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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

fragile articles, will be undertaken only at Grosvenor's discretion. In no event will Grosvenor be liable for damage to glass or frames, regardless of the cause.

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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.
- (f) to retain that or any other lot sold to the same buyer at the sale or any other auction and release it only after payment of the 'total amount due'.
- (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.
- (h) to apply any proceeds of sale then due or at any time thereafter becoming due to the defaulting buyer towards settlement of the 'total amount due' and to exercise a lien on any property of the defaulting buyer which is in Grosvenor's possession for any purpose.

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- (a) Each lot is sold as:
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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.
- (b) A purchaser shall be at liberty to reject any lot if he:
- (i) within 7 days gives the auctioneer written notice of intention to question the genuineness of or, as the case may be, the accuracy of the description of the lot and/or requests the submission of the lot to a recognised expert or expert committee in accordance with the Grosvenor expertising policy separately stated.
- (ii) proves that the lot is not genuine or was incorrectly described; and $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$
- (iii) returns to the auctioneer within 30 days of the date of the sale,

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

- **nb**: The onus of proving a lot not to be genuine, or incorrectly described, is on the purchaser. The inability of a recognised expert or expert committee to express a definite opinion shall serve to discharge the onus on the purchaser and shall be a ground for rejecting the lot concerned.
- (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.
- (g) No lot illustrated in the catalogue shall be rejected on the grounds of cancellation, centring, margins, perforation or other characteristics apparent from the illustration. Catalogue illustrations are not guaranteed for tone or colour and no lot shall be rejected on the ground of inaccurate reproduction. Imperfections on covers shall not constitute grounds for return unless of an exceptional nature.
- 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.
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- 19 Any notice by Grosvenor to a seller, consignor, prospective bidder or buyer may be given by first class mail or airmail and if so given shall be deemed to have been duly received by the addressee 48 hours after posting.
- 20 These Conditions shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law. All transactions to which these Conditions apply and all matters connected therewith shall also be governed by English law. Grosvenor hereby submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts and all other parties concerned hereby submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.

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- 1 In these Conditions:
- (a) 'catalogue' includes any advertisement, brochure, estimate, price list and other publication.
- (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.
- (e) 'sale proceeds' means the net amount due to the seller being the 'hammer price' of the lot sold less commission at the 'stated rates' and 'expenses' and any other amounts due to Grosvenor by the seller in whatever capacity and howsoever arising.
- (f) 'stated rate' means Grosvenor published rates of commission for the time being and a sum in lieu of Value Added Tax thereon. (g) 'expenses' in relation to the sale of any lot means Grosvenor charges and expenses for insurance, illustrations, special advertising, packing and freight of that lot and any Value Added Tax thereon.
- (h) 'bought-in price' means 5 per cent more than the highest bid received below the reserve.

2 Vendor's commission on sales

A commission of 15% is payable by the vendor on the hammer price on lots sold, unless otherwise agreed.

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.*

Bidding slip

Further advice to bidders and purchasers may be found on the bidding slip included with this catalogue. Please use this slip when sending bids to us. *It is vital that the slip should be signed*.

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.

Imported lots

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Payments for purchases made by cards issued outside the EU, or by any corporate card, are subject to a surcharge of 2.5% (+ VAT when applicable). Cards registered outside the UK will be charged in the currency of your account unless stipulated otherwise by you. UK credit cards and all EU cards will be accepted up to a current maximum amount of £1,000. For your own security please do not supply your credit card information via email.

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In the case of cheques drawn on foreign banks, £12 must be added to the invoice total, otherwise such cheques will be returned.

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Lots will only be released to the purchaser or his authorised representative if full payment has been received by Grosvenor together with settlement of any charges due.

- 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.
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- The reason for the extension request must be stated. Requests relating to condition only will not normally be approved.
- Extension requests will not be granted for any lot already accompanied by a recent certificate of authenticity, except by special permission.
- The sale of any lot identified in its description as having 'faults', 'defects' or 'imperfections' will not be cancelled in the event of these being specified individually on the issued certificate.
- Lots will be submitted directly to the nominated expert or expert committee by Grosvenor, unless otherwise agreed.

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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

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Collections and Mixed Lots

A Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in mixed condition in two boxed FG Warwick albums, on leaves and loose, incl. 1840 Mulready 1d. and 2d. envelopes unused, 1840 1d. (11) and 2d. (2) used, 1864-79 1d. plates to 225 used, 1870-79 ½d. plates to 20 unused and used with plate 9 used, 1847-54 embossed 6d. (2), 10d. and 1s. used, range of surface printed used, 1867-83 Maltese Cross 5s. (3, two are plate 2) used, Anchor 5s., 10s., and £1 (perfin), £5 BB used with light Manchester Accounts c.d.s., 1880 2s. brown with part "SPECIMEN" overprint, 1883-84 2s.6d. to 10s. mint, to 10s. (2, one possible on blued paper) used, 1884 £1 MD used, 1888 £1 CB used, 1882-83 ½d. to 1s. (2) used, 1887-1900 to 1s. (both) mint, 1891 £1 EA used, 1902-13 2s.6d. (3) to £1 mint, K.G.V mint with Seahorses to 10s., 1929 P.U.C. £1 mint, K.G.VI with propaganda forgeries, 1948 Silver Wedding £1 in mint and used blocks, Q.E.II issues mint with Wildings, phosphor sets in blocks or pairs, etc. (100s)

A used surface printed collection on collectors pages incl. 1855-57 small garter 4d. pair, medium garter 4d. pair, watermark emblems 1s. (4), 1862-64 9d. (2), 1865-67 6d. lilac plate 6 NL, 9d. straw plate 4 SH, 1s. green plate 4 KE, MI, 1867-80 3d. deep rose plate 7 KI-LJ fine used wing margin block of four, 3d. rose plate 4 TE, 9d straw (2), pale straw (2), 10d. plate 1 GI, HG, EF, 2s. blue (4) incl. shades, 2s. brown KD reperforated wing margin, 1872-73 6d. pale buff plate 12 OF, 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. plate 1 GJ, AI, plate 2 DC, 10s. greenish grey GG, watermark anchor on blued paper 5s. rose plate 4 CE (soiled), 1873-80 2½d. plates 1 to 17, 1s. orange brown plate 13 FH, watermark large garter 4d. vermilion HE, 4d. sage-green (3), 4d. grey-brown, 8d. orange, 1880-83 4d. grey-brown plate 18 ED-EE unused pair, 1883-84 white paper 2s.6d. lilac and deep lilac both mint, 5s. (4), 10s. (2), 1883 'lilac and green' mint to 1s. and used to 6d., fair to fine.

2003 1862-1900 unused or mint surface printed collection comprising 1862-64 4d. plate 4 AE, 9d. bistre plate 2 FA, 9d. straw plate 9 PH, 1865-67 4d. plates 7 to 14 (less 10), 6d. plate 5 PJ, 9d. plate 4 BI, 1867-80 3d. plates 5 to 9, 6d. plate 9 IF, 10d. plate 1 IH and PH, 2s. blue plate 1 GI, 1873-80 2½d. watermark anchor plates 1 EA, MJ, 3 AF, 2½d. watermark orb plates 4, 6, 8 to 16, 2½d. blue plates 17 to 20, 3d. plates 11 to 20, 6d. grey plates 13 to 17, 1s. green plates 12 II, 13 KJ, 1s. orange-brown watermark spray plate 13 QK, 4d. vermilion plate 15 EK, 4d. sage-green plate 15 SA, 16 NK, 4d. grey-brown plate 17 AG and MI, 8d. orange OE, 1880-83 watermark crown 2½d. to 1s. plate numbers complete, 1880-81 ½d. (2) to 5d., 1881 1d. dies 1 & 2, 1883-84 2s.6d. AG, 1883-84 ½d. to 6d., 1887-92 ½d. (2) to £1 OB, incl. 5d. dies 1 and 2, 1900 ½d. and 1s., varied condition, mainly of good to fine appearance, some with reperforated wing margins etc. (113)

A mainly used line engraved collection on pages incl. 1d. Mulready envelope A142 used 1840 (Nov. 28), 1d. black plate 1a SF, 1b PF, SF, 2 SF, 5 DL, 6 LI, 8 AA, 1841 1d. red-browns incl. JA marginal example with inscription and selvage ornament, cancelled by "409" numeral obliterator, distinctive and numbered Maltese Crosses, 1850 Archer perf. 16 1d. plate 100 GH used on large dated piece, 1851 (Jan. 19), with faults, 1855 LC16 2d. blue SK, 1857-63 die II alphabet III AD-BE unused block of four and KA-MD marginal unused block of twelve, 1d. plate to 224 with plate ND-PD and LA-NA unused vertical strips of three, 2d. plates to 15, 1870 ½d. set of plates incl. 9 MS, 1½d. plate 1 AJ, 3 BI, JA, mixed condition but some fine. (100s)

A mainly used Q.V. to Q.E.II collection in five stockbooks, a folder, on pages and loose within a small carton incl. 1840 1d. black (10), one on cover, 2d. blue (2), 1847-54 embossed 1s., 10d. (2), 6d., duplicated range of surface printed to 2s. (5) with a good number of c.d.s. used examples, 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. plate 2 BI (reperforated at top), 8d. orange AG wing margin example, 1883-84 white paper 2s.6d. (2), 5s. (2), 10s. (3), 1884 watermark crowns £1 brown-lilac, 1883 'lilac and green' set used, 1887-92 'Jubilee' to £1, K.E.VII to £1, 1912-24 to 1s. incl. 9d. olive-green, 1929 P.U.C. £1, range of unverified officials, etc., also two empty stockbooks, mixed condition. (100s)

A mainly used surface printed collection in a binder, ordered by value incl. 2½d. rosy mauve to plate 17 less 16, 3d. (25) incl. watermark spray plate 7 TI-TJ fine used wing margin pair, 4d. (28) incl. watermark small garter, 1862-64 4d. red SB-SC pair and LC used on cover to Cadiz, 1865-67 4d. vermilion plate 12 CA-CC attractive c.d.s. used strip of three, 1873-80 4d. sage-green (2), grey-brown plate 17 GJ, 6d. (26) incl. 1872-73 6d. grey plate 12 IE, 1873-80 6d. grey DE unused (cut down wing margin), 1880-83 6d. grey plate 17 HH unused, 8d. orange, 1862-64 9d. bistre BF overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6, 1867-80 10d. red-brown NE wing margin example, QL used on piece with 4d. cancelled by "C 51" of St. Thomas, 1s. green (15) incl. plate 13 NA overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, 1s. orange-brown (3), 2s. blue (4), 1867-83 watermark Maltese Cross 5s. rose plate 1 FG, 2 AB, 10s. greenish grey CB, Watermark Anchor on blued paper 5s. rose plate 4 CG, mixed condition. £1,000-£2,000

Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- A mainly mint or unused collection in ten albums within a carton incl. 1870 ½d. and 1½d. unused, 1865-73 4d. vermilion plate 14 CC unused, 1883-84 watermark anchor on white paper 2s.6d., 5s., mint, 1883 'lilac and green' 1½d. to 6d. mint or unused, 1887-92 'Jubilee' mint to both 1s. K.E.VII mint to 2s.6d., 5s., also 10s. cleaned and regummed, 1934 re-engraved Seahorse set, 1929 P.U.C. incl. £1 mint, Q.E.II decimal and pre-decimal commemoratives mainly unmounted mint, postage dues to £1, Jersey, Guernsey Alderney, Isle of Man, also collection of Ireland 1922 to 1985, fair to fine. (many 100s) £1,000-£1,200
- A Q.V. selection, incl. 1840 1d. black (added margins) and 2d. blue (four margins), range of surface printed with 1882-83 watermark anchor on white paper 5s. plate 4 BC and DE used, 10s. greenish grey plate 1 CA used with central Hayle c.d.s. (P.T.S. certificate states "thinned at lower right corner and repaired at upper left corner with an additional forged black postmark to disguise repair"), 1883-84 2s.6d. used (2), 5s. used (2), 10s. used (2), etc., mixed condition. (65)
- An accumulation of perf. 1d. stars in a small stockbook, incl. range of cancellations with many good strikes, etc., mixed condition. (100s)
- A K.E.VII. to Q.E.II collection in two boxed albums, incl. K.E.VII to 1s. used, 1924-26 to 1s. as unmounted mint control singles, ½d. to 2d. with watermark sideways unmounted mint (2) and used, 1924 and 1926 Exhibition sets unmounted mint and used, 1929 P.U.C ½d. to 1½d. with watermark sideways unmounted mint and used, 1934 re-engraved set used, 1937-47 ½d. to 2½d. with watermark sideways unmounted mint, with watermark inverted unmounted mint, 1939-48 high values sets unmounted mint (3), 1951 Festival set unmounted mint, 1952-54 and 1955-58 to 1s.6d. unmounted mint, 1958 De La Rue 2s.6d. to £1 as unmounted mint right marginal examples, 1958-61 (with inverted watermarks) and 1959 to 4½d. unmounted mint, 1959 2d. watermark error unmounted mint, 1960s phosphor sets unmounted mint and used, range of Machins, etc., later issues to the 1970s, mainly fine. (100s) £800-£1,000
- A mainly Q.V. selection, incl. 1840 1d. black (4, two on cover and two on piece), 2d. blue with four margins on cover, 1841 1d. used on cover with "3" in Maltese Cross, 1904 2s. booklet (good perfs.), large unmounted mint multiples (rolled up) with 1902-10 2½d. marginal block of twenty four from the top of the sheet, 6d. block of ten, 1948 Silver Wedding £1 pane of twenty, etc., mixed condition. (25)
- A mint and used K.G.V to Q.E.II collection in an album incl. 1911-12 Downey heads mint incl. shades, 1912-24 mint to 1s. (2) less 9d. green, Seahorses incl. 1913 Waterlow used comprising 2s.6d. (2), 5s., 10s., 1915 De La Rue mint (with shades) comprising 2s.6d. (5), 5s. (3), 10s., extensive later material incl. 1948 Silver Wedding £1 mint and used marginal blocks of four, 1956 2s.6d. to £1 in mint corner marginal blocks of four, Wildings etc., mainly good to fine. (100s)
- A Q.V. to K.G.V unmounted mint selection, incl. K.E.VII values to 1s. green and carmine, K.G.V controls, 1918-19 Bradbury 5s., etc., mainly fine. (28)
- A line engraved collection on stock pages, incl. 1840 1d. black used (5, two with four margins), 2d. blue used (2, two with four margins, one with 2010 B.P.A. certificate stating repaired and the other with 2010 B.P.A. certificate stating thinned at base), range of imperf. and perf. 1d. reds and 2d. blues incl. unused 1d. imperfs., numbers in Maltese Cross, 1d. plate 225 used, 1870 ½d. mint and used selection, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £700-£800
- A mainly used line engraved collection incl. selection of postal history items with 1782 cover to Cambridgeshire with "10/DE" Bishopmark, 1837 (Aug. 26) free front signed by Lord Melbourne, 1d. Mulready letter sheet A243 with Mimpriss & Co. advert, 1d. envelope cancelled 1840 (July 13) by vibrant red Maltese Cross, 2d. envelope unused, 1841 1d. red-brown FD, JC, NG all unused, various used examples incl. re-entries, double letters, numbered Maltese Cross cancellations (6), uses on covers, a few multiples, etc., 1850 Prince Consort essay imperforate in red-brown (extensively repaired), later line engraved with 1864-79 1d. plate 175 SJ-TK mint block of four, 200 AJ-DK unused block of eight (perf. separation), mixed condition.

 £600-£800
- A Q.V. to early Q.E.II collection in an album, incl. line engraved, surface printed to 1s. used, 1883-84 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s. used, 1864 cover to Barcelona bearing 6d. tied Manchester duplex, 1866 cover to Belfast bearing 3d. tied Belfast duplex, 1887-92 'Jubilee' to £1 used, K.E.VII to 2s.6d. and 5s. mint, 1912-24 to 1s. mint, 1951 Festival set mint, range of castles, Officials, etc., mixed condition. (100s)

- A surface printed collection on leaves incl. 1881 1d. lilac controls (7) 1883-84 white paper 2s.6d., 5s., 10s., 1888 watermark orbs error £1 brown-lilac LA, used with faults, 1883 'lilac and green' unused to 4d., 6d., used 6d., 9d. (2), 1s., 1887-92 'Jubilee' mint to both 1s. and used £1 green IE, also ½d. green and ½d. vermilion in mint blocks of 30 and 36 respectively, also Zululand 1888-93 5d. and 5s. handstamped "SPECIMEN" in violet, mainly good to fine.
- A mint K.G.V to K.G.VI collection in two stockbooks with a number of multiples, blocks, controls and shades incl. Downey heads, 1912-24 to 1s. (less 9d. green), 1924-26 to 1s., 1924 and 1925 Wembley with postal stationery, P.U.C. to 2½d., Silver Jubilee, K.G.VI with a few booklets, coils, 1939-48 2s.6d. brown (3), 10s. dark blue, etc., mainly good to fine. (100s)
- 2019 A used K.G.V accumulation in a stockbook incl. Seahorses with 2s.6d. (108), 5s. (13), 1912-24 incl. 9d. olive-green (5), mixed condition. (many 100s)
- An unmounted mint accumulation in packets and envelopes mainly 1960s and 1970s issues in blocks, booklets, also 1948 £1 brown (40), etc. (many 100s) £400-£500
- 2021 A small used line engraved group comprising 1840 1d. black DC, FB, OF, SB, 2d. blue plate 1 CF, OC, OE, 1841 2d. blue RE-RF pair and NJ-NL defective strip of three on cover, mixed condition. £350-£400
- An unmounted mint K.G.V selection, incl. 1912-24 to 1s., 1924-36 ½d. to 2d. with watermark sideways, 1934-36 ½d. to 2s. with watermark sideways (two sets), etc., also 1948-51 high values, mainly fine. (55) £300-£400
- A K.G.V to Q.E.II small accumulation in a stockbook, mainly mint incl. 1934-36 to 1s. (2 sets), 1939-48 2s.6d. to £1 sets (3) unmounted, Q.E.II decimals with values to £5, etc., varied condition, also with some Commonwealth, a mainly used Malta collection in an album, and a boxed Warwick album almost as new with approx. 50 leaves. £300-£350
- A surface printed collection on leaves, mainly used with values to 1867-83 and 1883-84 5s., incl. 1880-81

 Provisional set used, 1883-84 'lilac and green' set used, etc., also a few unused, 1847-54 Embossed 6d. on cover to Ireland, 10d. on front and 1s. on cover to Philadelphia, mixed condition. (100s)

 £250-£300
- A mainly used later line engraved collection on leaves incl. 1864-79 1d. plates to 225 SL, also unused 115 JL with sheet margin, 120 AJ-AL corner marginal, 193 BH, 210 KE, 1870 1d. plate 10 MP-NP unused vertical pair, 1½d. plate 3 NB overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, mixed condition.
- A small Q.V. group comprising 1841 2d. blue plate 3 DA, small to large margins, fine used with Maltese Cross of York in black, 1873-80 watermark large garter 8d. plate 1 CI imperforate colour trial in brown-orange diagonally overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11, fine with part gum, also an unused example (cleaned at top), and a small wooden Tunbridge ware stamp box with side profile of Queen Victoria with initials carved into base. (4)

£250-£300

- A used K.G.V collection on leaves incl. 1912-24 9d. olive-green (2), Seahorses with 1915 De La Rue 2s.6d. (3), 1918-19 Bradbury 2s.6d. (5), 5s., 10s., inverted and sideways watermarks, good number of shades, a few pairs or blocks and uses on cover, mixed condition with some toning.
- A K.E.VII to K.G.V mainly used accumulation in a binder, incl. range of shades, K.E.VII to 1s. mint (2) and 2s.6d. (3) used, range of Downey heads, range of used Seahorses, mixed condition. (100s) £200-£250
- An accumulation in five albums and loose, Q.V. to Q.E.II, incl. K.E.VII to 5s. used (3 with parcel cancellations), Wildings, Machins, Castles with plate blocks of four to £1, range of covers with pre-stamp, 1d. reds, censored, postcards, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £200-£250
- A K.E.VII to K.G.VI collection in an album, incl. range of K.E.VII shades to 2s.6d. (2), 5s. and 10s. used, Downey Heads, range of mint K.G.V controls with values to 4d., range of used Seahorses, postal stationery, postage dues, etc., mixed condition. (100s)

 £150-£200
- A used Q.V. to K.G.V selection, incl. line engraved, surface printed to 5s., K.E.VII to 5s., Seahorses to 10s., covers (2), etc., very mixed condition. (52)



Collections and Mixed Lots continued

- An accumulation in two cartons mainly picture postcards from Great Britain, Q.V. to Q.E.II, but also many European and a few World, also assorted stamps and covers in albums packets and loose, also cigarette cards and a few f.d.c's and commemorative covers. (1,000s)

 £100-£200
- An accumulation in seven albums and loose, incl. much Q.E.II pre-decimal material with Wilding and Machin booklets, also Guernsey and Jersey, etc. (100s)
- An accumulation on stock cards, Q.V. to Q.E.II, incl. line engraved, surface printed, multiples, etc., mixed condition. (100) £100-£150
- A mint and used K.G.V to Q.E.II accumulation in three stockbooks, mainly Q.E.II pre-decimal, incl. multiples, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £80-£100

Miscellaneous

2036 Greetings Cards: A group of 22 early 20th century embroidered greetings cards with a variety of slogans incl.

Christmas greetings, Military such as "GLORY OF THE ALLIES" (1917), and romantic "A Kiss", an interesting group.

£100-£150

Postcards

- 2037 ➤ Bonzo the Dog: Set of 72 "Bonzo" cards from the R.P.S. series by George Studdy, unused and used, mainly fine. Photo. £300-£400
- 2038 Bournemouth: An exhibition collection in six large binders, from around 1900 to 1945, focusing on the development of the seafront over half a century, incl. many real photos, some paddle steamers, etc. (approx. 1,800 cards) Photo.



Ex 2038



Ex 2037

- 2039 ★ A group of gramophone postcards, plus additional envelopes, incl. Tuck Military Record cards, etc., an unusual assembly. (18) £150-£200
- 2040 🗷 A collection of around 190 picture postcards with early street scenes incl. real photographic etc. £80-£100

Railway Stamps

A used collection incl. Metropolitan Railway 2d. red on 1899 (July 31) cover from Baker St. to Salisbury, with 'Jubilee' ½d. vermilion (2) tied at lower left by London squared circle, London and N.W. Railway 2d. green on 1893 (Apr. 12) cover with 1d. lilac, Isle of Wight Railway 2d. green and 1d. lilac tied to 1899 (Feb. 2) cover by "SANDOWN/STATION" ovals, Knott End Railway 2d. green tied by large Garstang railway oval cancellation in violet to 1917 cover alongside ½d. green (2), seven additional items on or off piece incl. Hereford T.P.O. and G.W.R. stamps, mixed condition. (11)

Postal History and Covers

- 2042 № 1802 to 1830 group of covers with various markings incl. 1830 entire with "HADDINGTON/PENNY POST" and "Addl./½" due mark with "BURNTISLAND" straight line handstamp across flap. (5) £100-£150
- 2043 A collection of mainly line engraved covers and entires incl. Maltese Crosses (13), 'spoon' cancellations incl. Rugby 'shoe' on 1d. pink postal stationery envelope, leap year entire, receiving house handstamps, Hoster cancellation, etc., mainly good to fine. (40)
- 2044 № 1855 to 1911 group of covers and cards incl. 1898 (Aug. 19) uprated 1d. postal stationery envelope to Paris with 50c. postage due, 'Jubilee' 3d. and K.E.VII ½d. perfins used on 1902 (Feb. 10) envelope to Germany, line engraved and surface printed mixed frankings (4), registered incl. 1911 (Sept. 18) K.G.V registered letter envelope with additional K.E.VII 3d. and "EXPRESS" label. (15)
- 2045 № 1870 (July 4) and (July 7) pair of covers from "A MAYNARD/MUSICAL AGENT/6/YORK/ROAD" with printed shop front design at left, to Bashford House, Nottingham, bearing 1864-79 1d. plate 138 HG-HH pair and plate 135 TC-TD pair respectively, unusual. Photo.
- 2046 ☑ 1879 (Dec. 30) cover to Germany bearing twelve 1d. 'plates' and 1½d. PH-PI pair (slightly oxidised), all cancelled by London district "W/3" obliterator. Photo. £100-£150
- Postage Dues, 1893 (July 21) fascinating envelope bearing 1d. lilac, from Charlton, addressed to "Princeton, India", upon arrival into Bombay (Aug. 1) it was forwarded to Princeton New Jersey via New York (Sept. 6) where the recipient was unknown and the cover "ADVERTISED, SEP 20 1893", manuscript "Opened by mistake/Miss B. Baxter" at left indicating that the cover had been claimed erroneously and the 6d. postage due was paid with a strip of three U.S.A. Columbian issue 2c. (one later removed). The cover was later returned to the Post Office where it was re-sealed with a P.O.D. official seal and returned, presumably to England. With various "T" marks and "DEAD LETTER OFFICE/RECEIVED IN BAD CONDITION AT/OCT 21 1893/FOREIGN DIVISION" handstamp in violet, a very unusual use of Columbian issue as postage due stamps. Photo. £200-£300



Postal History and Covers continued

- 2048 ☑ Ship Letters, London: 1815 (Jan. 10) entire to Cape of Good Hope, bearing good circular "POST PAID WITHDRAWN SHIP LETTER/(crown)/8 NO 8/1814/LONDON" on the reverse affected by opening, cover with minor faults, also a 1907 picture postcard and 1811 ship cover. Photo on page 12. £100-£150
- Valentines, An 1831 to 1887 collection on leaves comprising 1831 (Feb. 14) pre-stamp wrapper with painted design of a Cherub playing a harp over a lady laying on a bush and, with printed verse, plus additional hand written verses, c. 1860 card with married couple fighting (movable elements), 1887 fronts form early cards with intricate multi-coloured embossing, one with short poem, 1887 intricate card with unused embossed envelope, c. 1920 card front with anti-smoking message "I wish you would leave off the habit of smoking" above a disgruntled pigeon beside a chimney, four embossed envelopes franked with 1d. stars or plates comprising 1857 (Feb. 13) to Fareham, 1861 (Feb. 15) to Liverpool, 1872 (Feb. 14) to Hampstead, 1873 (Feb. 13) to Dorking, some toning and a few folds but mainly good to fine. Photo on page 96.

 £300-£350
- Windsor, 1750 to 1886 collection of covers incl. 1750 entire from Lady Clarke in Windsor to London with "13/OC" Bishop mark, rated "3"(d.), 1805 entire to Highworth and 1815 entire to Wakefield both with "WINDSOR/26 (boxed)" handstamp, 1838 (May 29) entire to Andover with boxed "Windsor/PennyPost" handstamp, 1848 (Jan. 21) stampless envelope to Ludlow with Windsor c.d.s., "PAID" tombstone and "PAID/1" in red. (6) £80-£100

Mail to Overseas Destinations

- 2051 ➤ New Brunswick: 1866 (Aug. 4) entire to Miramichi, bearing 4d. vermilion plate 7 DD-DE pair tied by London duplexes, filing fold well clear of adhesives. Photo. £120-£150
- 2052 ★ New Zealand: 1868 (Aug. 1) envelope with contents to Otago, New Zealand, bearing 6d. lilac plate 6 RE wing margin example, tied by Glasgow duplex, with Dunedin arrival c.d.s. (Oct. 4) on reverse, adhesive with a few imperfections but an attractive cover to an unusual destination. Photo. £100-£150
- **2053** Persia: 1899 (Dec. 8) envelope from London to Shiraz, Persia, bearing 'Jubilee' 5d. pair tied by Hooded Circles, reduced slightly at right, surface scratch affecting adhesives, otherwise fine and scarce destination. Photo.

£100-£150

Vancouver Island: 1867 (July 19) envelope from London to New Westminster, Vancouver Island, bearing 1867-80 watermark spray 2s. dull blue plate 1 HE-IE vertical wing margin pair, plus 1864 (Aug. 31) envelope to Victoria bearing 1862-64 1s. green plate 1 AE-AF wing margin pair, with additional 4d. tied at left, also 1889 (Dec. 3) envelope to "Captain Robertson, 'S.S.Islander', Victoria B.C. (or Elsewhere)", bearing 'Jubilee' 6d., all a trifle soiled with faults but an interesting trio. Photo. £200-£300

Used Abroad

A collection of 1d. lilac frankings incl. military and paquebot covers and cards from Aden 1899 (Dec. 3) postcard to Essex with boxed "PAQUEBOT", Bombay, British Consulate Valparaiso, 1900 (June 30) envelope with consulate and small "PAQUEBOT" handstamps, Fremantle, Western Australia 1901 (July 31) with straight line "PAQUEBOT" handstamp, Port Said, Egypt (1902), Smyrna 1901 (Dec. 9) postcard to U.S.A., Vigo, Spain 1894 (Oct. 18) seaman's rate countersigned by commanding officer, also 1900 (Jan. 20) paquebot large part cover bearing 'Jubilee' 2½d., tied by "ARENDAL" c.d.s. (8)

Postal Stationery

- 2056 № 1890 Penny Postage, a selection of 1d. cards and envelopes with Penny Postage Jubilee South Kensington handstamps, incl. postcard and envelopes (2) each with five different handstamps incl. 1d. and 3d. Tube Post, some with toning. (9) £200-£250
- 2057 No lot

1840 Mulready Envelopes and Letter Sheets



2059

- 2058 1d. letter sheet A243 used 1840 (Sept. 21) to Southampton, central filing fold but complete, A250, fine unused with "English and Scottish Law Fire and Life Assurance" advert in blue, 1d. envelope A162 unused, A176 fine used, cancelled by red Maltese Cross to lower right of Britannia, 2d. lettersheet a97 fine and fresh unused, also Whitaker's Almanack used, 1893 (Nov. 11), mainly fine. (5)
- 2059 1d. letter sheet A8 (forme 1) used 1843 (Nov. 23) from London to Stratford-upon-Avon, cancelled by fine strike of the number "10" in Maltese Cross, a few small imperfections, otherwise fine and attractive example, scarce. S.G. Spec. ME1, cat. from £4,500. Photo.
- 2060 ☑ 1d. letter sheet A17 (forme 2) a superb unused example with deep clear impression. S.G. Spec. ME1. Photo on page 16. £200-£250
- 2061 ☑ 1d. letter sheet A67 (forme 3) used 1845 (Nov. 19) to South Cave, cancelled contrary to regulations with "129" numeral of Brigg placed well to the right of Britannia, backstamped (all Nov. 19) at Brigg, Howden and Hull, some imperfections and rather 'tired' but fair appearance. Photo on page 16. £150-£200
- 2062 ☑ 1d. letter sheet A70 (forme 4) with Atlas Assurance Company advertisement (S.G. Spec. MA103i) used from London to Nottingham, cancelled by a clear strike of the number "2" in Maltese Cross to the right of Britannia, Nottingham 1843 (Mar. 24) backstamp, light vertical filing folds and slight staining, very scarce. S.G. Spec. ME1, cat. £2,750. Photo on page 16 and inside front cover. £500-£600
- 2063 ☑ 1d. envelope A153 used, 1840 (May 15) from Whitby to Yarm, neatly cancelled by red Maltese Cross, usual peripheral imperfections, a fine early dated example. S.G. Spec. ME2, cat. £1,200. Photo on page 16. £100-£150



1840 Mulready Envelopes and Letter Sheets continued

- 2064

 1d. envelope A176 (forme 4) and 2d. envelope a198, very fine and fresh unused examples written up on collectors pages. S.G. Spec. ME2, ME4.

 £250-£300
- Mulready Caricatures and later printed envelopes, a collection of 44 unused items, mainly facsimiles and reprints, but with a few original items incl. Fores's Racing envelope number 5, Ocean Penny Post, Southgate number 6 (painted), Spooner numbers 4, 5, 7, mainly good to fine. £400-£500

Hand Illustrated and Later Printed Envelopes

- 2066 ☑ 1858 to 1879 collection of illustrated covers (5) and fronts (4) with scenes incl. Lady and Gentleman dressed for a Sunday stroll, Lady with a large paper file, The 'Jester' Postman, covers to Miss Alice MacNamara illustrated on both sides (2), one with an elephant and giraffe, the other with diminutive soldier and cherubs and imps on reverse, the fronts depict a porter carrying a crate, a hunting scene, commercial traveller, a couple rushing to avoid a man wearing an advertising placard, some faults but a charming group. £200-£250
- 2067

 1861 (Dec. 21) 'American Civil War' cover from Manchester to Lieut. McClure, Stockport, depicting an American Soldier (kicking the queen), John Bull (kicking the soldier), a Police inspector and an English soldier priming a cannon, slight damage to flap, an attractive and humorous envelope. Photo on inside front cover.

 £100-£150
- 2068 № 1886 (Aug. 17) large illustrated envelope (188 x 156mm) to James Brooks esq., Sheerness, with detailed drawing of a patent tricycle of a strange 'rack and pinion' type, some light toning. Photo. £80-£100
- 2069 № 1888 (Apr. 11) large illustrated envelope (223 x 146mm) to J.A.S. Brooks esq., Sheerness, depicting a patent tripod camera, franked with 'Jubilee' 1½d., slight toning and with light vertical fold, barely detracting from appearance. Photo. £80-£100
- **2070** 1891 (Dec. 22) beautiful pen illustrated cover (175 x 115mm) depicting a four horse stagecoach, wonderfully well observed, bearing 1d. lilac cancelled at Caterham Valley, some light toning, otherwise superb. Photo.



Cancellations

- **2071 Royalty:** 1883 (July 26) House of Commons envelope to Llanfarrian R.S.O., bearing 1d. lilac neatly cancelled by "LONDON/C/26 JY 83/VR" hooded circle, flap damaged, otherwise very fine and scarce. £80-£100
- 2072 English Spoon Cancellations: A specialised collection on leaves comprising 57 covers and eight items on piece incl. Reading 'biscuit', Rugby 'shoe', rare Liverpool 'Registered', with attractive embossed 6d. and 1s. frankings on neat envelopes, variety of different settings and letterings, etc., a good basis for expansion and further study.

£1,500-£2,000

Treasury Competition Essays

2073 E Charles Whiting Congreve Method Essays: 1d. essay (P.P.C. number 12) printed in black and red on wove paper, fine with clear to ample margins, thinned at top, unusual. Photo. £100-£150

1840 One Penny Black







2074 O 1d. black used collection on page comprising 1a OF, 1b HF, 2 CK, 3 RC, 4 HD, 5 MK, 6 PC, 7 RK, 8 HK, 9 PB, 10 SG, mainly fine four margined examples with plates 2 and 5 displaying part of adjoining impression. (11)

£1,000-£2,000

- 2075 O 1d. black used collection on leaves incl. plate 1a OG, 1b BF matched with 1841 1d. red-brown, MC, 2 SH, TB, 3 SD, DC, 4 FJ on 1840 (Aug. 4) cover, 5 DK on 1840 (Sept. 12) Corn Exchange notice, EH matched with 1841 1d. red-brown, HL on 1841 cover, 6 HB on 1840 (Sept. 5) cover, 7 DF, RE, 8 PI, PJ on 1841 (Jan. 29) cover, 9 EJ matched with 1841 1d. red-brown, 10 DI, 11 TJ (faults), mixed condition. (29)
- 2076 O 1d. black used collection on leaves comprising plate 1b BL, 3 HJ, 4 PH, 6 IH, 7 FD, 10 LI, also plate 1b GG, 2 LB, 5 BH, 8 AC, 9 LI, 10 AJ all matched with 1841 1d. red-brown, mainly good to fine attractive four margined examples. (18)
- 2077 ☑ 1d. black group of covers comprising plate 1b PD on 1841 (Mar. 10) cover to Leeds, 1b GG showing portion of adjoining impression at right on 1841 (May 14) to London, plate 4 JD on 1840 (July 29) cover to Newcastle, 4 OK on 1840 (Aug. 20) cover, plate 5 BL on 1840 (Oct. 21) cover to Durham, 5 GK on 1841 (Jan. 31) cover to London, plate 6 CB on 1841 (May 9) cover to Hartlepool with "Pierce Bridge/Penny Post" handstamp at upper left, plate 9 RD on 1841 (Apr. 22) cover to Bedale, mixed condition, mainly four margined. (8) £600-£800
- 2078 O 1d. black used collection on collectors page, plates 1a to 11 all lettered OF and matched with 1841 1d. red-brown where possible, a few imperfections, but mainly fine and attractive four margined examples. £1,200-£1,500
- 2079 1d. black plate 1b DA, with good to large margins, just tied to 1841 (Jan. 30) Glasgow entire by red Maltese cross, plus plate 5 TB touched to large margins, tied to 1841 (Mar. 12) letter sheet to Leeds, also plate 6 CI with small to large margins, tied to part 1841 (Apr. 15) cover, filing fold through adhesive. (3)
- 2080 that large margins, small part original gum. B.P.A. certificate notes "with small part original gum disturbed, treated to reduce staining, two short creases". Spec. AS20. Photo.
- 2081 O 1d. black plate 4 HD and HE singles, neatly placed together and tied to small piece, HE cut into at upper right, otherwise with small to large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses. S.G. Spec AS23. Photo on page 17.

£180-£200

- 2082 O 1d. intense black plate 6 PK, fine used, with good to large margins, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Cross. S.G. AS40. Photo.
- 2083 ☑ 1d. black plate 7 QA, with good to very large margins with small part sheet selvedge at left, tied by black Maltese Cross to 1841 (Mar. 5) O.H.M.S. cover to Wigtown, slight toning at lower left, filing folds, one of which affects the right of the adhesive, otherwise a fine and scarce example of the official use of the 1d. black. S.G. Spec. AS44. Photo on page 17. £150-£200
- 2084 O 1d. greyish black plate 11 TG-TH, a very rare pair, close at top, otherwise with good to enormous margins with part of sheet selvedge at base and displaying portion of adjoining impression at right, neatly cancelled with black Maltese Crosses, fresh and beautiful, with two 1841 1d. red-brown with matching lettering. S.G. Spec. AS72, cat. £18,000. Photo.

1840 Two Pence Blue

- 20.85 O 2d. blue used collection on album page incl. plate 1 HH-HI pair cancelled by black Maltese Crosses, shades etc., mixed conditions and toned. (27)
- 2086 O Plate 1 2d. pale blue CC used with close to large margins, cancelled by upright red Maltese Cross, 2d. blue plate 2 RA-RB pair, cut into at base and touched at right, lightly cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, TE touched at lower right otherwise good to large margins cancelled by black Maltese Cross, with good colour, a few imperfections. (3)









2087 2088

2087 O Plate 1 2d. pale blue AH (re-entry), fine used, close to good margins, cancelled by central upright black Maltese Cross clear of the re-entry, an attractive example with good colour. S.G. Spec. DS5b. Photo. £150-£200

- 2088 O 2d. deep blue KD-KG strip of four, cut into at left and at base, otherwise close to good margins, used with black Maltese Crosses, vertical bend through KG, attractive deep colour. S.G. Spec. DS1. Photo. £250-£300
- 2089 O 2d. bright blue MI, used with clear to very large margins, cancelled by red Maltese Crosses, slightly toned, otherwise fine with attractive vibrant colour. S.G. Spec. DS6A. Photo. £150-£200
- 2090 O Plate 2 2d. blue NL, small to large margins, neatly cancelled by black Maltese Cross, corner creases at upper left covered by hinge, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. DS8. Photo. £150-£200

1840 V.R. One Penny Black



V.R. 1d. black KD, an unused example with good margins except just clipped at foot of "K" square, thin at left, otherwise fine and fresh. S.G. Spec. VR1, cat. £32,000. Photo. £3,000-£3,500

Later Line Engraved









2092 O 1841 2d. blue used collection on leaves with plate 3 (19) incl. GA-GD strip of four, NJ-NL strip of three, pairs (3), plate 4 (12) incl. EE-EH strip of four, EA-EC strip of three, EH-EI pair, mixed condition. (31) £150-£200

2093 O 1841 2d. blue plate 3 IB, close to small margins, used with number "4" in Maltese Cross at top right leaving profile clear, fine. S.G. Spec. ES11vd. Photo.

2094 O 1841 2d. blue plate 4 BH without 'spectacles' variety, close to good margins, used with Scottish numeral cancellation, fine. S.G. Spec. ES14n, cat. £1,500. Photo. £150-£200

2095 O 1841 2d. violet-blue plate 4 KL on thicker lavender tinted paper, close to large margins, fine used with light numeral cancellation. S.G. 15aa, Spec. ES16, cat. £1,800. Photo. £150-£200

2096 ★ ⊞ 1852-53 1d. red-brown plate 146 HF-IG, fresh mint block of four with good to large even margins (slight thinning in lower margin), a few vertical bends (with small area of adhesion) and a light wrinkle, otherwise fine and attractive with large part original gum. S.G. Spec. B2, cat. £3,500. Photo on page 20. £500-£600

2097 ☑ 1850 Archer perf. 16 1d. red-brown plate 97 KB, used on 1851 (June 28) envelope to Glasgow, neatly tied by "775" numeral obliterator of Tarporley, slight damage to reverse of envelope, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. CE2, cat. £2,600. Photo on page 20. £350-£400



Later Line Engraved continued

2098 ○ ⊞ **1855** SC16 **2d. blue plate 5** PF-QG, very rare used block of four, vertical perfs. weak with some splitting and reinforcement, light peripheral foxing, otherwise fine. S.G. 20a, Spec. F4, unpriced as a block of four. Photo.

£500-£600

- 2099 O 1855 SC14 2d blue plate 5 TI, watermark inverted, used with Leith type 1 experimental cancellation, red ink at foot, a few short perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. 23aWi, cat. £750. Photo on page 19. £100-£120
- 2100 1864-79 1d. red, a used collection in two binders arranged by plate, incl. wide range of shades, cancellations, a few on piece, etc., mixed condition. (100s) £100-£150
- 2101 ★ 1d. plates 71-225 (less 77, 222), mainly good to fine mint or unused, a few marginal. (150) £1,200-£1,500
- **2102** O 1d. plates 71 to 225 (less 77), used, mixed condition. (151)

£100-£150

- 2103 ▲ 1d. rose-red plate 225 PL, fine used example on piece, neatly tied by "LONDON E.C./DE 24" duplex, fine and attractive Christmas Eve usage of a scarce stamp. S.G. 43, cat. £800. Photo. £200-£300
- 2104 ★ ⊞ 1870 ½d. rose-red plate 20 KM-LN mint block of four with usual crackly gum, fine. S.G. 48, cat. £1,400+. Photo. £150-£200

1847 - 54 Embossed

- 2105 O An attractive used group comprising 1s. die 1 (4) incl. a pair, 1s. die II, 10d. on piece, 6d. (5) incl. a pair, a few imperfections and spots of toning but mainly good to fine. (9) £500-£600
- 2106 S A collection on leaves incl. 1855 Postal Stationery Postal Notice for "EMBOSSED POSTAGE STAMPS TO BE STRUCK UPON PAPER AND ENVELOPES" dated "26TH NOVEMBER 1855", with impressions of the 4d., 6d. and 1s. all overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1s. green used on piece to New York, pair (cut into) used on cover to New York, two singles cut to shape (cut into) on cover to Philadelphia, twenty word telegraph card, 10d. (2), 6d. (4) with three on cover, mixed condition.

 £200-£300

Surface Printed: 1862 - 64

- 2107 ★ 1862-64 mint or unused group comprising watermark garter 4d. plate 3 bright red and pale red, plate 4 bright red and pale red, watermark emblems 3d., 6d. lilac, 9d. bistre, 9d. straw, 1s. green, mixed condition but mainly of good to fine appearance. (10) £1,000-£1,500
- 2108 ★ Watermark emblems 3d., unused with small part original gum, some rubbing and soiling, otherwise fine. S.G. 76, cat. £2,700. Photo. £200-£250







- Watermark emblems 9d. bistre plate 2 KB, part original gum, some shortish or thinned perfs. at top, otherwise fine. S.G. 86, cat. £5,800. Photo. £200-£250

2110 1867-80 Watermark spray mainly used collection on leaves incl. 3d. plates 4 to 10 mainly unused, 6d. mauve used (14) incl. plate 9 DK-EL block of four, 9d. straw FA-GB used block of four, 9d. straw and pale straw both unused, and five used incl. MB-MC pair, 10d. unused and used (3) plus BK overprinted "SPECIMEN", 1s. green used (14) incl. two wing marginal blocks of four, 2s. blue used (8) incl. EJ-EK pair, 2s. brown used (faults), mixed condition with some toning.

2111 O - Watermark spray 2s. milky blue plate 1 TG, with "L/C&S" perfin used with red registered oval, short perf. at right and small thin, otherwise fine. S.G. 120b, cat. £2,000. Photo. £100-£150

2112 ★ 1872-73 Watermark spray 6d. grey plate 12 PI, fresh mint wing margin example with interpanneau selvedge (creased) displaying part inscription at top, ragged perforations at left hand side, light diagonal bend affecting upper left corner and slight scratch on gum, otherwise an attractive positional example. S.G. 125, cat. £1,900. Photo. £150-£200

1867 - 78 Watermark Maltese Cross







2113 O 10s. greenish grey FD, fine used. S.G. 128, cat. £3,200. Photo.

£400-£500

2114 O £1 brown-lilac DE used with very oily "GLASGOW" c.d.s., small rub at lower right, otherwise fine. P.T.S. certificate (2015). S.G. 129, cat. £4,500. Photo. £250-£300

2115 O £1 brown-lilac DF used, with neat "GLASGOW" c.d.s., small internal closed tear, otherwise fine with good colour. S.G. 129, cat. £4,500. Photo. £350-£400





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2116 S £1 brown-lilac GI, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, a few lightly toned perfs., otherwise fine without gum. S.G. 129s, Spec. J126s, cat. £6,250. Photo. £400-£500

2117 O £1 brown-lilac HH used, with neat "GLASGOW" c.d.s's, a few light patches of toning, otherwise fine with good colour. S.G. 129, cat. £4,500. Photo.

1882 - 83 Watermark Large Anchor







2118 O Blued paper £1 brown-lilac FB, used with neat central Cardiff Docks c.d.s., corner bend at upper right and a trifle soiled, otherwise a fine well centred example. S.G. 132, cat. £10,000. Photo. £500-£600

2119 S - £5 orange CB overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, a few tiny imperfections, otherwise very fine with part redistributed original gum. Holcombe certificate (1999). S.G. 133s, Spec. J128s, cat. £3,500. Photo. £500-£600







2122

2120 O - £5 orange CN fine used with neat double circle "MANCHESTER/ACCOUNTS/29/DECR/1882" c.d.s.'s, vertical creases and some ink on reverse, otherwise fine. P.T.S. certificate (2015). S.G. 133, cat. £15,000. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

2121 O White paper 5s. rose plate 4 CF, neatly cancelled by "PIER ST/HULL/P/MR 27/84" c.d.s., with horizontal creases but most attractive. S.G. 134, cat. £4,200. Photo. £200-£300

2122 O - 10s. greenish grey plate 1 BF used with indistinct registered ovals, stained at top. P.T.S. certificate (2015). S.G. 135, cat. £4,500. Photo. £300-£350

- 10s. greenish grey plate 1 EH fine used with "STOCK EXCHANGE/GLASGOW/OC 2/83" c.d.s., shortish perfs. at 2123 O foot nevertheless attractive. S.G. 135, cat. £4,500. Photo. £600-£800







2124 🔾 - £1 brown-lilac DG used with Cornhill c.d.s's. P.T.S. certificate (2015) states "vertical crease at right and horizontal crease at top". S.G. 136, cat. £9,000. Photo. £800-£1,000

2125 P - £1 brown-lilac GH, imprimatur (re-registered after alteration), very fresh with superb colour, without gum, a few trivial wrinkles or bends mentioned for accuracy, fine and exceedingly rare. S.G. Spec. J127a, cat. £55,000. Photo also on front cover. £4,000-£5,000

2126 O - £5 orange DA, fine used, with single "EDINBURGH" c.d.s. S.G. 137, cat. £4,750. Photo. £800-£1,000

£250-£300



1873 - 80

- Watermark orb 2½d. rosy-mauve plate 8 ME-MF imperforate colour standard pair overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine and fresh with virtually full original gum, also plate 15 AA-BB corner marginal block of four showing current number overprinted "CYPRUS" (S.G. 3), fine mint. Photo.
- 2128 O Watermark large garter 4d. grey-brown plate 17 GI, used with neat upright Stonehaven c.d.s, fine. S.G. 154, cat. £550. Photo. £150-£200
- 2129 P 1880-81 Provisional Issue 1d. Venetian red AF top marginal imprimatur, fine and fresh with full original gum. S.G. Spec. K3, cat. £275. Photo. £80-£100
- 2130 \boxplus P 1881 die 2 16 dots 1d. imperforate plate proof in lilac on buff paper, block of four from the base of the sheet, top pair has thin and crease, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. cat. £900+. Photo. £180-£200

1883 - 84 Watermark Anchor





- 2131 P Blued paper 2s.6d. lilac AG imprimatur, fine and fresh with part original gum (backing paper affixed to top), pencil number "1" on reverse. S.G. Spec. K9, cat. £5,000. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- **2132** O **White paper** 5s. rose collection incl. CB unused with part original gum (creases), EB, on blued paper overprinted "SPECIMEN", toned, JG-KH used block of four, six used singles, mixed condition. (9) £300-£400
- 2133 ★ 5s. crimson BC, lightly mounted mint, some toning at top and on gum, otherwise fine. S.G. 181, cat. £975. Photo. £150-£200

1884 Watermark Crowns

- 2134 O £1 brown-lilac CC good used with registered oval, creasing. S.G. 185, cat. £3,000. Photo on page 24. £150-£200
- 2135 O £1 brown-lilac HB fine used with beautiful deep colour, S.G. 185. Photo on page 24.



1888 Watermark Orbs Error

- 2136 O 1888 Watermark Orbs error £1 brown-lilac BD, used, cancelled by single oval registered datestamp, slightly toned, small natural paper wrinkle. S.G. 186, cat. £4,500. Photo. £400-£500
- 2137 O -£1 brown-lilac RB, used with Ipswich c.d.s. and boxed cancellations, good colour. S.G. 186, cat. £4,500. Photo. £300-£350

1883 - 84 'Lilac and Green' Issue

2138 O 1s. dull green, a complete reconstructed pane, all neatly cancelled with either "DUBLIN" or "FOURCOURTS/DUBLIN" c.d.s. dated May 2 1884, a wonderful group with deep colour. S.G. 196, cat. £6,500.

£1,000-£1,200

1887 - 92 'Jubilee' Issue

- 2139 ½d. to 1s. and 1900 ½d. and 1s. set mint, with additional used set to both 1s. (less 10d.) and £1 (2) used examples, mainly good to fine. (37) £200-£300
- A mint and used selection, incl. die I 5d. with part original gum, to 10d. mint (5), used (5), 1s. green and carmine mint (4), and 1s. dull green mint (4) and used (7), mixed condition. (approx. 140)
- 2141 B ½d. vermilion, the upper three rows of the sheet, the reverse with offset of top row running diagonally from left to right, also with offset of marginal rule above, unmounted mint, folded along some rows and some separated perfs., otherwise fine. S.G 197.
- 2142 ❖ ½d. to 9d. (2), 10d. (2), 1s. dull green (3) and 1s. green and carmine (2) unmounted mint, mainly fine. (34) £500-£600





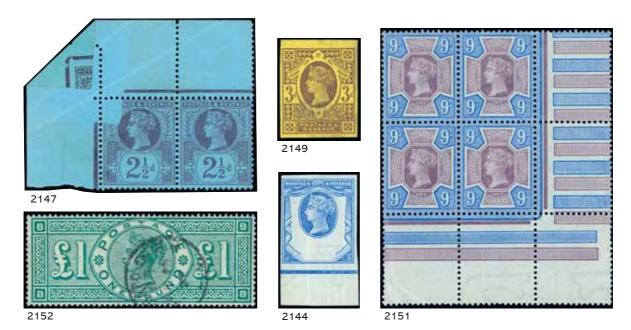




- 2143 **4** ½d. vermilion printed on the gummed side with watermark inverted, hinged on the ungummed side, fine example with typical blotchy print. S.G. Spec. K27d, cat. £4,000. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- 2144 P 1½d. proof of head plate only in blue, a right marginal example on gummed watermarked paper, vertical creases, otherwise fine with full gum. *These were prepared for 1894 reply paid essays.* S.G. Spec. K29, cat. from £825. Photo. £100-£120
- 2145 ⊞ S 1½d. block of four, each overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9, fine with full gum. S.G. Spec. K29s, cat. £340+.

£100-£150

2146 P 2d. yellow-green and carmine imprimatur, fine with large part lightly toned original gum. S.G. Spec. K30, cat. £725. Photo.



- 2147 ★ 2½d. purple on blue upper right corner pair, showing a major printing error caused by a pre-printing paper fold leaving one of the stamps underprinted and with part of the design on the reverse of the margin, creasing and minor soiling, otherwise fine and unusual. Ex Lady Mairi Bury. S.G. 201. Photo. £300-£350
- 2148 2 2½d., right marginal example from the 1st setting, showing major purple printing flaw across Queen's face, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 201 var. Photo.
- 2149 P 3d. purple on yellow imprimatur, large part original gum, pencil number "5" on reverse and some staining, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. K32. Photo.
- **2150** P 4d. green and purple-brown imprimatur, fine with large part original gum, pencil number "4" on gum. S.G. Spec. K33. Photo.
- 2151 ★ ⊞ 9d. dull purple and blue, setting 3, a block of four with interpane pillars and marginal rules at right and base, mint with three stamps unmounted, some creasing, otherwise fine. S.G. 209, cat. £440+. Photo. £150-£200
- 2152 O £1 green BB, used with indistinct c.d.s., stain on reverse, otherwise fine. S.G. 212, cat. £800. Photo. £100-£150

Officials









- 2153 ★ A mint Q.V. to K.E.VII group, incl. Government Parcels 1891-1900 2d., 1902 9d., 1s. overprinted "SPECIMEN", not guaranteed, mixed condition. (18) £100-£150
- 2154 O A mainly used collection on stockcards, some unused examples incl. Inland Revenue 1882-1901 ½d. slate-blue, 2½d. purple on blue, Army 1896-1901 2½d. purple on blue, 6d. purple on rose-red, used incl. Inland Revenue 1882-1901 6d. grey, 6d. purple on rose-red, Government Parcels values to 1s., Admiralty 1903 2½d., mixed condition and not all overprints guaranteed. (29)
- 2155 ★ Office of Works: 1896-1902 ½d. vermilion and 1d. lilac, slight creases, otherwise fine mint. R.P.S. certificates (2011 and 2012), S.G. O31, O33, cat. £850. Photo. £100-£150
- 2156 O 5d. dull purple and blue, used. R.P.S. certificate (2014) states "slightly faded". S.G. Spec. L34, cat. £1,400. Photo. £180-£200



Officials continued

- 2157 O Govt. Parcels: 1883-86 9d. dull green IP used with parcel cancellation, toned, a few creases, otherwise fine. S.G. O63, cat. £1,200. Photo on page 25. £100-£150
- 2158 O Admiralty: 1903 ½d. to 3d., good to fine used, 2d. and 3d. with R.P.S. certificates (2011, 2012). S.G. O101-O106, cat. £643.

King Edward VII

- A mint and used collection on leaves incl. 1902-10 De La Rue mint and used (with shades) to 1s., mint high values comprising 2s.6d. (3), 5s. (2), 10s., £1, 1911 Harrison mint to 4d., 1911-13 Somerset House duplicated mint values to 1s. (3), £1 used, mainly good to fine with strong colour. £800-£1,000
- 2160 An unmounted mint selection with values to 9d. (2), 10d. (2) and 1s. (2), mainly fine. (31)
- 2161 ★ 1902-10 De La Rue 2s.6d. dull purple on chalk surfaced paper, fine mint. S.G. 262, cat. £350. Photo. £80-£100
- 2162 ★ 5s. bright carmine, fine mint. S.G. 263, cat. £450. Photo. £100-£120

King George V: 1911 - 12 Downey Heads

- 2163 P B Colour and Paper Trials: 1911 die 2 1d. carmine imperforate paper trials, two blocks of six both from the top left corner of the sheets, fine. Photo.
- 2164 P 1911 die 2 1d. carmine imperforate paper trial, reconstruction comprising block of six and two blocks of four from the lower left corner of the sheet, scarce.
- 2165 P 1912 die 2 1d. paper trials, two marginal pairs and a block of four, imperf. on unwatermarked paper, a couple of creases, otherwise fine. Photo.





Ex 2165

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- 2166 ■ A selection of unmounted mint marginal multiples comprising 1912 (Aug.) die 2 wmk. Simple Cypher ½d. blocks of six and eight wmk. inverted and reversed (block of six with a few split perfs. between stamps and margin), 1d. strip of three and block of six wmk. inverted and reversed, and 1912 (Sept.) die 2 wmk. Multiple Cypher ½d. block of eighteen wmk. inverted, block of twelve wmk. reversed, and 1d. block of twelve with interpanneau margin between wmk. inverted, and blocks of four and six wmk. reversed, a few small gum wrinkles, a couple of items mounted in margin, the stamps all unmounted. (9 items)
- 2167 ★ A mainly mint collection on leaves, incl. controls, imperforate proof pair, etc., mainly fine. (73) £300-£355
- 2168 1912 (Aug.) Die 2 Watermark Simple Cypher 1d. unmounted mint block of six with wmk. reversed, with sheet margin at left and interpanneau margin at top, a few light gum wrinkles otherwise fine, scarce multiple. S.G. 345Wj, cat. £1,200. Photo.
- 2169 ◆ 1d. unmounted mint strip of four with wmk. reversed, with interpanneau margin at top (mounted in margin), a few gum wrinkles otherwise fine. S.G. 345Wj, cat. £800. Photo. £220-£250
- 2170 ☐ 1912 (Sept.) Die 2 Watermark Multiple Cypher ½d. unmounted mint top right corner block of twelve (6 x 2) with wmk. inverted and reversed, a few light gum wrinkles otherwise fine, scarce multiple. S.G. 346Wk, cat. £1,800. Photo.

1912 - 24 Watermark Royal Cypher

- 2171 ★ ½d. to 1s. collection of mint controls with 1½d. (5) incl. "A. 12" (w) type P corner control pair, 3d. (8) incl. "A. 12" (w) type I and "A. 12" (c) type I and P, "C. 13" Type P corner strip of three, 4d. "B. 13" type I and P, 5d. (21) incl. shades, 7d. (12) incl. "L 18" type P, 8d. (5), 9d. (7) incl. "Q 20" type P, mainly good to fine with a good number unmounted. (70)
- A collection of mint shades identified and written up in an album, with values to 1s. (9), incl. multiples, ½d. deep blue (Myrtle) green with copy of R.P.S. certificate (1987) for a strip of three, 6d. slate-purple with R.P.S. certificate (1975), ½d. singles overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24 (3), ½d. imperf. block of four and singles (2) overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, 1d. imperf. single and block of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, 2½d. overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, varieties with ½d. corner plate block of six showing 'coloured mark on right dolphin's eye', 1½d. "PENCF" (3), 4d. block of six variety break above "O" of "FOUR", watermarks with 6d. inverted, 7d. inverted (4), 8d. inverted, 1s. inverted and reversed, etc., some unmounted, mainly fine. (100s) £800-£1,000
- 2173 ★ Selection of mint multiples on leaves, many marginal and some with controls, incl. ½d. blue-green corner block of six with "K 18" control (R.P.S. certificate, 1976), ½d. pale olive-green strip of three ex booklet pane, trimmed perfs. at top and heavily mounted (R.P.S. certificate, 1983), ½d. block of twelve wmk. inverted and reversed, 2½d. cobalt-violet-blue corner block of four with "C 14" control (R.P.S. certificate, 1980), 5d. reddish brown (deep shade) irregular block of three (R.P.S. certificate, 1979, for a block of four), 8d. black on yellow-buff (granite) "J 17" strip of three, 10d. pale greenish blue "M 19" strip of three, 1s. pale bistre-brown "H 16" strip of three, also 1924-26 wmk. block cypher ½d. block of 24 and 2d. block of 24 (two stamps almost detached), etc., varied condition but mainly fine, most stamps unmounted. (22 items)
- 2174 🗵 S ½d. green imperforate block of twenty-four (two rows) from the foot of the sheet overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, with control number "C 13", some light creasing, folded along two vertical rows and a minor line of staining, otherwise fine with gum. One of only two known control items. S.G. Spec. N14u, cat. £2,160. Photo on page 28.









1912 - 24 Watermark Royal Cypher continued

- 2175 ★ A mint group of ½d. shades comprising very pale green, with copy of R.P.S. certificate (1988) for a block of four, seven additional examples accompanied by Hendon certificates (2017) stated to be deep yellow-green, pale dull yellow-green, very pale bright yellow-green, pale dull green, very deep dull yellow-green, deep yellow-olive-green, bright cobalt-yellow-green, mixed condition but of good to fine appearance. (8) £300-£400
- 2176 C 🖽 1d. imperforate block of thirty-six (three rows) from the foot of the sheet overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, with gum, a few minor wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. N16x, cat. £3,240+. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 2177 🗉 S 1d. block of twenty-four (two rows) from the foot of the sheet, imperforate and overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, some light creasing, folded along two vertical rows and a minor line of staining, otherwise fine with gum. One of two known control pieces. S.G. Spec. N16u, cat. £2,160+. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- 2178 B C 1d. imperforate lower right corner block of fourteen (7 x 2) overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, with control "E 14", with gum, some wrinkling, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. N16x, cat. £1,260. Photo.

£1,000-£1,200

- 1d. imperforate block of four and pair overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, imperforate block of four overprinted 2179 "SPECIMEN" type 26, and 1924-26 1s. left marginal single overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 23, with gum, mainly fine. S.G. Spec. N16u, N16x, N45t. (4) £200-£250
- 2180 * 1d. orange-vermilion, mint, with Hendon certificate (2017), also 1d. "C 13" control single accompanied by Hendon certificate, stated to be deep bright rose-pink, 1d. single with Hendon certificate stating bright vermilion, also 1½d. booklet pane of four with two labels, with watermark inverted, missing selvedge, R.P.S. certificate (2003), and skeleton booklet. (5 items) £150-£200
- 2181 C 10d. turquoise, a top marginal example overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24, fine with full gum. S.G. Spec. N31u, cat. £425. Photo. £150-£200
- 2182 S 1s. bistre overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26, fine with full gum. S.G. S178, Spec. N32v, cat. £375. Photo.

£120-£150

- 2183 * Booklet Panes: ½d. to 2d. mint collection of booklet panes incl. ½d. to 2d. (dies I and II) watermark upright and inverted panes, 11/2d. "Stamp Auctions, Harmer Rooke/Millennium Oat-Flakes" advert panes watermark upright and inverted, 11/2d. "Millennium Oat-Flakes/Stamp Auctions, Harmer Rooke" advert panes watermark upright and inverted, mixed perfs. some with slight separation, otherwise mainly good to fine, a good number unmounted. (15)£800-£1,000
- 2184 1913 Watermark multiple cypher 1/2d. green and 1d. scarlet, the latter with lightly toned gum, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 397, 398, cat. £600. Photo. £150-£200

1913 - 34 Seahorses







- 2185 ★ 1913 Waterlow £1 green, fresh mint with large part original gum, a few light gum bends or wrinkles, otherwise fine and well centred. S.G. Spec. N72(1), cat. £3,500. Photo. £600-£700
- 2186 O -£1 dull blue-green, fine used with large central c.d.s., a few shortish perfs. at base. S.G. 404, cat. £1,600. Photo. £300-£350
- 2187 **★** 1915–18 De La Rue 10s. blue, very fine and fresh mint, with sheet margin at right, large part original gum. S.G. 412, Spec. N70(1), cat. £3,250. Photo. £800-£1,000



1913 - 34 Seahorses continued

- 2188 ★ 1915–18 De La Rue 10s. deep blue (worn plate), fine and fresh mint marginal pair, with a few shortish perfs. at foot. S.G. Spec. N70(2), cat. £7,500. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 2189 **②** 1934 Re-engraved 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s. unmounted mint, gum toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 450-452, cat. £1,000. Photo. £200-£250
- 2190 ❖ 2s.6d., 5s. and 10s. unmounted mint, the 2s.6d. an upper right corner example and the 5s. and 10s. upper marginal examples, gum toning, otherwise fine. S.G. 450-452, cat. £1,000. Photo. £200-£250

1924 - 26 Watermark Block Cypher

- 2191 ★ ½d. to 1s. collection of mint shades on leaves, arranged as per S.G. Specialised catalogue listing, a few with controls (folded through perfs.), varied condition, a few unmounted, not all shades guaranteed. (66) £250-£300
- **2192 B** C 1½d. red-brown overprinted "CANCELLED" type 33, block of six (3 x 2) with punch holes, with gum, vertical fold through one pair and mixed perfs., otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. N35x, cat. £450. £70-£80

1929 Postal Union Congress

2194 🗷 ½d. to 2½d. used with neat Earlham Road, Norwich c.d.s's on plain first day cover to Norwich. Photo.

£150-£200

- 2195 🗷 ½d. to 2½d. used with indistinct c.d.s's on plain first day cover to Acton. Photo.
- 2196 ★ £1 black, mint with usual slightly off white gum, otherwise fine. S.G. 438, cat. £750. Photo. £250-£300
- £1 black, mint with usual slightly off white gum, small tone spot and a few bends, otherwise fine. S.G. 438. Photo. £200-£250
- 2198 O £1 black fine used with faint c.d.s. cancellation. S.G. 438, cat. £550. Photo. £150-£200
- 2199 O £1 black fine used with London c.d.s's. S.G. 438. Photo.

£150-£200

2200 ▲ £1 black upper marginal example used on piece with Queens Road, Bristol c.d.s., fine. S.G. 438. Photo.

£180-£200

1934 – 36 Photogravure

- A mint and used collection to 1s. in a folder with a range of controls mainly in pairs, also a few Morocco Agencies and Tangier overprints, mainly good to fine. £80-£100
- **2202** P **Photogravure Trials for Photogravure stamps** with the approved head, on ordinary gummed unwatermarked paper, 1d. in red, an unmounted top marginal example. Photo. £300-£350
- **2203** P 1d. in Royal blue, lower marginal example. Photo.

£200-£250

2204 P - 1½d. in Royal blue, unmounted lower marginal example. Photo.

£200-£250

2204A P - 4d. in pearl green, lower marginal example with full gum. Photo.

£200-£250

1935 Silver Jubilee

- A group of covers comprising set on illustrated Westminster Stamp Company first day cover (with additional forged copy), set with additional 1½d. on registered first day cover to Greece with return to sender handstamp, and set (½d. a pair) on 1935 (May 11) London Brindisi airmail cover to Australia, also two souvenir postcards and a 1936 K.G.V mourning cover. (7)
- 2205A Set with cylinder selvedge at left used on registered first day cover, small illustration at top left, fine. Photo.

£200-£250

1935 Silver Jubilee continued



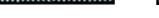
2206 🗘 2½d. Prussian blue unmounted mint, fine and fresh. R.P.S. certificate (1968). S.G. 456a. Photo.

£7,000-£8,000



2207 ★ 2½d. Prussian blue, the superb mint "W/35" control, cylinder 34 no dot, marginal example without perf. extension hole in margin, the finest of the six known control copies (three no dot and three dot cylinders), exceptional bright fresh colour and with just the barest trace of a hinge, with copy of narrative by the original purchaser regarding the purchase and later discovery of it to be the rare shade. With normal for comparison. A major twentieth century rarity and a key item of King George V philately. B.P.A. certificates (1951 & 2002). S.G. 456a. Photo.







2208 ★ 2½d. Prussian blue mint, one or two gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. Friedl certificate (1978). S.G. 456a. Photo £5,000-£6,000

2209 2½d. Prussian blue, an apparently used example, some perfs. recut, a good spacefiller. B.P.A. certificate (2004) states "has been provided with an obliteration and partially reperforated". S.G. 456a. Photo.

£2,500-£3,000





2210 2½d. Prussian blue, a vertical pair with ½d. green on 1935 (July 26) registered envelope with blue crayon marks, sent from Childs Hill, Cricklewood to Rugby, the envelope with two vertical folds well clear of the franking. Exceptionally rare, believed to be the only recorded multiple of this rare error on cover. B.P.A. certificate (2001). Photo.

King George VI





2212

2217

- A range of K.G.VI first day covers, comprising 1937-39 definitive ½d. to 1s. on various plain covers, three complete sets (one with some values as marginal examples with controls), 1941-42 ½d. to 3d. in blocks of four on plain covers (the 2d. and 2½d. as marginal control blocks), 1951 Festival 2s.6d. to £1 set on plain cover and 1949 U.P.U. set in blocks of four on four illustrated covers, also 1936 ½d. to 2½d. and 1d. on two covers with small cachet at top left, the occasional cover with some toning, otherwise fine.
- 2212 P 1937-47 ½d. green imprimatur, fine with full gum. Brandon certificate (1986). S.G. 462 var., Spec. Q1. Photo. £600-£700
- 2213 ■ 1939-48 2s.6d. yellow-green and 5s. red in complete unmounted mint sheets of forty (each folded through central vertical perfs.), a few light gum bends and 2s.6d. with light overall gum toning otherwise fine. S.G. 476b, 477, cat. £1,400+.
- 2214 **② ■** 10s. ultramarine in a complete sheet of forty (folded through central vertical perfs.), a few light bends and light overall gum toning otherwise fine. S.G. 478b, cat. £1,800+. £500-£600
- 2215 � - £1 brown in a complete sheet of forty (folded through central vertical perfs.), a few light bends and light overall gum toning otherwise fine. S.G. 478c, cat. £1,000+. £250-£300
- 2216 ■ 1948 Silver Wedding £1 unmounted mint sheet of twenty with cylinder "1" no dot, a few light bends in margins otherwise fine. S.G. 494, cat. £800+. £200-£220
- 2217 ★ 1950–52 1d. light ultramarine imperforate pair with watermark inverted, fine mint although gum a little disturbed. B.P.A. certificate (2002). S.G. 504b, var, cat. £4,800. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

Queen Elizabeth II

- A mainly unmounted mint Q.E.II accumulation (a few earlier) in a binder, a stockbook and loose with predecimal commemoratives incl. early phosphor sets complete, additional multiples with some early phosphor sets incl. 1963 F.F.H. (6), 1964 Geographical (8), 1964 Botanical (8), 1957 Scouts set in coil strips of four, Castles incl. 1958 2nd De La Rue set, some multiples, Wildings incl. coil joins, 2d. phosphor-graphite error of wmk. (2), postage dues incl. Tudor and St. Edward's Crown sets (mounted), decimal Machins with coil strips incl. 1981 11½p. strips fluorescent brightener omitted, regionals, presentation packs, decimal stitched booklets, 1972 Wedgwood books (4), also Channel Is. and Isle of Man booklets, etc.
- 2219 ❖ An unmounted mint selection, incl. 1952-54 to 1s.6d., 1955 Waterlow set, 1955-58 to 1s.6d., 1958-61 to 4½d., 1959 to 4½d. (2), etc., mainly fine. (114) £250-£300
- 2220 1964 Shakespeare to 1966 World Cup commemorative presentation packs complete. (11) £250-£300
- A large, interesting accumulation of Q.E.II postal history, some written up on leaves and loose, incl. a quantity of Machin mail to Australia with a range of frankings, many unpaid and underpaid covers with a wide range of tax marks, instructional marks, mainly incoming covers and cards with postage dues applied (approx. 100) incl. 1962 from U.S.A. (2) and 1963 from Hong Kong showing bisected 1d. postage dues cancelled by Chieveley, Newbury, c.d.s's, also Machin postal stationery unused, Wilding and Machin f.d.c's, etc. (100s)

Wildings

A mint accumulation in a stockbook with blocks of four incl. St. Edward's Crown set, coil strips with a few joins, booklet panes, mainly with good perfs., incl. inverted and sideways wmks., phosphors, also regionals incl. a few decimals, etc., all apparently unmounted. £350-£400

Wildings continued



- 2223 ★ 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 wmks., sideways wmks. both to left and right, etc., some clipped perfs. and a few mounted, majority unmounted. (few 100s) £120-£150
- 2224 ★ 1955–58 Watermark St. Edward's Crown 2d. light red-brown imperforate pair from the 'Dartford' sheet fine mint with slightly disturbed gum, also 1958–65 watermark crowns 3d. tête-bêche pair fine unmounted mint. S.G. 543a, var., 575 var. Photo. £200-£250
- 2225 ❖ 1958-65 Watermark Multiple Crowns 4d. deep ultramarine whiter paper variety imperforate between stamp and top margin in an upper left corner pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. S85c, cat. £350, EC GBR1164a. Photo. £150-£200
- 2226 **♦** Castles High Values 1955-68: 1958 De La Rue 2s.6d. to £1 set in unmounted mint vertical pairs, 2s.6d. and 5s. with margin at left, 10s. and £1 with margin at right, a few slightly blunted perfs. otherwise fine. S.G. 536a-539a, cat. £1,200. Photo. £400-£450

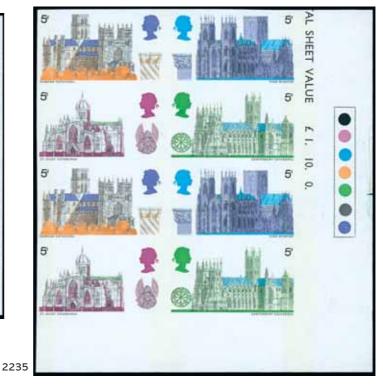
Queen Elizabeth II Commemoratives

A group of varieties, comprising 1967 Christmas 3d. imperforate (2, one without phosphor and one with), 1973 Christmas 3½p. PVA pair imperforate, 1974 Medieval Warriors 10p. pair imperforate, 1982 British Motor Cars 19½p. pair imperforate between stamp and right margin, 1982 Christmas 26p. pair imperforate between stamp and lower margin (trace of indents), 1980 Queen Mother 12p. pair imperforate (trace of indents), 1981 Christmas 14p. pair imperforate, 1979 Year of the Child 11p. pair imperforate between the stamp and left margin, 1995 Science Fiction 25p. variety imperforate between stamp and top margin, 1999 Settler's Tale 26p. lower marginal proof pair with silver and phosphor omitted, 26p. se-tenant booklet pane imperforate, 43p. top marginal proof pair with gold, chocolate and phosphor omitted, and 2000 Owl 19p. pairs (2) imperforate with Queen's head in gold, mainly fine. (16 items)

Pre-Decimal Commemoratives

- 2228 1957 Parliamentary Conference 4d. imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint, very rare. B.P.A. certificate (1991) states "unknown status" but we believe this to be an imprimatur from one of the NPM sales from which the handstamp was omitted. S.G. 560 var. Photo.
- 2229 1962 London Stamp Exhibition sheets (3) from printers archives, the first with four se-tenant blocks of six (three 6d. and three 1s.6d.) of the issued 1960 Europa issue in blue without inscriptions, the other two sheets with se-tenant blocks of six, one with inscriptions in red and the other in black, on gummed paper. £250-£300
- 2230 P 1966 Battle of Hastings 4d., a set of nine se-tenant imperforate proof strips of six of each of the individual colours, together with progressive proof strips of six of two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight of the nine colours printed together, on gummed watermarked paper and mainly very fine (unmounted), most unusual. (16 strips of six). S.G. 705–10 vars. Photo.

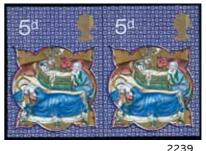






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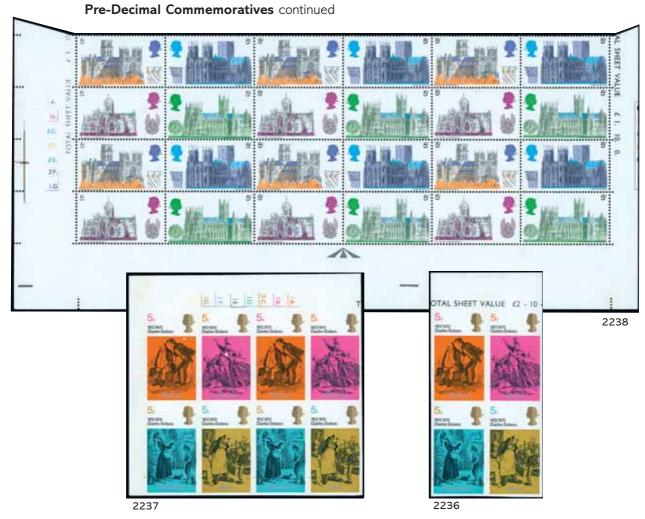


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- 2231 1967 Christmas 3d., a group of varieties, comprising an imperforate marginal pair with phosphor unmounted mint, an imperforate vertical pair without phosphor (upper stamp with small wrinkle) unmounted mint, single variety imperforate between stamp and left margin used with wavy line cancellation (small fault at top), and horizontal proof pair variety imperforate also with phosphor omitted. (4 items) £500-£600
- 2232 ❖ ⊞ 3d., an imperforate lower left corner cylinder block of four without phosphor, fine unmounted mint, probably unique. S.G. 756 var., GBR1512h. Photo. £800-£1,000
- 4d. imperforate proof pair from the foot of the sheet, the left stamp with unissued embossed gold head and without face value, the right stamp without gold or embossing, very fine with gum (unmounted), unusual. S.G. 757 var, EC GBR1514b var. Photo. £350-£400
- 2234 ❖ 4d. variety imperforate and gold (Queen's head and value) omitted, in a horizontal proof pair, a few wrinkles otherwise fine with full gum (unmounted). S.G. 757 var., EC GBR1514e. *Around sixty pairs known*. Photo.

£200-£250

- 2235 © B 1969 Cathedrals 5d. variety imperforate in a very fine unmounted mint lower right corner traffic light block of eight comprising two se-tenant blocks of four. S.G. 796a var., EC GB1592d. Between eighteen and thirty-six blocks known. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- **2236 ♀** - 5d. missing "d" after value, the lower four rows of the sheet (6 x 4, folded vertically) with cylinders, the variety affecting the four stamps in the first vertical row, the fifth vertical row also showing green largely omitted from the roof of St. Giles. S.G. 796a, var, EC (2005) F366MSa etc. *Around six blocks known.* Photo on page 36.



- 2237 © © 1970 Literary Anniversaries 5d. variety imperforate in a very fine unmounted mint upper left corner cylinder block of eight comprising two se-tenant blocks of four. S.G. 824ab, EC GBR1648f. Thirty blocks known. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 2238 ❖ 5d. se-tenant upper marginal block of four variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 824ab, EC GBR1648f.

 Thirty blocks known. Photo.**

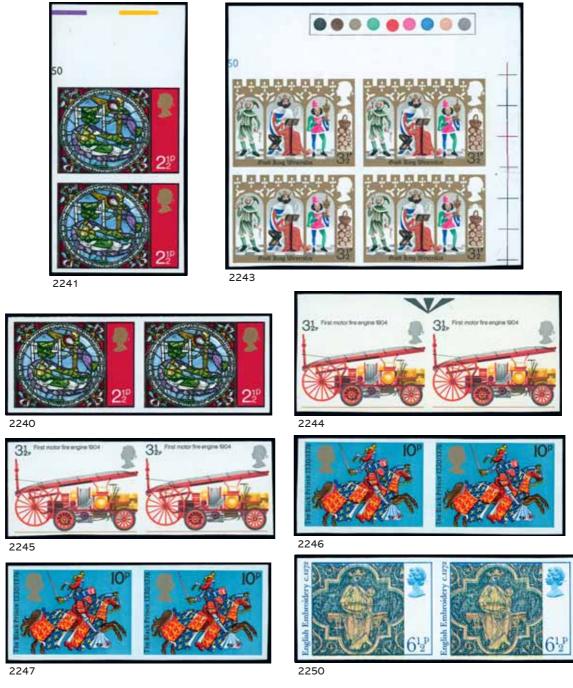
 £600-£700
- 2239 ❖ 1970 Christmas 5d. imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint (small "B & K" handstamp on gum). S.G. 839c, EC GBR1678a. 120 pairs known. Photo on page 35. £120-£150

Decimal Commemoratives



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- †2240 **②** 1971 Christmas 2½p. variety imperforate in an unmounted mint horizontal pair, a few minor gum wrinkles otherwise fine. S.G. 894a, EC GBR1788a. Photo. £180-£200
- †2241 2½p. variety imperforate in an unmounted mint vertical pair from the top of the sheet, small tear in margin, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 894a, EC GBR1788a. Photo. £180-£200
- †2242 1973 Christmas 3p. left margin se-tenant strip of five variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 943b, EC GBR1885a. *Ten strips known*. Photo. £1,500-£2,000



†2243 ♣ 1973 Christmas 3½p. PVAD, variety imperforate in an upper right corner traffic light block of four, fine unmounted mint, very rare. S.G. 948a, EC GBR1897a. Fifty pairs known. Only one sheet discovered which contained two traffic lights. Photo. £700-£800

- †2244 1974 Fire Engines 3½p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint top marginal pair showing marginal arrow, scarce. S.G. 950a, EC GBR1900a. *Fifty pairs known.* Photo. £300-£400
- †2245 ❖ 3½p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint pair. S.G. 950a, EC GBR1900a. Photo. £280-£300
- †2246 1974 Medieval Warriors 10p. imperforate pair fine unmounted mint. S.G. 961 var., EC GBR1922a. *Twenty pairs known*. Photo.
- †2247 ❖ 10p. imperforate pair fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 961 var., EC GBR1922a. Photo. £150-£200
- 2248 O 1976 Telephone Centenary 8½p. variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin, a commercially used example, slight wrinkling in sheet margin, otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. W328b, EC GBR1994a. *Ten mint known, this the unique used example.* Photo on page 38. £400-£500



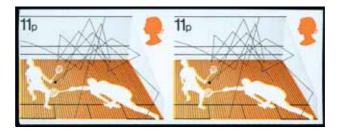
- †2249 **③ B** 1976 Telephone Centenary 11p. variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin in a fine unmounted mint vertical block of six (2 x 3), very scarce. S.G. Spec. W330b, EC GBR1998a. *Ten known.* Photo. £300-£400
- †2250 **②** 1976 Christmas 6½p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1018a, EC GBR2036a. Fifty pairs known. Photo on page 37. £250-£300
- †2251 ♀ 6½p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1018a, EC GBR2036a. Photo.

£250-£300

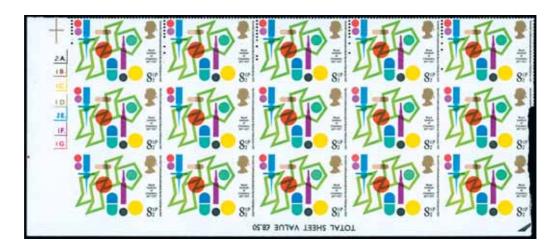
†2252 🌣 🖪 - 8½p., the complete right hand two vertical rows of sheet (2 x 10), no. "197706", the lower right corner pair almost completely imperforate between stamps and sheet margin at foot (the left stamp shows just a trace of a few indents, right stamp shows indents), fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. W350, a, EC GBR2038a. *Ten mint known.* Photo.

£180-£200

- †2253 � 1977 Racket Sports 8½p., a block of six (2 x 3), the lower pair completely imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1022a, EC GBR2044a. *Around twenty pairs known*. Photo. £700-£800
- †2254 **②** 8½p., an imperforate pair, with large part of another imperforate stamp at left, some creasing, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1022a, EC GBR2044a. Photo on page 40. £600-£700
- †2255 - 8½p., a vertical strip of three with the lower stamp imperforate (indents at top and top of sides), fine unmounted mint. Photo. £250-£300



†2256 • - 11p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. Brandon certificate (2000). S.G. 1024a, EC GBR2048a. *Two pairs known*. Photo. £3,500-£4,000



- †2257 **© B** 1977 Chemistry 8½p., a lower left corner block of fifteen, the lower strip of five variety imperforate, torn down right hand side, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1029a, EC GBR2058a. *Around four pairs known*. Ex Baillie. Photo. £3,000-£3,500
- †2258 - 8½p. variety imperforate in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair with margin at foot, rare. S.G. 1029a, EC GBR2058a. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- †2259 **3** 11p. variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin, the lower stamp of a vertical strip of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. W359a, EC GBR2062a. *Around ten known*. Photo. £200-£250



















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Decimal Commemoratives: 1977 Silver Jubilee

- †2260 ❖ 8½p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint vertical pair. S.G. 1033a, EC GBR2066a. *Twenty-five pairs known.*Photo.

 £300-£400
- †2261 ❖ 8½p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint vertical pair, upper stamp with slight glazing on gum at top, also a single variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin with faint trace of indents. S.G. 1033a, EC GBR2066a. Photo. £300-£350
- †2262 ♦ ⊞ 8½p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint lower marginal block of four. S.G. 1033a, EC GBR2066a. Photo. £800-£1,000
- †2263 11p. variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin, in a vertical strip of four with the lower stamp completely imperforate, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1036 var., EC GBR2072b. *Ten known.* Photo.

£200-£250

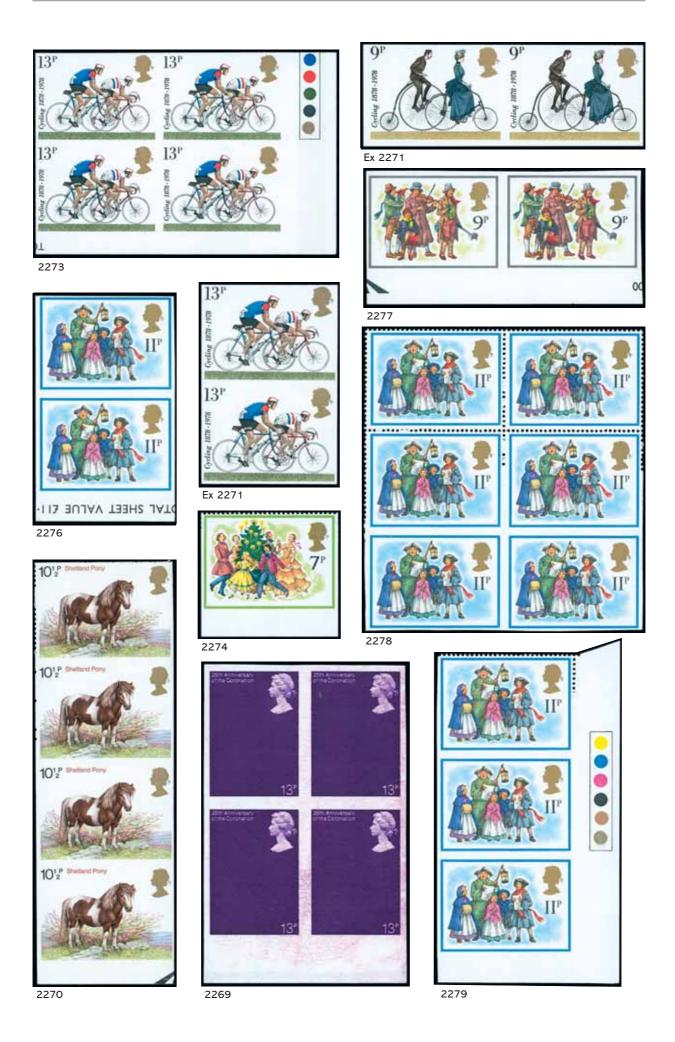
- †2264 ❖ 13p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. S.G. 1037a, EC GBR2074a. *Around twenty-four pairs known.* Photo. £700-£800
- †2265 **②** 13p. variety imperforate, an unmounted mint lower right corner horizontal pair, a few minor wrinkles, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1037a, EC GBR2074a. Photo. £700-£800
- †2266 **②** 13p., a vertical strip of seven from the top of the sheet, the lower pair almost completely imperforate except for faint indents on upper stamp, lower stamp with minor gum blemish, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1037a, EC GBR2074a. Photo. £300-£400



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- †2267 ❖ 1977 Wildlife 9p. se-tenant strip of five with the left stamp variety imperforate, the next stamp partially perforated, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1039a var. Photo. £400-£500
- 2268 O 1977 Christmas 7p. se-tenant right margin strip of five variety imperforate, fine used. S.G. 1044ab, EC GB2088a. Nine mint known, only one used strip. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- †2269 ♣ 1978 Coronation Anniversary 13p. variety imperforate and gold omitted, a lower marginal block of four, some creasing and extra reddish violet ink in margins, otherwise fine unmounted mint with normal block for comparison. S.G. 1062 var., EC GBR2124a. Around 30 pairs (creased) known. Ex Baillie. Photo. £200-£250
- †2270 1978 Horses 10½p. variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin, the lower stamp of a vertical strip of four, the other stamps only partially perforated. S.G. Spec. W392a, EC GBR2128a. *Ten known.* Photo on page 42. £200-£250
- †2271 **②** 1978 Cycling 9p. horizontal pair variety imperforate and 13p. vertical pair variety imperforate (shows faint trace of indents between), both fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1070a, GBR2134a, S.G. 1067a, GBR2140a. Photo on page 42. £400-£500



- †2272 **♦** 1978 Cycling 9p. variety imperforate in a vertical pair with margin at top, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1067a, EC GBR2134a. Photo on page 44. £220-£250
- †2273 ♥ ⊞ 13p., a lower right corner marginal traffic light block of four, appearing imperforate at first glance but showing traces of blind or 'ghosted' perfs., lower left stamp with gum disturbance, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1070 var. Photo. £200-£250

1978 Christmas

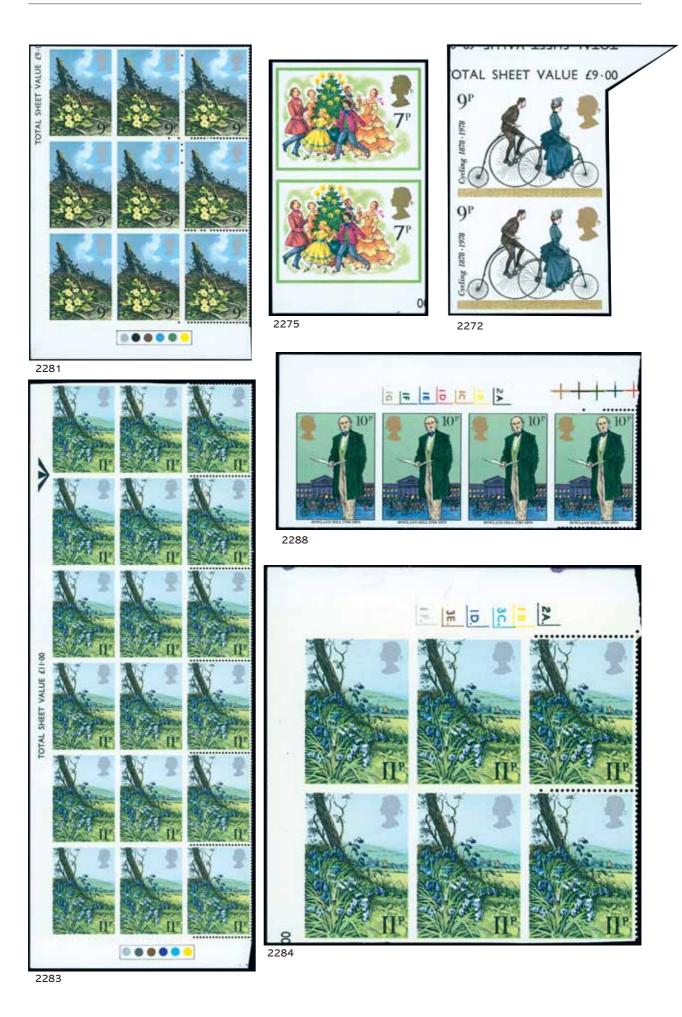
- †2274 ❖ 7p. variety imperforate between stamp and lower margin, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. W399b, EC GBR2142b. *Four known.* Photo. £500-£600
- †2275 7p. variety imperforate in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair with margin at foot. S.G. 1071a, EC GBR2142a.

 *Thirty pairs known. Photo on page 44.

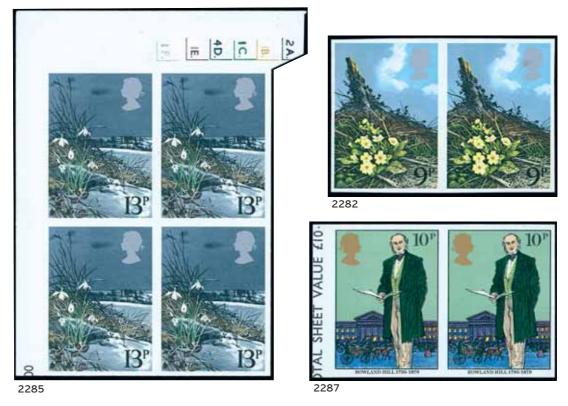
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- †2276 **②** 7p. variety imperforate in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair with margin at foot, trace of indents at top right corner. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1071a, EC GBR2142a. Photo. £200-£250
- †2277 9p. variety imperforate pair from the foot of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1072a, EC GBR2144a. *Around fifteen pairs known*. Photo. £650-£700
- †2278 9p. block of four with the lower pair almost completely imperforate, showing indents at top and sides, and 11p. block of six (2 x 3) with the lower pair almost completely imperforate, showing faint indents at top and sides, the first with a few small gum bends, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Photo.
- †2279 **②** 11p., a vertical lower right corner traffic light strip of three, the lower stamp completely imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1073a, GBR2146a. *Around ten pairs known*. Photo. £200-£250



†2280 © © 1979 Dogs 11p., a rare imperforate block of four from the lower left corner of the sheet showing dot cylinders, fine unmounted mint, contained in a block of eight with the stamps above damaged. S.G. 1077a, EC GBR2154a. Around eight pairs known. Photo.



Decimal Commemoratives: 1979 Flowers



- †2281 ■ 9p. variety imperforate, the left marginal vertical strip of three of a lower left corner marginal traffic light block of nine, the centre vertical row only partially perforated, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1079a, EC GBR2158a. Around twenty pairs known. Photo.
- †2282 9p. horizontal variety imperforate, a few adhesions on reverse, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1079a, EC GBR2158a. Photo.
- †2283 🌣 🖪 11p. lower left corner block of eighteen (3 x 6), the left row variety imperforate, unmounted mint, two horizontal creases affecting two rows of stamps, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1081a, EC GBR2162a. *Ten to fifteen pairs known*. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- †2284 © In the upper left corner of the sheet, slight marginal crease not affecting the variety. S.G. 1081a, EC GBR2162a. Photo.
- †2285 \odot \boxplus 13p. variety imperforate in a very fine unmounted mint cylinder block of four, probably unique. S.G. 1082a, EC GBR2164a. Twenty pairs known. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- †2286 ■ 1979 Year of the Child 9p. variety imperforate between stamp and left margin, two examples contained in a lower left corner marginal traffic light block of six (3 x 2), fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1091 var., EC GBR2182a. Five to ten pairs known. Photo on page 44.
- †2287 1979 Rowland Hill 10p. variety imperforate pair from the left of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. Brandon certificate (1997). S.G. 1095a, EC GBR2190a. Around four pairs known (one damaged). Photo.

£2,000-£2,500

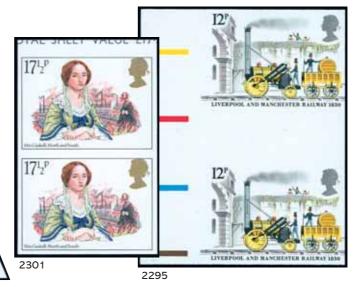
- †2288 - 10p. variety imperforate being the left hand pair of an upper left corner cylinder strip of four, very fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1095a, EC GBR2190a. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- †2289 ♠ M Miniature sheet variety rosine omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. MS1099h, EC GBR2198f. Around twelve mint known. Photo on page 46. £700-£800
- 2290 O 1979 Police 13p., a vertical pair from the foot of the sheet, almost completely imperforate, showing faint traces of 'ghosted' perfs. at left and at top of upper stamp, lower stamp imperf. between stamp and margin, used with part "SOUTHAMPTON/19 JLY" c.d.s. S.G. 1102 var. Photo on page 46.







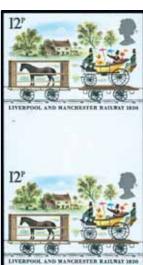
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- †2291 1979 Christmas 8p. variety imperforate in a vertical pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1104a, EC GBR2208a. *Around fifty pairs known.* Photo. £220-£250
- †2292 🗗 10p. variety imperforate in a superb unmounted mint traffic light block of four. S.G. 1105b, EC GBR2210a.

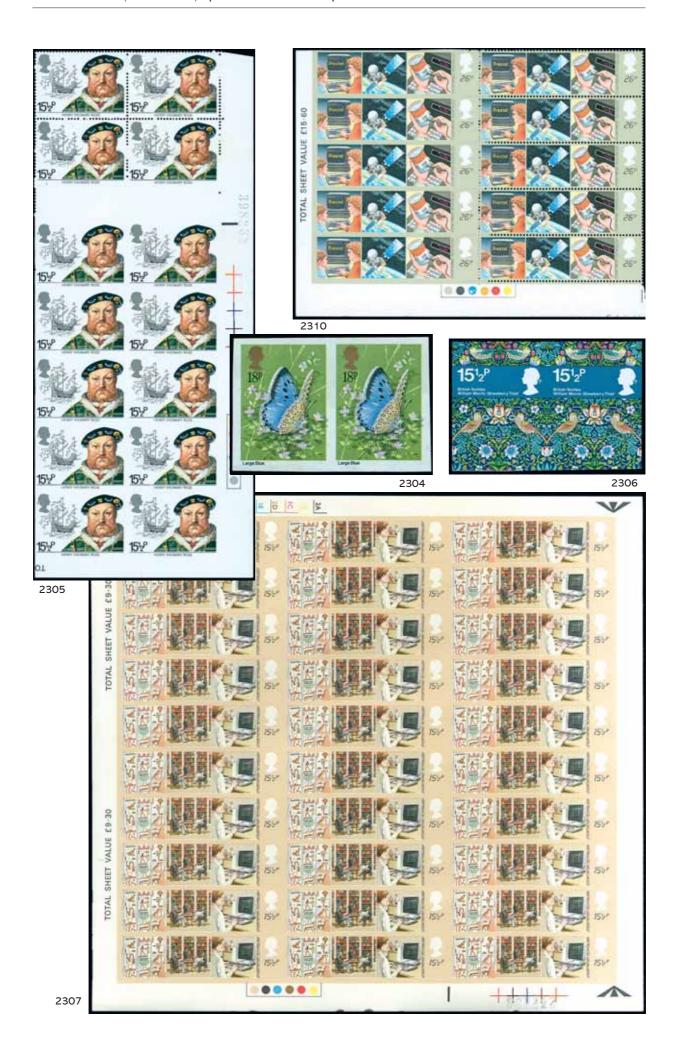
 Twenty-five to fifty pairs known. Photo.
 £1,000-£1,200
- †2294 ❖ 10p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint right marginal single, also a second single with wide margins at top and foot, imperf. at foot and faint indents at top, small black adhesions on reverse. S.G. 1105 var. Photo. £200-£250
- †2295 **②** 1980 Railways 12p. 'Rocket' variety imperforate vertical pair from the left of the sheet with interval margin, fine. S.G. 1113 var. Photo. £500-£600
- †2296 - 12p. 'First and Second Class carriages', an almost completely imperforate vertical pair, showing just the faintest traces of 'ghosted' perfs. at right side, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1114 var. Photo. £400-£500
- +2297 ◆ 12p. 'First and Second Class carriages' variety imperforate, in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair from the top of the sheet. S.G. 1114 var. Photo. £500-£600
- +2298 12p. 'Horsebox' variety imperforate in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair with interval margin. S.G. 1116 var. Photo. £500-£600
- †2299 ♠ M 1980 Exhibition miniature sheet variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. MS1119a, EC GBR2238a. Around twelve mint known. Photo. £1,800-£2,000







- †2300 ♣ 1980 London Landmarks 13½p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. S.G. 1122a, EC GBR2244a. *Ten pairs known mint.* Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- †2301 **②** 1980 Famous Authoresses 17½p. variety imperforate and with slate-blue omitted, a top marginal vertical pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1128a, EC GBR2256a. *Fifty pairs known*. Photo. £250-£300





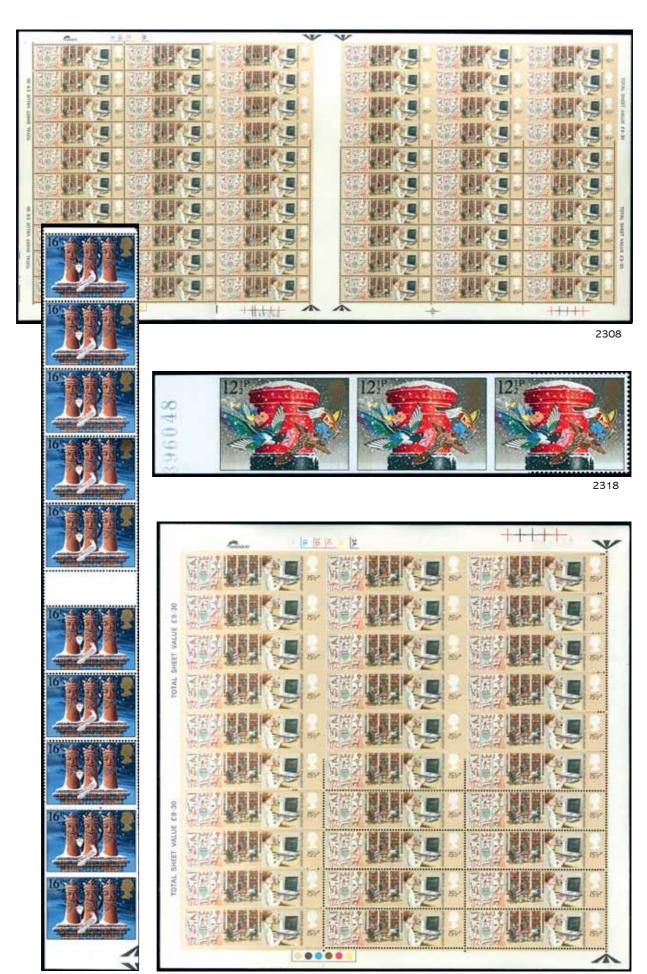
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- †2302 1980 to 1998, a small group of varieties, comprising 1980 Authoresses 17½p. variety imperforate and slate-blue omitted unmounted mint, 1981 Christmas 14p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair (without gum and creased), 1981 Butterflies 18p. showing 4mm shift to right of the gold (Queen's head) in traffic light (ex Baillie) and upper right corner marginal blocks of six, also a single, 1981 International Year of the Disabled 25p. variety imperforate in a vertical pair with gutter margin (without gum and creased), 14p. variety imperforate in a vertical pair with part o.g. and adhesion down left side, Brandon certificate (1995), and 1998 Endangered Species 20p. an imperforate marginal pair from the right of the sheet unmounted mint. (8 items)
- †2303 1981 Butterflies 14p. imperforate marginal pair, fine unmounted mint and very rare. S.G. 1151a, EC GBR2302a. Ten pairs known. Photo. £2,500-£3,000
- †2304 ☆ 18p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, without gum and some creasing. S.G. 1152 var., EC GBR2304a. Photo. £250-£300
- †2305 © B 1982 Maritime Heritage 15½p. lower right corner traffic light block of 14 (2 x 7) with the lower pair completely imperforate, the pairs above with indents, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1187a, EC GB2374a.

 Around five pairs known. Photo.
 £1,200-£1,500
- †2306 1982 British Textiles 15½p. variety imperforate in an unmounted mint horizontal pair, fine. S.G. 1192a, EC GBR2384a. *Ten pairs known*. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- †2307 © I 1982 Information Technology 15½p. complete pane of thirty variety imperforate, small tear in lower margin and a few minor gum disturbances, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1196a, EC GBR2392a. Around fifty pairs known. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- †2308 ♥ - 15½p. complete sheet of sixty, with the top right block of nine stamps variety imperforate, folded along one vertical row of perfs. and a few light gum wrinkles, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1196a, EC GBR2392a. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- †2309 **② ■** 15½p. complete pane of thirty with the top left block of ten stamps variety imperforate, small tear in lower margin, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1196a, EC GBR2392a. Photo on page 50. **£700-£800**
- †2310 ■ 26p. variety imperforate between stamp at left margin, five examples contained in lower left corner traffic light block of 10 (2 x 5), top left stamp with small tear at top, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1197 var., EC GBR2394b. *Around ten known*. Photo. £700-£800



†2311 ♥ ⊞ 1982 British Motor Cars 19½p. block of four variety imperforate between stamp and right margin, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. W529a, EC GBR2398b. *Twenty known*. Photo. £400-£500



†2312 🗗 🖪 1982 Christmas 15½p. lower marginal interpanneau block of twelve (2 x 6) with the lower block of four variety imperforate (lower pair with faint indents), roughly separated at left affecting two stamps and tiny gum wrinkle on one imperf. stamp, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1203a. Photo.

£3,500-£4,000

- †2313 ♥ ⊞ 15½p. block of four variety imperforate, faint indents, fine unmounted mint, scarce. S.G. 1203a. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- †2314 - 19½p. imperforate horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1204a, EC GBR2408a. Six pairs known. Photo. £1,800-£2,000





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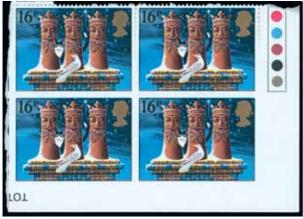
- †2315 **3** 1983 British River Fish 15½p., an imperforate horizontal pair with multiple colour shifts, left stamp with light bends and small gum blemish, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Bailllie. Clear Brandon certificate (1995). S.G. 1207a, var., EC GBR2414a. *Around ten pairs known*. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- †2316 1983 British Army Uniforms 28p. imperforate horizontal pair, fine unused. S.G. 1221a, EC GBR2441a. Only two pairs (one used) recorded. Photo. £1,500-£2,000

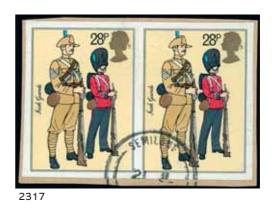


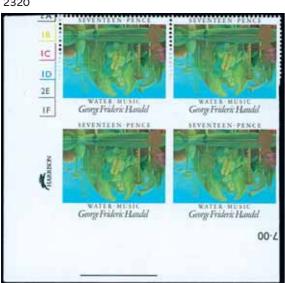














- 2317 O 1983 British Army Uniforms 28p. imperforate pair used with part c.d.s. on small piece, slight creasing and soiling, otherwise fine. S.G. 1221a, unpriced used, EC GBR2441a. Photo. £600-£700
- †2318 1983 Christmas 12½p. variety imperforate horizontal pair, in a left margin strip of three showing the sheet number with the third stamp partly imperf., gum wrinkle at top otherwise fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. 1231a, EC GBR2462a. Around eight pairs known. Photo on page 50. £1,200-£1,500
- †2319 **②** 16p., the complete fifth vertical row of the sheet, the lower stamp completely imperforate and the one above only partially perforated, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1232a, EC GBR2464a. *Around fifteen pairs known.* Photo on page 50.

 £300-£400
- +2320 ☐ : 16p. lower right corner block of four, the lower pair variety imperforate, unmounted mint, roughly separated and with tear down central margin affecting right two stamps, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1232a, EC GBR2464a.

 Photo.

 £200-£250
- +2321 **3** 1984 College of Arms 16p. with a 6mm vertical shift of the perforations, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1236 var. £100-£120
- †2322 © © 1984 Urban Renewal 20½p. imperforate lower left corner marginal pair, being part of a cylinder block of six, showing just a very faint trace of indents at top, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1246, a, EC GBR2492a.

 Three pairs known. Photo also on back cover.
 £3,500-£4,000
- †2323 ❖ 31p., an imperforate vertical pair showing multiple colour shifts, unmounted mint, two minor bends or gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. 1248a var., EC GBR2496b. Photo. £500-£600





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+2324 • - 31p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair from the foot of the sheet with guide arrow, a few small gum wrinkles. S.G. 1248a, EC GBR2496a. Around five pairs known. Photo.

£2,000-£2,500

- †2325 - 31p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair, trivial wrinkles. S.G. 1248a, EC GBR2496a. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- †2326 🔾 🖽 1984 Christmas 17p. an imperforate vertical pair, contained in a block of six (3 x 2), natural vertical paper crease not detracting from appearance, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Brandon certificate (1995). S.G. 1268a, EC GBR2536a. Ten to fifteen pairs known. Photo.
- †2327 **③** 1985 Trains 17p. variety imperforate in a lower right corner block of six, some minor creasing, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1272a, EC GBR2544a. Around twelve pairs known. Photo. £3,500-£4,000
- †2328 🗗 1985 British Composers 17p. imperforate lower left corner marginal pair, being part of a cylinder block of four, shows just a very faint trace of indents at top, fine unmounted mint, very rare. S.G. 1282, a, EC GBR2492a. Around three pairs known. Photo.
- †2329 🗗 🖪 1985 European Music Year 22p. upper right corner block of eight, the right block of four variety imperforate, unmounted mint, vertical crease affecting two imperforate stamps, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1283a, EC GBR2566a. Around five pairs known. Photo on page 54. £2,500-£3,000
- †2330 **○** 1985 Safety at Sea 17p., a lower left corner copy variety imperforate between stamp and margin at foot, fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. 1286 var., EC GBR2572a. *Around four known*. Photo. £300-£400

















- †2331 🌣 🖪 1985 Royal Mail 31p. left marginal block of eight with the left pair variety imperforate, the next pair with faint indents, unmounted mint, fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1292a, EC GBR2584a. *Twelve pairs known*. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- †2332 © 🗵 34p., a fine unmounted mint block of twenty (5 x 4) being four complete horizontal rows of the pane, imperforate horizontally between the two central rows, very faint traces of indents. S.G. 1293a, EC GBR2586a. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- †2333 © B 34p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, in a left margin block of six (3 x 2) with the lower right stamp partly imperf., small circular gum imperfection and a little surface damage clear of design at foot otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1293 var., EC GBR2586b. Only one other (vertical) pair recorded. Photo.

 £3,000-£3,500
- †2334 1985 Christmas 12p. variety imperforate in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair with margin at top, rare. S.G. 1303a, EC GB2606IMa. Around ten pairs known. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- †2335 - 12p. variety imperforate in a fine unmounted mint vertical pair, rare. S.G. 1303, EC GBR2606a. Photo. £1,200-£1,500
- †2336 ❖ 12p., a fine unmounted mint vertical pair with margin at top, imperforate but with indents. £100-£150
- 2337 ▲ 1986 Commonwealth Games 22p. variety imperforate, a lower margin block of nine and a corner single used together on piece, two pairs fine in the block, the others with faults. The only example of this error recorded. Brandon certificate (1997). S.G. 1329a, unpriced, EC GBR2658a. Photo. £1,800-£2,000



†2338 🗗 🗉 - 34p., an upper left corner marginal block of 15 (5 x 3), the upper right corner block of four completely imperforate and the lower right corner pair imperforate except for the faintest trace of indents, the three adjoining stamps partially imperforate, very fine unmounted mint, a unique multiple. S.G. 1332, a, EC GBR2664a. Photo. £5,000-£6,000



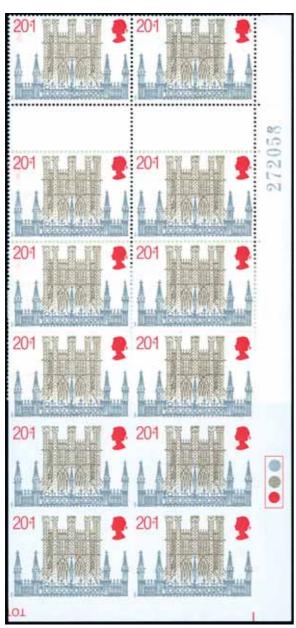
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- †2339 🌣 🖪 1986 Commonwealth Games 34p. upper marginal block of ten (5 x 2) with the left pair variety imperforate, faint trace of indents at lower right of the pair, tiny patch of soiling on gum of one perforated stamp, otherwise fine unmounted mint, rare. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1332a, EC GBR2664a. Around seven pairs known. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- †2340 **②** 1986 Royal Wedding 17p. imperf. pair, horizontal crease at top of stamps, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1334a, EC GBR2668a. *Around 45 pairs known.* Photo on page 54. £200-£250
- †2341 © I 1986 Christmas 12p., a lower right corner marginal traffic light block of six (3 x 2) with the right hand block of four completely imperforate and the left pair largely imperforate, minor wrinkles and centre stamp in lower row with surface scratch, lower left stamp small fault at lower left, otherwise fine unmounted mint.

 Brandon certificate (1995). S.G. 1341a, EC GBR2682a. Around six pairs known. Photo.

 £3,000-£3,500



- †2342 1987 Studio Pottery 34p. variety imperforate in a horizontal pair with margin at left, left stamp with small gum crease affecting surface otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1374 var., EC GBR2748a. Two to four pairs known. Photo.
- †2343 🌣 🖪 1988 Linnean Society 31p. variety imperforate, the lower horizontal pair in a corner traffic light block of six (2 x 3) with the pair above partly imperf., a few small light bends otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1382a, EC GBR2764a. Around six pairs known. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- +2344 � 🖺 31p. block of six (2 x 3), the lower pair variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1382a, EC GBR2764a. Photo. £1,800-£2,000
- †2345 - 31p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. S.G. 1382a, EC GBR2764a. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- †2346 1988 Welsh Bible 18p. variety imperforate, unmounted mint pair from the left of the sheet, small crease in margin well clear of stamp, rare. S.G. 1384a, EC GBR2768a. *Around four pairs known*. Photo.

£1,800-£2,000

†2347 • 1988 Christmas 19p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal marginal pair from the right of the sheet contained in a strip of three, the left stamp largely imperforate and with horizontal perfs. misplaced. S.G. 1415a, EC GBR2830a. *Around thirty pairs known*. Photo on page 58. £600-£700



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†2348 • 1988 Christmas 19p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal marginal pair from the right of the sheet contained in a strip of three, the left stamp largely imperforate and with horizontal perfs. misplaced. S.G. 1415a, EC GBR2830a. Photo.



- †2349 © © 1989 Lord Mayor's Show 20p. the unique imperforate upper left corner cylinder block of ten comprising two se-tenant strips of five, fine unmounted mint, light bends in third and fourth columns barely detracting from this rarity. S.G. 1457ab, EC GBR2194b. Around three strips known. Photo also on back cover.
- †2350 © I 1989 Christmas 20p.+1p. right of sheet block of twenty (2 x 10, folded) with the lower right corner traffic light block of four completely imperforate and the pair above partially so, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1464a, EC GBR2928b. *Ten pairs known*. Photo on page 56. £2,500-£3,000
- †2351 **② B** 20p.+1p. block of six (2 x 3), the lower pair variety imperforate, the pair above partially imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1464a, EC GBR2928b. Photo. £2,400-£2,600







†2352 • 1990 Gallantry Awards 20p. D.S.C. & D.S.M. variety imperforate, a superb unmounted mint left marginal horizontal pair. S.G. 1519a, EC GBR3038. Twenty-five pairs known (of which fifteen are damaged). Photo. £1,000-£1,200

†2353 ♀ - 20p. imperforate lower marginal pair, right stamp with vertical crease along right edge, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1519a, EC GBR3038a.Photo. £400-£500

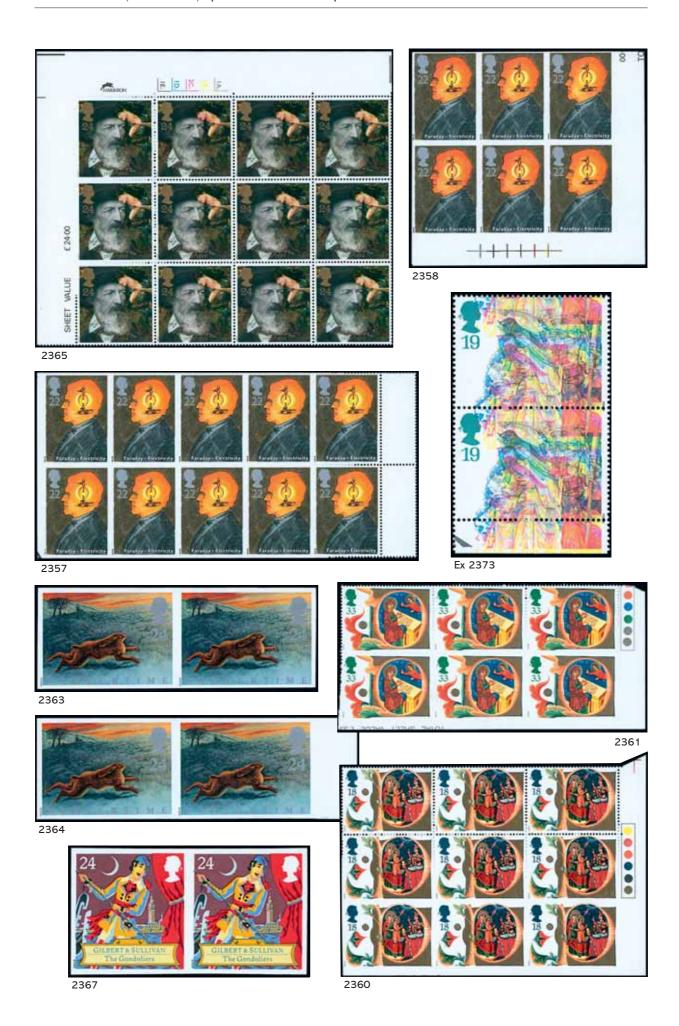
†2354 ■ 1990 Christmas 22p., a lower left corner marginal block of nine from the upper pane, the lower left corner pair almost completely imperforate between stamps and gutter margin (traces of 'ghosted' perfs.), fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1527 var. £100-£150

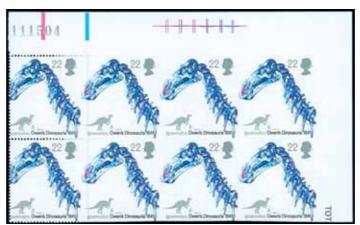


†2355 **②** 1991 Dogs 22p. variety imperforate, an unmounted mint left marginal horizontal pair, small wrinkle, otherwise fine. S.G. 1531a, EC GBR3062a. *Around fifteen pairs known*. Photo. £800-£1,000



†2356 🗗 🖪 1991 Scientific Achievements 22p. Faraday a lower marginal interpanneau block of eight (4 x 2) variety imperforate, a few light gum wrinkles, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1546a, EC GBR3092a. Around forty pairs known. Photo. £1,000-£1,200





- †2357 © **B** 1991 Scientific Achievements 22p. Faraday variety imperforate, three vertical pairs in a block of ten (5 x 2) with the fourth pair partly imperf., a few light gum bends otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1546a, EC GBR3092a. Photo.
- †2358 ■ 22p. Faraday a lower right corner block of six (3 x 2) variety imperforate, a few small areas of soiling in margin on gummed side, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1546a, EC GBR3092a. Photo. £800-£1,000
- †2359 🌣 🖪 1991 Dinosaurs 22p., an upper right corner marginal block of eight (4 x 2) with the corner block of four completely imperforate and superb unmounted mint, the remaining stamps partially perforated and with 2mm shift of perfs. to the right (upper pair with slight gum blemish). S.G. 1573, a, EC GBR3146a. Photo. £2,500-£3,000
- †2360 **② I** 1991 Christmas 18p. lower right corner block of nine, variety imperforate between stamps and lower margin, vertical perforations on lower row with only faint indents, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1582 var., EC GBR3146a. *Around ten known*. Photo. £400-£500
- †2361 ■ 33p. in a lower right corner traffic light block of six (3 x 2) with corner pair almost completely imperforate, indents at top and trace at sides, also an additional part imperf. pair, creasing, unmounted mint (2 items). S.G. 1585 var. Photo. £200-£300



†2362 © I 1992 Wintertime 24p. complete sheet of 100, the upper pane completely imperforate, the lower pane with upper row partially imperforate, heavy vertical crease affecting one row of stamps and a few other light wrinkles, otherwise mainly fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1588a, EC GBR3176a. Around fifty pairs known. Photo.
£4,000-£5,000







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- †2363 **②** 1992 Wintertime 24p. imperforate horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 1588a, EC GBR3176a. Photo on page 60. £220-£250
- †2364 ◆ 24p. imperforate horizontal pair from the right of the sheet, unmounted mint, right stamp with vertical crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 1588a, EC GBR3176a. Photo on page 60. £150-£200
- †2365 ■ 1992 Lord Tennyson 24p., a fine unmounted mint upper left corner dot cylinder block of 12 (4 x 3), the upper left corner vertical pair almost completely imperforate between stamps and margin at left (trace of faint indents).

 S.G. 1607 var. *No imperforates recorded for this issue.* Photo on page 60. £400-£500
- †2366 © 🗵 1992 Gilbert and Sullivan 24p. lower left corner block of thirty variety imperforate, folded down one vertical row and a few other light creases, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1625a, EC GBR3250a. Photo. £3,000-£3,500
- †2368 © © 1993 Christmas 19p., a left marginal no dot cylinder block of twelve (3 x 4), the lower left corner horizontal cylinder pair completely imperforate, fine unmounted mint, the pair above almost completely imperforate (faint trace of indents at top but one of the three imperforate pairs recorded by Pierron, sheet margin partly separated with tear at left just clear) and the remaining stamps partly perforated to varying degrees. S.G. 1790, a, EC GBR3580a. Three pairs known. Photo.

 £2,800-£3,000
- †2369 1994 Europa, Medical Discoveries 25p. variety imperforate, a fine unmounted mint horizontal gutter pair, left stamp with minor wrinkle, very rare. S.G. 1839a, EC GBR3678a. Five mint pairs known (two creased), only one of which is horizontal. Photo.
- †2370 ☐ 25p. in a block of four with left vertical pair completely imperforate, right pair with imperf. section, roughly torn at edges and a few light bends, unmounted mint, rare, Brandon certificate (1997). S.G. 1839a, EC GBR3678a.

 Around five pairs known. Photo.

 £700-£800



- †2371 **© B** 1994 Christmas 19p. variety imperforate, complete sheet of 100, heavy vertical crease affecting one vertical row of stamps, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1843a. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- †2372 ■ 19p., an imperforate lower right corner marginal traffic light block of six (2 x 3), fine unmounted mint, a more common imperforate but very scarce in a traffic light block. S.G. 1843a, EC GBR3686a. Photo.£200-£250
- †2373 ❖ 19p. variety imperforate, two fine unmounted mint marginal pairs, one with sheet number, also vertical marginal pair with dramatic colour shifts. S.G. 1843, a. Photo on page 60. £120-£150





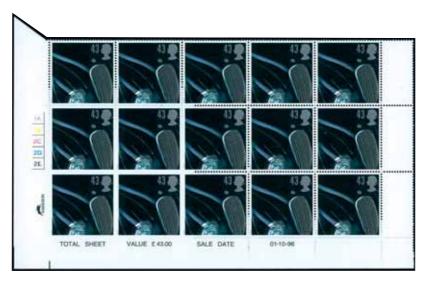
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- †2374 ☐ 1994 Christmas 19p. variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint block of four from the top of the sheet, two minor wrinkles. S.G. 1843a. £80-£100
- †2375 **② I** 1996 Olympics 26p. se-tenant top left corner block of ten (5 x 2), variety imperforate between stamps and left margin, a few small gum wrinkles, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1930a var., EC GBR3860a. *Ten strips known*. Photo. £300-£400
- †2376 ♥ ⊞ 1996 Famous Women 26p. lower left corner block of four variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie.

 S.G. 1936a, EC GBR3872a. *Fifty pairs known.* Photo.

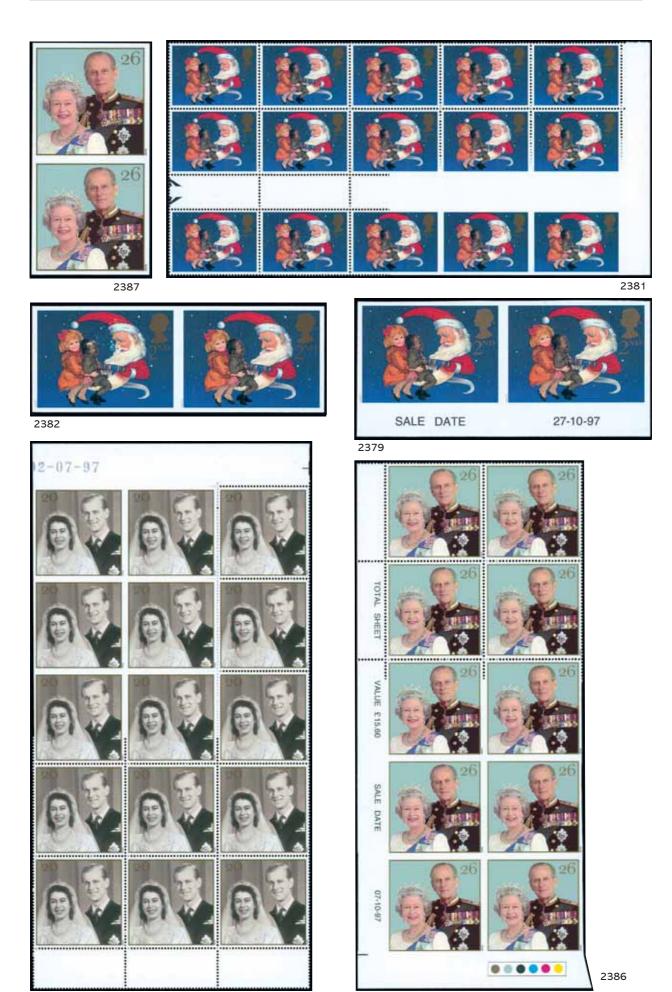
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- †2377 🌣 🖪 1996 Classic Sports Cars 43p. variety imperforate, a lower left corner marginal pair contained in an unmounted mint block of 15 (5 x 3, the lower three rows of the pane) showing dot cylinder "1A, 1B, 2C, 2D, 2E", the adjacent stamps only partly perforated. S.G. 1948, a, EC GBR3896a. Around eight pairs known. Photo.
- †2378 © © 1997 Death Anniversary of Henry VIII 26p. Henry, a complete sheet of sixty (two panes, 6 x 5), the two vertical rows at left showing progressive failure of perforation leaving the upper left corner vertical pair completely imperforate and the lower left corner vertical strip of three imperforate between stamps and left margin, the remaining five stamps in this row showing faint indents between stamps and margin, fine unmounted mint, a spectacular item. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1965, a, var., EC GB3930a. (six pairs known), GB3930b (these three being the only known examples). Photo.

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†2379 **②** (2nd) an imperforate marginal pair from the foot of the sheet showing "SALE DATE 27-10-97" imprint, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2006a, EC GBR4012a. Photo on page 66. £800-£1,000



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- †2380 © B (2nd) lower right corner block of fifteen (5 x 3), the left block of six variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2006a, EC GBR4012a. Around sixteen pairs known. Photo. £2,500-£3,000
- †2381 © 🗵 (2nd) right margin gutter block of fifteen (5 x 3) with the lower right horizontal pair completely imperforate with adjacent stamps partially so, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2006a, EC GBR4012a. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- †2382 ❖ (2nd) imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2006a, EC GBR4012a. Photo.

£700-£800



†2383 🌣 🖪 31p. lower right corner block of twelve (4 x 3) with the right hand block of six variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. 2008a, EC GBR4016a. Around eight pairs known. Ex Baillie. Photo.

£3,200-£3,500



†2384 31p. horizontal strip of five from the left of the sheet with the left hand pair completely imperforate and the next stamp partially imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2008a, EC GBR4016a. Photo.

£1,200-£1,500

†2385 🌣 🖪 1997 Royal Golden Wedding 20p., an imperforate vertical pair (very slight trace of indents) being the upper left corner pair of a block of fifteen (3 x 5), fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2011, a, EC GBR4022a. Photo.

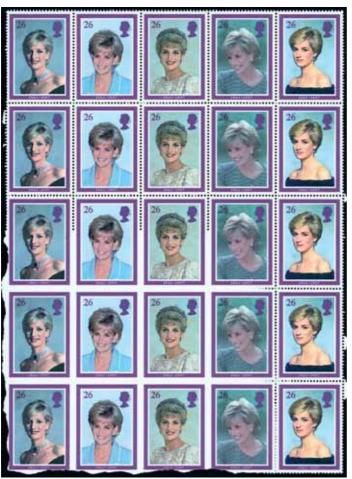
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†2386 © 🗉 - 26p. in an unmounted mint block (2 x 5) from the lower left corner of the sheet, part perforated, resulting in the lower block of four completely imperforate, adjoining pair partly perforated, others normal, fine. S.G. 2012a, EC GBR4024a. Around eight pairs known. Photo. £6,000-£7,000



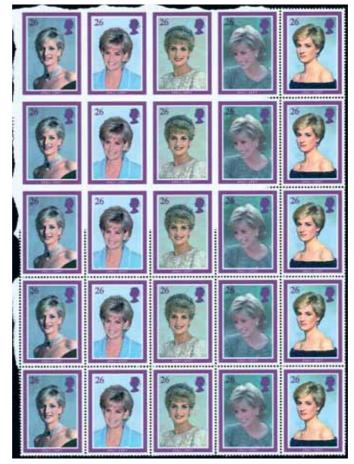




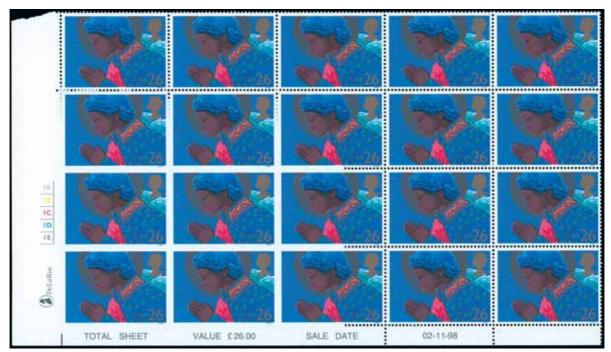






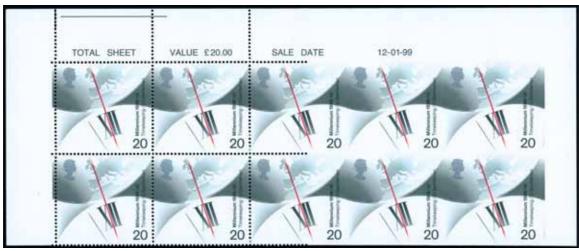


- †2387 † 1997 Royal Golden Wedding 26p., an imperforate vertical pair, unused with part original gum, paper fibre adherence on gum, otherwise fine. S.G. 2012a, EC GBR4024a. Photo on page 66. £2,200-£2,500
- †2388 © © 1998 Diana Commemoration 26p., a block of five se-tenant strips of five, the upper left corner block of six (3 x 2) completely imperforate and the six adjoining stamps partially imperforate, fine unmounted mint. Brandon certificate (1998). S.G. 2021a, ad, EC GBR4042c. Four strips known (one damaged). Photo also on inside back cover. £7,000-£8,000
- †2389 © 🗉 26p., a block of five se-tenant strips of five, the lower left corner block of six (3 x 2) completely imperforate and the six adjoining stamps partially imperforate, imperforate edges roughly separated with lower strip torn into, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2021a, ad, EC GBR4042c. Photo.
- †2390 Diana Commemoration 26p., a se-tenant strip of five, imperforate between stamps and upper margin and left margin, also around half of the vertical perforations omitted, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2021a var. Photo.
- †2391 ■ 1998 Lighthouses 63p., a fine unmounted mint lower right corner block of six (2 x 3) and right marginal single, both dramatically misperforated leaving the Queen's head and value at left instead of right. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2038 var. Photo.
- †2392 **③ B** 1998 Children's Fantasy Novels 26p. variety imperforate horizontal pair, the lower pair of a block of eight (2 x 4, with gutter, folded), the pair above partly imperf. with indents, fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 2051a, EC GBR4102a. *Ten to fifteen pairs known.* Photo. £500-£600
- †2393 1998 British Land Speed Record Holders 26p., a horizontal strip of five with the third stamp variety "6" from face value omitted, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2060Ec, EC GBR4120c. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- †2394 ♦ 1998 Christmas 20p. variety imperforate, a pair contained in a left marginal block of six (3 x 2), fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2064a, EC GBR4128a. Around 24 pairs known. Photo. £350-£400









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Decimal Commemoratives: 1998 Christmas continued

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- †2395 © 🗵 26p., a lower left corner block of twenty (5 x 4) with the lower left block of four variety imperforate, one very light crease and folded along one vertical row of perfs., otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2065a, EC GBR4130a. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- †2396 **2** 26p. imperforate pair contained in a horizontal marginal strip of five from the foot of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2065a, EC GBR4130a. Photo. £1,000-£1,500
- †2397 🗗 🗵 26p., a half sheet (5 x 10) including five completely imperforate pairs and eight stamps partially imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2065, a, EC GBR4130a. Around fourteen pairs known. Photo.

£7,000-£8,000

†2398 43p. horizontal strip of three, the left pair completely imperforate and the right stamp partially so, fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. 2067a, EC GBR4134a. Around six pairs known. Photo. £1,200-£1,500

1999 Millennium Series

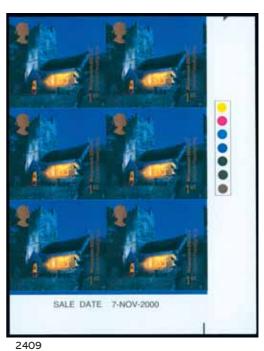
†2399 © B The Inventors' Tale 20p., an upper right corner block of ten (5 x 2) with the right block of four variety imperforate, vertical crease clear of variety, fine unmounted mint, rare. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2069a, EC GBR4138a. Seven to fourteen pairs known. Photo.













Decimal Commemoratives: 1999 Millennium Series continued



†2400 © B The Patients' Tale 26p., a lower left corner block of ten with the left block of four variety imperforate, unmounted mint, some creasing and small tear in margin, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2081a, EC GBR4162a. Photo. £3,500-£4,000





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- †2401 The Settlers' Tale 26p. and The Workers' Tale 26p. se-tenant booklet pane, variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2085a, var, EC GBR4179a. Sixteen pairs known. Photo. £250-£300
- †2402 The Settlers' Tale 26p. and Workers' Tale 26p. se-tenant booklet pane variety imperforate, adherence on gum, slight creasing and light surface marks at base, otherwise fine. S.G. 2085a, var., EC GBR4179a. Photo.

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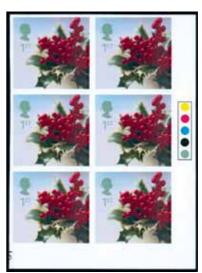
- 2403 P The Settlers' Tale 26p. right marginal imperforate proof pair with silver and phosphor omitted, very fine with gum (unmounted). S.G. 2085 var. (see footnote), EC GBR4170a. Fifty pairs known.
- **2404** P The Settlers' Tale 43p. top marginal imperforate proof pair with gold, chocolate and phosphor omitted, very fine with gum (unmounted). S.G. 2086 var. (see footnote), EC GBR4172a. *Fifty pairs known.* £80-£100
- †2405 © B The Scientists' Tale 26p. in a block of eight (4 x 2), the left block of four variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2103a, EC GBR4206. Twenty pairs known. Photo. £1,000-£1,200
- †2407 **© B** 1999 Royal Wedding 26p., an imperforate lower left corner block of six (2 x 3), fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2096a, EC GBR4192a. *Sixteen pairs known*. Photo. £2,200-£2,500
- †2408 ❖ 26p., an imperforate vertical pair, superb unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 2096a, EC GBR4192a. Photo. £700-£800
- †2409 ■ 2000 Millennium Projects, Spirit and Faith (1st) variety imperforate in a lower right corner block of six (2 x 3), fine unmounted mint with normal block for comparison. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2171a, EC GBR4342a. 22 pairs known. Photo.
- +2410 ❖ Spirit and Faith (1st) variety imperforate in a horizontal pair with margin at left, a few light gum bends mainly in margin otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2171a, EC GBR4342a. Photo on page 75. £250-£300



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Ex 2417



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Decimal Commemoratives continued





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- †2411 **②** 2001 Submarines (1st) imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2203b, EC GBR4406a. *25 pairs known (15 damaged).* Photo. £600-£700
- †2412 ♥ 2001 Christmas (2nd) self-adhesive, a block of fifteen (5 x 3) from the foot of the sheet, the lower right block of four variety imperforate, a few light creases, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2238b, EC GBR2231a. Photo on page 72. £500-£600
- †2413 ❖ 65p. horizontal pair with imperforate backing paper (roulettes omitted, tear lines present), fine. S.G. 2242b. £80-£100
- †2414 ❖ 2002 Europa, Circus (1st) imperforate vertical pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2276a. Photo. £800-£1,000
- +2415 - Circus (E) left marginal strip of five with the left hand pair variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. 2277a. Photo.
- †2416 - Circus (E) imperforate vertical pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2277a. Photo also on page 1. £1,000-£1,200
- †2417 ■ 2002 Christmas (2nd) and (1st) lower right corner blocks of six (2 x 3) variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2321b, 2322b. Photo. £320-£350
- †2418 � 🖪 (2nd), an imperforate traffic light block of six (2 x 3), fine. S.G. 2321b. Photo on page 95. £100-£120
- †2419 (1st) lower right corner horizontal pair variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint, slight horizontal crease in margin. S.G. 2322b. £80-£100



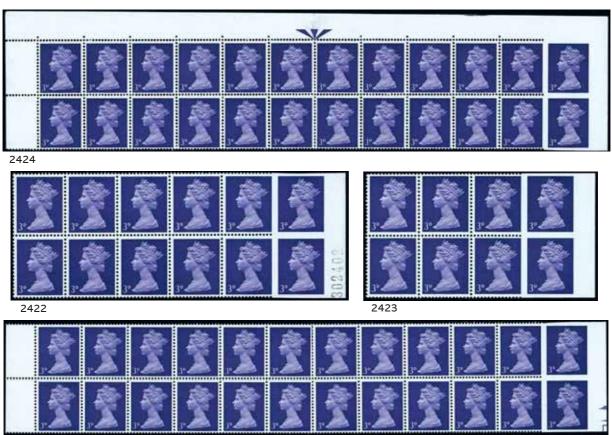
- †2420 ♥ ⊞ 2004 Ocean Liners (E) imperforate block of four, very fine unmounted mint, very scarce. S.G. 2449a, EC GBR4898a. *Around 24 pairs known*. Photo. £800-£1,000
- †2421 © B 2004 A British Journey, Wales (2nd) variety imperforate in a complete pane from the top right of the sheet, superb unmounted mint. S.G. 2466a, EC GBR4932a. Between 24 and 36 pairs known. Photo.

£4,000-£5,000

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- 2422 **③ ■** 3d. violet centre band gum arabic in a block of twelve (6 x 2), the right vertical pair completely imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 729a, Spec. U8a, cat. £950. Photo. £220-£250

- 2425 ✿ ⊞ 3d. violet centre band gum arabic in a block of four, the right vertical pair completely imperforate, fine unmounted mint. S.G. 729a, Spec. U8a. Photo. £200-£250
- 2426 3d. violet centre band gum arabic unmounted mint block of twenty-four (12 x 2) being two complete rows of the sheet, the right vertical pair completely imperforate. S.G. 729a. Photo. £200-£250

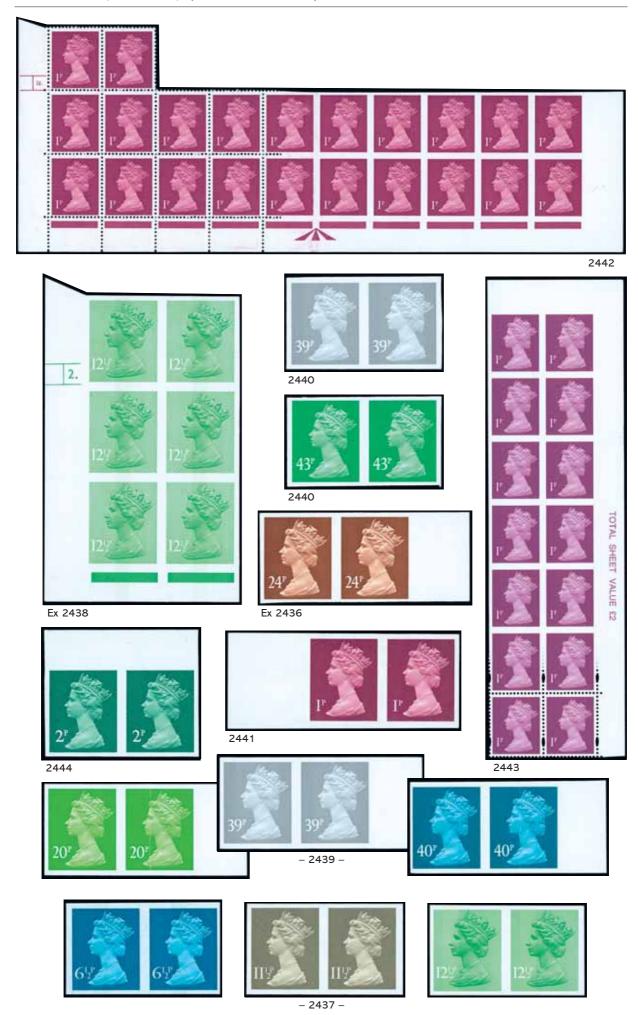




- 3d. head B and 4d. deep olive-brown head B each in imperforate horizontal pairs without phosphor and with PVAD gum, fine unmounted mint. Produced as a trial in the early 1970s to test the suitability of the new dextrin gum. EC F378TRa, F338TRa, cat. £4,000. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- 2429 ❖ 5d. head B variety imperforate, an upper marginal horizontal pair, ex cylinder 15 with screening dots in the margins, fine unmounted mint, also an imperforate block of four ex cylinder 10. Photo. £120-£150

Decimal Machins

- A mainly mint accumulation of decimal Machins in five stockbooks incl. single and multivalue coil strips, high values to £5 and £10, booklet panes, a few booklets, cylinder blocks and other multiples, regionals with blocks and cylinder blocks, also some pre-decimal Machins, and a small collection in a Safe album from 1952 with Wildings incl. Tudor and St. Edward's Crown sets, Machins, etc. (1,000s) £400-£500
- †2431 ♠ A group of imperforate varieties comprising 4p. new blue block of four (almost imperceptible perf. pressure marks vertically between the stamps), 7p. bright magenta pairs (3) and blocks of four (2), 20p. bright green (two bands) horizontal pair and vertical pair contained in a block of six, 35p. sepia pair, 39p. grey pair, and (1st) two bands pair from the 2003 De La Rue printing, mainly fine. (10) £800-£1,000



- †2432 ♠ An unmounted mint group of errors comprising 10p. orange-brown two bands, 11½p. drab, 15½p. pale violet, 18p. deep olive-grey (3, one upper marginal) and 22p. blue imperforate pairs, and 12½p. light emerald one centre band imperforate block of four from the left of the sheet, also ½p. turquoise-blue on phosphorised paper imperforate pair from the scarcer PCP1 printing, mainly fine. S.G. X886a, X893a, X898a, X948a, X955a, X962a, cat. £2,030. (9) £500-£600
- †2433 ♠ A group of errors with ½p. turquoise-blue on phosphorised paper (2, one lower marginal with guide arrow and the other right marginal), 6½p. centre band (vertical crease), 7p. purple-brown centre band right marginal, 9p. deep violet two bands left marginal (2), 15½p. pale violet phosphorised paper right marginal horizontal imperf. pairs, 7p. purple-brown two bands vertical imperf. pair, also 8½p. block of four misperfed horizontally, 14p. upper left corner block of twelve with printer's join and 14p. upper left corner block of four misperfed horizontally, mainly fine. (11 items) £500-£600
- †2434 ♠ A selection of unmounted mint imperforate horizontal pairs with ½p. PCP2/PVAD, 2½p. FCP/GA (small fault), 6½p. centre band head B1 FCP/PVAD (indents), 9p. violet FCP/PVAD (slight surface rubbing), 12½p. centre band (phosphor over ink) FCP/PVAD, 16p. drab ACP/PVAD, 17p. grey-blue ACP/PVAD (strip of three, small gum faults), and 1998-2001 (2nd) self-adhesive and (1st) self-adhesive (block of four), mainly fine. (9 items)

£250-£300

- †2435 ♠ A selection of imperforate items with 2½p. GA block of six (3 x 2) with upper strip imperf. (indents at base and sides), 3p. centre band vertical strip of three with top pair imperf. (indents on middle stamp), 6½p. centre band imperf pair (indents), 7p. two bands imperf. pair (indents), 7p. centre band head B imperf. pair, 10p. orange two bands imperf. pair, 12½p. and 22p. PCP imperf. pairs, slightly mixed condition. (8) £250-£300
- †2436 ♠ A selection with 16p. olive-drab, 18p. deep olive-grey (3), 24p. chestnut imperf. pairs, mainly marginal, fine unmounted mint. Photo. £200-£250
- †2437 ♠ A selection of three unmounted mint imperforate pairs, comprising 6½p. greenish blue CB Head type B1, FCP/PVAD, photo Harrison 11½p. drab FCP/PVAD and photo Harrison 12½p. light emerald FCP/PVAD with the phosphor under ink printing with phosphor band shifted to the left, fine. Photo. £250-£300
- †2438 ♠ A group of errors with 1980 10p. orange-brown CB FCP/PVAD imperf. vertical pair (some indents), 1982 photo Harrison 12½p. light emerald CB, FCP/PVAD, variety imperforate cylinder 2 no dot p31 block of six, and Scotland 1971–93 5½p. violet (CB) imperforate marginal horizontal pair from the right of the sheet (shows faint indents at top), all fine unmounted mint. Photo. £400-£450
- †2439 ♠ A selection with 20p. bright green, 39p. grey and 40p. turquoise-blue unmounted mint imperf. pairs, each with a vertical crease. S.G. Y1687a, Y1709a, Y17111, cat. £1,600. Photo. £200-£250
- †2440 ♠ A selection with 39p. grey and 43p. emerald unmounted mint imperf. pairs, fine. S.G. Y1709a and Y1718a, cat. £625. Photo. £150-£200

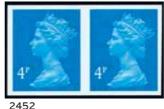
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- †2441 1p. crimson Harrison photo FCP/PVAD two bands variety imperforate in a horizontal pair from the left of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. Brandon certificate (1998). S.G. X844c. cat. £1,700. Photo. £350-£400
- †2442 © B 1p. crimson Harrison photo PCP1/PVAD head B1, an irregular block of twenty two from the foot of the sheet with the right block of ten imperforate, folded through central horizontal perfs. otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. X925a, cat. £8,000. Photo. £2,000-£2,500
- †2443 © ID 1p. crimson two bands (blue fluor) variety imperforate, from Harrison/De La Rue computer engraved cylinder 1p47, in a top right corner block of 14 (2 x 7) with the top five pairs completely imperf., the sixth pair partially imperf., and the lower pair normal, almost imperceptible perf. pressure marks vertically between the stamps, a fine and rare unmounted mint multiple. S.G. Spec. 69B var, mentioned as a footnote. Photo. £600-£700
- †2444 **②** 2p. myrtle-green Harrison photo PCP1/PVAD, variety imperforate, fine unmounted mint horizontal pair from the top of the sheet. S.G. X926a, cat. £3,000. Photo. £800-£1,000



- †2445 ☐ 2p. deep green two bands (blue fluor) NFCP/PVA (bluish) variety imperforate, from De La Rue Byfleet printing on intermediate paper, in a fine unmounted mint top left corner block of four, approx. 20 pairs known. S.G. Spec. U85F var. Photo. £500-£600
- †2446 ❖ 3p. ultramarine Harrison photo FCP/GA two bands variety imperforate in a pair from the right of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X855b, cat. £400. Photo. £100-£120
- †2447 ❖ 3p. ultramarine Harrison photo FCP/GA centre band, unmounted mint block (5 x 10) from the top right corner of the sheet, top strip of five imperforate, a few perf. indents, fine. S.G. X856a. Photo. £150-£200
- †2448 ♥ ⊞ 3p. ultramarine Harrison photo FCP/GA centre band in a right margin block of four, the right column stamps variety imperforate horizontally (with one perf. hole each side), fine unmounted mint. S.G. X856c, cat. £300+. Photo. £80-£100
- †2450 ♣ 4p. ochre-brown Harrison photo FCP/GA, variety imperforate in horizontal pair from the left of the sheet, slight indentations, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X861a, cat. £2,400. Photo. £250-£300







- †2451 4p. new blue De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA variety imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1669a, cat. £1,700. Photo. £400-£500

- +2454 ☐ 4p. new blue De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA, variety imperforate block of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1669a, cat. £3,400+. Photo. £800-£1,000
- †2455 ■ 4p. new blue two bands, variety imperforate, from De La Rue Byfleet printing on intermediate paper, in the unique right margin warrant number "18/09/03" block of six (2 x 3) from the sheet found, almost imperceptible perf. pressure marks vertically between the stamps, light bend below top pair otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1669a. Photo.
- †2456 ❖ 4½p. grey-blue photo Harrison FCP/PVAD, variety imperforate between in a vertical pair, trace of indentations and a little rubbed between stamps, unmounted mint. S.G. X865 var. Photo. £200-£250
- †2457 ❖ 5p. light violet Questa litho PCP/PVAD right marginal single, variety imperforate between stamp and margin, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. UG15a, cat. £600. Photo. £150-£200
- †2458 © 6½p. greenish blue Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band head B1, variety imperforate, in a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair from the right of the sheet. S.G. X872a, cat. £450. Photo. £100-£150
- †2459 **②** 6½p. greenish blue Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band head B1, variety imperforate, in a fine unmounted mint horizontal pair. S.G. X872a, cat. £450. Photo. £100-£150
- †2460 **③ ⑤** 6½p. greenish blue Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band head B1, variety imperforate in an unmounted mint block of twelve (3 x 4), a few minor gum wrinkles, otherwise fine. S.G. X872a, cat. £2,700+. Photo. £650-£700





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- †2461 ■ 7p. purple-brown Harrison photo centre band right marginal block of six (2 x 3), fine unmounted mint, S.G. X875a, cat. £420. Photo on page 88. £120-£150
- †2462 ❖ 7p. grey De La Rue gravure NFCP/PVA two bands (blue fluor), variety imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1672a, unpriced. Photo on page 85. £100-£150
- †2463 © © 7p. grey De La Rue gravure NFCP/PVA two bands (blue fluor), variety imperforate, in a cylinder "1p47" dot full sheet with fifty stamps in the top right corner completely imperf. and sixteen partially so, some creasing where folded and traces of horizontal indentations, a fine and rare multiple. S.G. Y1672a, unpriced. Photo. £3,000-£4,000
- †2464 ♦ ⊞ 7p. bright magenta De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA imperf. block of four, unmounted mint, vertical crease clear of designs, otherwise fine. S.G. Y1673a, cat. £480. Photo on page 84. £100-£150





†2465 10p. dull orange Harrison gravure NFCP/PVA two bands (blue fluor) imperf. pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1676aa, cat. £1,400. Photo. £300-£400

- †2466 ♣ 10p. dull orange Harrison gravure NFCP/PVA two bands (blue fluor) imperf. pair, unmounted mint, faint crease between stamps and cut close at right, otherwise fine. S.G. Y1676aa, cat. £1,400. Photo. £200-£250
- †2467 **②** 12½p. light emerald Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band block of seventy (10 x 7) from the top of the sheet, the upper right corner block of twenty five being completely imperforate, folded along central vertical row of perforations and some minor wrinkles, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X898a, cat. £1,440+. Photo.







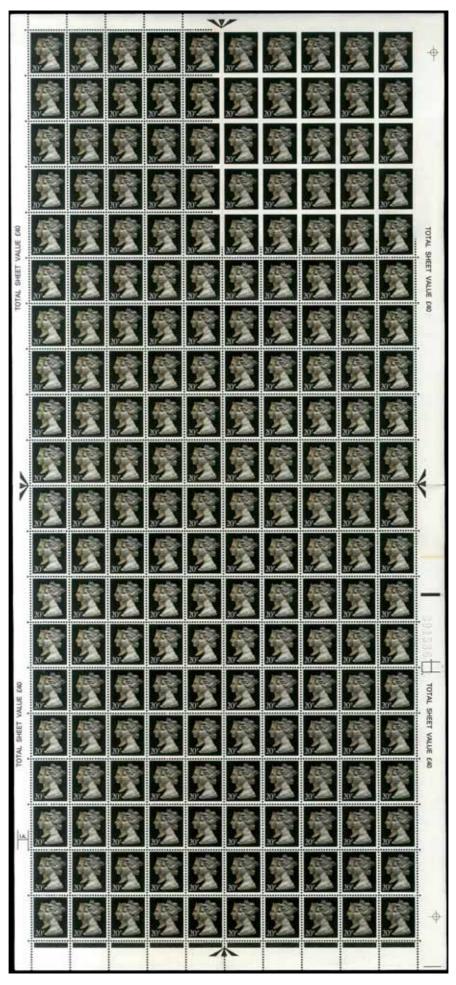
- †2468 ♦ 🖪 12½p. light emerald Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band, cylinder 1, p20, the upper two rows of the sheet showing characteristic APS perforator error leaving R1/6-10 completely imperforate between stamps and top margin, fine unmounted mint (R1/8 with a few small blackish dots [not indents] on gum where perfs. should have been). S.G. X898 var. Photo. £150-£200
- †2469 **③** 13p. pale chestnut Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band original phosphor ink, variety imperforate in a horizontal upper left corner pair, minor gum wrinkle, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X900a, cat. £775. £220-£250
- **†**2470 **♦** 13p. pale chestnut Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band original phosphor ink, variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, small gum crease at foot, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X900a, cat. £775. Photo.

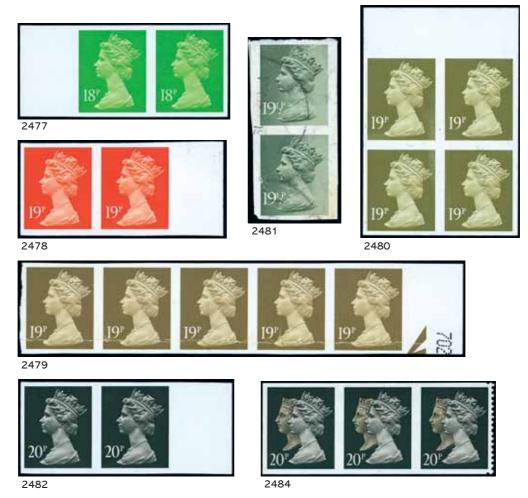
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- 14p. deep blue Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band, variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, fine **†2471** 😂 unmounted mint. S.S. X903a, cat. £500. Photo. £120-£150
- †2472 🌣 🖽 16p. olive-drab Harrison photo ACP/PVAD variety imperforate in a block of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X949a, cat. £400. Photo. £120-£150
- †2473 ♥ ⊞ 16p. olive-drab Harrison photo ACP/PVAD variety imperforate in a block of four from the left of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X949a, cat. £400. Photo.
- **†2474** 😂 17p. grey-blue Harrison photo ACP/PVAD variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X952a, cat. £400. Photo. £100-£150
- †2475 ♦ 🖪 18p. deep olive-grey Harrison photo ACP/PVAD block of seventy (10 x 7) from the top of the sheet, the upper right corner block of twenty being completely imperforate, folded along central vertical row of perforations (top part torn) and some minor wrinkles, otherwise fine unmounted mint. Ex Baillie. S.G. X955a, cat. £1,500+. Photo. £600-£700



- †2476 🕏 🖪 18p. bright green Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band variety imperforate, in a top margin block of six (3 x 2) with left vertical pair completely imperforate, centre pair imperf. on three sides and right pair normal, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X913a, cat. £525+. Photo. £400-£500
- **†**2477 **♠** 18p. bright green Harrison photo FCP/PVAD centre band, variety imperforate in a horizontal pair with sheet margin at left, minor gum disturbance, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. X913a, cat. £500. Photo on page 87. £100-£120





- †2480 ☐ 19p. bistre centre band (blue fluor) NFCP/PVA variety imperforate, in an unmounted mint top marginal block of four ex cylinder 9, a few small gum wrinkles otherwise fine. S.G. Spec. U263C var, EC F2042IMa, unpriced. Photo.
- 2481 O 19½p. olive-grey Harrison photo PCP, an imperforate vertical pair, apparently commercially used, unlisted by S.G., some faults. *Believed to be one of two known*. S.G. X957 var. Photo. £300-£400
- †2483 © © 20p. brownish black and cream Double Head, a complete sheet of 200 (10 x 20) with the top right block of twenty completely imperforate, unmounted mint, folded along central rows of vertical and horizontal perfs., otherwise fine, rare. Ex Baillie. S.G. 1469a, cat. £24,000+. Photo. £6,000-£7,000
- †2484 ❖ 20p. brownish black and cream Double Head variety imperforate, in an unmounted mint horizontal strip of three with the left pair completely imperforate and the third stamp imperf. on three sides, fine and rare. S.G. 1469a, cat. £2,400+. Photo. £700-£800
- †2486 20p. bright green De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA two bands, imperf. pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1687a, cat. £425. Photo on page 88. £120-£150

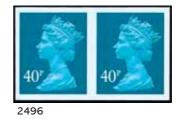


- †2488 ■ 24p. chestnut Harrison photo ACP/PVAD upper right corner block of twenty (5 x 4) with upper right block of eight imperforate, also another imperforate pair, unmounted mint, a few gum creases, otherwise fine. Ex Baillie. S.G. X969a, cat. £1,120+. Photo. £500-£600
- †2490 ❖ 26p. red-brown Harrison gravure NFCP/PVA two bands (blue fluor), variety imperforate in a horizontal pair from the top of the sheet, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1691a, cat. £650. Photo. £150-£200

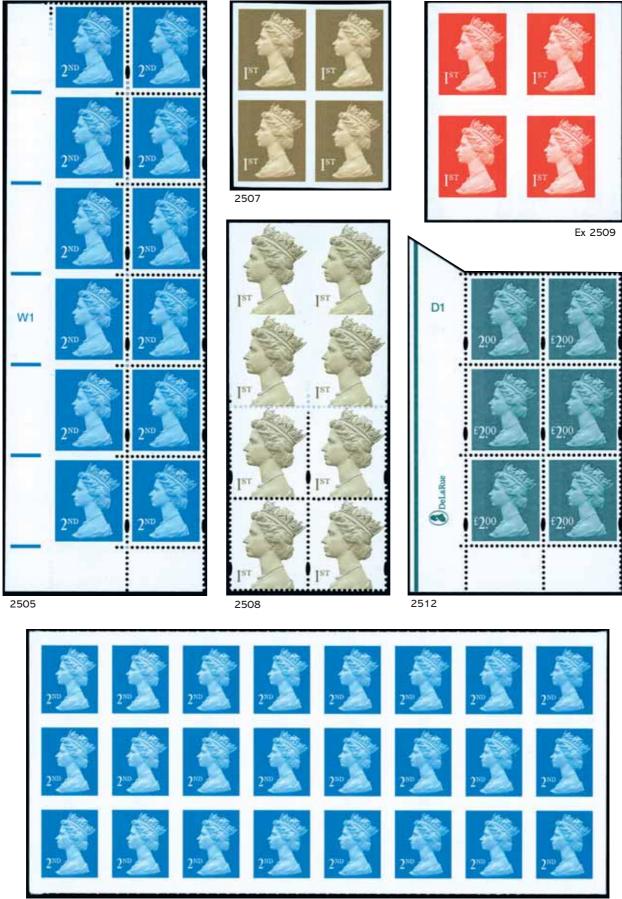


- †2491 **© B** 26p. gold two bands (blue fluorescence) PVA (bluish), unmounted mint block of eight (4 x 2), from the top of the sheet, top horizontal row completely imperforate, one is damaged, lower strip partly imperforate, very rare. S.G. Y1692ba. Photo. £1,500-£2,000
- †2493 ❖ ⊞ 39p. grey De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands imperf. block of four, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1709a, cat. £650. Photo. £150-£200
- †2494 40p. turquoise-blue De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands, variety imperforate block of six (3 x 2), right pair with crease, otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1711a, cat. £2,550+. Photo. £600-£700





- †2495 40p. turquoise-blue De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands, variety imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1711a, cat. £850. Photo. £250-£300
- †2497 ❖ 43p. emerald De La Rue ATN OFNP/PVA (layflat) two bands, variety imperforate in a block of four and in a horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1718a, cat. £900+. Photo. £200-£250
- †2498 ❖ 50p. ochre-brown Harrison photo non-phosphor FCP/PVAD, variety imperforate, unmounted mint top left corner horizontal pair, some creasing, slight surface damage at foot. S.G. X992a, cat. £875. Photo. £100-£150







†2499 ♦ ⊞ 50p. ochre-brown Harrison photo non-phosphor FCP/PVAD, imperf. block of four with sheet margin at left, fine unmounted mint. S.G. X992a, cat. £1,750+. Photo on page 88. £400-£500

†2500 ♠ 75p. black Questa litho FCP/PVAD, a right margin horizontal pair variety imperforate between stamp and margin, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. UG130a, cat. £425. Photo on page 88. £120-£150

†2501 £1 bluish violet two bands NFCP/PVA, variety imperforate in a top right corner horizontal pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1743a, cat. £1,800. Photo. £400-£500

†2502 £1 bluish violet two bands NFCP/PVA, variety imperforate pair, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Y1743a, cat. £1,800. Photo. £400-£500

Decimal Machins: No Value Indicated Issues





2503

†2503 ♦ (2nd) NVI bright blue centre band (blue fluor) NFCP/PVA, variety imperforate in an unmounted mint vertical pair from booklets, light diagonal crease, otherwise fine. S.G. 1664b. Photo. £400-£500

†2504 (2nd) NVI bright blue centre band (blue fluor) NFCP/PVA, variety imperforate in an unmounted mint vertical pair from booklets, light diagonal crease but rare. S.G. 1664b var. Photo. £400-£500

†2505 © IB (2nd) NVI bright blue centre band (blue fluor) NFCP/PVA, variety imperforate between stamp and left margin and part imperf. horizontally, in a Walsall "W1 pW1" cylinder block of twelve (2 x 6) with five stamps showing the variety and the sixth partially so, a fine and rare unmounted mint cylinder multiple. *The only known example*. S.G. 1664 var. Photo.

†2506 ■ (2nd) bright blue self-adhesive, variety imperforate in a block of twenty four (8 x 3), from Walsall type 2 business sheet, some bends at left otherwise fine (S.G. 2039a, cat. £900+), also 1998-2001 Self-adhesive (2nd) bright blue, an imperforate block of four and 2001 2nd class booklet with pane of twelve showing approx. 7mm vertical shift of the die cut perfs. Photo. £200-£250

†2507 ♦ 🖽 (1st) gold imperforate block of four fine unmounted mint, minor bends. S.G. 1668a, cat. £350. Photo. £80-£100

†2508 ☐ (1st) olive-brown Millennium definitive, perf. 15 x 14 De La Rue printing from sheets, variety imperforate being the top horizontal pair in a block of eight (2 x 4) with the second pair partly imperf., some surface rubbing otherwise fine unmounted mint. S.G. 2124a, cat. £900+. Photo. £300-£400

†2509 ♦ (1st) orange-red self-adhesive, variety imperforate in a block of four and in a pair and (2nd) bright blue variety imperforate in a horizontal pair, with 5½mm spacing between the stamps and with 7mm phosphor bands from the original Walsall type 1 business sheets, fine. S.G. 2040a var. Photo. £400-£500

Decimal Machins: High Values



2511

- †2510 1970-74 high values, a selection, incl. £1 block of four with the upper pair imperforate, block of four completely imperforate, etc., fine. (10 items) Ex Baillie. £400-£500
- †2511 **②** 1977–87 £1 in an unmounted mint horizontal strip of five from the left of the sheet, the left stamp imperforate (indents on right side), fine. S.G. 1026 var. Photo. £80-£100
- †2512 ■ 2003-05 De La Rue ATN £2 in a D1 D1 pD1 no dot cylinder block of six (2 x 3) with [R. 18/1] missing "£" sign, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. U491, a. Photo on page 90. £80-£100
- †2513 ◆ £2 in a D1 D1 pD1 no dot cylinder block of six (2 x 3) with [R. 18/1] missing "£" sign, fine unmounted mint. S.G. Spec. U491, a. Photo on page 95. £80-£100



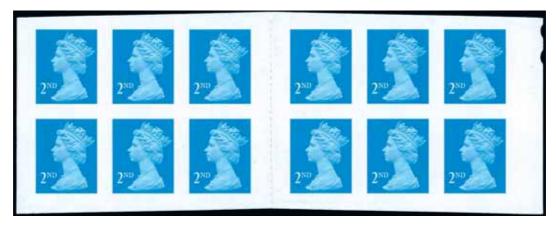
†2514 🔾 🖽 2000 £5 brown, De La Rue recess printing, variety imperforate in a block of four, fine unmounted mint, rare. S.G. Y1803a, cat. £6,000. Photo. £1,500-£2,000

Decimal Machins: Booklets



2516

- 2515 A duplicated accumulation in a binder and loose with machine books to £2, denominated and NVI window books, Christmas, Greetings, Prestige, etc., also a few Machin and regional cylinder blocks. £600-£650
- †2516 □ B Self-Adhesive Booklets: 2001 Submarines plain booklet variety imperforate, a few minor creases and the panes with some separation, otherwise fine. S.G. 2207ab, cat. £5,250. Photo. £800-£1,000



†2517 B • - 2004 (June 15) Walsall self-adhesive 12 x 2nd booklet completely imperforate with matrix intact, cover with a few minor bends, cut slightly obliquely, uncatalogued. S.G. ME4 var. Photo. £1,500-£2,000



1988-97 Castle High Values

Signed Covers

2520 A collection of mainly R.A.F. Museum covers in 27 albums and in envelopes, with a comprehensive range of series, many signed incl. Barnes Wallis, W.W.II pilots, escaped P.O.W.'s, medal recipients, etc. (many 100s) £500-£600

Regionals





2521

- †2521 **③ B Wales:** 1971-93 2½p. bright magenta CB, in an unmounted mint block (2 x 7) from the left of the sheet, top three pairs are imperforate, lower pair of three showing some blind perfs at base and part way up sides, resulting in two completely imperforate pairs, fine and scarce. S.G. W13Ega, cat. £2,400+. Photo. **£600-£700**
- †2522 ■ 2½p. bright magenta CB, in an unmounted mint block (2 x 3) from the top of the sheet, top pair completely imperforate, next pair part imperforate with some blind perf., lower pair normal. S.G. W13Ega, cat. £800+. Photo.

First Day Covers

2523 ☑ An accumulation of mainly single stamp large Benham silk f.d.c's, late 1990s to early 2000s, with commemoratives, regionals, Machins to £5, a few other covers, etc. (few 100s) £150-£200

Postage Dues

2524 ❖ An unmounted mint selection on stock cards, incl. 1914-22 to 1s. (2), 1924-31 to 2s.6d., 1936-37 to 2s.6d. (2), 1937-38 to 2s.6d., 1951-52 to 1s., 1954-55 to 2s.6d., 1955-57 to 5s., 1969-63 to £1, etc., mainly fine. (104)

£600-£700

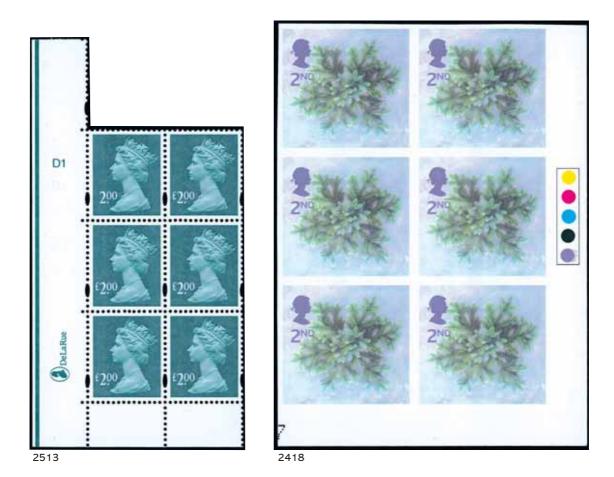
Channel Islands

2525 🗷 1940-43 envelopes (5), incl. 1941 (Feb. 17) envelope bearing 1940 Centenary 2d. bisected block of four ("V" shaped), 1941 (Feb. 24) envelope bearing 1940 Centenary 2d. bisected and used on the last day, etc., good to fine.

£100-£150

2526 ☑ **Guernsey:** 1940 to 1945 collection of covers on pages incl. bisect covers comprising 1940 (Dec. 27, first day) and 1941 (Feb. 1) covers bearing Centenary 2d. orange diagonal bisects, 1941 (Jan. 27) bearing diagonally bisected 2d. orange definitive, variety of occupation issues on cover, first day, cancelled at Sark, etc., some toning but mainly good to fine. (22) £80-£100

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