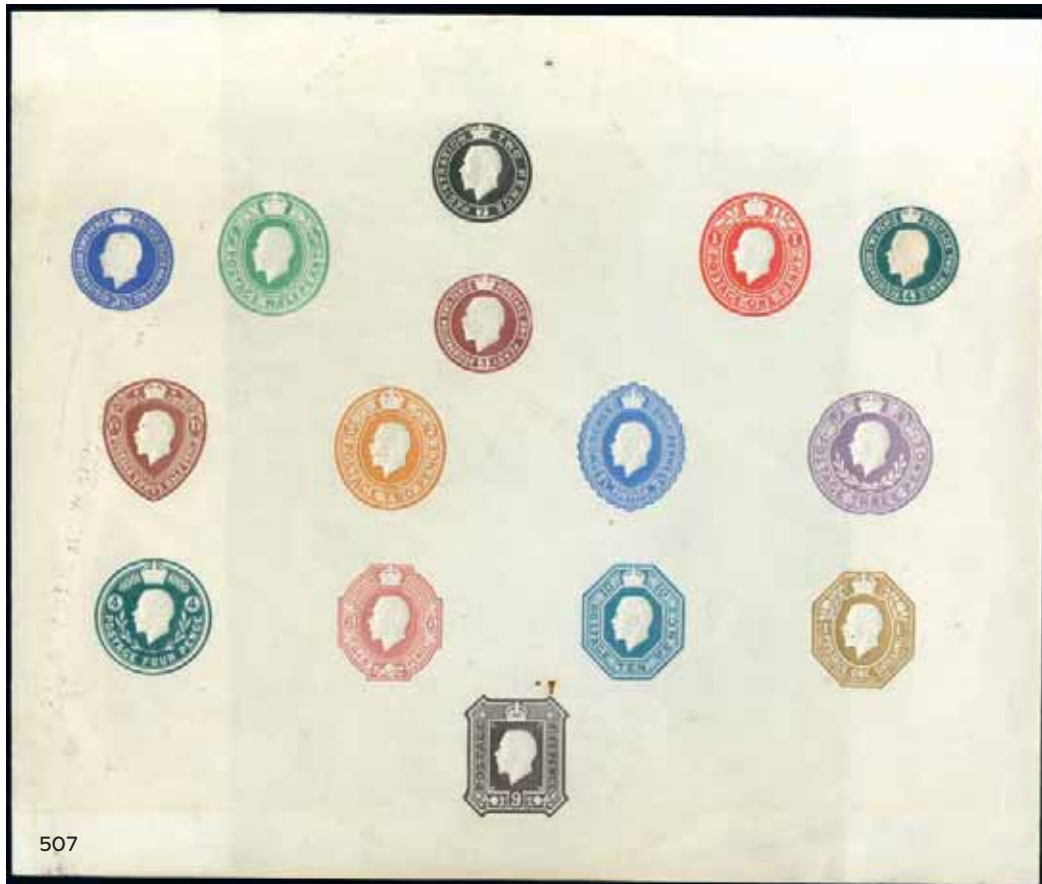
- 484 ○ **Chile:** 1867-74 5s. rose plate 1 EL, used with large barred oval "C30" of Valparaiso, fine. S.G. Z88. Photo. £120-£150
- 485 ☒ - 1878 (Oct. 23) envelope from Valparaiso to Plymouth bearing 2s. dull blue plate 1 EF tied by "C30" numeral and with "VALPARAISO/A/OC 23/78" c.d.s. alongside, filing fold well clear of adhesive. Photo on page 70. £200-£250
- 486 ☒ **Egypt:** 1866 (April 18) envelope from Alexandria to Malta, franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 71 PD-PH strip, cancelled by "B01" and "ALEXANDRIA" c.d.s., with Malta receiving mark on reverse. Photo on page 70. £180-£200
- 487 ☒ - 1873 (Feb. 9) envelope from Cairo to England, franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 160 AD-AE (AE damaged) and 1867-80 3d. plate 9 CC-CD, cancelled by "B01" with Cairo c.d.s. below. Photo on page 70. £250-£300
- 488 ○ **Malta:** A selection of surface printed used with neat Malta c.d.s.'s, incl. 1862-64 3d., 6d., 1s., 1865-73 4d., 1s. (2), 1869-80 4d., 1873-80 watermark large garter 4d. sage-green, etc., also 1867-80 10d., 1873-80 4d. sage green and 4d. vermilion with "A25" barred cancellations, mainly fine. (15) £1,500-£2,000

Airmails

- 489 ☒ ➔ An interesting collection in albums and loose contained in three cartons with flown covers and cards, photographs, picture postcards, labels, schedules, fare guides, tickets and boarding cards, covering various airline companies incl. Imperial Airways, etc. (100s) £400-£500
- 490 ☒ ➔ A selection in varied condition incl. 1911 Coronation Aerial Post London - Windsor flown cards (8) four are with adverts "The Financial Outlook", "J and J Colman, Limited", "Prizes for Chemists" and "Oxo", various other flown covers, labels, etc. (49 items) £300-£400
- 491 ☒ ➔ An accumulation of flown covers and cards incl. B.E.A., Imperial Airways, Concorde, also labels and a few foreign, etc. (few 100s) £250-£300
- 492 ☒ ➔ 1911 First U.K. Aerial Post: Sept. 9th London-Windsor purple-brown envelope (with enclosure) to U.S.A., cancelled die 2 datestamp. Photo. £100-£120
- 493 ☒ ➔ 1936 Cover to Mexico City with 1934 (Aug. 17) 1d., 1½d., tied by Plymouth Paquebot cancel (Aug. 17) superscribed "From New York Airmail", partly covered by an airmail label, additionally franked with a pair of U.S.A. 1934 6c. airmail cancelled on arrival at New York. On reverse, Mexico airmail c.d.s. (Aug. 25). *This cover was carried under the scheme whereby mails from overseas, instead of being carried by slower surface transport, could be accelerated by Air within the United States provided that the current Air Fee was pre-paid in United States stamps.* Photo. £200-£250
- 494 **Ephemera: British European Airway:** An accumulation of British European Airway (one of the airlines merged to form British Airways) ephemera in 19 binders and loose, incl. labels, covers with helicopter mail, letters, tickets, leaflets, manuals, timetables, etc. (100s) £300-£400

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL, Collection: Postal Stationery

- 495 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II selection in an album, incl. postcards, envelopes, 1d. pink letter sheets with advertising, etc. (245 items) £100-£120
- 496 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of mainly envelopes in an album, on leaves and loose, incl. House of Commons, Stamford Mercury wrappers, advertising interest, also a few overprinted items. (139 items) £100-£120



The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL Collection: Postal Stationery continued

- 497 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation in a carton, incl. postcards, envelopes, registered envelopes, duplication, etc. (few 100s) **£100-£120**
- 498 E **Essays:** 1837 Dickinson 1d. letter-sheet in ochre (folded), Charles Whiting 1840 embossed oval "PAID" essay in green, "POSTAGE 1D: HALF OZ" in green (stained), "POSTAGE ONE PENNY" in blue (stained), "VR" 1d. in pink (one cut to shape). **£100-£120**
- 499 S 1855 (Nov.) 4d., 6d. and 1s. embossed overprinted "SPECIMEN" on small postal notice (135 x 96mm) inscribed "EMBOSSSED POSTAGE STAMP to be struck upon/Paper and Envelopes", slight crease, otherwise fine. Photo on page 72. **£150-£200**
- 500 S 1859 (May) 3d. (Huggins ES3) overprinted "SPECIMEN" on small postal notice (140 x 96mm) inscribed "EMBOSSSED POSTAGE STAMP to be struck upon/Paper and Envelopes", fine. Photo on page 72. **£100-£120**
- 501 **Advertising Rings: Official:** A mainly unused selection, incl. "British Workman" 1d. piece, "The Home News" 1d. wrapper, "W.H. Smith & Sons with 3d. and 6d. wrappers, etc. (19 items) **£250-£300**
- 502 **Advertising Rings: Private:** A selection on leaves, incl. "W.& T Avery" 1d. envelope unused, "A.G. Baylis & Sons" 1d. envelope used, "Parkins & Gotto" with five envelopes with adverts inside, "Publishers of the Permanent Stamp Album" 1d. envelope used, "William Lincoln" 2d. to 1s. cut-outs unused, etc. (24 items) **£250-£300**
- 503 ☒ **Air Mail Letter Sheets:** A selection of stamped P.O. forms from K.G.VI to Q.E.II, incl. "SPECIMEN", S.T.O. items, etc. (129 items) **£100-£120**
- 504 ☒ **Certificate of Posting:** A Q.V. selection comprising CPP1 (5) with Specimen and used, CPP2 (2). **£70-£90**
- 505 S **Colour Standards:** 1895 (c.) 1½d. to 1s. with 9 and 5 dot florets on sheet, each handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 10, fine. Photo on page 72. **£250-£300**
- 506 S - 1897 1½d. to 1s. (6d. undated) with florets on sheet, each handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 10, dated "1/6/97", fine. Photo on page 72. **£250-£300**
- 507 S - 1918 (c.) K.G.V. 1½d. to 1s. with registration dies on sheet, fine. *Stated to be the only known example.* Photo. **£450-£500**
- 508 P **Die Proofs:** Embossed Postage Series: 1902 K.E.VII 1s. die proof with uncleared surrounds in black on card (92 x 60mm), dated "22 JAN. 03" and marked "AFTER/HARDENING", fine. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 509 P **Embossed Proofs:** 1855-69 2d., 3d., 4d., 6d. and 1s. cut-down proofs mounted on card endorsed "*Inland Revenue*", 4d. proof on paper, all overprinted "SPECIMEN", also 1d. pink die 86 undated on machine blank envelope. **£150-£200**
- 510 P - 1879 1d., 4d., 6d. and 1s. dated 10.1.79 and 6d. undated proofs. **£100-£120**
- 511 P - 1888 unfinished Colour Standard proofs, 2d., 2½d. and 3d. on sheet, each overprinted "CANCELLED/STAMP", **£100-£120**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL Collection: Postal Stationery: Envelopes

- 512 ☒ A detailed study of the ½d. vermilion on leaves, incl. Post Office and S.T.O, with colour trials (4), "SPECIMEN", Savory & Moore advertising ring unused, advertising, uprated, overseas destinations, Compound stampings, a marvellous group. (few 100s) **£500-£600**
- 513 ☒ S 1841-92 Q.V. 1d. pink with EP4a (2), EP5a (2), LS3, EP7, EP10, EP20, EP23 (3), EP27, EP30a (2), EP31 (2), EP35, EP36, EP37 (2), all with "SPECIMEN" handstamps. **£250-£300**
- 514 ☒ 1841 2d. blue mourning envelope, used 1850 from London to St. Ives, Hunts, then redirected back to London with manuscript "2" for redirection, a little tatty. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 515 ☒ 1841 to 1883 1d. pink letter sheets, selection on leaves, incl. LP3 unused (6), handstamped "SPECIMEN", later S.T.O. sheet (6), etc. (21 items) **£200-£250**
- 516 ☒ 1841 to 1901 1d. pink envelopes in an album, the evolution and uses, good range of Post Office envelopes with EP3-EP32, also a group of 1841 2d. with EP5a handstamped "SPECIMEN", etc. (247) **£150-£200**

The Prof. Iain Stevenson, FRPSL, Collection: Postal Stationery: Envelopes continued

- 517 ☒ 1841 to 1901 1d. pink envelopes, a study in an album, with a detailed and well written-up, incl. cancellations with black Maltese Crosses, etc. (96 items) **£100-£120**
- 518 ☒ 1842 1d. pink envelope from London to British Guiana, cancelled by black Maltese Cross, manuscript "1/-" rate mark and "With a Newspaper", a little battered but a scarce early item to South America. Photo on page 74. **£120-£150**
- 519 ☒ 1842 to 1902 Q.V. 1d. pink, a research study of covers and letter sheets, usage, incl. Railway Company letter sheets, Irish usage, uprated and destination mail, etc. (89 items) **£180-£200**
- 520 ☒ 1843 to 1902 Q.V. 1d. pink envelopes, a collection of uprated items on leaves, incl. 1855 (Sept. 3) envelope, registered from Coventry to Oban, franked by 1854-57 2d. (3), 1860 envelope from London to Algiers, franked by 1855-57 4d., etc. (28 items) **£250-£300**
- 521 ☒ 1844 to 1895 1d. pink envelopes, a collection in an album, incl. Post Office and Stamped to Order, unused and used, range of types, etc. (28 items) **£100-£120**
- 522 ☒ 1845 to 1913 1d. pink cut-outs used as adhesives, five covers and card, incl. 1858 cover from Liverpool to U.S.A., franked by four cut-outs and 1854-57 1d. (2), etc. **£100-£120**
- 523 ☒ 1848 1d. pink envelope used from Guildford to "Captain Hemderson H.M. Steam Frigate Sidon Mediterranean", cancelled "325" barred oval, manuscript "Paid" and "2" corrected to "10" rate marks, upon arrival in Malta a forwarding Agents cachet "G. GRANT/MALTA" was added. Photo on page 74. **£120-£150**
- 524 ☒ P 1850 (c.) 1d. pink envelopes (one with Inland Revenue imprint on flap), both with stamp impressed in centre from experiments for Official and Stationer's use, both with manuscript "SPECIMEN" on flaps, former oxidised, otherwise fine. Photo on page 74. **£150-£180**
- 525 ☒ 1851-1951 A Q.V. to K.G.VI group of envelopes with various albino impressions, multiple strikes, partial impressions with Q.V. 1d. pink P.O. (4), S.T.O. (2), K.G.VI 2½d. P.O. (2), S.T.O. (9 items) **£150-£180**
- 526 ☒ 1851 1d. pink envelope from Brecon to Canada West, cancelled by "911" barred oval, manuscript "1/-" rate mark, and circular framed "¼d. Cy", on reverse has Brecon, London and Bytown (later Ottawa) datestamps, a little tatty. Photo on page 74. **£80-£100**
- 527 ☒ P 1856 1d. pink envelope, proposed mourning envelope in black, with manuscript "No. 1"; also 1d. pink envelope with manuscript "No. 2" also envelope with thin black mourning edges (oxidised). Photo. **£120-£150**



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- 528 ☒ 1868 to 1901 1d. pink envelopes, all with printed adverts, incl. 1883 1d. used with “John Warner & Sons Bell and Brass Founders”, 1884 1d. used “J. Warner & Sons Hydraulic Engineers”, etc. (12 items) **£200-£250**
- 529 P 1879 ½d. to 1s. proof set on separate pieces, four complete and five cut down, fine. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 530 ☒ 1879 1d. pink envelope from Southborough to U.S.A., franked by 1870 ½d. plate 11 IR-JS block, tied by “955” barred ovals, with handstruck “T” unframed “U.S.CHARGE/TO/COLLECT” and “8 CENTS” and 1879 1c., 2c. and 5c. U.S. Postage Dues. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 531 ☒ 1901 to 1971 A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in two albums, incl. mainly Post Office issues, also Q.E.II Stamped to Order compound, scarcer K.G.V and K.G.VI items, etc. (283 items) **£120-£150**
- 532 P **Envelopes: Stamped to Order:** 1894 (c.) 2½d. die proof in red wax with florets removed, mounted on sunken card, very unusual. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 533 - 1917-1950’s a selection of cut-outs used on ‘Edgar Watson’ envelopes with dumb Naval cancels, with Victor Marsh K.E.VII 2½d., 4d., 6d., K.G.V. ½d. to 1s. in horizontal pairs, K.G.VI 1d. blue tête-bêche pair, 1½d. green block of four tête-bêche and 2½d. blue letter sheet used. **£100-£120**
- 534 ☒ - 1935 to 1955 K.G.VI and Q.E.II selection of compound envelopes and wrappers, incl. ESC 800 (7), ESC 803, ESC806 (2), ESC809 (2), ESC814, ESC815w, ESC827w, ESC844, ESC850, ESC868, ESC984w, ESC986w, etc. (43 items) **£220-£250**
- 535 ☒ - A K.G.VI collection of S.T.O. envelopes, incl. many with printed addresses, window envelopes, advertising, etc. (177 items) **£90-£100**
- 536 ☒ - 1939 to 1951 collection incl. ES60-ES71 unused and used with some compounds, inc. K.G.V 4d. blue ES65, K.G.VI 1s. ES75W, also wrappers, etc. (48 items) **£180-£200**
- 537 ☒ **Forces Postal Stationery:** 1914-59 a collection on leaves, incl. Registered Envelopes K.G.V 2d. (2), K.G.VI 3d. (11), 4d. (2), postcards, etc. (37 items) **£100-£120**
- 538 ☒ **Forces and P.O.W. World War II stationery:** A written-up collection in an album and on leaves, incl. K.G.VI 2½d. P.O.W. forms (12), 3d. + 1½d. postcards (7 unused, 3 used), Airgraphs forms and envelopes, etc. (72 items) **£200-£250**
- 539 ☒ E **Letter Cards:** 1891 1d. letter card essay in carmine similar to issued but without address lines, instructions on reverse or on front at foot, fine and extremely rare. Photo on page 78. **£180-£200**
- 540 ☒ E - 1891 1d. letter card essay in carmine similar to issued but with two lines of instruction on reverse, fine and extremely rare. *Only four examples exist.* Photo on page 78. **£160-£180**
- 541 ☒ E - 1891 1d. letter card essay similar to issued but printed in blue with two lines of instruction on reverse, fine and extremely rare. *Only four examples exist.* Photo on page 78. **£160-£180**
- 542 ☒ - 1892 1d. carmine letter card, a collection on leaves, incl. overprinted “SPECIMEN” (4, one is double), unused and used, uprated, two private, etc. (21 items) **£120-£150**
- 543 ☒ - 1892 1d. carmine letter card showing variety imperforate, fine unused. *Believed only six unused examples and one used exist.* Photo on page 78. **£100-£120**
- 544 ☒ - 1892 1d. carmine letter card, used from Brighton to Egham on the first day (Feb. 11), with clear Brighton duplex, few stain spots, otherwise fine. Photo on page 78. **£80-£90**
- 545 ☒ - 1892 to 1983 collection of unused and used on leaves, incl. LCP 14, 15, LCS 1, School Specimens, LCP 1 used with London, Chatham & Dover Railway 2d. stamp, etc. (129 items) **£120-£150**
- 546 ☒ 1893-94 ½d. scarlet envelope with “W.H. SMITH & SON” multiple adverts inside and printed address on front, fine. Photo on page 78. **£250-£300**
- 547 ☒ **Letter Sheets:** c.1887 1d. pink letter sheet with “THE HALF-PENNY LETTER POST COMPANY LIMITED” multiple advertising letter sheet, unused, fine. Photo on page 78. **£200-£220**
- 548 ☒ - 1889 1d. pink letter sheet with “The Anglo-Colonial Letter Co. Limited” multiple advertising letter sheet, unused, fine. **£200-£250**



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- 549 ☒ - 1890 (c.) 1d. pink letter sheet with "THE HALF-PENNY LETTER COMPANY LIMITED" multiple advertising letter sheet, unused, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 550 ☒ - 1891 1d. pink letter sheet with "THE HALF-PENNY LETTER CO. LTD" multiple advertising letter sheet, used from Fence House to Bury St. Edmunds, scarce. **£250-£300**
- 551 **Newspaper Wrappers:** A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection of Post Office and S.T.O. on leaves, incl. 1870 ½d. green, 1878 1d. brown, 1879 ½d. brown handstamped "SPECIMEN", range of advertising, etc. (50 items) **£200-£250**
- 552 - A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection of Post Office and S.T.O., incl. 1920 ½d. pack of 21 with original wrapper, 1951 1d. carmine, 1955 ½d. green plus 1½d. green used 1957, etc. (72 items) **£150-£200**



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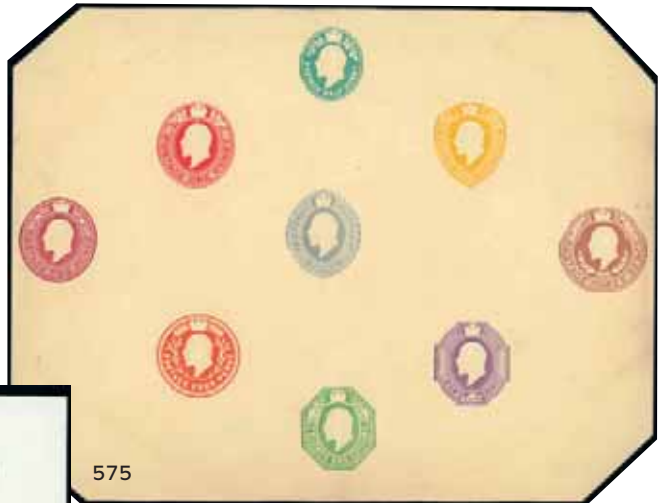
- 553 P - 1883 (c.) ½d. (LW4 with horizontal shading to ribbons) die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), without markings, fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 554 ☒ **Official Letter Sheets:** 1871-1904 Q.V. and K.E.VII collection on leaves, incl. ½d. green dated (8, two are unused), ½d. green undated (6), ½d. brown (7), also K.E.VII ½d. LO81, etc. (21 items) **£300-£400**

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- 555 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection, 1870 to 1971, in albums and on leaves, incl. cancellations, advertising interest, etc. (few 100s) **£300-£350**
- 556 ☒ S A Q.V. selection, all handstamped "SPECIMEN", incl. 1870 ½d. lilac, 1882 ½d. + ½d., 1883 1d. + 1d., also 1877 ½d. die proof in black on glazed card dated "Aug 15 1877", etc. (19 items) **£200-£250**
- 557 E 1879 McCorquodale & Co. 1d. reddish-purple JA, imperforate essay on postcard with red "SPECIMEN" overprint, also block of four on thin gummed paper watermarked small anchor, from Hooper's improved design. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 558 ☒ 1889-92 3d. and 1d. "Angeli" postcards, incl. 1889 3d. (2) and 1892 1d. card and 1d. + 1d. reply cards (2), all handstamped "SPECIMEN", 1892 1d. + 1d. reply card used in 1894 to Switzerland and return, overseas destinations, etc. (72 items) **£150-£200**
- 559 P 1891 (Oct.) essay for 1892 1d. Foreign card, and reply card size b using the 3d. 'Angeli' stamp, in brown, very fine. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 560 E 1891 (Oct.) essay for 1892 1d. Foreign card, size b using the 3d. 'Angeli' stamp, in red, very fine. **£80-£100**
- 561 ☒ 1940 K.G.VI 1d. carmine on stout white card CP97, fine and scarce. *The only recorded unused example.* Photo. **£100-£120**
- 562 **Postcards: Officials: Patent Office:** 1892-1913 cards, comprising 1892 ½d. brown (2), one handstamped "SPECIMEN", 1903 Patents 7d. die proof with uncleared surrounds in black on card (49 x 53mm), 1908 ½d. yellow-green and 1913 ½d. green, unused. Photo. **£180-£200**



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- 563 ☒ **Postcards: Stamped to Order:** Q.V. issues, a study of usage of ½d. pink cards, incl. Inland Revenue Certifying Stamp on buff card, etc. (33 items) **£80-£100**
- 564 ▲ - 1866 two pieces, one with 4d. (2), other 3d. and 6d., impressions overlapping, all with blue handstamp "TO BE/TRANSFERRED" to credit the value to the customer, rare. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 565 ☒ - 1895-96 ½d. vermilion card blank with "House of Commons" embossed seal also similar used but with instructions, also ½d. + ½d. outward card used. **£120-£150**
- 566 ☒ - 1902 to 1957 K.E.VII to Q.E.II collection on cards, incl. usage and advertising interest, compound items, NBTS cards, etc. (85 items) **£180-£200**
- 567 S **Registered Envelopes:** A Q.V. selection with "SPECIMEN" overprints on leaves, comprising RP2, RP6 H, RP9, RP13 H2, RP14 I, RP20 G, also RP8 with "CANCELLED", overprint, also essay for RP14 with compensation schedule £2-£10. (8 items) **£200-£250**
- 568 ☒ - A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection written-up in an album, incl. most types from RP2 to RP42, with RP2 (5), RP3 (2), RP9, RP11, RP24K used, RP35b unused, RP37 unused, overseas destinations, etc. (111 items) **£200-£250**
- 569 ☒ - 1922-23 K.G.V. 5d. emerald green size G (use in Ireland), fine unused with original band. Photo. **£120-£160**
- 570 ☒ - A K.G.VI collection on leaves, incl. 4½d. (7), 5½d. (34) with provisional printings by Cook, De La Rue (4), Pirie Appleton (5), albino impressions of RP59 F (2), 5½d. + 1d. (4), 6½d. (13), 8½d. (14) with RP70 F, also some cut-outs, etc. (75 items, 98 cut-outs) **£200-£250**
- 571 ☒ **Registered Envelopes: Official Issues:** 1903 Admiralty 3d. red-brown Registered envelope size H2, used from Bristol to Portishead, fine. Huggins RO1. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 572 ☒ **Revalued Stationery:** 1922 2d. envelopes unused and used, 1922 ½d. postcard with "POST" crossed out and "PRINTED MATTER" in red added, extra ½d. stamp removed before use. Huggins ES 57, CP81. **£100-£120**
- Postal Stationery: The Properties of Other Vendors**
- 573 ☒ A Q.V. to Q.E.II accumulation of unused and used covers and cards with a range of types incl. Post Office Telegraph forms, etc. (few 100) **£120-£150**
- 574 S 1855 Postal Notice for "EMBOSSSED POSTAGE STAMPS TO BE STRUCK UPON PAPER AND ENVELOPES" dated "26TH NOVEMBER 1855", with impressions of the 4d., 6d. and 1s. all overprinted "SPECIMEN", fine. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 575 P 1903 K.E.VII embossed Colour Standard for Stamped to Order dies ½d. to 1s. (9), fine and attractive. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 576 **Advertising Rings:** A used and unused collection of cut outs in a stockbook incl. Alldays & Onions, Collier & Company, Thos. Lea & Co., Perkins & Gotto, good unused selection of William Lincoln, etc., fair to fine. (277) **£200-£300**
- X577 ☒ **Air Letters:** 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) **£250-£300**
- 578 ☒ - 1967 Christmas 9d. with the blue, green and yellow colours omitted, fine unused with normal for comparison. Huggins APS12 var. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 579 ☒ - An unused group comprising 1968-70 9d. air letter, one with dark blue printing only, one with white and dark blue printing only, and one with light blue printing misplaced to the left (AP14 var.), and 1950 K.G.VI ½d., 1d., 1½d. envelopes unfolded, also Air Mail letter sheets Forces issues 1941-43 2½d. (2), fine. (8) **£100-£150**
- 580 ☒ **Envelopes:** 1891 colour trials for the 1892 2½d. grey blue Post Office envelope EP34, in crimson on laid paper, in vermilion and in red-brown on De La Rue 'extra tough' paper, the latter with crease, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo. **£450-£500**

Postal Stationery: The Properties of Other Vendors continued

- 581 ☒ **Envelopes:** 1922 2d. orange envelope with triangular handstamp “267” added indicating face value reduced by ½d. (ES65), 1913 S.T.O. K.E.VII 1d. with K.G.V. 1d. envelope (ESCP 736), 1940 (?) 1d. plus 1d. carmine inland card CSP 90, good unused. **£140-£160**



- 582 ☒ **Postcards:** 1870 ½d. lilac postcard used with neat “LONDON A 5/OC 1/70” first day c.d.s. cancellation, a little staining to card, very scarce. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 583 ☒ - 1925 Wembley 1d. postcard used first day with special machine cancellation, fine. **£80-£100**
- 584 ☒ **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) **£400-£500**
- 585 ☒ - 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) **£350-£400**
- 586 ☒ - 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) **£300-£400**
- 587 ☒ - 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) **£80-£100**
- 588 ☒ **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) **£100-£150**

1840 Mulready Envelopes and Letter Sheets

- 589 A selection in an album, incl. proof on India paper, 1d. letter sheet A7 unused with “Society for the Extinction of the Slave Trade” (MA477b), 1d. letter sheet A15 used with “John Richards and Company” (MA466d), 1d. letter sheet A22 used with “Atlas Assurance Company” (MA103i), 1d. letter sheet A230 used with “Report Clerical, Medical, and General Life Assurance Society” (MA 108 with unlisted William Gillott Agent), 1d. letter sheet A16 used on May 8 1840, 1d. envelope A154 unused showing “stitch” watermark, 2d. envelope a201 used 1842 (poor), reproductions, etc., mixed condition. (40 items) **£400-£500**
- 590 ☒ 1d. envelopes (2) and lettersheet, good to fine used, incl. 1d. envelope used 1840 (Dec. 3) neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross with “Camberwell Road” handstamp in blue below. S.G. Spec. ME1, 2. (3) **£300-£400**
- 591 ☒ 1d. letter sheet (stereo obscured) used 1840 (Nov. 15) with “The Scottish Provident Institution” advert in blue (MA135), 1d. letter sheet A68 unused with “The Envelope Select Advertiser” (MA10f) in blue, 1d. letter sheet A255 with “The Lymington Envelope Advertiser” in blue (MA18a), good to fine. **£200-£250**

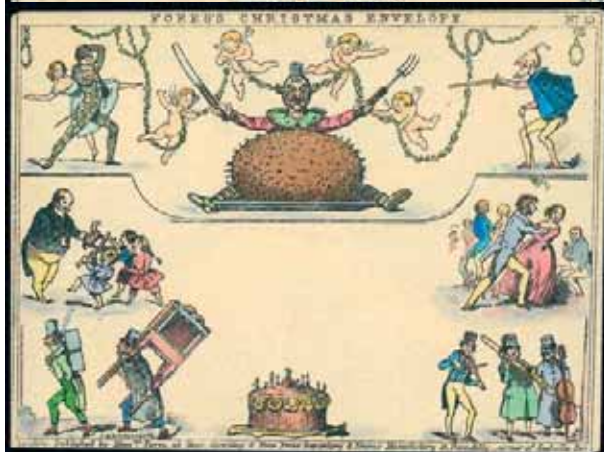
- 592 ☒ 1d. letter sheet (stereo obscured) with Atlas Assurance Company advertisement (S.G. Spec. MA103i) used 1843 (Jan. 28) from London to Birmingham, cancelled by a clear strike of a black Maltese Cross at upper right, contrary to regulations, Birmingham double arc c.d.s. on reverse, light fold at top and slight staining. S.G. Spec. ME1n, cat. £825. Photo on page 84. **£150-£200**
- 593 ☆ 1d. letter sheet A5 (forme 1), a fine and fresh unused example, with threads inverted, three pink threads at base and two blue at the top, unusual. Photo on page 84. **£200-£300**
- 594 ☒ 1d. lettersheet, used to Sittingbourne on the third day of issue, cancelled with red Maltese Cross and with red Maltese Cross date stamp of May 8 1940 on reverse, some minor faults. Photo on page 84. **£300-£400**



- 595 ☒ 1d. lettersheet stereo A16, used 1840 (July 25) from London to Paris cancelled by a red Maltese Cross with light "TP/Tottenham Ct. Rd. S.O" in black, two red "INSUFFICIENTLY/STAMPED" handstamps and red boxed "Returned for/(10) Postage", London c.d.s. on the reverse, minor faults. *The only recorded Mulready addressed abroad and returned due to underpayment. A unique and remarkable Mulready, ex Louis Grunin collection. B.P.A. certificate (1998). Photo.* **£7,500-£8,000**
- 596 ☒ 1d. lettersheet A16 (forme 2), 2d. envelope a200, unused, slightly soiled, otherwise fine. **£100-£120**
- 597 ☒ 1d. lettersheet A34 (Forme 3) fine unused and unfolded. **£80-£100**



- 598 ☒ 1d. envelope A151 (forme 2), used 1841 (Feb. 4) to Dublin, uprated by the addition of 1840 1d. black plate 9 HC, with good to large margins, both lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, a fine example. Brandon certificate (2000). S.G. Spec. ME2, cat. £15,000. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**
- 599 ☒ 1d. envelope A162 (forme 3), fine used 1840 (Oct. 19) from Birmingham, simply addressed to "The Law Baliff", cancelled by orange-red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. ME2. Photo on page 84. **£100-£150**



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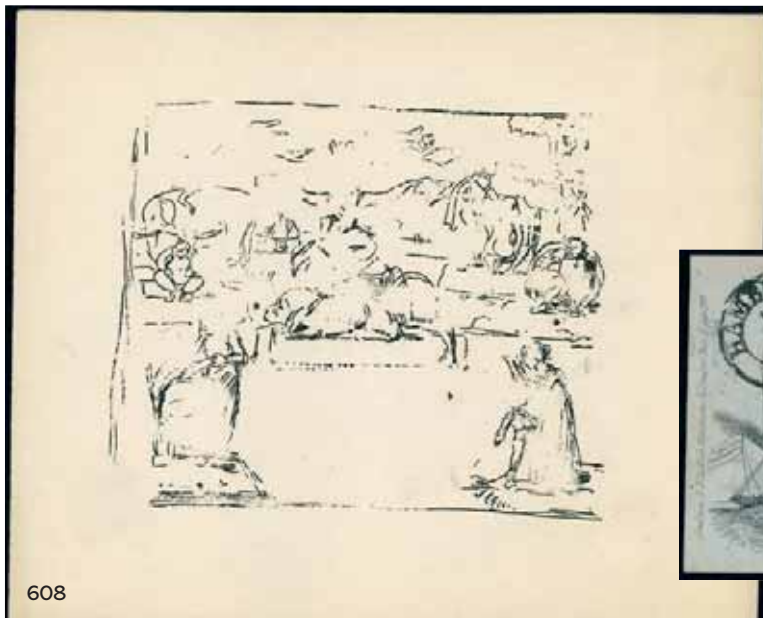
- 600 ☒ 1d. envelope A166 (forme 3), fine used, cancelled by bright red orange Maltese Cross with "SOUTHGATE/GLOUCESTER" receiving house handstamp in black above, with "GLOUCESTER/MY 1(?)1840" double arc c.d.s. on reverse, the second day slug of the cancellation, though 'dumb', appears rounded, possibly a "0", slight split at top, an interesting cover. Featured in *May Dates* by Mike Jackson, p. 196-97. S.G. Spec. ME2. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 601 ☒ 1d. envelope A291 (second series forme 5 or 6), an unused example, pencil note "*This was also in Mr Peacock's book*" on reverse, two cut corners, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. ME2f. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 602 ☒ 2d. letter sheet stereo a90 cancelled with 1844-type "683" obliterator, manuscript "2" and Devizes c.d.s. (Sept. 21) at right, with two strikes of "SALISBURY/F/SP 20/64" c.d.s. on reverse, a few creases and peripheral faults, an interesting late use. S.G. Spec. ME3. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 603 ☒ 2d. envelope, stereo a197, fine unused example. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 604 ☒ 2d. envelope a199 good used 1841 (Nov. 23) from Bath to Minchinhampton with black Maltese Cross and "CHALFORD" datestamp below. S.G. Spec. ME4. Photo. **£250-£300**



- 605 ☒ 2d. envelope stereo a200, used 1843 (Oct. 25), posted from London to Loughborough cancelled by number "1" in Maltese Cross, applied in the upper right corner contrary to regulations. Numbers in Maltese Cross cancels are scarce on 2d. Mulreadys, tiny closed tear at top, otherwise a fine and attractive item. S.G. Spec. ME4, cat. £12,000. Photo. **£1,800-£2,000**

1840 Mulready and Caricatures and later printed envelopes

- 606 ☒ Fores's envelope no. 10 ("CHRISTMAS"), unused, attractively handcoloured, some small imperfections but an attractive and scarce group. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 607 ☒ R.W. Hume Tourist Envelope No. 3 - "50 miles round Edinburgh and Leith" unused, soiled with a few stains, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on page 86. **£200-£250**
- 608 ☒ Thackeray's caricature, example from the defaced block, fine. Photo on page 86. **£80-£100**
- 609 ☒ **Propaganda Envelopes:** Ocean Penny Postage: Bradshaw & Blacklock's envelope with publishers imprint at left, on grey wove paper, used (1852 Nov. 13) to Augsburg, Bavaria, unusual. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Basel certificate (2003). Photo on page 86. **£200-£300**
- 610 ☒ **Benjamin Edgington:** 1859 (Jan. 19) embossed 1d. pink envelope with most attractive advert depicting marquees in the grounds of Windsor Castle, used within London, very fine. Photo on page 86. **£500-£600**



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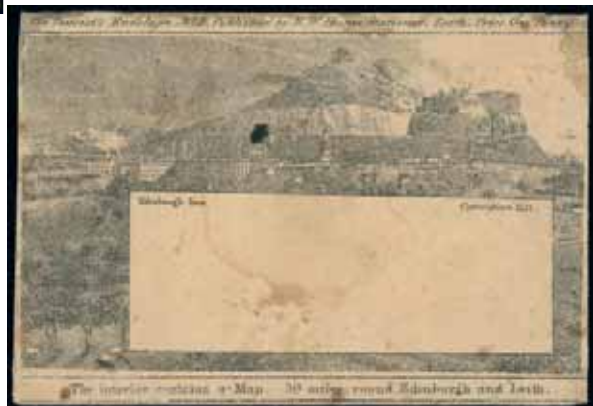
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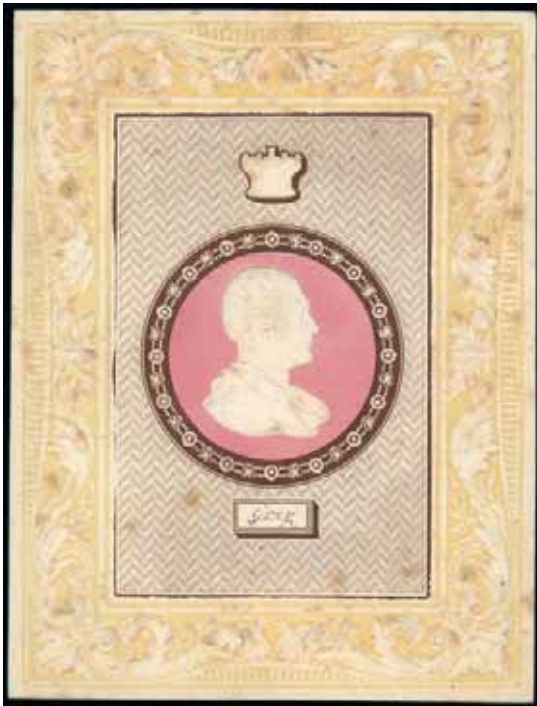
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Cancellations

- 611** ☒ A collection of London & Brighton Sorting Carriage cancellations on leaves, Q.V. to Q.E.II, comprising covers (27) and examples on piece (5), mainly fine strikes. **£100-£150**
- 612** ☒ **Machine Cancellations:** An extensive accumulation of covers and cards in albums and loose contained in six cartons with a range of earlier type machine cancels, later printed commemorative covers, a few Study Circle labels, some foreign items, etc. (many 100s) **£200-£300**
- 613** ☒ - Charles Rideout: 1858 (Dec. 27) cover bearing 1d. stars with very fine strikes of the Rideout no. "2" machine cancellation, fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 614** ○ **Salisbury Trial:** A group each used with Salisbury trial "683" cancellation, comprising 1857 - 63 die II alphabet III LC14 on white paper 1d. plate 55 ML rose red (R.P.S. certificate, 2005), 1858 2d. blue plates 7 EH, 9 TK and 13 ML, and 1855-57 watermark Emblems 6d., fine strikes. (5) **£600-£700**
- 615** ☒ **Spoon Cancellations:** 1854-56 two covers both franked 1854-57 1d. both with Reading 'Biscuit' type spoon cancels. **£80-£100**
- 616** ○ **Telegraphic Cancellations:** 1870 to 1876 selection of postage stamps used in the pre-telegraphs stamp period with concentric ring cancellations of the former British and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Company, Incl. 3d. plate 7, 1s. plate 5 (2 examples, one short A row), 9d. plate 4, 2s. blue and 5s. plate 1, mainly good to fine, 5s. a little grubby, a scarce assemblage. S.G. cat. £1,375. (6) **£120-£150**
- 617** ○ - 1881 onwards selection of postage stamps used in the post telegraphs stamp period incl. selection of rectangular Scottish railway numerals and an Irish diamond numeral on surface printed stamps. Includes Scottish: 1880 6d. on 6d. lilac, 2 (103, ?); 1s. orange-brown plate 13, 2 (50, 95), plate 14, 2 (49, 5x). 1884 3d. lilac, 2 (49, ?); 6d. dull green, 2 (135, 204). 1887 Jubilee 6d., a pair and 2 singles (all 48A). Irish, 1884 2½d. with double lined diamond (40), rare, fair to fine. A scarce selection with some rarer numerals. S.G. cat. £1,740. (15) **£120-£150**
- 618** ○ - 1881 onwards selection of postage stamps used in the post telegraphs stamp period incl. selection of English circular railway numerals on high values. 1884 2s.6d. lilac, 2 (189, 553A); 5s. rose, 3 (all 529); 10s. ultramarine, 2 (162, 1372). A scarce group, in mixed condition but all with additional box cancels and crayon lines as typical for this usage. S.G. cat. £2,120. (7) **£80-£120**
- 619** ○ - 1881 onwards selection of postage stamps used in the post telegraphs stamp period incl. selection of circular English railway numerals on surface printed stamps. Includes: 8d. orange (528b) – rare to find on this value. 1880 3d. rose plate 21 (1448); 3d. on 3d. lilac, 2 (1167, x91A); 6d. grey plate 18 (403); 6d. on 6d. lilac (1459); 1s. orange-brown plate 13 (1139) and plate 14 (682). 1881 1d. lilac, 2 (206, 1564). 1884 3d. lilac (72); 6d. dull green (587); 1s. dull green, 3 (396, 596, ?). 1887 Jubilee 9d., 2 (both 681) and 1s. green (553). Condition very mixed, generally average to poor with the odd better example, most with crayon marks as usual for this period. Some rarer numerals. S.G. cat. £2,834. (18) **£80-£100**
- 620** ○ - A selection of telegraphic cancellations on postage stamps comprising 1887 1s. green Jubilee pair on part telegraph form cancelled "Manchester Grandstand", one stamp missing corner but excellent colour plus a single with a Newmarket Grandstand cancel. 1884 2s.6d. lilac with Central Telegraph Office c.d.s. and 1871 1s. plate 5 with a Birmingham Telegraph Office c.d.s., also 1s. brown orange, 3d. lilac and 1s. green Jubilee with part coloured obliterations (2 with large "CANCELLED" handstamps, possibly telegraphic). Very mixed condition. S.G. cat. £550. **£60-£80**

Exhibitions

- 621** ☒ 1891 Royal Naval Exhibition ½d. brown postcard and 1d. pink stationery envelope (some cover faults) with special blue cachet. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 622** A selection on leaves and loose, incl. 1901 Glasgow, 1908 Franco-British, 1910 Japan-British, postcards, labels, etc. (few 100s) **£100-£120**
- 623** 1938 Glasgow Exhibition, a comprehensive collection on leaves and loose, incl. August O.H.M.S. envelope with meter mark and slogan cachet in red, October 26th. large O.H.M.S. envelope depicting all available postal markings available in the Branch Office, bag labels, postcards, souvenir cards, advertising slogans, ephemera, etc. (few 100s) **£200-£300**



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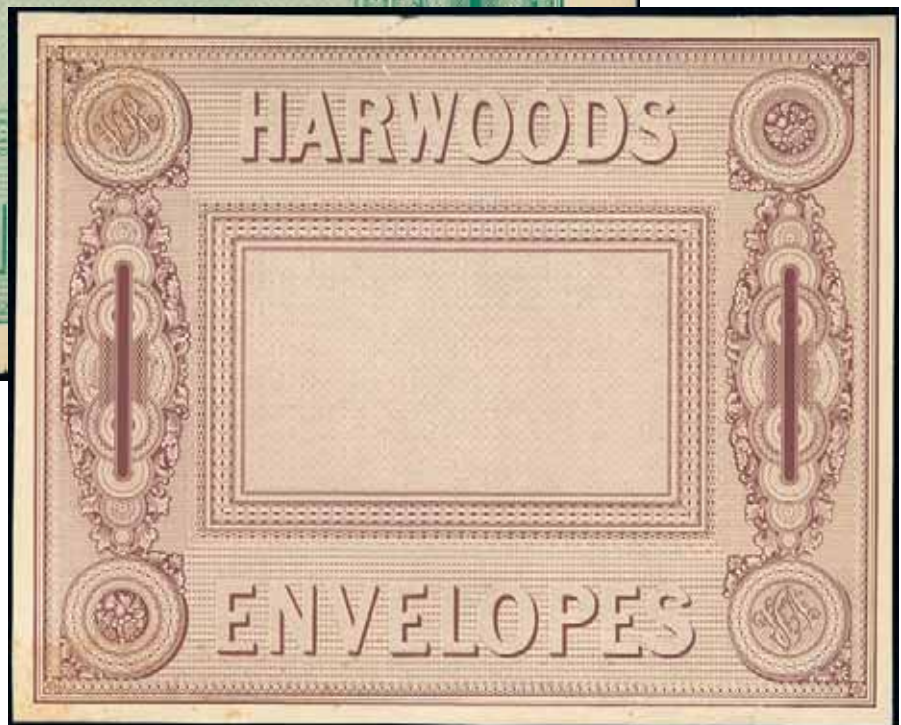
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Essays, Proofs and Trials



- 624 P 1841 2d. blue proof from small trial plate of 12 without corner letters, left marginal single with upright watermark, fine without gum. S.G. Spec. DP43, cat. £1,800. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 625 ☒ **John Dickinson:** 1837 London District Post 1d. envelope essay in yellow-buff on Dickinson's special silk thread paper, folded with small peripheral imperfection. Photo on page 86. **£150-£200**
- 626 ☒ - 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 on page 86. **£100-£150**
- 627 E **Perkins Bacon:** A proof in deep carmine on wove paper (132 x 199mm) of the design, made for covering the reverse side of a specimen banknote, submitted to the Bank of England in 1822, the centre band shows the engine-turned background finally selected for the 1840 1d. and 2d., also three other proofs used for stamps and non philatelic items, very fine. **£200-£250**
- 628 **Charles Whiting:** A cameo in decorative frame of Earl Grey in colourless relief with buff, and brown surround (cut-down), removed from a copy of "THE ROYAL CAMEO SCRAP BOOK OF EMBOSSED HEADS", slight trace of ageing, otherwise fine and an excellent example of the Congreve printing method. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 629 - A cameo in decorative frame of Queen Adelaide in colourless relief with buff, and red with blue surround (cut-down), removed from a copy of "THE ROYAL CAMEO SCRAP BOOK OF EMBOSSED HEADS", slight trace of ageing, otherwise fine and an excellent example of the Congreve printing method. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 630 E - 1839 Treasury Competition, the "HARWOODS/ENVELOPES" essay, reprint in green, few creases and small tears, otherwise fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 631 E - 1839 Treasury Competition, the "HARWOODS/ENVELOPES" essay, reprint in brown, few small tears, otherwise fine. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 632 E - 1839 Treasury Competition, two essays in blue and red and blue, from the page in the *Art Journal*. **£60-£70**
- 633 E **Charles Whiting: Embossed Essays:** 1840 embossed oval "PAID" essay in carmine, from the 1848 Art Union Journal, Congreve Method 1d. essay in blue and red and in red and blue on wove paper (faults), also James Chalmers 1838 "General Postage./NOT/EXCEEDING/HALF/AN OUNCE./One Penny." and "General Postage./NOT/EXCEEDING/ONE/OUNCE./Twopence" reprinted in red on white wove paper, three engine turned designs in black on wove paper, **£250-£300**
- 634 E - 1840 embossed oval "POSTAGE ONE PENNY" essay (Huggins E18) in pale red on wove paper, cut to shape and affixed to piece, slight staining, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo on page 86. **£150-£200**
- 635 E - 1840 embossed oval "POSTAGE ONE PENNY" essay (Huggins E18) in pale red on wove paper, cut to shape and affixed to piece, slight staining, otherwise fine and scarce. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 636 E **Charles Whiting: Reprints:** The page of reprinted essays from the 1848 Art Union Journal, damaged clear of the essays which are fine. **£100-£120**
- 637 E - The page of reprinted essays from the 1848 Art Union Journal (faults) also a proof of the 5d. banknote duty printed by the Congreve method **£80-£100**
- 638 E - The page of reprinted essays from the 1848 Art Union Journal, usual peripheral imperfections clear of the essays. **£70-£80**
- 639 E - 1840 embossed oval "PAID" essay in carmine (32 x 35mm), from the 1862 reprint, few minor faults. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 640 E **1879-80 Tender:** A selection on leaves, incl. Perkins Bacon, De La Rue, McCorqudale dummy stamps in black and claret, etc. (44) **£200-£250**



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- 641 E De La Rue Security Endorsement Experiments: 1889(c.) trials with face values printed on reverse under the gum, a set of four comprising 1881 die II 1d. lilac with “One/Penny” underprint, 1887–92 ‘Jubilee’ ½d. with “Half-/Penny”, 11/2d with “1½d.” and 2d. with “2d.”; each hinged on both sides and all with pinholes. S.G. Spec. K8n, cat. £1,600, K27p, cat. £4,500, the 1½d. and 2d. unlisted. *It is believed that three sets of these trials are known, all have pinholes.. Photo.* £3,500-£4,000
- 642 U.P.U. “UNION POSTALE UNIVERSELLE./ANNEXE A LA CIRCULAIRE DU BUREAU INTERNATIONAL,/ DU FEVRIER 1879, No. 45.” with “3438” added in manuscript, appendix sheet (222 x 302mm) with stamp sized engine turned samples for the U.P.U. specified colours for the 5 centimes (green), 10 centimes (red) and 25 centimes (blue), three of each arranged in horizontal rows, the sheet folded for display with the lower two rows folded under. Photo. £400-£500




- 643 P S 1885 embossed 1s. green die 13 dated 17.2.85, eight examples overprinted “SPECIMEN” vertically, struck on a piece from writing paper bearing part of the General Post Office seal, with pencil instruction initialled by T. Peacock, a senior officer in the Inland Revenue Stamping Department “Stamp with/1/- Tel Die”; further endorsed in red ink “Paper of this quality can be satisfactorily stamped/T. Peacock. 17.2.85”; some faults but a spectacular piece. *The Stamp Committee of 1884–86 made extensive enquiries into the feasibility of using embossing for postage stamps.* Photo. £250-£300

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- 644 E A line engraved die proof of the Queen’s head facing right, oval shaded background, cleared surround, in black on soft sunken card (140 x 217mm), some peripheral age staining clear of proof, otherwise fine. *Bradbury Wilkinson’s essay no. 4 had a head facing left in a frame reminiscent of the 1880 New South Wales 2d. Stamp Duty design (and of their 1½d. essay of that year). This frame was also used with this head facing right as a sample stamp at this time.* Photo. £250-£300
- 645 E 1879 ‘Hope Seated’ essay Tender no 3252 1d. essay, the design showing ‘Hope seated’ leaning on an anchor, with “BRADBURY WILKINSON & CO” above, and “POSTAGE ONE PENNY” below, an imperforate block of four in pale blue on unwatermarked, ungummed cream wove paper, manuscript endorsement “printing” on reverse. Very fine. Photo. £400-£500
- 646 E 1879 1d. essay (no. 7) using the Transvaal-Falklands ‘Bourne’ engraved head, in violet, an imperforate marginal example on ungummed wove paper, light creases and touched at lower left, otherwise fine This essay is often wrongly attributed to Canada, it was used on anchor watermarked paper, in shades of lilac and brown, as well as the U.P.U. colours. Also Transvaal 1878 ½d. imperforate plate proof block of four in black on thin wove paper with vertical pen lines, the head was used for Bradbury’s Tender essay no. 2, Tasmania Beer Duty “ONE FIRKIN/TWO SHILLINGS & THREE PENCE” which used the same head, unused, vertical creases and other faults but good appearance, and “TOWN OF SOUTHAMPTON/COURT FEE” lithographed 10s. black on magenta pane of ten (5 x 2) endorsed ‘File copy’ and each stamp with central punch hole. Photo. £200-£250

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- 647 E 1865 Lithographed Essays made for Egypt, Ceres head facing right, imperforate singles in ochre and pink on un gummed unwatermarked paper of different thicknesses, the former apparently with trial cancellation, some imperfections but rare, also an example of the "CHARLES SKIPPER & EAST/SPECIMEN STAMP" with Imperial Eagle in the centre and inscribed "2" at each side and at each corner, in die proof form in blue on manila paper (93 x 66mm), vertical crease. First two ex Fisher. Photo on page 90. **£350-£400**
- 648  E 1880 Inland Revenue Type 1d. essay inscribed "POSTAGE", an imperforate sheet of 24 (6 x 4) in Venetian-red on un gummed, unwatermarked wove paper, with issued 1880–81 1d. TA affixed at lower right with this and the two vertical rows at right showing experimental washing to illustrate the comparative fugitive nature of the inks used by Charles Skipper & East and De La Rue, folded in four with horizontal fold running along the foot of the 2nd horizontal row, otherwise fine. Ex Fisher. Photo on page 90. **£400-£500**



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- 649 E - 1d. essay inscribed "POSTAGE", a selection including imperforate pair in black, singles in pale lilac, blue and yellow brown, perf. $1\frac{3}{4}$ x $1\frac{1}{2}$ pairs in rose and blue, singles in pale lilac, pink and blue, imperforate reprints on thin card in lilac (2), vermilion (2) and a corner marginal block of four in green, condition varies, many fine. (20). Photo. **£350-£400**
- 650 E 1880-81 Ceres head facing left, line engraved die proof inscribed "SPECIMEN/STAMP" in small type and with blank corner squares, ribbon well behind the ear, in red on thick wove paper (99 x 65mm) with a further incomplete lightly inked impression at left of a similar die but with vertical shading to the face die at left prior to the addition of frame lines, corner squares and inscription, minor peripheral imperfections well clear of impressions, most unusual and attractive. Ex. Fisher. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 651 E - A line engraved plate proof inscribed "SPECIMEN/STAMP" in larger type and with "CS&E" in corner squares, imperforate marginal blocks of four in red and blue on unwatermarked, un gummed wove paper of differing thicknesses, the former block with upper pair a little creased and upper left stamp with small tear, otherwise fine. (8). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 652 E - A lithographed imperforate plate proof inscribed "SPECIMEN/STAMP" in larger type and with "CS&E" in corner squares, in purple on thin unwatermarked, un gummed wove paper, showing ivory head, vertical crease at left not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine. Ex Fisher. Photo. **£80-£100**



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De La Rue Die Proof Essays for the 1879 Tender for the 1d. value**



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- 653 E P Die proof of head A only with uncleared circular surround, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "Jan. 16, 1879" and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", small "R.C.B.S" violet handstamps and self adhesive hinges on reverse, otherwise very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 228, cat. from £2,000. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 654 E P Composite die proof of head A with frame 6, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), without markings, very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 228, cat. from £2,400. Photo. **£700-£800**



- 655 E P Head C frames 1 to 6, composite stamp sized die proofs in black on glazed cards with hand-drawn simulated perforations, inset together on presentation card (195 x 145mm), endorsed "No 2" and with de La Rue file number "3252" (the I.R. file number), dated "MAY 17th 79" at upper right and with legend "IT IS SUGGESTED THAT THE COLOUR/SHOULD NOT BE DETERMINED UPON UNTIL THE PLATES ARE COMPLETED/AND PROOF-SHEETS, IN A VARIETY OF COLOURS, CAN BE SUBMITTED". Two sets of four cards were prepared, each had the same frames but a different head. One set was submitted by De La Rue as part of their Tender, but the Board scratched out their name for anonymity, using 'No. 2' instead. The set retained by the firm was endorsed 'Cancelled' and it is the one from that set which is now in the BPMA, instead of this set. A spectacular item. Photo. **£10,000-£12,000**
- 656 E P Die proof of head C only with uncleared rectangular surround, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), without markings, very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 228, cat. from £2,000. Photo on page 94. **£350-£400**



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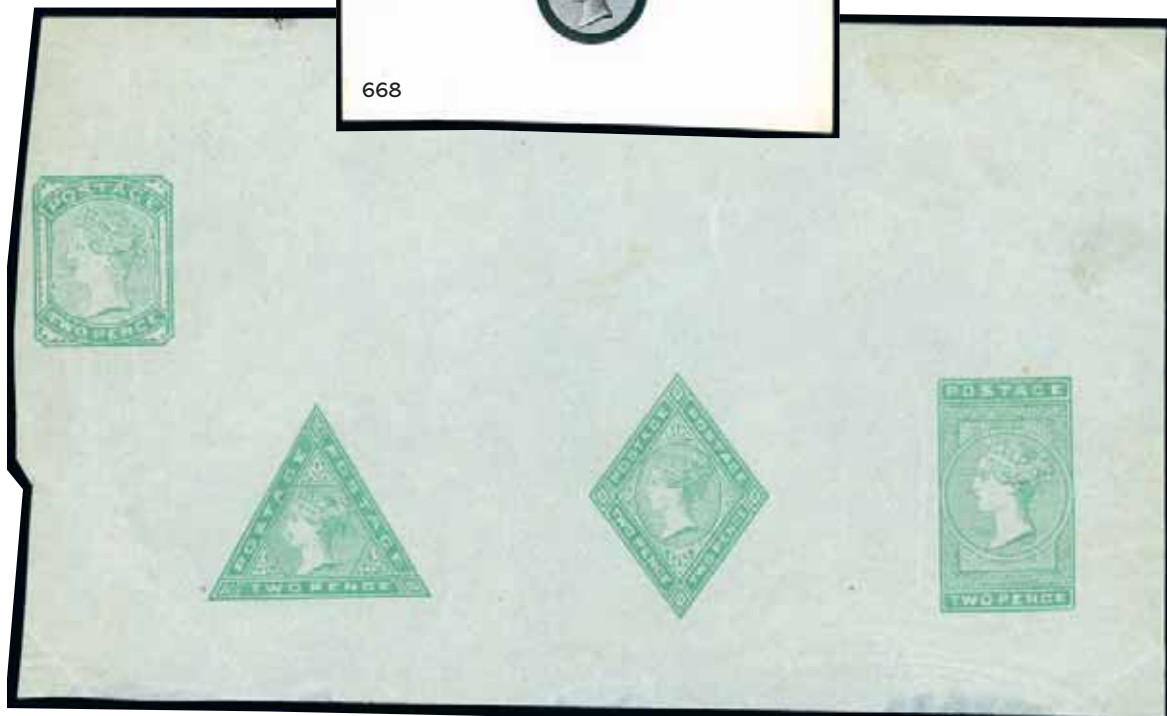
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- 657 P **Postal Fiscal Colour Trials for the 1879 Tender for the 1d. value:** 1878 Postal Fiscal 1d. die 4, five imperforate colour trials in different colours on gummed paper watermarked anchor, fine and fresh with part to full original gum, one marginal. S.G. Spec. L122, cat. from £300 each. Photo. **£300-£400**



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- 658 P **Progressive Head Dies of 1878–80:** 1881 progressive die proof of head very similar to Head A for the 1879 Tender for the 1d., but slightly smaller and horizontal lines in chignon, in black with uncleared circular surround with white guide lines, on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "3 JAN 81", small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps and self adhesive hinges on reverse, otherwise very fine. Photo. **£250-£300**

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De La Rue Die Proof Essays for the 1880 Tender for the ½d., 1½d. and 2d. values**

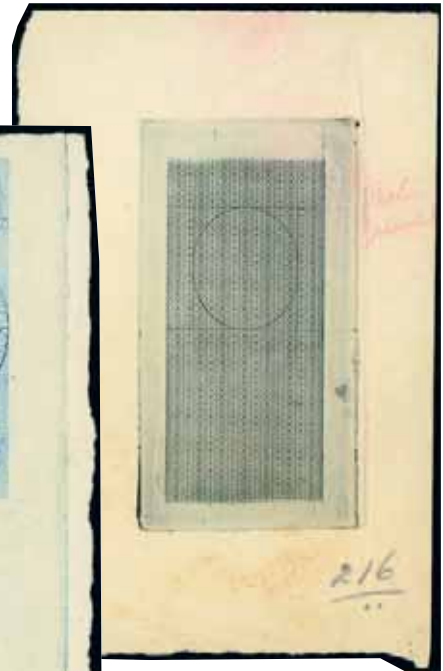
- 659 E P A progressive die proof from the 1d. die, Head B frame 2 from the 1d. tender but with value deleted on the plate prior to engraving a new one, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), very fine. Rare and most unusual. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 229, this combination not listed, others cat. from £2,400. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 660 E P ½d. Head B frame 1 from the 1d. tender but altered for the ½d. denomination, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), very fine. Rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 229, this combination not listed, others cat. from £2,400. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 661 E P 1½d. Head B frame 1 from the 1d. tender but altered for the 1½d. denomination, in rose on glazed card (43 x 50mm), without markings, very fine. Rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 229, this combination not listed, others cat. from £2,400. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 662 E P 2d. Head B frame 7 (supplementary frame submitted on February 7th, 1880), in brown on glazed card (92 x 60mm) without markings, trivial colour rubs but very fine. Rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 229, cat. from £2,400. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 663 E **Thomas Jeffrey's Scheme 1881:** Four of Jeffrey's five 2d. designs lithographed in green on unwatermarked gummed wove paper (150 x 90mm approx.), the essays unmounted, a few light creases or bends, some other imperfections well clear of the essays. See S.G. Spec. vol. 1, page 252. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 664 E - A single in the design of the 1880–81 'Provisional Issue' 2d., in red on gummed unwatermarked wove paper, crease at left, otherwise fine. See S.G. Spec. vol. 1, page 252. Photo. **£120-£150**



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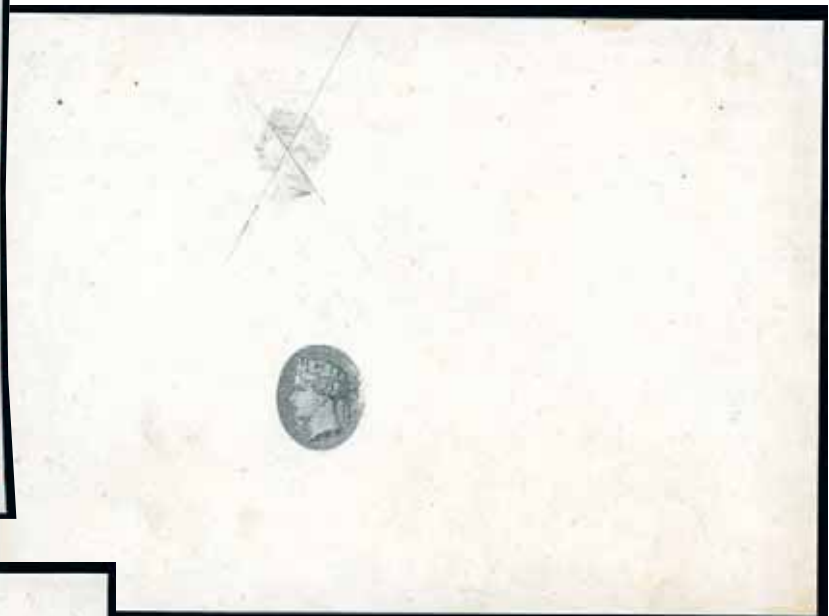
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- 665 P 1878 Die 1 die proof with two lines in bandeau at back of head, in black with uncleared circular surround, on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "May 18,1878", small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps on reverse, very fine. *Similar to the head used for the 1878 high values but with forehead engraved, and produced immediately after the 10s. progressive dies.* Photo on page 94. £250-£300
- 666 P 1878 Die 2 die proof with three lines in bandeau at back of head, first line of shading above eyebrow incomplete, in black with uncleared circular surround, on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "May 20,1878", small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps on reverse, very fine. Photo on page 94. £250-£300
- 667 P 1878 Die 2 die proof with three lines in bandeau at back of head, first line of shading above eyebrow complete, in black with circular surround almost cleared, on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "May 20,1878", small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps on reverse, a trifle soiled, otherwise very fine. Photo on page 94. £250-£300
- 668 P 1878 Die 3 die proof, in black with uncleared circular surround with triangular slots at sides, on glazed card (93 x 60mm approx., cut a little irregularly at foot) dated "May 29 1878", small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps on reverse, very fine. Photo on page 94. £250-£300
- 669 P 1879 die proof with front of neck outlined further below chin, in black with uncleared circular surround with triangular slots at sides, on glazed card (90 x 60mm) without markings, small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps on reverse, very fine. Photo on page 94. £250-£300

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- 670 E A collection with Thomas Hooper 1878 1d IA surface printed imperforate dummy stamps in black (2, one on blued paper), chocolate-brown and red, on un gummed wove paper, 1894 litho reproduction die proofs (3) struck in reddish purple on a single piece (88 x 41mm) and a top marginal horizontal strip of seven on thin (almost pelure) yellowish paper watermarked double lined "(J) WHATMA(N)/1874" in wide sheet margin; 1879 Hooper Improved Dummy Stamp lettered JA, four singles in shades of red or lake on un gummed, unwatermarked paper of varying thicknesses, a marginal block of four showing weak printing in lake on thin card, a single in reddish purple on gummed paper watermarked small anchor and postcard essay overprinted "SPECIMEN". Also nine examples of the "WEST INDIA POSTAGE/FOUR ANNAS" essay in various colours, imperforate on unwatermarked paper. (22 items). Photo. £600-£800
- 671  E 1879 Hooper Improved 1d. Dummy Stamp lettered JA, an imperforate lower marginal block of 32 (4 x 8), in rose on un gummed, unwatermarked white wove paper, shows various plate flaws and 1st stamp in 2nd row with inking flaw, vertical crease affecting the 2nd vertical column not detracting from appearance, a few other creases and small tear affecting two stamps, otherwise fine. A rare multiple. Photo. £400-£500

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- 672 P A reprinted composite proof plate of seven different Q.V. heads, the work of Ridgeway, Chalon and Humphries, including incomplete Tasmania, New South Wales and Foreign Bill dies, printed in dark blue on wove paper (73 x 114mm), printing a little weak at right. Photo. £150-£200
- 673 E P A line engraved die proof of the Ceylon type head, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in black with oval shaded background, on thick soft card (136 x 98mm) with a further impression of an incomplete defaced head similar to the surface printed Grenada head above, bends or wrinkles well clear of proofs, the completed head with minor surface scuffs, otherwise fine. Photo. £250-£300
- 674 E P A line engraved die proof of the Ceylon type head, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in black with oval shaded background, on thick soft card (65 x 69mm), fine. Photo. £250-£300
- 675 E P A line engraved die proof of the lighter machine ground incorporating an outline frame in black on wove paper (72 x 112mm approx) with pencil note "216" at lower right and faint 'Perkin/Queensland' to the right of the proof, a little stained, otherwise fine. *This lighter ground was that used for two decades for Colonial issues such as Grenada and Queensland.* Photo. £250-£300

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Perkins Bacon continued**

- 676 E A wood engraved surface printed essay for the ½d. (Bacon 77) lettered AA in a design very similar to the issued line engraved ½d., in rose with frame pasted over head (Bacon type I), on thick card (40 x 41mm), very fine and rare. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 677 E A wood engraved surface printed essay of the 'South Australia' head (Bacon 82) in rose on ungummed wove paper (43 x 44mm) showing part paper maker's watermark, very fine. Photo on page 96. £300-£400



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- 678 E A wood engraved "NO PENCE" surface printed essay (Bacon 73) lettered AA, in rose with frame pasted over 'South Australia' head (Bacon type 3), on thick card (41 x 41mm), very fine and rare. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 679 E Paste-up essays of the 1d. frame type D (Bacon 102) in black and 1½d. frame type K (Bacon 113) in rose, each with the 'South Australia' head (Bacon 82) in the same colours pasted in, mounted together on stout card (48 x 92mm), very fine. Photo. £800-£1,000



- 680 E Composite Paste-up and hand drawn essays for the "AA" designs for ½d., 1½d. (2) and 2d. designs together on cream paper (230 x 270mm) each with printed Ridgeway head vignette based on Edward Corbould's Ceylon 6d. of 1857 pasted on, the two 1½ds. with the rest of the design drawn in Indian ink, the ½d. and both 2ds. with printed "POSTAGE" pasted on printed frames, the ½d. with painted over printed value tablets applied at left and right and painted "HALF PENNY" at foot, the first 2d. with "TWO PENCE" painted in at foot and the second with printed "POSTAGE" pasted at foot. Minor peripheral imperfections not affecting the essays. A spectacular piece and a key item of these essays. Photo. £1,500-£2,000

Surface printed essays engraved by W. Ridgeway



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- 681** E P A surface printed die proof of the Ceylon type head with oval shaded background, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in black with uncleared surround, vertical lines below the second cross from the front of the crown, on card (75 x 115mm), very fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 682** E P A die proof of the Ceylon type head with oval shaded background, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in black with uncleared surround, vertical lines below the second cross from the front of the crown removed, on card (59 x 89mm), faint peripheral age stains, otherwise fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 683** E P A die proof of the Ceylon type head with oval shaded background, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in black with uncleared surround, vertical lines below the second cross from the front of the crown removed, on card (60 x 90mm), fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 684** E P A die proof of the Ceylon type head with oval shaded background, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in green with uncleared surround, on wove paper (39 x 46mm), very fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 685** E P A die proof of the Ceylon type head with oval shaded background, engraved by W. Ridgeway after the Humphries head, in mauve with uncleared surround, on wove paper (67 x 68mm), a few small tone spots well clear of proof, otherwise very fine. R.P.S. certificate (1981). Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 686** E P A selection of die proofs (6), comprising ½d. (Fisher frame B) in blue-green and in green, ½d. frame I in green, 1½d. frame K in brown and yellow-brown and 2d. frame A in rose, all on white wove paper, one 1½d. affixed to card. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 687** E P **Plate 1:** 1d. se-tenant horizontal row of six different designs, in green on small star watermarked paper, a few minor imperfections not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine without gum. *Rare, it is believed that only three sheets watermarked as such were produced.* Photo on page 100. **£200-£300**



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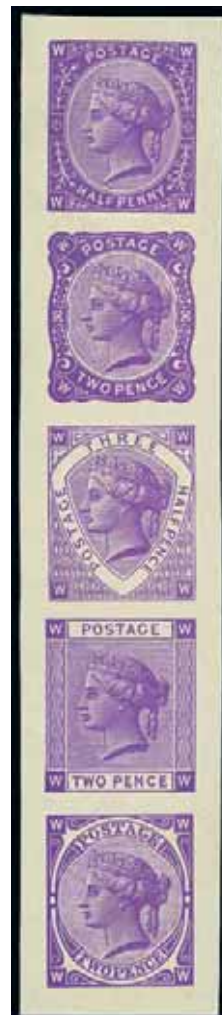
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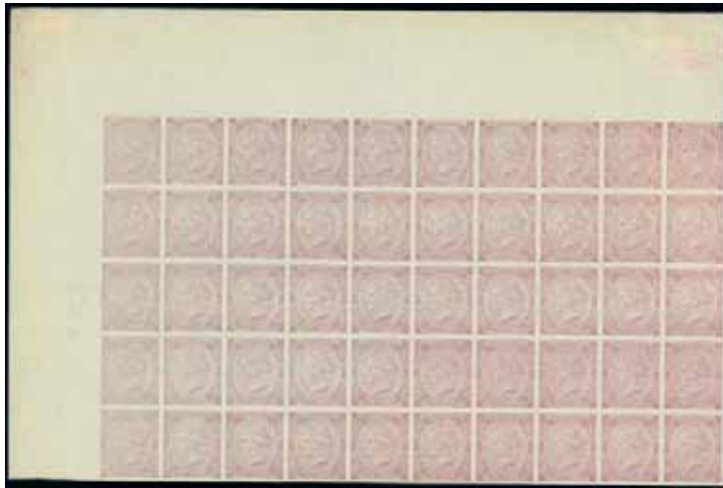
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- 688 E P **Plate 1a:** se-tenant imperforate sheet of forty-one designated plate 1a by Fisher, comprising six rows of six 1d. plus vertical row of five ½d., 1½d. and 2d. (3), in blue on gummed unwatermarked paper, some minor paper creases or wrinkles not detracting from appearance, otherwise very fine (stamps unmounted). Photo. **£400-£500**
- 689 E P - The se-tenant vertical row of five ½d., 1½d. and 2d. (3), in violet on gummed unwatermarked paper, fingerprint on gum of lower two stamps, otherwise very fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 690 E P - The se-tenant vertical row of five ½d., 1½d. and 2d. (3), in grey-brown on gummed unwatermarked paper, one stamp with small tone spot on gum otherwise very fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 691 E **Plate 3:** ½d. (12) + 1½d. (6) + 2d. (6) se-tenant sheet of 24 (6 x 4), perf. 12½, in dark brown on unwatermarked wove paper without gum, age stain spots mainly on reverse, otherwise fine, good appearance. Photo. **£300-£400**



- 692 E - ½d. (12) + 1½d. (6) + 2d. (6) se-tenant imperforate sheet of 24 (8 x 3) in a Venetian red shade on ungummed, unwatermarked wove paper, just a trace of a few tiny age stains on reverse, otherwise very fine. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 693 E **Plate 4:** ½d. (2) + 1½d. (2) + 2d. (4) widely spaced se-tenant sheet of eight in blue-green on ungummed, unwatermarked wove paper, some staining and minor bends, otherwise fine. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 694 E **Plate 5:** Imperforate sheet of nine (3 x 3) comprising 1½d. (Fisher frame G) and two different 2d. dies frames A & J) in vertical columns (the 1½d. placed sideways), in pale ROSE on thin ungummed, cream wove paper watermarked "SPECIAL PO(STAGE PAPER)/LO(NDON)"; a few minor imperfections, otherwise fine and rare. Photo on page 102. **£300-£400**
- 695 E **Plate 5var.:** Imperforate sheet of nine (3 x 3) comprising three different 2d. dies (Fisher frames A, C & J) in vertical columns, in pale brown on thick ungummed, unwatermarked cream wove paper, a few minor imperfections, otherwise fine and rare. *This configuration not recorded by Fisher.* Photo on page 102. **£300-£400**
- 696 E **Plate 6:** 1d. magenta without corner letters, imperforate upper left corner block of fifty (10 x 5) from the 120 unit plate reprinted in 1912 for a tender to the Union of South Africa, on thin wove paper watermarked "SPECIAL POSTAGE PAPER/LONDON" without gum, very fine, minor imperfections confined to sheet margins. Photo on page 102. **£300-£400**
- 697 E 'Grenada' large head essays, a selection comprising a die proof without corner letters, in green on wove paper (55 x 59mm), KG-KH pairs in pink and blue, KI-KJ pair in orange, II orange, JK blue and KK blue-green singles, on ungummed, unwatermarked white paper, also Grenada 1881 1d. and 1½d. postcards using this head, unused. (9 items) . The die proof ex Fisher. Photo. **£250-£300**



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Surface printed essays engraved by W. Ridgeway continued**

- 698  E The balance of the collection, with plate 1 1d. imperforate se-tenant strips of six (6, one divided into singles,) strips of five, four and two strips of three, five singles (with frames A & C in black), perf. 11¼ strip of six in black, imperf x perf. 11¼ block of 12 in red divided into 6 vertical pairs, Frame B 1d. WW single from 120 unit plate in rose perf. 12½; Plate 2 imperforate ½d. and 2d., perf 12½ ½d. (23), 1½d. (8) and 2d. (11) with some in se-tenant multiples, and imperforate reprints from the 120 unit 1d. plate without corner letters 1901(c.) blocks of four (2) and a single, 1912 tender for Union of South Africa block of six, pairs (2) and a single, and 1913 tender for Australian Commonwealth singles (4), mainly fine. (143). **£500-£600**

**The Dr. Peter Young FRPSL, Collection of Essays, Proofs and Trials:
De La Rue: Ink Trials**




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- 699 P S 1876 (December) Judicature Fee £1 imperforate colour trial pairs (2), strips of three (2) and a marginal block of six (3 x 2), the latter being in doubly fugitive purple ink, all on gummed paper watermarked scales and overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, some with margins close or touching and some creasing, otherwise fine and fresh. (16). Photo. *Colour trials of the £1 Judicature Fee stamps were taken in 1876 in five distinct shades that included the doubly fugitive purple. this was later selected for the new stamp. Its success continued the convention that stamps with a revenue function were to use doubly fugitive ink rather than singly fugitive, hence no colour trials were necessary for the 1881 'Unified' 1d. lilac.* **£150-£200**
- 700 P 1877(c.) piece (155 x 207mm) from the De La Rue records, entitled "Stamps printed in "doubly fugitive" inks", with three examples of each 1877 Postal Fiscal 1d. die 2 and Cape of Good Hope Stamp Act 1864 1s. and Government £2, all overprinted "CANCELLED", type 14A, one of each 'Left intact', another of each "Obliterated by writing" [manuscript 'Cancelled'] and then treated with oxalic acid", and the others "Obliterated by printing" ["B01" barred obliterator] and then treated with benzine" An interesting item. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 701 P 1881(c.) unissued Patent 1d., five imperforate trials in doubly fugitive purple, on different coloured thin card without watermark or gum, very fine.. Photo. *See GB Journal volume 28, no. 3, page 74.* **£120-£150**
- 702 1897 Appendix piece (167 x 257mm) headed 'Appendix/Stamps printed in Doubly Fugitive inks' and dated 'Nov. 29th 1897', bearing twelve imperforate De La Rue Queen Victoria dummy or sample stamps printed in doubly fugitive "Purple", "Green" and "Black" (4 of each) on white, yellow, red and cream papers, most attractive. Photo. **£400-£500**

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De La Rue: Dummy Stamps/Essays**

- 703  E 1861 "EXPERIMENTAL POSTAGE/THREE PENCE" essay with the head of the King Pedro V of Portugal defaced by a cross, printed in deep brown, a block of four, stamps at right a little cut into, toned on reverse as this was originally affixed to part of an ink recipe page which is included showing that this was "No. 22-Deep Brown/For Card Backs &c" (this was also used for Recipe 121 'Ordinary Printing Inks' for Indian 1 anna envelopes, the other side of the piece with recipe "18-Yellow/"For Honors" bearing a block of four De La Rue Queen Victoria dummy or sample stamps (stained) in the appropriate colour. Photo on page 104. **£150-£200**
- 704 E 1882 embossed Dummy Stamps with Victor Emmanuel head engraved by Professor L. Bigola with collar dated "30.1.82" and used for registration envelope samples, proofs in orange-vermilion (two shades), deep violet and carmine on various size pieces of wove paper, and registered letter envelope with the design impressed in blue perforated "CANCELLED" (twice). (5 items). Photo on page 104. **£250-£300**



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De La Rue: Proofs Bearing Engravers Records**



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- 705 P **1876 Original Head Die No. 205** 'hub' in black with uncleared circular surround inscribed around the edge (in reverse) "ORIGL. HEAD PREP. FOR JUDICATURE STAMPS/1876" and "205", and with further ink endorsement 'Die 205', on buff card (50 x 60mm) in the usual condition of these unusual proofs. This die produced Punch 206 which was used for the Judicature Fee set of 1876 (excluding the 15/- of five years later using Punch 248), a cleared die proof of this head is included, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "May. 8, 1876", insignificant rub line, otherwise fine. (2 items). Photo. See *Die Proofs of De La Rue (1)—Proofs on buff card by Peter Young FRPSL, GB Journal volume 54, number 1.* **£250-£300**

- 706 P **1888 Original Head Die No. 247**, with horizontal lines in the ribbon at the back of the neck, in black with uncleared circular surround, on buff card (98 x 67mm), endorsed "4/- Unappd/Key/P247" in red and dated "14 AUG 88". Usual condition for these unusual proofs.. Photo. See *Die Proofs of De La Rue (1)—Proofs on buff card by Peter Young FRPSL, GB Journal volume 54, number 1.* **£200-£250**

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- 707 C P 1888 sheet (205 x 245mm) with embossed Royal Coat of Arms at top, struck with undated embossed 1d. pink and 1½d. brown, 2d. pale blue and 2½d. deep lake, each dated 4.12.88., colour standards overprinted "CANCELLED/STAMP" type S4, 1½d. and 2d. crossed by light fold. **£80-£100**
- 708 P **Newspaper Wrappers:** 1880 ½d. (LW2 with vertical shading to ribbons) die proof in black on buff card (92 x 60mm, see *Die Proofs of De La Rue (1)—Proofs on buff card by Peter Young FRPSL, GB Journal volume 54, number 1*), endorsed 'Die 153', affixed to piece from working book endorsed 'For Striking Steel ½d n w. printing plate 268/from Die 153'; usual condition for these proofs. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 709 P - 1881 ½d. (LW4 with horizontal shading to ribbons) die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), uncleared, dated "28 JUN 81" in blue and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", very fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 710 P - 1882 ½d. (LW2 with vertical shading to ribbons) die proof in black on buff card (91 x 60mm, see *Die Proofs of De La Rue (1)—Proofs on buff card by Peter Young FRPSL, GB Journal volume 54, number 1*), dated "1 AUG 82" in blue, stamped "BEFORE STRIKING", initialled in pencil and further endorsed "Die used for heads" in red, usual condition for these proofs. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 711 P **Registered:** 1878 Embossed Registration 2d. die proof with blank date plugs, in black with uncleared circular surround, on glazed card cut to stamp size and mounted in sunken frame (31 x 37mm), small imperfections, also irregular shaped piece dated '16 Oct 1890' and endorsed 'Die 24' bearing six impressions of the 2d. (Huggins type R3 with 5 florets) in blue and a piece with two impressions of the 1894 2d. (R4) in grey. (3 items). **£250-£300**
- 712 P **Stamped to Order:** 1894 6d. (ES26) without date plugs colour trial in green on laid paper, superb. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 713 P - 1894 6d. (ES26) without date plugs colour trial in carmine on laid paper, superb. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 714 P - 1894 6d. (ES26) without date plugs colour trial in violet on laid paper, superb. Photo. **£200-£250**



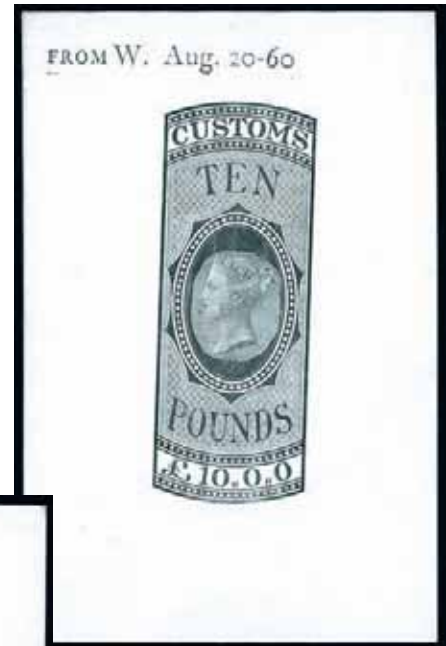
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- 715 E **Bill or Note:** 1893 De La Rue artist's hand painted unadopted £2 essay in pink black and Chinese white with embossed Britannia head, on card (68 x 88mm), dated 'July 21st 93', initialled 'JP' (J. Peacock) and further dated '21.7.93', central positioning pinholes as usual, most attractive. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 716 C P **Companies Registration:** 1881 watermark anchor 6d., 1s., 5s. and £1 top marginal perforated colour standards overprinted "CANCELLED", type 18 (5s.) or 14 (others), each endorsed '56 Set' in margin and with manuscript dates between Sept. 1889 and Sept. 1900, £1 with perfs. a little trimmed at right, otherwise very fine and fresh with gum. (4). Photo. **£300-£400**
- 717 E S **Consular Service:** 1885 essays for overprints in colour, 1d. on 1d. to £5 on £5 set overprinted "SPECIMEN" types 9 (1d to 10s.) and 11 (£1 to £5), some slight toning, otherwise mainly fine with gum. (14). Photo. **£120-£150**
- 718 E S - 1886 essays for surcharges for use in China and Japan, 8d. lilac imperforate left marginal horizontal strip of six on gummed watermarked paper, each stamp surcharged "SEVENTY-FIVE/CENTS" in different types in carmine, 3rd stamp with vertical crease and last stamp just touched at right, otherwise fine (unmounted). Rare. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 719 P **Customs:** 1860 surface printed 1d. die proof using Joubert's head of 1853, in black, margins around the proof partly cleared and with uncleared circular surround showing engravers marks indicating further finishing required, on glazed card (93 x 60mm) dated '1/6/60', mounting residue on reverse, otherwise very fine and rare, a most attractive proof. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 720 P - 1860 surface printed £10 die proof using Joubert's head of 1853, in black on glazed card (60 x 93mm) stamped "FROM W. Aug. 20-60" very fine and rare, a most attractive proof. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 721 E **General Duty:** 1882 De La Rue artist's hand painted unadopted £5 essay in pink black and red with embossed Britannia head, incorporating "10.11.82" date, on card (37 x 39mm), dated '22•DEC•82' and with central positioning pinhole as usual, most attractive. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 722 E - 1882 De La Rue artist's hand painted unadopted £200 essay in pink black and red with embossed Britannia head, incorporating "10.11.82" date, on card (40 x 45mm), dated '21•NOV•82' and with central positioning pinhole as usual, most attractive. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 723 E P **Land Transfer/Land Registry:** A magnificent group of ten preliminary drawings by De La Rue staff artists for five values, being two of each 4d., 6d., 3s., £1 and £5, the first of each having been examined and corrected by two different hands before being returned to the artists for the second series, suitable for submission to the Board. *The proposal for stamps for Land Transfer in 1874 using Head punch No. 27 did not materialise, and was changed to Land Registry in 1880. The plan was abandoned in 1881.* Photo. **£2,500-£3,000**
- 724 E S **Transfer Duty:** 1888 essays, 3d. on 1d. lilac and 2/- on 2s. lilac, five imperforate examples of each on gummed watermarked paper, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, overprinted with essays for the overprints in five different colours, one 3d with small thin and crease, otherwise very fine and rare. *Only three sets were produced, being submitted on October 12th 1888 for the 1889 issue.* (10). Photo. **£250-£300**

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- 725 P **Unappropriated:** 1884 4d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 61mm), dated “22FEB84”, stamped “AFTER STRIKING” and initialled, also a colour standard imperforate top marginal block of six (3 x 2) in lilac overprinted “CANCELLED”, type 18, on gummed paper (unmounted) watermarked orb, endorsed “Aug 1899/120 Set” in margin, very fine. **£100-£120**
- 726 P - 1894 £10, cut down die proof in black on glazed card, a vertical lower left corner marginal strip of four imperforate plate proofs in black on cream card, an imperforate colour standard overprinted “CANCELLED”, type 14 and an imprimatur overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9 on gummed paper watermarked Orbs, mainly fine. Also 1894 Estate Duty £10 (creased) overprinted “CANCELLED”, type 14.. *The strip of plate proofs is unusual in that while one or two units have been cut from most of the hundreds of these proof sheets in the British Library, only two other sheets have had multiples of this size taken, one of these (1881 1d. lilac), is now in the BPMA.* Photo on page 106. **£300-£400**

1840 One Penny Black

- 727 ☒ 1d. black accumulation (12 items) on entires or fronts, some with certificates incl. red Leeds Maltese Cross (R.P.S. certificate), red Settle Maltese Cross (Brandon certificate), also with Mulreadys (5), 1840 2d. (5 items), 1841 1d. (26) and later items, some certified incl. 1840 2d. strip of three on piece with Leeds Maltese Crosses (Brandon certificate), 1d. reds on covers with numerals in green, yellow-olive, brown, etc., very mixed condition with some doubtful items, interesting lot. Sold ‘as is’ **£2,000-£3,000**
- 728 ☒ 1d. black collection of covers, fronts and pieces incl. 1840 (Oct. 1) entire bearing plate 3 MK tied by deep red Maltese Crosses of Wantage, 1840 (Nov. 30) entire with plate 5 LL-ML vertical pair affixed (not tied), 1841 (Feb. 3) entire to London bearing plate 2 IB tied by (oxidised) vermilion Maltese Cross of Brighton, 1841 (Apr. 8) wrapper to Modbury bearing plate 11 KA cancelled by Plymouth (ordinary) Maltese Cross, 1841 (May 31) redirected cover bearing plate 5 FK, cancelled by black Maltese Cross and additional manuscript pen cancellation in red, also 1840 2d. blue, heavily repaired affixed to a front, mixed condition. (14) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 729 ☒ 1d. black plate 1b AG used on 1841 (Jan. 7) cover used within Dunfermline, KB used on 1840 (Dec. 24) cover from Glasgow to Inverness, LF used on 1840 (July 31) cover from Forfar to Kirriemuir, plate 6 BG used on 1840 (Aug. 1) cover from Whithorn to Wigtown, NA used on 1840 (Sept. 21) cover from London to Lanarkshire, plate 8 HI used on 1841 (Feb. 6) cover from Ayr to Maybole, readdressed to London, NE used on 1841 (Mar. 1) cover from Edinburgh to Glasgow, fair to fine. **£500-£600**
- 730 ☒ 1d. black plate 1b QJ used on 1840 (Nov. 2) cover from Cockermonth to Carlisle, TA used on 1840 (Sept. 21) cover (address cut out) from Romford to London with black experimental Maltese Cross, plate 3 LK used on 1840 (Sept. 18) from Windsor to Tunbridge, NJ used on 1840 (July 22) cover from Hemel Hempstead to Kettering, plate 5 QH used on 1841 (Jan. 6) cover from Cookstown to Dublin with “LATE MAIL” in red, unplated IG used on 1841 (Feb. 8) entire from London to Petworth, poor to good. **£400-£500**
- 731 ○ 1d. black plates 1a to 10 used selection of 24 examples on leaves incl. plates 1a and 1b AG matched pair, plate 8 IC (three margins), cancelled by black Maltese Cross with small “1” in the centre, plate 10 SF with four margins matched with 1d. red, etc., mixed condition. **£800-£1,000**
- 732 ○ 1d. black plates 1a JK, 1b FB, 2 DI, 4 DE, MB, 5 GJ, 6 II, SF, 7 FD, 8 HG, 9 DC, most with full margins, fair to fine. **£500-£600**
- 733 ○ 1d. black plates 1b PH, 2 PH (2), 5 PH, 6 PH, 8 CE and 7 PJ, each with four margins, mainly good to fine used with Maltese Crosses. (7) **£400-£500**
- 734 ○ 1d. black plate 2 EF, QB, 3 BK, EC, RA (2), RC, SG, 4 PB, TD, 6 PC, cancelled with red Maltese Crosses, and 6 RD, SA, SD, 8 RB, 10 QC with black Maltese Crosses, each with four margins, slightly mixed condition. (16) **£1,200-£1,500**
- 735 ☒ 1d. black plate 2 CA used on 1841 (March 20) cover from Shrewsbury to Edinburgh, plate 6 DA used on 1841 (Feb. 19) cover from Dumfries to Edinburgh, RE used on 1840 (Oct. 2) cover from Greenock to Glasgow, plate 7 LC used on 1841 (Jan. 10) cover from Glasgow to Greenock, plate 8 LH used on 1841 (May 24) cover from Dunbar to Edinburgh, poor to good. **£300-£350**

- 736 ☒ 1d. black plate 2 FE used on 1840 (Nov. 5) cover locally in Chipping Norton, plate 5 LJ used on 1840 (Sept. 22) printed circular with “ANTI OPIUM” label on reverse, plate 6 GK used on 1840 (Dec. 29) cover from Warwick to Henley in Arden, plate 7 ML used on 1841 (Jan. 23) cover from Retford to Sheffield, plate 8 SD used on 1840 (July 3) cover from London to Liverpool, unplated DD used on 1841 (Jan. 15) cover from London to Petworth, poor to good. **£400-£500**
- 737 ☒ 1d. black plate 2 JB used on 1840 (Nov. 9) printed advert from Glasgow shipping brokers regarding the sailing brig *Lyra* inside, used to Greenock, MA used on 1840 (Nov. 12) cover from Edinburgh to Dundee, plate 3 SB used on 1840 (June 22) from Dundee to Cupar, plate 5 EK used on 1840 (Nov. 8) cover from Lasswade to Edinburgh, plate 7 KJ used on 1841 (Jan. 22) cover from Huntly to Banff, plate 8 DK used on 1840 (Dec. 28) cover Glasgow to Paisley, all with red Maltese Cross, fair to fine. **£400-£500**
- 738 ○ 1d. black plates 2 KE, 4 DB, DF, 5 HE, 7 CA, with double letters, also plate 4 SD with re-entry, each with four margins and used with red Maltese Cross, mainly good to fine (6) **£400-£500**
- 739 ☒ 1d. black plate 2 MI used on 1840 (Oct. 31) cover used within Edinburgh, plate 4 ML used on 1840 (Dec. 8) cover from Greenock to Glasgow, OC used on 1840 (Nov. 9) cover from Turriff to Aberdeen, QF used on 1840 (July 21) cover from Perth to Crieff, plate 6 GK used on 1840 (Nov 11) cover from Edinburgh to Aberdeen, NB used on 1840 (Sept. 2) cover from Edinburgh to Dunse, plate 7 FG used on 1840 (Feb. 11) cover from Melrose to Abbotsmeadon, all with red Maltese Crosses, fair to fine. **£400-£500**
- 740 ☒ 1d. black plate 5 IA on 1840 (Sept. 1) cover from Bridlington to Beverley, ML with close to good margins all round (small tar at top), used on 1840 (July 20th) entire from Stirling to Edinburgh, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, also plate 7 LI with small to good margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Dec. 7) entire from Montrose to Aberdeen, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, soiled. S.G. Spec. AS25, AS44. **£180-£200**
- 741 ☒ 1d. black plate 8 NB with small to large margins all round, fine used on 1841 (Mar. 3) cover locally used in Edinburgh, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross, also plate 10 LD with close to good margins all round (corner just shaved at lower right), used on 1841 (Mar. 26) entire from Brighton to Petworth, cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46, AS66200. **£140-£160**
- 742 1d. black all lettered DE with plate 1a one used on 1840 (May 13) cover tied by red Maltese Cross (twice) with “London Colney/Penny Post” at left, single with matching 1d. red-brown, 1b one used on 1840 (July 15) cover, one used on 1841 (June 27) entire, and matching 1d. red-brown used on 1841 (July 11) envelope, fair to fine. **£800-£1,000**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 1a

- 743 ☒ 1d. **intense black** AI, fine used with small to very large even margins, neatly cancelled by complete red Maltese Cross, affixed to 1840 (May 9) wrapper to Edinburgh, a fine cover from the first week of issue. S.G. Spec. AS1. Photo on page 110. **£300-£400**
- 744 ○ 1d. **grey-black** BG, fine used with good to very large margins, neatly cancelled with red Maltese Cross, trivial corner bend at lower left, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo on page 110. **£100-£150**
- 745 ☒ 1d. **black** FC and FD (severed pair) used on 1840 (June 6) cover from Edinburgh to London, FC touched at top-left, tied by red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS1. Photo on page 110. **£200-£250**
- 746 ☒ 1d. **grey-black** FK (moderate wear), fine used with good even margins, tied to 1840 (May 25) entire to Alfreton by red Maltese Cross, a neat cover. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo on page 110. **£180-£200**
- 747 ○ 1d. **grey-black** GC, fine used with good even margins, cancelled by neat brown-orange Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo on page 110. **£150-£200**
- 748 ○ 1d. **intense black** IH, very fine used, with small to large margins, cancelled by neat dull claret shade Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS1. Photo on page 110. **£250-£300**
- 749 ○ 1d. **grey-black** IK, MH, OL, PL and TH, each with close to good margins, used with Maltese Crosses, slightly mixed. S.G. Spec. AS2. **£300-£350**
- 750 ○ 1d. **grey-black** KA, small to large margins, used with near complete red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo on page 110. **£150-£200**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 1a continued



- 751 ☒ **1d. grey-black 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. **£100-£150**
- 752 ○ **1d. grey-black LL**, very fine used, with large even margins, tied to small piece by red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 753 ○ **1d. grey-black MH**, fine used with small to good margins, cancelled by red (ruby shade) Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 754 ○ **1d. intense-black MK**, fine used, with small to large margins, cancelled by neat black Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS1. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 755 ○ **1d. grey-black (very worn) NA** with small to large even margins, used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS3. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 756 ○ **1d. grey-black (worn) OC**, used with clear to good margins, showing an almost complete strike of the watery brown Maltese Cross of Glasgow, fine. Mike Jackson opinion (2014). S.G. Spec. AS2vi. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 757 ○ **1d. intense black PC**, very fine used, with good to large margins, cancelled by neat red Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS1. Photo. **£150-£180**



- 758 ○ **1d. grey-black** PI-PK, fine used strip of three with small to good margins, cancelled by neat red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS2. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 759 ○ **1d. grey-black (extremely worn)** RD, good to large margins with part adjoining impression at right, used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS3. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 760 ○ **1d. grey-black** RL, used with good to very large margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross, light vertical bend through marginal watermark line at right, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS2f, cat. £1,100. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 761 ○ **1d. intense black** TD, good to large margins, used with near complete black Maltese Cross, fine. Brandon certificate (1996). S.G. Spec AS1f. Photo. **£400-£500**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 1b

- 762 ○ **1d. black** AD, close to good margins with part inscription at top, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 763 ○ **1d. black** CC, small to good margins, used with distinctive Wotton-under-Edge red Maltese Cross, fine. Brandon Certificate (2003). S.G. Spec. AS4ud. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 764 ○ **1d. intense black** CD (double "D"), very fine used with good to very large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS4f. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 765 ○ **1d. black** CG, ID, MI, OB, and QD, each with four margins and used with red Maltese Cross, mainly fine. (5) **£350-£400**
- 766 ☒ **1d. black** DB with small to large margins, fine used on 1840 (Nov. 30) entire from Evesham to Tewkesbury, cancelled red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 767 ○ **1d. black** EJ with matched 1d. red-brown, both with small to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 768 ○ **1d. black** EK (twisted re-entry) with matched 1d. red-brown, both with small to large margins, 1d. red-brown has slight corner crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS5, d. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 769 ☒ **1d. black** EL with small to large margins, fine used on 1841 (Mar. 26) cover from Cupar Fife to Edinburgh, cancelled black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 112. **£120-£140**

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- 770 ○ **1d. black FH** (re-cut sideline and corners), very fine used, with enormous margins, neatly cancelled by light red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5h/i. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 771 ○ **1d. black FK** on piece with matched 1d. red-brown, both with small to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 772 ○ **1d. black FM**, four large margins, used with complete black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 773 ○ **1d. intense black HB** (original re-entry), fine used with clear to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross leaving the re-entry clear. S.G. Spec. AS4a, cat. £500. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 774 ○ **1d. intense black HD** (original re-entry), very fine used with clear to large margins, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross leaving profile and re-entry clear. S.G. Spec. AS4a, cat. £500. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 775 ○ **1d. black HG** with matched 1d. red-brown, both with small to large margins. 1d. red-brown with slight crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 776 ○ **1d. black HK**, OA and SL, each with four close to large margins, good to fine used with Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 777 ☒ **1d. black IC** with small to large margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Oct. 23) entire from Dundee to Arbroath, cancelled red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 778 ○ **1d. black ID** (re-entry), fine used with large even margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5b. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 779 ○ **1d. black IE**, very fine used, with ample to large margins, neatly cancelled by dark red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£100-£120**

- 780 ☒ **1d. black IH** with small to large margins, fine used on 1841 (Jan. 23) large part cover locally used in Beverley, cancelled red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£90-£100**
- 781 ○ **1d. black IL** (re-entry), fine used with good to enormous margins displaying portion of adjoining impression at top, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5c. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 782 ○ **1d. black KA**, close to large margins with part inscription at left, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£200-£250**



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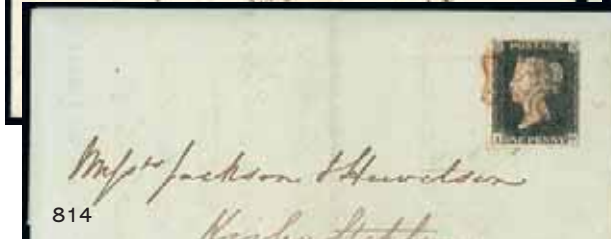
- 783 ○ **1d. black LG**, with watermark inverted, fine used with good to large margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5l, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 784 ○ **1d. black MK**, used with small to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 785 ○ **1d. black NG**, used with small to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 786 ○ **1d. black NK**, fine used with close to large margins, neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 787 ○ **1d. black OI-OK** strip of three, used with black Maltese Crosses, faults incl. added margin. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£150-£200**
- 788 ○ **1d. black PD** (partial recut sideline), very fine used with good to large margins, neatly cancelled by complete red Maltese Cross, a choice example. S.G. Spec. AS5h. Photo on page 114. **£100-£120**
- 789 ○ **1d. black QG**, with watermark inverted, a good used example with small margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5l. Photo on page 114. **£200-£250**
- 790 ○ **1d. black QJ**, good to large margins, fine used with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£120-£150**
- 791 ○ **1d. black QL**, fine used with small to large margins, neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£120-£150**
- 792 ☒ **1d. black QL** with small to large margins, fine used on 1840 (Sept. 10th) entire from Fettercairn to Montrose, cancelled red Maltese Cross, filing crease. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£100-£120**
- 793 ○ **1d. black RA**, very fine used, with enormous margins, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£250-£300**
- 794 ○ **1d. black RE**, small to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£120-£150**
- 795 ☒ **1d. black RI**, just cut into at right, otherwise with small to very large margins, neatly tied to embossed valentines envelope by red Maltese Cross, with "Hackney PP" straight line receiving mark alongside. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£100-£150**
- 796 ☒ **1d. black SB** with small to good margins, fine used on 1840 (Dec. 19) cover from Gloucester to Thornbury, cancelled red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£120-£140**
- 797 ○ **1d. black TD** on piece with matched 1d. red-brown, 1d. black with good to large margins, other with small to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£180-£200**
- 798 ○ **1d. black TE** with matched 1d. red-brown, both with small to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo on page 114. **£150-£200**



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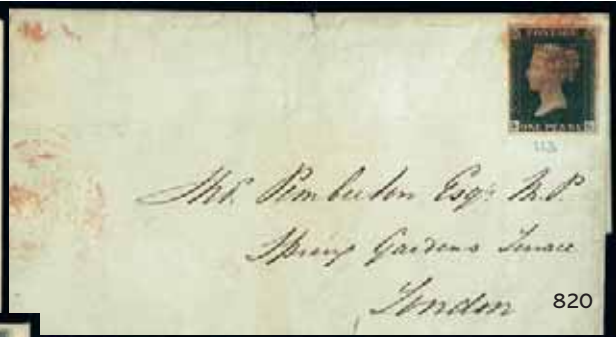
- 799 ○ **1d. black** TF with matched 1d. red-brown, both with good to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 800 ○ **1d. black** TG, close to good margins with part inscription at base, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS5. Photo. **£200-£250**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 2

- 801 ○ **1d. grey-black** AA fine used with good to large margins and with a light strike of the so-called 'white' (with a pink tinge) Maltese Cross usually associated with Cirencester. Sold on its merits. S.G. Spec. AS16. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 802 ○ **1d. grey-black** AA, BD, BH, DL, KA, and ND, each with four margins and used with Maltese Cross, slightly mixed, also LD with four margins apparently used with yellow Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. **£400-£500**
- 803 ○ **1d. grey-black** AL, four small to large margins, used with neat red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 804 ○ **1d. black** AL, fine used with small to very large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. Ex. Moon. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 805 ▲ **1d. grey-black** CB and JF, both with small to good margins and used on separate pieces with neat red Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 806 ○ **1d. black** CF, fine used with small to large margins, neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 807 ☒ **1d. black** CK and EH used on 1840 (Dec. 14 and 18) covers from the same correspondence from Ardrossan to Edinburgh, both cancelled by very watery red Maltese Crosses, resembling 'blobs', most probably due to very watery ink. **£150-£200**
- 808 ☒ **1d. black** CL, fine used with good to enormous margins, tied to 1840 (June 1) entire from Liverpool to Ireland, lightly cancelled pale orange-red Maltese Cross, with Liverpool double arc datestamp in same colour on flap, filing folds clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 809 ☒ **1d. black** EA with good to large margins, used on 1840 (June 7) entire from Leominster to Bewdley, cancelled red Maltese Cross, cover with filing fold. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 810 ○ **1d. black** EG on bleuté, very fine used, with good even margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS14. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 811 ☒ **1d. black** EL with small to good margins, used on 1840 (June 4) entire from Chester to London, cancelled red Maltese Cross, cover with filing fold. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 812 ○ **1d. black** GB-GC pair, good even margins, GC with shifted transfer at base, used with red Maltese Crosses, one stamp with vertical crease, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 813 ☒ **1d. black** HF with good to large margins, fine used on 1840 (Oct. 8) cover from Mauchline to Ayr, cancelled red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 814 ☒ **1d. black** IG, fine used with small to large margins, tied to 1840 (May 15) wrapper from Stockton to Kirby Stephen by red-brown Maltese Cross which appears to be double lined, with "STOCKTON" double arc datestamp on flap, central filing fold well clear of adhesive, an attractive cover from the second week of issue. S.G. Spec. AS14. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 815 ○ **1d. black** II, four small even margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 816 ○ **1d. black** KC, four close to good margins, used with grey blue Maltese Cross, bent corner, otherwise fine. B.P.A. certificate (1969). S.G. Spec. AS15vc. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 817 ☒ **1d. black** KD, fine used with good margins, tied to 1840 (Nov. 17) entire by a strike of red Maltese Cross of Leeds which appears to be of the type noted by Rockoff and Jackson (vol 1 pages 152-154) between September 8th 1840 and January 31st 1841 but is not sufficiently clear to be categoric, "LEEDS" double arc datestamp on flap, filing folds well clear. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 818 ○ **1d. black** KJ with matched 1d. red-brown, both with good to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 819 ○ **1d. grey-black** LB-MB vertical pair, four small to good margins, used with red Maltese Crosses, tiny cut in upper left margin, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 820 ☒ **1d. black** LL, four small to margins, used on 1840 (Dec. 21) entire to Mr Pembleton M.P., Spring Gardens Terrace, London, with indistinct red cancellation. Thomas Pembleton, 1st Baron Kingsdown, sat as an M.P. twice, once from 1831-32 and then from 1835-43. Also 1948 Silver Wedding used on plain f.d.c's and two other items. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 821 ☒ **1d. black** LL, small to good margins, used with Maltese Cross in red and "CHARING CROSS" in black on cover, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 822 ○ **1d. black** NK, used with c.d.s. in black without Maltese Cross, extensively repaired, S.G. 2j, Spec. AS15xa. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 823 ☒ **1d. black** LL, with mainly good to large margins (just cut into at right), tied to 1840 (May 26) wrapper to Manchester by clear strike of the Liverpool orange Maltese Cross, with Liverpool double arc c.d.s. on flap. S.G. AS15. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 824 ○ **1d. black** PG, with small to very large margins displaying a trace of adjoining impression at lower left, used with clear and near complete "PyP/No. 15" of Handsworth in blue and red Maltese Cross, tiny thin at top, a superb example of the combination of cancellations. S.G. Spec. AS15yc, cat. £3,500. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 825 ○ **1d. black** PG on bleuté, very fine used, with close to large margins, cancelled by near complete upright strike of vibrant red Maltese Cross, superb appearance. S.G. AS14. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 826 ○ **1d. black** QA, close to large margins, used with black fishtail Maltese Cross of Manchester, fine. R.P.S. Certificate (1998). S.G. Spec. AS15ub. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 827 ○ **1d. black** QD, small to large margins, used with red double lined Maltese Cross (possibly of Stonehaven), fine. P.T.S. Certificate (2012). S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 828 ○ **1d. black** RD, four small to good margins, used with violet shade Maltese Cross, fine. Brandon certificate (2001) states 'maroon Maltese Cross'. S.G. Spec. AS15vd. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 829 ○ **1d. grey-black** SC, four small to large margins, used with neat red Maltese Cross on piece, with "TOO-LATE" handstamp alongside, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 830 ○ **1d. black** SF with matched 1d. red, both with four small margins and used with Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 831 ○ **1d. grey-black** TB, with small to large margins with part imprint at base, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS15. Photo. **£120-£150**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 3

- 832 ○ **1d. black** FE (on piece with Penrith c.d.s. alongside), OC, TB, TF and TL, each with four margins, used with Maltese Crosses, good to fine, also a cleaned TA. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo on page 116. **£400-£500**
- 833 ☒ **1d. black** GK, close to good margins, used on 1840 (Sept. 25) cover from Lewes to Cuckfield, tied by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo on page 116. **£120-£140**
- 834 ○ **1d. black** GL, small to large margins with inscription at right, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1998). S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo on page 116. **£200-£250**
- 835 ☒ **1d. black** HJ with small to good margins all round, fine used on 1840 (June 24th) cover from Exeter to London, tied by red Maltese Cross, cover with filing fold, also OJ with good to large margins, tied to 1841 (July 9th) entire letter to Devonport by black Maltese Cross, re-addressed to Plymouth with manuscript "1", horizontal filing fold well clear of adhesive, late use of plate 3. S.G. Spec. AS21. **£150-£200**
- 836 ○ **1d. black** LL, very fine used, with good to large margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS20. Photo on page 116. **£120-£150**
- 837 ○ **1d. black** NI, four good to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo on page 116. **£120-£150**
- 838 ○ **1d. black** OA, small to large margins all round, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo on page 116. **£120-£150**
- 839 ○ **1d. grey-black (worn)** OE, four small margins, used with neat black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS21. Photo on page 116. **£120-£150**



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- 840 ○ **1d. black** QA-QC strip of three, close to large margins, used with red Maltese Crosses, some creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 841 ○ **1d. black** QD, used with good even margins all round, red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 842 ☒ **1d. black** 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. **£140-£160**
- 843 ☒ **1d. black** TD, close to good margins, used on 1840 (June 8) entire letter to Norfolk with red Maltese Cross, Norwich c.d.s. on reverse, fine. S.G. Spec. AS20. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 844 ☒ **1d. black** AE with good margins all round, fine used on 1840 (July 20th) entire from Tewkesbury to Bromsgrove, tied by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 845 ○ **1d. black** CA and SC used with red Maltese Cross, and ML right marginal example used with indistinct cancellation, each with four mainly small margins, good to fine. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 846 ○ **1d. black** EH, small margins, used first with indistinct red Maltese Cross, then with black concentric rings applied at a later date with additional black ink on surface. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£400-£500**



- 847 ☒ **1d. black** FB-FE strip of four used on 1840 (Sept. 18) entire, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, with boxed "BRECHIN" datestamp at lower left, cut into along top and with a few small peripheral tears, however still an attractive franking and a good example of the 4d. rate. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 848 ○ **1d. black** HB, fine used with small to large margins, neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 849 ○ **1d. black** HL, very fine used, with good to large margins, cancelled by orange-red Maltese Cross, leaving profile clear. S.G. AS23. Photo on page 120. **£120-£150**
- 850 ○ **1d. black** IG, good to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1998). S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo on page 120. **£180-£200**
- 851 ☒ **1d. black** LA with close to large margins all round, fine used on 1840 (June 30th) entire from Gloucester to Cheltenham, cancelled by neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo on page 120. **£12-£150**
- 852 ○ **1d. black** ND, fine used with ample to large margins, lightly cancelled by pale red Maltese Crosses, in presentation folder. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo on page 120. **£100-£120**
- 853 ○ **1d. black** NI, close to good margins, used with red Maltese Cross and part of "TOO LATE" handstamp, fine. Brandon certificate (1978). S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo on page 120. **£150-£200**
- 854 ☒ **1d. black** NK with close to large margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Dec 20) entire from Sawbridgeworth to London, tied by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo on page 120. **£100-£120**



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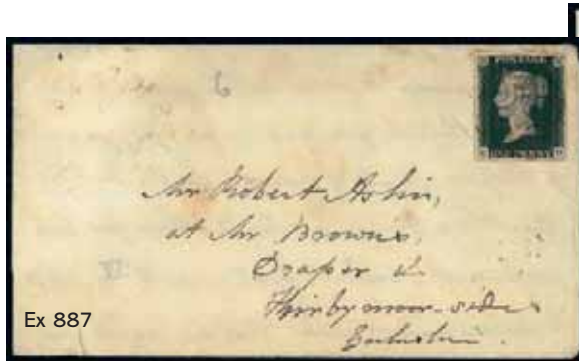
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1840 One Penny Black Plate 4 continued

- 855 ○ **1d. black** OA, good to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS23.. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 856 ☒ **1d. black** OJ with good even margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Sept. 25th) entire from Maldon to London, cancelled by bright red Maltese Cross, attractive. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 857 ○ **1d. black** PB, small to good margins, used with complete black Manchester Maltese Cross, horizontal crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS23ub. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 858 ○ **1d. black** QA, good to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2001). S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 859 ○ **1d. black** QE, small to good margins, used with part indistinct English 1844-type numeral, fine. S.G. Spec. AS23za. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 860 ○ **1d. black** QI, small to large margins, used with near complete black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 861 ○ **1d. black** TG, close at top left otherwise good margins, used with neat part Maltese Cross in an attractive crimson shade leaving profile clear, pressed horizontal crease, fine appearance. S.G. Spec. AS23. Photo. **£70-£80**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 5

- 862 ○ **1d. black** AF, BC, DI, DJ and LK, each with four margins and used with Maltese Crosses, mainly good to fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 863 ○ **1d. intense black** AJ, good to large margins, used with near complete black Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2001). S.G. Spec. AS24. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 864 ☒ **1d. black** BC, touched at top, otherwise close to good margins, used on 1840 (Sept. 21) cover to London.S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo **£80-£100**
- 865 ○ **1d. black** BD, small even margins, used with red Maltese Cross in an orange shade, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 866 ○ **1d. grey-black** CC state 2, small margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS27. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 867 ▲ **1d. black** DJ, superb used example on small piece, with good even margins, neatly cancelled by complete upright red Maltese Cross, a beautiful exhibition quality example. S.G. Spec. AS24. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 868 ○ **1d. black** FF with matched 1d. red-brown, both with good to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 869 ○ **1d. black** FI with matched 1d. red-brown, both with good to large margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 870 ☒ **1d. black** IH with good margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Oct. 25th) envelope from Ryde to London, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, few cover faults. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£120-£140**
- 871 ○ **1d. black** IJ, small to large margins, used with Maltese Cross in an orange shade, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 872 ○ **1d. black** LL, small to large margins, used with black 1844-type cancellation, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1987). S.G. Spec. AS25za. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 873 ○ **1d. black** NK, close to small even margins (just touched upper left corner), used with Plymouth Maltese Cross in black, small rub at upper left corner, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS25uc. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 874 ○ **1d. black** NK, small even margins, used with Maltese Cross in a ruby shade, fine. Mike Jackson opinion (2014). S.G. Spec. AS25c. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 875 ○ **1d. black** OD, small to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£150-£200**



1840 One Penny Black Plate 5 continued

- 876 ☒ **1d. black** OK with small to very large margins all round, fine used on 1841 (Feb. 5th) cover from Howden to Bawtry, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, RD with small to good margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Nov. 16th) entire from Gloucester to Pontypool, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, filing fold, **£180-£200**
- 877 ○ **1d. black** PA, used with good even margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo on page 120. **£100-£120**
- 878 ○ **1d. black** PE, used with small to large margins and part of adjoining stamp at left, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo on page 120. **£120-£150**
- 879 ○ **1d. black** RF-RG pair, close to small margins, used with light red Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 880 ☆ **1d. black** SG unused, cut into at top, otherwise small to good margins, apparently unused, also 1841 1d. unused (2), mixed condition. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 881 ○ **1d. black** SL, small to large margins all round, neat red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS25. Photo. **£140-£160**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 6

- 882 ○ **1d. intense black** AB, fine used, with good to very large margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross, leaving profile clear. S.G. AS40. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 883 ☒ **1d. black** AH-BH pair used on 1840 (Aug. 22) O.H.M.S. cover from the Sheriff Clerk at Fort William to Edinburgh, tied by red-brown Maltese Crosses, RJ-RK pair used on 1840 (Oct. 6) cover from Edinburgh to Pitenweem, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, two touched or cut into. **£250-£300**
- 884 ○ **1d. black** BF used with red Maltese Cross, DH used on piece with red Maltese Cross St Neots c.d.s. alongside, GA used with red Maltese Cross (tiny part inscription at left), and NI used with 'pinkish white' Maltese Cross, each with four margins, mainly good to fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 885 ○ **1d. black** BG, good to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 886 ○ **1d. black** CA, good to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross in an orange shade, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 887 ☒ **1d. black** CD with good to large margins on 1841 (Aug. 20) entire from Hornsea via Hull to York, FJ with small to large margins on 1841 (Feb. 11) envelope from Leeds to Sheffield, KI with small to large margins on 1841 (Sept. 9) cover from Ilkley via Otley to London, good to fine. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 888 ○ **1d. black** CK-CL pair, small margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 889 ○ **1d. black** EA, fine used with small to enormous margins, neat black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 890 ○ **1d. black** FC, very fine used with ample to large margins, lightly cancelled by upright central red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Ex. Moon. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 891 ☒ **1d. black** KL, small to good margins, used on 1840 (Jan. 4) entire to Lincoln with red Maltese Cross, with boxed "Peter-/borough/Penny Post" handstamp in red and boxed "No. 5" in black alongside, Peterborough c.d.s. on reverse, filing fold clear of adhesive, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 892 ☒ **1d. black** 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. **£140-£160**
- 893 ☒ **1d. black** JF with close to large margins all round, fine used on 1840 (Oct. 25) entire from Hawkhurst via Lamberhurst to Battle, cancelled by red Maltese Cross and QC with close to large margins all round, fine used on 1841 (Mar. 20) cover from Carmarthen to London, cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. **£150-£180**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 6 continued



- 894 ○ **1d. black** KA-KD strip of four, close to small margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 895 ☒ **1d. black** KG, small to good margins, used on 1840 (Sep. 23) entire to Norfolk with red Maltese Cross, Fakenham c.d.s. on reverse. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo on page 122. **£200-£250**
- 896 ○ **1d. black** LD, small to good margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2005). S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo on page 122. **£180-£200**
- 897 ▲ **1d. black** LD, very fine used with close to very large margins, tied to small piece by upright red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo on page 122. **£120-£150**
- 898 ○ **1d. intense black** LJ, fine used, with close to full margins, displaying a portion of the adjoining impression at right, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS40. Photo on page 122. **£100-£120**
- 899 ☒ **1d. black** LL, with small to large margins, tied to 1840 (Oct. 12) entire to Warwick by indistinct orange Maltese Cross, with Liverpool double arc c.d.s. in the same colour on the flap, with black inspector's star mark on reverse. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo on page 122. **£150-£200**
- 900 ○ **1d. black** MF-MG pair, used with clear to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, peripheral imperfections, otherwise of fine appearance. S.G. Spec. AS41c. Photo on page 122. **£150-£200**



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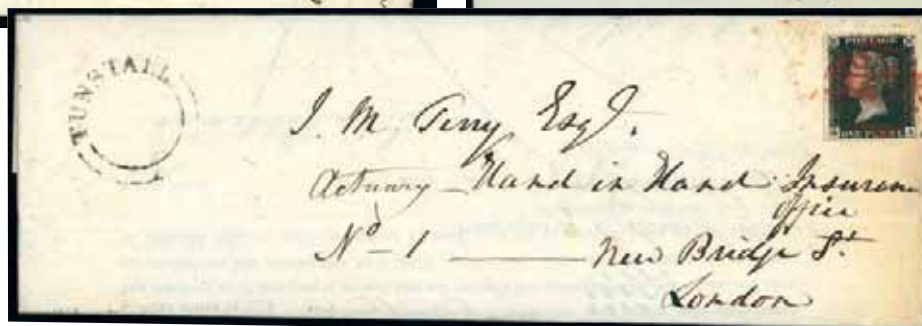
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- 901 ☒ **1d. black** NL with small to very large margins, affixed upside down and tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (Oct. 1) entire to Doncaster, filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 902 ○ **1d. intense black** OI, small margins, used with neat red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS40. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 903 ☒ **1d. intense black** QA, fine used with ample to very large margins tied by red Maltese Cross to 1840 (Nov. 18) entire "Hand-in-Hand Fire and Life Insurance Society" proposal form, with "TUNSTALL" undated twin arc handstamp at left, filing fold well clear of adhesive, an attractive and interesting usage. S.G. Spec. AS40. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 904 ○ **1d. black** QD, used with good to very large margins, showing portion of adjoining stamp at top, heavily cancelled by almost complete red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£200-£220**
- 905 ☒ **1d. intense black** QI, used, with close to good margins (a little ragged at right), tied to 1840 (Nov. 7) cover to Wem, Shropshire, by orange-red Maltese Cross, light pressed filing fold barely affecting the adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS40. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 906 ○ **1d. black** RE, good margins all round, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 907 ○ **1d. black** RG, good margins, cancelled by slightly heavy red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. AS41. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 908 ○ **1d. intense black** RH, very fine used, with good to very large margins, neatly cancelled by central red Maltese Cross. R.P.S. certificate (1998). S.G. AS40. Photo. **£120-£150**



- 909 ○ **1d. black** SJ, neatly cancelled by near complete blue Maltese cross, with good even margins, slight imperfections at left of lower margin and wrinkle through "O" of "ONE", barely detracting from very fine appearance, clear Mike Jackson certificate (2017), sold with this opinion only. S.G. Spec. AS41vc, cat. **£11,000. Photo. £2,000-£2,200**
- 910 ○ **1d. black** SL, used with small to good margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec AS41. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 911 ☒ **1d. black** TG with close to good margins, fine used on 1840 (Dec. 25) envelope from Torrington to Bideford, cancelled with red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo on page 126. **£120-£150**



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- 912 ○ **1d. black** TI, good to huge margins with large part of adjoining impression at left (vertical crease down the joining margin clear of main impression), good used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS41. Photo. **£120-£150**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 7

- 913 ○ **1d. black** BC, small margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1981). S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo on page 126. **£150-£200**
- 914 ○ **1d. black** BE, LB and PE used with red Maltese Crosses, IC used on cover to Wymondham with red Maltese Cross and MJ used with black Maltese Cross, each with four margins, mainly good to fine. AS44. **£400-£500**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 7 continued



- 915 ☒ **1d. black** CC small to good margins on 1841 (Jan. 13) entire used locally in Wymondham, MC with close to good margins on 1840 (Sept. 21) cover from Pwllheli to Dudley, TA with close to good margins on 1840 (Dec. 18) entire from Kirkcaldy to Edinburgh, good to fine, with red Maltese Crosses. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 916 ☒ **1d. black** GF, fine used with ample to good margins, neatly tied to 1840 (Dec. 14) envelope to Inchtura by orange Maltese Cross, with contents, a neat and attractive envelope. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 917 ○ **1d. black** GK, small to good margins, used with complete red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2005). S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 918 ☒ **1d. black** IC-ID, with small to good margins, tied to 1840 (Oct. 10) entire to Ayr by orange Maltese Cross of Liverpool, with Liverpool double arc datestamp in same colour on reverse, pressed filing fold through IC, otherwise a fine and attractive cover. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. **£200-£250**

- 919 ☒ **1d. black** MI, close to good margins, used on 1841 cover to East Dereham with Maltese Cross in red, with neat Norwich Jan. 6 c.d.s. on reverse, fine. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 920 ○ **1d. black** NA, small to huge margins with part inscription at left, used with red Maltese Cross, crease in margin clear of impression, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 921 ○ **1d. black** RC, superb used example, with good to enormous even margins, displaying right hand portion of adjoining impression at left, neatly cancelled by complete strike of red Maltese Cross, part second strike at right, very attractive exhibition quality example. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 922 ○ **1d. black** TJ on experimental thin paper, small to good margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS44c. Photo. **£150-£200**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 8

- 923 ○ **1d. black** AD very fine used with good to very large margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 924 ○ **1d. black** AD, fine used with small to good margins, neat red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 925 ☒ **1d. black** AG, fine used with good to very enormous margins, neatly tied to 1841 (letter dated Apr. 20) wrapper to Chelmsford by black Maltese Cross, with light strike of “Tolleshurst d’Arcy/Penny Post” handstamp alongside, filing fold clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 926 ○ **1d. black** FK with matched 1d. red-brown, both with good margins. fine. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 927 ○ **1d. black** HJ-HK pair, close to good margins, used with red Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 928 ○ **1d. black** IE, MG, MX and OL, each with four margins and used with Maltese Crosses, good to fine. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 929 ☒ **1d. black** LA, fine used with clear to large margins, tied by black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Jun. 24) embossed lettersheet to Solihull, with “WARWICK” twin arc town datestamp on reverse, filing fold clear of adhesive, a neat cover. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£150-£200**



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- 930 ○ **1d. grey-black** PF (no ‘O’ flaw), exceptionally fine and most attractive with very large even margins and a superb large part strike of a black Maltese Cross, clear crisp impression, exhibition quality. S.G. Spec. AS46var. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 931 ○ **1d. black** RL right marginal example showing re-entry, small to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine, with matched 1d. red. S.G. Spec. AS46. Photo. **£200-£250**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 9

- 932 ○ **1d. black** AC, fine used with close to good margins, neatly cancelled by upright black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo on page 128. **£100-£120**
- 933 ○ **1d. black** AH (on piece) GL, MX and SI, each with four margins and used with black Maltese Crosses, good to fine. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo on page 128. **£300-£400**
- 934 ○ **1d. black** EH (re-entry), very fine used with small to very large margins, lightly cancelled by upright red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS56a. Photo on page 128. **£150-£180**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 9 continued



- 935 ☒ **1d. black EL**, fine used with close to large margins showing portion of adjoining stamp at top, on 1841 (March) entire from London to Watford, tied by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. **£140-£160**
- 936 ○ **1d. intense black FB**, small to good margins, used with neat red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 937 ○ **1d. black II**, good margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2003). S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 938 ○ **1d. black MI-MJ pair**, close to small margins, used with red Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 939 ○ **1d. black RE**, very fine used with good even margins, neatly cancelled by upright red Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS56. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 940 ○ **1d. black SE**, fine used with small to good margins, cancelled by red Maltese Cross, matched with 1841 1d. red-brown. S.G. Spec. AS56, 57. Photo. **£100-£120**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 10

- 941 ○ **1d. black BH**, small to good margins, used with central red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS66h. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 942 ○ **1d. black BL** used with red Maltese Cross, LF, OE and RB used with black Maltese Cross, the latter just touched on one side, otherwise each with four margins, good to fine. S.G. Spec. AS66. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 943 ○ **1d. black EC**, close to good margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS66. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 944 ☒ **1d. black EF**, fine used with clear to enormous margins displaying a section of the adjoining impression at left, tied to 1841 (Feb. 3) entire to Banff by light "ruby" Maltese Cross of Aberdeen, with boxed Aberdeen transit mark in black on flap, filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS66ve, Photo. **£200-£300**



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- 945 ○ 1d. **black** HB, close to good margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. AS66h. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 946 ○ 1d. **black** KG, very fine used with good to enormous margins, displaying a trace of the adjoining impression at top, cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS66. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 947 ○ 1d. **black** OF, fine used with ample to good margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, scarce. S.G. Spec. AS66h, cat. £1,500. Photo. **£250-£300**

1840 One Penny Black Plate 11



- 948 ○ 1d. **black** BL, right marginal example with small to large margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. Brandon certificate (2004). S.G. Spec. AS73. Photo. **£1,000-£1,500**
- 949 ✉ 1d. **greyish black** EC, touched at upper left, otherwise with clear to large margins, tied to 1841 (Aug. 25) entire to Hathersage by black Maltese Cross, with framed "No. 1" handstamp alongside, pressed filing fold through adhesive barely detracts from appearance. S.G. AS72. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 950 ○ 1d. **black** JI, touched at top, otherwise close to small margins, used with black Maltese Cross, corner crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. AS73. Photo. **£300-£400**



- 951 ○ 1d. **greyish black** TE, very fine used with large even margins, cancelled by black Maltese Cross, matched with fine four margined 1d. red-brown. S.G. Spec. AS72, cat. £4,500. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**

1840 Two Pence Blue Plate 1

- 952 ○ 2d. **blue** plate 1, a used group comprising AA, CF, CJ, CK, EC (3), GF, GK, HE, IA, KE, NE, MA, OA, OC, QI, RE, SE and TH, most with four margins and used with Maltese Cross, mainly good to fine. (20) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 953 ○ 2d. **blue** AL, small to huge margins with part of adjoining impression at left, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo on page 130. **£250-£300**
- 954 ○ 2d. **blue** CF (basal shift), very fine used, with good even margins, lightly cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5c. Photo on page 130. **£200-£250**
- 955 ○ 2d. **pale blue** CL, used with small to large margins, neatly cancelled by near complete upright red Maltese Cross, pressed bend at upper right and some peripheral toning, otherwise fine and attractive. S.G. Spec. DS6. Photo on page 130. **£120-£150**

1840 Two Pence Blue Plate 1 continued



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- 956 ○ 2d. pale blue DD, small to large margins, used with black Maltese Cross, scissor cut in margin clear of design, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2004). S.G. Spec. DS6. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 957 ☒ 2d. blue DL, just touched at upper right, otherwise with small to large margins, affixed to 1840 (July 18) cover from Trowbridge to Neath, neatly cancelled by upright red Maltese Cross, with "TROWBRIDGE" twin arc date stamp at lower left, fine and attractive. S.G. Spec. DS5, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 958 ○ 2d. blue EB good margins and black Maltese Cross, slight vertical crease and II with good margins and red Maltese Cross. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 959 ○ 2d. blue EG-EJ strip of four, cut into at left, otherwise close to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£250-£300**



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- 960 ○ 2d. blue EJ, small to good margins, used with ruby Maltese Cross, fine. Mike Jackson opinion (2014). S.G. Spec. DS5uf. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 961 ○ 2d. blue FB, close to small margins, used with Manchester 'fishtail' Maltese Cross. R.P.S. certificate (1987). S.G. Spec. DS5ve. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 962 ○ 2d. blue FJ-FL strip of three, close to small margins, used with red Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 963 ○ 2d. blue GC, small to good margins, used with Greenock Maltese Cross in black, tiny crease at top, otherwise fine. Brandon certificate (2005). S.G. Spec. DS6va. Photo. **£400-£500**



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- 964 ○ 2d. blue GH, small margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 965 ○ 2d. blue HB, good to huge margins with part of the adjoining impression at left and right, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 966 ○ 2d. blue LL, cut into at top, otherwise small to good margins, used with two fine strikes of concentric ring cancellation in black, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



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- 967 ○ 2d. blue MC, small to good margins, used with near complete red Maltese Cross in an orange shade, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. £200-£250
- 968 ☒ 2d. blue NG-NH pair used on 1840 (Aug. 11) wrapper to Kirriemuir, neatly tied by "ruby" Maltese cross of Aberdeen, with large "ABERDEEN" single ring date stamp on reverse, manuscript "Stamps Affixed" at lower left, the adhesives with faults but a scarce quadruple rate cover with a rare coloured cancellation. S.G. Spec. D1(2)uf, cat. £14,000+. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- 969 ○ 2d. blue NH-NI pair, small to good margins, used with crisp red Maltese Crosses, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. £450-£500



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- 970 ○ 2d. blue NJ-NL strip of four, small to large margins, used with 1844-type numeral cancellations in black, small areas of light staining, handstamps and signature on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DS5xc. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- 971 ○ 2d. blue PH with small to large margins, fine used with black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. £150-£200
- 972 ○ 2d. blue QB, small to good margins, used with 1844-type London numeral cancellation in black, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5xc. Photo. £500-£600
- 973 ○ 2d. blue QL, close to good margins, used with 1844-type numeral cancellation in black, fine. S.G. Spec. DS5xc. Photo. £400-£500
- 974 ○ 2d. deep full blue RR, close to small margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. B.P.A. certificate (2006). S.G. Spec. DS1. Photo on page 132. £150-£200

1840 Two Pence Blue Plate 1 continued



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- 975 ☒ 2d. blue SF, with small to large margins, used on 1840 (June 18) entire written at "New York, 7 May, 1840" to Mackinnon, Nr. Antrim, adhesive applied and cancelled at Glasgow by red Maltese Cross, vertical filing folds well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. DS5, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 976 ○ 2d. blue TF, lower marginal example with part inscription, otherwise small margins, used with black Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1988). S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 977 ○ 2d. blue TJ, fine used with good even margins, neatly cancelled light red Maltese Cross, attractive with strong colour, in presentation folder. S.G. Spec. DS5. Photo. **£150-£200**

1840 Two Pence Blue Plate 2

- 978 ○ 2d. blue plate 2, a selection, comprising AB, CF, DF (steel blue), ED-EE pair, EK, JB, JG, KC used with Maltese Cross in black, FJ and IH with Maltese Cross in red, and MX with Maltese Cross in blue shade, most with four margins, mainly good to fine. **£800-£1,000**
- 979 ○ 2d. blue plate 2, a selection, comprising II used with Scottish numeral, LJ used with town c.d.s's, OD used with "30" barred numeral, and TA used with indistinct barred numeral, mainly fine. (4) **£500-£600**



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- 980 ○ 2d. blue CD, small to good margins, used with near complete black Scottish Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 981 ○ 2d. blue EH, small margins, used with "?/DE 8/1842" c.d.s., fine. R.P.S. certificate (1987). S.G. Spec. DS8xb. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



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- 982 ○ 2d. blue HA with close to good margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. (1996). S.G. Spec. DS8f. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 983 ○ 2d. deep blue HG, very fine used, with small to large margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross, leaving profile clear. S.G. Spec. DS7. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 984 ☒ 2d. blue KB-KF strip of five used on 1841 (Apr. 27) wrapper to Cardiff, cancelled by black Maltese Crosses, KF cut into at right and KB touched at lower left, otherwise with clear to large margins, pressed filing fold through KE is barely noticeable, an attractive cover, adhesives with good colour. Briefmarkenprüfstelle Basel certificate (2002). S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £2,000-£3,000



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- 985 ○ 2d. blue KF-KH strip of three small to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, small repair at top to centre stamp and crease down margins, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £300-£400
- 986 ○ 2d. blue LH-LI pair, large margins with part adjoining stamp at left and right, used with black Maltese Crosses, signatures on reverse, fine. Diena certificate (1990). S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £600-£700
- 987 ○ 2d. blue SF, small margins, used with red Maltese Cross, corner bend, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DS8f. Photo. £300-£400



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- 988 ☒ 2d. blue SG-SH pair, small to large margins, used on 1842 (June 28) entire to Norwich tied black Maltese Crosses, filing crease clear of adhesives, fine. S.G. DS8. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 989 ○ 2d. blue TH-TI pair, used, with small to very large margins, cancelled by black Maltese Crosses, TI affected by light corner creases, otherwise fine with strong colour. S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £250-£300

1840 Rainbow Colour Trials



- 990 P Second trial plate, state 2 single in lilac-pink on white wove paper, dipped in prussiate of potash, imperf., with cancellation removed, fine. S.G. Spec. DP20(2)a, cat. from £4,500. Photo. £1,000-£1,500



- 991 P Second trial plate, state 2 top marginal single in lilac-rose on unwatermarked, ungummed, wove paper, deeply blued by prussiate of potash, just touched at top, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DP20(2)a, cat. from £4,500. Photo. £800-£1,000



- 992 P Second trial plate, state 3 single in blue on white wove paper, dipped in prussiate of potash, imperf., fine. Brandon certificate (2000). S.G. Spec. DP20(3)a, cat. £4,500. Photo. £1,500-£2,000



- 993 P Second trial plate, state 3 single in red-brown on white wove paper, fine. S.G. Spec. DP20(3)b, cat. from £4,500. Photo. £600-£700

*Third Session Lots 994–1455**Thursday October 26th at 11 am***1841 One Penny Red-Brown**

- 994 ★** 1d. red-brown, an unused with part original gum group, comprising strip of six (touched on three sides), pair and singles (2, one marginal with small part inscription) each four margins, mixed condition. (4 items) **£300-£350**
- 995 ○** 1d. red-brown, a used with black Maltese Cross selection, mainly fine with four margins, incl. plate 1b HJ (R.P.S. certificate, 2003), 8 used with heavy cancellation possibly from Exeter (Mike Jackson opinion states “due to the obliterator being clogged”), 13 OG with double G, 19 RA left marginal example (R.P.S. certificate, 1999), 17 HA (R.P.S. certificate, 2001), 21 LL with lower “K” variety, 25 LA (R.P.S. certificate, 2005), 30 OA-OB pair, 32 KB with inverted watermark, 36 KA left marginal example with part inscription (R.P.S. certificate, 2004), plate 41 TF lower marginal example with part inscription (R.P.S. certificate, 2003), etc., also plate 21 LC with Birmingham squared circle. (37) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 996 ○** 1d. red-brown, a selection with distinctive Maltese Crosses, each with four margins, comprising Belfast, Brighton, Coventry, Dublin (3), Edinburgh, Greenock, Leeds, Manchester, Norwich (2) and Scottish (single and strip of three), mainly fine. (16) **£1,200-£1,500**
- 997 ○** 1d. red, a used collection in a boxed album, incl. used with numbers “1”, “2”, “3”, “4”, “5”, “6” (2), “7” (2, one on piece), “8” (2), “9”, “10”, “11” and “12” in Maltese Cross (mainly fine upright strikes), used with green “16” numeral (not guaranteed), used with 1844-type postmarks in blue (2), used with Norwich Maltese Cross, etc., range of plates and cancellations, most with four margins, mixed condition. (172) **£1,200-£1,500**
- 998 ○** 1d. red-brown, a selection used with barred cancellations, each with four margins, incl. plate 33 OI used with late Tunbridge Wells “820”, plate 90 QJ with “114” (R.P.S. certificate, 1992), plate 131 pair with “545”, plate 140 JA with part ornament and inscription at left, plate 150 EK with watermark inverted (R.P.S. certificate, 2007), plate 172 OC used in piece with Irish “85” diamond, plate 174 orange-brown used with “120” (R.P.S. certificate, 1992), blue cancels (4), pair used with “233”, etc. (27 items) **£800-£1,000**
- 999 ○** 1d. red-brown, a selection used with numbers in Maltese Crosses, each with four margins, comprising fine (mainly upright) strikes of “1” (2), “2” (2), “3”, “5”, “6” (2), “7”, “8” (R.P.S. certificate, 2001), “9”, “10” (R.P.S. certificate, 1999), “11” (2) and “12”. (15) **£600-£700**
- 1000 ○** 1d. red-brown, a group from black plates, each with four margins and used with black Maltese Crosses, comprising plates 1b GI, 1c JA, 2 PK (R.P.S. certificate, 1998), 5 OL, 9 BL (marginal), HE (with R.P.S. certificate, 1994), 10 PF, and 11 HJ, slightly mixed condition. (8) **£500-£600**
- 1001 ○** 1d. red-brown plates 46 to 58 and 88 to 91, 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, plate 88 HE-HL strip of eight, AL-CL vertical strip of three, 91 CC-CF strip of four, fair to fine. Ex. Moon. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 1002 ○** 1d. red-brown plate 10 (29), 14 (47) and 16 (71), used collection on pages incl. plate 14 AK-AL and TG-TH pairs, 16 TB with 1844-type cancellation, with notes highlighting flaws, re-entries, etc., covers (2), a few later plates, mixed condition. Ex. Moon. (145) **£300-£400**
- 1003 ○** 1d. red-brown, a used selection on leaves, incl. good range of shades, cancellations, some plated with plate 34 BL, etc., varied condition. (283) **£250-£300**
- 1004 ○** 1d. red-brown, plate 20 block of six (2 x 3), touched on one corner, plate 21 block of four with four margins, and plate 31 strip of five touched on two sides, each used with Maltese Crosses in black, a few creases, otherwise mainly fine. Photo on page 136. **£200-£250**
- 1005 ○** 1d. red-brown used set of numbers “1” to “12” in Maltese Crosses, also additional “2”, “5”, “7” and “8”, mainly with four margins, also 1856-58 die II perf. 14 1d. right marginal block of six with part original gum, mixed condition. (22) **£150-£200**

1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued



- 1006** ☒ 1d. red-brown, collection of covers written up for display incl. 42 cancelled by Maltese Crosses with some distinctive examples incl. two covers with good strikes of the Norwich Cross, 1842 (Dec. 28) cover to Salop bearing plate 25 FA-FD strip of four, contrary to regulations incl. 1841 (Aug. 25) cover from Spilsby with adhesive tied at left with additional strike of Maltese Cross at right, 1844-types incl. blue cancellations, too late markings, etc., condition a little mixed but many attractive examples. (59) **£600-£800**
- 1007** ☒ 1d. red-brown collection of covers with numbers "1" to "12" in Maltese Crosses, three covers cancelled by number "10", single examples on cover for each of the other numeral obliterations less "2". (13) **£500-£600**
- 1008** ☒ 1d. red-brown collection of covers, mainly from the archive of Freshfield Solicitors, arranged by plate from five to 173, many with four margins, multiples comprising plate 65 SA-SD strip of four on 1846 (Jul. 23) cover, plate 154 IC-ID neatly used pair on 1852 (Nov. 20) cover, range of cancellations incl. Maltese Crosses (46) incl. number "9" in cross, mixed condition. (152) **£400-£500**
- 1009** ☒ 1d. red-brown collection of covers from the "Miss Allford" correspondence incl. three examples on separate covers with deliberately 'chamfered' corners, one of which tied by "PAULTON" undated circle and numeral obliterator, two further covers 1845 (Aug. 30 and Sept. 11) without 'chamfered' corners cancelled in similar way with "BRISTOL/Py POST" dated handstamps on the reverse, an fascinating group. (8) **£400-£500**
- 1010** ☒ 1d. red-brown, collection of Irish cancellations on cover, written up for display incl. 1842 (Oct. 15) cover from Belfast to Ballymoney, 1841 (May 2) cover to Cork bearing plate 10 GC-GD pair cancelled by Cove Maltese Crosses, 1843 (Jun. 14) Entire bearing 1d. cancelled by Dublin type I, 1844 O.H.M.S. letter turned and re-used with plate 42 OG-OH affixed and cancelled by blue-black Maltese Crosses of Moate, etc., mixed condition. (9) **£300-£400**
- 1011** ☒ 1d. red-brown, collection of Scottish Maltese Cross cancellations on cover, written up for display incl. Dunse, Kirkaldy, Fort William, Newton Stewart, Mossat, Cuparife, etc., Greenock with two examples on large pieces and one on cover, fair to fine. (17) **£300-£400**
- 1012** ☒ 1d. red-brown collection of covers with "Too Late" instructional markings incl. two covers with the "Mae West" handstamp on the flaps, 1841 (Aug. 9) envelope to Herefordshire bearing with plate 11 RF tied by Maltese Cross and "Too Late" handstamp, 1842 (Dec. 13) entire with narrow framed "Too Late", 1849 (Jan. 18) envelope with circular "TOO-LATE/G.P.O." handstamp in black, fair to fine. (6) **£100-£150**
- 1013** ○ 1d. red-brown AD, small to good even margins, used with part town cancellation in blue, fine. S.G. 80. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1014** ▲ 1d. red-brown AF-AG, with close to large margins, neatly tied to small piece by two strikes of number "11" in Maltese Cross, slight peripheral foxing, otherwise fine, also 1841 2d. blue with small to large margins, cancelled by "12" in Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. B1uk, E1vl. Photo. **£200-£300**

- 1015 ○ 1d. red-brown CA, JL and RG, each with four margins and used with blue Maltese Crosses, one on piece, fine. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1016 ○ 1d. red-brown FD, four close to small margins, used with "(?)/SE11/1842" town datestamp in black, fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- †1017 ★ 1d. red-brown FE, good margins, fresh mint, slight crease, otherwise fine, has pencil "89" on gum. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1018 ☼ 1d. red-brown GA, a left marginal example showing part imprint, otherwise close to small margins, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 8, cat. £600. Photo. **£250-£300**



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- 1019 ○ 1d. red-brown GA, close to large margins, used with red Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. Spec. B1sb, cat. £4,800. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1020 ☒ 1d. red-brown KB, four huge margins, used with number "5" in Maltese Cross on envelope to Exeter with "T.P/Gt. Russell St.B" straight line handstamp alongside and Exeter c.d.s. on reverse, fine. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1021 ○ 1d. red-brown LG-LJ strip of four with close to good margins, used with neat strikes of number "4" in Maltese Cross, tiny scissor cut in margin at base clear of designs, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. BS19ud. Photo. **£300-£350**



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- 1022 ☒ 1d. red-brown NB with good margins, tied to 1841 (July 14) cover to Machynlleth by fine strike of the Welshpool solid centre Maltese Cross, "WELSHPOOL" double arc c.d.s. on reverse, horizontal filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. B1tub, cat. £5,000. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1023 ★ 1d. red-brown OI, a mint example from the right of the sheet with good to very large margins showing part inscription at right, part original gum, marginal crease, otherwise fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1024 ○ 1d. red-brown PE, fine with close to large margins and part "241" numeral of Denby in violet, rare. Ex H.C.V. Adams. S.G. Spec. B1xe, cat. £4,000. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1025 ○ 1d. red-brown PL, superb used example with good to enormous margins, displaying a portion of the adjoining impression at left and part of the marginal inscription at right. S.G. Spec. B1. Photo. **£70-£80**
- 1026 ☆ 1d. pale red-brown SI, four good to huge margins, unused (regummed), some faults but of superb appearance. Photo. **£120-£150**



1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued

- 1027 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 1b** NB, fine used with large even margins, tied to 1841 (Aug. 31) entire from Astwood to Moreton by two strikes of black Maltese Cross, horizontal filing fold well clear of adhesive. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1028 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 1c** CF, superb used with good to large even margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross. S.G. Spec. AS9. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1029 ▲ **1d. red-brown plate 1c** MD, fine used with small to large margins, tied by black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Jun. 1) large part wrapper from Perth to Edinburgh. S.G. Spec. AS9. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1030 ○ **1d. red-brown plates 8** to 173, a selection on leaves, incl. 8 to 17 complete, range of shades, many with full margins, etc., varied condition. (124) **£250-£300**
- 1031 ○ **1d. red-brown, plate 8** FB-FD horizontal strip of three, four small to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1032 ○ **1d. red-brown, plate 9** MI-ML horizontal strip of four, small to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1033 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 9** QB, small to good margins, used with Welshpool Maltese Cross in black, small fault at upper left, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (1988). S.G. Spec. AS57tub, cat £750. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1034 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 10** BK, state 1 without the “O” flaw, good to large margins, affixed to the top left a wrapper to Holborn and tied by black Maltese Cross with another strike below, front also with “T.P./Cornhill” in red, 1841 (Oct. 19th) backstamp, filing folds clear of adhesive, fine and unusual. S.G. Spec. AS69a. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1035 ○ **1d. red-brown, plate 10** GB-GE horizontal strip of four, small to good margins, used with black barred cancellations, fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1036 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 10** HC, fine used with good even margins, neatly tied to locally used 1841 (Jul. 29) Edinburgh entire by upright Maltese Cross, filing fold well clear of adhesive, a neat and attractive cover. S.G. Spec. AS69. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1037 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 10** NJ, with small to enormous margins, displaying trace of adjoining impression at base, neatly tied to 1841 (May 17) entire to Ballymoney by black Maltese Cross of Newtownards, filing fold well clear of adhesive. S.G. Spec. AS69. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1038 ○ **1d. red-brown, plate 10** QA-QF horizontal strip of six, close to small margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, vertical creases through two stamps. otherwise fine. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1039 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 10** RJ, tied to 1841 (Dec. 12) cover from Crewkerne to Somerset, the cover ‘turned’ having been previously sent to Risenham Rectory 1841 (Nov. 30), with original adhesive removed, the adhesive appears washed, an interesting cover. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1040 ○ ☒ **1d. red-brown, plate 11** BA-CB block of four, close to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1041 ★ **1d. red-brown plate 11** QL, unused with small to large margins, with part original gum, fine. S.G. 7, Spec. AS74. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1042 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 13** AB, with close to large margins, tied to 1842 (Oct. 9) cover from Selbourne to Oxford by numberless boxed cancellation with corner fleurons, Alton and Oxford double arc handstamps on reverse, the cancellation was probably applied at Selbourne Receiving House and the local main office at Alton did not apply the required Maltese Cross for the letters onward journey, scarce and unusual. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 1043 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 14**, small to large margins with part adjoining impression at left, used with black Maltese Cross, then used with red Maltese Cross, both complete strikes, fine. Brandon certificate (2003). S.G. Spec. BS3sa/sb,. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1044 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 19** QH, close to good margins, used solely with Penny Post handstamp in black, fine. Brandon certificate (2010). S.G. 8n, Spec. BS10wb. Photo. **£200-£250**

1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued



- 1045 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 21 DJ** used, with three large margins, tied to 1843 (Feb. 15) entire from Fearn to Invergordon by indistinct black obliterator and additionally cancelled with manuscript pen spiral, with two line "FEARN/PENNY POST" and boxed Tain datestamp on reverse, very unusual item. Ex. Alcock. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 1046 ☒ **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, and 1841 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 letter from Dumfries to Edinburgh, both with vertical filing creases well clear of adhesives. **£80-£100**
- 1047 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 24 HI** with ample to good margins except just touched at top, tied solely by a fine strike of the framed "PyP/No. 15" of Handsworth in blue to 1843 (Feb.) cover to Sutton Coldfield with straight-line "HANDSWORTH" in blue on reverse. S.G. Spec. BS27wc, cat. £4,000. Photo. **£300-£400**



- 1048 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 25 IH**, cancelled by clear upright red Maltese Cross, possibly just touched at base, otherwise with good to enormous margins displaying section of adjoining impression at top, small wrinkle at top, otherwise very fine. R.P.S. certificate (1952). S.G. Spec. BS14sb, cat. £4,800. Ex. Silkin. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**
- 1049 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 26 IB**, with clear to large margins, tied to 1842 (Oct. 15) from Belfast to Ballymoney by black Maltese Cross, with manuscript "paid" below the adhesive, filing fold well clear. S.G. Spec. BS15. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1050 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 27 CE**, close to large margins, used with complete York Maltese Cross in black, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1989). S.G. BS16tx. Photo. **£180-£200**

- 1051 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 27 CJ** used, just touched at upper right, otherwise with clear to large margins, tied to 1843 (Aug. 18) entire from Fearn to Tain by a manuscript pen cancellation, with two line “FEARN/PENNY POST” and boxed Tain datestamp on reverse, The adhesive overlies a manuscript “Paid” endorsement, very unusual item. Ex. Alcock. Photo. **£200-£300**

- 1052 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 30**, four good margins, used with a fine upright strike number “4” in Maltese Cross. R.P.S. certificate (2005). S.G. Spec. BS19ud. Photo. **£120-£150**



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- 1053 ☆ ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 34 EA-GB**, unused marginal block of six, with small to large margins, deckle edge selvage at left with part inscription “...he Back be careful not to remove the Cement”, trivial imperfections, tone spot at upper right, light vertical crease and a few wrinkles barely detract from very fine appearance, with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. BS23. Ex. Lanterna. Photo. **£600-£800**

- 1054 ☆ ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 35 GA-HB**, very fine unused marginal block of four, with good to very large margins, deckled edge selvage at left with part inscription “In Wetting the Back be careful no...”, part original gum. S.G. Spec. BS24. Ex. Lanterna. Photo. **£600-£800**

- 1055 ☒ **1d. red-brown plate 44 AE-AL** strip of eight cancelled by the “620” numeral obliterator of Plymouth, tied to 1846 (June 10) letter sheet to London, paying the 8d. rate, AL slightly cut into at base, otherwise with clear to enormous margins with selvage at right showing small part of inscription, filing fold through AH, a remarkable quadruple rate franking. Holcombe certificate (1999). Photo. **£300-£400**



- 1056 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 72 PH**, slightly cut into at top, otherwise close margins, used with “PAID” tombstone datestamp in red, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2010). S.G. Spec. BS28. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**



- 1057 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 75 LK** with ‘Union Jack’ re-entry, small to good margins, good used with numeral cancellation. S.G. Spec. BS28c, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£500-£600**

1841 One Penny Red-Brown continued



- 1058 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 77 the “B-blank” error, cancelled well clear of both corner letter squares with “7” numeral, just cut into at lower left, otherwise close to good margins, a very attractive example of this rarity. R.P.S. certificate (1957 duplicate of 1930). S.G. 12a, cat. £26,000. Ex. Glasco. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- 1059 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 77b BA the ‘B-blank’ error corrected, clear to good margins, good used with “446” numeral cancelation, some creases. R.P.S. certificate (1984). S.G. Spec. BS29b, cat. £1,900. Photo. £250-£300
- 1060 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 84 KA, good to large margins, used with late Maltese Cross in black, fine. Mike Johnson opinion (2014). S.G. Spec. BS29. Photo. £150-£200
- 1061 S 1d. red-brown plate 90 CK overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 1, close to small margins, fine without small part original gum. S.G. Spec. BS30s, cat. £3,000. Photo. £400-£500
- 1062 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 95 FA-FE strip of five on very blued paper left marginal example with part inscription, otherwise close to good margins, used with “133” Scottish barred numerals, fine. S.G. 8a. Photo. £250-£300
- 1063 ★ □ 1d. red-brown plate 99 QG-SI block of nine, clear to good margins, unused with part original gum, faults. S.G. Spec. BS31. Photo. £700-£800
- 1064 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 131 CK, small to large margins, used with blue c.d.s. of Fareham or Farnham, fine. Mike Jackson opinion (2012). S.G. Spec. BS32vb, cat. £2,500. Photo. £500-£600



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1841 Two Pence Blue

- 1065** ☒ 2d. blue collection of covers incl. 1843 (Dec. 9) entire from Edinburgh to Dunkeld bearing 2d. plate 3 CI-CJ, neatly tied by Maltese Crosses, attractive 1841 (Feb. 2) to Somerset bearing 2d. blue plate 3 and 1d. red-brown plate 64 both lettered EC tied by numeral cancellations, also collection of perforated 2d. blues, mixed condition but many of fine appearance. (22) **£600-£800**
- 1066** ☒ 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) **£70-£80**
- 1067** ○ 2d. blue plate 3, a selection used with barred cancellations, all with four margins, comprising strip of five, strip of four, pair, singles (11) with blue cancellations (2), example with huge margins used with neat “447”, used with barred numeral and “P” transit in red, examples with marginal inscriptions (2), etc., also an example with Liverpool spoon, mainly fine. (14 items) **£800-£1,000**



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- 1068** ○ 2d. blue plate 3, a selection used with numbers in Maltese Cross, comprising pair with “5”, and singles with “2”, “3”, “4”, “6” and “11”, each with four margins, fine upright strikes. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1069** ○ 2d. blue plate 3 selection, all used with Maltese Crosses in black, comprising singles (3), pairs (2) and strip of three, also pair used with Maltese Cross in blue-black shade, each with four margins, slightly mixed condition. (13) **£500-£600**
- 1070** ○ 2d. blue plate 3 AH, small to large margins, used with Maltese Cross of Norwich in black, fine. S.G. Spec. ES11uh, cat. £1,300. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1071** S 2d. blue plate 3 BH overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 1, close to good margins, fine with gum. S.G. Spec. ES11s. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1072** ○ 2d. blue plate 3 CL, small to good margins, used with 1844-type numeral in blue, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2004). S.G. 14h, cat. £1,000. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 1073** ○ 2d. blue plate 3 DA, small to large margins, used with Maltese Cross of York in black, fine. S.G. Spec. ES11ui, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1074** ○ 2d. plate 3 DI-DJ pair, small to good margins, used with 1844-type cancellations in black, and “PAID” and “O” handstamps in red, bent corner, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2015) notes “red handstamps are untraced accountancy”. S.G. Spec. ES11. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1075** ○ 2d. blue plate 3 EB-EF strip of five, four small to good margins, used with upright strikes of the number “4” in Maltese Cross, creasing to one stamp and small crease at base in margin, otherwise fine. Photo on page 144. **£600-£700**
- 1076** ○ 2d. blue plate 3 ED-EF strip of three, small to good even margins, used with three light strikes of number “12” in Maltese Cross, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1996). Photo. **£400-£500**



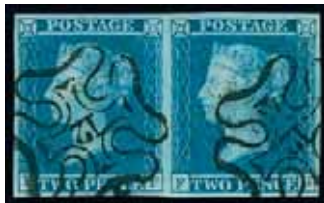
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1841 Two Pence Blue continued

- 1077 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** EG, close to good margins, used with number “10” in Maltese Cross, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1078 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** EH, small to large margins, used with Scottish Maltese Cross in black, fine. S.G. Spec. ES11un, cat. £400. R.P.S. certificate (2005). Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1079 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** FF-FG pair, good even margins, used with two fine strikes of number “12” in Maltese Cross. R.P.S. certificate (1996). S.G. 14f. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1080 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** GA, small to huge margins, used with complete black Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. 14e. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1081 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** GB, four large even margins, used with number “8” in Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2002) states “variety guide line in upper corner” S.G. 14f. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1082 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** GL, small to good margins, used with number “9” in Maltese Cross, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2001) for the stamp on piece (detached). S.G. 14f. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1083 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** IB-IE strip of four, good to large margins with part adjoining impressions at base, used with black Maltese Crosses, fine. Holcombe (1992) and R.P.S. certificates (2012) note “*ivory heads on reverse*” S.G. 14e. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1084 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** NC, close to large margins, used with 1844-type “293” numeral of Farringdon in blue, fine. S.G. 14h, cat. £1,000. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1085 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** OK, small margins, used with 1844-type “906” numeral of Woborn in blue, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1989). S.G. 14h, cat. £1,000. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1086 ☆ **2d. blue plate 3** PC unused with four small margins and PA with close to huge margins unused (regummed) with part of adjoining stamp at top, faults. S.G. 14. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1087 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** PI, close to small margins, used with small part of red transit marking (possibly “PD” in oval), fine. Brandon certificate (2004). S.G. 14. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1088 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** QJ, close to good margins, used with part Bridport c.d.s. in black, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1992). S.G. 14g, Spec. ES11we. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1089 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** RJ-RK pair, four good margins, used with two strikes of the number “1” in Maltese Cross, fine. S.G. 14f. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1090 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** TD, small to good margins, used with Maltese Cross of Dublin in black, fine. S.G. Spec. ES11ul, cat. £700. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1091 ○ **2d. blue plate 3** TK, small to huge margins, used with number “7” in Maltese Cross, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1092 ○ **2d. blue plate 4**, a selection used with barred cancellations, all with four margins, comprising strip of six (touched at top), strip of three, block of four, pairs (4) and singles (19) incl. marginal example with “419”, used with “888” on piece with “Southwold/Penny Post” alongside, used with “134” of Bristol (R.P.S. certificate, 1999), violet-blue (early stage) used (B.P.A. certificate, 1978), etc., slightly mixed. (26 items) **£1,000-£1,500**
- 1093 ○ **2d. blue plate 4**, three used examples each with four margins, comprising AJ with Aberdeen numeral, GB with Wisbecach c.d.s. and numeral, and RB with London c.d.s.’s, mainly fine. **£200-£250**
- 1094 ○ **2d. blue plate 4** BB-BC pair with watermark inverted, four large margins, used with indistinct barred cancellations. S.G. 14Wi, cat. £1,750+. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1095 ★ **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. **£150-£200**
- 1096 ○ **2d. blue plate 4** BH without ‘Spectacles’ variety, small to good margins at top and base, with large part adjoining impressions at left and right, used with Scottish numeral cancellation, fine. S.G. Spec. ES14n, cat. £1,500. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1097 ○ **2d. blue plate 4** BJ, minor fault at top right corner, otherwise small to good margins, used with 1844-type “370” numeral of Holbeach in blue. S.G. 14h. Photo. **£200-£250**

1841 Two Pence Blue continued

- 1098 ☆ **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 on page 144. **£150-£200**
- 1099 ○ **2d. blue plate 4** EA-EC strip of three, small to large margins, used with 1844-type “134” numeral in deep blue, fine. S.G. 14h, cat. £3,000. Photo on page 144. **£400-£500**
- 1100 ○ **2d. violet-blue plate 4** FI with a slight tint of lavender paper, fine used with large even margins. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. ES17, cat. £400. Photo on page 144. **£80-£100**
- 1101 ○ ☐ **2d. blue plate 4** KL-LJ, used block of twelve, touched at top and right, otherwise small to large margins, cancelled with 1844-type “576”, major faults but of good appearance. S.G. Spec. ES11. Photo on page 144. **£150-£200**
- 1102 ☆ **2d. blue plate 4** NA, an unused example with part original gum, faults, also another cleaned unused example, both with four margins. Photo on page 144. **£500-£600**
- 1103 ○ **2d. blue plate 4** LC-LD pair, good to large margins, used with green 1844-type numeral cancellation, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1994). S.G. 14h, Spec. ES14wd. Photo on page 144. **£600-£700**

1852–53 Alphabet II One Penny Plates 132–177

- 1104 P **1d. red-brown plate 152** AB imprimatur, an upper marginal example showing inscription, with small margins, usual marginal fold clear of stamp, fine. S.G. Spec. B2, cat. £1,350. **£500-£600**
- 1105 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 160** JA, left marginal example with part inscription and ornament at left, otherwise large margins, used with complete “166” barred cancellation of Liverpool, some creasing, otherwise fine. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1106 ○ **1d. red-brown plate 166** FA-GB block of four, used with “670” barred cancellations of St Austell, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2010). S.G. Spec B2(1). Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1107 ☒ **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. **£60-£80**



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- 1108 ○ **1d. red-brown plates 175** JA, four margins, used with upright central strike of the 1844-type “498” cancellation of Manchester, fine. S.G. Spec. B2(1). Photo. **£250-£300**

1852–53 Treasury Roulette



- 1109 ▲ 1d. red-brown plate 159 DE, a fine example with roulettes on three sides, used on 1853 (Mar. 7) front, neatly tied by London District “74” duplex cancellation, adhesive stained at upper right, otherwise fine, filing fold well clear. *Believed to be the earliest of the two known (on front or cover) cancelled by a duplex.* R.P.S. certificate (1990). S.G. Spec. B2(1)a. Photo. £1,500-£2,000



- 1110 ○ 1d. red-brown MK, roulettes on all four sides, used with “27” barred numeral, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1945). S.G. Spec. B2aa, cat. £7,200. Photo. £1,800-£2,200

1850 Archer perf. 16

- 1111 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 97 OD, fine used with London “5” barred numeral. S.G. 16b, cat. £625. Photo. £250-£300

Later Line Engraved

- 1112 ○ 1854-57 Watermark Small Crown 1d., a used selection, incl. perf. 16 with green Irish spoon cancellation, with Liverpool barred numeral, grossly mis-perforated with barred numeral, perf. 14 with spoon cancellation, with late Maltese Cross, etc., mainly fine. Between S.G. 17 and 22. (15) £400-£500

1854 die I, alphabet II, SC16 One Penny

- 1113 ○ 1d. red-brown, a used plate reconstruction (less 155, 157, 168-170, 181, 189, 192, 199R1 and R5), also a range of 1841 1d. imperf., slightly mixed condition. (59) £200-£250



- 1114 ★ 1d. red-brown HI, right marginal example with part inscription, fine mint. S.G. 17. Photo. £150-£200
- 1115 ○ 1d. red-brown selection incl. HD which appears to be plate 165 (not guaranteed), plate 197 SE (missing imprimatur) used on piece, mixed condition. Ex. Moon. (13) £100-£150

1854 die I, alphabet II, SC16 One Penny continued



- 1116 ○ 1d. plate 168 BD a used example of this extremely rare plate, cancelled bay Brampton "802" numeral, central defects incl. pinhole and thinned section, small pulled section of perforation reattached at top, however still a presentable example. *The key plate of the penny stars, stated only five known.* B.P.A. certificate (2017). S.G. C1(1), cat. £22,000. Ex. Moon. Photo. £5,000-£6,000

- 1117 ○ 1d. red-brown plate 177 TG used with Maltese Cross, centred to top, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1953). S.G. 17. Photo. £250-£300



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- 1118 P 1d. red-brown plate R1 JL imprimatur, example from the right of the sheet showing part inscription and ornament, otherwise small to large margins, fine. Photo. £400-£500

1855 die I, alphabet II, SC14 One Penny

- 1119 ☒ 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. £300-£400

1855 die II, alphabet II, One Penny

- 1120 ○ SC14 1d. plate 18 EG, fine used rare plate. R.P.S. certificate (1986). S.G. Spec. C3, cat. £700. Photo. £150-£180

- 1121 LC16 1d., a group comprising unused (regummed and stained blue at top) and used (3, one with town c.d.s.) examples, slightly mixed condition. S.G. 26. (4) £200-£250



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

- 1122 ★ 1d. red-brown on blued paper, a selection, incl. singles overprinted "SPECIMEN", unused with small part original gum, used with Portsmouth c.d.s., used with blue London barred numeral, used with Newtown c.d.s., used with Sandport boxed cancellation, block of ten (5 x 2) used with London barred numerals, etc., mainly fine. Between S.G. 29-33. **£600-£700**
- 1123 ☆ 1d. red-brown KL-ML right marginal vertical strip of three with part inscription and ornament, unmounted mint, a few wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 29. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1124 ★ 1d. red-brown plate 27 TA, mint lower left corner single showing part inscription, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1997). S.G. 29. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1125 ▲ 1d. red-brown plate 30 SE, very fine used example neatly tied to small piece by crisp brown St Austle "670" with a matching brown "ST AUSTLE/MR 9/1856/A" dispatch c.d.s., a superb example of this rare coloured cancellation. S.G. Spec. C8(1)uf. Photo. **£850-£900**

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

- 1126 ★ 1d., a group of mint multiples, comprising pairs (3, one lower marginal and another with one stamp showing deformed face due to overinking), block of six and upper marginal strip of six with part inscription, mainly fine. (18) **£200-£250**
- 1127 ○ 1d., a used selection, incl. examples with House of Parliament cancellation, with H&K Packet c.d.s., with green Coak spoon cancellation on piece, range of town c.d.s.'s with Dundee, block of six Bunrana c.d.s.'s, etc., mainly fine. (22) **£600-£700**



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- 1128 ○ 1d. rose-red BC, used with upright red London duplex, fine. S.G. 40. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1129 ○ 1d. rose-red HC, used with late Maltese Cross in black, fine. S.G. 40. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1130 ○ 1d. rose-red OI, used with black London Western District inspector's mark, bent corner perf., otherwise fine. S.G. 40. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1131 ○ 1d. rose-red SD, used with blue inspectors circle of bars in blue, fine. S.G. 40. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1132 ○ 1d. rose-red plate 65, selection of four used examples comprising FL, HE, HI, QK, fair to good, also unprinted ME and three die II alphabet II used examples. S.G. Spec. C10. Ex. Moon. (4) **£100-£150**
- 1133 ☆ 1d. pale red plate 48 EC variety imperforate, mint with part original gum, with vertical crease and small surface mark. S.G. 38a, Spec. C10l, cat. £4,600. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 1134 ★ 11d. rose-red plate 59 GD-HF, fresh mint block of six (3 x 2), with large part original gum, lower units with full gum, good colour and perfs. S.G. Spec. C10. Ex. Gawaine Baillie.. Photo on page 150. **£100-£150**

1861 die II, alphabet IV, LC14 One Penny

- 1135 ☆ 1d. plate 51 KI left marginal unmounted mint example, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2008). S.G. Spec. C12(4)d. Photo. **£120-£150**

1854-58 Two Penny



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- 1136 ○ 1854 SC16 2d. plate 4, a used selection, incl. examples used with Liverpool spoon cancellation (2), spectacles variety used with Scots numeral cancellation, with c.d.s.'s (2, one fine near complete Guildford), extremely worn plate with London numeral and c.d.s., vertical pair with indistinct barred cancellations, etc., mainly fine. S.G. 19, 20. (12) **£600-£700**
- 1137 ☆ - 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. **£150-£200**
- 1138 ○ 2d. plate 4 RG-SJ block of eight, used with "466" numerals of Liverpool, fine. S.G. 19. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1139 ○ 1855 SC16 2d. blue plate 5 AB-AE strip of five used with blue "583" numerals of Nottingham, fine. Mike Jackson opinion (2013). S.G. 20a, Spec. F4. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1140 ○ 1855 SC14 2d. blue plate 4, three c.d.s. used examples, fine. S.G. 23. Photo. **£300-£400**

- 1141 S 1855 SC14 2d. blue plate 4 TJ overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2, small part original gum, fine. S.G. Spec. F2s. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1142 O - 2d blue plate 5 EG used with neat "131" Scots barred numeral of Edinburgh, fine. S.G. 23a. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1143 O 1855 LC16 2d blue plate 5, two examples, one used with Bristol c.d.s. and the other used with "16" barred cancellation, the first with corner crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 27. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1144 O 1855 LC14 2d. blue plate 5, pair used with barred "836" numeral, and singles used (3, one with black "PD" in circle), mainly fine. S.G. 34. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1145 O - 2d. blue plate 5 AI-AJ pair used with two red "PD" in circles, fine. S.G. 34. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1146 O 1857 LC14 2d. plate 6, a used selection, comprising singles (5, one with Peterborough c.d.s.), pairs (4) and block of four used with St Albans numerals, mainly fine. S.G. 35, Spec. F7. **£300-£400**
- 1147 O - 2d. deep blue plate 6 ED-EK strip of eight, used with Cork duplexes, some creasing and ink on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. 35, Spec. F7. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1148 O - 2d. plate 6 QB-QC pair used on piece with Dublin c.d.s's, diamonds and red "PD" in oval, fine and attractive. S.G. 35, Spec. F7. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1149 O 1858 LC16 2d. blue plate 6 TF used with light c.d.s., fine. R.P.S. certificate (2003). S.G. 36a, Spec F8. Photo. **£200-£250**

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- 1150 ★ 1d. rose-red, an extensive collection of fine mint examples comprising plates 72 KD, 74 BE, 76 LK, 78 CH, 81 AJ, 85 HB, 86 KH, SI, 87 QJ, 90 EB, 91 ND, 92 QD, 81 AG upper marginal, 93 KJ, 94 QB, 95 FI, 96 MG, 97 FD, 100 II, 101 MD, 102 CJ-CK pair, 105 HB, HI, 106 HJ, 108 PI, 110 TL, 111 HC, 112 SG, 115 GC, 117 II, 118 ED, 119 MJ, 120 DL, 121 FA, 122 GI, 123 HE, 124 BH, 125 KI, 127 OA, 129 RC, 130 DJ, 134 QK, 136 QL, 137 SK, 138 AC, 139 EJ, 140 RI, 141 RE, 142 FA, 143 KB, 148 PL, 151 EH, 152 MH, FK, 154 NG, OB, 155 ED, 156 JE, 157 RA, 158 QK, 159 JB, 160 NJ, 161 QH, 163 EJ, 164 OA, 165 FD, 166 QJ, 167 RE, CI, 168 AC, 169 GD, 170 CB, 171 MH (2), 172 EA, 174 HK, 177 IA left marginal, 178 DJ, 179 DI, 180 RJ, 181 CK, 182 CB, 183 HE, 184 OG, 185 SL, 187 DI, 188 KD, DH, 189 ED, 190 DG, 191 SH, 192 QH, TA, 193 NG, 194 JE, 195 EA, 196 GJ, 198 NE, 199 GB, 200 JD, 201 KI, 203 NF, 204 GC, 205 DJ, 206 FA, 207 SB, 208 PJ, 209 KJ, 210 GF, 212 JE, 213 JA, 213 KD, 215 GD, KC, 217 FG, 218 BG, 219 CH, TI lower marginal, 220 LC, ML, 221 PB, MC, 222 RE, 223 CG, 224 QH, QK, many Ex. Peter Mollett, the majority unmounted, a few fine unused (re-gummed or with redistributed gum). **£2,400-£2,600**
- 1151 ★ 1d. rose-red mint and unused collection comprising plates 71 CI, TA, 72 MC, 73 FI, 76 MI, 79 OG, 80 HE, 82 PI, 83 NL, 84 FB, 88 AK, 89 FC, 98 OJ, 99 LK, FD, 103 LD, 104 JB, 106 HD, 107 CD, DA, 109 CE, 113 DK, 114 FE, SJ, 115 BA, 116 JF, 119 EE, 120 GH, 123 LB, 131 IL, 132 PB, 133 BE, 141 QC, 142 DF, 144 AJ, 145 FH, 146 SI, 147 HJ, 149 OC, 150 MC, 153 HC, 162 SL, QJ, 173 FJ, 174 BG, 175 MF, 176 HG, 186 BD, 194 EI, 195 EL, 197 TH, 200 QC, 202 BA, 206 RA, 211 OH, 214 MD, 216 FL, 223 FD, mainly good to fine. **£800-£1,000**
- 1152 ★ 1d. rose-red, a mint or part original gum selection on stock cards, incl. plate 78 top left corner strip of three, plate 99 left marginal vertical pair, plate 125 left marginal block of four, plate 134 corner single with plate number, plate 193 block of four, plate 205 corner single with plate number, plate 213 lower marginal block of six, plate 223 right marginal example, plate 224 left marginal pair, etc., also a plate 184 AF imprimatur, slightly mixed. (18 items) **£700-£800**
- 1153 1d. rose-red, a mostly mint selection between plates 78 and 224, some imperfections, the majority fair to fine, a few unused. (82). S.G. 43/44, cat. £5,271. **£400-£500**
- 1154 ☆ 1d. rose-red, an unused or mint collection on leaves incl. plates 114, 133, 223 (2), a couple of duplicates, very mixed condition. (98) **£180-£200**
- 1155 ☆ 1d. rose-red plate 145 HG, IG, both displaying blind perforations at base, without gum, 201 KA mint marginal example with part original gum, large section of selvage at left displaying part inscription and ornament. Photo on page 152. **£80-£100**
- 1156 O 1d. rose-red extensive used reconstruction of plates 71 to 224 (less 77) in large format binder incl. 219 (24), 221 (57), 222 (58), 223 (45), 224 (104), also additional near complete reconstruction of plate 106 (missing DL, QL), mixed condition. (14,859) **£3,000-£4,000**



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Plate Number Issues - 1864 - 79 One Penny continued

- 1157 ○ 1d. rose-red, a c.d.s. used accumulation on stock cards, incl. plate 147 strip of four used with Portaskaig c.d.s's (contrary to regulations), blocks of six (2), etc., also a few others with plate 72 used with inspector's star cancellation, plate 198 used with Irish "469" diamond in violet, mainly fine clear strikes.(177) **£1,800-£2,000**
- 1158 ○ 1d. rose-red, a used collection of plates 176 to 221 in a stockbook, with up to approx. 250 examples of each plate, mixed condition but with many fine cancellations. (100s) **£1,000-£1,500**
- 1159 ○ 1d. rose-red, a used balance collection in a stockbook, incl. blocks of eight, six and four (7, one with telegraphic cancellations), plate 15 used on cover with Maltese Cross, etc., many with c.d.s's, mainly fine. (42 items) **£100-£150**
- 1160 ★ ② 1d. rose-red plate 90 PJ-RK, attractive unused irregular block of five (less PK), vertical crease, otherwise fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1161 ○ ② 1d. rose-red plate 140 block of twelve (4 x 3) used with neat Nottingham c.d.s's, some minor patches of toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 43. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1162 ④ S 1d. rose-red plate 146 block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN", some perf. separation and creasing, otherwise fine with gum. S.G. 43. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1163 ★ ② 1d. rose-red plate 171 KA-TD, fresh mint block of 40 with near complete original gum, some slight perf. separation, usual creases or wrinkles, otherwise of fine appearance. S.G. 43, cat. £1,000. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1164 ★ ② 1d. rose-red plate 171 RJ-TL attractive unused lower right corner marginal block of nine with large part selvedge displaying part inscription and plate number, with part original gum, some perf. reinforcement. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1165 ★ ② 1d. lake-red plate 181 AA-EF upper left corner block of thirty showing watermark reversed, fine unmounted mint. R.P.S. certificate (1999). S.G. 44. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1166 ★ ② 1d. rose-red plate 190 GA-LA, unused irregular block of 16 with large section of selvedge at left, displaying complete marginal inscription, some staining where the block has been reinforced by sellotape on the reverse, interesting piece with part original gum. S.G. 43, cat. £1,040. Photo. **£100-£120**



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- 1167 P 1d. rose-red plate 191 CI-DI imperforate plate proof trial vertical pair for lighter and more fugitive colours on watermarked paper with "CX" trial cancellations, good to large margins on three sides, a little clipped at left, otherwise fine and very rare. S.G. Spec. DP39e, cat. 'from' £34,000. Photo. Ex. Young. Photo. **£2,000-£3,000**
- 1168 ☆ 1d. plate 195 EA-GA left marginal strip of three showing watermark reversed, fine unmounted mint. Photo on page 154. **£100-£150**
- 1169 ★ ② 1d. rose-red plate 213 AA-BC upper left corner block of six showing plate number and part inscription, mint (stamps unmounted), tear in left margin and some minor creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. 43. Photo on page 154. **£100-£150**
- 1170 ★ 1d. rose-red plate 225 KC, a fine mint example with full original crackly gum, possibly unmounted, good colour. S.G. 43, cat. £3,200. Photo. **£600-£800**

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- 1171 ○ 1d. rose-red plate 225 LJ, fine used. S.G. 43. cat. £800. Photo on page 152. £150-£200
- 1172 ○ 1d. rose-red plate 225 MK, fine used with Stratford Upon Avon duplex. S.G. 43. cat. £800. Photo. £250-£300
- 1173 ○ 1d. rose-red plate 225 NA, good used. S.G. 43. cat. £800. Photo. £120-£150



- 1174 ☒ 1d. rose-red plate 225 RG very fine used with neat "GREENOCK/JA 6/80" duplex on clean and neat printed "INSPECTOR OF THE POOR" envelope to Glasgow, part of top flap missing and a few minor cover imperfections not affecting stamp, most attractive. S.G. 43. Ex. Young. Photo. £350-£400

1858 – 76 Two Pence

- 1175 ☆ 2d. blue, a unused part original gum selection, comprising plate 9 singles (2, one left marginal without gum), plate 13 right marginal single, plate 15 singles (2, one lower marginal and the other without gum) and block of four, also plate 14 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 8 and plate 15 overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, mixed condition. (10) £600-£700
- 1176 ○ 2d., four used reconstructions in a stockbook, comprising plate 9 complete, plate 13 (less 13 stamps), plate 14 (less 13 stamps) and plate 15 (less 9 stamps), range of cancellations, mixed condition. (100s) £1,500-£2,000
- 1177 ○ 2d. blue, a used selection, incl. range of c.d.s.'s, plate 7 block of four used with barred cancellations, plate 8 with inverted watermark used with Malta c.d.s., plate 9 used with black "PD" in circle, plate 12 used with light c.d.s., plate 13 block of six used with Swindon c.d.s.'s, plate 14 block of six used with Edmondton c.d.s.'s, single used with red "PD" in oval, etc., slightly mixed condition. (38) £700-£800
- 1178 ☆ 2d. blue plate 7 MD, fine and fresh unmounted mint. S.G. 45, cat. £2,000. Photo. £400-£500



- 1179 ☆ 2d. blue plate 8 BH, fine and fresh unmounted mint. S.G. 45, cat. £1,850. Photo. £350-£400
- 1180 ★ 2d. blue plate 9 AA-AB upper left corner pair with part inscription, unused with large part original gum, couple of light creases, otherwise fine. S.G. 45. Photo. £150-£200
- 1181 ☆ 2d. blue plate 9 DH with type II watermark inverted, fine and fresh unused with partly redistributed original gum, horizontal crease at foot not detracting from appearance. S.G. 45wi, Spec. G2d, cat. £1,500. Photo. £80-£100
- 1182 ○ 2d. blue plate 9 EG, used with "114" duplex (Dundee) in red, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1992). S.G. 45, Spec. G2. Photo. £150-£200
- 1183 2d. blue plate 9 JC, imperforate on very thin paper and of debatable status, fine. An example of this was described in the 1908 (Dec.) issue of The British Philatelist as a forgery but a similar copy in the H.W. Fisher collection was described as being a trial on Dr. Perkins unwatermarked pelure paper with a thickness of one and three quarter thousandths of an inch and was accompanied by an R.P.S. certificate. B.P.A. certificate (1990). Photo. £200-£300
- 1184 ☆ 2d. blue plate 12 FG, unused (disturbed gum), tiny perf. imperfection at base, otherwise of fine appearance with deep colour. S.G. 45, Spec. G2, cat. £3,000. Photo. £200-£300
- 1185 ☆ 2d. blue plate 12 HF, unused, fine S.G. 45, Spec. G2. Photo. £300-£350
- 1186 ○ 2d. deep blue plate 13 ML-OL right marginal vertical strip of three showing part inscription, used with fine Hereford duplexes, some toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 47. Photo. £200-£250



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1870 Halfpenny

- 1187 ☆ ½d. plate 3 (2), 5 (2), 8, 10 (2), 11, 12 (2), 13, 19 (2), mint or unused, fair to fine. £250-£300
- 1188 ○ ½d., a used selection incl. plate 1 single with first day cancellation, strip of three, plate 3 block of twelve, plate 4 block of four used on cover, plate 6 blocks of four and six, plate 8 singles (3), plate 11 used with blue St Albans c.d.s., range of cancellations with many fine c.d.s's, few on piece, etc., mixed condition. (66) £400-£500



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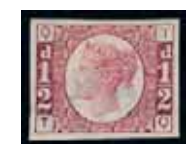
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1870 Halfpenny continued

- 1189 ○ ½d. rose-red selection of 85 used examples incl. plate 9 AP with light crease, mixed condition. £100-£150
- 1190 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 1**, a mint group comprising lower marginal block of four with part inscription and two singles (one imperf. between stamp and right margin), mixed condition. Photo. £300-£400



- 1191 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 1** AA-CC, a mint upper left corner strip of three showing plate number "1" and part inscription, imperf. between stamps and margin, minor faults. S.G. 48. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 1192 P ½d. **rose-red plate 1** GU imprimatur, fine with good margins. Photo. £250-£300
- 1193 ★ 田 ½d. **rose-red plate 1** NJ-NL, mint block of twelve, some perf. reinforcement and gum wrinkling, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo. £400-£500
- 1194 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 3**, a mint group, comprising right marginal block of six with part inscription (imperf. between stamps and margin) and four singles (two imperf. marginal examples and one imperf. vertically with extra vertical row of perfs.), mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. £250-£300
- 1195 P ½d. **rose-red plate 3** TG imprimatur, fine with small to large margins. Photo. £250-£300
- 1196 ★ ½d. **plate 4**, a mint group comprising vertical pair imperf. between stamps and margin with part inscription, horizontal pair imperf. at left, singles (2, one marginal) and horizontal strip of seven, mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. £300-£400
- 1197 ★ 田 ½d. **rose-red plate 4** SA-TB lower left corner block of four with plate number "4", unmounted mint, some perf. separation and usual gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo. £300-£400
- 1198 P ½d. **rose-red plate 4** TQ imprimatur, fine with good margins. Photo. £250-£300
- 1199 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 5**, a mint group comprising vertical pair imperf. between stamps and right margin, horizontal lower marginal strip of three with part inscription, vertical strip of three imperf. between stamps and right margin with part inscription, block of four, and singles (3, one imperf. between stamp and margin, and one upper marginal), mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. £300-£400
- 1200 ⊕ ½d. **rose-red plate 5**, AX-DX vertical corner strip of four imperf. between stamps and right margin with part inscription and plate number "5", stamps unmounted, fine. S.G. 48. Photo. £250-£300
- 1201 ○ 田 ½d. **rose-red plate 5** CC-FF block of sixteen (4 x 3), used with Beaconsfield c.d.s's. S.G. 48. Photo. £300-£400
- 1202 ★ 田 ½d. **rose-red plate 5** EW-FX mint block of four from right of the sheet with part imprint, imperforate at right between stamps and selvedge, two unmounted, crackly gum, fine, S.G. 48, Spec. G4, cat. £550+. Photo. £200-£250
- 1203 P ½d. **rose-red plate 5** TV imprimatur, fine with good margins. Photo. £250-£300
- 1204 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 6**, a mint group comprising block of four (R.P.S. certificate, 2003), block of four imperf. between stamps and right margin with part inscription, lower marginal horizontal pair with part inscription and horizontal pair imperf. between stamp and right margin with part inscription, mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. £500-£600



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Ex 1207



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Ex 1216

1870 Halfpenny continued

- 1205 ☒ **½d. rose-red plate 6** TM affixed to a complete eight-page edition of the Liverpool *Daily Courier* of 15th. November 1873, paying the correct inland rate for a registered newspaper, cancelled by Liverpool Exchange duplex, then redirected to Lancaster with ½d. plate 4 AR, fine and very scarce. S.G. 48. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 1206 P **½d. rose-red plate 6** TQ imprimatur, fine with good margins. Photo on page 156. **£250-£300**
- 1207 ★ **½d. rose-red plate 8**, a mint group comprising single, block of four, and single imperf. between stamp and right margin, mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1208 P **½d. rose-red plate 8** TU imprimatur, fine with close to good margins. Photo. **£250-£300**



- 1209 ★ **½d. rose-red plate 8** TV-TX, a lower right corner strip of three with plate number “8”, unused with large part original gum, minor faults. S.G. 48. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1210 ○ **½d. rose-red plate 9**, four used examples, incl. two on piece (one with c.d.s.), slightly mixed. S.G. 48. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1211 ★ **½d. rose-red plate 9** BF, unused with part original gum, some toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1212 ○ **½d. rose-red plate 9** GB, used on piece with neat Attenborough c.d.s., fine. S.G. 48. Photo. **£250-£300**



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- 1213 ○ **½d. rose-red plate 9** NK-OK vertical pair, good used. S.G. 48. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1214 ○ **½d. rose-red plate 9** SU-TU, vertical pair, good used on piece, stamps with light overall toning. S.G. 48. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1215 P **½d. rose-red plate 9** TQ imprimatur, fine with close to good margins. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1216 ★ **½d. rose-red plate 10**, a mint group, comprising singles (4 incl. corner single with plate number, left marginal example with part inscription and right marginal example imperf. between stamp and margin), strips of three (2, one showing complete watermark) and block of four, slightly mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1217 P **½d. rose-red plate 10** AC imprimatur, fine upper marginal example with good margins. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1218 ☒ S **½d. rose-red plate 10** CP-DQ block of four handstamped “SPECIMEN” type 9, some gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. G4(2)u. Photo. **£300-£400**



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Ex 1235



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Ex 1233



Ex 1227



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- 1219 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 10** NT-ST lower marginal strip of six with full inscription, mint, usual creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo on page 158. **£200-£250**
- 1220 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 11**, a mint group comprising right marginal single imperf. between stamp and margin, and blocks of four (2, one a corner example with plate number), mainly fine. S.G. 48. Photo on page 158. **£250-£300**
- 1221 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 11** OG-TI lower marginal block of twelve (3 x 4) showing part impression, fine mint with usual gum wrinkling. S.G. 48. Photo on page 158. **£350-£400**
- 1222 P ½d. **rose-red plate 11** SS imprimatur, good margins, pencil on reverse and small dot of ink in margin, otherwise fine. Photo on page 158. **£200-£250**
- 1223 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 12**, a mint group, comprising right marginal single and block of four both imperf. between stamp and margin, upper marginal strip of four with part inscription, and lower right corner strip of three with plate number, slightly mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo on page 158. **£350-£400**
- 1224 P ½d. **rose-red plate 12** AD imprimatur, fine with good margins. Photo on page 158. **£250-£300**
- 1225 ○ ½d. **rose-red plate 12** AO-GR, an upper marginal block of 28, used with neat Edinburgh c.d.s's, some split and short perfs., otherwise fine and scarce. R.P.S. certificate (2003). S.G. 48. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1226 ○ ½d. **rose-red plate 12** GS-GU, a block of fifteen (3 x 5) used with Edinburgh c.d.s's, a few minor faults, fine appearance. S.G. 48. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1227 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 13**, a mint group comprising singles (2, one overprinted "SPECIMEN") and marginal blocks of four with part inscription (2, one imperf. between stamps and margin, slightly mixed. S.G. 48. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1228 P ½d. **rose-red plate 13** AG imprimatur, fine upper marginal example showing part inscription, good margins. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1229 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 13** AK-EL upper marginal block of ten (2 x 5) with part inscription, few minor faults, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo. **£200-£250**



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- 1230 ½d. **rose-red plate 13** AM-BO upper marginal block of five with "S.B.L." perfs, fine without gum. S.G. 48. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1231 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 13** CE-DJ block of twelve (6 x 2), mint, lightly toned gum, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1232 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 13** SX-TX lower right corner vertical pair with plate number, usual gum wrinkling, otherwise fine. S.G. 48. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1233 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 14**, a mint group, comprising upper left corner single with plate number, left marginal vertical strip of three and pair imperf. between stamp and margin, horizontal strip of three and left marginal block of four with part inscription, slightly mixed. S.G. 48. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 1234 P ½d. **rose-red plate 14** AI imprimatur, upper marginal example showing part inscription, small thin in margin, otherwise fine. Photo. **£350-£400**



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Ex 1242



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Ex 1238



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Ex 1252



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1870 Halfpenny continued

- 1235 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 15**, a mint group comprising vertical pair, lower marginal horizontal pair with part imprint and block of nine, mainly fine. S.G. 48. Photo on page 160. **£250-£300**
- 1236 ★ ㊦ ½d. **rose-red plate 15 QA-TC**, a lower right corner block of twelve with part inscription and plate number “15”, fine and fresh mint, scarce. S.G. 48. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1237 P ½d. **rose-red plate 15 TH** imprimatur, fine with small to large margins. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1238 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 19**, a mint group comprising single, block of four, block of six, vertical strip of three overprinted “SPECIMEN” and upper marginal horizontal strip of five with part imprint, slightly mixed. S.G. 48. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1239 ★ ㊦ ½d. **rose-red plate 19 NW-OX** mint block of four, crackly gum, fine, S.G. 48, Spec. G4, cat. £550+. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1240 ★ ㊦ ½d. **rose-red plate 19 RA-TB**, a left corner marginal block of six showing part inscription and plate number “19”, fine mint, scarce. S.G. 48. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1241 P ½d. **rose-red plate 19 TC** imprimatur, card attached to part of reverse, otherwise fine with good margins. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1242 ★ ½d. **rose-red plate 20**, a mint group, comprising upper marginal single with watermark inverted and reversed, and right marginal single and vertical strip of five imperf. between stamps and margin, both with part inscription, slightly mixed condition. S.G. 48. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 1243 P ½d. **rose-red plate 20 BS** imprimatur, fine with good margins. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1244 ★ ㊦ ½d. **rose-red plate 20 SA-TB**, a left corner marginal block of four showing plate number “20”, fine mint. S.G. 48. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1870 Three Halfpence

- 1245 ○ 1½d., a used selection incl. plate 3 single with neat Norwich c.d.s., plate 3 pair with neat Southampton c.d.s's and plate 3 single with oval “PD” in black, mixed condition. (8) **£300-£400**
- 1246 ☆ 1½d. **rose-red plate 1**, three examples unused with part original gum, mixed condition. **£180-£200**
- 1247 ☆ 1½d. **rose-red plate 1 CG, GF, PE**, plate 3 CK and IF, unused, fair to good. **£120-£150**
- 1248 ○ ㊦ 1½d. **rose-red plate 1 ED-FG** block of eight very fine used with neat “ST. HELENS/679” duplexes, few separated perfs, a rare multiple. S.G. Spec. G6, cat £1,500+. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1249 ★ 1½d. **lake-red plate 1 KA-KB**, left marginal pair with part inscription and ornament, unused with part original gum, some creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. 52, cat. £1,450+. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1250 ○ 1½d. **rose-red plate 1 OP-PC** error of lettering, used with barred numeral of Kettering. S.G. 53, cat. £1,900. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1251 ○ 1½d. **rose-red plate 1 OP-PC** error of lettering, good used with “131” cancellation, a little grubby. (B.P.A. certificate, 1953). S.G. 53, cat. £1,900. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1252 ★ 1½d. **rose-red plate 3**, an unused or part original gum selection comprising singles (4, one upper marginal with part imprint), block of six and an example overprinted “SPECIMEN”, mixed condition. (11) **£400-£500**
- 1253 ★ 1½d. **rose-red plate 3 TL** example from lower-right corner of sheet, showing plate number “3” and part inscription, unused with large part original gum, fine. S.G. 51. Photo. **£250-£300**

1860 Unissued Three Halfpence



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- 1254 S 1½d. rosy-mauve plate 1 ED, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, unused (regummed), fine. S.G. 53as, Spec. G5s, cat. £2,200. Photo. £200-£250
- 1255 S 1½d. rosy-mauve plate 1 HI overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2, without gum, blunted perfs at top, otherwise fine. S.G. 53a, s, Spec. G5s, cat. £2,250. Photo. £180-£200
- 1256 ☆ 1½d. rosy-mauve plate 1 HE, unused, Buhler handstamp on reverse. S.G. 53a, Spec. G5, cat. £8,500. Photo. £800-£1,000

1847 - 54 Embossed



Ex 1258



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- 1257 1s. green (2) used, 10d. (2) used, 6d. unused and used (3), poor to good. £250-£300
- 1258 ○ A used group comprising 1s. with four large margins, 6d. with four margins, 6d. with one margin used on piece and 10d. with three margins, mixed condition. (4). Photo. £350-£400
- 1259 ○ 1s. green (2, also one cut to shape used on 1855 cover to Sydney), 10d. brown (2, one on piece), 6d. (3, one with four margins) used, fair to fine, also an additional 6d. with four margins but re-backed. £350-£400



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- 1260** ☒ A group of covers incl. Maritime mail cover with 1s. with close to good margins, and JJ-JK pair of perf. 2d. blue, all hinged to cover but belong, 10d. (2) cut to shape on 1851 cover to Cairo, 1855 (Dec. 26) envelope to India bearing 6d., 1s. (both cut into), and 4d. carmine, with Bombay boxed handstamp alongside, 1852 (Oct. 6) mourning cover to U.S.A. bearing 1s., 1854 (Nov. 1) Calais packet envelope to Switzerland bearing 10d. die 2 with clear to large margins alongside 1841 1d. red-brown. (5) **£500-£600**
- 1261** ☒ 1855 (Nov. 24) wrapper to Florence bearing 1s. die 2 vertical pair and single, all cut to shape, alongside LC14 1d. red-brown, 2d. blue, all tied by "251" numeral obliterator of Montrose, an attractive multi-colour franking. Photo. **£200-£300**
- 1262** ○ 1s. green, close to large margins, used with "466" numeral of Liverpool, fine. S.G. 55, cat. £1,000. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1263** ○ 1s. green die 1, a horizontal row of four with full sheet margins at sides, good to large margins other sides except two just shaved at top, two vertical creases and some other small imperfections. S.G. 56, cat. £4,000+. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1264** ☒ 6d. mauve, fine used on 1855 (Apr. 24) registered cover from York to Macclesfield, additionally franked 1854-56 2d., attractive. Photo. **£250-£300**

1855 – 57

- 1265** ○ 4d., a used selection, incl. watermark small garter (3, one on slightly blued paper with 1976 R.P.S. certificate), watermark medium garter glazed paper (single and pair), ordinary paper with specially prepared ink, large garter singles (7, one with neat central Glasgow c.d.s., another with red "PD" in oval), pairs (3, one with blue Dublin c.d.s. and another with 2012 R.P.S. certificate) and a strip of five, thick glazed paper, etc., also example overprinted type 3 "SPECIMEN", mixed condition. (29) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1266** ☒ 4d. deep carmine on blued paper, watermark small garter, fine used with full perfs. and colour, cancelled by large part straight-line "(ST)OCKBRID(GE)" in sloping letters between two bars above and below, sender's ink line at right, centred slightly to upper right. A very fine stamp without any of the usual rubs and scuffs which affect this issue. S.G. 62, cat. £450. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1267** ○ 4d. carmine on blued paper, watermark medium garter, used with large part Devonport c.d.s. dated July 5 1856, fine. S.G. 63. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1268** ○ 4d. pale carmine on white paper, watermark medium garter, used with corner Newcastle-on-Tyne c.d.s., line of ink and handstamp on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. 64. Photo. **£250-£300**



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- 1269** ○ 4d. rose on ordinary thin white paper, watermark medium garter, used with Liverpool spoon cancellation dated Feb. 21 1857, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2011). S.G. 65, Spec. J50(1). Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1270** ○ 6d. watermark emblems, a used selection, incl. singles c.d.s. used (3, one with watermark inverted), pair, strip of three, strip of four, etc., mixed condition. (17) **£500-£600**
- 1271** ○ 1s. green watermark emblems, a used selection, comprising singles (6, incl. two examples with c.d.s.'s) and pair with watermark inverted, mixed condition. (8) **£500-£600**
- 1272** ○ 1s. green watermark emblems, wing margin example used with three strikes of the red circular "PD", fine and unusual. S.G. 72. Photo on page 166. **£300-£400**
- 1273** ☒ 1s. green watermark emblems, used on 1860 (Nov. 24) cover from Liverpool to New York, 1867-80 6d. plate 9 DB used cover from Manchester to Italy and 1881 1d. postal fiscal used on cover (faults) from Maryport to Liverpool. **£100-£120**

1855 – 57 continued



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- 1274 ○ 1s. pale green watermark emblems, used with strikes of red "P" in oval, fine. S.G. 73. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1275 ○ 1s. pale green watermark emblems, used with neat upright Sligo c.d.s., fine. R.P.S. certificate (2005). S.G. 73. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1276 ○ 1s. pale green on azure paper, watermark emblems, used with part duplex cancellation, corner crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 73a, Spec. J100d, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£200-£250**

1861 Unissued

- 1277 S 3d. rose plate 2, state 1 with shaded spandrels HH with wing margin at right, vertically overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2, fine with original gum, very fresh colour. S.G. Spec. J25As, cat. £800. Photo. **£150-£200**

1862 – 64

- 1278 ○ 3d. watermark emblems 3d., four used examples, one with Leamington c.d.s., etc., also an example overprinted "SPECIMEN" (S.G. Spec. J25As), mixed condition. (5) **£200-£250**



- 1279 ○ 4d. watermark large garter, a used selection, incl. CK with defective letter K used on piece with complete Edinburgh duplex, used with neat upright Salisbury c.d.s., etc., mixed condition. (8). Photo. **£300-£400**



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Ex 1282



Ex 1280



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- 1280 ○ 6d. watermark emblems, a used group, incl. example used with neat upright Edinburgh c.d.s. on piece, used with London c.d.s., wing margin example with Liverpool duplex, etc., also an example overprinted "SPECIMEN", mixed condition. (9). Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1281 ○ 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. **£400-£500**
- 1282 ○ 9d. watermark emblems, a used group, incl. one with London c.d.s. and another with Glasgow c.d.s., slightly mixed. (5). Photo. **£400-£500**

- 1283 ★ 9d. straw watermark emblems plate 2 DL, mint with part original gum, a couple of added perfs. at lower left, good appearance. S.G. 87, cat. £4,000. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1284 ○ 1s. green watermark emblems, three used examples, incl. with Dundee c.d.s., slightly mixed condition. (3) **£150-£200**
- 1285 ○ 1s. green watermark emblems IB variety inverted watermark fine used, lightly cancelled leaving a clear profile, excellent centring, slightly irregular perfs. at top caused by almost co-incidental double perforation. S.G. 90wi. Photo. **£100-£120**

1865 – 67

- 1286 ○ 3d. rose watermark emblems plate 4, two used examples, one with fine upright Dewsbury c.d.s. S.G. 92. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1287 ○ 4d. watermark large garter, a c.d.s. used group, incl. strip of three, plate 10 with London c.d.s., etc., slightly mixed condition, also an unused part original gum example. (13) **£500-£600**
- 1288 ○ 4d. vermilion watermark large garter plate 13 AC-BD, used block of four, a few light corner bends, otherwise fine with good colour. S.G. 94, Spec. J60, cat. £525. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1289 ○ 6d. watermark emblems, a used group, incl. plate 5 used with Canterbury c.d.s., used with London c.d.s., used with Bradford c.d.s., etc., slightly mixed condition. (9) **£400-£500**
- 1290 ○ 6d. lilac watermark emblems plate 5 II-LK fine used strip of three with wing margin at left, also 5 RF and QF used on piece alongside 4d. vermilion plate 7 TB. S.G. 94, 97. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1291 ○ 9d. straw watermark emblems plate QG used with part upright London c.d.s., also another example with “132” numeral, fine. S.G. 98. Photo. **£500-£600**

1867 – 80 Watermark Spray

- 1292 ○ 3d., a c.d.s. used selection, incl. plate 6 used with red c.d.s., plate 6 used with Shepley c.d.s., plate 7 block of four with Saintfield c.d.s.'s, plate 7 wing margin single with Woodbridge c.d.s. (R.P.S. certificate, 1999), plate 8 block of six with Carrigaholt c.d.s.'s, etc., slightly mixed condition. (23) **£700-£800**
- 1293 ○ 3d. rose plate 8 DD, wing margin example used with neat central telegraphic “480” cancellation in blue, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1998). Photo on page 168. **£150-£200**
- 1294 ○ 3d. deep rose plate 8 GG-HH fine used wing marginal block of four with neat strikes of “DOVER/OC 23/72” c.d.s.'s, most attractive. S.G. 103. Photo on page 168. **£100-£120**
- 1295 ○ 3d. rose plate 8 FI-HJ, fine used wing margin vertical block of six, neatly cancelled by Manchester Royal Exchange c.d.s.'s, also AB-AC fine used pair and plate 7 QK-RL used block of four (with a few imperfections). S.G. 103, Spec. J32-33, cat. £1,160+. Photo on page 168. **£300-£400**
- 1296 ○ 6d., c.d.s. used singles (2) and pair (straight edge at left), mainly fine. (4) **£150-£200**

1867 – 80 Watermark Spray continued

- 1297 ○ 6d., a used group, incl. plate 6 with London c.d.s., plate 8 with London c.d.s., etc., slightly mixed condition. (7)
 £250-£300



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- 1298 ⚙ 6d. purple plate 6 JI, unmounted mint from base of sheet, slightly soiled, otherwise fine. S.G. 106, cat. £1,850+. Photo. £600-£700
- 1299 S 6d. plate 9 JA-JB imperf. pair overprinted "SPECIMEN", the left stamp with repaired tear, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. J77s. Photo. £200-£300
- 1300 ○ 9d. straw plate 4 EF used with Bedale c.d.s., and 10d. (3) used with part barred cancellation, complete Falkirk c.d.s. and neat Huntingdon c.d.s., mainly fine. Photo. £400-£500
- 1301 ○ 9d. straw plate 4 FB upper marginal example with part inscription, used with Seething Lane c.d.s., couple of shortish perfs. at right, otherwise fine. S.G. 110. Photo. £100-£120
- 1302 ○ ◻ 9d. straw plate 4 IE-JF used wing margin block of four, two small peripheral tears and wing margin selvedge slightly reduced, a scarce multiple. S.G. 110, Spec. J96(1), cat. £1,800. Photo. £250-£300



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Ex 1295

- 1303 ◻ S 9d. straw plate 4 PA-TD, complete unused pane of twenty, showing sheet inscription in the margin and "4" plate number, each stamp overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2, several clipped perforations down the right-hand side nevertheless a very scarce and attractive pane, rarely seen with this specimen type. Photo. £6,500-£7,000



Ex 1295



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Ex 1300



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Ex 1308



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- 1304 ○ 10d. pale red-brown plate 1 OB used with "A" in circle telegraph cancellations, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1999). S.G. 113. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1305 ○ 10d. pale red-brown plate 1 PE-QF wing margin block of four, fine used. S.G. 113, Spec. J97(2), cat. £2,400. Photo. **£450-£500**
- 1306 ○ 10d. deep red-brown plate 1 SE-TE vertical pair from pane corner, very fine used with neat "LEITH/JU 16/70" duplexes. S.G. 114, cat. £1,200+. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1307 ○ 1s., a c.d.s. used selection, incl. many near complete and upright strikes, upper marginal block of four, plate 6 with Commercial Road c.d.s. in red, plate KB upper marginal example with double plate number at right used with Humbles c.d.s. (R.P.S. certificate, 2003), etc., mainly fine. (19) **£700-£800**
- 1308 ○ 1s. green, used multiples comprising plate 4 BE-CF and plate 5 IE-JF wing marginal blocks of four, plate 5 NF-OG block of four, QJ-RL irregular wing margin block of seven (without upper left unit), mainly fine and attractive. S.G. 117. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1309 ★ 1s. green plate 4 CA, unused with large part original gum, some shortish perfs. at top and off centre, otherwise fine. S.G. 117, cat. £975. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1310 ○ F 1s. green Stock Exchange forgery plate 5 ED, fine used with "JY 1 77" c.d.s. on small piece with 6d. plate 11, fine with normal plate 5 and 6 with the same Stock Exchange cancellation for comparison. S.G. Spec. cat. £850. Ex. Stevenson. Photo on page 170. **£200-£250**

1867 – 80 Watermark Spray continued



Ex 1310



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- 1311 ○ F 1s. green Stock Exchange forgery plate 5 FK (possible lettering), used with Stock Exchange c.d.s., tiny thin. S.G. Spec. cat. £850. Photo. £200-£250
- 1312 ○ F 1s. green Stock Exchange forgery plate 5 KM (impossible lettering), used with fine Stock Exchange c.d.s. S.G. Spec. cat. £1,500. Photo. £350-£400
- 1313 ▲ F 1s. green Stock Exchange forgery plate 6 RL (possible lettering), used with fine “STOCK EXCHANGE/NO 13/72” c.d.s on piece of Stock Exchange telegram. S.G. Spec. cat. £2,500. Photo. £700-£800



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- 1314 ○ F 1s. green Stock Exchange forgery plate 6 RO (impossible lettering), used with fine “STOCK EXCHANGE/OCT 31/72” c.d.s. S.G. Spec. cat. £4,000. Ex. Versus. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 1315 ○ 2s. deep blue, used, with copy of R.P.S. certificate for a pair (1996), pale blue with a copy of a R.P.S. certificate for a strip of three (1956), and dull blue, each cancelled by c.d.s’s, fine. £200-£250
- 1316 ○ 田 2s. blue AA-BB block of four used with neat Newcastle c.d.s’s, couple of slightly short perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. 118, cat. £900+. Photo. £300-£350
- 1317 ○ 田 2s. blue DA-EB block of four used with barred numeral cancellations, creasing and small tears to DB, couple of short perfs. on EA, otherwise fine. S.G. 118, cat. £900+. Photo. £250-£300



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- 1318 ◻ 2s. dull blue HA-ID scarce used wing marginal block of eight with indistinct but mainly light “C30” numerals of Valparaiso, some imperfections not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine. S.G. 188 (Z86). Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1319 ◻ 2s. dull blue HG-IH, used wing marginal block of four, a few minors bends and wrinkles, barely detracting from appearance, a scarce multiple. S.G. 118, Spec. J118(1), cat £1,400. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1320 ▲ 2s. dull blue II-IL used strip of four, tied to small piece by numeral obliterator, with 3d. rose SC, alongside, a few faults but a striking piece. S.G. 118, cat. £900+. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1321 ○ 2s. blue JE wing margin single from the base of the sheet with part “PRICE” imprint, used with Londonderry c.d.s., fine. S.G. 118. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1322 ○ 2s. blue KE-KG strip of three, used with neat c.d.s’s, some perf. separation, otherwise fine. S.G. 118, cat. £675+. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1323 S 2s. dull blue plate 1 KJ-KL strip of three overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, very fine and fresh with part to large part original gum. S.G. 118s, cat. £1,800. Ex Young. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1324 ○ 2s. milky blue plate 1 SG, used with light c.d.s., fine. S.G. 120b, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1325 ○ 2s. brown OE, used with part barred cancellation, fine. S.G. 121, cat. £4,200. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1326 S 2s. brown RG overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, very fine and fresh with large part original gum, excellent colour. S.G. 121s, cat. £3,800. Ex Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1872 – 73

- 1327 ○ 6d. a used group, incl. plate 11 pairs (2), 6d. pale buff plate 12 wing margin example with full Tarbolton c.d.s., 6d. chestnut plate 11 used with red “PD” in ovals, 6d. grey used with Charing Cross c.d.s., etc., slightly mixed condition. (13) **£500-£600**

1867 – 78 Watermark Maltese Cross



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Ex 1328



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Ex 1333

- 1328 ○ 5s. rose plate 1 AD and FF, both fine c.d.s. used. S.G. 126. Photo. £150-£200
- 1329 ○ 5s. pale rose plate 1 EH superb used with "LIVERPOOL/2 MY/72" c.d.s. S.G. 127, cat. £675. Photo. £150-£200
- 1330 ○ 5s. rose plate 1 HF cancelled by the 466 roller obliterator of Liverpool, light bend and a trifle toned, a scarce cancellation. S.G. 126, cat. £675. Photo. £80-£100
- 1331 ○ 5s. rose plate 1 HJ, lower marginal example showing part of the inscription, used with Dundee c.d.s.'s, fine. S.G. 126. Photo. £250-£300
- 1332 ○ 5s. pale rose plate 2 GB-HC scarce used block of four, a few perfs. separated, minor imperfections, otherwise fine. S.G. 127, cat £6,000 as singles. Photo. £750-£800
- 1333 ○ 10s. greenish grey and £1 brown-lilac, both used with central c.d.s.'s, the latter also with red crayon, minor faults. S.G. 128, 129, cat. £7,700. Photo. £600-£700



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- 1334 ○ 10s. greenish grey HC, fine used with complete central and upright "ST ENOCH SQUARE/21 OC/82" c.d.s. S.G. 128, cat. £3,200. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 1335 P £1 die proof, very fine progressive proof with outer frame lines, printed in black on white glazed card (91 x 60mm), dated "Apr. 16, 1878", scarce. Photo. £2,800-£3,000
- 1336 P £1 die proof, very fine progressive die proof with outer frame lines removed, printed in black on white glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "Apr. 16, 1878", scarce. Photo. £2,800-£3,000
- 1337 S £1 brown-lilac BH overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 and FF overprinted type 8, without gum, BH heavily toned, FF with some staining. S.G. 129s., Spec. J126t., cat. £12,000. Photo. £300-£400



- 1338 ○ £1 brown-lilac HF fine used with neat London c.d.s. Brandon certificate (1999). S.G. 129, cat. £4,500. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

1882 – 83 Watermark Large Anchor Blued Paper



Ex 1337



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- 1339 ○ 5s. rose plate 4 GB, used with London hooded cancellation, short perf. at lower right. R.P.S. certificate (2014) notes "toned perforations". S.G. 130, Spec. J123, cat. £4,800. Photo. £500-£600
- 1340 S £5 orange AC overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, a few tiny imperfections, otherwise very fine and fresh with large part original gum, excellent appearance. S.G. 133s, Spec. J128s, cat. £3,500. Ex Young. Photo. £600-£800



- 1341 S £5 orange CL overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 twice at sides and type 11 centrally, fresh with part original gum, some creasing and a few tiny tone spots on gum, very fine appearance. S.G. 133s, Spec. J128u (erroneously listed as being on white paper), cat. £7,500. Ex Young. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

1882 – 83 Watermark Large Anchor White Paper



- 1342 ○ 5s. rose plate 4 EB, used with London hooded cancellation, fine. S.G. 134, cat. £4,200. Photo. £400-£500

1882 – 83 Watermark Large Anchor White Paper



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- 1343 ○ £5 orange BF, used with Glasgow c.d.s., blue crayon, otherwise fine. S.G. 137, cat. £4,750. Photo. £500-£600
- 1344 ○ £5 orange DL, fine used, with “REGISTERED/THREADNEEDLE ST” oval datestamp. S.G. 137, cat. £4,750. Photo. £1,000-£1,200

1873 – 80

- 1345 ○ 2½d. rosy mauve, a used accumulation comprising watermark Anchor plate 1 (71), 2 (51), 3 (14), watermark Orb plate 3 (4), 4 (56), 5 (48), 6 (38), 7 (50), 8 (45), 9 (46), 10 (52), 11 (75), 12 (70), 13 (33), 15 (33), 16 (54) and 17 (7), range of cancellations, very mixed condition. (100s) £1,500-£2,000
- 1346 ○ 2½d., a mainly c.d.s. used selection, incl. watermark anchor rosy-mauve (3), one with Helensborough c.d.s., watermark orb rosy-mauve (17) incl. used with neat upright London c.d.s., used with French c.d.s., plate 17 used with Bute Docks c.d.s., watermark orb blue (5), etc., mainly fine. (25). Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 1347 2½d. rosy mauve watermark anchor plate 1 on blue paper, rosy-mauve plate 2 on white paper, watermark orb blue plate 17, all unused with part original gum, also both colours overprinted “SPECIMEN”, mainly fine. (5) £350-£400
- 1348 ○ 2½d. rosy mauve watermark anchor on blued paper plate 3 KI, used with London c.d.s. S.G. 138, cat. £5,750. Photo. £500-£600
- 1349 ○ 2½d. rosy mauve watermark anchor on white paper plate 2 LH-FL error of lettering, good used with barred cancellation. S.G. 140, cat. £2,750. Photo. £250-£300
- 1350 ★ 2½d. rosy mauve watermark orb plate 14 FH fine and fresh lightly mounted mint. S.G. 141, cat. £525. Photo. £120-£140



Ex 1346



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- 1351 田 P 2½d. watermark orb plate 15 KC-LD imperforate colour trial block of four in pale blue with watermark inverted, some light creasing and LD with small tear at right, otherwise fine without gum, attractive. Very rare. S.G. Spec. J16, cat. £16,000. Ex Young. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 1352 ★ 2½d. rosy-mauve watermark orb plate 17 BK, mint, centred to right, fine and fresh. S.G. 141, cat. £1,700. Photo. £200-£250



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Ex 1360

- 1353 ⚙️ 2½d. blue watermark orb plate 19 AE, fine and fresh unmounted mint. S.G. 142, cat. £575+. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1354 ○ 3d. watermark spray, a c.d.s. used selection, incl. plate 11 used with Blackpool c.d.s (R.P.S. certificate, 1997), plate 17 used with Belfast c.d.s. (R.P.S. certificate, 1997), plate 19 used with Middlesborough c.d.s. (R.P.S. certificate, 1997), plate 20 used with London c.d.s., etc., also unused pair and unused part original gum single, mainly fine. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1355 ★ 3d. rose watermark spray plate 16 DC very fine and fresh mint with large part original gum, excellent colour. S.G. 144, cat. £450. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1356 ⚙️ 3d. rose watermark spray plate 18 OF, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 144, cat. £525. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1357 ★ 3d. rose watermark spray plate 20 EG very fine and fresh mint with large part original gum. S.G. 144, cat. £850. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1358 ○ 6d. grey watermark spray, a c.d.s. used selection, incl. plate 17 used with Wrexham c.d.s (R.P.S. certificate, 1997), etc., also example overprinted specimen and an example used with barred cancellation, mainly fine. (9) **£600-£700**
- 1359 ○ 6d. grey watermark spray plate 13 wing margin example and 1s. plate 12 (2), used with Sea Post Office c.d.s's, fine strikes. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1360 ○ 1s. green watermark spray, a c.d.s. used group, incl. plate 8 used with red London Paid c.d.s., plate 9 used with Ballymena c.d.s., plate 11 used with Liverpool c.d.s., plate 12 used with Halesworth c.d.s., etc., also an example overprinted "SPECIMEN", mainly fine. (8) **£800-£1,000**
- 1361 ○ 1s. green watermark spray plate 8 FA-GB block of four used with neat Dundee c.d.s's, fine. S.G. 150. Photo. **£400-£500**



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- 1362 ☒ S 1s. green watermark spray plate 13 BL overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, tied by trial "A P/LONDON/17 JA/79/1" duplex to unaddressed envelope with embossed oval "POST OFFICE" seal on reverse, most unusual and probably unique (2½d. plate 5 ML and 6d. plate 15 PC are also known thus). S.G. Spec. J113s, var. Ex Young. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1363 ○ 1s. orange-brown watermark spray plate 13 BC, fine used with neat upright Ardrossan c.d.s. R.P.S. certificate (1998). S.G. 151. Photo on page 176. **£400-£500**

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- 1364 ○ 1s. orange-brown watermark spray plate 13 DJ, used with Liverpool squared circle cancellation. S.G. 151. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1365 ★ 1s. orange-brown watermark spray plate 13 KK variety 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. **£1,500-£1,800**
- 1366 ○ 1876 watermark large garter, a used selection comprising 4d. vermilion used with Lymington c.d.s., 4d. sage-green used with Hamilton c.d.s., 4d. grey-brown used with Edinburgh c.d.s. and with indistinct squared circle cancellation, and 8d. used with Dumfries c.d.s. and with barred numeral "92" cancellation. (6) **£600-£700**
- 1367 S 8d. orange watermark large garter plate 1 CI imperforate colour trial in brown-orange, diagonally overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, fine with part gum. S.G. Spec. J91A, cat. £425. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1368 ☆ 8d. orange watermark large garter plate 1 LC, unused, cleaned at top, otherwise fine. S.G. 156, cat. £1,850. Photo. **£100-£150**

1880 – 83

- 1369 ○ A used selection, incl. 3d. plate 20 used with Lochilthead c.d.s., plate 21 used with New Barnet c.d.s., 4d. plate 18 used with London c.d.s. in red, 1s. plate 13 used with Irvine c.d.s., plate 14 used with March c.d.s., etc., mainly fine. (14) **£700-£800**



- 1370 P 2½d. plate 21 cut down die proof with void corner squares, affixed to piece from De La Rue Striking Book, endorsed '1880/Nov 20th/240 Leads', a little soiled as usual. Unique. S.G. Spec. J23, cat. from £1,650. Ex Young. Photo. **£600-£700**



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- 1371 P 2½d. blue plate 21 AI imprimatur, with good margins, large part original gum. S.G. Spec. J23, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1372 ○ 2½d. blue plate 22 AA-TL used reconstruction, mainly good to fine, a few with c.d.s.'s (240). S.G. 157, cat. £10,800. **£250-£300**
- 1373 P 2½d. blue plate 23 AJ imprimatur, with good margins, large part original gum. S.G. Spec. J23, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£300-£400**



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- 1374 ○ 3d. plate 20 NA used with London fancy geometric postmark (type IA), fine large part strike. Brandon certificate (2002). Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1375 P 3d. rose plate 21 AD imprimatur, with ample to good margins and part original gum, few gum wrinkles otherwise fine and rare. S.G. Spec. J45A, cat. £4,500. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1376 P 3d. on 3d. lilac GK imprimatur, part original gum, heavy hinge remainders, otherwise fine and very scarce. S.G. 159, Spec. K8A, cat. £2,750. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1377 S 3d. on 3d. and 6d. on 6d. upper right corner example overprinted "SPECIMEN", both with gum, the latter lightly toned. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1378 ○ 3d. on 3d. used with Harrow c.d.s. in blue, 6d. on 6d. (4) used with Peel Causeway c.d.s., used with Hythe c.d.s. (R.P.S. certificate, 1998), used with indistinct c.d.s., and example with left dot only used with Hull c.d.s., slightly mixed. (5). Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1379 ✱ 4d. grey-brown plate 18 CA, unmounted mint left marginal example, minor creasing, otherwise fine, also plate 17 PC overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum and heavy creasing. B.P.A. certificate (1983). S.G. 160, cat. £450. Photo. **£150-£200**



Ex 1379



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Ex 1382

- 1380 P 4d. grey-brown plate 18 FG imprimatur, with ample to good margins and part original gum, fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. J69, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1381 P 6d. on 6d. lilac II imprimatur, minor corner thin, part original gum, otherwise fine and rare. S.G. 162, Spec. K8B, cat. £3,250. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1382 S 1s. orange-brown plates 13 GG and 14 MG both overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum. S.G. 163s, cat. £700. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1383 P 1s. purple plate 13 AE very fine and fresh imperforate imprimatur with part original gum, rare. One of only 35 possible examples many of which are in institutional collections. Photo. **£4,000-£5,000**
- 1384 ○ 1s. orange-brown plate 13 IA apparently unused but with cleaned manuscript cancellation and plate 14 AC mint with part original gum but faults. S.G. 163. **£80-£100**

1880 - 81 'Provisional' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL



- 1385 P ½d. to 5d., the remarkable assembly of all the De La Rue Striking Book pieces for this issue, comprising ½d. (2), 1d. (3), 1½d., 2d. (annotated with plate details on reverse) and 5d., usual condition for these unique proofs. (9). S.G. Spec. K1-K6, cat. £10,050. Ex. Young. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- 1386 P ½d. pale green to 5d. indigo set of imprimaturs, good to fine and fresh with part to large part original gum. (5). S.G. Spec. K1-K6, cat. £3,325. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 1387 ½d. to 5d. selection, incl. 2d. used with neat Bedford c.d.s., 5d. used with neat London c.d.s., ½d. left marginal block of four mint, ½d. (2), 1d., 1½d., 2d. and 5d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., mixed condition. (22) £200-£250
- 1388 ⚬ ½d., 1d., 1½d. and 2d., and 1881 1d. lilac, mainly fine unmounted mint. (5) £120-£150

The following five proofs are all struck in black on glazed cards (92 x 60mm)



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- 1389 P A proof of the head die only (used in the production of other values as well), dated "July 14 1879" and stamped "BEFORE/HARDENING", very fine. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**

- 1390 P 1d. die 1 Master Die proof with corner letters M-E-H-R, dated "Aug 19 1879" and stamped "BEFORE/STRIKING", shows developing crack to the NW corner square, very fine. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£600-£700**



Ex 1386



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- 1391 P 1d. die 1 Master Die proof without corner letters, dated "24 DEC 79" and stamped "AFTER STRIKING" (having been taken after a further 12 plates had been made which were never used), shows developing crack to the NW corner square, this proof is vertical format (60 x 92mm), the hub was not fully cleared and part of the punch no. "236" appears in reverse at foot, very fine. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**



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- 1392 P 1d. die 2 Master Die proof without corner letters, dated "27 AUG 79" and endorsed 'No. 2 die/soft' (dies 2 and 3 were never hardened as the design became obsolete), very fine. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**

- 1393 P 1d. die 3 Master Die proof without corner letters, dated "Sep 1 79" and stamped "3" and "BEFORE HARDENING" (dies 2 and 3 were never hardened as the design became obsolete), very fine. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**

- 1394 ★ 1d. Venetian-red AD variety imperforate, with part original gum, signed on reverse. R.P.S. certificate (2014) states "has been cleaned of soiling reducing colour and lightly regummed". S.G. 166a, cat. £5,800. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1880 - 81 'Provisional' Issue, Including fine material From the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL continued



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- 1395 P 1d. AL colour trial in mauve, perf. 14 on watermarked paper without gum, very fine. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. from £4,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1396 P 1½d. colour trial in carmine-pink, perf. 14 on gummed, watermarked paper, a lower left corner marginal example, very fine and fresh. Very scarce. S.G. Spec. K4, cat. from £3,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1397 P 1½d. colour trial in blue, perf. 14 on gummed, watermarked paper, very fine and fresh. Very scarce. S.G. Spec. K4, cat. from £3,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£900**
- 1398 P 1½d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "27 JUL 80" in blue and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING" in red, very fine. S.G. Spec. K4, cat. £1,600. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1399 P 2d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "3 NOV 80" and endorsed 'After Striking', very fine. S.G. Spec. K5, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1400 P 5d. colour trials, a set of four Postal Fiscal 1881 die 4 1d. colour trials in grey-blue, claret, dull purple and brown-purple, perf. 14 on gummed watermarked paper for this value. S.G. Spec. L123, cat. £840. Ex. Young. Photo. *These trials were also submitted by De La Rue when quoting for the proposed Parcel Post stamps.* **£200-£250**
- 1401 S 5d. indigo strip of three each handstamped "SPECIMEN" type 9, with full original lightly creased gum, pulled perf. at base, otherwise very fresh and attractive. S.G. 169s, cat. £480). Photo. **£100-£150**



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Ex 1400



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The 1881 Unified One Penny - The Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL, Collection

- 1402 P A die proof of the Queen's head die (no. 235) engraved by Daniel Pound, from which a punch (no. 238) was used for the new 1d. Unified, in black with rectangular background of horizontal lines, uncleared surround, on glazed card cut down to 20 x 27mm and mounted in sunken card (30 x 72mm) used for exhibition purposes, very fine. An important proof. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



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Ex 1403

- 1403 P** The Pearl motif in the 1d. lilac frame, three “BEFORE HARDENING” die proofs in black on glazed cards (92 x 60mm), being Ceylon 1872–80 2r.50c. dated “Nov 27, 1878”; 1887 1r.12c. dated “7 AUG 85”, with 14 pearls and 17 pearls in each corner respectively, echoing the change from 14 to 16 pearls of the 1881 1d., and India 1882–90 ½a. dated “19 MAY 81” and endorsed ‘*Punch/no 44*’ in red ink, the design bearing a marked similarity to the 1881 1d. (the Indian design was submitted on December 3rd 1880, while the proposed design for the 1881 was submitted to the Board on April 17th 1881). The last a little soiled, otherwise fine. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1404 P** Original piece no. 832 from De La Rue ink recipe book for ‘*Receipt Purple*’ used for ‘*Indian Receipt*’ and with note in red ‘*This Recipe remain(s) the same except in the case of dry Receipt Color which is the New Receipt as in No. 952*’, photocopies of recipes 950, 951 and 952 each for ‘*1d. Unified Postage*’, each with the appropriate block of four Queen Victoria large head dummy stamp attached, some staining as usual. **£250-£300**

1881 die I 14 dots One Penny

- 1405** 1d. lilac and 1d. die II a mainly mint collection on leaves, incl. die I overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, die II imprimaturs (2), 1d. watermark inverted in a block of four with interval margin, a good range of controls with “A” single, “B” (4), “C” (2), etc. (few 100s) **£800-£1,000**
- 1406** 1d. lilac, a selection, incl. die I mint, die II imprimatur, example with frame break at base used, imperf. plate proofs in lilac on green (2), two examples overprinted “SPECIMEN”, unmounted mint pair with extra row of perforations, two examples with offsets on reverse (one with three part impressions and the other with full impression), used example with “SDC” perfin, two bisects used on piece, example with part Bickerdike machine cancellation on piece, strip of three with paquebot cancellation, few officials with Army “OFFICIAI” mint (not guaranteed), etc., mixed condition. (41) **£400-£500**
- 1407 P** 1d. lilac, die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated “6 MAY 81” and stamped “BEFORE HARDENING”, fine. S.G. Spec. K7, cat. £1,500. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1408** 1d. lilac, a mint and used selection, incl. die I left marginal block of four overprinted “SPECIMEN”, imperf. plates proofs in lilac (2, one on buff and one on green), etc., slightly mixed condition. (27) **£250-£300**



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- 1409 P** 1d. lilac plate 3 imprimatur, a top-left corner example (numbered in pencil on margin), with gum. S.G. Spec. K7, cat. £420. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 1410 O** 1d. lilac variety watermark inverted, fine used, very scarce. S.G. 170Wi, cat. £600. Ex. Young. Photo. **£200-£250**

1881 die II 16 dots One Penny - The Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL, Collection



1411 P 1d., a die proof in lilac, an unusual impression from an original die on unsurfaced white laid paper (54 x 69mm), thought to be made experimentally by De la Rue for the Inspector of the Board on his distinctive paper in response to a claim that copies of the 1d. could be made fraudulently by 'set-offs' on the unprinted interpanneau margins, see De La Rue's letter to Somerset House of 29 November, 1886, Correspondence Book, 6.81. Photo.

£500-£600



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1412 P 1d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "22 FEB 84" and initialled 'N.G.' in black ink, very fine. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £1,500. Photo.

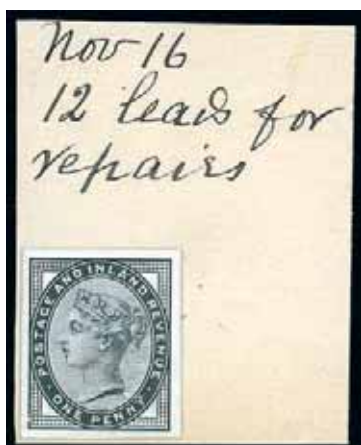
£400-£500

1413 P 1d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "22 AUG 81" in blue and initialled 'R.K.' in black ink, minor bends, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £1,500. Photo.

£300-£400

1414 P 1d. die proof in black on glazed card, cut down to stamp size and mounted on piece (57 x 88mm) from De La Rue Striking book inscribed with the dates between 'Dec 14' and 'Jan 22' that 240 leads for each plate 127–132 were taken, very fine. Unique. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £1,500. Photo.

£700-£800



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- 1415 P 1d. die proof in black on glazed card, cut down to stamp size and mounted on piece (44 x 55mm) from De La Rue Striking book, inscribed 'Nov 16/12 leads for/repairs', trivial surface rubbing but very fine. Unique. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £1,500. Photo. **£700-£800**

- 1416 P 1d. die proof in black on glazed card cut down to stamp size and mounted in sunken card (34 x 44mm) endorsed 'No 253' in red ink, used for exhibition purposes, very fine. Unique. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



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- 1417 P 1d., an imperforate plate proof in black on thick unwatermarked white wove paper, pencil note 'Lot 41, Robson Lowe, 15-10-47' on reverse, very fine and very rare. Only 12 units have been cut from the 135 proof sheets in the British Library, four are in the Royal collection and six in the Tapling collection. S.G. Spec. K8. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

- 1418 P 1d., a proof in lilac on stout yellowish card, cut small with just clear to 1mm margins, most unusual, apparently unlisted by S.G. Photo. **£500-£600**

- 1419 P 1d. colour trial in a slate-blue shade, imperforate on gummed Crown watermarked white paper, very fine and fresh with large part original gum. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. from £3,250 each. Photo. **£800-£900**



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Ex 1424



Ex 1422



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- 1420 P 1d. colour trial in light brown, perf 14 on gummed Crown watermarked white paper, fine and fresh with part original gum. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. from £3,250. Photo. **£700-£800**

- 1421 P 1d. colour trial in crimson, perf 14 on gummed Crown watermarked white paper, fine and fresh with part 'flat' original gum having presumably been removed from an official document. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. from £3,250. Photo. **£700-£800**

- 1422 P 1d. colour trials in contrasting shades of green and blue-green, perf. 14 on gummed Crown watermarked white paper, former regummed, latter with part original gum (heavily mounted with hinge remainders), otherwise fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. from £3,250 each. Photo. **£500-£700**

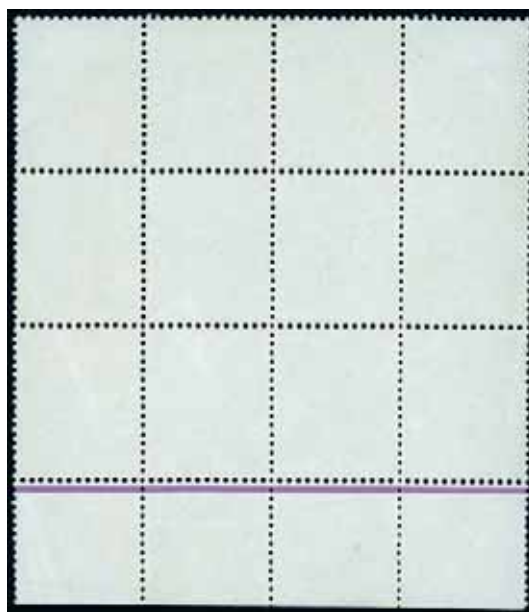
- 1423 P 1d. colour trial in purple on pink, perf 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, very fine and fresh with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. from £3,000. Photo. **£800-£900**

- 1424 P 1d. lilac, three imprimaturs, one an upper right corner marginal example in a distinctly bluish shade, without marginal rules, endorsed '15' and '79' in ink in the margin, the '79' crossed out in pencil and with a further '15' endorsed (also in pencil), slight creasing and sheet margin thinned at right, a right marginal example with marginal rule, scissor cut and tear in sheet margin, otherwise fine, the other a non marginal single with pencil '22' on gum, small thins. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £750. Photo. **£150-£200**

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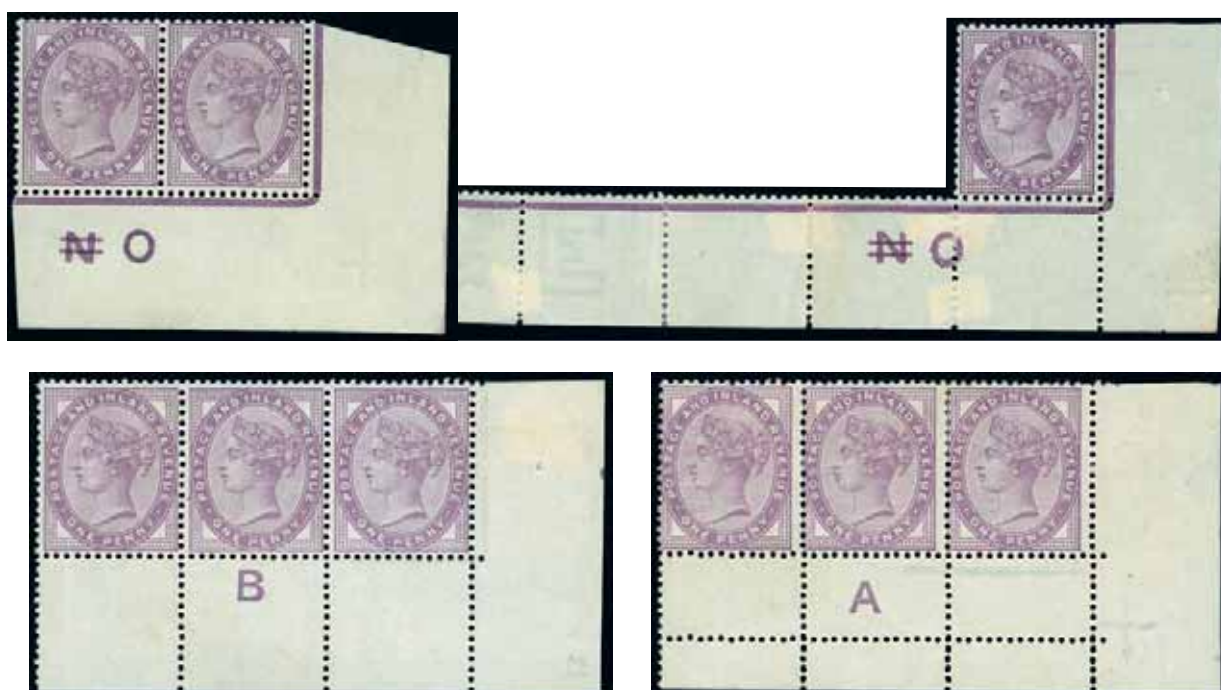


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- 1425 P 1d., two examples cancelled by the "PORTSMOUTH/IL/JA 5/85" squared circle trial cancellation, one chemically treated in an attempt to remove the cancellation, affixed to De La Rue 'Appendix B' piece (163 x 207mm) dated 'November 17th 1892', very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 256, 'Any stamp from these appendices cancelled with Portsmouth trial cancellation', cat. £2,100 each. Photo. **£600-£800**
- 1426 ▲ E 1d. lilac affixed to piece (114 x 188mm, folded in half for display) from De La Rue records with trial embossed "NEWCASTLE ON TYNE/29/1/91" cancellation, inscribed '5. Newcastle' at upper left, very fine. *From the 'Homersham' scheme which involved 'applying adhesive stamps to documents to express the stamps duty with an overprint embossed cancelling stamp'. Seven dies were cut, each with a different town name and dated 29. 1. 91, but De La Rue were ambivalent about the scheme when asked to comment on February 20th 1885.* Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1427 ☐ E 1d., essay for the marginal rules, a marginal block of twelve (4 x 3) perforated labels on gummed unwatermarked paper, with hand painted marginal rule, two stamps mounted, fine. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£100-£150**





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- 1428 ☉ 田 1d. lilac single with inverted “X” control, imperforate margin, few gum creases, otherwise fine mint, scarce. S.G. Spec. KC53a. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1429 ★ 1d., a selection of mint corner marginal control items (12), comprising marginal setting (1B) with no marginal rule, controls “A” and “B” strips of three and controls “I” and “J” pairs; marginal setting (2) with marginal rule, plate 65 (the first to be registered with marginal rule) controls “G” and “K” pairs and controls “H”, “I”, “J” and “L” strips of three, all with perf. margins; and control “O” over “N” pair with imperf. margin (plate 87), and corner marginal piece for R20/8–12 with the corner stamp remaining, with perf. margin (plate 90), condition a little varied but a very scarce group. S.G. Spec. K8, cat. £8,830 (incl. 50% premium for corner marginal pairs). Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**



- 1430 ★ 1d. in a mint lower strip of twelve without control, also “POSTAGE” watermark inverted in the margin (stamps with upright watermark), fine and rare. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1431 ★ 1d. lilac control “V” corner marginal strip of three, with a spectacular printing variety due to a double paper fold resulting in the control being omitted and part of the corner stamp unprinted, the missing portions being printed on the reverse, fine mint. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1432 ★ 田 1d. lilac, a mint upper right corner marginal block of 10 (2 x 5) showing a most unusual watermark variety, the “P” of the marginal double lined “POSTAGE” watermark being replaced by a single lined version which has become detached and is lying at an angle at the left of [R3/12], minor natural gum creases and a little soiled, otherwise fine. S.G. 172var. Photo on page 186. **£200-£250**
- 1433 ★ 1d. lilac collection of mint control singles incl. inverted “X” with margin perf. through, mainly fine. The property of another vendor. (17) **£150-£200**
- 1434 ★ 1d., a group of mint perf. selva controls, incl. B, D, E, F, G, (2), I (2), J (2), X inverted, etc., some unmounted, mixed condition. The property of another vendor. (36 items) **£100-£150**
- 1435 ☒ 1d., a group of covers bearing this issue, incl. 1895 (May 3) envelope to Tunbridge Wells bearing 1d. tied NPB rectangle, 1896 (Aug. 10) cover to Dublin bearing 1d. tied House of Commons duplex, 1896 (Mar. 13) envelope to Belgium bearing 1d. (1) and Jubilee ½d. and 3d., 1900 (Sep. 21) picture postcard from Jersey to Versailles bearing 1d. tied St Malo c.d.s., also 1d. used on piece with Beaconsfield squared circle and British Army S Africa c.d.s. alongside, etc. The property of another vendor. (17 covers and 3 pieces) **£250-£300**
- 1436 田 S 1d. bluish lilac, an upper right corner marginal block of twelve (6 x 2) overprinted “SPECIMEN” type 9, four stamps with small splits caused by individual letters of the overprints, otherwise very fine and fresh with gum (stamps unmounted), usual gum wrinkles. S.G. 172as, cat. £720+. Photo on page 186. **£250-£300**



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Ex 1444



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1881 die II 16 dots One Penny - The Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL, Collection continued



- 1437 ★ 1d. mauve, an imperforate lower marginal example with control “M”, exceptionally fine mint with large part original gum, minor wrinkles, superb colour. Very rare. S.G. Spec. K8e, cat. £7,000 for a pair. Photo. No imprimaturs were registered with controls “E”, “L” or “M” so this cannot have emanated from a spare registration sheet. **£1,500-£2,000**
- 1438 ▲ 1d. mauve, an imperforate top marginal example tied to small piece by “DE 22/98” circular datestamp, slight crease at lower right corner, otherwise fine and most unusual. S.G. Spec. K8e, cat. £7,000 for a pair. Photo. No imprimaturs were registered with controls “E”, “L” or “M”, nor later than January 1889, so this cannot have emanated from a spare registration sheet. Imperforate stamps appeared at Post Offices in Southampton (1885), Ipswich (1896) and Hammersmith (1898). **£300-£400**



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- 1439 ★ 1d. lilac variety no watermark, a marginal example from the right of the sheet, endorsed ‘14.3.83’ in margin, a little heavily mounted, otherwise fine mint with large part original gum. Very rare. S.G. 172f, cat. £8,000. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**
- 1440 ★ 1d. lilac variety printed on gummed side, left marginal example, creasing in margin, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec K8g, cat. £900. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1441 ★ 1d. printed both sides with split impression, mint, some rubbing, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. K8h, cat. £900. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1442 ★ 1d. lilac R1/1–3 upper left corner strip of three with R1/2 showing the frame break at foot, R1/3 also showing frame damage at foot, very fine and fresh mint. S.G. Spec. K8j, cat. £950+ . Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1443 ★ 1d. lilac strip of three with the centre stamp displaying “frame broken at bottom”, mint, pulled perf. at base of variety, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. K8j, cat. £950. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1444 ★ 1d. lilac with “PEARS’/SOAP” advertisement in outline letters on reverse, two examples, one in pale blue and the other in deep blue, former marginal with a little colour loss on front from hinging, latter hinged on both sides, fine mint. Each with R.P.S. certificate (1977). S.G. Spec. K8l, cat. from £650 each. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1445 ★ 1d. lilac with “PEARS’/SOAP” advertisement in pale blue outline letters on reverse, mint (unhinged on gummed side) example from the right of the sheet, fine. Copy of Brandon certificate (1994) for a pair. S.G. Spec. K8l, cat. £650. The property of another vendor. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1446 ★ 1d. lilac with “PEARS’/SOAP” advertisement in orange outline letters on reverse, hinged on front with slight colour loss, otherwise fine mint. S.G. Spec. K8l, cat. from £650. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1447 ★ 1d. lilac with “PEARS’/SOAP.” advertisement in mauve outline letters on reverse, hinged on both sides, slight gum crease, otherwise fine mint. S.G. Spec. K8l, cat. from £650. Photo. **£120-£150**

1881 die II 16 dots One Penny - The Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL, Collection continued

- 1448 C 1d. lilac overprinted "CANCELLED", type 14, fine with gum. S.G. Spec. K8u, cat. £950. The property of another vendor. Photo on page 186. **£150-£200**
- 1449 C 1d. lilac with diagonal manuscript "CANCELLED", affixed to card, fine. S.G. Spec. K8var. The property of another vendor. Photo on page 186. **£100-£150**
- 1450 ★ 1d. lilac pair with a pre-printing paper fold affecting both stamps, unmounted mint, tear along fold and some toned perfs., unusual. S.G. 172 var. The property of another vendor. Photo on page 186. **£200-£250**



- 1451 1d. lilac line perf. 14 from the "Before and After Stamp Committee" album of 1884, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1992). The property of another vendor. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1452 ★ 1d. deep purple, a dramatically mis-perforated horizontal pair, cut from the sheet with scissors, very fine and fresh mint. S.G. 173var. Photo on page 186. **£200-£250**
- 1453 ★ 1d. deep purple plate 79 control "O" corner pair and control "P" corner strip, the former with R20/12 showing frame damage at right, the latter with R20/12 substituted cliché, very fine and fresh mint. Photo on page 186. **£150-£200**



- 1454 E 1901 King Edward VII Series A 1d. lilac composite paste-up essay with three-quarter face likeness, on glazed card (92 x 60mm) with manuscript date 'MARCH 12 - 1901.' at upper right, very fine and rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 2, page 14, this essay unpriced, others priced between £11,000 and £14,000. Photo. **£3,000-£4,000**



- 1455 E 1901 King Edward VII Series B 1d. lilac composite paste-up essay with quarter face likeness, cut down mounted on stamp sized card, horizontal crease has broken the surface, otherwise fine. Rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 2, page 14, cat. £11,000. Photo. **£500-£600**

*Fourth Session Lots 1456–2003**Thursday October 26th at 2 pm***1883 - 88 High Values**

- 1456 P 2s.6d. die proof without corner letters, in black on glazed card (93 x 61mm), dated "11 APR 83" and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", very fine. S.G. Spec. K9, cat. £2,800. Ex Young. Photo. **£700-£800**

1883 - 84 Watermark Anchor on Blued Paper

Ex 1457



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- 1457 S 2s.6d. lilac KE and white paper 2s.6d. AG, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine. S.G. Spec. K9s, K10s, cat. £1,025. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1458 S 5s. rose DA, an imperforate left marginal example showing just a hint of bluing, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, exceptionally fine and fresh with virtually full original gum, usual minor gum wrinkles. S.G. SPEC. K11u., cat. £4,250. Ex Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1883 - 84 Watermark Anchor on White Paper

- 1459 A high value accumulation with 2s.6d. (5, plus a block of four), 5s. (2 mint, 4 used) and 10s. (13), also with 1867-83 5s. plate 2 and plate 4 (2, one perfined), K.E.VII 2s.6d. (3, one mint), and Seahorses with Waterlow 2s.6d. mint (2), and mixed printings used to 2s.6d. (8), 5s. (20), 10s. (5), very mixed condition. **£500-£600**
- 1460 ★ 2s.6d. lilac unmounted mint and 5s. crimson mint, the first with vertical crease and the second with two small patches of staining, otherwise fine. S.G. 178, 181, cat. £1,575. Photo on page 190. **£200-£250**
- 1461 O A used complete plate reconstruction of the 2s.6d., and a part reconstruction of the 5s. (about half stamps present), very mixed condition. (178) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 1462 O 2s.6d., three singles and a pair, each fine used with neat central c.d.s's. Photo on page 190. **£400-£500**
- 1463 O 2s.6d. AF-AG and 5s. HE-HF used pairs, fine. S.G. 178, 180. Photo on page 190. **£150-£200**
- 1464 O 5s. rose DH very fine used, cancelled by narrow violet bars and superb complete strike of "MICHELDEVER/STATION/L&S.W.RY" oval in black, most attractive. S.G. 180. Photo on page 190. **£100-£120**
- 1465 O 5s. rose HA and crimson MC, both fine used with central Newmarket c.d.s's. Each with R.P.S. certificate (1997). Photo on page 190. **£200-£250**



Ex 1460



Ex 1462



Ex 1463



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Ex 1465



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Ex 1459



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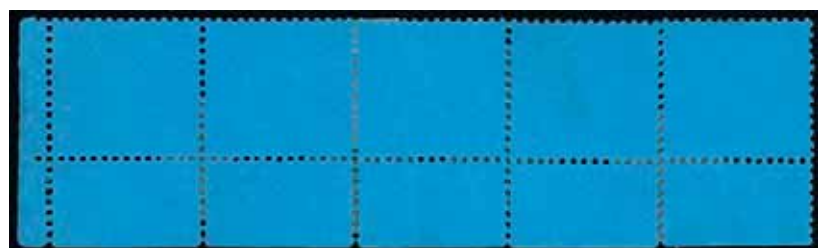
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Ex 1482

1883 - 84 Watermark Anchor on White Paper continued

- 1466 ✪ 5s. deep bright crimson MH, a very fine and fresh unmounted mint example from right of sheet, striking shade. Hendon certificate (2012). S.G. 181, cat. £975+. Photo. **£400-£450**
- 1467 ○ 10s. ultramarine AE very fine used with neat "NORWICH/JA 11/96" c.d.s., most attractive. S.G. 183. Photo. **£100-£120**



- 1468 ✪ 10s. ultramarine GA, a fresh unmounted mint example from lower left corner of sheet, upper corner perf. minor gum crease, otherwise very fine. R.P.S. certificate (2014). S.G. 183, cat. £2,250+. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1469 ○ 10s. ultramarine JF used with neat central Birmingham c.d.s., fine. R.P.S. certificate (1997). S.G. 183. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1470 ○ 10s. ultramarine KE-LF used block of four, some light perf. reinforcement and small faint surface stain affecting KE, otherwise a fine and scarce multiple. S.G. 183, Spec. K14(2), cat. £3,500. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1471 ○ 10s. ultramarine LH, fine used, cancelled with the scarce "TELEPHONE ROOM/NEWCASTLE ON TYNE" c.d.s. for Nov. 12 1887, an early date for this cancel, excellent colour. S.G. 183. Photo. **£80-£120**

1884 Watermark Crowns

- 1472 ○ £1 brown-lilac CC, good used with London Duplex. S.G. 185, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£300-£350**



- 1473 S £1 brown-lilac LD, very fine and fresh example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, with original gum, very light vertical bend, lovely colour. S.G. 185s, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1474 ○ £1 brown-lilac KB used with Inverness c.d.s.s, vertical crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 185, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1475 S £1 brown-lilac RA overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, a few perfs just blunted and small ink mark on gum, otherwise fine with large part original gum (lightly toned), excellent colour. S.G. 185s, cat. £2,800. Ex Young. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1476 S £1 brown-lilac TC, lower marginal overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 with part original gum, toning and with imperfections, otherwise fine. S.G. 185s, Spec. K15t, cat. £2,800. Photo. **£350-£400**

1888 Watermark Orbs Error



- 1477 S £1 brown-lilac AD-BD upper right corner marginal vertical pair overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, exceptionally fresh with large part to full original gum, diagonal crease and usual gum creasing not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine and of superb colour. A rare multiple. S.G. 186s, Spec. K16s, cat. £13,600. Ex Young. Photo, also on front cover. £2,000-£2,500
- 1478 O £1 brown-lilac LC, good used with oval registered datestamps, trace of red crayon. S.G. 186, cat. £4,250. Photo on page 190. £600-£700

1883 - 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL



- 1479 P 1884 Trials and Essays in colour for the Stamp Committee of 1884, a collection of colour trials on unwatermarked coloured papers, comprising perforated 1½d. (7), 2d. (10, incl. 4 lettered TL on piece from ledger page), 2½d. (5) and 3d. (4), and imperforate 1½d. (3, one TL corner marginal in green on orange), 2d. (2) and 2½d., a most interesting study with examples of standard and non-standard combinations, 'abnormals' not used for the doubly fugitive ink trials, mainly good to fine with gum, a few faults. (32). See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 251, cat. £17,800. Ex. Young. Photo.
For the statistical survey of the colour trials for the coloured paper scheme of June 1884, the standard, non-standard and the abnormals, and their use in the period, see 'Printers samples - the colour trials' by Peter Young, GB Journal volume 22 pages 7-8, volume 23 pages 52-57 and volume 24 pages 74-78 £3,000-£4,000
- 1480 田 P 1884 Trials and Essays in colour for the Stamp Committee of 1884, 1½d. purple on grey AI-BJ block of four perforated 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, exceptionally fine and fresh, the lower pair unmounted. A very rare multiple, only 13 blocks are known of these trials of which 8 are in the BPMA. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 251, cat. £2,200+. Ex. Young. Photo. £800-£1,000



1480



1481

- 1481 田 P - 2½d. green on buff KD-LE lower marginal block of four perforated 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, superb, the lower pair unmounted. *A very rare multiple, only thirteen blocks are known of these trials of which eight are in the BPMA.* See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 251, cat. £2,200+. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1482 P - A selection of nine different perforated coloured paper samples on gummed unwatermarked paper, including a 'marginal' pair in yellow and a 'corner marginal' strip of five in blue, mainly very fine. Ex. Young. Photo on page 190. *During the summer of 1884 numerous trials were produced including a number on coloured papers. Some of these papers were also used as samples in their own right. The Committee recommended in 1886 the use of pale blue paper for the 2½d., yellow for the 3d. and red for the 6d.* **£250-£300**
- 1483 ○ P **Colour trials on unwatermarked coloured papers with trial cancellations:** 1½d. purple on orange AD and 2½d. purple on pink LC, both showing evidence of chemical tests, cancelled by "CONTROLLERS OFFICE/L.P.S. DEPT." circular datestamp, the 1½d. on fragment and dated "27 JY/84", corner fault, the 2½d. dated "22 JY/84". See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 252, cat. from £2,000 (these colour/value combinations not listed). Ex. Young. Photo on page 190. **£300-£400**



1484



1485

- 1484 ▲ P - 2d. purple on yellow JG on small piece, cancelled by "6K/EDINBURGH/JY 29/84" circular datestamp on very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 252, cat. from £1,200 (this lettering not listed). Ex. Young. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1485 ▲ P - 3d. purple on pale blue JD on small piece, cancelled by "6K/EDINBURGH/JY 29/84" circular datestamp, very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 252, cat. from £1,200 (this lettering not listed). Ex. Young. Photo. **£250-£300**



1486



Ex 1487

- 1486 P **Colour trials without corner letters on unwatermarked coloured papers, line perf. 14:** 2½d. purple on blue on smooth surfaced paper, exceptionally fine and fresh, small area of gum loss at top. Very rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. £5,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£1,500-£2,000**
- 1487 P - 3d. purple on red on normal surfaced paper and 3d. purple on yellow on rough surfaced paper, both with faults but very rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. £10,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

1883 - 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL continued



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- 1488 P** Colour trials without corner letters on unwatermarked coloured papers, line perf. 14: 1s. purple on yellow on rough surfaced paper, with gum, small imperfections but fine for this and very rare. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253, cat. £5,250. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1489 P** - 1s. cut down die proof in black without corner letters on piece from De La Rue Striking Book, dated 'Dec 13/1884' and endorsed '18 Leads', this being struck for the small plate of 18 units made specially for these trials. *This was the only occasion when the 1s. denomination was used for trials.* Unique. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 253. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1490 P** 1/2d. colour trial in orange, imperforate on gummed, watermarked paper, very fine and fresh. Very scarce. S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 254, cat. from £3,250. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1491 P** 1/2d. colour trial in red, perf. 14 on gummed, watermarked paper, perfs. clipped at left and some short or blunted at top, minor bends, otherwise fine and fresh colour. Very scarce. S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 254, cat. from £3,250. Ex. Young. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 1492 C** 1/2d. to 1s. superb unused set of ten plus an 1881 1d. lilac (die 2, 16 dots) affixed to a page of De La Rue grid lined paper, each stamp overprinted "CANCELLED", type 14. *Extremely rare, believe to be one of only two or three recorded examples in private hands.* Photo. **£6,500-£7,000**



- 1493 P** 1 1/2d. to 1s. set of imperforate imprimaturs, with full or large part original gum, mainly fine. S.G. Spec. K18-26, cat. £9,225. Photo. **£2,500-£3,000**



- 1494 S ½d. to 1s. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, some with lightly toned gum, large part original gum and good colours. S.G.187s-196s, cat. £1,790. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1495 ☼ ½d., 2½d., 4d., 6d., and 1s., unmounted mint, slightly mixed condition. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1496 A mint and used selection, incl. to 3d. (2), 4d. (2), 5d., 6d. (2 singles and block of four), 9d. (2) and 1s. (2) used with c.d.s's, 1s. used with Returned Letter Department cancellation (R.P.S. certificate, 2005), 6d. unused, values to 5d., 6d. (2), 9d. and 1s. overprinted "SPECIMEN", etc., slightly mixed condition. (37) **£800-£1,000**
- 1497 ☆ ½d. slate-blue with watermark inverted, fine unused. S.G. 187Wi, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1498 P 1½d. BA colour trial in purple on pink, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1499 P 1½d. DC colour trial in purple on buff, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1500 P 1½d. FL colour trial in lilac on orange-brown and 2½d. JC in green on buff, perf. 14, former has vertical crease, latter has no gum. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1501 P 1½d. JI colour trial in purple on orange, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1502 P 1½d. TF colour trial in green on orange, imperf., on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1503 P 2d. AE colour trial in purple on yellow, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1504 P 2d. BT colour trial blue-green on white, perf. 14, on gummed watermarked paper, minor gum disturbance, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**



- 1505 E P 2½d. die proof essay for corner letters HT-TH, in black on glazed card (92 x 61mm) dated "28 JUL 83" and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", very fine. *These corner letters would have been impossible on a horizontal format sheet of stamps.* S.G. Spec. K20, this proof not listed. Ex. Young. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1506 P 2½d. colour trials in purple on pink and in green on yellow, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, the latter with crease, otherwise fine. Photo. **£250-£300**

1883 - 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL continued



- 1507 ▲ P 2d. CC colour trial in purple on yellow, perf. 14, used on piece with full "MANCHESTER/AB 21/JY 8/84" experimental duplex from Postmaster Beaufort, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1508 ▲ P 2d. CC colour trial in purple on pink, perf. 14, used on piece with full "MANCHESTER/AB 21/JY 8/84" experimental duplex from Postmaster Beaufort, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1509 P 2½d. JF colour trial in green on buff, perf. 14, used on piece with "6K/EDINBURGH/JY 29/84" experimental c.d.s. from Postmaster Cunynghame, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1510 P 2½d. JH colour trial in purple on pink, perf. 14, used on piece with "6K/EDINBURGH/JY 29/84" experimental c.d.s. from Postmaster Cunynghame, fine. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1511 P 3d. FH colour trial in purple on blue, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1512 P 3d. SC colour trial in purple on green, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1513 P 3d. TC colour trial in green on green, perf. 14, on gummed unwatermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1514 P 3d. TD colour trial in blue on white, imperf., on gummed watermarked paper, fine. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1515 P 4d. die proof without corner letters, in black on glazed card, dated "13 JUL 83" and stamped "BEFORE HARDENING", very fine. S.G. Spec. K22, cat. £1,750. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1516 B S 9d. dull green ES-GT right marginal block of six (2 x 3) with watermark sideways-inverted, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, upper pair with horizontal crease and centre pair with slight staining on gum, otherwise very fine and fresh with virtually full original gum. S.G. K25b., s., cat. £2,550+. Ex. Young. Photo. **£80-£100**



1887 - 92 'Jubilee' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL



- 1517 P 1885 De La Rue Striking Book piece (94 x 54mm) bearing incomplete die proofs of accepted heads used for the 'Jubilee' issue, on solid ground die no. 288 and accepted head on white ground, die no. 289, each in black with uncleared rectangular surround and each with the back of the hair missing, inscribed '1885' and both with 'Aug 19/25 Leads' beneath. Unique. Wiseman F49h. Ex. Young. Photo. £1,000-£1,200



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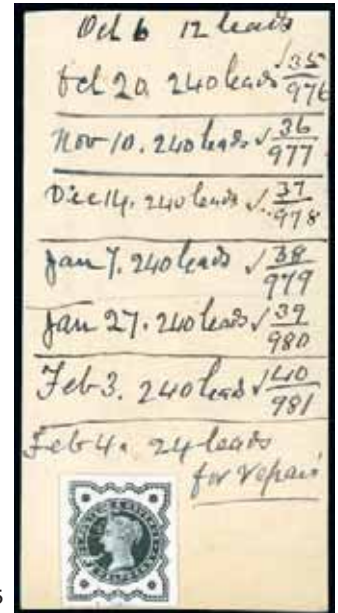
- 1518 P 1885 die proof of accepted head on solid ground, die no. 288, used for the 'Jubilee' issue, surrounded by small black circle (c. 10mm diameter), on glazed card (92 x 60mm), dated "8 MAY. 85" in unusual style, card with small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps and some corner thinning on reverse, otherwise fine. Wiseman F49f. Ex. Young. Photo. £400-£500
- 1519 S ½d. vermilion to 1s. green set (5d. is die I) overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, mainly fine with large part original gum incl. scarce 4½d. S.G. between 197s-211s, cat. £1,225. Photo on page 199. £300-£350
- 1520 P Small head die proof very similar to the accepted head used for the 'Jubilee' issue on solid ground (die no. 288), surrounded by 38mm diameter black ring, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), without markings, small violet "R.C.B.S." handstamps on reverse, very fine. Ex. Young. Photo. £250-£300
- 1521 ★ A mainly mint collection with many marginal blocks, in an album, incl. 2d. lower two rows of twelve, 2½d. lower strip of twelve, 3d. imperforate plate proof, 3d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 in a block of four from lower left corner of sheet, 3d. in corner blocks of four (4) and six, 4d. block of four with interval margin, block of four with interval margins, 5d. die II blocks of four and six, 9d. unmounted marginal pair and single, range of marginal settings, perforation types, etc. (377) £1,800-£2,000
- 1522 ★ A mint selection, incl. 1½d. blocks of four (2, one lower marginal), 2d. corner block of four, 2½d. left marginal block of four, 3d. corner block of four, 5d. die I single (small part original gum), die II corner block of six, 6d. marginal gutter block of four, 10d. block of four, 1s. green and carmine corner block of four, etc., slightly mixed condition. (67) £500-£600
- 1523 ★ ½d. to both 1s., mint, slightly mixed condition but fresh. S.G. 197-211, 213-214. Photo on page 199. £150-£200



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Ex 1532



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1887 - 92 'Jubilee' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL continued

- 1524 ○ A c.d.s. used selection, incl. range of shades, 4½d. used on piece with red Hackney c.d.s., 5d. die I single and block of four, 9d. block of four with Nottingham c.d.s.'s, 10d. corner strip of three with registered ovals, 1s. dull green pair and block of four, 1s. green and carmine (2, one with Chester c.d.s), etc., slightly mixed condition. (58)
£450-£500
- 1525 P ½d. cut-down die proof in black on glazed card, mounted on large striking book piece endorsed with eight different dates for the creation of plates 35-40 and "Fe 4 24 leads/for repair". Photo.
£250-£300



Ex 1519



Ex 1526





Ex 1523

- 1526 P ½d. imprimaturs with marginal rule at top, 1½d. 2½d., 3d., 4d., 4½d., 6d., 9d. and 1s., all four margined, mainly fine with gum. S.G. Spec. K27, 29, 31-34, 37, 38, 40, cat. £7,400. Photo.
£1,800-£2,000
- 1527 S A selection overprinted "SPECIMEN", comprising ½d. vermilion, ½d. blue-green, 1½d., 2d., 2½d., 3d. lower right corner example, 4d., 4½d., 5d., 6d., 9d., 10d., 1s. dull green and 1s. green and carmine, mainly with gum, slightly mixed condition. (14)
£400-£500
- 1528 P ½d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm) dated "30 MAR 00" in blue, endorsed 'After Striking' and 'March 30' in pencil (with 'Befr' deleted), initialled 'G.F.S.' in ink below the proof. *On January 26th 1900 De La Rue wrote asking to modify existing plates by introducing bars of colour between the two panes in the forme, causing some damage to nearby leads. After striking new leads, these proofs were pulled to confirm the dies were still excellent. For some reason they all had the top right corner of the card shorn off, as in this case.* S.G. K27, cat. £1,500. Ex. Young. Photo.
£400-£500
- 1529 P ½d. cut-down die proof in black on glazed card, mounted on striking book piece endorsed "Sep 17/20 Leads/for repairs". Photo.
£200-£250
- 1530 P ½d. cut-down die proof in black on glazed card, mounted on striking book piece endorsed "April 20/1 Leads/for/repairs". Photo.
£200-£250
- 1531 ★ ½d. vermilion, a left marginal interpanneau block of eighteen, variety watermark inverted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 197Wi, cat £1,620+. Photo.
£500-£600
- 1532 ★ ½d. vermilion, two control "Q" examples, the first a block of four with one perforation extension in the lower margin, and the second a horizontal pair with the usual perforation in the right margin, the control pairs both being unmounted, fine. The block with Hendon certificate (2010). S.G. 197. Photo.
£200-£250



- 1533 ★ ½d. vermilion, very fine and fresh unused block of four with "PEARS' SOAP" advertisement on reverse in orange, lightly mounted on obverse of top pair only. An attractive and scarce multiple with original gum. S.G. Spec. K27(2). Photo.
£900-£1,000

1887 - 92 'Jubilee' Issue, including fine material from the collection of Dr. Peter Young, FRPSL continued

- 1534 ★  ½d. vermilion mint lower marginal control block of twenty four with watermark inverted, comprising the lower two rows of the right side of the 480 mill sheet as indicated by cross "M" watermark in sheet margin. Control "Q" (Wiseman Q17) plate 51, marginal setting 2b, perf. type I, a magnificent positional multiple of this difficult watermark variety, very fine with large part original gum, 22 units unmounted. Wiseman Spec. FAK-1 (Rarity M). Photo on page 198. **£800-£1,000**
- 1535 ★ ½d. vermilion, a mint collection of controls on leaves, incl. no control strip of three, "B" two pairs, range of singles pairs, strips and blocks, also ½d. blue-green, controls with square corners, etc. (211 items) **£400-£500**
- 1536 ★ ½d. vermilion showing an outline of the Queen's face to the left of the central portrait and some irregularity to the circle around this area, fine mint. S.G. 197var. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1537 ★ ½d. vermilion, a fresh mint lower marginal example showing a fine large part offset on gum, slight creasing and small tear, otherwise fine. S.G. 197var. Ex. Gawaine Bailie. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1538  ½d. vermilion used c.1895, printed paper rate to U.S.A. with most unusual trilingual heading from H. Alabaster, Gatehouse & Co. with 'perfin' HAG&Co and fine FB handstamp for the London Foreign Branch light central crease. Photo on page 198. **£100-£150**



- 1539 E 1½d. reply paid essay, very fine part perforated corner marginal strip of three of the 1½d. head plate printed in blue on gummed watermarked paper. The first with engine turned background and the Queen's portrait in an oval frame, the second with a blank background and oval frame, the third with blank background and the Queen's portrait replaced with a hand-painted octagonal frame on backing piece. A superb working piece. Photo. **£700-£800**



- 1540 E 1½d. reply paid essay, piece of marginal paper with two strikes of the green duty plate, showing dull purple jubilee line at left and green jubilee line at right, horizontal crease, otherwise very fine. Scarce. See Great Britain specialised Vol. 1 Page 264. Photo. **£800-£1,000**



- 1541 P 2d. head plate die proof, very fine cut to size example from the De La Rue striking books, mounted on buff card (51 x 24mm) and annotated in manuscript "Mar 11" and "1886 2nd Die" in pink. Unique. S.G. 199 var, cat. £1,450. Ex. De La Rue Archives. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1542 P 2d. duty plate die proof, very fine cut to size example from the De La Rue striking books, mounted on buff card (49 x 29mm) and annotated in manuscript "Aug 13/240 Leads". Unique. Ex. De La Rue Archive. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1543 P 2d. yellow-green and carmine imprimatur, fine and fresh with large part original gum, pencil number '3' on gum. S.G. Spec. K30. Photo. **£450-£500**



Ex 1544



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- 1544 P 2d. colour trials (3) with head plate in purple, duty plates in blue, sage-green and carmine-red, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, each with perfs. very slightly trimmed at foot and the last a little faded, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000 each. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1545 P 2d. colour trial in green and black, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, minor gum wrinkles, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1546 P 2d. colour trial in green and deep brown, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1547 P 2d. colour trial in purple and blue-green, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£350-£400**



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- 1548 P 2d. colour trial in green and deep blue, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, a little heavily mounted, minor gum crease and small corner crease not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1549 P 2d. colour trial in green and purple, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, some perfs. trimmed at top, otherwise very fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. from £1,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1550 ★ 2d. green and scarlet, fine mint. S.G. 199, cat. £425. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1551 ★ ☐ 2d. deep grey-green & carmine, very fine mint right hand corner marginal block of eighteen printed from plates H5/D3 in setting 3b with the date cut under R. 20/11. Showing "double frame line at left" variety in position [R.17] & 18/12 with [R.12/20] unaffected apart from a tiny break in frame. *Caused by a "Collapsed plate" it was believed to have originated in the corners and spread towards the centre. However, larger pieces with rows 18 & 19 doubled and row 20, either only partially affected or completely unaffected, suggests the opposite with the damage spreading from the centre outwards.* S.G. Spec. K 30(4)b. Photo on page 202. **£750-£800**
- 1552 ★ 2d. grey-green and carmine, a lightly mounted mint example from lower right corner of sheet from the rare marginal setting 2 with continuous green and red rules, very fine and fresh. Photo on page 202. **£600-£800**
- 1553 P 2½d. die proof, very fine cut to size example from the De La Rue striking books, mounted on buff card (56 x 29mm) and annotated in manuscript "Aug 17 5/770". Unique. Ex. De La Rue Archives. Photo on page 202. **£750-£800**



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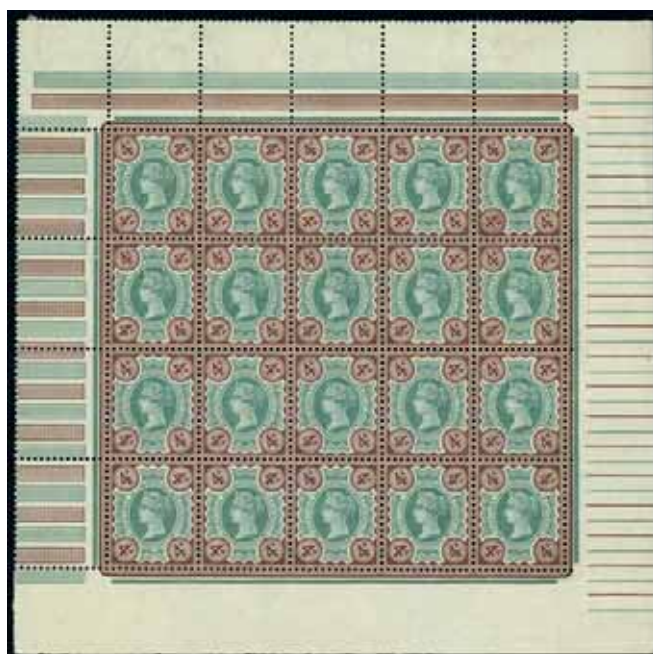
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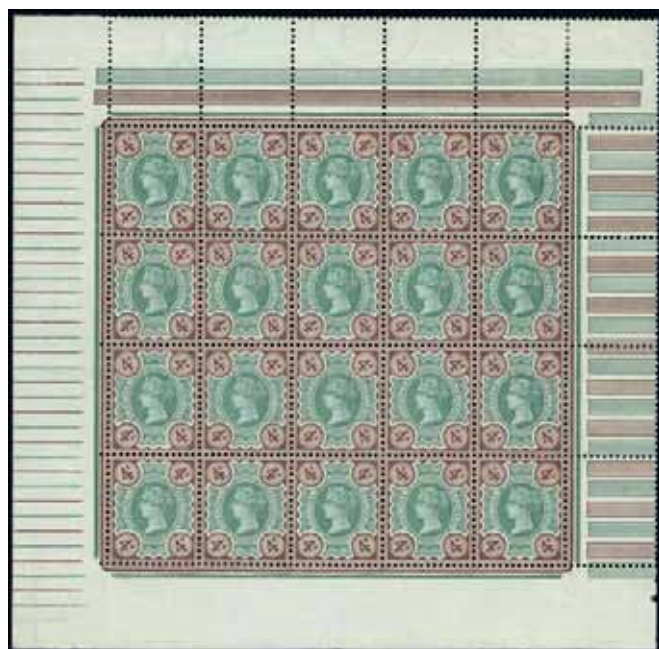
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- 1554 P 2½d. die proof in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm) endorsed 'After Striking' and 'April 21, 1900' in blue ink, initialled 'G.F.S.' below the proof. *On January 26th 1900 De La Rue wrote asking to modify existing plates by introducing bars of colour between the two panes in the forme, causing some damage to nearby leads. After striking new leads, these proofs were pulled to confirm the dies were still excellent. For some reason they all had the top right corner of the card shorn off, as in this case.* S.G. K31, unpriced. Ex. Young. Photo. **£400-£500**

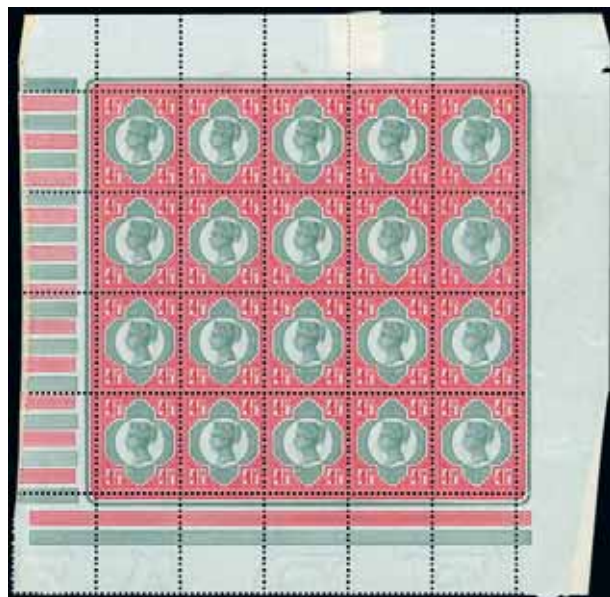


- 1555 P 3d. colour trial in green on blue, line perf. 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, very fine and fresh. Very rare. S.G. Spec. K32, cat. from £6,800. Ex. Young. Photo. **£2,000-£2,500**
- 1556 P 3d. die proof, very fine cut to size example from the De La Rue striking books, mounted on buff card (51 x 30mm) and annotated in manuscript "1886/ Aug 14/5-769". Unique. Ex. De La Rue Archive. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1557 P 3d. purple on yellow imprimatur, very fine and fresh with large part original gum, pencil number "5" on gum. S.G. Spec. K32. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1558 ★ ☒ 3d. purple on yellow in mint lower two rows of twelve, a few split perfs, most unmounted. S.G. 202. **£300-£350**
- 1559 P 4d. green and purple brown imprimatur, fine and fresh with large part original gum, pencil number "4" on gum. S.G. Spec. K33. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1560 ☛ ☒ 4d. green and purple brown in an unmounted mint pane of twenty from H with two interval gutters, fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K33. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1561 ★ ☒ 4d. green & deep brown, complete mint pane of twenty with full selvage from setting 4b, showing thin lines at left, horizontal lined blocks and head plate rules cut away at corners, light horizontal crease affecting third row, otherwise very fine unmounted. *These unusual sheet markings only occur on the adjoining panes from the two halves of the 320 mill sheets (only occurring on 8 of the 16 panes), this example being from the right hand side of the mill sheet, pane O. Scarce, only a few complete panes have survived.* S.G. 205. Photo. **£650-£700**



- 1562 ★ 4d. green & purple-brown, very fine upper left corner marginal imperforate example from setting 1, lightly mounted in margin, otherwise with full original gum. Extremely rare. B.P.A. certificate (2010). Photo. **£7,000-£8,000**
- 1563 E S 4½d. line perf. 14 colour trial in purple and orange-red, lower left hand corner marginal on gummed, crown watermark paper, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 13, a few lightly toned perfs., otherwise fine and a scarce positional peace. Photo. **£2,500-£3,000**
- 1564 P S 4½d. colour trial in with head plate in grey-green, value plate in carmine, line perf 14 at sides, imperf. horizontally, a lower marginal example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, on gummed Crown watermarked paper, very fine and fresh. Rare. S.G. Spec. K34, cat. £4,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**

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- 1565 P 4½d. colour trial in with head plate in grey-green, value plate in orange-red, line perf 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, very fine and fresh, tiny natural paper flaw at upper left. Rare. S.G. Spec. K34, cat. £4,500. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1566 4½d. mainly mint selection, incl. complete panes of twenty from "A", "H", "J" and "K", varieties with dot between "4" and "½"; broken bar to fraction, etc. (111) **£700-£800**
- 1567 ★ 4½d. green and carmine in six panes of twenty, from panes A (one stamp with damage to inner frame lines), B, E, G (2, one stamp with dot between "4" and "½") and H, all stamps are unmounted mint, mainly fine. S.G. 206. **£700-£800**
- 1568 ★ 4½d. green and bright carmine (F) in a complete pane of twenty unmounted mint (mounted in margin), two stamps with a gum crease and slight margin faults otherwise fine, listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2007), retail price £1,300 as singles. Hendon certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. K34 var. Photo. **£300-£350**

- 1569 ☒ 4½d. a display collection, mainly on covers and cards, showing the postal rates and usages of this value, the majority are registered mail incl. used on postal stationery, overseas destinations, redirected mail, etc., an interesting group. Ex Stevenson. (92 items) **£1,500-£2,000**
- 1570 ○ 5d. dull purple and blue die II, used, with variety watermark inverted, minor crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 207a, wi, cat. £1,250. Photo. **£220-£250**
- 1571 E P 6d. die proof essay type A in accepted design except with line under "d" and with blank circle where the head should be, without embossing, in black on glazed card cut to stamp size and mounted on piece from De La Rue Striking Book, endorsed 'Jan 2/18 Leads,' very fine. Unique. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 254, cat. £4,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1572 E P 6d. die proof essay type B in accepted design except 6d. white on coloured and with blank circle where the head should be, parts of the design embossed, in black on glazed card (92 x 60mm), very fine. See S.G. Spec. volume 1, page 254, cat. £4,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1573 P **6d. die proof, very fine example of the accepted design, printed in black on white glazed card (60 x 35mm), endorsed "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "17 MAY 86". These smaller format cards are only seen with the 6d. value, this is believed to be due to a temporarily shortage of card. Scarce. Photo. £1,000-£1,500**



- 1574 P **6d. colour trial in green on rose-red, line perf. 14, on gummed Crown watermarked paper, very fine and fresh. Very rare. S.G. Spec. K37, cat. £7,000. Ex. Young. Photo. £2,000-£2,500**
- 1575 ✦ 田 6d. purple on rose-red in an unmounted mint block of four from foot of sheet, few gum wrinkles, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. 208. **£80-£100**
- 1576 ✦ 田 9d. dull purple and blue, upper marginal block of four, unmounted mint, small mark on reverse and small part of margin missing, otherwise fine. S.G. 209, cat. £440+. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1577 ✦ 田 9d. dull purple and blue, in an unmounted mint block of four from lower left corner of pane (mounted in margin), fine. S.G. 209, Spec. K38, cat. £475. Photo. **£120-£150**



- 1578 E 10d. colour trials. A magnificent piece from the De La Rue archive bearing four examples on white, Crown watermark paper (line perf. 14), the upper pair with the head plates in green and the duty plates in bright purple, the lower pair with head plates in purple and duty plates in red. The left-hand examples cancelled by crisp black "B01" trial obliterator. Numbered in manuscript at right of each row "6" and "7" respectively, endorsed "Colour Adopted" adjacent lower pair. A spectacular exhibition item. Unique in private hands. Photo. **£10,000-£12,000**

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- 1579 P 10d. colour trial in with head plate in green, value plate in blue, line perf. 14, on gummed Crown watermarked paper, fine and fresh with part gum, paper adherence on reverse as this was almost certainly removed from an archive document. Rare. S.G. Spec. K39, cat. £7,000. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1580 ⚡ 10d. dull purple and carmine, a right marginal block of six, from the 2nd setting, mint (stamps unmounted), some perf. separation, otherwise fine. S.G. 210, cat. £540+. Photo. **£200-£250**



- 1581 ★ 10d. dull purple & deep dull carmine, superb mint original gum lower marginal imperforate example with "Jubilee" line in sheet margin, very rare. *Believed to be one of only two or three examples in private hands.* Ex. Shaida. Photo. **£7,000-£8,000**
- 1582 ★ 10d. dull purple and deep dull carmine in a mint block of four, a few minor gum bends, mounted on top pair, the lower pair unmounted but with a small adhesion at lower left, a fresh and attractive multiple. S.G. 210a, Spec. K39(2), cat. £2,850. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 1583 ⚡ 10d. slate-purple and bright carmine (F) in an unmounted mint lower right corner block of nine (mounted in margin), fine and fresh, listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2007), retail price £1,305 as singles. Hendon certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. K39 var. Photo. **£350-£400**



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- 1584 P 1s. colour trial in grey-green, perf 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, most unusually with watermark inverted, vertical gum crease otherwise exceptionally fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K40, cat. from £2,400. Ex. Young. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**



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- 1585 P 1s. colour trial in blue, perf. 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, exceptionally fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. K40, cat. from £2,400. Ex. Young. Photo. **£800-£1,000**
- 1586 P 1s. colour trial in emerald, perf. 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, very fine and fresh with part original gum. S.G. Spec. K40, cat. from £2,400. Ex. Young. Photo. **£700-£800**



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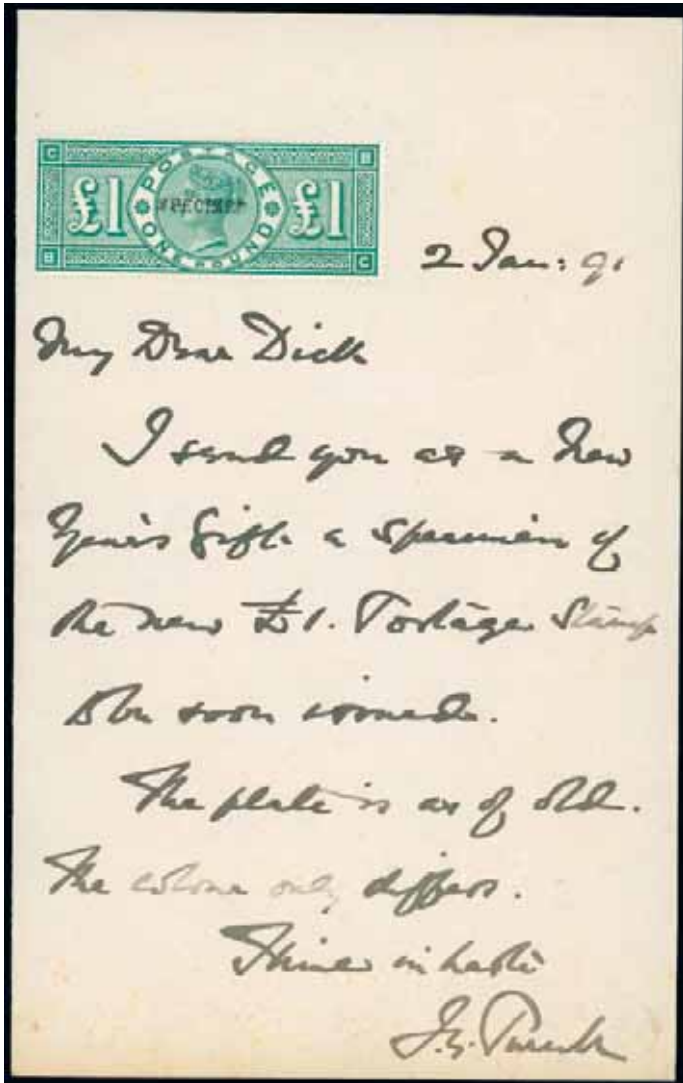


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- 1587 P 1s. colour trial in brown, perf. 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, fine and fresh with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. K40, cat. from £2,400. Ex. Young. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1588 P 1s. colour trial in brown-red, perf. 14 on gummed Crown watermarked paper, small corner crease, otherwise fine with full original gum, just the faintest trace of a hinge. S.G. Spec. K40, cat. from £2,400. Ex. Young. Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1589 ▲ 1s. dull green, three vertical strips of three used on piece, cancelled by London hooded circular datestamps, good colour. S.G. 211. Photo. **£150-£200**



- 1590 ★ 田 1s. dull green, watermark inverted, fine and fresh mint block of four of this rare variety, lightly mounted on the top two stamps, some very light gum creasing as one would expect nevertheless of fine appearance and an extremely rare multiple. S.G. 211 Wi, Spec. K40(1)a. Photo. **£3,000-£4,000**
- 1591 ○ £1 green BA, fine used with neat Portsmouth c.d.s. S.G. 212, cat. £800. Photo on page 208. **£180-£200**
- 1592 S £1 green BC overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, very fine and fresh with part original gum, hinged to a letter dated "2 Jan 91" (26 days prior to the date of issue) from J.S. Purcell, The Controller of Stamping, on Registrar of Joint Stock Companies headed paper "My Dear Dick [possibly W.J. ('Dick') Richards in charge of the Stamp Issuing Department at Somerset House], I send you as a New Year's Gift a Specimen of the new £1 Postage Stamp to be soon issued. The plate is as of old. The colour only differs. Thine in haste, J.S. Purcell." S.G. 212s. Ex Young. Photo on page 208. **£800-£1,000**
- 1593 ○ £1 green HB-JB, superb used vertical strip of three, very attractive with strong colour. S.G. 212, cat. £2,400+. Photo on page 208. **£800-£1,000**
- 1594 S £1 green IB overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, with gum, vertical crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 212s, cat. £1,100. Photo on page 208. **£200-£250**
- 1595 ★ £1 green MA mint, usual light bends or wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 212, cat. £4,000. Photo on page 208. **£600-£700**



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- 1596 ○ £1 green OA, used with neat upright Liverpool c.d.s., short perfs. at left, otherwise fine. S.G. 212, cat. £800. Photo. £80-£100

- 1597 P Great Britain in 1894 De La Rue dummy proof, printed in black on white glazed card (60 x 83mm) showing an alternative Queen's head design surrounded by an intricate border with cleared tablets at top and at foot. Endorsed "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "4 SEP 94". fine and scarce. Photo. £650-£700



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- 1598 P 1900 ½d. colour trial in dull blue-green, perf. 14 on gummed unwatermarked paper, an upper right corner marginal pair, right stamp with slight vertical crease at right not detracting from appearance, perf. separation in top margin reinforced with hinge, otherwise very fine and fresh with part original gum. A rare multiple. S.G. Spec. K28, cat. from £5,500. Ex. Young. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 1599 ☼ ☐ 1900 ½d. blue-green in a complete unmounted mint sheet of 240 from the vertical comb perforator with single perforation extension in the lower margin, few minor faults, scarce. S.G. 213. £300-£400
- 1600 ★ 1900 ½d. blue-green, mint right hand marginal imperforate horizontal pair, with original gum, originally the upper pair from the corner block of four in the Douglas Latto collection, unfortunately it has suffered a small central surface rub sometime in the last 20 years, however, a presentable example of this great rarity. Only the aforementioned corner pair and a further two singles are recorded. S.G. 213b, Ex. Latto, Shaida. Photo. £2,000-£3,000
- 1601 ☒ 1900 ½d. blue-green fine used example on a clean postcard cancelled by a Norwood S.E. squared circle "AP 17 1900", the first day of issue and addressed to South Kensington, crease in top right corner of card nevertheless a scarce first day use. S.G. 213. Photo. £850-£900



- 1602 P 1900 1s. die proof of head plate on buff card (92 x 60mm, see Die Proofs of De La Rue (1)—Proofs on buff card by Peter Young FRPSL, GB Journal volume 54, number 1) endorsed at left with dates worked on the die from Jan. 24 to Feb. 5 1900, all pre-date the completion of the die, blue tick in upper right corner. Usual condition for one of these proofs. A most and unusual unique item. Wiseman FPb-1 notes "a practical artifact from a key process in stamp creation of the period". S.G. Spec. K41, unpriced. Ex. Young. Photo. £1,200-£1,500



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Ex 1605

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- 1603 ☼ ☒ 1900 1s. green and carmine in an unmounted mint block of eight from lower left corner of sheet with date cut in Jubilee line, few minor gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 214. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1604 ★ ☒ - 1s. green and carmine in a mint lower left corner block of four, one variety frame broken at left [Plate 3a, R. 19/1], lower pair are unmounted. S.G. 214, Spec. K41, b. Photo. **£350-£400**

Officials

- 1605 A mint and used collection on leaves, incl. Admiralty 1903 1½d., 2d., 2½d. and 3d. used, 1903-04 3d. used (Sismondo certificate), Army 1896-1901 ½d. mint block of twenty four, 6d. mint single, ½d. used and 1d. mint variety "OFFICIAI", 1d. used on cover, 1902-03 6d. mint, Board of Education 1902 5d. used, 1902-04 ½d., 1d. and 2½d. used, Government Parcels 1883-86 1½d., 9d. and 1s. used, 6d. overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1887-90 9d. used, 1s. used (R.P.S. certificate), 1891-1900 4½d. and 1s. used, 1902 9d. used, 1s. used (R.P.S. certificate), Inland revenue 1882-1901 on issues of 1880-81 1d. used on cover, 6d. used, on issues of 1884-88 2½d. lilac and 1s. dull green overprinted "SPECIMEN" with gum, on issues of 1887-92 1s. dull green mint, 6d. purple on rose-red used, 1s. green and carmine used (Brandon certificate), ½d. blue green pair used on cover, 1902-04 1d. used on cover, 2½d. used, Office of Works 1896-02 1d. used, 10d. used on piece (Brandon certificate), 1902-03 ½d., 1d. (R.P.S. certificate) and 2½d. (Brandon certificate) used, Royal Household 1902 ½d. used, 1d. used on O.H.M.S. piece, etc., not all guaranteed, mixed condition. (86 stamps and 4 covers). Photo. **£3,500-£4,000**
- 1606 A used selection, incl. I. R. Official with 1888 ½d, vermilion on 1891 Land Valuation Notice from Wick to Lerwick, Government Parcels with 1883-86 9d. dull green on Parcel Post label, 1897 Parcel Post label bearing 1887-90 6d. purple on rose-red and 1s. dull green, etc. (17 items) **£500-£600**
- 1607 A mainly used collection on leaves, incl. Inland Revenue, Office of Works, Army, Government Parcels, Admiralty, Board of Education, etc., not all guaranteed, also a range of used postage dues, mixed condition. (approx. 100) **£100-£150**
- 1608 **Inland Revenue:** A Q.V. collection on leaves, incl. 1882-85 1d. lilac "N" control single mint, "X" control strip of three mint, ½d. slate blue pair used on 1886 'Valuations of Land' wrapper, 2½d. lilac mint, used block of four, 6d. grey mint, 1888-1901 2½d. purple on blue unmounted mint, 1s. dull green used, etc., varied condition. (25) **£700-£800**
- 1609 ★ ☒ - 1882 ½d. pale green, in an unmounted mint block of four from top right corner of sheet, few gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 02, cat. £500. Photo. **£150-£180**



- 1610 P **Inland Revenue: 1882 1d. lilac imperforate imprimatur with overprint in blue-black, very fine and fresh with large part original gum, trivial wrinkle, lightly pencilled '2' on gum. Rare. S.G.O3ca, cat. £4,500. Ex. Young. Photo.** **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1611 S -1882 1d. lilac, 1887-92 ½d. vermilion, 2½d. purple on blue and 1s. dull green, all overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with gum, all marginal. S.G. 03s, 013s, 014s, 015s, cat. £680. **£200-£250**
- 1612 ☼ - 1882 1d. lilac single with control "B" (perf.), fine unmounted mint. S.G. O3, Spec. L3, cat. £350. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1613 ☼ - 1882 1d. lilac pair with control "X" (imperf.), unmounted mint, gum crease, otherwise fine. S.G. O3, Spec. L3, cat. £350+. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1614 ★ - 1882 1d. lilac overprinted in blue-black, fine mint horizontal pair. R.P.S. certificate (2014) notes "left stamp is creased". S.G. Spec. L3a, cat. £500+. Photo. **£150-£200**

Officials continued

- 1615 ★ **Inland Revenue:** 1882 1d. lilac strip of three with control "W" (imperf.), mint., small imperfections, folded between stamps, otherwise fine. S.G. O3, Spec. L3, cat. £350. Photo on page 210. **£100-£120**
- 1616 S **1890 watermark anchor on white paper** 5s. rose EF overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, with large part original gum, few minor gum creases, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. L7(2)t, cat. £1,600. R.P.S. certificate (2015). Photo on page 210. **£400-£500**
- 1617 S - 10s. ultramarine EF, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, with large part original gum, trifle soiled at top and bent corner, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. L8(4)s, cat. £2,500. R.P.S. certificate (2007). Photo on page 210. **£700-£800**
- 1618 ⊕ ☐ - 1888 ½d. vermilion in part pane (left sheet, lower pane, 5 x 10), unmounted mint, mainly fine. S.G. 013. **£150-£200**
- 1619 ⊕ - 1888 ½d. vermilion control "T" marginal pair with imperf. margin, fine unmounted mint. S.G. O13, Spec. L12, cat. £350+. Photo on page 210. **£120-£150**
- 1620 S - 1889 1s. dull green colour standard overprinted "CANCELLED", type 14, a trifle soiled and vertical gum crease, otherwise fine with large part original gum, very scarce. S.G. O15var., Spec. L16t., cat. £1,400. Ex Young. Photo on page 210. **£200-£250**
- 1621 ○ - 1889 1s. dull green in a horizontal pair used with registered oval cancellations, reinforced perfs. otherwise fine, with R.P.S. certificate number 212628 for the original strip of three (certificate mislaid). S.G. O15, cat. £750. Photo on page 210. **£150-£180**



- 1622 C **1892 £1 green KC overprinted "CANCELLED"**, type 14, very fine and fresh with large part original gum, extremely scarce, especially so in such fine condition. S.G. Spec. L11t., cat. £9,500. Photo. **£6,000-£7,000**



- 1623 ○ - 1892 £1 green OB, fine used with light neat "ACCOUNTS BRANCH/P.O. GLASGOW/05 OC 92" oval datestamp, perf. imperfections at top, some staining and minor crease, otherwise fine and attractive. R.P.S. certificate (2014). S.G. Spec. L11, cat. £2,500. Photo. **£650-£700**
- 1624 ⊕ - 1901 ½d. blue-green "R" control pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 017, cat. £350+. Photo. **£120-£150**



Ex 1626



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- 1625 ★ - 1901 ½d. blue-green “R” control pair with date cuts at right, fine mint. S.G. 017, cat. £350+. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1626 ☒ - 1902-04 ½d. blue-green and 1d. scarlet mint, 2½d. ultramarine and 1s. dull green and carmine used, also 1d. used on 1903 Income Tax cover, good to fine. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1627 ○ - 1902 1s. dull green and carmine, lightly cancelled used example. R.P.S. certificate (2008). S.,G. Spec. MO5, cat. £700. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1628 ★ **Office of Works:** 1896-1902 ½d. vermilion, fine mint. R.P.S. certificate (2016), S.G. Spec. L31, cat. £300. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1629 ○ - 1896–1902 ½d. vermilion used horizontal pair with Bristol duplex, fine. B.P.A. certificate (1990). S.G. 031, cat. £300. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1630 ★ - 1896-1902 ½d. blue green, fine mint. R.P.S. certificate (2016). S.G. Spec. L32, cat. £425. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1631 - 1896-1902 1d. lilac part original gum showing frame break by “N” of “ONE”, used, 1902-03 ½d. used with B.P.A. certificate (1985), 1d. used with R.P.S. certificate (1986), 2d. used with R.P.S. certificate (1988), fair to fine. **£400-£450**
- 1632 ○ - 1896-1902 5d. dull purple and blue, fine used. B.P.A. certificate (2014) states “a little soiled” S.G. Spec. L34, cat. £1,200. Photo. **£300-£350**



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- 1633 ▲ - 1896-1902 10d. dull purple and carmine fine used with part c.d.s. on small piece. B.P.A. certificate (1986). S.G. O35, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1634 ○ - 1902–03 2d. yellowish-green and carmine-red, fine used. R.P.S. certificate (2014). S.G. Spec. MO16, cat. £400. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1635 **Army Official:** A selection on leaves, incl. 1896-1901 ½d. corner block of twelve, 1d. used on 1897 O.H.M.S. cover, 2½d. overprinted “SPECIMEN”, 6d. mint pair and single, 1902 6d. mint, etc., varied condition. (117) **£350-£400**
- 1636 ★ - 1896-1901 ½d. vermilion with controls, comprising “O” (3), “P” single and strips of three (3), “Q” two singles and pair, good to fine mint. S.G. 041. **£500-£600**
- 1637 ★ - 1896-1901 ½d. blue-green with “R” controls, comprising pair, strips of three (2) and block of twelve, mainly fine mint. S.G. 042. **£400-£500**
- 1638 ★ - 1896-1901 1d. lilac with controls, comprising “U” singles (2) block of four, “V” singles, pairs (3), strips of three (3), block of twelve, “W” singles (2), pair and irregular block of 42, “X” single, mint, fair to fine. (81). S.G. 043. **£800-£1,000**
- 1639 **Government Parcels:** A selection, incl. 1883-86 1½d. lilac mint, 9d. dull green used, 1s. orange-brown used, 1887-90 1½d. dull purple and pale green mint, 6d. purple on rose-red mint, 9d. dull purple and blue mint, 1902 2d. and 6d. mint, 9d. used, etc., varied condition, not all can be guaranteed. (12) **£600-£700**



Ex 1640



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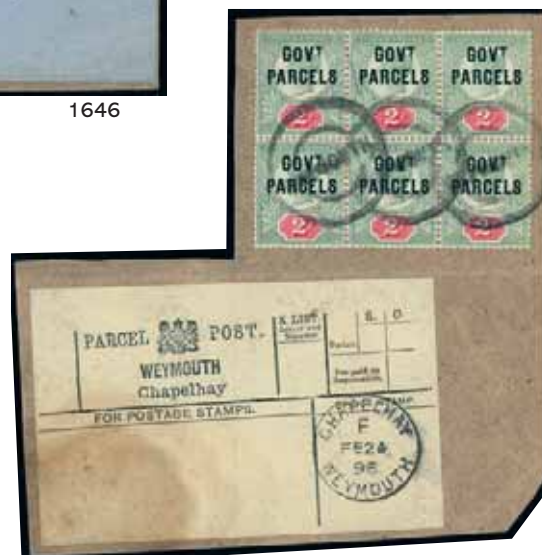
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Officials continued

- 1640 S** **Government Parcels:** 1883-86 1½d. lilac and 6d. dull green, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, all fine and very fresh marginal with gum. S.G. 061s, 062s, cat. £500. Photo. **£150-£180**
- 1641 S** - 1887-90 1½d. dull purple and pale green overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with full gum from top of sheet. S.G. 065s, cat. £300. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1642 ▲** - 1887-90 1½d., 1891-1900 4½d. pair and Inland Revenue 1888 ½d. vermilion used on Bury parcel post label, cancelled by Bury parcel cancels, rare. S.G. O13, O65, O71. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1643** - 1887-90 6d. purple on rose-red with no stop under "T" used, also five forgeries. **£80-£100**
- 1644 S** - 1887-90 6d. purple on rose-red overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with full gum from left sheet. S.G. 066s, cat. £250. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1645 ▲** - 1897-90 6d. and 1891-90 1d. used on Postal Stores Department parcel post label, vertical crease clear of stamps, otherwise fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1646 ▲** - 1887-90 6d. purple on rose, (dot to right of "T") used on O.H.M.S. registered front from Board of Education South Kensington to Square. S.G. 066b. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1647 S** - 1887-90 9d. dull purple and blue from lower left corner of pane overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fresh with full gum, fine, rare. S.G. O67s, cat. £300. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1648 ☆** - 1887-90 1s. dull green large part original gum, good colour. R.P.S. certificate (1988). S.G. O68, cat. £700. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1649 ▲** - 1891-1900 2d. green and carmine, a block of six (one with variety no dot under "T"), used on piece with full Weymouth Parcel Post label. S.G. 070. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1650 ○** - 1891-1900 4½d. grey-green and carmine, fine used. R.P.S. certificate (1984). S.G. 071, cat. £275. Photo. **£90-£100**
- 1651 ★** - 1891-1900 1s. green and carmine, fine and fresh lightly mounted mint. R.P.S. certificate (1988). S.G. O72, cat. £650. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1652 ★ 田** - 1902 6d. pale dull purple fine mint block of four, with large part original gum, upper right stamp displaying the thin "VT" variety [R.15/12]. S.G. O76, Spec. MO11bcat. Photo. **£600-£700**
- 1653 S** **Board of Education:** 1902 1s. green and carmine, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 15, with large part original gum, small faults. R.P.S. certificate (2014) notes "creased, surface abrasion". S.G. Spec. L42s, cat. £3,000. Photo. **£700-£800**
- 1654** - 1902-04 ½d. and 1d. mint, 2½d. used on small piece. S.G. 083-085. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1655 ★** **Royal Household:** 1902 ½d. blue-green and 1d. scarlet mint, the ½d. fine and fresh unmounted with B.P.A. certificate (1994). S.G. O91-92, cat. £700+. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1656** **Admiralty:** 1903 ½d. to 3d. set (2d. has R.P.S. certificate 1986, 2½d. has B.P.A. certificate 1996), 1903-04 ½d. and 1d. mint blocks of 16 and 12, 3d. used, also ½d. stationery card, good to fine. (38) **£600-£700**
- 1657 ○** - 1903-04 1½d. dull purple and green, used, crayon on reverse, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2009). S.G. Spec. MO38, cat. £600. Photo. **£150-£200**

King Edward VII

- 1658** A collection on leaves with mint incl. 1902-10 De La Rue shades to 9d., 10d. (2), 1s. (2), with ordinary and chalky papers, 2s.6d. and 5s. (crease), 1911 Harrison perf. 14 shades to 4d., perf. 15 x 14 shades to 4d., 1911-13 Somerset House shades to 9d., 10d. (2), 1s. (2), range of used to 1s., selection of officials (not guaranteed), plus a few overprinted for British Levant, etc., varied condition, a few with some toning, some of the mint unmounted. (173) **£600-£700**
- 1659** A collection of mainly K.E.VII certified items (mostly Hendon certificates, one missing), mostly mint incl. De La Rue 1d. deep rose-carmine block of six, De La Rue 4d. brown-orange, Harrison perf. 14 ½d. block of four with split watermark, with three 1887-92 Jubilee stamps, etc., mainly fine. (19 items) **£400-£500**

King Edward VII continued

- 1660 A mint collection on leaves with 1902-10 De La Rue ordinary and chalky papers to 1s. (less ½d. yellowish green), additional ½d. and 6d. shades, chalky 2s.6d. (some gum toning), also 10d. used, and 1911 Harrison perf. 15 x 14 ½d. to 4d., varied condition with some gum wrinkles and occasional tone spot, many fine. (32) **£400-£450**
- 1661 A mainly used selection on an album page, with values to 2s.6d. (4), 5s. (2), and £1 used, and to 10d. mint, mixed condition. (57) **£250-£300**
- 1662 A mint selection incl. De La Rue 3d. dull purple on orange-yellow, single example with copy of Hendon certificate (2004) for a block of nine, 4d. brown-orange, Harrison 3d. dull reddish purple on lemon block of four, Somerset House 9d. dull reddish purple and blue, single with copy of Hendon certificate (2017) for a block of four, 2s.6d. dull reddish purple, mainly good to fine. (6) **£250-£300**
- 1663 A selection on leaves, incl. values to 1s. (2) mint and to 5s. (3) and 10s. used, range of shades, mixed condition. (83) **£200-£250**

1902 - 10 De La Rue



- 1664 C ½d. yellowish green, overprinted "CANCELLED", type 20, a few light wrinkles, otherwise very fine with large part original gum, extremely rare. *Believed to be one of only two recorded examples of this overprint in private hands.* S.G. Spec. M2(2)u, cat. £1,800. Photo. **£600-£650**
- 1665 ★ 1d. scarlet, superb mint lower marginal "F7" (P) control pair, showing the variety "F7" almost omitted. S.G. Spec. vol. 2, p.27, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1666 C 2d. pale grey-green & carmine on chalky paper, overprinted "CANCELLED", type 18, with part original gum, perfs. clipped slightly at top, a fine example of this extremely rare overprint. B.P.A. certificate (1989). S.G. Spec. M12(1)t, cat. £1,800. Photo. **£600-£650**
- 1667 ☉ 3d. dull purple, on orange-yellow chalky paper, fine unmounted mint. Photocopy of Hendon certificate (2017) for a pair. S.G. Spec. M20(2), cat. £425. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1668 ★ 4d. orange, singles (2), pair and blocks of four (2 shades), slightly mixed. (12) **£80-£100**
- 1669 ★ 4d. deep orange-red in a mint pair, small surface mark at foot of left stamp otherwise fine, listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2010), retail price £220. Hendon certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. M25 var. Photo. **£60-£70**



- 1670 C 5d. dull purple & ultramarine on chalky paper, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 19, a fine example of this extremely rare overprint, with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. M29(1)t, cat. £2,250. Ex. N.P.M. Archive sale. Photo. **£700-£800**



- 1671 ★ 10d. slate-purple and deep (glossy) carmine on chalky paper, mint with margin at top (folded through perfs.), unhinged but with light adhesions on reverse, fine and fresh, very scarce. Hendon certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. M43(4). Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- 1672 ★ 10d. purple & carmine (OCP), fine mint with part original gum. Hendon certificate (2013). S.G. Spec. M43 var. Photo. £100-£150
- 1673 C 10d. dull purple & carmine on chalky paper, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 18 twice, one at top and at base, minor corner bend at lower right, nevertheless a fine example of this extremely rare overprint. S.G. Spec. M43(1)t, cat. £1,800. Ex. N.P.M. Archive sale. Photo. £600-£650
- 1674 ○ 田 1s. dull green and carmine, a used block of four with parcel cancels, slightly faded, otherwise fine. £70-£90
- 1675 ○ 2s.6d. two pairs in different shades (one perfined) and 5s. bright carmine, used, fair to fine. £100-£120



1678



1676



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- 1676 ★ 5s. deep bright carmine (F) unmounted mint, fine and fresh, listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2010), retail price £645. Hendon certificate (2017). S.G. 264, cat. £900, Spec. M51(2) var., see footnote. Photo. £250-£300



- 1677 ⚙️ £1 dull blue-green mint, very fine unmounted mint lower marginal example, selvage (with a few paper adhesions) displaying "AGE" of marginal watermark, trivial light speck of toning on gum. S.G. 266, cat. £3,500. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- 1678 ○ £1 dull blue-green used with datestamps, small internal crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 266, cat. £825. Photo. £100-£120

1911 Harrison



- 1679 ✪ 田 perf. 14 1d. intense rose-red very fine and fresh unmounted mint block of four. Hendon certificate (1997). S.G. Spec. M6(3), cat. £1,500+. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1680 ✪ perf. 15 x 14 1d. deep carmine (fluorescent) fine unmounted mint. Copy of Hendon certificate (2009) for a block of six. S.G. Spec. M7 var. Photo on page 216. **£100-£120**

1911 - 13 Somerset House

- 1681 ✪ 田 7d. pale grey in an unmounted mint block of eighteen (6 x 3) with part sheet margin at left, a few with light gum bends otherwise fine and fresh, scarce multiple. B.P.A. certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. M38(3), cat. £1,080. **£200-£250**
- 1682 ✪ 10d. dull reddish purple and carmine in an unmounted mint top right corner pair (mounted in margins), fine. Brandon certificate (2004). S.G. 311, Spec. M44(6), cat. £300. Photo. **£70-£80**
- 1683 ★ 1s. green and carmine in a mint corner pair with 1912 date cuts, fine, one is unmounted. S.G. 314. Photo. **£60-£80**



1682



1683



1684

- 1684 ✪ 田 5s. carmine, very fine and fresh unmounted mint upper interpanneau marginal block of four, lightly mounted in selvedge. S.G. 318, Spec. M52(2). Photo. **£2,000-£3,000**

King Edward VII Booklets and Booklet Panes



1685



1687

- 1685 ⚙ B 1904 2s.0½d. booklet, all panes with inverted watermark, good perms., slightly rusted staples and minor cover faults, otherwise fine. S.G. BA1, cat. £500. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1686 ⚙ B - 2s.0½d. booklet, all panes with inverted watermark, good perms., slightly rusted staples, minor cover faults and some toning, otherwise fine. S.G. BA1, cat. £500. Photo. **£80-£100**



- 1687 ⚙ B 1909 (Aug.) 2s.0d. booklet, edition 6 (3rd. interleaf advert Brimsdown Lamps), all panes with inverted wmk, mainly good perms., front and back covers creased, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. BA5, cat. £2,700. Photo. **£500-£600**

King George V

- 1688 A mint and used collection in an album, incl. range of Downey Heads, 1912-22 to 1s. (5) used, ½d. and 1d. overprinted "CANCELLED", ½d. and 1d. imperf., 1924-26 to 1s. (4), 1924 and 1925 Exhibition sets used, 1929 UPU ½d., 1d. and 1½d. with watermark sideways unmounted mint, 1d. variety "1829" for "1929" used, range of varieties with watermarks, shades, cancellations, etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£450-£500**
- 1689 A collection on leaves, incl. mint and used Downey heads with inverted watermarks, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1913 ½d. and 1d. mint, 1913-19 Seahorses to 10s. used (2), 1924-26 to 1s. mint, 1929 P.U.C. £1 used with heavy indistinct cancellations, 1934 re-engraved 5s. and 10s. mint, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£300-£350**
- 1690 A collection on leaves, incl. range of Downey Heads, 1912-22 to 1s. mint with a range of controls, 1924-26 to 1s. mint, ½d. to 2d. watermark sideways mint, 1913-19 Seahorses 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (4) and 10s. (4) used, 1934 re-engraved 2s.6d. and 5s. mint, 10s. used (2), etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£300-£350**
- 1691 A mint collection of commemorative issues incl. 1924 and 1925 Empire Exhibition with 1924 blocks of four, 1929 P.U.C. with ½d. to 1½d. with watermarks sideways, 1935 Silver Jubilee with control singles, inverted watermarks, also 1934 re-engraved Seashores set, etc., mainly fine many unmounted. (27) **£250-£300**
- 1692 1911-12 Downey heads and 1912-24 watermark Royal Cypher, a mint selection of plate singles, some unmounted, mainly fine. (23) **£180-£200**



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1705



Ex 1707



1702



Ex 1703



1704

King George V: Post Office Savings Bank Stamps

- 1693 ★ ㊄ 1911-20 1s. light blue and red, "RECEIPT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF ONE SHILLING", right hand corner marginal vertical block of eight, the top two units thinned and some creasing in the lower margin, otherwise very fine and the six lower units unmounted, a very rare multiple, possibly the largest surviving piece. S.G. Spec. POSB2. Photo. **£500-£600**

1911 – 12 Downey Heads: Proofs

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- 1694 E 1911 Perkins Bacon 1d. stamp size essay type B, toned photographic proof, fine. S.G. Spec. cat. £2,500. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1695 P 1911 1d. imperforate colour trial in rose red, on gummed unwatermarked paper (45 x 32mm), very fine. Produced at Somerset House in 1911 for comparison with the new Georgian colours. S.G. Spec. Vol. 2, p.86. Photo. **£2,000-£3,000**
- 1696 P 1911 4d. engraver's sketch (die 2 head), uncleared cut close example with shaded background to head, on proof paper, a very fine and attractive proof. S.G. Spec. Vol. 2, fig. 24a. Photo. **£2,000-£3,000**

1911 – 12 Downey Heads

- 1697 An extensive mint accumulation on Hagner sheets with a wide variety of shades, some wmk. varieties, etc., mixed condition. **£150-£200**
- 1698 ☆ ㊄ 1911 die 1A watermark crown ½d. bright yellow-green in an unmounted mint block of nine, a couple of gum wrinkles otherwise fine and fresh, listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2015), retail price £1,755. Hendon certificate (2017). S.G.Spec. N1 var. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1699 ☆ ㊄ - ½d. bluish green in an unmounted mint block of four, some light gum creases otherwise fine and fresh. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. 323, Spec. N1(4), cat. £1,600. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1700 ☆ ㊄ - 1d. in an unmounted mint block of twelve (6 x 2) with sheet margin at left, the left block of four in a bright carmine-red shade, the remaining eight stamps deep bright carmine-red, a couple of light gum wrinkles otherwise fine and fresh, not listed in the Hendon Stamp Co. specialised catalogue (2015). Hendon certificate (2017). S.G.Spec. N7 var. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1701 ☆ 1912 (Jan.) die 2 watermark crown ½d. myrtle-green in an unmounted mint top left corner pair, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1985) for a block of six. S.G. Spec. N4(4), cat. £500. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1702 ☆ - 1d. very deep bright scarlet in a fine unmounted mint marginal from foot sheet, gum crease, otherwise fine. Copy of R.P.S. certificate (2009) for a pair. S.G. Spec. N11(4), cat. £275. **£80-£100**
- 1703 ★ 1912 die 2 watermark simple cypher ½d. green overprinted "CANCELLED", type 24 and 1911 die 1A 1d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 22, the latter with crease, otherwise fine with gum. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1704 ★ - 1d. scarlet variety no watermark, fine mint. Brandon certificate (1977). S.G. N12a. Photo. **£400-£450**
- 1705 ☆ ㊄ 1912 (Sept.) die 2 watermark multiple cypher ½d. green, variety watermark inverted and reversed, in an unmounted mint block of four, in an unusual bluish green shade, fine and fresh. S.G. 346Wk, Spec. N6(1)c, cat. £600. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1706 ☆ Booklet Panes: 1911-12 Watermark Crown 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. **£120-£150**

1912 – 24 Watermark Royal Cypher Issue



1715



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- 1707 ✱ 田 ½d. blue-green (pale shade) 1d. orange-vermilion, both in unmounted mint blocks of four, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2010) for a block of eight and (2009) for a block of eight. S.G. Spec. N14(14), N16(15). Photo on page 220. **£300-£350**
- 1708 ★ ½d. to 10d. (2), 1s. (4), mint collection of shades incl. marginal examples and a few control singles, incl. 1d. carmine (copy of Hendon certificate, 2013, for a pair), fine and mainly unmounted. (37) **£1,000-£1,500**
- 1709 ✱ 田 ½d. green in an unmounted mint right margin block of eight (2 x 4), the watermark inverted and misplaced resulting in two stamps without wmk. and two with part of the "POSTAGE" wmk., some gum bends and wrinkles mostly at top, the lower no wmk. stamp fine. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. N14(1) b,c, cat. £400+. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1710 ✱ ½d. bright yellow-green in an unmounted mint "G 15" corner control strip of three, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1980). S.G. Spec. N14(11), cat. £225+. Photo. **£50-£60**
- 1711 ✱ 田 ½d. blue-green in an unmounted mint block of 24 (4 x 6) with sheet margin at right, fine, scarce multiple. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. 356, Spec. N14(14), cat. £1,440. **£250-£300**
- 1712 ✱ 1d. deep carmine-red, a very fine unmounted mint example. Hendon certificate (2011). S.G. Spec. N16(13), cat. £550. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1713 ✱ 田 1d. scarlet-vermilion in an unmounted mint "J 17" corner block of four, a couple of light gum bends otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. N16(14), cat. £720+. Photo. **£160-£180**
- 1714 ✱ ½d. orange-vermilion in an unmounted mint "O 20" corner control pair, fine. R.P.S. certificate (1986). S.G. Spec. N16(15), cat. £450+. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1715 ✱ 田 1d. pale vermilion watermark inverted, an unmounted mint lower left corner block of four, diagonal bend, otherwise very fine. Copy of Hendon certificate (2015) for a block of 17. S.G. Spec. N16b. Photo. **£120-£150**

- 1716 ★ 1½d. brown mint, small gum wrinkle at top otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. Spec. N18(8), cat. £400. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1717 ★ 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 (flat gum with a few stains), 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) **£500-£700**



- 1718 ★ 2½d. indigo blue on toned paper good mint, pencil note on reverse, scarce. R.P.S. certificate (1974). S.G. Spec. N21(15), cat. £5,000. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1719 ☼ 2½d. dull Prussian blue in a pair with sheet margin at left, unmounted mint but with some small light adhesions, otherwise fine, scarce. R.P.S. certificate (2017) for a strip of three. S.G. Spec. N21(17), cat. £3,700. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**

1913 - 34 Seahorses

- 1720 ○ A used collection on leaves, comprising 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. (2), 5s., 10s., 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d., 5s., 10s., and 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (4), 5s., 10s., 1934 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (2) and 10s., slightly mixed condition. (18) **£600-£700**
- 1721 ○ A used collection on leaves, incl. 1913 Waterlow 2s.6d. (2), 5s., 10s. (2), 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. (2), 5s. and 10s. (2), and Bradbury 5s. and 10s. (2), mixed condition. (23) **£400-£500**
- 1722 ☒ 1913-35 a display collection, mainly on flown covers, incl. 1919 (Nov. 13) cover to Paris franked by 2s.6d. and K.G.V. 2½d., with two line "AIR MAIL/EXPRESS", 1933 (June) third South American Zeppelin flight, cover to Uruguay, franked by 2s.6d., 6d. and 1s. with three Zeppelin cachets, 1935 (Jan. 11) cover to Buenos Aires, franked by 1918-19 10s., 1935 5s., 1s. pair, 1936 (Sept.) Athena crash cover franked by part 1935 2s.6d., 1937 cover to Buenos Aires, franked by 1935 2s.6d., 10s. (4). 6d. and 1s., also parcel posts, etc. Ex Stevenson. (125 items) **£1,500-£1,800**



- 1723 ▲ 1917 Foreign Office Diplomatic Bag registered parcel label, addressed to "His Britannic Majesty's Legation / Christiania" signed and dated by the Foreign Secretary "A.J.Balfour", bearing 1s. bistre, De La Rue 2s.6d. deep yellow brown and a horizontal pair of Waterlow £1 deep green, paying £2,3s.,3d., each neatly cancelled by London rubber "MR. 28. 1917" datestamp. A magnificent and rare franking. Photo. **£3,500-£4,000**

1913 Waterlow



Ex 1724



1725



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1727



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1736



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- 1724 ★ 2s.6d. (2) to 10s., good mint, top value with creases. S.G. 399-402, cat. £2,125. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1725 ⊕ 2s.6d. deep sepia-brown unmounted mint, in a particularly deep shade, light gum wrinkle and a few blunted perfs. otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (2017). S.G. 399, Spec. N63(2), cat. £850. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1726 ★ 10s. indigo-blue, fine and fresh mint with strong colour, large part original gum. S.G. Spec. N69(1), cat. £1,200. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1727 ○ 10s. indigo-blue used with c.d.s. cancellations, vertical crease, otherwise fine S.G. 402, Spec. N69(1), cat. £475. Photo. **£80-£100**



- 1728 ⊕ **£1 green, fine unmounted mint, trivial lightly discoloured perf. at top, pencil note on gum. S.G. 404, Spec. N72(1), cat. £4,800. Photo. £1,000-£1,500**
- 1729 ○ £1 green, c.d.s. used, centred to upper right, some slightly ragged perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. 403, Spec. N72(1), cat. £1,400. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1730 ○ £1 green, c.d.s. used, some shortish perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1731 ○ £1 green, used with indistinct c.d.s., some short perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. 403, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1732 ○ £1 dull blue-green, used with barred cancellation, corner crease and short perf. at base. S.G. 404, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£300-£350**

1915–18 De La Rue



1735



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- 1733 ★ A mint selection comprising 2s.6d. (3), 5s. and 10s., also 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d., mixed condition. (6) £600-£700
- 1734 ○ 2s.6d. seven single examples, also 5s., used, fair to fine. £250-£300
- 1735 ✪ 2s.6d. yellow-brown a fine unmounted mint example from top-left corner of sheet, mounted in margin. B.P.A. certificate (2013). S.G. Spec. N64(6), cat. £550. Photo. £200-£250
- 1736 ✪ 2s.6d. blackish brown, watermark reversed, very fine and fresh unmounted mint with sheet margin at right, good perfs., rare. R.P.S. certificate (2011). S.G. Spec. N64(14g). Photo. £900-£1,000
- 1737 ★ 5s. bright carmine, a fine and fresh mint lower right corner marginal example, with large part original gum. S.G. 409, Spec. N67(1). Photo. £300-£400



- 1738 ○ 10s. bright ('Cambridge') blue, superb used example, cancelled by Guernsey c.d.s., rarely seen in such condition. R.P.S. certificate (1976). S.G. Spec. N70(3), cat. £4,250. Photo. £2,000-£3,000

1918 Bradbury

- 1739 ★ 2s.6d. (4, one marginal and one a lower left corner example), 5s. (marginal) and 10s., mint, mixed condition. (6) £150-£200
- 1740 ○ 2s.6d. pairs (2), single, 5s. (2) and 10s. (3), used, fair to fine. £250-£300
- 1741 ○ 5s. rose-red, six used examples, good to fine. S.G. 416. £120-£150



- 1742 ★ 10s. blackish-blue ('Steel' blue), mint, some gum toning, otherwise fine. R.P.S. certificate (1991). S.G. 417, Spec. N71(3), cat. £1,100. Photo. £400-£500

1934 Re-engraved

- 1743 ○ 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (2) and 10s. (2) used, fair to fine. **£80-£100**

1924 – 26 Watermark Block Cypher Issue

- 1744 A collection of mint control singles and multiples on leaves, with values to 1s., also 1934-36 2d. "Z/36" control block of six and 1929 PUC ½d. to 2½d. in control blocks of four, slightly mixed. (50 items) **£80-£100**
- 1745 S ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d., 5d. and 9d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, mainly fine with gum. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1746 ⊕ ⊞ ½d. green and 1½d. red-brown both in blocks of four from left of sheet variety double perfs. at centre left, some creasing, otherwise fine unmounted mint, also piece of watermarked Block Cypher paper. **£100-£120**
- 1747 ⊕ ½d., 1d., 1½d., 2d. (2) with watermarks sideways, also ½d. with pale partial offset on gum, fine mint, mainly unmounted. (6) **£100-£120**
- 1748 ★ ½d. to 10d. (4), 1s. (7), specialised range, mint, with good range of shades, controls and positional pieces, also 1½d. incomplete booklet pane of four (the two stamps at right and selvedge removed) with "INDIA-RUBBER INLAID SPONGE/R.G. MCKINLAY" adverts printed in green, fine with many unmounted. (81) **£350-£400**



1749



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Ex 1745



1751

- 1749 ⊕ ⊞ ½d. yellow-green, variety no watermark, in an unmounted mint block of four from foot of sheet, an extremely rare multiple. R.P.S. certificate (1993). S.G. 422a, Spec. N33(6)ga, cat. £24,000+. Photo. **£8,000-£9,000**
- 1750 ★ 1½d. red-brown interpanneau tête-bêche pair fine lightly mounted mint. S.G. 420a, Spec. N35aa, cat. £550. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1751 ★ 1½d. red-brown, printed on gummed side, very fine mint, previously hinged on ungummed side. S.G. Spec. N35e, cat. £750. Photo. **£300-£350**

1924 and 1925 Wembley Exhibitions

- 1752 ☒ 1924 and 1925 Wembley Exhibition, a range of covers with special postmarks, unused postal stationery, etc. (16) **£80-£100**
- 1753 ☒ 1924 Wembley 1d. and 1½d. used on plain cover, 1d. used on plain postcard and 1½d. used on (roughly opened) plain envelope, each with first day Empire Exhibition cancellations. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1754 ☒ 1925 Wembley 1d. and 1½d. used on plain first day cover with Empire Exhibition, Wembley Park 1925 slogan cancellation, fine. R.P.S. certificate (2007). Photo. **£300-£400**
- 1755 ☒ - 1d. and 1½d. used on separate plain 'Oswald Marsh' envelopes tied by crisp Empire Exhibition, Wembley Park slogan machine cancels for "MY .09 1925", the first day of issue, some small cover imperfections. Photo. **£300-£400**



1929 Postal Union Congress



1757



1756



1758

- 1756 ✱ 田 1½d. purple-brown part booklet pane of four, watermark inverted, with lower left unit displaying “Q” for “O” in “UNION” [R.2/1], trimmed perfs. at base, unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. NCom7d. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1757 ✱ 1½d. variety “1829” for “1929”, unmounted mint, slightly toned gum. S.G. Spec. NCom7c, cat. £450. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1758 ○ 2½d. blue with watermark inverted, good used with indistinct cancellation. S.G. 437Wi, Spec. NCom8(1)a, cat £1,100. Photo. **£180-£200**
- 1759 ✱ 田 £1 black in a left marginal block of four, unmounted mint, toned areas on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. 438. Photo on page 228. **£700-£800**
- 1760 ✱ £1 black fine unmounted mint lower marginal example (mounted in selvage), usual ‘off white’ gum. S.G. 438. Photo on page 228. **£350-£400**
- 1761 ★ £1 black, mint with usual ‘off white’ gum, a few light gum bends otherwise fine. S.G. 438. Photo on page 228. **£220-£250**
- 1762 ▲ £1 black used on piece with Wignes c.d.s., few pulled perfs. at top, fine. S.G. 438. Photo on page 228. **£150-£200**



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1929 Postal Union Congress: Cancellations and Covers:

- 1763 ☒ 1929 1½d. Postal stationery envelope, uprated by P.U.C. ½d. (2), from Knockholt, Kent, to Cape Town, written by the stamp designer Harold Nelson's sister, to their brother Alfred. In the lengthy family letter - "Harold has been very busy - he designed the £1 stamp now being used, telegrams etc. while the big conference is on ...". Photo. **£160-£180**
- 1764 ☒ → ½d. to 2½d. set (with extra 1½d.) used on airmail envelope to Australia on the first day of issue, tied by Gosport c.d.s. cancellations, fine. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1765 ☒ Two imprinted large envelopes in French, one franked 2½d. and 1924-26 3d., other with two sets, all with "UNION POSTALE UNIVERSELLE CONGRES DE LONDRES 1929" c.d.s.'s, a few imperfections. **£100-£120**
- 1766 ☒ → 1929 Cover from London to Kansas City franked by UPU Congress 1d., ½d. and U.S.A. 2c. strip of three all applied in London, the U.S.A. stamps paying the internal U.S. airmail postage from New York, slight soiling. Photo. **£80-£100**

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- 1767 ★ A mint collection incl. small format to 1s. with ½d. to 2d. watermark sideways, intermediate format with ½d., 1d., 1½d. inverted watermarks, large format incl. ½d. and 1½d. with inverted watermarks, fine with many unmounted. (45) **£200-£300**



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- 1768 E 1½d. essay in red, perf. 15 x 14, very fine example of the 'Downey' portrait design on Harrison script watermarked paper, with large part original gum. Rare, one of only six examples. S.G. Spec. Vol. 2, p.155, type "F". Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1769 E 1½d. essay in green, perf. 15 x 14, very fine example of the 'Downey' portrait design on Harrison script watermarked paper, with large part original gum. Rare, one of only six examples. S.G. Spec. Vol. 2, p.155, type "F". Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1770 P 1½d. large format imperforate colour trials in ultramarine, deep grey-green, scarlet and red-brown, a few wrinkles, otherwise fine with part to large part original gum. S.G. Spec N51, cat. £680. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1771 ★ ☒ 2d. orange perforation type 3(P/E) cylinder 10 control Y36 mint lower left corner block of six, fine. Mentioned after the issue in S.G. Spec. Vol II. Photo. **£200-£250**

1935 Silver Jubilee

- 1772 C ½d. to 1½d. collection of single examples of booklet pane stamps overprinted "CANCELLED", comprising ½d. watermark upright types 28 and 28P, 1d. watermark upright types 28 (R.P.S. certificate (1976)) and 28P, watermark inverted 28P and 33P, 1½d. type 28, mainly good to fine. (7) **£200-£300**
- 1773 ☆ ½d. to 2½d. set mounted in sunken presentation card, endorsed "To Harold Curwen with good wishes from Barnett F" (Barnett Freedman the stamp designer), also single 1d. signed by him as well, few minor tone spots, otherwise fine. Photo on page 230. **£600-£700**
- 1774 ☆ ½d. to 2½d. set affixed to Postmaster General presentation card, inscribed "Specimens of the Postage Stamps to be issued by the General Post Office to commemorate the Silver Jubilee, 1935" at foot, fine. Photo on page 230. **£300-£400**
- 1775 S 1d. scarlet overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, light bend and slight peripheral discolouration, scarce with part gum. S.G. 454s, cat. £1,400. Photo on page 230. **£150-£200**
- 1776 S 1½d. red-brown overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, a few lightly discoloured perfs., otherwise fine and scarce with large part gum. S.G. 454s, cat. £1,400. Photo on page 230. **£150-£200**



Ex 1773



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Ex 1777



Ex 1783



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1935 Silver Jubilee continued

- 1777 ★ 1½d. “W35” cyl. 7 (no dot) mint control strip of three on partially double paper, a few creases or bends but very rare, also a mint marginal vertical strip of three from the base of the sheet with partially doubled paper. S.G. 455var. Photo. **£100-£150**



- 1778 ★ 2½d. Prussian blue, fine mint, with large part original gum. B.P.A. certificate (2008). S.G. 456a, cat. **£13,000**. Photo. **£6,500-£7,000**

- 1779 ☒ **Cancellations and Covers:** A collection of five ‘pre-release’ or by favour covers comprising 1935 (May 1) cover to Germany bearing 2½d. (May 2) register postcard to Houghton bearing complete set, (May 4) House of Commons envelope to Putney bearing 1d., (May 6) envelope to Marple bearing 2½d. block of four, (May 6) large cover bearing full set, also a 2½d. block of four cancelled “CARN BREA*/6 MY/35/CORNWALL”. **£300-£400**

- 1780 ☒ - A collection of covers and cards, written up for display incl. First Day Covers (12) incl. Uniform Penny Postage Jubilee cover bearing ½d. cancelled by favour, registered cover to Greece bearing full set and additional 1½d. returned to sender, set of four on separate covers all cancelled with “HAREHILLS SORTING OFFICE LEEDS/7 MY/35” cancellations, 22nd philatelic congress covers (4), t.p.o, insured, postage due, etc. (80) **£1,200-£1,500**

- 1781 ☒ - ½d. to 2½d. set used on illustrated first day cover with London machine cancel, a few minor cover imperfections. Photo. **£150-£200**

- 1782 **Ephemera:** A collection of ephemera and miscellany written up on pages for display, incl. souvenir sheets, official reproductions, propaganda forgeries, watermarked paper incl. section (78 x 104mm) overprinted “CANCELLED”, procession tickets, invitation to the Thanksgiving Service at St. Paul’s Cathedral accompanied by a presentation copy of the Order of Service, hard bound in white linen with silver text, invitation to Tea at Sandringham Park, Silver Jubilee Medal, “Ladies” medal and miniature, official program, enamelled “GR/POST OFFICE/LETTER BOX” front plate (300 x 350mm), etc. (60) **£400-£500**

- 1783 ☒ **Postal Orders:** 6d., 1s. and 2s.6d. postal orders, cancelled 9th May, 18th May and 6th June respectively, 1s. and 2s.6d. with counterfoils, mixed condition. Photo. **£150-£200**

- 1784 ☉ **Sheet Stamps:** ½d. to 2½d. collection of complete sheets and large mint multiples, complete sheets comprising ½d. (4), 1d. (2), and 2½d. recombined block of 90 (less cylinder block), additionally ½d. lower sheets blocks of 24 (2), 60, 1d. block of 59 (lower marginal unit removed), 2½d. lower sheet cyl. 34. (dot) type 5 block of 30, being the lower five rows of the sheet, good to fine, mainly unmounted. **£200-£300**

- 1785 - A mint and used collection of sheet stamps, written up for display incl. 1/2d. and 11/2d. vertical strips of three on partially ‘double’ paper, 1d. vertical strips of three with partial double vertical and horizontal perforations, mint cylinder strips and blocks incl. 1/2d. “W35” cyl. 20 (no dot) type 5 vertical strip of four (rare, one of two known examples), cyl. 47 (no dot) block of six, cyl. 47. (dot) block of four, strip of three and single, cyl. 62 (no dot) type 5 block eight, type 5A block of twelve, cyl. 62. (dot) type 5 block of six, cyl. 55 (no dot) and 60 (no dot), type 5 with folded lower left corners causing perf. errors, 1d. cyl. 22 (no dot) type 5 and 5A blocks of six, type 6 block of six, 11/2d. cyl. 7 (no dot) type 5A, cyl. 27. (dot) type 5 block of six, dot and no dot blocks of six, types 6 and 6B, 21/2 control blocks and pieces (15), 11/2d. “W35”, 21/2d. fine used block of 21 (3 x 7), doctor blade and inking flaws, G.P.O. training school, etc., mainly good to fine. (100s) **£2,000-£3,000**

1935 Silver Jubilee: Booklets and Booklet Panes

- 1786 ½d. to 1½d. extensive collection of mint booklet panes written up for display highlighting minor varieties as noted in *1935 Silver Jubilee Stamps of King George V: Flaws and Varieties of the Booklet Stamps* (2013), incl. 1½d. watermark upright panes with upper left unit displaying white dot after “E” variety, one without selvedge, also two single used examples displaying the variety, also a few used and some examples on cover, mixed perfs. as would be expected, an exception assemblage forming the basis of the aforementioned publication, a copy of which is included in the lot. (100s) **£1,000-£2,000**



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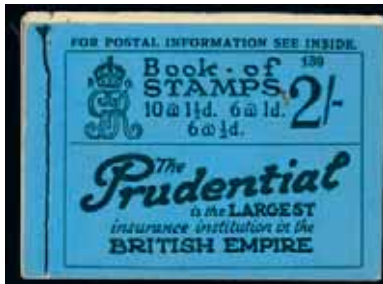
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1935 Silver Jubilee: Booklets and Booklet Panes continued

- 1787 An extensive collection of booklets, booklet panes and booklet stamps on pages, within three folders incl. 3s. booklet edition 296 error of make up, with the first interleaf the advertisement from the 2s. booklet edition 302 instead of the correct one (*see G.B. Journal volume 51 no. 3, one of two known*), 2s. and 3s. basic editions complete, mint range of panes comprising ½d. (12), 1d. (8), 1½d. (22), extensive study of advertising panes, many displayed with related postal items or appropriate ephemera, range of booklet stamps used on cover to overseas destinations with registered, airmails, uprated postal stationery, etc., mainly good to fine. (100s) **£500-£600**
- 1788 ⚙️ ½d. to 1½d. mint collection of booklet panes with cylinder numbers in selvedge, complete less 1d. cylinder 26, incl. 1d. cylinder 37 with the lower right unit displaying repair below “I” of “SILVER”, mixed perfs., mainly fine unmounted. (8) **£200-£300**
- 1789 田 C ½d. green booklet pane, watermark upright, “CANCELLED” type 33P, light tone spot on gum, otherwise fine and scarce with full original gum. S.G. Spec. NComB5s, cat. £1,400. Photo on page 230. **£250-£300**
- 1790 田 C ½d. green booklet pane, watermark inverted, “CANCELLED” type 33P, large part original lightly toned gum. S.G. Spec. NComB5a(as), cat. £1,400. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1791 田 C 1d. scarlet booklet pane, watermark upright, “CANCELLED” type 33P, trimmed perfs. at base, otherwise fine and scarce with large part original lightly toned gum. S.G. Spec. NComB6s, cat. £1,400. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1792 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark upright, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 28P, with some trimmed perfs. at right, wrinkles and some re-enforced split perfs., scarce. Unlisted. Photo. **£100-£150**
- 1793 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark upright, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 28, with trimmed perfs. at base and missing selvedge, otherwise fine and fresh with large part original gum, scarce. S.G. Spec. NComB7u, cat. £1,600. Photo. **£80-£100**
- 1794 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark inverted, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 28P, some perfs. slightly trimmed at top, otherwise fine with large part original lightly toned gum, scarce. S.G. Spec. NComB7a(at), cat. £1,300. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1795 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark upright, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 33P, lower right stamp displaying “barb extends from base of lower serif of (P)E(NCE)” variety (3C4C in *1935 Silver Jubilee Stamps of King George V: Flaws and Varieties of the Booklet Stamps* (2013)), with some trimmed perfs. at lower right, otherwise fine with large part original lightly toned gum, scarce. S.G. Spec. NComB7s, cat. £1,300. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1796 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark upright, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 33P, lower right stamp displaying “brown dot on inner frame over JU(BILEE)” variety (3C4H in “1935 Silver Jubilee Stamps of King George V: Flaws and Varieties of the Booklet Stamps”, 2013), variety unit with small split below puncture, otherwise fine with large part original lightly toned gum, scarce. S.G. Spec. NComB7s, cat. £1,300. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1797 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark upright, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 33P, with some trimmed perfs. at top and right, otherwise fine with large part original gum, with sheet number in selvedge, scarce. S.G. Spec. NComB7s, cat. £1,300. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1798 田 C 1½d. red-brown booklet pane, watermark inverted, overprinted “CANCELLED” type 33P, some perfs. slightly trimmed at top, otherwise fine with large part original lightly toned gum, scarce. S.G. Spec. NComB7a(as), cat. £1,300. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1799 ⚙️ B 2s. stapled booklet, edition number 298, ½d. pane missing one unit, mixed perfs., rare, very few examples of each edition exist as stapled booklets. S.G. BB24var. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1800 ⚙️ B 2s. stapled booklet, edition number 302, all adhesives but the ½d. pane removed, rare, very few examples of each edition exist as stapled booklets. S.G. BB24var. Photo on page 234. **£100-£200**
- 1801 ⚙️ B 2s. booklet edition number 304, containing three cylinder number panes, ½d. cyl. 33, 1d. cyl. 37, 1½d. cyl. 66, mixed perfs. rare. S.G. Spec. BB16. Photo on page 234. **£100-£200**
- 1802 ⚙️ B 3s. booklet, edition number 297 (watermarks upright), all panes with cylinder numbers, ½d. cyl. 33, 1d. cyl. 37, 1½d. all cyl. 66, mixed perfs. rare. S.G. Spec. BB16. Photo on page 234. **£200-£300**



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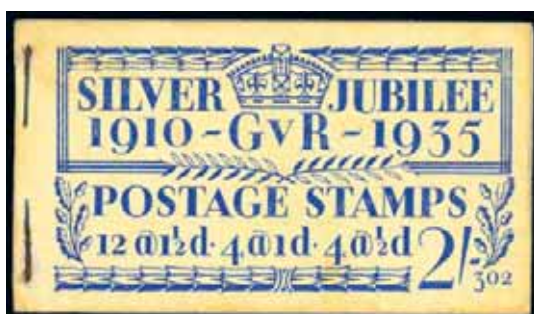
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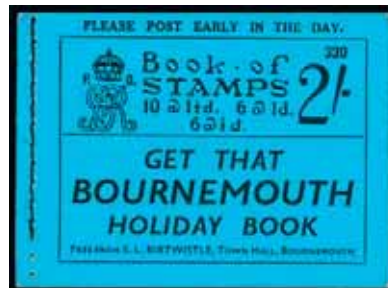
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King George V – 2s. Booklets

- 1803 B 1917 2s. trial booklet edition 76, exploded with the two covers, four advertising interleaves "TIDMAN'S SEA SALT/Buy National War Bonds Now", and five blank panes representing the stamps on unwatermarked paper perforated 14½ x 14, very rare. S.G. BB10 var. **£600-£700**
- 1804 ⚙ B 1924 (Mar.) 2s. booklet edition 23, ½d. and 1d. panes with upright wmk., 1½d. panes inverted, mixed perfs., fine and fresh. S.G. BB12, cat. £900. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1805 ⚙ B - 2s. booklet edition 139, all panes with inverted wmk., mixed perfs., adhesions on ½d. pane, otherwise fine. S.G. BB12, cat. £900. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1806 ⚙ B 1935 (July) 2s. photogravure booklet edition 330, 1½d. pane of six with inverted wmk., others upright, mixed perfs., fine and fresh. S.G. BB17, cat. £600. Photo. **£200-£220**

King George V – 3s. Booklets

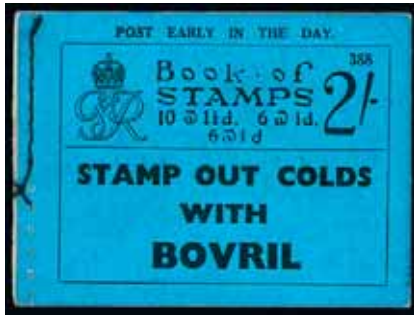
- 1807 ⚙ B 1924 3s. booklet edition 55, ½d. and 1d. panes with upright wmk., 11/2d. panes inverted, each pane with a light pencil note on one stamp, small back cover fault, mixed perfs. S.G. BB24, cat. £550. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1808 ⚙ B 1929 P.U.C. 3s. booklet edition 168, all panes with watermarks upright, mixed perfs., fine. S.G. BB25, cat. £450. Photo. **£180-£200**

King George V – 5s. Booklets

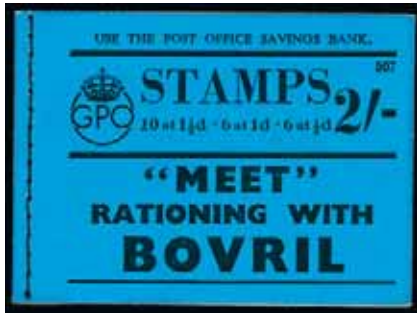
- 1809 ⚙ B 1931 (Aug.) 5s. booklet, edition no. 1, the last ½d. pane detached and one 1½d. pane with perf. separation, some offset from advert panes on gum, otherwise fine, scarce. S.G. BB33. Photo. **£550-£600**
- 1810 ⚙ B 1935 (July) 5s. photogravure booklet edition 13, ½d. pane with upright wmk., the others inverted, mixed perfs., minor front cover imperfection otherwise fine. S.G. BB37, cat. £650. Photo. **£180-£200**

King George VI

- 1811 A collection in a stockbook, incl. range of watermarks with 1937-47 ½d. to 2½d. with watermark sideways and with watermark inverted unmounted mint, 1939-48 set mint, 1941-42 2½d. pair with left stamp showing printing variety unmounted mint, 1951 Festival set unmounted mint, range of control singles, etc., also a range of used K.G.V postage dues and some K.E.VIII, mainly fine. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 1812 A mint collection of definitives and commemoratives incl. 1937-47 ½d. to 2½d. with watermarks sideways and additional examples with inverted watermarks, also some K.E.VIII, mainly fine and unmounted. (81) **£150-£180**
- 1813 A mint collection on leaves, incl. 1937-47 ½d. to 2½d. with watermarks sideways and with watermarks inverted, 1939-48 to £1 with both 10s., 1951 Festival set, etc., slightly mixed condition. (92) **£120-£150**
- 1814 A collection incl. 1937-47 ½d. to 3d. and pale colours ½d. to 3d. mounted on part album leaf written up and initialled by Eric Gill designer, 1948 Olympic Games 3d. corner block of nine signed by the designer Abram Games and 1951 Festival low values mounted on Harrison and Sons presentation card. **£120-£150**
- 1815 ☒ A display collection of high values, majority on covers on leaves, incl. 1939-48 £1 used on plain f.d.c.'s (2), 1948 Silver Wedding £1 on plain f.d.c., 1951 Festival set used on two plain f.d.c.'s, Airmails with a range of rates, censored mail, Express mail, labels, etc. (few 100s) **£800-£1,000**
- 1816 ★ 1939-48 2s.6d. brown, green, 5s., 10s. steel blue black, dark blue, ultramarine (2), £1, mint, some light gum toning otherwise very fine and mainly unmounted. S.G. 476-478c. (8) **£200-£300**
- 1817 ☒ 1939-48 2s.6d. brown used on first day cover with neat "SUTTON COLDFIELD/BIRMINGHAM/4 SP/39" c.d.s., fine and very scarce. S.G. 476. Photo. **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1818 S 1939-48 10s. dark blue overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, fine with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. Q32s, cat. £500. Photo on page 236 **£120-£150**



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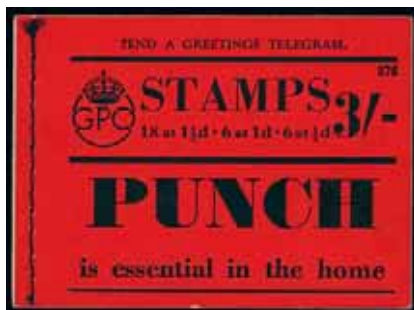
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King George VI continued



- 1819 ☒ 1939-48 10s. dark blue used on first day cover with neat “SUTTON COLDFIELD/BIRMINGHAM/30 OC/39” c.d.s., a couple of lightly toned perfs. otherwise fine and very scarce. S.G. 478. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 1820 ✦ 1939-48 10s. steel blue-black fine unmounted mint upper marginal example (mounted in selvage), displaying variety dark line across bottom right stem [R.1/4]. S.G. Spec. Q32(2)h. Photo. £80-£100
- 1821 ☒ 1948 Silver Wedding 2½d. and £1 set used on illustrated first day cover, fine. S.G. 493-4. Photo. £150-£200
- 1822 1951 Festival 2s.6d. to £1 set mounted on “Waterlow & Sons Limited” presentation card, most attractive. S.G. 509-512. Photo. £150-£200
- 1823 ☒ - 2s.6d. to £1 set used on four ‘Festival of Britain’ illustrated f.d.c.’s, and the set used alongside 2½d., and 4d. on plain f.d.c., the 10s. cover without datestamp, others with few minor imperfections. Photo. £150-£200
- 1824 ★ ☒ - 2½d. scarlet, a fine unmounted mint marginal block of twelve signed by the designer, Edmund Dulac, in the margin, 4d. in mint corner block of nine, signed by the designer, Abram Games. S.G. 513, 514. £120-£150
- 1825 ★ ☒ - A collection of the low values in mint blocks in an album, incl. good range of minor varieties, cylinder blocks with cylinder 5 dot, one with deformed “2”, etc. (480) £100-£120

King George VI: Booklets

- 1826 ✦ B A collection with 1s. (7) with two duplicates, 2s.6d. (4) incl. Dec. 1949, and 5s. Apr. 1947, also with K.E.VIII 6d. and 2s. edition 354, plus incomplete 2s. (2) and 3s., and 1935 Jubilee 2s. and 3s., plus incomplete 1935 photogravure 3s. (2), varied condition. (21 items) £180-£200
- 1827 ✦ B 2s. booklet, 1937 (Aug.) edition 388, 1d. pane with upright wmk., others inverted, one 1½d. and one 1d. pane with cylinder numbers, mixed perfs., stitching coming apart at foot, otherwise fine. S.G. BD11, cat. £1,100. Photo. £250-£300
- 1828 ✦ B 2s. booklet, 1938 edition 507, all panes with inverted wmk., mixed perfs., some overall gum toning and ½d. pane with a little adhesion on reverse, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BD12, cat. £1,100. Photo. £300-£350
- 1829 ✦ B 2s. booklet, 1938 edition 507, all panes with upright wmk., mixed perfs., some overall gum toning and ½d. pane with a little adhesion on reverse, minor front cover rubbing otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BD12, cat. £1,100. Photo. £250-£300
- 1830 ✦ B 2s. booklet, 1938 edition 507, all panes with upright wmk., mixed perfs., some overall gum toning and ½d. pane with a little adhesion on reverse, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BD12, cat. £1,100. Photo. £250-£300

King George VI: Booklets continued

- 1831 ⚙ B 3s. booklet, 1938 edition 376, all panes with upright wmk., mixed perms., some overall gum toning otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BD22, cat. £1,900. Photo on page 236. **£600-£700**
- 1832 ⚙ B 3s. booklet, 1938 edition 376, all panes with upright wmk., mixed perms., some overall gum toning and front cover with light corner crease otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BD22, cat. £1,900. Photo on page 236. **£500-£600**
- 1833 ⚙ B 3s. booklet, 1938 edition 376, all panes with upright wmk., mixed perms., some overall gum toning otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. BD22, cat. £1,900. Photo. **£600-£700**



1833



1834

- 1834 ⚙ B 5s. booklet, 1940 (July) edition 13, all panes with inverted watermarks, mainly good perms., fine and fresh. S.G. BD25, cat. £2,000. Photo. **£800-£1,000**

Queen Elizabeth II: Collections and Mixed Lots

- 1835 An unmounted mint collection in seven binders, complete for basic issues from 1971 to 2016, also a wide range of regionals, booklets, Machins, miniature sheets, postage dues, few Smiler sheets, 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Gold Medal Winners sheetlets complete, post and go labels. etc., also a stockbook of used, mainly fine. (100s) **£800-£1,000**
- 1836 A collection in four stockbooks, incl. 1955 Waterlow set mint, 1958 De La Rue set unmounted mint, 1959 De La Rue set unmounted mint, commemorative issues largely complete from 1953 to 1980 with 1960s phosphor issues unmounted mint, regionals, specialised 1967-70 Machins, etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£400-£500**
- 1837 A large accumulation of decimal issues loose in a carton incl. mint or unused (face value £460 approx.), a large quantity of superb c.d.s. commercially used commemoratives, mostly in blocks from registered mail, etc. **£300-£400**
- 1838 An accumulation in a stockbook, on leaves and loose in two cartons, with a large quantity of used mainly decimal Machins incl. blocks and booklet panes, quantity of high values with pre-decimal and decimal Castles, 1993 £10 (12), f.d.c.'s incl. pre-decimal and decimal Machin booklet panes incl. Prestige, quantity of other covers, 1980 Authoresses set in traffic light blocks of nine, f.d.c. and P.H.Q. cards f.d.i. (two sets), all signed by the designer Barbara Brown, mint with a few presentation packs, accumulation of decimal booklets (a few incomplete) incl. 1972 Wedgwood £1 (2), also 1807 Free entire letter, two early Italian covers, etc. (1000s) **£200-£250**
- 1839 An accumulation in twenty five albums and loose, incl. presentation packs, Machins, aerogrammes, covers, booklets, etc., mixed condition. (100s) **£200-£250**
- 1840 A mainly unmounted mint accumulation in five albums and loose, incl. prestige booklets, miniature sheets, Machins, etc. (100s) **£180-£200**
- 1841 An accumulation of pre-decimal issues, mostly in mint and c.d.s. commercially used multiples, some Wilding (incl. wmk. Crowns ordinary 1s.6d.) and Machin complete sheets, Castle no wmk. set in corner blocks of four, quantity of listed flaws, also some earlier, etc. **£150-£200**
- 1842 1971 to 1998, a mainly unmounted mint collection in an album, incl. basic sets, Machins, regionals, etc., also an album of Channel islands, mostly fine. (100s) **£150-£200**

- 1843 A collection of minor varieties and flaws in three albums, two stockbooks and two folders, incl. colour shifts, retouches, phosphor omitted with Scotland 1967-70 1s.6d. unmounted mint, etc. (100s) **£150-£200**
- 1844 An accumulation of covers and cards, incl. f.d.c.'s with some Benham silks, P.H.Q. cards, etc. (few 100s) **£100-£150**
- 1845 A Q.E.II pre-decimal collection in an album, incl. issues largely complete mint and used with some phosphor sets and traffic light multiples, also 1953 Coronation illustrated f.d.c., etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£100-£150**
- 1846 A collection of presentation booklets in two albums, complete from 1987 Christmas to 1998 Christmas. **£80-£100**
- 1847 A collection of 1970s unmounted mint traffic light singles, pairs and blocks in a stockbook, incl. 1973 Royal Wedding in pairs, etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£70-£80**
- 1848 An accumulation of mainly 1960s and 1970s f.d.c.'s and presentation packs, all different. (100s) **£60-£70**
- 1849 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) **£50-£60**
- 1850 B **Booklets:** A selection in three folders, incl. Prestige, a few panes and earlier items, etc. (few 100s) **£100-£120**
- 1851 B - A collection in a booklet album with a few Wilding 2s. and 4s.6d. editions, pre-decimal Machin 2s. to 10s. complete (less 6s. claret cover editions), and decimal Machin stitched books complete (less 10p. Apr. 1973), some duplicates, etc. **£120-£150**

Queen Elizabeth II: Postal History

The following ten lots of commercial covers present a fascinating range of Queen Elizabeth II postal history

- 1852 ☒ A pre-decimal selection with telegrams, parcel labels, registered covers, pieces, many franked with Castle issues, etc. (55 items) **£200-£250**
- 1853 ☒ A group of special delivery and registered decimal covers, a few pieces, mostly with Machin frankings, some with additional commemoratives, a few uncancelled. (51) **£100-£120**
- 1854 ☒ A decimal group of internal mail, with registered covers and a selection of used registered postal stationery envelopes, some uprated. (39) **£80-£100**
- 1855 ☒ An accumulation of internal and external mainly decimal Machin covers, incl. registered, F.P.O. cancellations, also a few pre-decimal items. (approx. 165) **£150-£180**
- 1856 ☒ An accumulation of decimal Machin covers to European destinations, some p.p.c.'s. range of rates, etc. (approx. 115) **£80-£100**
- 1857 ☒ A group of decimal Machin covers, all to European destinations, various rates, p.p.c.'s, etc. (approx. 95) **£70-£80**
- 1858 ☒ A group of decimal Machin covers, used internally, a few pre-decimal, some pieces. (62) **£70-£80**
- 1859 ☒ A group of used pre-decimal and decimal registered postal stationery envelopes, range of sizes, some uprated. (67) **£80-£100**
- 1860 ☒ A group of covers showing a range of postal services incl. registered, special delivery, recorded, express, postage due, stationery envelopes, some pre-decimal, etc., a few are pieces. (55) **£100-£120**
- 1861 ☒ A miscellaneous accumulation of covers and pieces incl. postage due, certificates of posting, parcel labels, pre-decimal and decimal, many high values, etc. (few 100s) **£70-£80**

Queen Elizabeth II: Wildings

- 1862 ☆ A specialised mint collection in an album, mainly singles arranged by value with different watermarks, cream and whiter papers, shades, graphites, phosphor-graphites incl. 2d. error of wmk., green, blue and violet phosphors, typo and photo bands, broad bands errors, coil stamps, inverted wmk., sideways wmk. both to left and right, some multiples incl. coil joins, coil strips and a few booklet panes with constant flaws, etc., a few with clipped perfs. but mainly fine, all apparently unmounted. (few 100s) **£700-£800**
- 1863 ☆ A specialised unmounted mint collection in a stockbook, incl. 1952-54, 1955-58, 1958-65 and 1960-67 to 1s.6d., 1958-61 graphite lines set, 1959 phosphor-graphite set, wide range of watermarks, shades, booklet stamps, coils, green, blue and violet phosphors, etc., mainly fine. (100s) **£300-£400**
- 1864 ★ A specialised mint collection of singles in an album, arranged by value with different watermarks, cream and whiter papers, shades, graphites, phosphor-graphites, green, blue and violet phosphors, typo and photo bands, coil stamps, inverted wmk., sideways wmk. both to left and right, etc., some clipped perfs. and a few mounted, majority unmounted. (few 100s) **£300-£400**
- 1865 ★ A duplicated mint accumulation in two stockbooks, on leaves and loose in a carton, with singles and multiples, cream and whiter papers, watermark varieties, graphites, phosphor-graphites, coil strips and a few part coils, selection of booklet panes, range of Crowns wmk. ordinary and phosphor cylinder blocks, training bars, a few constant flaws, etc., varied condition. (few 1000s) **£150-£200**
- 1866 ☆ **1958-65 watermark Multiple Crowns** ½d. orange-red whiter paper in a vertical tête-bêche pair (lightly folded through perfs.), one with very light bend otherwise fine unmounted mint. B.P.A. certificate (1969). S.G. Spec. S5, see footnote, cat. £2,250. Photo. **£300-£400**



- 1867 ☆ - 4d. deep ultramarine whiter paper variety double impression, a few light gum wrinkles otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce. Brandon certificate (2003) for a pair. S.G. 576ae, cat. £3,000, EC GBR1164b. Photo. **£500-£600**
- 1868 ☆ - 4d. deep ultramarine whiter paper variety imperforate between stamp and top margin, in a vertical pair with normal, light gum bend otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. S85c, cat. £350, EC GBR1164a. Photo. **£80-£100**

Queen Elizabeth II: Wilding Coils

- 1869 **1958 cream paper** 2d. light red-brown "T" sideways delivery, sideways watermark, complete coils comprising "2" (4), "5" (2) and 9, mainly fine. **£200-£250**

Queen Elizabeth II: Wilding Booklet Panes

- 1870 ☆ A mint collection in a binder, with panes of two, four and six, with se-tenant and label panes, cream and whiter papers, perf. types with some I(1/2v), a few graphite, coloured phosphors, inverted wmk., sideways wmk. both left and right, a few with cylinder numbers, some duplication, etc., mixed perfs. but many good, all apparently unmounted. (approx. 215 panes) **£300-£400**

Queen Elizabeth II: Wilding Booklets

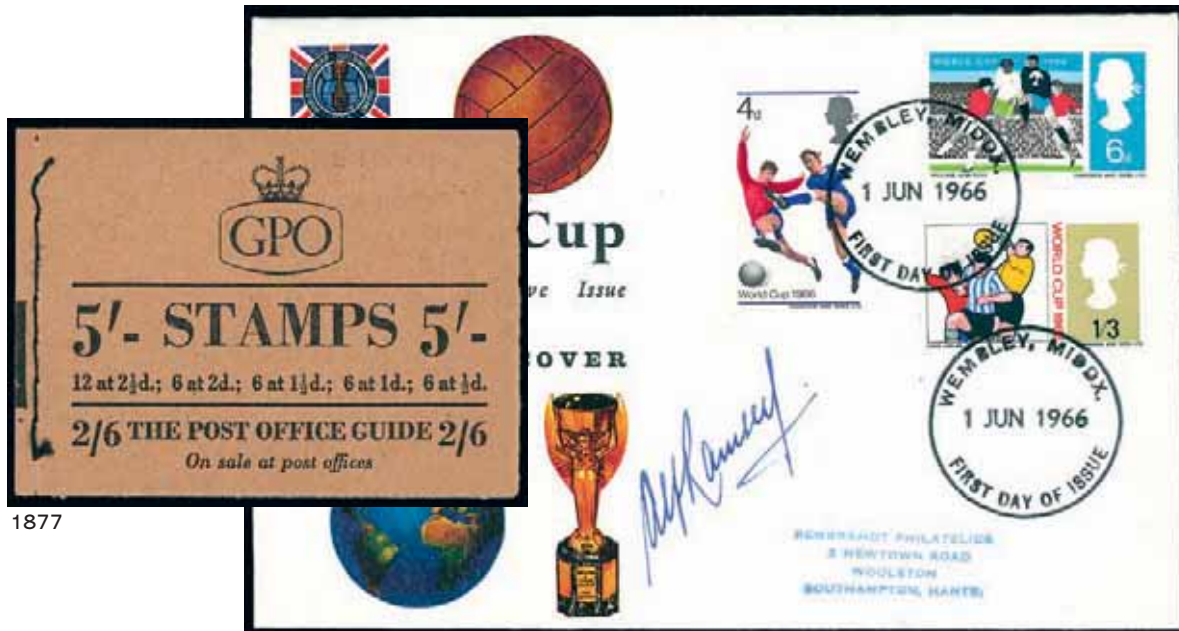
- 1871 ✪ B 1s. and 2s. booklet collection, incl. 2s. lemon cover sideways wmk. plain booklet editions complete (less Apr. 1962, July 1962 and Jan. 1963), plus phosphor Apr. 1961, orange cover plain and phosphor editions complete (less Oct. 1966 phosphor), Jan. 1968 book with se-tenant pane missing phosphor, a few duplicates, etc. a few with cover imperfections, mainly fine. (65) **£250-£300**
- 1872 ✪ B 2s.6d. booklet collection, 1953 to 1957 with most editions present, composites incl. Sept. 1953 PPR 15mm (2), selection of mixed wmk. variations, some with cylinder panes, etc. (66) **£600-£700**
- 1873 ✪ B 3s. booklet collection, 1958 to 1965, with plain books (45), mainly different, a few wmk. variations, and phosphor books (12), some duplicates, a few with ink notes on covers, mainly fine. (57) **£500-£600**
- 1874 ✪ B 3s.9d. booklet collection, 1953 to 1957 with editions complete, plus one duplicate and Oct. 1955 wmk. variation, a few with cylinder panes, etc. (22) **£150-£180**
- 1875 ✪ B 4s.6d. booklet collection, 1957 to 1968, with plain books (29), different editions incl. Jan. 1964 and Mar. 1964, plus one duplicate, graphite books (4, one duplicate), and phosphor books (25, different editions), a couple with ink notes on covers, mainly fine. (59) **£500-£600**
- 1876 ✪ B 5s. booklet collection, 1953 to 1965, with brown cover books (45), virtually all different editions incl. mixed wmk. variations, blue cover plain books (18, mainly different), graphite Mar. 1960 (plus two exploded and incomplete), and phosphor July 1961, Jan. 1964 (2½d. pane with inverted wmk.), and Jan. 1965 (2), a few with ink notes on covers, mainly fine. (68) **£700-£800**
- 1877 ✪ B 5s. booklet, 1954 (Mar.), with extra 1½d. pane, mixed perms., fine. S.G. Spec. H7a. Photo on page 242. **£350-£400**
- 1878 ✪ B 6s. booklet collection, 1965 to 1968 with plain books complete (less May 1966), and phosphor books complete (less Aug. 1966), fine. (48) **£700-£800**
- 1879 ✪ B 10s. booklet collection, 1961 to 1968, with green cover Apr. 1961 (2), Apr. 1962, and July 1964 (3), and brown cover books complete (less Dec. 1965) with some duplicates, fine. (19) **£200-£220**

Queen Elizabeth II: 1955 – 68 Castles

- 1880 A collection of Castles on leaves, incl. 1955-58 Waterlow and De La Rue sets unmounted mint, slightly mixed condition. (67) **£300-£350**

Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives

- 1881 ✪ An extensive specialised mint collection of missing colours, imperforate imprimaturs and varieties incl. 1963 Paris Postal Conference (ordinary) 6d. imperforate imprimatur single, 1965 Salvation Army (ordinary) 3d. and 1s.6d. imperforate imprimatur blocks of four, 1965 I.T.U. (phosphor) 9d. and 1s.6d. left margin imperforate imprimatur singles, 1966 Birds (ordinary) 4d. block of four with greenish yellow omitted, (phosphor) 4d. block of four with greenish yellow omitted, 1967 Flowers (ordinary) 9d. and 1s.9d. imperforate imprimatur singles, 1967 Christmas 3d. rose omitted horizontal pair with sheet margin at foot, 3d. horizontal imperforate proof pairs (2), one with no phosphor, 4d. variety gold ("4D" only) omitted, 1s.6d. ultramarine omitted, 1968 British Paintings 4d. vermilion omitted, 4d. gold (Queen's head and value) and phosphor omitted, marginal example, 1969 Christmas 4d. to 1s.6d. set of imperforate imprimatur marginal singles, 1970 Literary Anniversaries 1s.6d. imperforate imprimatur, 1971 Christmas 2½p. imperforate vertical pair, 7½p. emerald omitted, 1973 Explorers 3p. se-tenant pair turquoise-blue (background and inscription) omitted, 9p. brown-grey printing double, 1973 Christmas 3½p. PVA blue and rosy mauve omitted, 1974 Fire Service 3½p. imperforate horizontal pair, 1974 Medieval Warriors 10p. imperforate horizontal pair, 1976 Christmas 6½p. imperforate horizontal pair, 1979 Flowers 9p. imperforate horizontal pair, 1979 Rowland Hill miniature sheet rosine omitted, 1982 British Motor Cars 19½p. rose-red, grey and black printings double, 1986 Royal Air Force 17p. imperforate lower left corner horizontal pair, 1990 Gallantry Awards 20p. D.S.C. & D.S.M. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair (faults), 1994 Medical Discoveries 25p. imperforate horizontal gutter pair, 2000 Millennium Projects - 'Above and Beyond' 19p. imperforate horizontal pair, etc. mainly fine unmounted. Ex. 'Golden' Collection. **£20,000-£30,000**



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1889

Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives continued



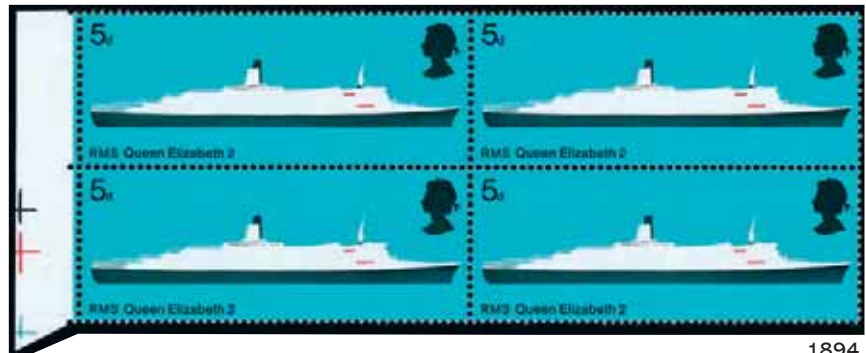
- 1882 ✪ 1964 Botanical (ordinary) 9d. variety green (leaves) omitted, very fine unmounted mint marginal example from the right of the sheet, Worboys hand stamp in selvedge, tiny surface marks, with normal for comparison, a very rare error. B.P.A. certificate (2016). S.G. 657a, cat. £26,000 EC GBR1314a - circa 6 known. Photo. £5,000-£6,000
- 1883 ☒ 1966 World Cup Football and World Cup Winners double dated first day cover signed Alf Ramsey. Photo. £200-£300
- 1884 ✪ ☒ 1966 Birds (ordinary) 4d. se-tenant block of four variety greenish yellow omitted, with margin at left, fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 696ad, cat. £4,400, EC GBR1392c - 30 blocks known. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 1885 ✪ ☒ - 4d. se-tenant block of four from right of sheet, variety red omitted, fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 696e, cat. £2,200, EC GBR1392e - circa 25 blocks known. Photo. £600-£700
- 1886 ✪ ☒ - 4d. se-tenant block of four from right of sheet, variety bright blue omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 696g, cat. £1,400, EC GBR1392h - circa 40 blocks known. Photo. £250-£300
- 1887 ✪ ☒ - 4d. se-tenant block of four, variety bright blue omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 696g, cat. £1,400, EC GBR1392h - circa 40 blocks known. Photo. £250-£300
- 1888 ✪ ☒ - 4d. se-tenant block of four variety greenish yellow omitted, folded through vertical perfs., light surface mark on lower left stamp otherwise fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 696d, cat. £4,400, EC GBR1392c - 30 blocks known. Photo. £600-£800
- 1889 ✪ ☒ - 4d. se-tenant block of four variety bright blue omitted, light horizontal bend affecting lower right unit, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 696g, cat. £1,400, EC GBR1392h - circa 40 blocks known. Photo. £250-£300



- 1890 ✪ ☒ 1966 Birds (phosphor) 4d. se-tenant mint block of 24 (the lower part of a sheet) displaying the gradual omission of greenish yellow, incorporating the cylinder and traffic light blocks, the colour missing from the upper left block and partially missing on the lower left, trace of the "1C" cylinder in selvedge, folded through central vertical perfs., pressed folds and creases, light gum striations, unmounted, rare. S.G. 696pd, cat. £8,000, EC GBR1392d - 16 blocks known (10 damaged). Photo. £1,500-£2,000



1897



1894



1895



1900



1893



1899



Ex 1896



1898

Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives continued



- 1891 ✱ 1966 Birds (phosphor) 4d. se-tenant block of four variety bright blue omitted, slightly toned, otherwise fine unmounted mint and very rare. Only four blocks are known (one of which is mounted). S.G. 696pg., EC GBR1392i, cat. £12,000. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 1892 ✱ 1966 Christmas 1s.6d. collection incl. ordinary and phosphor printings with omissions, varieties and shifts incl. gold and embossing omitted (Brandon certificate, 1994), shaved Queen's heads, etc., with multiples and positional pieces, mainly fine unmounted. (29) £200-£300
- 1893 ✱ 1967 Christmas 1s.6d. variety gold (Queen's head and value) omitted, the lower stamp in a vertical strip of three with margin at foot (folded with perf. separation), vertical crease just effecting error stamp, otherwise fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. 758a, cat. £18,000, EC GBR1516a - 6 known. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 1894 ✱ 1969 Ships 5d. variety grey (decks, etc.) omitted, in a block of four from left of sheet with control cross with the grey cross missing, fine unmounted mint with matching block for comparison. S.G. 778b, cat. £1,120+, EC GB1556MCb - circa 240 known. Photo. £300-£350
- 1895 ✱ 1969 Investiture 5d. se-tenant strip of three variety deep grey omitted, with sheet margin at base, tiny bend at left, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 802d-804d, cat. £1,750, EC GBR1604c - 48 strips known. Photo. £300-£400
- 1896 E 1969 Three stamp size hand painted essays in unadopted designs for the Christmas issue 4d., 9d. and 1s.6d. all signed by Andrew Restall. Photo. £100-£150
- 1897 ✱ 1970 British Rural Architecture 5d. variety grey (Queen's head and cottage shading) omitted, tiny indentation in gum, fine unmounted mint, very rare, with normal for comparison. S.G. 815b, EC GBR1630c - 5 known (2 damaged), cat. £15,000. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- 1898 ✱ 1970 Literary Anniversaries 5d. se-tenant block of four, variety silver (inscriptions) omitted and the Oliver Twist stamp also with light greenish-blue (value) almost completely omitted, light wrinkle and few tiny specks on gum, fine unmounted mint and very rare. S.G. 824ac, EC GBR1648a cat. £35,000. Three blocks with silver omitted and one with silver and light greenish-blue omitted are recorded. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- 1899 ✱ 1970 Literary Anniversaries 5d. se-tenant block of four, variety silver (inscriptions) omitted, with sheet margin at base, a few tiny flecks of silver on the upper pair, otherwise fine unmounted mint and very rare. S.G. 824ac, EC GBR1648a, cat. £35,000 - three blocks with silver omitted. Photo. £2,500-£3,000
- 1900 ✱ 1973 British Paintings 5p. variety greenish yellow omitted, in a horizontal pair with sheet margin at foot, fine unmounted mint, very scarce. Brandon certificate (2008) for a block of four. S.G. 932b, cat. £2,700. EC GBR1864b - circa 30 known. Photo. £800-£1,000
- †1901 ✱ 1977 Wildlife 9p. se-tenant strip of five variety reddish brown omitted, resulting in a colour change most noticeable in the squirrel stamp which appears a yellow brown in colour, accompanied by a second marginal strip with a partial omission and a normal strip for comparison, fine unmounted mint, unlisted. Ex Baillie. Photo on page 247. £150-£200
- 1902 1985 British Film Year 34p. showing silver (Queen's head) downward colour shift used on maximum card (with rest of set), and 1973 Christmas complete unmounted mint sheet of 100 with misplaced phosphors, fine. £100-£120

Queen Elizabeth II: Commemoratives continued



1903 ☒ M 1990 Stamp World miniature sheet variety imperforate, fine used on first day cover, very rare, unpriced used. S.G. MS1501a. Photo. £4,000-£5,000

†1904 ✪ 1998 Diana Commemoration, Welsh presentation packs (5), fine. S.G.2021a. £100-£120

1905 ✪ 2000 Millennium Projects - 'Above and Beyond' 19p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, two small gum wrinkles otherwise fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 2125a, cat. £1,800. Photo. £400-£500



1905



1906

†1906 ✪ 2001 Nobel Prizes 65p. variety hologram omitted, tiny surface mark and light striations on gum, otherwise fine unmounted mint, very rare, with normal for comparison. Brandon certificate (2002). S.G. 2237var., EC F2223MSa, only 8 copies known, cat. £4,500. Photo. £800-£1,000

1907 ✪ 2004 Ocean Liners (E) imperforate pair from right of sheet, fine unmounted mint, few minor wrinkles, very scarce. S.G. 2449a, cat. £1,000. Photo. £150-£200



1908 ✪ 2006 Victoria Cross Anniversary 1st 'Cornwell' + 64p. 'Chavasse' + 72p. 'Upham' se-tenant pane of three variety bronze (Queen's head and denominations) and phosphor omitted, the second pane from the booklet, fine unmounted mint and rare, with normal pane for comparison. S.G. 2660ba, cat. £18,000, EC GBR5311a - circa 6 panes known. Photo. £3,500-£4,000



1907



1901

Queen Elizabeth II Machins

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Queen Elizabeth II: 1967 – 70 Machins



- 1909 A collection of pre-decimal Machins on stock cards, each a control single, block of four or block of six, mainly fine. (68 items) **£60-£70**
- 1910 P 8d. colour trial in bright mauve, hinged with pencilled "E" on reverse, fine and rare, with issued 8d. and 39p. Photo. **£600-£800**
- 1911 P 8d. colour trial in ultramarine, hinged with pencilled "K" on reverse, fine and rare, with issued 8d., 3p., 15p. and 31p. Photo. **£600-£800**
- 1912 P 1s. colour trial in light emerald, hinged with pencilled "O" on reverse, repaired top left corner, rare, with issued 1s. and 6p. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1913 P 1s. colour trial in pale chestnut, hinged with pencilled "U" on reverse, diagonal crease at top right, rare, with issued 1s. and 7½p. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1914 P 1s. colour trial in slate-blue, hinged with pencilled "J" on reverse, ragged perfs. at right with tiny thin in margin, rare, with issued 1s. Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1915 P 1s.6d. colour trial in deep blue-green and rose-pink, hinged with pencilled "R" on reverse, fine and rare, with issued 1s.6d. Photo. **£600-£800**

Queen Elizabeth II: 1967 – 70 Machin Booklets

- 1916 ✪ B £1 stitched Cook booklet, the se-tenant pane variety uncoated paper with good perfs. all round, scarce. S.G.Spec. cat. (as a pane) £900. **£300-£350**
- 1917 ✪ B 2s. to 10s. collection with editions complete (less 2s. S.G. NP31 and NP31a, and 6s. May 1968 with PVA gum), plus a couple of examples with a missing phosphor pane, duplicates, etc. (91) **£150-£200**

Decimal Machins

- †1918 A mint collection of imperforate pairs, missing phosphors, and varieties incl. 3p. bright magenta Harrison photo PCP1/PVAD, variety imperforate in a horizontal pair with sheet margin at left, 3½p. deep olive-green Harrison photo OCP/PVAD two bands, in a cylinder 11 p17 no dot block of six, 20p. brownish black Harrison photo ACP/PVAD variety imperforate in a top margin horizontal pair, roughly torn at left, 31p. purple Harrison photo ACP/PVAD in a block of six (2 x 3), the top pair completely imperforate, the others with indents, 33p. light emerald Questa litho FCP/PVA variety phosphor omitted, 1970-72 "High Values" 10p. cerise variety imperforate between stamp and top margin, Booklet panes incl. 1967-70 Set of four stapled booklet panes from the £1 Cook book, each with all stamps overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1st orange-red self-adhesive variety imperforate, twelve pairs in a block of twenty-four (8 x 3) with 4mm spacing between stamps from business sheets, 1980 Wedgwood 12p. pane DP40 variety phosphor printed on both sides, 2p. pane DP42 red (booklet value and inscription) omitted, Se-tenant pane DP43 variety phosphor printed on both sides, etc., a few imperfections, mainly fine unmounted mint. Ex. Golden **£2,500-£3,000**
- †1919 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) **£250-£300**
- 1920 A mint collection in two binders with papers and gums, value types and settings, head types, thin and glazed papers, stamps from various sheet cylinders, booklet and coils, misplaced phosphors, selection of missing phosphors, coil strips, blocks of four, constant varieties in positional multiples, training bar overprints, also with pre-decimal Machin singles, blocks of four, range of cylinder blocks incl. perf. types, 1s.6d. PVA two bands with pale blue omitted, etc. (many 100s) **£150-£200**

Decimal Machins: Denominated Issues

- †1921 ✪ A specialised collection written up on leaves, ½p. to 75p., with papers and gums, booklet and coil stamps, thin papers, JET phosphors, glazed papers, errors and varieties incl. missing phosphors, misplaced phosphors, good range of constant flaws mainly in positional multiples, mis-perfs., doctor blade flaws, coil strips with printer's joins, 9p. violet imperf. vertical pair (indents), 10p. orange-brown and chestnut FCP/PVA with orange-brown omitted, also a few pre-decimal Machin errors incl. 5d. imperf. pair, missing phosphors incl. 10d., 1s. GA, 10d. uncoated paper strip of three, 1s.6d. PVA pale blue omitted, etc., some duplication. (100s) **£300-£400**



- †1922 ✪ 5p. pale violet Harrison photo OCP/PVA two bands in a cylinder 2 p2 dot block of thirty (10 x 3) from the foot of the sheet, the stamps in the lower right corner strip of five having imperf. sections due to a paper fold, small tear in margin at foot otherwise fine, a dramatic variety. S.G. Spec. U135. Photo. **£150-£200**



1923



1924

- †1923 ✪ 7p. purple-brown centre band strip of four variety imperforate, very fine and fresh, third stamp with tiny adhesion on reverse, other three stamps unmounted mint. S.G. X875a, Photo. **£100-£150**
- †1924 ✪ 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. **£100-£120**



1925



1926

- †1925 P 19p. Penny Black Anniversary colour trial in bright orange-red, fine and very rare, with issued 20p. Photo. **£1,200-£1,500**

Decimal Machins: High Values

- †1926 ✪ £1 bright yellow-green and blackish olive variety imperforate in a right margin pair, tiny crease in margin otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1026a, cat. £1,700. Photo. **£400-£450**

Decimal Machins: Booklets

- †1927 ⚙ B A selection of booklets with errors and varieties comprising 90p. Llangollen Canal right margin with printer's tape repair (straight edge at top), £1.54 To Pay Labels right margin pair with unsynchronised phosphor, one with ink cylinder numbers, the other with phosphor cylinder number (each with photocorner affixed to inside front cover), £1.80 Christmas plain book mis-cut with good perfs. all round, and 1982 S.G. £4 Prestige book, two examples, one with the 15½p. pane of nine DP58 with broad central phosphor bands, the other with the pane DP58 showing additional heavy phosphor on the right hand column. (6 booklets) **£140-£160**
- †1928 ⚙ B 90p. Llangollen Canal booklet with margin at right, trace of trimming at top otherwise good perfs. S.G. FG3B, cat. £550. **£70-£80**

Signed Covers

- 1929 ☒ An extensive collection of mainly RAF Museum covers in three albums and loose in two cartons, range of series, some signed. (many 100s) **£200-£250**

Regionals

- †1930 ⚙ An unmounted mint selection of decimal missing phosphor and partial missing phosphor errors incl. Northern Ireland 7½p., 8p., 11p. with right band only omitted in pair with missing phosphor, Scotland 11p. with right band only omitted, Wales 7½p., also Scotland pre-decimal missing phosphors incl. 5d., etc. (31 items) **£150-£200**



Postage Due: Collections and Adhesives

- 1931** A K.G.V to K.G.VI collection of mint postage due control singles, pairs and corner strips of three in a stockbook, incl. 1937-52 2d. single with "G40" control (2, one unmounted), etc., mainly fine. (126) **£700-£800**
- 1932** A selection of mainly covers and cards, incl. 1926 cover from Glasgow to Aberfeldy, bearing 1914-31 1½d. pair, Incoming mail, range of handstamps, etc. (few 100s) **£200-£250**
- 1933 ★** 1914-22 (5d. used), 1924-31, 1936-37 and 1937-38 sets mint, mainly fine. (33) **£200-£250**
- 1934 ○** 1914 to 1975, a used accumulation in a stockbook, also mint with multiples, mixed condition. (100s) **£80-£100**
- 1935 ☒** A pre-decimal Q.E.II collection of covers, well written-up on large leaves, incl. fines from 1d. to 20s.8d., a marvellous range of cachets, compulsorily registered, postage dues on labels used for bulk mail, underpaid and over weight mail, incoming mail, etc. (291 items) **£1,000-£1,200**
- 1936 ☒** A K.G.VI selection on leaves, incl. "POSTED TOO LATE FOR ½D RATE" (2), 1944 cover, registered from Whitchurch to Derby with label "Previously used stamp" in manuscript on 'Please Return to Postmaster' label, range of cachets, etc. 23 items) **£250-£300**
- 1937 ☒** A selection of K.G.V. covers and cards, incl. good range of cachets with "POSTAGE/DUE FOR/RETURN/TO/SENDER", 'Liable to Letter Rate', etc. (25 items) **£200-£250**

Postage Due: Postal History

- 1938 ☒** 1795 (Dec. 1) entire from London to Dublin, readdressed to Cork then to Cove, bearing "1/6" and "2/6" rate marks, straight lines "CORK" and "COVE", and a fine strike of the rare dotted oval "T.OFF". *This mark was used within the Post Office for accounting calculations on readdressed mail.* Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1939 ☒** 1801-78 a selection of pre-stamp and stampless covers, incl. 1834 cover from Freshford to Dublin, bearing red boxed "MORE/TO/PAY", 1847 cover from Dublin to Edinburgh, readdressed locally and bearing "POSTAGE/TO/EDINBURGH/NOT PAID", range of handstruck "2", etc. (13 items) **£200-£250**
- 1940 ☒** 1811-1977 selection of covers and cards, incl. Forces Mail, redirected mail with Postage Not Paid to Edinburgh (5), registered mail, range of cachets, etc. (53 items) **£300-£350**
- 1941 ☒** 1840 1d. Mulready letter sheet A19, used to Aldgate, cancelled by black Maltese Cross with unframed "More to Pay" with manuscript "To Pay 2d.". Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1942 ☒** 1840 (June 17) 1d. Mulready letter sheet A11, used from Thame to London, cancelled by red Maltese Cross with double circular "MORE/TO/PAY" and manuscript "2". Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1943 ☒** 1840 (Dec. 1) cover from Stroud to Birmingham, franked by 1840 1d. black plate 1b QE with good to large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross, with red manuscript "more to Pay/2". Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1944 ☒** 1841 (Jan. 7) cover locally used in London, franked by 1840 1d. black plate 7 OD (cut into at right) tied by red Maltese Cross, manuscript "2" charge mark and double circular "MORE/TO/PAY". Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1945 ☒** 1841 (Mar. 22) cover from London to Nottingham, franked by 1841 1d. red-brown plate 1b JF with close to good margins, tied by neat black Maltese Cross, manuscript "2" charge mark and double circular "MORE/TO/PAY" below. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1946 ☒** 1841 (June 4) cover from Cupar to Dundee, franked by 1841 1d. red-brown plate 1b AC (cut into), readdressed to Dunfermline, with two line "To Pay/ONE PENNY". Photo on page 252. **£100-£120**
- 1947 ☒** 1842-1898 a collection of covers on leaves, incl. 1842 cover from London to Taunton, franked 1841 1d. tied by black Maltese Cross with ms. "2" charge mark and double circle "MORE/TO/PAY", 1842 wrapper from Castlecomer to Dublin, franked 1841 1d. cancelled by black Maltese Cross with ms. "More to Pay" and boxed "MORE/TO/PAY", 1844 to Stranraer franked by 1841 1d. pair, with manuscript "Above 1oz" and "more to pay", "2" deleted and "4" added, 1849 cover from Guildford to London, franked by 1841 2d., with manuscript "4" and circular framed "MORE TO PAY/H", 1857 cover from Greenock to Edinburgh franked by 1854-57 1d. with unframed "MORE TO PAY/OVER 1.2 OZ" in blue, 1858 cover from Edinburgh to Hamilton, franked 1854-57 1d. tied by boxed "CHARLOTTE/PLACE", with ms. "2" charge mark and unframed "MORE/TO PAY", 1858 cover from Prestonkirk to Edinburgh with handstruck "2" and unframed "MORE/TO PAY", 1860 cover from Newcastle to London, franked 1854-57 1d. with Newcastle duplex, handstruck "2" charge mark and "ABOVE 1/2 OZ", 1864 cover used in London and franked by 1864-70 1d. plate 89 CA, ms. "Imperfect Stamp" handstruck "2d." charge mark, etc. (17 items) **£1,000-£1,200**



1946



1950



1951



1954



1956



1958



1957



1953



Ex 1963



1959



1955

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- 1948** ☒ 1843-1956 selection of covers and cards, incl. range of charges and explanatory marks, handstruck "2", "MORE/TO/PAY", etc. (18 items) **£100-£120**
- 1949** ☒ 1844-1900 selection of covers and cards, incl. 1863 entire from Newcastle on Tyne to Edinburgh, bearing boxed "ABOVE OZ" with manuscript "1/2" and handstruck "2"; 1873 wrapper to Switzerland, franked by 1872-73 6d. grey plate 12 NE and PH, with boxed "N.P.B." and "FOUND-IN-N.P.B./WITHOUT CONTENTS"; 1878 cover from London to Torquay, bearing circular framed "OVER 1 OZ/1d/MORE TO PAY"; 1900 envelope used within London, franked by Gibraltar 1d., disallowed and "2D./W.C." and boxed "Contrary to regulations/73", etc. (25 items) **£500-£600**
- 1950** ☒ 1849 envelope to Blackburn bearing four margin 1841 1d. GB-GC pair, redirected to St. Andrews with single four margin 1841 1d. affixed on top and subsequently taxed in manuscript "More to pay 2", unusual. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1951** ☒ 1851 (Jan. 16) stampless printed "Inquiry after a Soldier's Effects" sent from Lurgan to East India House in London, bearing superb handstruck "2" charge mark in blue with matching "LURGAN" c.d.s. at left. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1952** ☒ 1855-1986 selection of covers and cards, incl. a good range of Charge Marks, with handstruck "1d.", "1½d.", "2d.", "3d.", "5d.", etc. (75 items) **£200-£250**
- 1953** ☒ 1855 (Oct. 13) large part Insurance form from Rye to Maidstone, franked by 1854-57 1d. AL, tied by "667" barred oval, manuscript "2" charge mark and unframed "MORE TO PAY" in blue, rare. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1954** ☒ 1857 (June 6) cover from Edinburgh to Leith, franked by 1854-57 1d. orange-brown QH tied by Edinburgh duplex, manuscript "2" charge mark and two line "MORE/TO PAY", fine. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1955** ☒ 1864 (Aug. 31) cover from London to Plymouth, franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 81 CE tied by London duplex, with large "2" with "ABOVE 1/2 OZ" within, fine and scarce. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1956** ☒ 1865 (Feb. 19) cover from Towyn to Plymouth, franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 89 BJ tied by "C 33" barred oval, with large handstruck "2" incorporating "ABOVE 1/2 OZ", fine. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1957** ☒ 1867 (April 4) cover from London to Braintree, franked by 1867-79 1d. MJ tied by London duplex, manuscript "Above 1/2 oz" with handstruck "2" and circular framed "MORE TO PAY/N.W.", fine. Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1958** ☒ 1867 (Aug. 7) cover from Glasgow to Mid-Calder, franked by 1864-79 1d. plate 89 GJ tied by Glasgow duplex, alongside has a good strike of the "frying pan" "ABOVE 1 OZ/MORE TO PAY/GLASGOW". Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1959** ☒ 1868 (Apr. 29) cover from Glasgow to Australia, franked by 1865-67 6d. plate 6 OI, tied by Glasgow duplex and oval framed "6D./MORE TO PAY", also boxed "UNCLAIMED/AT/MELBOURNE". Photo. **£250-£300**
- 1960** ☒ 1871-93 three stampless covers, one from London to Ireland, one from Derby to Ludlow and Manchester to Ireland, all bearing large handstruck "2d" charge marks. **£150-£200**
- 1961** ☒ 1871-1958 selection of Disallowed Printed Matter covers and cards, incl. boxed "CLOSED AGAINST/INSPECTION" etc. (18 items) **£150-£200**
- 1962** ☒ 1872-1922 selection of disallowed postcards, incl. 1872 ½d. stationery card bearing boxed "CONTRARY TO REGULATION/S.E.", Liable to Letter Rate, etc. (25 items) **£120-£150**
- 1963** ☒ 1872 (Dec. 3) stampless envelope locally used in Huddersfield, has a fine strike of the boxed "STAMP NOT/VISIBLE" usually used on Newspapers, small handstruck "2", most unusual. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1964** ☒ 1874-98 a selection of covers and cards, incl. 1879 cover from Abingdon to London, readdressed within London with "1/2d" erased and "1d." added, boxed "More to pay/above oz/N.W.", etc. (12 items) **£200-£250**
- 1965** ☒ 1874-1991, a selection of Explanatory handstamps on covers, cards and a few pieces on leaves, incl. Deficient Postage, More to Pay, Return to Sender, etc. (42 items) **£200-£250**
- 1966** ☒ 1884 (Apr. 29) mourning envelope from Llanfairpwllgwyngyll to Australia, franked by 1880-83 6d. on 6d., tied by duplex, has violet boxed "DEFICIENTPOSTAGE 6d./FINE 6d./1/-" and oval framed "1s./MORE TO PAY". Photo on page 254. **£200-£250**



1966



1967



1972



1977



1976



1979



1978



1981



1980



1982

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- 1967 ☒ 1889 (Apr. 22) cover from Folkestone to Huntingdon, franked by 1881 1d. and 1887-92 ½d., bearing unframed "OVER 2 OZS/1D./I.S./MORE-TO-PAY". Photo. **£100-£120**
- 1968 ☒ 1891-1973 selection of London Inland Section and Foreign Branch marks on covers and cards, incl. ½d. to 1s. marks, incoming mail, etc. (17 items) **£100-£120**
- 1969 ☒ 1902-91 an accumulation of covers and cards, incl. 1922 postcard from France, with handstruck "11/2D/I.S./G." franked by K.G.V. ½d. and Postage Due 1d., 1925 postcard of Cartagena franked by K.G.V 1d. tied by London c.d.s., boxed "Posted on board ship Abroad/I.S." and 1½d. Postage Due tied by Portsmouth c.d.s., 1927 express envelope from Belgium, with boxed "EXPRESS FEE PARTLY PAID/Charge of (1d. in manuscript)to be/Collected on Delivery", Instructional marks, etc. (129 items) **£600-£800**
- 1970 ☒ 1903-53 a collection of covers and cards on leaves, incl. 1916 cover from Eastbourne to Edinburgh bearing "over/1 oz/2", 1926 cover from Dundee to London bearing "1d./TO PAY/ADMISSABLE/AT/PRINTED PAPER/RATE", 1931 long envelope from Beckenham to Bromley with manuscript "6D. to Pay" compulsory registration fee, 1935 cover to Chesterfield bearing "Not to be found/186" and boxed "1/2/Undelivered for/reason stated/Postage Due for Return/to/sender" in red, 1945 cover used locally in Stourbridge, manuscript "Compulsory Registration 6d. to Pay", etc. (47 items) **£1,200-£1,500**
- 1971 ☒ 1904-10 selection of postcards, incl. 1907 (July 7) card from London to Edinburgh, bearing boxed "REPOSTED MORE THAN ONE/CLEAR DAY AFTER DELIVERY/131", Liable to Letter Rate, etc. (25 items) **£150-£200**
- 1972 ☒ 1905 (Apr. 10) p.p.c. from Johannesburg to London, bearing G.B. 1901-10 1d. uncanceled in South Africa manuscript "Refused" and charged postage due, cancelled upon arrival by the Foreign Office "A 01" bared oval, unusual. Photo. **£150-£200**
- 1973 ☒ 1914-23 a selection of incoming covers and cards on leaves, incl. range of rates with 1½d. (2), and cachets, etc. (26 items) **£300-£350**
- 1974 ☒ 1914-60 a selection of ½d. and 1½d. charge marks on leaves, incl. underpaid Airmail and Paquebot items, incoming mail, interesting group. (27 items) **£200-£250**



- 1975 ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) unstamped 'Wilson' envelope from Belgium to Birmingham, with "T", "5D", with 5d. used on the first day, tied by "HANDSWORTH/4/20 AP/14/BIRMINGHAM", also "NORTH WESTERN T.P.O./20 AP/14/DAY DOWN", fine and very rare. Photo. **£1,500-£1,700**
- 1976 ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) 'Wilson' cover from Bruges to Birmingham, bearing Postage Due 2d. cancelled "NORTH WESTERN T.P.O./20 AP/14/DAY DOWN" c.d.s., the first day of issue, fine. Photo. **£400-£450**
- 1977 ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) unpaid envelope sent locally in Stamford, handstruck "2D/742" on front, bearing 2d. postage due used on the first day of issue, exceptionally fine. Photo. **£350-£400**
- 1978 ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) stampless envelope, used locally in Evesham, bearing handstruck "2" charge mark and 1d. postage due pair used on the first day of issue, tied by "EVESHAM/20 AP/1914" datestamps. Photo. **£250-£300**



1983



1984



1985



1986



1987

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- 1979** ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) unstamped postcard locally used in Evesham, franked by ½d. emerald (2, one damaged) used on first day of issue with clear “EVESHAM/20 AP/14” c.d.s. Photo on page 254. **£200-£250**
- 1980** ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) unpaid postcard sent locally in London, handstruck “1D/73” on front, with 1d. Postage Due used on the first day of issue, tied by fine “LONDON W.C./20 AP/14”, fine. Photo on page 254. **£200-£250**
- 1981** ☒ 1914 (Apr. 20) postcard used locally in Evesham, franked by K.G.V. ½d., manuscript “*Unknown*”, violet boxed “Undelivered for reasons stated”, “To be returned to sender/ at the address known on cover” and “½d. POSTAGE/DUE FOR/RETURN/TO/SENDER” with ½d. Postage Due tied by Evesham c.d.s. on the first day of issue. Photo on page 254. **£150-£200**
- 1982** ☒ 1921 postcard from Germany to Tunbridge, stamp fell off in transit, bearing boxed “T” and “11/2D/I.S./R”, with 1d. Postage Due stamp with manuscript “1/2”, unusual. Photo on page 254. **£120-£150**
- 1983** ☒ 1921 (Oct. 28) 1d. stationery card used within London, with handstruck “1D” with bisected 2d., tied by West Kensington c.d.s. Photo. **£200-£250**
- 1984** ☒ 1923 (Feb. 2) envelope from Kilburn to Leytonstone, franked by K.G.V ½d. with bisected 1d. Postage Due tied by Kilburn, violet boxed “1/2d/POSTAGE/DUE/FINE/RETURN/TO/SENDER”, fine and rare. Photo. **£400-£500**
- 1985** ☒ 1923 (Nov.) large wrapper from a box of chocolates, sent from Germany to Wales, remarkable 66 thousand million marks, charge “2/11½d.” Postage Due made up of 1½d., 5d. (2) and 1s. (2). Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1986** ☒ 1929 (Dec. 16) envelope from Switzerland to London, bearing circular framed “T”, “3D./E.B” and “1/2D/F.B.”, with 3d. and bisected 1d, tied by London c.d.s.’s, scarce. Photo. **£300-£350**
- 1987** ☒ 1945 (Aug. 30) cover from Somerset to Jersey, franked by Guernsey 1941-44 ½d., 1d. and 2½d., cancelled by Clevedon machine cancel, not accepted for postage and 5d. Postage Due added and tied by “JERSEY” c.d.s., red boxed “TO PAY/POSTED/UNPAID” in red, scarce. Photo. **£120-£150**
- 1988** ☒ 1956 (June) envelope from London bearing 1½d. Wilding only, 1d. postage due had been charged using a bisected 2d., tied by violet boxed “CHARGE NOT COLLECTED” and “1d./To Pay” in green. Photo on page 258. **£150-£200**
- 1989** ☒ 1956 (June 4) envelope from Glasgow bearing 1½d. Wilding only, 1d. postage due had been charged using a bisected 2d., with green boxed “Insufficiently Prepaid” and “1d.”, bisect not cancelled. Photo on page 258. **£120-£150**
- 1990** ☒ 1956 (June 5) window envelope from London bearing 1½d. Wilding only, 1d. postage due had been charged using a bisected 2d., tied by “SOUTH CHARD” and “1d.” in green. Photo on page 258. **£150-£200**
- 1991** ☒ 1956 (June 6) envelope from London bearing 1½d. Meter mark 1½d., 1d. postage due had been charged using a bisected 2d., tied by “LONDON” c.d.s. with “1d./TO PAY/EC”. Photo on page 258. **£200-£250**
- 1992** ☒ 1956 (June 8) envelope from Brighton bearing Wilding 1½d. only, 1d. postage due had been charged using a bisected 2d., tied by “LONDON” c.d.s. with “1d./TO PAY/132”. Photo on page 258. **£150-£200**
- 1993** ☒ 1956 (July) envelope from Hull bearing Tangier K.G.VI 1½d. only, 1d. postage due had been charged using a bisected 2d., tied by “HULL” c.d.s. with “1d./TO PAY/383” in green. Photo on page 258. **£150-£200**
- 1994** ☒ 1956 (July) 26 envelope from Helensburgh without a postage stamp, postage due had been charged using a 2d. strip of three, one bisected, tied by “HELENSBURGH” c.d.s. Photo on page 258. **£150-£200**

Channel Islands and Isle of Man

- 1995** ☒ An accumulation of covers and cards in varied condition incl. Guernsey, also private local issues with Herm, etc. (few 100) **£100-£120**
- 1996** **1963 Calf of Man Birds** 1m. and 6m. proofs of centres only, 5m. and 12m imperf., both in gutter blocks of twelve, Guernsey-Alderney 1984 Europa 8d. error frame omitted and 3sh. colour shift. Scarce. **£50-£60**



1988



1989



1990



1991



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1993



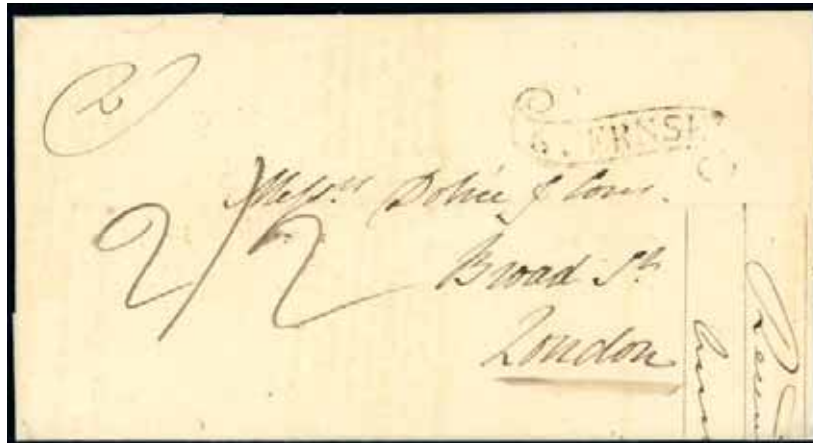
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Alderney



- 1997 ✪ 2008 Lion £5, upper left corner single variety silver omitted, fine unmounted mint, with normal for comparison. S.G. A348. Photo. £350-£400

Guernsey



- 1998 ☒ 1819 wrapper to London with upright second type "GUERNSEY" scroll, charged "2/2" in manuscript as double rate letter, red "7 OC 7/1819" backstamp, fine. Photo. £70-£80



- 1999 ▲ 2003 £5 letters of all shapes and sizes, trial single, emanating from sheetlet of four, lacking silver and with various design differences compared to the issued stamps on-piece with "ST PETER PORT" cancel dated "02 DE 15". Philatelically inspired, but very scarce. Fine used. SG1008var; SC809var
The trial has a 'Lettersofallshapesandsizes' inscription, which is absent from the issued stamps, and a royal blue background and pale orange frame compared to deep blue background and white frame of the issued stamps
 £400-£500

Guernsey continued



- 2000 ☒ **Forces Mail:** 1815 (May 2) Entire letter to Surrey headed "William Chamberlain, Seaman on board H.M.S. Horatio, Guernsey Apl. 26 1815" and countersigned by an Officer, prepaid at the 1d. sailors' concession rate, with a "GUERNSEY" scroll handstamp. Handstamped in London with the scarce boxed "NOT ACCORDING/TO THE ACT" and "MORE/TO/PAY" and charged 1s., presumably because the enclosed letter was written on a separate sheet and so was deemed to be an enclosure, only a single letter being allowed at the 1d. rate. Chamberlain writes of trying to get his discharge from the Navy, but says "As we hear Bonaparte is in France again and the French war is likely to break out again I think there is no prospect of being discharged". Strengthened fold and some staining. An exceptional disallowed sailors concession rate letter from Guernsey. Photo. **£650-£700**

Isle of Man

- 2001 ☒ 1944 (March 14) long envelope with "O.H.M.S." crossed out and covered in paper, sent registered from an Italian Internee in Douglas to London, franked by 1½d. and 4d. tied by "THE CRESCENT DOUGLAS" c.d.s's, with hexagonal "LETTER SENT WITH/SPECIAL PERMISSION/COMMANDER S INTERNMENT/CAMP" on reverse, creases but an interesting item. **£100-£120**

Jersey: Postal History and Covers

- 2002 ☒ 1816-20 three covers, two to Guernsey, other to Neath, all bearing fair strikes of the "JERSEY" scroll handstamps. **£100-£120**

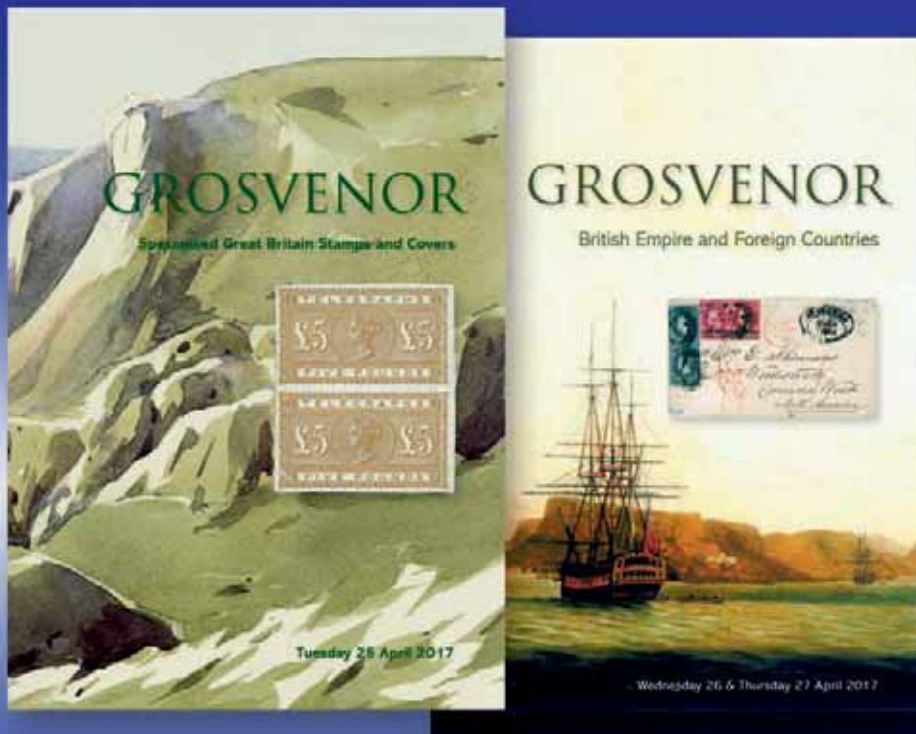


- 2003 ☒ 1860 (Mar. 24) entire from Jersey to St Malo franked with 1857 Watermark Large Garter 4d. carmine, tied by "3176" of St Malo and octagonal packet boat cancellation, "PD" in red alongside. Neat and attractive. Photo. **£100-£150**

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3	£4,000	67	£200	130	£420	190	£290	263	£600
4	£2,700	68	£580	131	£400	191	£190	265	£110
5	£3,800	69	£160	132	£50	192	£200	268	£120
7	£1,350	70	£75	133	£700	193	£150	269	£270
8	£2,600	71	£80	134	£800	194	£350	272	£220
9	£1,200	72	£280	135	£350	195	£320	274	£450
10	£1,450	73	£100	136	£280	196	£230	282	£520
11	£1,400	74	£120	137	£1,250	197	£150	283	£130
13	£1,800	75	£1,250	138	£450	198	£150	284	£600
14	£820	76	£800	139	£190	199	£230	285	£300
15	£550	78	£400	140	£250	200	£210	286	£150
16	£450	79	£420	141	£400	201	£50	287	£320
17	£1,050	80	£160	142	£300	202	£1,250	290	£230
18	£480	81	£110	143	£2,300	203	£620	291	£400
19	£750	82	£280	144	£1,250	204	£1,350	292	£400
20	£980	83	£290	145	£480	205	£100	293	£190
21	£920	85	£820	146	£420	206	£150	295	£320
22	£1,150	86	£300	147	£230	207	£380	296	£290
23	£400	87	£880	148	£130	208	£150	299	£100
24	£380	88	£1,300	149	£1,250	209	£270	300	£160
25	£300	89	£80	150	£290	210	£380	301	£200
26	£1,450	90	£60	151	£85	211	£750	303	£350
28	£320	91	£1,000	152	£95	212	£680	304	£520
29	£420	92	£500	153	£450	213	£140	306	£250
30	£380	93	£270	154	£300	214	£600	308	£190
31	£300	94	£300	155	£400	215	£1,100	310	£520
32	£400	95	£110	156	£240	217	£380	311	£120
33	£780	96	£600	157	£110	218	£450	312	£170
34	£290	97	£130	158	£320	219	£350	313	£420
35	£420	98	£65	159	£170	220	£150	314	£300
36	£230	99	£350	160	£650	221	£580	315	£160
37	£1,700	100	£200	161	£210	222	£750	316	£200
38	£190	101	£180	162	£350	223	£200	317	£100
39	£320	102	£210	163	£190	224	£120	318	£550
40	£230	103	£1,000	164	£160	225	£130	320	£50
41	£150	104	£160	165	£450	226	£120	322	£150
42	£150	105	£400	166	£160	227	£3,500	323	£1,150
43	£150	106	£110	167	£150	228	£2,500	325	£260
44	£180	107	£70	168	£420	229	£270	328	£95
45	£150	108	£200	169	£550	230	£350	329	£320
46	£170	109	£500	170	£250	231	£700	331	£80
47	£150	110	£120	171	£65	232	£650	332	£65
48	£110	112	£320	172	£400	233	£1,200	335	£140
49	£220	113	£420	173	£150	235	£1,400	340	£150
50	£500	114	£300	174	£270	236	£620	341	£200
51	£200	115	£190	175	£180	237	£850	342	£480
52	£320	116	£620	176	£170	238	£580	343	£250
53	£110	117	£350	177	£320	240	£620	344	£300
54	£170	118	£85	178	£160	241	£380	345	£120
55	£350	119	£100	179	£150	242	£320	347	£150
56	£80	120	£140	180	£120	244	£160	349	£100
58	£500	121	£170	181	£110	247	£190	350	£220
59	£65	122	£880	182	£150	248	£380	351	£140
60	£60	123	£450	183	£550	249	£80	352	£190
61	£220	124	£450	184	£600	253	£600	353	£80
62	£80	125	£300	185	£90	255	£110	354	£110
63	£130	126	£120	186	£140	256	£160	355	£95
64	£240	127	£200	187	£480	258	£450	356	£130

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357	£50	429	£150	505	£880	596	£250	693	£230
358	£60	430	£180	506	£420	597	£160	697	£700
359	£520	431	£90	507	£600	598	£350	698	£380
360	£290	432	£85	508	£900	599	£350	699	£260
363	£300	433	£120	509	£420	600	£350	700	£450
364	£900	434	£3,200	510	£350	601	£550	701	£250
365	£480	435	£90	511	£750	602	£160	702	£190
366	£350	436	£80	512	£350	603	£1,900	703	£50
367	£120	437	£90	513	£1,400	606	£380	704	£980
368	£95	438	£80	514	£260	608	£120	705	£420
369	£180	439	£110	515	£380	609	£750	707	£230
370	£270	440	£95	516	£1,450	611	£2,400	708	£320
371	£100	441	£270	517	£420	612	£210	709	£220
373	£130	442	£130	518	£420	614	£1,050	710	£230
374	£160	443	£80	519	£500	615	£500	711	£650
375	£1,750	444	£120	521	£820	616	£3,200	714	£950
376	£420	445	£240	522	£150	618	£380	715	£240
377	£380	447	£3,200	524	£220	619	£850	716	£320
378	£950	448	£160	525	£6,000	620	£1,000	717	£420
379	£750	449	£160	526	£300	621	£350	718	£170
380	£850	450	£130	528	£500	623	£170	719	£140
381	£650	451	£130	530	£200	624	£720	720	£500
382	£820	454	£150	531	£200	625	£85	721	£380
383	£130	455	£160	532	£1,050	626	£110	722	£420
384	£120	456	£6,000	533	£1,300	628	£200	723	£450
385	£100	457	£85	536	£130	629	£650	724	£350
386	£150	458	£180	539	£70	630	£1,900	725	£400
387	£480	459	£130	540	£160	631	£95	726	£380
389	£450	460	£80	541	£1,100	632	£80	728	£550
390	£3,200	461	£820	542	£580	633	£200	732	£140
391	£900	462	£120	543	£400	634	£1,500	733	£1,950
392	£920	463	£120	546	£480	635	£180	734	£880
393	£1,550	464	£6,000	547	£60	636	£450	735	£80
394	£750	465	£150	548	£450	639	£150	736	£680
395	£220	466	£80	551	£600	640	£190	737	£110
396	£1,850	468	£110	552	£380	641	£900	738	£200
397	£1,100	471	£300	553	£190	643	£160	739	£120
398	£270	473	£120	554	£150	646	£400	740	£60
399	£4,200	474	£3,000	555	£80	650	£200	741	£550
400	£170	475	£90	558	£450	651	£90	742	£700
401	£190	476	£100	560	£150	655	£680	743	£1,150
402	£400	477	£180	561	£450	657	£650	744	£820
404	£100	478	£160	562	£190	659	£70	745	£1,200
405	£100	479	£90	563	£450	662	£1,100	746	£1,000
406	£120	480	£85	564	£450	666	£420	747	£780
407	£200	481	£5,000	566	£600	668	£230	748	£400
408	£95	483	£90	567	£300	670	£400	754	£920
409	£5,500	484	£95	568	£700	671	£480	755	£120
410	£85	485	£90	569	£520	672	£450	756	£7,000
411	£100	486	£130	570	£380	673	£320	757	£520
412	£150	487	£130	572	£450	674	£350	758	£120
413	£130	488	£95	573	£170	675	£2,700	759	£520
414	£180	489	£3,200	576	£300	676	£780	760	£350
415	£480	490	£130	577	£850	677	£400	761	£160
416	£80	491	£80	580	£160	678	£7,500	766	£110
417	£160	492	£130	581	£480	679	£1,250	767	£400
418	£110	496	£3,500	582	£550	680	£90	768	£150
419	£750	497	£80	587	£2,000	681	£2,000	769	£240
420	£85	498	£80	588	£320	682	£380	773	£1,250
421	£800	499	£140	589	£70	683	£280	774	£1,000
423	£2,900	500	£140	591	£2,800	685	£780	775	£1,450
424	£1,000	501	£120	592	£260	686	£1,250	776	£750
426	£80	502	£280	593	£500	687	£1,300	777	£750
427	£110	503	£90	594	£350	688	£900	778	£380
428	£220	504	£900	595	£680	690	£550	779	£1,350

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780	£210	875	£210	954	£1,200	1033	£1,650	1116	£100
781	£200	877	£150	956	£320	1034	£750	1117	£300
782	£110	878	£140	957	£320	1035	£230	1118	£200
787	£85	879	£60	958	£380	1036	£650	1120	£80
788	£480	880	£480	959	£130	1037	£750	1121	£130
789	£180	881	£100	960	£380	1038	£650	1122	£260
790	£800	882	£1,950	963	£420	1039	£180	1125	£160
791	£600	883	£420	965	£450	1040	£450	1126	£150
798	£380	884	£80	966	£2,800	1041	£620	1127	£480
799	£400	885	£110	967	£1,050	1042	£350	1128	£80
800	£100	887	£380	970	£750	1043	£260	1129	£720
801	£1,200	889	£680	973	£300	1044	£290	1130	£100
802	£920	891	£1,650	975	£110	1045	£220	1131	£100
803	£820	892	£950	976	£260	1046	£400	1132	£220
804	£820	893	£1,050	977	£110	1047	£260	1133	£110
805	£150	894	£600	978	£80	1048	£450	1134	£220
806	£210	895	£600	979	£800	1049	£260	1135	£150
807	£110	896	£550	980	£320	1050	£230	1137	£140
808	£720	897	£520	981	£210	1051	£920	1138	£200
809	£380	898	£380	984	£150	1052	£80	1140	£110
810	£220	899	£250	985	£320	1053	£60	1141	£65
811	£850	900	£420	986	£210	1054	£210	1142	£100
812	£9,500	901	£680	987	£100	1055	£230	1143	£100
813	£250	902	£600	988	£180	1056	£780	1144	£150
816	£180	903	£400	989	£150	1057	£230	1145	£100
818	£300	904	£500	991	£120	1058	£750	1146	£40
820	£800	905	£290	992	£130	1059	£450	1147	£380
822	£600	906	£230	993	£150	1060	£230	1149	£95
823	£80	907	£500	994	£150	1061	£150	1152	£110
826	£300	908	£230	995	£150	1062	£2,000	1154	£380
828	£600	909	£300	996	£190	1063	£480	1156	£170
829	£480	911	£190	997	£95	1064	£140	1160	£750
830	£100	912	£320	998	£95	1065	£95	1161	£260
831	£250	913	£230	999	£95	1066	£85	1162	£210
833	£3,800	914	£150	1000	£90	1067	£550	1163	£70
835	£300	915	£140	1001	£980	1068	£260	1164	£100
836	£250	916	£160	1002	£480	1069	£270	1165	£240
837	£190	917	£400	1003	£220	1070	£150	1166	£40
838	£200	919	£110	1004	£520	1071	£620	1167	£600
839	£1,000	920	£950	1005	£3,000	1072	£170	1168	£800
840	£200	921	£230	1006	£1,450	1073	£240	1170	£70
841	£190	922	£450	1007	£520	1074	£240	1173	£1,150
842	£200	923	£320	1008	£420	1075	£160	1175	£1,450
844	£300	924	£190	1009	£400	1076	£150	1176	£500
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847	£150	926	£50	1011	£280	1078	£150	1178	£100
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849	£420	929	£1,700	1013	£270	1080	£170	1180	£620
850	£210	931	£220	1015	£120	1081	£400	1182	£400
851	£180	932	£100	1016	£190	1082	£120	1183	£100
853	£75	933	£110	1017	£180	1083	£2,400	1184	£500
854	£150	935	£180	1018	£65	1085	£260	1187	£268
855	£210	936	£820	1019	£230	1087	£100	1188	£380
856	£50	937	£230	1020	£1,050	1088	£350	1189	£120
857	£110	939	£420	1021	£350	1089	£170	1191	£100
859	£180	940	£130	1022	£600	1093	£100	1194	£120
860	£210	941	£400	1023	£380	1094	£550	1195	£220
861	£180	942	£300	1024	£2,000	1097	£70	1196	£250
866	£1,900	943	£290	1025	£1,600	1098	£480	1197	£130
867	£2,700	944	£280	1026	£620	1100	£180	1198	£70
868	£400	948	£190	1027	£65	1101	£130	1199	£1,200
869	£620	949	£80	1028	£1,200	1102	£100	1200	£950
870	£620	950	£300	1029	£160	1103	£100	1201	£260
871	£700	951	£90	1030	£250	1112	£130	1202	£150
872	£600	952	£210	1031	£150	1113	£100		
873	£160	953	£190	1032	£160	1114	£320		