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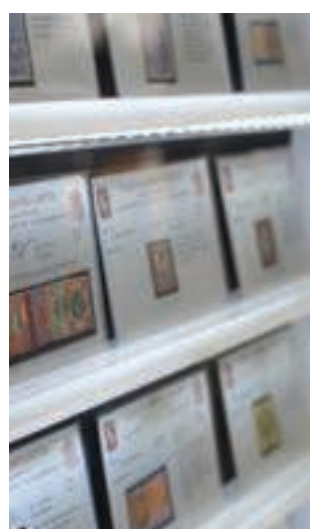
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INTRODUCTION

Dear Collector

Welcome to our latest brochure. We are currently breaking down a 'four kings' and QEII collection, you will see a number of examples included, particularly in the Downey Head section. We have a small number of postal history items from our ever-growing stock but a dedicated list on the subject will be out in the summer.

This time we have included an article from the journal archive of the Great Britain Philatelic Society (GBPS), which we hope our customers will enjoy. The Society deals with all aspects of GB philately. For more information and how to join please go to www.GBPS.org.uk.

Should you wish to discuss any items or are seeking advice on your collection, we would be delighted to hear from you. Our contact details are on the next page or you can also use the enclosed order form and send it to the printed address.

As always our stock is continually changing so please do check our website or provide us with your wants list to receive direct offers as soon as new items arrive.

We hope you enjoy browsing this list and we look forward to seeing many of you next time you are visiting the Strand.

Yours sincerely

The Great Britain team

1881 Boat Race

John Forbes-Nixon

The first Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race was held in 1829 at Henley, and from 1839–1842 at Putney. Currently it is run from Mortlake to Putney, upstream, with the 4 miles 374 yards run taking about 20 minutes to complete, but times from 16 minutes 17 seconds to 36 minutes have been recorded for the race. At the time of writing this, in February 2012, the scores were: Oxford 76 wins; Cambridge 80 wins — including one dead heat and one race when both boats sank in 1912, with Oxford winning on the re-run. Since 1846, the Race has been held annually, except during the two World Wars. This printed envelope (*Fig. 1*) depicting a euphoric rower waving an oar and holding a winner's wreath, used locally in London on 12 May 1881, could have been celebrating



Fig. 1



'People who always see the Race.'

FROM AN APRIL 1881 ISSUE OF THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS

Oxford's 76th win of the Race on 8 April in that year (Oxford won by three lengths in a time of 21 minutes 51 seconds). That it is a printed envelope suggests that many such envelopes were used, although I have not seen another. The illustration in *Fig. 2* is from a supplement to a contemporary issue of the *Illustrated London News*, and was drawn by Harry Furniss, who is well known for his caricature of the 1890 Jubilee Envelope. ☒

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1

SG 3 1840 1d Grey black Pl. 1a. Superb used good to huge four margin example lettered TA showing moderate plate wear, neatly cancelled by a crisp red MC. Spec. AS2. P190002763 £675



2

SG 2 1840 1d Black Pl. 1a. Very fine used four margin example lettered HD, lightly cancelled by a red MC. Spec. AS20. P190001558 £425



3

SG 2wi 1840 1d Black Pl. 1b (Wmk. Inverted). Very fine used four margin example of this scarce watermark variety lettered JK neatly cancelled by a red MC. Also showing clear evidence of re-entry characteristic of this lettering. Spec. AS5b/l. P11202150 £2500



4

SG 2 1840 1d Black Pl. 1b. Very fine used large four margin example lettered TC, neatly cancelled by a complete crisp black MC. Most attractive. Spec. AS5. P189011642 £575



5

SG 3 1840 1d Grey-black Pl. 2. Very fine used four margin top marginal example lettered AG, beautifully cancelled by a red MC. Most attractive and very scarce so fine. P190002724 £550



6

SG 3 1840 1d Grey-black Pl. 3. Very fine used good to large four margin example lettered KD, neatly cancelled by a crisp upright black MC. Most attractive. Spec. AS21. P189011695 £550



7

SG 2 1840 1d Black Pl. 4. Very fine used four margin example lettered CJ, neatly cancelled by a crisply struck bright red MC. Spec. AS23. P189014974 £425



8

SG 2 1840 1d Black Pl. 5 (State 1). Superb used very large four margin example lettered FB, beautifully cancelled by an almost complete crisp upright red MC. Exhibition quality. Spec. AS25. P189011731 £650



9

SG 2 1840 1d Black Pl. 6. Very fine used four margin example lettered GJ, neatly cancelled by a crisp upright red MC. Spec. AS41. P190001562 £425



10

SG 3 1840 1d Greyish-black Pl. 7. Superb used good to very large four margin example lettered EG, beautifully cancelled by a crisp carmine-pink MC. Most attractive and unusual coloured cancel. Spec. AS45. P189011746 £850



11

SG 3 1840 1d Greyish-black Pl. 10. Very fine used good to very large four margin example lettered QA, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. A lovely example of this difficult plate. Spec. AS67. P189017281 £825



12

SG 4 1840 2d Deep full blue. Very fine used four margin example lettered ND, neatly cancelled by a crisp red MC and a small part black straightline receiving office handstamp. P190003191 £950



13

SG 5 1840 2d Blue Pl.1. Very fine used good to large four margin horizontal pair lettered FK-FL, neatly cancelled by a pair of crisp red MC's. Spec. DS5. Cat. £2000. P11211501 £1600



14

SG 5 1840 2d Blue. Very fine used four margin example lettered HG, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. Spec. DS5. P190003192 £650



15

SG 5 1840 2d Blue Pl.1. Very fine used four margin example lettered SC, neatly cancelled by a crisp red MC. Most attractive. Spec. DS5. P189017291 £825



16

SG 6 1840 2d Pale-blue Pl.1. Very fine used close to large four margin example lettered MD, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. Spec. DS6. P190000393 £575



17

SG 7 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.1b. Superb used close to huge four margin example lettered RF, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. Spec. AS6. Cat. £350. P190003098 £250



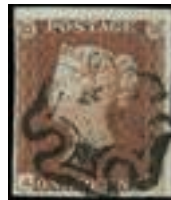
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SG 7 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.2. Fine used four margin example lettered DK, neatly cancelled by a black MC. Spec. AS18. Cat. £325. P189006461 £250



19

SG 7 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.10. Very fine used close to good four margin example lettered DJ, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. Spec. AS69. Cat. £190. P178010727 £120



20

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.12. Very fine used good to large four margin example lettered AL, neatly cancelled by a black MC. Spec. BS1. P190003103 £75



21

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.17. Very fine used close to good four margin example lettered ND, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. Spec. BS6. P190003105 £55



22

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.18. Fine used good to very large four margin example lettered TE showing a pronounced basal shift variety. Cancelled by a slightly indistinct black MC leaving the majority of the Queen's profile clear. Scarce plate. Spec. BS7b. P189006471 £120



23

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.19. Very fine used four margin example lettered ED, neatly cancelled by a black MC. Spec. BS8. P190003106 £60



24

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.20. Very fine used four margin example lettered SJ showing Double letter "S" variety, neatly cancelled by a black MC clear of variety. Spec. BS9b. P190003109 £80



25

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.22. Very fine used four margin example lettered AG, cancelled by a black MC. Spec. BS11. P190003111 £60



26

SG 8m 1841 1d Red brown Pl.24. Superb used large four margin example lettered RD, neatly cancelled by a crisp black London No.2 in MC. Spec BS13ub. P189011715 £180



27

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.26. Very fine used four margin example lettered RF showing line through "F" variety, neatly cancelled by a black MC well clear of variety. Spec. BS15e. P190003115 £70



28

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.27. Superb used large four margin example lettered SH, neatly cancelled by a black MC. Spec. BS16. P190003172 £60



29

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.28. Very fine used four margin example lettered DH, cancelled by a black MC. Spec. BS17. P190003176 £60



30

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.33. Superb used large four margin example lettered EL, neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC. Scarce so fine. Spec. BS3. P189011708 £70



31

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.34. Very fine used four margin example lettered EI, neatly cancelled by a black MC leaving a clear profile. Spec. BS23. P190003200 £65



32

SG 9 1841 1d Pale red-brown (Worn Plate) Pl.41. Very fine used four margin example lettered PF, cancelled by a part black numeral. Spec. BS26D. P190003206 £45



33

SG 8 1841 1d Red brown Pl.70. Exceptionally fine and fresh large four margin unused o.g. example lettered FK. Magnificent colour and gum, very difficult to find so fine. P190003187 £600



34

SG 9 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.72. Very fine used large four margin example lettered MH, neatly cancelled by a Taunton "776" numeral. Spec. BS28. P190003207 £30



35

SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.96. Very fine used large four margin example lettered RC, neatly cancelled by a Clonmel "142" Irish numeral. Spec. BS31. P190003208 £40



36

SG 12 1841 1d Orange brown Pl.107. Exceptionally fine and fresh close to huge four margin unused o.g. example lettered TE accompanied by a 1986 RPS Cert. A lovely example of this very rare plate. P10106407 £1250



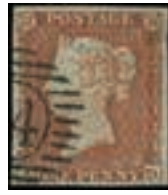
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SG 8 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.125. Very fine used good to large four margin example lettered IC, neatly cancelled by a Winchcombe "536" numeral. Spec. BS32. P190003209 £35



38

SG 8var 1841 1d Red-brown on thicker, lavender tinted paper. Pl.135. Very fine used large four margin example lettered SA, neatly cancelled by a crisp Bridgend "120" numeral. Lovely lavender tint. Spec. B2(1)k. P189002135 £225



39

SG 9 1841 1d Pale red-brown (Worn Plate, Alphabet II) Pl.155. Very fine used four margin example lettered AD, cancelled by a part black London district numeral. Spec. B2(1). P190003214 £35



40

SG 8 1841 1d Red brown Pl.175. Very fine used four margin example lettered TF, neatly cancelled by small part Irish numeral leaving the majority of the Queen's portrait clear. An exceptional example of this very scarce plate. 2003 RPS Cert. P190001580 £950



41

SG 14 1841 2d Blue Pl.4. Very fine used four margin example lettered DJ, cancelled by a Loughborough "475" Numeral. Spec. ES14a P190002791 £90



42

SG 14 1841 2d Blue Pl.4. Very fine used four margin example lettered RI, cancelled by a London City "16" numeral. Spec. ES14a P190002765 £90



43

SG 16b 1850 1d Red brown Pl.97 (Archer trial perforation). Very fine used example of this rare trial perforation lettered GI, neatly cancelled by a lightly struck numeral. Exceptionally well centred for this issue. Spec. CE2. P190001577 £575



44

SG 17 1854 1d Red-brown Pl.179. Pristine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal example lettered RA. Beautiful colour and gum, very scarce so fine. P189001417 £500



45

SG 21 1855 1d Red brown Pl.4 (Wmk. Small Crown, Perf 16). Very fine used mis-perforated example lettered TJ, showing a significant shift so that the word "POSTAGE" is omitted. Neatly tied to a small piece by a Liverpool "466" type C3 spoon for MY.11.1855. Unusual. Spec. C4(1). P167005679 £75



46

SG 20 1854 2d Blue Pl.4 (Wmk. Small Crown, Perf.16). Very fine used example lettered PD, neatly cancelled by a Huddersfield "387" numeral. P189011738 £100



47

SG 21 1855 1d Red brown Pl.6. Very fine used example lettered SC, neatly cancelled by a crisp part Scottish "16?" numeral. Spec. C4.

P178004179 £65



48

SG 22 1855 1d Red-brown Pl.197. Superb unused o.g. example lettered HI. A beautiful mint and exceptionally well centred example of this extremely scarce plate. Rarely seen so fine.

2019 PTS Cert. P190003632 £1250



49

SG 22 1855 1d Red brown Pl.R5. (Wmk. Small Crown, Perf 14). Very fine used example lettered CK, neatly cancelled by a Bath "53" numeral. Spec. C2(1). P189014092 £90



50

SG 24 1855 1d Red-brown (Die II, Wmk SC, Perf 14) Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example lettered NK. A beautiful lightly hinged example of this very difficult stamp. Spec. C3.

P190000911 £700



51

SG 29var 1855 1d Red-brown Pl.2. Superb used example beautifully tied to a small piece by a crisp Dalmington brownish-black cds for JA.25.1856. A difficult stamp to find cancelled so fine. Spec. C6(1). P190003189 £110



52

SG 34 1855 2d Blue Pl.5. Very fine unused o.g. example lettered HD. Lovely fresh colour. Scarce so fine. 2011 BPA Cert.

P190002794 £2850



53

SG 23a var 1855 2d Blue Pl.5. Very fine unused close to large four margin top marginal imperforate imprimatur lettered AB, showing part sheet inscription. Very rare one of only 21 examples that have been removed from the imprimatur sheet, several of which are in institutional collections. Ex.

"Verus". P14517100 £8500



54

SG 24 1855 1d Red-brown Pl.1. (Wmk. Small Crown, Alphabet II, Perf 14). Superb unmounted o.g. example lettered AG. Lovely fresh impression, scarce so fine. P178002257 £750



55

SG 24 1855 1d Red-brown Pl.10 (Wmk. SC, Perf. 14). Very fine used example lettered KF, neatly tied to a small piece by a Bristol "134" type IIA sideways duplex for JA.7.1856. Spec. C3(1).

P167009824 £90



56

SG 29var 1855 1d Red-brown Pl.9 (Wmk. LC, Perf. 14). Very fine used example lettered RD, neatly tied to a small piece by a green Cork "156" English type spoon duplex for JA.3.1856. Spec. C6(1). P167009601 £225



57

SG 29var 1856 1d Red brown Pl.46. Superb unused top left hand corner marginal imperforate imprimatur lettered AA, showing part sheet inscription and plate number "46". Rare. Ex. Clark (1946) & "Verus". P14517131 £2750



58

SG 36a 1858 2d Blue Pl.6. (Perf 16). Very fine used well centred example lettered IK, neatly cancelled by a crisp Cardiff "162" numeral. Attractive Welsh usage. P189006377 £275



59

SG 38var 1857 1d Pale rose Pl.47
(Transitional issue on cream toned paper).
Very fine used example lettered EE, neatly
tied to piece by a black, boxed "SANDPORT
STREET" Scots local cancellation (Type
XVIII). Scarce. Spec. C9(4). P178005262 £75



60

SG 43 1864 1d Rose-red Pl.71.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered JB.
P189017957 £70



61

SG 43 1864 1d Rose-red Pl.73.Very fine unused
o.g. example lettered NE. P189017961 £60



62

SG 43 1864 1d Rose-red Pl.89.Very fine well
centred unmounted o.g. example lettered GH.
P189017980 £80



63

SG 43 1866 1d Rose-red Pl.99.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered RI.
P189018001 £95



64

SG 43 1866 1d Rose-red Pl.100.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered GJ.
P189018003 £100



65

SG 43 1866 1d Rose-red Pl.103.Very fine
unused o.g. example lettered KF.
P189018032 £70



66

SG 43 1868 1d Rose-red Pl.106.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered OJ.
P189018042 £95



67

SG 43 1868 1d Rose-red Pl.113.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered DI.
P189018071 £90



68

SG 43 1868 1d Rose-red Pl.119.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered JH.
P189018116 £80



69

SG 43var 1868 1d Rose red Pl.120. Superb
unused four margin top left hand corner
marginal imperforate imprimatur lettered AA,
showing part sheet inscription, part current
number and plate number "120". Very rare,
believed to be one of only two corner
examples in private hands. P11210232 £1600



70

SG 43 1868 1d Rose-red Pl.121.Very fine
unmounted o.g. example lettered RI.
P189018118 £75



71

SG 43 1869 1d Rose-red Pl.127.Very fine unmounted o.g. example lettered ME. P189018122 £100



72

SG 43 1870 1d Rose-red Pl.137.Very fine unmounted o.g. example lettered BI. P189018132 £55



73

SG 43 1871 1d Rose-red Pl.151.Very fine unmounted o.g. example lettered FB. P190000138 £110



74

SG 43 1872 1d Rose-red Pl.155.Very fine unmounted o.g. example lettered EJ. P190000147 £70



75

SG 43 1872 1d Rose-red Pl.157.Very fine unmounted o.g. example lettered MH. P190000150 £90



76

SG 43 1872 1d Rose-red Pl.159.Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal example lettered TA. P190000155 £65



77

SG 43 1872 1d Rose-red Pl.160.Very fine used example lettered JJ, neatly cancelled by a London Newspaper Branch cds for AU.14.1873. P190002593 £30



78

SG 43 1872 1d Rose-red Pl.161.Very fine well centred unmounted o.g. example lettered RB. P190000163 £100



79

SG 43 1874 1d Rose-red Pl.176.Very fine used example lettered RK, neatly cancelled by a Kingston on Thames cds for MR.15.1878. P190002594 £35



80

SG 43 1874 1d Rose-red Pl.177.Very fine used example lettered EE, neatly cancelled by a Glasgow cds for DE.11.1879. P190002599 £40



81

SG 43 1876 1d Rose-red Pl.189.Very fine used example lettered PE, neatly cancelled by a crisp part Elgin cds. P190002601 £45



82

SG 43 1876 1d Rose-red Pl.195.Superb well centred unmounted o.g. example lettered JH. P190002798 £90



83

SG 43 1877 1d Rose-red Pl.208.Very fine unmounted o.g. example lettered OJ.
P190002885 £100



84

SG 43 1878 1d Rose-red Pl.218.Very fine unmounted o.g. well centred example lettered PJ. P190002887 £125



85

SG 48 1870 1/2d Rose red Pl.1.Very fine and fresh unused o.g. right hand marginal imperforate example lettered CX showing part sheet inscription.Lovely fresh colour and extremely rare to find a marginal example. 2010 BPA Cert. P11206111 £3000



86

SG 48 1870 1/2d Rose red Pl.4. Superb unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal vertical pair lettered SX-TX (Bottom stamp unmounted o.g.) showing imperf at right variety, full deckle edge selvage and Plate number "4".A very attractive and scarce positional piece. P190002609 £800



87

SG 48 1870 1/2d Rose-red Pl.9.Very fine unused o.g. block of four lettered EK-FL with good perforations and colour, centred high to the right and a couple split perforations at right nevertheless a magnificent multiple of this rare plate. Cat £24000. 1959 RPS Cert. Ex."Verus".
P15602411 £8500



88

SG 51 1870 1/2d Rose red Pl.3.Very fine used example lettered HH, neatly cancelled by a part cds for NO.4.1878. P190002613 £95



89

SG 54 1847 1s Pale green.Very fine used good to huge four margin top right hand corner marginal example cancelled by a Liverpool "466" numeral and a part red "PAID" handstamp at lower left. P189015037 £850



90

SG 60s 1854 6d Purple.Very fine and fresh unused o.g. four margin left hand marginal example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 2.Very scarce so fine. Spec. H3t. G1564207 £3800



91

SG 66 1857 4d Rose-carmine (Wmk. Large garter).Very fine used example neatly cancelled by a crisp Glasgow "159" duplex. Lovely fresh colour. £95



92

SG 68 1856 6d Lilac (Wmk. Emblems). Superb used right hand wing margin example, neatly tied to a small piece by a Canterbury cds for OC.22.1857, and a part red Boston Paid cds.Wonderful example, scarce so fine, P189016093 £175



93

SG 84 1856 6d Lilac Pl.3. Very fine well centred unused o.g. example lettered OK showing only the merest hint of a previous hinge. Scarce so fine. P189007149 £2250



94

SG 84 1862 6d Lilac Pl.3. Very fine used example lettered GL, neatly cancelled by Ayton cds' for FE.23.1863. P190002890 £150



95

SG 85wi 1864 6d Deep lilac Pl.4. (Hair Lines, Wmk. Inverted). Very fine used example cancelled by the cds portion of a Glasgow "159" duplex for SP.9.1865. Scarce watermark variety especially with a cds cancellation. Spec. J72(f). P16705219 £475



96

SG 93 1873 4d Dull vermilion Pl.14. Very fine used example lettered ML, neatly cancelled by a crisp Newcastle-on-Tyne cds for DE.29.1873. P190002623 £110



97

SG 94 1873 4d Vermilion Pl.14. Very fine used example lettered PI, neatly cancelled by a crisp London cds for OC.3.1873. P190002626 £110



98

SG 95 1865 4d Deep vermilion Pl.12. Superb used example lettered BI, neatly cancelled by a crisp Burnley cds for JU.1.1872. P190002622 £100



99

SG 103 1872 3d Rose Pl.9. Very fine used example lettered IC, neatly cancelled by a crisp Girvan cds' for MR.7.1873. P190002627 £85



100

SG 110 1867 9d Straw Pl.4. Very fine used example lettered BK, tied to a small piece by a crisp Edinburgh "*131*" duplex for AU.28.1868. Attractive Scottish usage. P190003222 £195



101

SG 117 1867 1s Green Pl.4. Superb unmounted o.g. bottom marginal example lettered EK showing part sheet inscription. A wonderful fresh example with lovely colour and gum. P189015705 £1200



102

SG 115 1871 1s Deep green Pl.5. Superb used right hand wing margin example lettered KD, neatly cancelled by a crisp Liverpool Exchange cds for MY.6.1872. Wonderful intense shade. P190002891 £90



103

SG 117 1871 1s Green Pl.5. Very fine used example lettered LE, neatly cancelled by a crisp Southampton Head Telegraph Office cds for JU.1.1872. P190002639 £50



104

SG 115 1871 1s Deep green Pl.6. Very fine and fresh used example lettered QK, neatly cancelled by a crisp London cds for OC.21.1872. Wonderful intense shade. P190002892 £90



105

1880 Tender essays. Very fine composite die proof of the eight designs comprising of 4x2d, 2x1½d and 2x1d, tendered by Perkins Bacon in January 1880. Printed in light red brown on thin wove paper, light horizontal crease at top nevertheless an important and scarce piece. See Specialised Vol. I catalogue pg.228. P190001616 £975



106

SG 122 1872 6d Deep chestnut Pl.I.I. Superb used right hand wing margin example lettered KH, neatly cancelled by a crisp Tynan cds for SE.25.1872. Attractive Irish usage. P190002643 £125



107

SG 122a 1872 6d Chestnut Pl.I.I. Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example lettered KC. Scarce so fine. P190000909 £800



108

SG 122a 1872 6d Chestnut Pl.I.I. Superb used left hand wing margin example lettered LE, neatly cancelled by a crisp Douglas, Isle of Man cds for AU.27.1872. Attractive Island usage. P190002644 £75



109

SG 122b 1872 6d Pale chestnut Pl.I.I. Very fine used right hand wing margin example lettered FD, beautifully cancelled by a crisp Delvin cds for OC.30.1872. Attractive Irish usage. P190002894 £85



110

SG 126 1867 5s Rose Pl.I. Very fine used example lettered AA, neatly cancelled by a crisp upright Saltley cds for JA.6.1872. A beautiful example with exceptionally deep colour for this issue. P190001575 £600



111

SG 126 1867 5s Rose Die Proof. Superb example in black on white glazed, cut down and mounted on white card with corner squares and plate number void. Ex. De La Rue Archive. P09009806 £3800



112

SG 128 1878 10s Greenish-grey Pl.I. Very fine used example lettered CE, neatly cancelled by a crisp West Hartlepool cds for JU.22.1882. Most attractive. G1120388 £3200



113

SG 129s 1878 £1 Brown-lilac. Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example lettered FG, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9. Beautiful colour and gum, very rarely seen this fine. P189003575 £5750



114

SG 129 1878 £1 Brown-lilac Pl. I. Very fine used well centred example lettered HC, neatly cancelled by a crisp Glasgow cds for DE.23.1882. Lovely fresh colour, very scarce so fine. G1673940 £3500



115

SG 137 1882 £5 Orange Pl. I. Very fine used example lettered CI, neatly cancelled by a crisp Derby cds for NO.28.1899. Most attractive. P12303293 £3250



116

SG 133var 1882 £5 Orange Pl. I (Blued paper). Very fine unused large part o.g. example lettered BL overprinted with three "SPECIMEN" type 9 handstamps (twice diagonally, once horizontal). A couple of slightly soiled perfs at top nevertheless a very scarce variety of fine appearance. Spec. J128va. Cat. £6800. P07809274 £2750



117

SG 141 1879 2½d Rosy mauve Pl. 16. Very fine used example lettered HE, neatly cancelled by a crisply struck London E.C. coded "C" (Type I) experimental squared circle datestamp for DE.16.1879, The East Central London office was the first London office and only the third office nationwide to be issued with Squared Circle datestamps after Leeds and Liverpool. Proofs were taken on NO.26.1879, with the earliest recorded example noted two days later on NO.28.1879. Wonderful first month of usage, scarce so fine. P189014119 £125



118

SG 142 1880 2½d Blue Pl. 19. Very fine used well centred example lettered AL, neatly cancelled by a crisp strike of a London "Fancy Geometric" squared circle datestamp for DE.2.1880. (Type IIA). P190002656 £55



119

SG 144 1873 3d Pale rose Pl. 11. Very fine and fresh well centred unmounted o.g. example lettered HK. Lovely colour. P190000904 £575



120

SG 147 1874 6d Grey Pl. 13. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. example lettered RK. Scarce. P189015178 £675



121

SG 150 1875 1s Green Pl. 12. Very fine used example lettered HJ, neatly cancelled by a Birmingham cds for JU.4.1877. P190002896 £150



122

SG 152s 1876 4d Vermilion Pl. 15. Superb unmounted o.g. left hand marginal example lettered OA showing part sheet inscription, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9. lovely colour, gum and centring. P14505015 £425



123

SG 153 1877 4d Sage green Pl. 16. Very fine used horizontal pair lettered ED-EE, cancelled by crisp Panama "C35" type 4 numerals. Spec. Z87. P190002898 £375



124

SG 153 1877 4d Sage green Pl. 16. Very fine used example lettered LJ, cancelled by a super Jacmel, Haiti "C59" type 4 numeral. Spec. Z11. P190002899 £175



125

SG 154 1880 4d Grey-brown Pl.17 (Wmk. Large garter). Superb used well centred example lettered DG, cancelled by a crisply struck part Kirriemuir cds leaving a clear profile. Difficult adhesive, rarely seen so fine. P167005335 £575



126

SG 158 1881 3d Rose Pl.21. Very fine used example lettered DB, neatly cancelled by a Liverpool cds for AU.24.1882. P190002900 £110



127

SG 162 1883 6d on 6d Lilac Pl.18. Very fine used example lettered PC, cancelled by a West Bromwich squared circle. P15606677 £100



128

SG 168var 1880 2d Artist's essay. Superb hand-painted example by DLR in black and Chinese white directly onto thick card (24 x 27mm) in a design very similar to the issued 5d stamp. Exceptional quality. Unique. P189015612 £5500



129

SG 163 1881 1s Orange-brown Pl.14. Superb unmounted o.g. example lettered IE. Wonderful quality, an exceptional example. P190002902 £975



130

SG 172var 1881 1d Colour trial (Die 2, 16 Dots). Very fine imperforate example printed in carmine-rose on white gummed, Crown watermarked paper. Scarce. Ex. "Verus". P14514987 £2250



131

SG DP20 1840 1d Rainbow trial. Very fine and fresh four margin left hand marginal example printed in deep dull blue on thin white wove, printed from the second trial plate, state 2c. Rare. Spec. DP20(c) P14500334 £2750



132

SG 176 1884 5s Rose (Blued paper). Superb used well centred example lettered ID, beautifully cancelled by a crisp Dingwall cds for JY.18.1884. Lovely fresh colour, rarely seen so fine. 2004 BPA Cert. G1010542 £4000



133

SG 180 1883 5s Rose (White paper). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example lettered GD. P190000902 £1100



134

SG 180s 1884 5s Rose. Very fine unused o.g. example lettered AC, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 12. Rarely seen with this specimen type. Spec. K12(1)t. P12304370 £550



135

SG 181 1884 5s Crimson. Superb used example lettered MD, beautifully cancelled by a crisp Sunderland cds for JA.29.1890. Scarce so fine. P189012216 £250



136

SG 183 1884 10s Ultramarine (White paper). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example lettered KC. P190000903 £2250



137

SG 185 1884 £1 Brown-lilac (Wmk.Three Crowns).Very fine used example lettered BD, neatly cancelled by a crisp East India Rd. cds for JY.22.1885. G1120389 £2950



138

SG 187 1883 ½d Slate-blue. Superb unmounted o.g. example. P190002903 £50



139

SG 191 1883 3d Lilac.Very fine used example lettered BL neatly cancelled by a crisp Clevedon cds for AU.27.1884. Scarce so fine. P190002915 £100



140

SG 195 1883 9d Dull green.Very fine used example lettered LD, neatly cancelled by a crisp Carlisle cds for DE.10.1883. Scarce so fine. P190002918 £475



141

SG 195var 1883 9d Dull Green. (Forgery).Very fine used example lettered BA, printed on genuine paper from which the original impression has been faded out. Cancelled by an Aintree cds for JA.29.1890. Unusual. P15608383 £350



142

1885 Adopted "Jubilee" head die proof (Die 288).Very fine example printed in black on white glazed card, with circular black surround with two slots and solid shading around head. Endorsed "BEFORE HARDENING" and dated "2 JUL 85". Scarce, Wiseman rarity H. Ex."Aureum". P15613179 £1500



143

SG 197var 1887 ½d Vermilion.Very fine unused o.g. (lightly mounted in margin only) top marginal example with variety "Imperforate top margin". Light gum bend in margin nevertheless of fine appearance and extremely rare, believed to be one of only four examples recorded. Spec. K27(2)h. Ex. Silkin, Kay Jay & Aureum. P15612378 £3750



144

1900 Machine Cancellation. Matched pair of 1d Lilac (Perfined GWR) and ½d blue-green "Jubilee" each tied to a small piece by a Boston No. 4 machine cancels for FE.14+18.1900. Extremely rare with the year in four digits, only recorded for a few days in February. P190002856 £150



145

1900 Machine Cancellation. Matched pair of 1/2d blue-green "Jubilee's" tied to small pieces by Boston No's. 3+4 machine cancels for OC.12+NO.10.1900. Scarce. P190002854 £40



146

SG 202, 214 1887 3d Purple/Yellow & 1900 1s Green & carmine "Jubilee". Very fine piece bearing a single 3d Purple/yellow (SG 202) and a horizontal pair of 1s Green & carmine (SG 214) all neatly tied by crisp South Shields cds' for MR.29.1901. A wonderful piece. P178004219 £225



147

SG 201 1887 2 1/2d "Jubilee". Very fine used example cancelled by an Aden squared circle postmark NO.14.1897. Most unusual overseas usage. P190001736 £75



148

SG 205var 1887 4d Green & purple brown "Jubilee" (Repp Paper). Very fine unused o.g. top right hand corner marginal block of four from marginal setting 5, setting 5 with lined blocks and continuous rules cut away at corners originating from the 9th to 14th 80 set printings and the 15th to 21st 160 set printings representing approximately 64% of the total print run for this issue. An attractive multiple on Repp "Ribbed" paper, three stamps unmounted o.g. Spec. K33(1). Ex. "Aureum". P15614123 £220



149

SG 206var 1892 4½d "Jubilee" Marginal Setting Die Proofs. Very fine set of two sunken die proofs, the head plate proof endorsed "DIVISION LEAD OF THE OUTER LINE" with marginal line in black set wide and the duty plate proof with marginal line in red set close and endorsed "THE RED TO BE MADE UP BY CUTTING THE EDGE ON THE DIVISION LEADS OF THE INNER LINE DOWN TO THE SAME PLANE AS THE LINE" with an additional 4½d as issued alongside with marginal line added in red ink. Both dated "August 16th 92" and initialed "T.A.P.". Believed to be a unique set of instructions to the composing room for the divisional leads of the marginal rules. Stunning exhibition showpiece. Ex. Stothert & "Aureum".

P15613020 £6000



150

SG 207var 1885 5d "Jubilee" hand painted essay. Superb example mounted on a small piece of white card and painted on buff paper in blue, lilac and chinese white. Produced by DLR as possible designs for the forthcoming "Jubilee" issue. Unique. G1564337 5500



151

SG 207 1887 5d Dull purple & blue (Die 1). Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. top marginal example. P190001337 £1100



152

SG 208s 1887 6d Purple/rose red "Jubilee". Very fine unused o.g. example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 twice, unusual. Spec. K37(1)e. P190001584 £65



153

SG 208s 1887 6d Purple/rose red "Jubilee". Very fine unused o.g. example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 12. Scarce. Spec. K37(1)e. P190001585 £95



154

SG 209s 1887 9d Dull purple & blue. Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9. Spec. K38(1)s. P190001587 £70



155

SG 210var 1890 10d Dull purple & carmine "Jubilee" (Repp Paper). Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal block of four from marginal setting 2, with jubilee lines, head plate line cut away at corners and horizontal lined blocks, printed on Repp "Ribbed" paper. Spec. K39(1). Ex. "Aureum". P15614148 £550



156

SG 210s 1890 10d Dull purple & carmine. Very fine unused o.g. example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9. Spec. K39(1)s. P190001591 £110



157

SG 212 1891 £1 Green. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. example lettered KD, very scarce so fine. 1999 Diena Cert. G1455258 £5000



158

SG 214 1900 1s Green & Carmine "Jubilee". Very fine used example neatly cancelled by a crisp Sheffield cds for MR.30.1901. Most attractive. P190002921 £140



159

SG O3s 1882 1d Lilac, Die II (I.R. Official). Superb unmounted o.g. top marginal example, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9. P178013111 £200



160

SG O4 1882 6d Grey Pl.18 (I.R. Official). Very fine used horizontal pair lettered MB-MC, beautifully cancelled by a single Registered Oxford oval datestamp for DE.2.1899. An Exceptional example. P16700472 £225



161

SG O9cs 1885 10s Cobalt (I.R. Official, blued paper). Very fine unused o.g. example lettered CB, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 11. Spec. L8(2)s. 2005 RPS Cert. P09011744 £3800



162

SG O16 1892 £1 Green (I.R. Official). Superb used example lettered OA beautifully cancelled clear of Queen's portrait by a crisp Accounts Branch/Glasgow cds for OC.7.1892. Lovely deep vibrant colour. P04501619 £2200



163

SG O19 1901 1s Green & carmine (I.R. Official). Very fine used example neatly tied to small piece by the usual oval Registered/Manchester datestamp for AU.14.1902. A lovely example of this difficult departmental issue of which only 2280 were printed. 2017 RPS Cert. P190000398 £1600



164

SG O41/5 1896-01 1/2d-6d Army Official. Superb unused o.g. set of five. P190000822 £170



165

SG O41 1896 ½d Vermilion (Army Official). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal "P" control strip of three. Scarce. P16700531 £300



166

SG O43 1896 1d Lilac (Army Official). Very fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal strip of three with "V" control. Scarce. P15612346 £250



167

SG O66as 1887 6d Purple/rose-red (Govt. Parcels). Very fine unmounted o.g. example, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9 showing variety "No dot under T". Scarce. P15612232 £350



168

SG O70 1891 2d Grey green & carmine (Govt. Parcels). Very fine unmounted o.g. example. P13411126 £325



169

SG O70s 1891 2d Grey green & carmine (Govt. Parcels). Very fine unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9. Scarce. P15612224 £350



170

SG O71var 1892 4½d Green & carmine (Govt. Parcels). Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. example showing Open top to "S" variety from position R.2/1. Scarce so fine. Spec. L26c P167003617 £750



171

SG 218 1904 ½d Yellowish green (Wmk. Inverted). Superb unused o.g. part booklet pane of four with St. Andrews cross label, excellent perms. Cat £700 as a pane of six. P189016907 £175



172

SG 218 1904 ½d Yellowish green. Very fine unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal F7 control block of four, perf type V2. Scarce. P189016908 £28



173

SG 219var 1901 1d Composite "Paste Up" essay of the Victorian 1d lilac. A spectacular Series "A" essay with a lithographed three-quarter portrait of King Edward VII mounted on card and cut to slightly larger than stamp size. A magnificent essay and exhibition piece, believed to be one of only two or three examples in private hands **G1565036 £6500**



174

SG 221 1902 1 1/2d Dull purple & green (O). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M8(1). **P189016950 £95**



175

SG 221 1902 1 1/2d Dull purple & green (O). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M8(1). **P189016951 £50**



176

SG 222 1902 1 1/2d Slate purple & green (O). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M8(2). **P189016952 £95**



177

SG 222 1902 1 1/2d Slate purple & green (O). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M8(2). **P189016953 £50**



178

SG 222a 1902 1 1/2d Slate purple and green (O). Very fine unused o.g. horizontal pair printed by DLR with the left hand example showing "Deformed Leaf" variety from Pl.D4 position R.19/1. Spec. M8(2)e. **P189016944 £825**



179

SG 223 1905 1 1/2d Pale dull purple & green (C). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M9(1). **P189016978 £45**



180

SG 224var 1905 1 1/2d Deep slate purple & bluish green (C). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M9(3). **P189017012 £95**



181

SG 225 1902 2d Yellowish green & Carmine-red (O). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M11(1). **P189017022 £70**



182

SG 225 1902 2d Yellowish green and carmine-red (O). Very fine used example printed by DLR, neatly cancelled by a Midsomer Norton cds for SP.26.1903. Spec. M11(1). **P190002926 £30**



183

SG 226 1904 2d Grey-green & Carmine-red (O). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M11(4). **P189017023 £125**



184

SG 226 1904 2d Grey-green & Carmine-red (O). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M11(4). **P189017027 £85**



185

SG 228var 1910 2d Grey-green & scarlet (C).
Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by
DLR. Spec. M12(4). P189017041 £80



186

SG 228var 1910 2d Grey-green & scarlet (C).
Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR.
Spec. M12(4). P189017044 £45



187

SG 229 1907 2d Dull blue green & carmine (C).
Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR.
Spec. M12(2). P189017030 £90



188

SG 230 1902 2½d Ultramarine. Very fine
unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec.
M16(2). P189017076 £34



189

SG 230 1902 2½d Ultramarine. Very fine
unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec.
M16(2). P189017079 £20



190

SG 230var 1902 2½d Deep
ultramarine. Very fine unmounted o.g.
bottom marginal example printed by
DLR. Spec. M16(1). P189017085 £50



191

SG 230var 1902 2½d Deep ultramarine. Very
fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec.
M16(1). P189017089 £35



192

SG 232b 1902 3d Deep purple/orange-yellow
(O). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed
by DLR. Spec. M19(2). P189017110 £90



193

SG 232b 1902 3d Deep purple/orange-yellow
(O). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by
DLR. Spec. M19(2). P189017112 £45



194

SG 233 1906 3d Dull reddish purple/Yellow
(C). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by
DLR. Spec. M20(3). P189017115 £225



195

SG 234 1906 3d Purple/lemon (C). Very fine
unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec.
M20(5). P189017118 £85



196

SG 234 1906 3d Purple/lemon (C). Very fine
unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec.
M20(5). P189017119 £45



197

SG 238 1906 4d Deep green & Chocolate-brown (C).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M24(2). P189017311 £40



198

SG 240 1909 4d Pale orange.Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec M25(2). P189017344 £45



199

SG 240 1909 4d Pale orange.Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec M25(2). P189017354 £20



200

SG 241 1909 4d Orange-red.Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec M25(3). P189017360 £25



201

SG 243 1902 5d Slate purple & ultramarine (O).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M28(2). P15610891 £65



202

SG 243a 1906 5d Slate purple and ultramarine (C).Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec M29(2). P15607774 £115



203

SG 243a 1906 5d Slate purple & ultramarine (C).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M29(2). P189017525 £55



204

SG 243a 1906 5d Slate purple & ultramarine (C).Very fine unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal block of four (Bottom pair unmounted o.g.) printed by DLR. Lovely fresh colour. Spec. M29(2). P189017527 £350



205

SG 245 1902 6d Pale dull purple (O).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M31(1). P189017549 £45



206

SG 246 1902 6d Slate purple (O).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M31(2). P189017551 £45



207

SG 248 1906 6d Dull purple (C).Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M32(2). P189017573 £85



208

SG 248 1906 6d Dull purple (C).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M32(2). P189017574 £45



209

SG 249 1910 7d Grey-black.Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M37(1). P189017700 £24



210

SG 251var 1902 9d Slate-purple and deep ultramarine (O).Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec M39(3). P189017716 £140



211

SG 251a var 1905 9d Slate purple and pale ultramarine (C).Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M40(2). P189017719 £275



212

SG 255 1906 10d Slate purple and carmine (C). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M43(2) P189017788 £140



213

SG 256 1910 10d Dull purple and scarlet (C). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec. M43(5) P189017791 £140



214

SG 256a 1910 10d Dull purple and scarlet (C). Very fine unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal block of four printed by DLR. Top right hand stamp showing variety "No cross on Crown". Attractive multiple with this scarce variety. Spec. M43(5)d. P189017805 £1500



215

SG 257 1902 1s Dull green & carmine (O). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by DLR. Spec M45(1). P189017851 £100



216

SG 257 1902 1s Dull green & carmine (O). Superb used example printed by DLR, cancelled by a crisp Liverpool cds for NO.16.1903. Spec M45(1). P190002927 £50



217

SG 260/66s 1902 2s6d Lilac, 5s bright carmine, 10s ultramarine & £1 dull blue green.Very fine and fresh unused large part o.g. set of four overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 16. Light vertical crease affecting the £1 value nevertheless an attractive and scarce set to assemble. P11213032 £1500



218

SG 260var 1902 2s6d Lilac. Very fine unused o.g. example overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 16. Ex. "Minoru". P15611847 £400



219

SG 262 1905 2s6d Dull purple (C). Superb unmounted o.g. example printed by DLR. Lovely deep colour. Spec. M49(2). P189015083 £600



220

SG 265 1902 10s Ultramarine. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. right hand marginal example printed by DLR. Spec. M53(1). P07800707 £2000



221

SG 266 1902 £1 Dull blue-green. Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example printed by DLR, a lovely example showing only the meereest trace of a previous hinge. Spec. M55(1). P05604640X £2000



222

SG 268 1911 1/2d Dull green (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. matching pair of bottom left hand corner marginal "A 11" control blocks of four printed by Harrison & Sons from perf type H2 & H2A. Specs. M3(2). P189016909 £25



223

SG 272 1911 1d Rose red (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal "A 11" (W) control block of four printed by Harrison & Sons, perforation type H2A. Spec. M6(1). P189016928 £30



224

SG 274 1911 1d Rose-carmine (Perf. 14). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M6(5). P18901019 £85



225

SG 276 1911 2½d Bright blue (Perf. 14). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M17(2). P189017095 £175



226

SG 276 1911 2½d Bright blue (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. top marginal example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M17(2). P189017099 £65



227

SG 277var 1911 3d Dull reddish purple/lemon (Perf. 14). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M21(4). P189017256 £225



228

SG 277var 1911 3d Dull reddish purple/lemon (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M21(4). P189017259 £125



229

SG 278 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. top left hand corner marginal block of four (Bottom pair unmounted o.g.) printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M26(1). P189017426 £675



230

SG 278 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 14). Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom marginal example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M26(1). P189017428 £225



231

SG 278 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M26(1). P189017431 £120



232

SG 279/86 1911 ½d-4d Definitives (Perf. 15x14). Very fine unmounted o.g. set of five printed by Harrison & Sons. P189006761 £250



233

SG 279var 1911 1/2d Pale bluish green (Perf. 15x14). Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal control "A 11" block of four printed by Harrison & Sons, perforation type V3. Showing 1/2 date cuts under "HA" of first stamp from Plate 58c (Right sheet). Spec. M4(4).

P189016912 £325



234

SG 279 1911 1/2d Dull green (Perf. 15x14). Very fine unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal control "A 11" block of four printed by Harrison & Sons, perforation type V3A. Spec. M4(1). P189016918 £225



235

SG 279a 1911 1/2d Deep dull green (Perf. 15x14). Very fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal block of four printed by Harrison & Sons, perforation type V3. Spec. M4(2). P189016913 £160



236

SG 272 1911 1d Rose red (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal "A 11" (W) control block of four printed by Harrison & Sons, perforation type VI. Spec. M6(1). P189016926 £100



237

SG 276 1911 2 1/2d Bright blue (Perf. 14). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M17(2). P189017096 £175



238

SG 276 1911 2 1/2d Bright blue (Perf. 14). Very fine unused o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M17(2). P189017098 £65



239

SG 277var 1911 3d Dull reddish purple/lemon (Perf. 14). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M21(4). P189017257 £225



240

SG 278 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 14).
Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom marginal
example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec.
M26(1). P189017427 £225



241

SG 278 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 14).
Very fine unused o.g. example printed by
Harrison & Sons. Spec. M26(1). P189017432
£120



242

SG 281 1911 1d Rose carmine (Perf. 15x14). Very
fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal
"A11" (C) control block of four printed by
Harrison & Sons, perforation type V3. Spec. M7(5).
P189016931 £75



243

SG 282 1911 1d Pale rose carmine (Perf. 15x14).
Very fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner
marginal "A11" (C) control block of four printed
by Harrison & Sons, perforation type V3A. Spec.
M7(4). P189016932 £120



244

SG 283 1911 2½d Bright blue (Perf.
15x14). Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom
marginal example printed by Harrison &
Sons. Spec. M18(2). P189017103 £50



245

SG 284 1911 2½d Dull blue (Perf. 15x14). Very fine
unused o.g. top right hand corner interpanneau
marginal example printed by Harrison & Sons.
Spec. M18(3). P189017109 £22



246

SG 284 1911 2½d Dull blue (Perf. 15x14). Very
fine unmounted o.g. example printed by
Harrison & Sons. Spec. M18(3). P189017108
£50



247

SG 285 1911 3d Purple/lemon (Perf. 15x14).
Very fine unused o.g. example printed by
Harrison & Sons. Spec. M22(1). P189017261
£45



248

SG 286 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 15x14).
Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by
Harrison & Sons. Spec. M27(1). P189017445
£60



249

SG 286 1911 4d Bright orange (Perf. 15x14).

Very fine unused o.g. example printed by Harrison & Sons. Spec. M27(1). P189017449

£30



250

SG 287 1911 1 1/2d Reddish purple & bright green. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal example printed at Somerset House.

Spec. M10(1). P189016989 £90



251

SG 287var 1912 1 1/2d Dull reddish purple & bright green. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom marginal example printed at Somerset House.

Spec. M10(3). P189016993 £55



252

SG 287var 1912 1 1/2d Dull reddish purple & bright green. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom marginal example printed at Somerset House.

Spec. M10(3). P189016992 £55



253

SG 287var 1912 1 1/2d Dull reddish purple & bright green. Very fine unused o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M10(3).

P189016994 £30



254

SG 287var 1912 1 1/2d Dull reddish purple & green. Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M10(4).

P189017008 £55



255

SG 289 1912 1 1/2d Slate-purple & green. Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M10(7).

P189017016

£65



256

SG 290 1911 2d Deep dull green & red. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal example printed at Somerset House.

Spec. M13(1). P189017047 £60



257

SG 294 1911 5d Deep dull reddish purple & bright blue. Very fine unmounted o.g. matched pair of bottom left hand corner marginal blocks of four printed at Somerset House. One block showing continuous rules from the 1st Somerset House printing of 1911 using Head plate 3 as used by DLR, the second with coextensive rules from either of the four remaining Somerset House printings between December 1911 and 1913. Lovely fresh colour and gum. Spec. M30(3) P189017543 £595



258

SG 295 1911 6d Royal purple (F). Superb unused o.g. top right hand corner marginal interpanneau block of four of this distinctive shade printed at Somerset House, two stamps unmounted o.g. from plate 14a showing two circular scoops containing purple dots made by cutting into the last interpanneau pillar. Wonderful fresh colour and gum. Spec. M33(1).

P189017643 £325



259

SG 296s 1911 6d Bright magenta (C). Very fine unused o.g. example printed at Somerset House, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 22. Extremely rare. Spec. M35s.

P11216330 £4500



260

SG 297 1911 6d Dull purple. Very fine and fresh unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal example printed at Somerset House showing date cuts under P or 12th stamp. Spec. M33A(1). P189017632 £150



261

SG 298 1911 6d Reddish purple (F). Very fine unused o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M33(2). P189017626 £30



262

SG 298 1911 6d Reddish purple (F). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M33(2). P189017621 £60



264

SG 301 1913 6d Dull purple (Dickinson coated paper). Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M34(1).

P189017692 £425



265

SG 301 1913 6d Dull purple (Dickinson coated paper). Very fine unused o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M34(1). P189017690

£250



263

SG 299 1911 6d Very deep reddish purple (F). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal interpanneau block of four printed at Somerset House. Spec. M33(3).

P189017687 £240



266

SG 303a 1913 6d Deep plum (C). Very fine unused o.g. block of four printed at Somerset House showing variety "No cross on crown" on top left hand stamp from Pl.9. position R. 11/11. Scarce. Spec. M36d. P189017698 £1250



267

SG 305var 1910 7d Deep slate grey. Superb unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal block of four printed at Somerset House. Wonderful deep colour. Spec. M38(1). P189017713 £500



268

SG 305 1912 7d Slate grey. Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M38(2). P189017705 £30



269

SG 306 1911 9d Reddish purple & light blue. Very fine unused o.g. top left hand corner marginal block of four printed at Somerset House. Lovely fresh colour. Spec. M41(1). P189017734 £400



270

SG 306a 1911 9d Deep dull reddish purple & deep bright blue. Very fine unused o.g. top left hand corner marginal block of four printed at Somerset House with the right hand vertical pair showing varieties "Damaged S.E. corner" and "Damaged upper right corner" from Pl.H2, Pane D Position R.1/2 & R.2/2 respectively. Spec M41(2)d&e. P189017733 £750



271

SG 307 1911 9d Dull reddish purple & blue. Very fine unused o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M41(3). P189017737 £60



272

SG 308 1912 9d Slate purple & cobalt blue (F). Very fine unused o.g. top right hand corner marginal block of four (Three stamps unmounted o.g.) printed at Somerset House. An attractive multiple of this difficult shade. Spec. M41(4). P189017744 £975



273

SG 309 1911 10d Dull purple and scarlet. Very fine unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal block of four printed at Somerset House. Attractive multiple, lovely fresh colour and gum. Spec. M44(3). P189017833 £850



274

SG 311 1912 10d Dull reddish purple and carmine. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal block of four printed at Somerset House from the 2nd printing in May 1912 (Plates H2b/D(1a)). An attractive multiple, lovely fresh colour and gum. Spec. M44(6). P189017841 £750



275

SG 313 1911 1s Deep green and scarlet. Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset house. Spec. M47(2). P189017870 £180



276

SG 313 1911 1s Deep green and scarlet. Very fine unused o.g. example printed at Somerset house. Spec. M47(2). P189017874 £80



277

SG 314 1912 1s Green & carmine. Superb unmounted o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal block of four printed at Somerset house with date cuts and red dots in margin below bottom right hand stamp. Taken from the 4th Somerset House printing of April 1912, Plates H2C/B5a. Spec. M47(5). P189017886 £800



278

SG 314 1912 1s Green & carmine. Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset house. Spec. M47(5). P189017881 £140



279

SG 314 1912 1s Green & carmine. Very fine unused o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal example printed at Somerset house with date cuts and red dots in margin from the 4th Somerset House printing in April 1912 H2C/B5a. Spec. M47(5). P189017885 £60



280

SG 316 1911 2s6d Dull reddish purple. Very fine unused o.g. example printed by S.House. P15608386 £300



281

SG 318 1912 5s Carmine. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M52(2). P189015082 £875



282

SG 319var 1911 10s Deep blue. Very fine unmounted o.g. well centred example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M54(3). G1340023 £2200



283

SG 319 1912 10s Blue. Very fine used example neatly cancelled by a Guernsey cds for FE.1.1913. Spec. M54(2). P189015088 £600



284

SG 320 1911 £1 Deep green. Very fine unused o.g. top marginal example printed at Somerset House. Spec. M56(1). P189017913 £2000



285

SG O25 1902 5s Bright carmine (I.R. Official). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example of this rare departmental issue accompanied by a 1996 BPA Certificate. G0780139 3 6000



286

SG O36 1902 1/2d Blue-green (O.W. Official). Very fine used example cancelled by a Parliament St. cds for MY.12.1904. Scarce. P189000991 £180



287

SG O48 1902 1/2d Blue green (Army Official). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. matched pair of bottom right hand corner marginal horizontal strips of three from continuous rule controls "A" & "B", both showing variety long top to second "F" on central stamp. Scarce. Spec. MO19j. Ex. "Minoru". P14508152 £450



288

SG O87s 1902 1s Dull green & carmine (Board of Education). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example of this great departmental rarity overprinted "SPECIMEN" type I6. Spec. MO27s. 1973 & 1989 BPA Certificates. P14514560 £25000



289

SG O103 1903 1 1/2d Dull purple & green (Admiralty Official). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example overprinted type O10. Spec. MO32. 2012 RPS Cert. P189005626 £325



290

SG O104 1903 2d Yellowish green & carmine-red (Admiralty Official). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example overprinted type O10. Spec. MO33. 2012 RPS Cert. P189005628 £350



291

SG 321 1911 1/2d Pale green (Die 1A, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. A11(w) control block of six (Perf type 2), printed from plate 7 showing variety "White spot at top of forehead" in position R.19/3 (variety unmounted o.g.). Spec. N1d. P190000310 £325



292

SG 324wi 1911 1/2d Yellow green (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown Inverted). Superb unmounted o.g. example. Spec. N2(3)b. P190000320 £35



293

SG 324aw 1911 1/2d Yellow green (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown Inverted). Superb unmounted o.g. booklet pane of six (Perf type E). Spec. NB1a. P190000318 £350



294

SG 324a 1911 1/2d Yellow green (Die 1b, Wmk. Crown upright). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. booklet pane of six (Perf type E), perforations at foot slightly trimmed nevertheless a presentable example. Spec. NBI. Cat £250 P190000317 £110



295

SG 325 1911 1/2d Bright green (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. A11(C) control block of six (Perf type 1), printed from plate 10b showing variety "White spot right of left 1/2" in position R.20/3 (variety unmounted o.g.). Spec. N2(1)h. P190000313 £325



296

SG 325var 1911 1/2d Green (Die 1A, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. A11(W) control pair (Perf type 1A). Spec. N2(2). P190000314 £75



297

SG 325wi 1911 ½d Bright green (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown Inverted). Superb unmounted o.g. example. Spec. N2(1)b. P190000321 £35



298

SG 328 1911 1d Pale carmine (Die 1A, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. A 11(w) control block of six (Perf Type 2c). Spec. N7(5). P190000451 £125



299

SG 329 1911 1d Carmine (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. A.11 control block of six (Perf Type 2A). Spec. N8(1). P190000456 £65



300

SG 330 1911 1d Pale carmine (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. A 11(C) control block of four (Perf Type 2) showing variety "Pale Lion" from Pl.12. Position R.19/12. Spec. N8(2)k. P190000457 £275



301

SG 332wi 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 1B, Wmk. Crown Inverted). Very fine unmounted o.g. example. Spec. N9(1)a. P190000472 £80



302

SG 336 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 1B, Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher). Very fine unmounted o.g. example. Spec. N10(1). P190000497 £40



303

SG 338a 1912 ½d Deep green (Die 2, Wmk. Crown). Very fine unused o.g. block of four, bottom pair unmounted o.g. showing "No cross on crown" variety. Spec. N4(3). P190000391 £350



304

SG 339var 1912 ½d Pale green (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. B12(C) control block of six (Perf type 2). Spec. N4(2). P190000348 £125



305

SG 340 1912 ½d Yellow green (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. B12(W) control block of six (Perf type 2A). Spec. N4(6). P190000368 £65



306

SG 341var 1912 1d Carmine (Paper Trial). Very fine unused imperforate block of four printed on John Dickinson extra superfine very white paper. Scarce multiple so fine. Wove paper trial Spec.(a). P190000827 £295



307

SG 341var 1912 1d Scarlet (Paper Trial).Very fine unused imperforate horizontal pair printed on John Allen special finish paper. Wove paper trial Spec (e). P190000832 £140



308

SG 341var 1912 1d Scarlet (Paper Trial).Very fine unused imperforate top marginal example printed on gummed, John Allen special finish paper. Wove paper trial Spec (h). P190000833 £75



309

SG 342 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. B.11 control block of six (Perf type 2). Spec N11(1). P190000630 £75



310

SG 342var 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. B11 control strip of three (Perf type 1A) showing "Coloured blob on O of ONE" variety from Pl.5b Position R.20/10. Spec N11(1)e. P190000527 £275



311

SG 342wi 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk Crown Inverted).Very fine unused o.g. right hand marginal example of this difficult watermark variety. Spec N11(1)a. P190000512 £425



312

SG 342 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. B11 control block of six (Perf type 2). Spec N11(1). P190000534 £35



313

SG 342 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. B12(C) control block of six (Perf type 2) Bottom strip unmounted o.g. Spec N11(1). P190000622 £45



314

SG 342a 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk Crown).Very fine unused o.g. block of four; bottom left hand example showing "No cross on crown" variety. Spec N11(1)b. P190000502 £120



315

SG 344 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher).Very fine unused o.g. B12(C) control block of six (Perf type 2A). Spec. N5(1). P190000396 £30



316

SG 344 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher).Very fine unused o.g. B13 control strip of three (Perf type 2). Spec. N5(1). P190000407 £30



317

SG 344wi 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher, Inverted).Very fine unused o.g. example of this difficult watermark variety. Spec. N5(1)b. P190000415 £375



318

SG 344wj 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher, Reversed).Very fine unused o.g. example of this difficult watermark variety. Spec. N5(1)c. P190000416 £375



319

SG 344wj 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher, Reversed).Very fine unused o.g. example, a couple blunt perforations at right nevertheless a presentable example of this difficult watermark variety. Spec. N5(1)c. Cat £375. P190000421 £175



320

SG 345 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher).Very fine unused o.g. B 13 control block of six (Perf type 2A). Spec N12(1). P190000650 £30



321

SG 345 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher).Very fine unused o.g. B 13 control block of six (Perf type 2). Spec N12(1). P190000647 £45



322

SG 345 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher). Very fine unused o.g. B 12(W) control block of six (Perf type 2A) Bottom strip of three unmounted o.g. Spec N12(1). P190000646 £60



323

SG 345wi 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher Inverted).Very fine unused o.g. example. Spec N12(1)b. P190000652 £18



324

SG 345wj 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher Reversed).Very fine unused o.g. example. Spec N12(1)c. P190000653 £125



325

SG 345wk 1912 1d Bright scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher Inverted & Reversed).Very fine unused o.g. horizontal pair showing "No cross on crown" variety on left hand stamp.An unusual combination of printing and watermark variety, scarce. Spec N12(2)f. P190000654 £225



326

SG 345a 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher).Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal horizontal pair showing "No cross on crown" variety on left hand stamp. Spec N12(1)e. P190000656 £175



328

SG 346wk 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Multiple" Cypher, Inverted & Reversed).Very fine unused o.g. left hand marginal example. Spec. N6(1)c. P190000425 £100



327

SG 346 1912 1/2d Green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Multiple" Cypher).Very fine unused o.g. B12(C) control block of six (Perf type 2). Spec. N5(1).

P190000431 £75



329

SG 348wj 1912 1/2d Pale green (Die 2,Wmk. Royal "Multiple" Cypher, Reversed).Very fine unmounted o.g. B12(C) control block of six (Perf type 2) of this difficult watermark variety. Spec. N5(2)b. P190000428

£160



330

SG 349 1912 1d Bright scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Multiple Cypher).Very fine unmounted o.g. example. Spec N13(2). P190000704 £25



332

SG 350 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Multiple Cypher).Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal example. Spec N13(1).

P190000702 £25



331

SG 350 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Multiple Cypher). Superb unmounted o.g. B 12(W) control block of six (Perf type 2A) Spec N13(2).

P190000728 £60



333

SG 350wi 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2,Wmk. Multiple Cypher Inverted).Very fine unused o.g. Spec N13(1)a. P190000742 £30



334

SG 350wj 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2, Wmk. Multiple Cypher Reversed). Very fine unused o.g. Spec N13(1)b. P190000746 £30



335

SG 350a 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2, Wmk. Multiple Cypher). Very fine unused o.g. left hand marginal block of nine, showing "No Cross on Crown" variety on stamps 3, 5 & 8. The bottom two varieties unmounted o.g. Spec N13(1)f. 1960 BPA Cert. P190000814 £550



336

SG 350a 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2, Wmk. Multiple Cypher). Very fine unused o.g. block of four, top left hand example showing "No Cross on Crown" variety. Spec N13(1)f. P190000811 £175



337

SG 350b 1912 1d Scarlet (Die 2, Wmk. Multiple Cypher). Very fine unused large part o.g. horizontal imperforate pair. Spec N13(1)e. P190000818 £150



338

SG 351-68 1912 1/2d-2d Definitives (Wmk. Royal "Simple" Cypher). Very fine set of four values, each neatly tied to two small pieces by crisp type Z2 "ASCENSION" cds' (23mm, code "B"), dated "JU.17.1913". Z39, Z40, Z41 & Z42. P190002939 £250



339

SG 357,366 1920 Maritime mail. 1d Bright Scarlet & 2d Orange (Die 1) used together on small piece, each stamp cancelled by a superb strike of the Southampton/France/MB (Mobile Box) cds for AU.17.1920. Most attractive. P190001748 £30



340

SG 369var 1912 2d Intense bright orange. Superb unmounted o.g. example of this scarce shade. Spec. N19(9). 2002 RPS cert. P11204673 £1200



341

SG 390 1914 8d Black/yellow. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom corner marginal D14, Perf type 2(E.) control strip of three. P189010962 £185



342

SG 390 1916 8d Black/yellow. Very fine unmounted o.g. bottom marginal 116, Perf type 2A(P.) control example. P189010956 £65



343

SG 391 var 1917 8d Black on yellow-buff (Granite paper. No Wmk). Superb unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal example with this very rare watermark variety. Scarce. Spec. N28(2)a. G1564973 £3500



344

SG 394wi 1913 10p Turquoise blue (Wmk. Inverted). Very fine unused o.g. M19 control example printed from plate 1c, perf type 2 and watermark type III. A lovely example of this very rare watermark variety. Spec. N31(2)a. G1671789 £3000



345

SG 401 var 1913 5s Carmine-red. Very fine and fresh unused o.g. lightly mounted well centred example. A lovely example of this more difficult Waterlow shade. Spec. N66(3). P190000807 £850



346

SG 401 1913 5s Rose-carmine. Very fine used well centred example printed by Waterlow, neatly cancelled by a lightly struck Registered/Gresham House datestamp for JA.29.1915, leaving the King's profile clear. Spec. N66(1). P189007117 £280



347

SG 402s 1913 10s Indigo-blue. Very fine unmounted o.g. example printed by Waterlow, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 26. Scarce. Spec. N69(1)t. P11207579 £1000



348

SG 402 1913 10s Indigo-blue. Very fine used example neatly cancelled by a lightly struck Guernsey cds. Excellent colour and perforations. Spec. N69(1). P190000804 £425



349

SG 403 1913 1s Green. Very fine and fresh well centred lightly mounted unused o.g. example printed by Waterlow. Spec. N72(1). P178012031 £2750



350

SG 403 1913 1s Green. Very fine used example cancelled by a lightly struck Guernsey cds for NO.19.1914, printed by Waterlow. Most attractive. P190000799 £1200



351

SG 405wi var 1915 2s6d Deep yellow-brown (Wmk. "Postage" inverted). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. horizontal strip of four showing this rare watermark variety from the bottom row of a watermark inverted sheet. Spec. N64(6)y. P190000336 £7500



352

SG 405var 1915 2s6d Very deep brown. Very fine unused o.g. example of this difficult DLR shade. Spec. N64(11). 2010 RPS Cert.

G1673953 £2250



354

SG 405 1915 2s6d Deep yellow-brown. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal block of four printed by DLR. Spec. N64(5). P190000337 £2750



353

SG 405 1915 2s6d Deep yellow-brown. Very fine unused o.g. lightly mounted example printed by DLR. Spec. N64(5). P190000797

£375



356

SG 406 1915 2s6d Yellow-brown. Superb unused o.g. lightly mounted example printed by DLR. Spec. N64(6). P190000796 £325



355

SG 406var 1915 2s6d Yellow-brown. Very fine and fresh, well centred unmounted o.g. block of four printed by DLR, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 24. Scarce. Spec. N64(6)t. P190000339 £400



357

SG 407 1915 2s6d Grey-brown. Superb unused o.g. top left hand corner marginal example printed by DLR. Spec. N64(3).

P190000719 £400



358

SG 407 1915 2s6d Grey brown (Worn plate). Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal example printed by DLR. Spec N64(3). P15600471 £700



359

SG 410 1915 5s Pale carmine (very worn plate). Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal block of six printed by DLR. A very scarce multiple, especially so fine. Spec. N67(3). P190000331 £8500



360

SG 410 1915 5s Pale carmine (worn plate). Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal example printed by DLR. Spec. N67(3). P190000324 £1400



361

SG 410var 1915 5s Carmine (No Watermark). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal example, small gum diagonal gum crease nevertheless a magnificent example of this great rarity of which only two or three examples are recorded. Ex. Hassan Shaida & Charwell. Spec. N67(2)a. 1967 RPS Cert P190000334 £15000



362

SG 410 1915 5s Pale carmine. Very fine used example printed by DLR, neatly cancelled by a Shorncliffe/Folkestone cds for AU.17.1915. Most attractive. P190000717 £425



363

SG 410wj 1915 5s Pale carmine (Wmk. Reversed & misplaced). Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal pair of this rare DLR watermark variety. Ex. Hassan Shaida. Spec. N67(3)c. P190000332 £12500



364

SG 411 1915 10s Deep blue. Superb used well centred example printed by DLR, neatly cancelled by a very lightly struck Brighton cds. An exceptional example showing significant plate wear, very rarely seen so fine. 2012 RPS Cert. P189006778 £1000



365

SG 412 1915 10s Blue. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. top right hand corner marginal example printed by DLR. Spec. N70(1). P190000328 £4000



366

SG 412var 1915 10s Bright blue. Very fine used example beautifully cancelled by a crisp London/Z cds for MR.20.1917 with a second small part cds at left. Tiny 1mm split at upper right between perfs, not visible from face and not detracting from this very attractive example of this difficult shade. Spec. N70(7). Cat. £1100. P190000403 £475



367

SG 412var 1915 10s Bright "Cambridge" blue. Very fine unmounted o.g. top marginal example of this very scarce DLR shade. Spec. N70(3). 1978 RPS Cert. G15642241 £4000



368

SG 413a var 1918 2s6d Dull sepia brown. Very fine used example printed by Bradbury Wilkinson, neatly cancelled by a Guernsey cds for MR.6.1919 leaving the King's profile clear. Spec. N65(2). P190003233 £85



369

SG 414var 1918 2s6d Chocolate brown. Very fine unused o.g. well centred example printed by Waterlow, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 33. Very scarce. Spec. N65(3)zd. P11208297 £1000



370

SG 415a 1918 2s6d Pale brown. Very fine used example printed by Bradbury Wilkinson, neatly cancelled by a lightly struck cds for FE.18.1925 leaving the King's profile clear. Spec. N65(5). P189007126 £80



371

SG 416var 1918 5s Rose-carmine. Very fine used example printed by Bradbury Wilkinson, neatly cancelled by a Gee Cross cds for JY.4.1930 leaving the King's profile clear. Spec. N68(1). P189007137 £135



372

SG 417 1919 10s Dull grey-blue. Very fine used example printed by Bradbury Wilkinson, neatly cancelled by a Guernsey cds for FE.25.19??. Spec. N65(2). P190003235 £175



373

SG 417a 1919 10s Dull grey-blue. Very fine and fresh unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal example printed by Bradbury Wilkinson from plate 1/3L showing clear evidence of major re-entry. Scarce. Spec. N71(2)a. P190000343 £2250



374

SG 434/7 1929 ½d-2½d Postal Union Congress. Very fine unmounted o.g. set of five including both the blue and pale blue shades of the 2½d value. P190000688 £95



375

SG 438 1929 £1 Postal Union Congress. Very fine used example with a lightly struck cds cancellation. P190000682 £550



376

SG 438 1929 £1 Postal Union Congress. Very fine used example neatly tied to a small piece by crisp Threadneedle Street B.O. cds's for MY.10.1929. (First day of issue). A spectacular piece used on the first day of issue. Rare. 2014 BPA Cert. P190000677 £2500



377

SG 441 var 1934 1½d "Photogravure" essay. Very fine unused o.g. example of the "Vandyk" portrait design printed in brown on coated Harrison script watermarked paper. Rare, one of only six examples. See Specialised Vol.2 catalogue pg.178 Type "E". P11201190 £2000



378

SG 441 1934 1½d Red-brown (Large Format). Very fine unmounted o.g. V34 cylinder 34 (no dot) control pair, perf type 2(I/E). P189005753 £55



379

SG 441 1934 1½d Red-brown (Large Format). Very fine unused o.g. V/34 cylinder 101 (No dot) control block of four, perf type 6(I/P). P189005785 £30



380

SG 441 1934 1½d Red-brown (Large Format). Very fine unused o.g. V/34 cylinder 47 (Dot) control block of four, perf type 2A(P/P). P189005772 £50



381

SG 442 1934-35 2d Orange (Intermediate Format). Very fine unused o.g. group of three control blocks of six from Controls V/34 & W/35, Cyl. 5 (dot) showing both states I and II of the original and re-etched cylinder numbers. All three blocks perf type 6B(E/P). P189005796 £110



382

SG 450/2 1934 2s6d-10s "Seahorses" (Re-engraved). Superb used set of three, each stamp neatly cancelled by a crisp cds. P190003245 £190



383

SG 455var 1935 2d Silver Jubilee hand painted essay. A superb unadopted hand painted essay in deep green and chinese white around a bromide portrait of the King in military uniform. A magnificent and unique piece.

G1671748 £3500



384

SG 455var 1935 1½d Silver Jubilee (Wmk. Inverted). Very fine unmounted o.g. example, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 28p twice and punched. Very scarce. Spec. NCom12at.

P16700540 £300



385

SG 453var 1935 ½d Silver Jubilee. Very fine unused o.g. example, overprinted "CANCELLED" type 33p twice and punched. Very scarce. Spec. NCom10u. P16700539 £300



386

SG 452 1934 10s Indigo (re-engraved). A magnificent used block of eleven each stamp cancelled by a Tadworth cds for NO.23.1939. A very impressive multiple, Scarce so fine. P190003281 £475

Shown at 90%



387

SG 458 1936 1d Scarlet. Superb unmounted o.g. A/37 control block of six from cylinder 14 dot, perf type 5 (E/I). Scarce. P190003280 £125



388

SG 462ab 1940 1/2d Green (Wmk. Sideways). Very fine unmounted o.g. booklet pane of four with selvedge at top (Perf. type I). P189006365 £110



389

SG 463ab var 1940 1d Booklet pane (Wmk. Sideways, Perf type E). Very fine unmounted o.g. B17 (top row) cylinder pane of four. Scarce. Spec. QB11. P178003416 £275



390

SG 464b 1937 1 1/2d Booklet pane (Wmk. Upright, Perf type B4B(E)). Very fine unmounted o.g. example with advert "Send Your Good Wishes/By Greetings Telegram" showing cylinder "G18." dot. Spec. QB23(11). P189005676 £180



391

SG 464b 1937 1 1/2d Booklet pane (Wmk. Upright, Perf type B4(E)). Very fine unmounted o.g. example with advert "Send Your Good Wishes/By Greetings Telegram" showing cylinder "G18" No dot. Spec. QB23(11). P189005677 £180



392

SG 474 1939 10d Turquoise-blue. Superb unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal block of six from cylinder 7 no dot, perf type 6(I/P). A wonderful example of this difficult cylinder block. P189005514 £200



393

SG 464b 1937 1½d Red-brown. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. G37 (no dot) advertising pane "YOU CAN REACH YOUR/FRIENDS AT SEA BY RADIO TELEGRAM", perf type B3(I). Spec. QB23(12). P190001051 £180



395

SG 464c 1937 1½d Red-brown. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. G28. (dot) perf type B4A(I) pane of six. Spec. QB21. P190001087 £75



394

SG 464bw 1937 1½d Booklet pane (Wmk. Inverted, Perf type I). Very fine unused o.g. example with advert "Saving is Simple/Home Safe". Spec. QB23(10). P189005657 £90



396

SG 485cw 1942 ½d Pale green. Very fine unmounted o.g. booklet pane of six with watermark inverted, perf type I. Spec. QB4a. P190001057 £45



397

SG 487b 1947 1½d Pale red-brown. Very fine unmounted o.g. Control U/47 Cyl. 185. (no dot) booklet pane of two Perf type (E). Spec. QB25. P190002658 £55



398

SG 488e 1942 2d Pale orange. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. H47 (no dot) booklet pane of six, perf type B3(I). A few slightly trimmed perfs nevertheless a very presentable example of this difficult cylinder pane. Cat. £200. Spec. QB30. P190001090 £110



399

SG 488e 1942 2d Pale orange. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. H29. (dot) booklet pane of six, perf type B6(1e). Spec. QB30. P190001063 £85



400

SG 489 1941 2½d Light ultramarine. Superb unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal Q/45 control block of six from cylinder 184 dot, perf type 6(I/P). Scarce. P189005488 £150



401

SG 489f 1942 2½d Light Ultramarine. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. J28. (dot) booklet pane of six, perf type B4A(1). Spec. QB33. P190001069 £85



402

SG 489f 1942 2½d Light Ultramarine. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. J53. (dot) booklet pane of six, perf type B6(1e). Spec. QB33. P190001071 £60



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403

SG 496a 1948 3d Olympics. Superb unmounted corner marginal Cyl. I (no dot) block of nine showing "Crown" and "hooked 3" flaw from positions R.20/2 and R.19/2 respectively. Spec. QCom15a/c. P190003248 £110



404

SG 504d 1952 1d Light Ultramarine. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. F5. (dot) booklet pane of three plus labels "MINIMUM INLAND PRINTED MATTER RATE 1½d." 1st setting 17mm, perf type B6(1e). Spec. QB18. P190001085 £50



405

SG 504f 1953 1d Light Ultramarine. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. F8 (no dot) booklet pane of six, perf type B3(l). Spec. QB15. P190001084 £65



406

SG 507 1942 2½d Pale scarlet. Very fine unmounted o.g. pair of cylinder 279 (Dot & No Dot), no control blocks of six with perforation type 5. P14507759 £80



407

SG 507c 1951 2½d Pale scarlet. Very fine unmounted o.g. Cyl. J70. (dot) booklet pane of six, perf type B6(1e). Spec. QB34. P190001086 £60



408

SG 515/31 1952-54 ½d-1s6d "Wildings" (Wmk. Tudor Crown). Very fine unmounted o.g. set of seventeen. P190001795 £100



409

SG 542 1955 1½d Green (Wmk. St. Edwards Crown). Very fine unused o.g. pair of booklet panes of six (1 pane u/m) showing all “dot” and “no dot” combinations for cylinder numbers G10(T). A few clipped perfs nevertheless a very presentable pair. Spec. SB62. Cat. £180 P16703287 £70



410

SG 575 1958 3d Deep lilac (Wmk. Crowns). Very fine unused o.g. set of 4 booklet panes of six (3 panes u/m) showing all “dot” and “no dot” combinations for cylinder numbers K18 & K18(T). A few clipped perfs nevertheless a very presentable set. Spec. SB92. Cat. £200. P16703278 £95



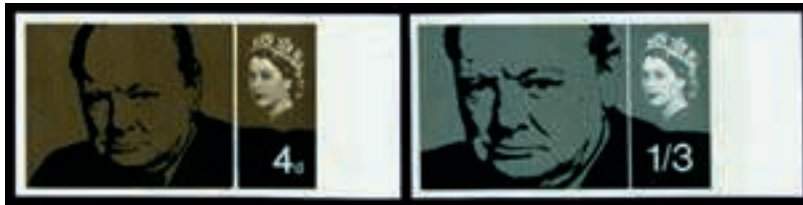
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SG 634var 1963 2½d Freedom from Hunger. Superb unmounted o.g. left hand marginal block of eight showing “Line through MPA” variety in position R.7/2. Spec. W29a. P190003256 £50



412

SG 637a 1963 3d National Nature Week (Ordinary). Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal pair showing "Caterpillar" flaw variety from Cyl. 3B dot position R.3/2. P190003262 £75



413

SG 661/2pvar 1965 4d-1s3d Churchill Commemoration (Phosphor). Superb unmounted o.g. right hand marginal set of two imperforate imprimaturs, each stamp with a "BPMA" handstamp on reverse. Scarce. P14511790 £2000



414

SG 667pa 1965 4d Lister Centenary (Phosphor). Superb unmounted o.g. example showing brown-red (tube) omitted, offered with a normal stamp for comparison. Rare, Pierron records circa 18 mint examples. P15608191 £6750



415

SG 681b/var 1965 20th Anniversary of U.N.O. (Ordinary). Superb unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal cylinder IA.(Black) - IB.(Blue) - IC (Orange) dot block of nine showing "Retouched flying saucer" flaw in position R.18/3. and "Lake in Russia" flaw in position R.19/3. Spec.W77b/d. P190003264 £95



416

SG 696ab 1966 4d British birds (Ordinary paper). Superb unmounted o.g. block of four with black, blue, bistre and reddish brown omitted. Folded through vertical perforations, nevertheless a wonderful example of undoubtedly the most spectacular QEII error. Offered with normal block for comparison. Cat £20,000. G1671741 £12500



417

SG 695a 1966 1s3d World Cup Football Championship. Very fine unmounted o.g. marginal block of four with blue omitted (players shirts), offered with normal for comparison. Scarce format. P189018136 £1400



418

SG 715pc 1967 9d European Free Trade Association (Phosphor). Very fine unmounted o.g. example with green (Portuguese flag) omitted. Offered with normal for comparison. P189006811 £135



419

SG 752a 1967 4d British Discovery and Invention (Phosphor). Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal block of four showing "Broken Scale" variety in position R.10/2. Spec.W123b. P190003275 £45



420

SG 776a 1968 9d Christmas. Very fine unmounted o.g. example with yellow (Doll's dress) omitted, offered with normal for comparison. P14509263 £175



421

SG 778c 1969 5d British Ships. Very fine unmounted o.g. left hand marginal example with red (Inscription) omitted. Offered with normal for comparison. P13408003 £300



422

SG 895c 1971 3p Christmas. Very fine unmounted o.g. right hand marginal example with Lemon (window panels) omitted. Offered with normal for comparison. 2010 RPS certificate of a block of four from which this single was taken. P12306459 £250



423

SG 896a 1971 7½p Christmas. Superb unmounted o.g. example with gold (Queen's head) omitted, offered with normal for comparison. P14509294 £220



424

SG 1026/8 1977-87 £1-£5 Machin High Values. Very fine unmounted o.g. set of eight in horizontal traffic light gutter pairs. P15602069 £170



425

SG 1192a 1982 15½p British textiles. Very fine unmounted o.g. imperforate left hand marginal horizontal pair. Scarce, Pierron records only 10 examples. G0780100 £3250



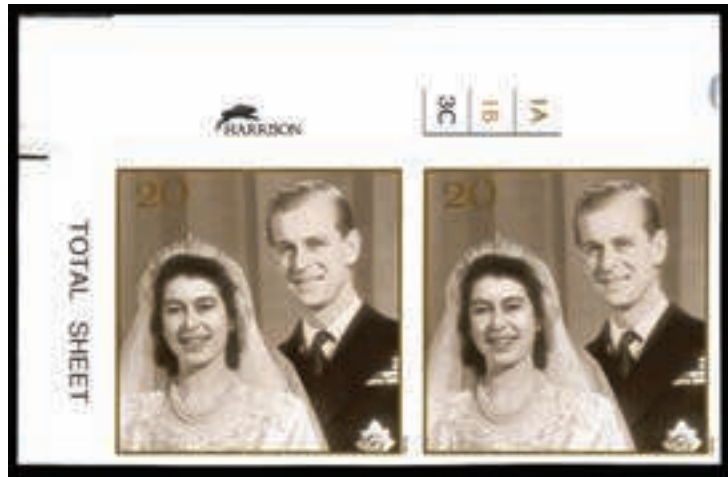
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SG 1568Eb 1991 22p World Congress of Roses. Superb unmounted o.g. top marginal example with black printed double affecting the value, inscription & rose. A stunning example of this extremely rare & visual variety. Copy of an RPS Certificate of a block of four from which this single was taken. P12304778 £4750



427

SG I292a 1985 31p Royal Mail (Parcel delivery). Very fine unmounted o.g. imperforate horizontal pair, a couple of tiny paper wrinkles as often seen. Rare, only 12 pairs recorded. Cat. £3500 P189009029 £3300



428

SG 2011a 1997 20p Royal Golden Wedding. Very fine unmounted o.g. top left hand corner marginal imperforate horizontal "1A, 1B, 3C" cylinder pair, light horizontal crease in margin above stamps nevertheless a spectacular and unique positional piece. Rare, Pierron records only six mint pairs P15602716 £7800



429

SG D3wi 1914 1½d Chestnut (Wmk. Sideways inverted). Very fine unused o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal U 23 control strip of three (Perf type I). P14511450 £240



430

SG D5wi 1914 3d Violet (Wmk. Sideways inverted). Fine unmounted o.g. bottom left hand corner marginal W 23 control strip of three (Perf type P). Mounted in the margin only. P14511449 £145



431

SG C2a 1948 2½d Ultramarine. Superb unmounted o.g. bottom right hand corner marginal example showing "Broken wheel" flaw in position R.20/5. Spec. QCom13c. P190003251 £75



432

SG BB9 1916 2s Booklet (Edition No.50). Exceptionally fine and fresh example of this difficult early George V booklet. Very scarce so fine. P190000675 £1500



433

SG BB9 1916 2s Booklet (Edition No.54). Exceptionally fine and fresh example of this difficult early George V booklet. Very scarce so fine. P190000674 £1500



434

SG BB10 1917 2s Booklet (Edition No.74). Exceptionally fine and fresh example of this difficult early George V booklet. Very scarce so fine.

P190000673 £1350



435

SG BD12 1938 2s Booklet (Edition No.507). Very fine cylinder example with above average perforations and advert pane "Saving is Simple [4.5mm]/Home safe" QB23(9), with no dot cylinders G70, G69, F14 and E29. Scarce. P190001330 £1100



436

SG T3 1876 3d Carmine "Telegraph" Pl.3. (Wmk. Spray). Very fine used example lettered GJ, cancelled by an Auldgirth cds for AU.20.1880.

P190002924 £90



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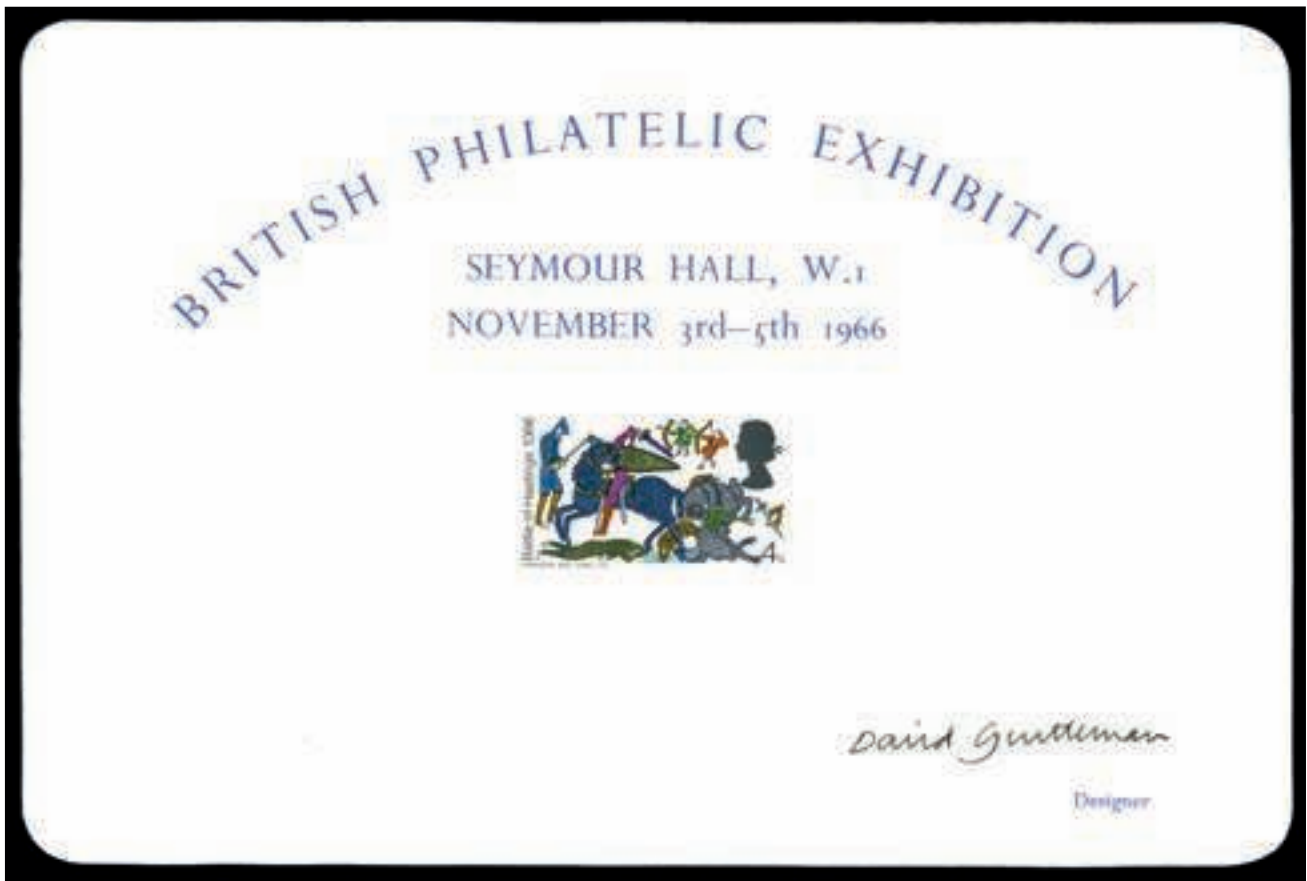
SG T9s 1880 1s Brown orange Pl.10. (Wmk. Spray). Very fine well centred unused o.g. example lettered MC, overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 9.

P190002925 £120



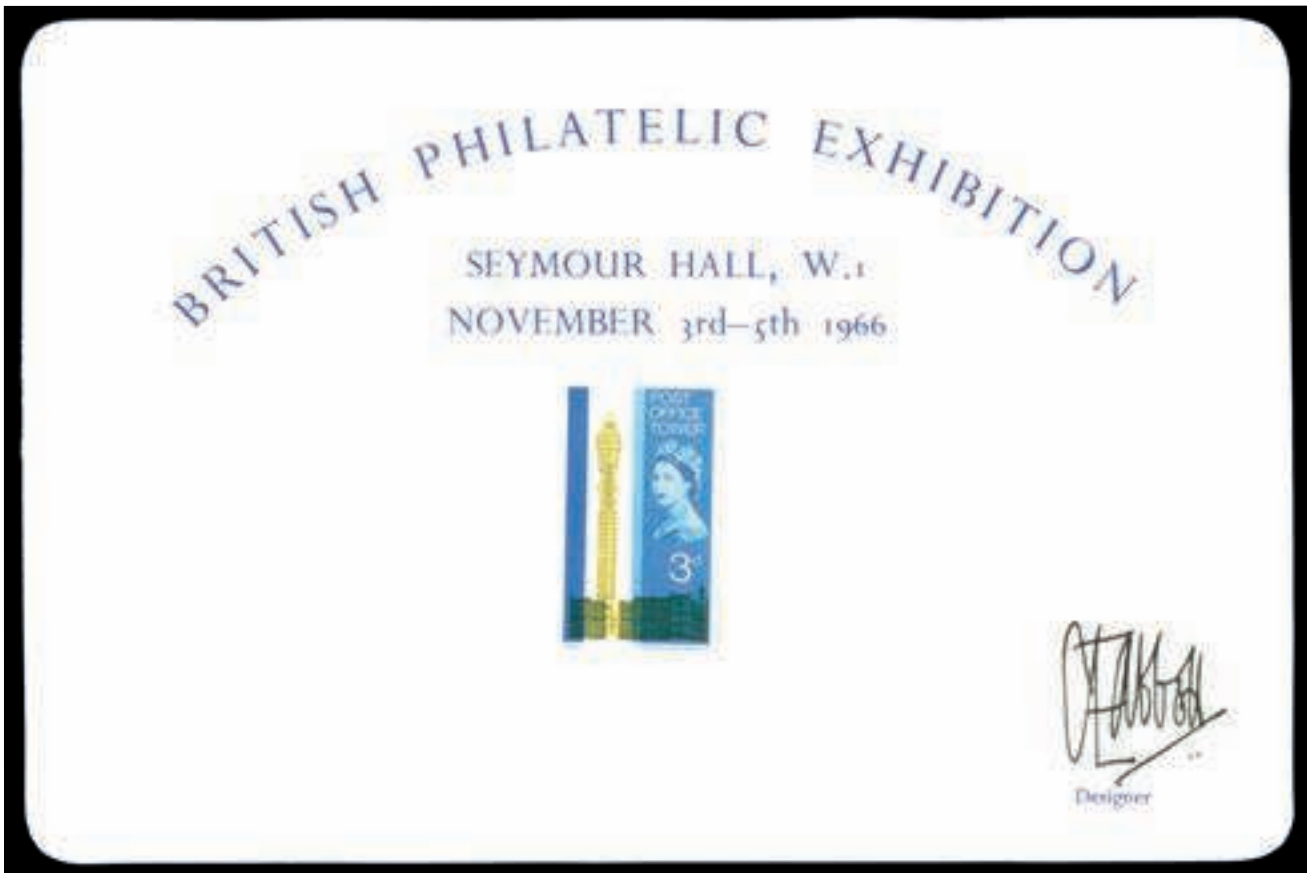
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1866 6d-£1 Ultramarine (Matrimonial Cause). Very fine unmounted o.g. set of six overprinted "SPECIMEN" type 6. Far finer than normally seen and difficult to find with this specimen type. P190003183 £650



439

SG 705var 1966 4d Battle of Hastings. Very fine unused example affixed to a 1966 British Philatelic Exhibition card, signed by the stamp's designer "David Gentleman" at lower right. Scarce. P190000306 £50



440

SG 679var 1965 3d Post Office Tower. Very fine unused example affixed to a 1966 British Philatelic Exhibition card, signed by the stamp's designer "C. Abbott" at lower right. Scarce. P190000307 £50



441

1862 1s2d Black - South Eastern Railways Telegraphs (Perf. 12). Very fine and fresh unused o.g. example of this rare private telegraph company stamp, control number "2012". Langmead rating R3 - 10-50 copies believed to exist. P190000670 £375



442

1910 2nd Philatelic Congress, London. Superb unmounted o.g. set of four souvenir dummy stamps in red, green, brown & blue. Printed by Perkins Bacon Ltd. Scarce. P190000172 £110



443

1911 3rd Philatelic Congress, Birmingham. Superb unmounted o.g. set of four dummy stamps with black centres and frames in red, green, violet or blue (red and blue examples right hand marginal). Printed by the Artist Engraving Co. Scarce. P190000173 £75



444

1912 4th Philatelic Congress (Margate). Very fine unused o.g. example of the triangular congress souvenir dummy stamp in red-brown & black, and an unmounted o.g. part set of four of the official Highcliffe Hotel souvenir labels in yellow-green, violet, blue and black (small thin). Printed by Perkins Bacon. Difficult. P190000174 £45



445

1923 International Stamp Exhibition - Mercury Airmail essays. Very fine unmounted o.g. group of six perforated and six imperforate dummy stamps printed by DLR in green, red, orange-yellow, brown, blue and violet plus an imperforate example in bright purple reprinted on un gummed paper for the 1974 Festival of Stamps. This winning design for an Airmail stamp for Great Britain, was from a competition instigated by the Junior Philatelic Society. The design by J. Bickerton Sifton was however never officially adopted. Attractive group. P190000178 £95



446

1923 International Stamp Exhibition. Very fine unmounted o.g. set of three perforated souvenir dummy stamps in green, brown and maroon. Scarce. P190000181 £40



447

1928 London Stamp Exhibition - A Pageant of Postage. Two very fine unmounted o.g. dummy stamps in black (rouletted) and grey-blue (Perf. 11) depicting the Memorial Hall and Ludgate Circus. Scarce, especially so fine. P190000301 £25



448

1932 19th Philatelic Congress (Brighton). Very fine unmounted o.g. set two perforated dummy stamps in green & blue. P190000211 £25



449

1933 20th Philatelic Congress (London). Very fine unmounted o.g. set of seven imperforate dummy stamps printed in seven colours on different types of paper. Black (wove, hand made), blue (wove, machine made), green (laid), red (pelure), purple (wove bâtonné), orange (laid bâtonné) and sepia (quadrillé). An attractive group. P190000227 £30



450

1933 20th Philatelic Congress (London). Very fine unused o.g. set of seven dummy stamps as issued by the BPA printed in seven colours on different types of paper. Black (wove, hand made), blue (wove, machine made), green (laid), red (pelure), purple (wove bâtonné), orange (laid bâtonné) and sepia (quadrillé). An attractive group complete with original information card. P190000215 £40



451

1934 International Air Post Exhibition. Superb unmounted o.g. set of six souvenir stamps printed by Institut de Gravure, Paris in orange, magenta, blue, red, brown and green. Overprinted by Gerhard Zucker in blue or red "Rocket Post/First British Flight". Rare, only 1000 sets produced and sold at 15/- a set. P190000184 £150



452

1934 International Air Post Exhibition. Superb unmounted o.g. set of six souvenir stamps printed by Institut de Gravure, Paris in orange, magenta, blue, red, brown and green. Scarce to find so fine as a complete set. P190000182 £50



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453

1935 22nd Philatelic Congress (Bath). Very fine unmounted o.g. souvenir sheetlet of twelve different dummy stamps in blue and numbered "396" at upper right in black. Engraved by Perkins Bacon & Co. Ltd. and printed by Torbay Printing Works, Paignton. P190000250 £40



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454

1935 22nd Philatelic Congress (Bath). Very fine unmounted o.g. souvenir sheetlet of twelve different dummy stamps in brown and numbered "396" at upper right in black. Engraved by Perkins Bacon & Co. Ltd. and printed by Torbay Printing Works, Paignton. P190000251 £40



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455

1936 1st London Stamp Exhibition. Very fine unmounted o.g. set of three dummy stamps in blue, brown & green. Offered with a second set on cover, prepaid to Hampstead by a ½d green (SG457) tied by "The Stamp Exhibition/London 1936" special cancel for OC.24.1936. P190000252 £75



456

1937 2nd London Stamp Exhibition. Very fine unmounted o.g. sheetlet of six dummy "Airmail" stamps, printed in blue and depicting an Imperial Airways flying boat. Printed by Posterstamp Publicity Ltd. London. Scarce as a complete sheet. P190000255 £55



457

1937 2nd London Stamp Exhibition. Very fine unmounted o.g. set of four depicting a mail coach, printed in green, red, brown and blue.

P190000257 £30



458

1938 25th Philatelic Congress (Cambridge). Very fine unmounted o.g. souvenir sheetlet of twelve different dummy stamps in dark sepia. Printed in photogravure by Harrison & Sons Ltd.

P190000563 £35



Shown at 95%

459

1940 Stamp Centenary Exhibition. Very fine unmounted o.g. pair of imperforate sheetlets of four in blue and black without red cross overprint, depicting the Chalon portrait of Queen Victoria. Printed by Perkins Bacon Ltd. P190000267 £45



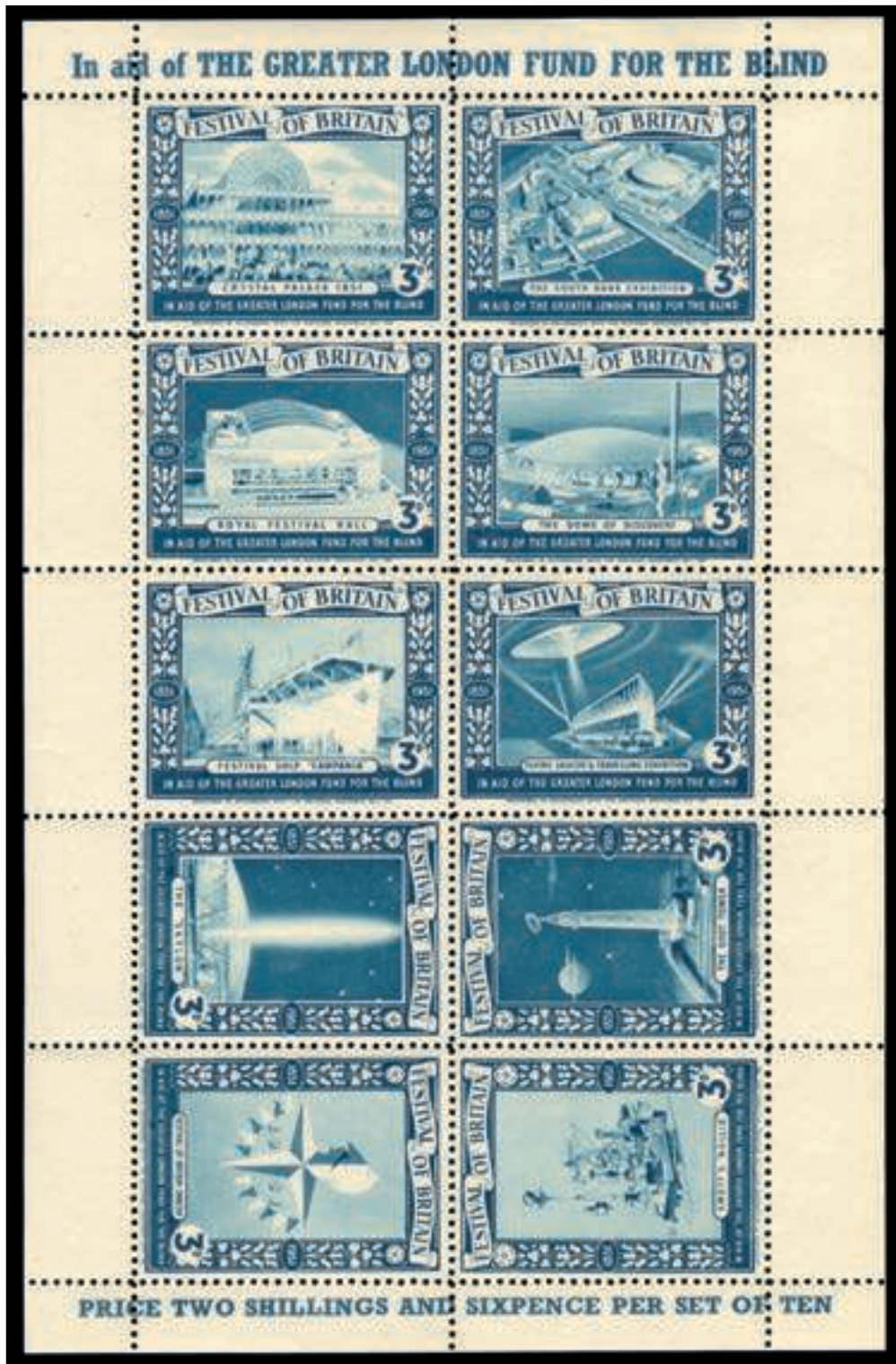
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1940 Stamp Centenary Exhibition. Very fine unmounted o.g. set of five souvenir miniature sheets with red cross overprint. Printed by Waterlow & Sons Ltd. in red, green brown, orange and violet. P190000274 £95



461

1951 Festival of Britain Exhibition. Superb unmounted o.g. souvenir sheet of ten dummy stamps printed in green, originally sold for 2s6d per sheet in aid of "The Greater London Fund for the Blind". Scarce so fine. P190000290 £40



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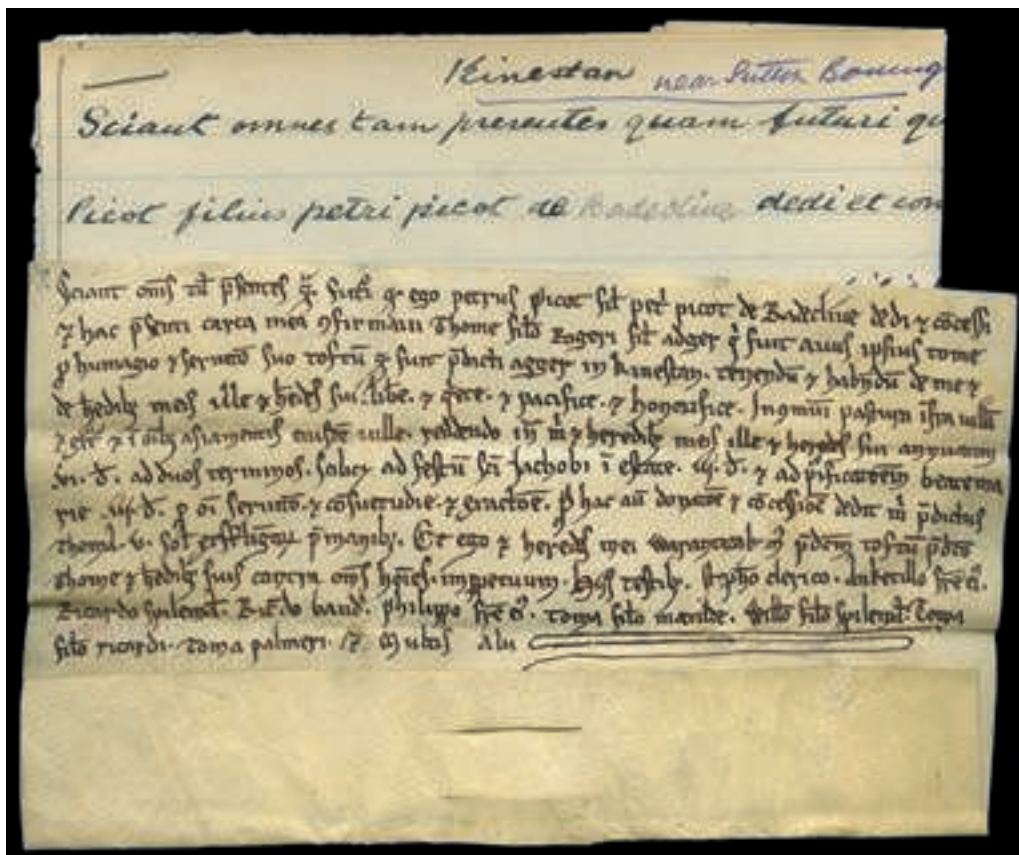
1951 Festival of Britain Exhibition. Superb unmounted o.g. souvenir sheet of ten dummy stamps printed in blue, originally sold for 2s6d per sheet in aid of "The Greater London Fund for the Blind". Scarce so fine. P19000293 £40



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463

1958 40th Philatelic Congress (Folkestone). Superb unmounted o.g. souvenir sheetlet of twelve different dummy stamps in red, originally from the 24th Congress in Folkestone, overprinted with new dates and price in black. Scarce in such pristine condition. P190000298 £30



Shown at 90%

464

c. 1300 Early (Edward I period) vellum document. Very fine vellum deed (147 x 87mm) with seal slot at foot. Written in a neat latin script, undated (as usual before 1303) concerning land around the area of Sutton Bonington as it is now known, with several witness names listed at the end including "Stephano Clerico, Ricardo Spileman, Ricardo Vaud and numerous brothers and sons". Very attractive and early item, small enough to easily fit on an album page making it a superb frontispiece for any GB postal history collection. P190001875 £700



Shown at 82%

465

1811 Under-paid Mail. Very fine entire from Halifax to London, prepaid "1/8" as a double rate letter but deemed a triple rate letter and under paid, additional manuscript charge "10" with a fine strike in purple of the rare Crown/MORE/TO/PAY crescent (L240 Rarity H). Halifax dispatch and London arrival datestamps at right for JU.19.1811 & JU.21.1811 respectively. Lovely quality and an extremely scarce entire. P190003636 £350



Shown at 82%

466

1840 Uniform penny Post. Very fine entire sent from West Bromwich to Stourbridge with a superb red "PAID/ONE/PENNY" (ST 860) UPP handstamp at upper right and a matching West Bromwich dispatch cds for MY.10.1840 at top left. Very attractive. P190002507 £110



Shown at 82%

467

SG MEI 1840 1d Mulready lettersheet Forme I Stereo A4. Very fine and fresh example beautifully cancelled by a perfectly struck black MC, sent locally within London and backstamped accordingly for DE.22.1840. A very attractive cover from the experimental trial period for black cancelling ink.

G0902718 £650



Shown at 82%

468

1841 1d Pink envelope (Huggins EP5d). Very fine envelope sent from Romford, Essex to Holborn neatly cancelled by a crisp black MC, backstamped by a Romford dispatch cds for AU.3.1843. and a London arrival cds for the following day. P189016234 £75



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469

SG 8m 1841 1d Red-brown Pl.35. Attractive small envelope sent from London to Presteign, Radnorshire, bearing a four margin 1d Red-brown Pl.6. (SG8) neatly tied by a London No.6 MC with a red "T.P./BECKENHAM" handstamp alongside. Backstamped with a London dispatch cds for NO.21.1843. alongside a small green and gold seal endorsed "SUNDAY". A wonderful miniature envelope. P189016254 £395



Shown at 82%

470

SG 10 1841 1d Deep red-brown Pl.15. Superb used four margin example beautifully tied by a crisp black MC to a clean mourning entire. Sent from Marlborough to Hungerford with a perfectly struck Marlborough cds on reverse for SP.22.1841. Exhibition quality P190001719 £225



471

SG 40 1859 1d Rose-red Pl.47.Very fine used example lettered RL, tied to an uncreased miniature envelope by a Brighton "132" Sideways duplex for JA.28.1859.Addressed to Horsham with receiving cds alongside for JA.29.1859, with a Kings Road udc on reverse. Spec. C10(5). P190003291 £50



472

SG 43,47 1870 Overseas mail.Very fine late fee entire to Basle, prepaid by a 2d Blue Pl.13 and 1d Rose-red Pl.116 with a second 1d Rose-red Pl.116 paying a 1d late fee payment.All neatly cancelled by London "WC/22" duplexes for MR.8.1870 with a boxed "L1" handstamp at lower right. Routed via Belgium with a Basle receiving cds on reverse for the 10th.Most attractive. P189015163 £150



473

SG 156 1877 Overseas mail.Very fine cover sent from Richmond, Surrey to Adelaide, South Australia bearing an 8d Orange Pl.1. (SG 156) neatly tied by a Richmond, Surrey "D21" duplex for FE.27.1877. Endorsed at top left "via Brindisi" carried overland to Brindisi then by P & O steamers "Avoca" Brindisi-Alexandria, "Indus" Suez-Galle & "Tanjore" Galle-Adelaide.Arriving on AP.25.1877 as shown by G.P.O.Adelaide cds on obverse.Attractive.

P189016251 £375



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474

SG 143 1879 Overseas Mail. Very fine cover to Lieut. H.M. Sandbach serving in the second Anglo-Afghan war with the No.4 "Hazara" mountain battery, Peshawar Field Force, Jallalabad. Prepaid at the 6d per ½oz rate by a pair of 3d Rose (SG 143's) tied by a Chatham "173" duplex for JU.27.1879.

Backstamped with a Sea Post Office cds for JY.4.1879 and light arrival cds's. Some peripheral creasing affecting the right hand stamp nevertheless a presentable example from this famous correspondence. Major Henry Martin Sandbach (Royal Artillery) served in the 2nd Afghan war (1878-80) & the Sudan Campaign (1885). Whilst hunting in Somaliland in November 1895 he was attacked by a wounded lioness, later succumbing to his injuries after the onset of gangrene. A very scarce 2nd Afghan war cover. P190002493 £250



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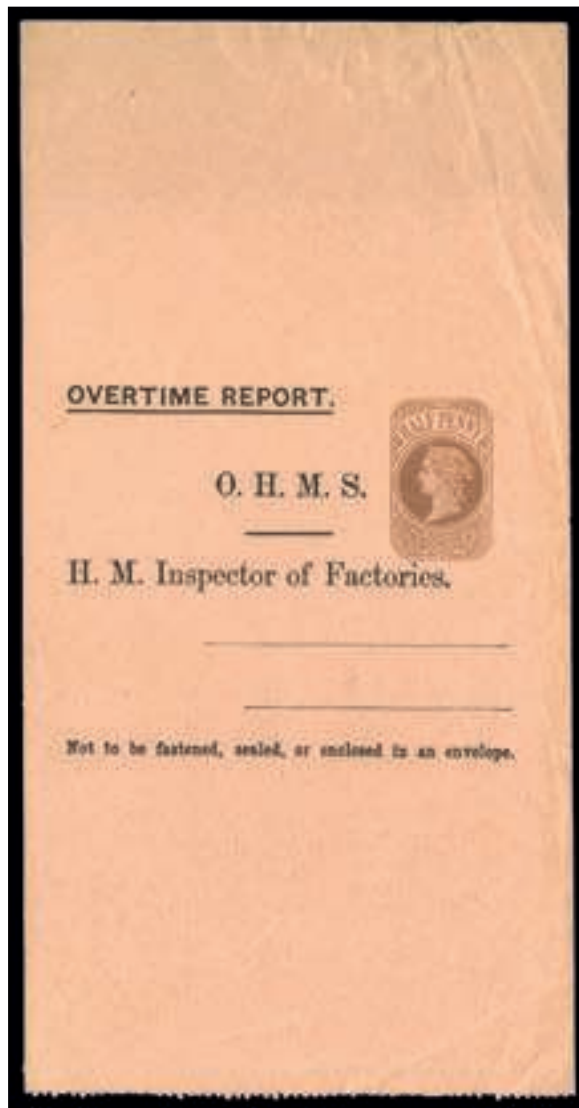
SG 190 1886 Ethridge machine cancel. Very fine cover to Vienna, prepaid by a 2½d lilac (A) tied by a superb strike of this rare experimental machine cancellation for DE.21.1886. Vienna receiving cds's on reverse for Christmas day. P190001696 £500



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476

SG 197,200,201 1889 Registered mail. Very fine 2d registered envelope (Type RP15, Size F) to Samarang, Java prepaid at the double rate with a ½d, 2d and 2½d "Jubilee" all tied by Registered/Liverpool oval datestamps for SP.6.1889 with a Hope-St/Liverpool cds at foot for the same day. Weltevreden (Jakarta) arrival cds on reverse for OC.12.1889. Most attractive and a very unusual destination. P190000939 £225



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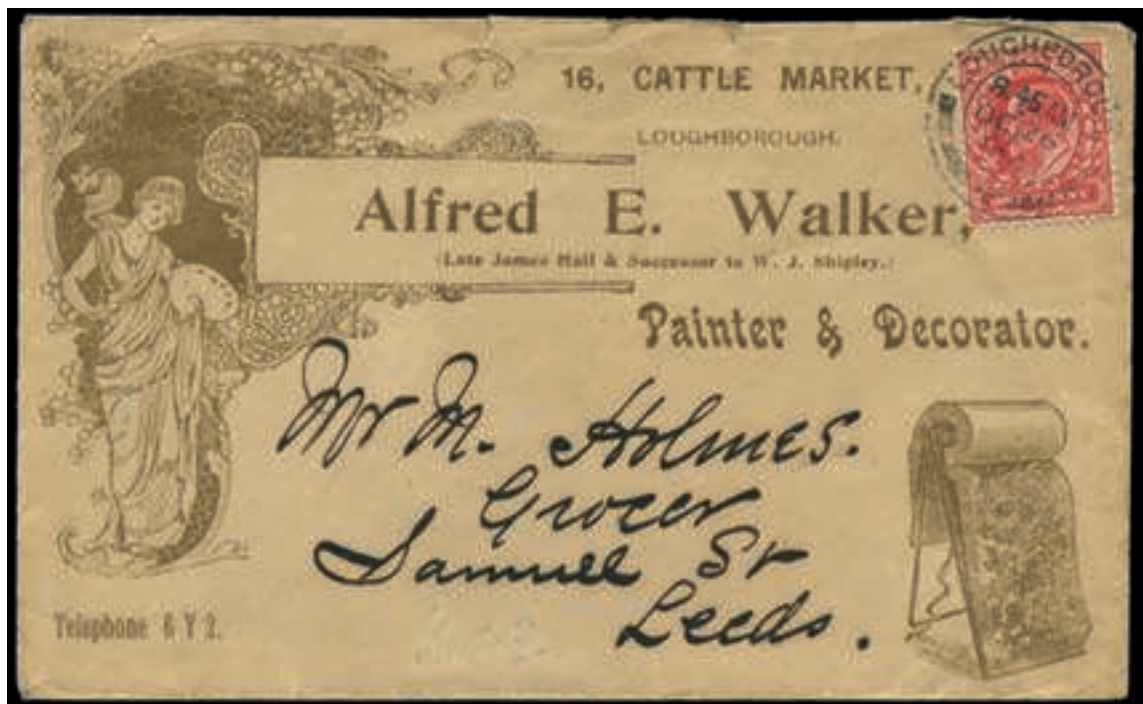
c.1901 ½d Brown O.H.M.S. Inspector of Factories - Overtime Report. Very fine unused example printed on pink paper. Extremely scarce, not recorded used. Huggins Spec. LO74C. P189007316 £150



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478

SG 219 1902 Maritime mail. Very fine Royal Mail Steam Packet Co. envelope addressed to London, prepaid by a 1d Scarlet, posted on board ship and cancelled solely by a violet "POSTED ON THE HIGH SEAS" handstamp of the RMSP Co. steamer "Magdalena II". Lisbon dispatch cds on reverse for AU.29.1902. Unusual. P190001733 £95



479

SG 219 1904 Advertising mail. Superb buff envelope addressed to Leeds, Yorkshire bearing a 1d scarlet cancelled by a Loughborough double ring cds for OC.26.1904. Advertising "Alfred E Walker, Painter & Decorator" with a depiction of a young lady in a toga holding an artists palette at left with telephone number "6 Y 2" at foot of the advertisement . P189016070 £175



480

SG 351 1917 Railway mail. Very fine envelope bearing a 2d deep bluish green Knott End Railway letter stamp cancelled by a violet Knott End Railway/Garstang oval datestamp for JU.1.1917, accompanied by two 1/2d Green (SG 351) paying the onward postage from Garstang station to Manchester. Franked in Fleetwood on the same day by a double ring cds. Scarce railway letter stamp of which only 1000 were issued. P189016147 £475

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